

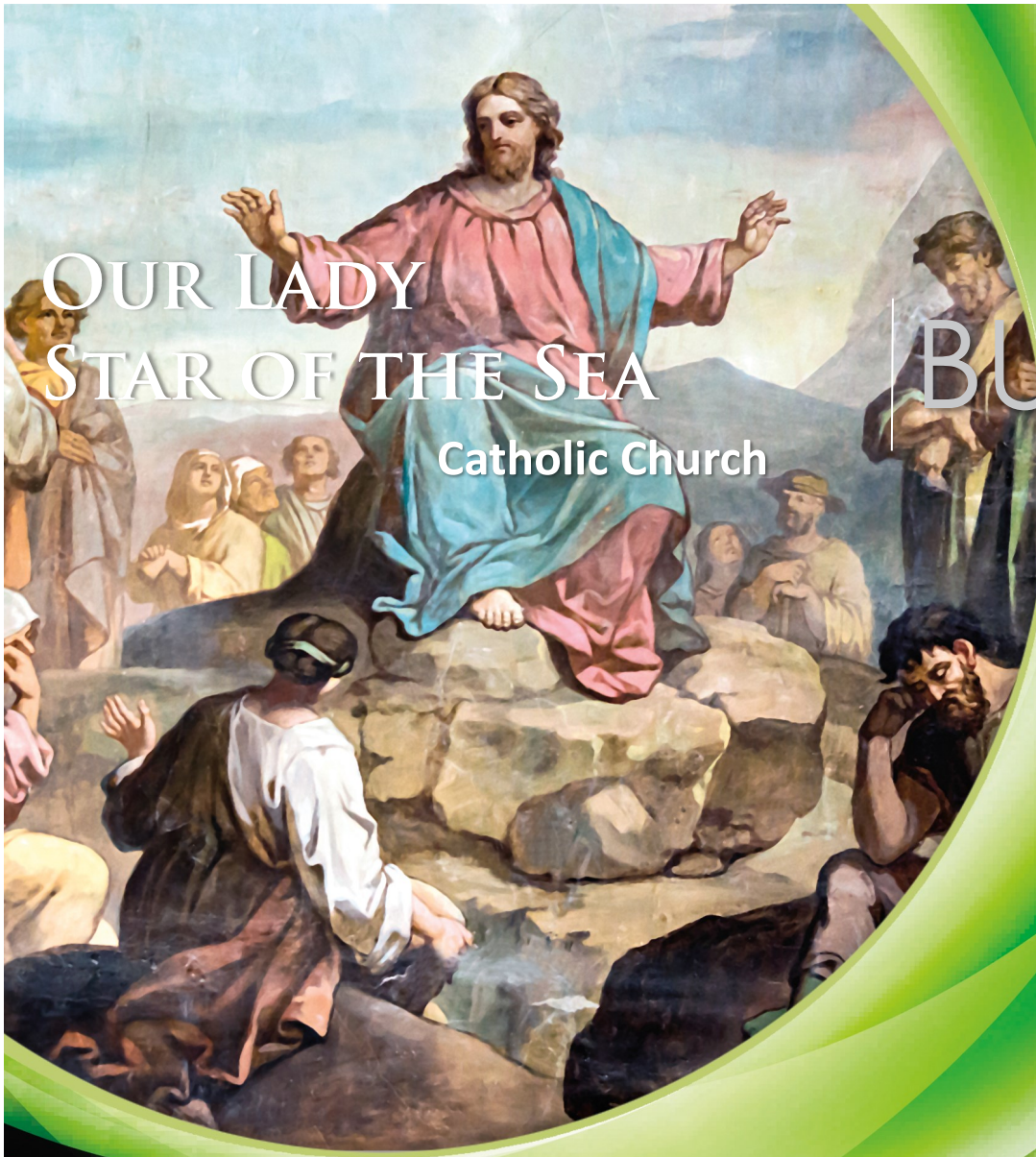
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# OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA

Catholic Church

# BULLETIN

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## 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Again you have heard that it was said to your ancestors,  
‘Do not take a false oath, but make good to the Lord all that you vow.’”

 *Matthew 5:33*

WITH MARY, WE BRING PEOPLE TO CHRIST TO LIVE THE LOVE OF GOD



## mass times & information

**SAT** 4:00 p.m. (Vigil)  
**SUN** 8:00 a.m.  
9:30 a.m.  
11:30 a.m.  
**MON** 7:30 a.m.  
**TUE** 7:30 a.m.  
**WED** 7:30 a.m.  
**THU** 7:30 a.m.  
**FRI** 8:30 a.m.

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

**MON** 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
**TUE** 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
**WED** 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
**THU** 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
**FRI** 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
**SAT** Closed  
**SUN** Closed  
**Holidays** — Closed

### BAPTISMS

Please call the parish office during the last months of pregnancy to arrange for Baptism classes and schedule the Sacrament. Everyone has a right to their own sacramental certificate. No one has the right to another person's certificate, except: the parent/guardian of a minor child. (Archdiocese of Detroit)

### RECONCILIATION

**SAT** 3:00 p.m. until all have been heard and by appointment

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK/ MINISTRY TO THE SICK

The Church strongly encourages people to receive the Sacrament (Anointing) of the Sick at the early stages of serious sickness or before serious surgeries.

In emergency situations needing the prompt attention of a priest, please call the parish office.

### MARRIAGE

Archdiocesan law requires advance notice of at least six months.

### PARISH REGISTRATION

Newcomers to the parish may register in the Parish Office during regular office hours. Others, please notify the Parish Office of address changes.

**Adults over 21** need to be registered as an individual member to be considered a Catholic in Good Standing.

**Hearing devices are available for use during Mass. Please ask an usher for assistance.**

The Archdiocesan Synod 16 obviously has been very foundational for the Church of Detroit. The role of the Holy Spirit was significant that not only led up to the Synod in November of 2016 but also in the years that followed. The awareness of the Holy Spirit to help move parishes forward in new and challenging ways is central to *Unleash the Gospel* and for the parishes of the Archdiocese.

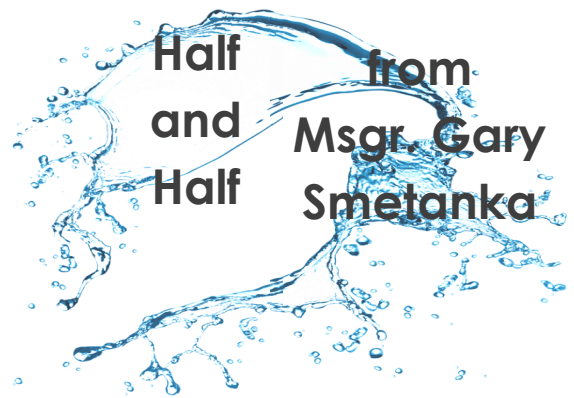
Another resulting proposition from the Synod centered on Parish Culture, i.e., "to build a culture of life-changing personal encounter with Jesu that permeates every aspect of parish life and that leads to a loving encounter with our neighbor." Here at Star of the Sea, in our Missionary Strategic Plan, we aim to accomplish this with three goals in mind.

Our first goal will be to create an environment which welcomes new members to our parish family. We hope to accomplish this through a team of "parish ambassadors" greeting the new families, to publicly recognize new parishioners as well as to reach out to those member of the parish who appear "missing in action."

Our second goal is to offer more opportunities to encounter Jesus! Over the next few years we aim to offer various retreats for many stages of life, evening reflections for more specific groups, e.g, the grieving, and various encounters through Holy Hours, prayer services, parish mission, praise and worship, and concerts. Through these various efforts many people will have the opportunity to encounter Jesus that is pertinent and appealing to them.

Our third goal is to offer opportunities for people to share more of their personal testimony. This might be through personal stories of encounters with Blessed Solanus Casey, conversions in and through the RCIA process, and other personal life-changing encounters.

\*\* The season of Lent is around the corner! Ash Wednesday is Feb. 26. Speaking of building a culture of life changing events, Lent is time that is naturally filled with them. Through the many and varied



services, opportunities for the sacrament of reconciliation of confession, performing acts of service or mercy for others, delving more into some books or videos for formation and reflection, there are so many ways at our disposal for an encounter with Jesus! Many of these encounters might be "soft" but nonetheless impactful. Keep in mind we will have a special Lenten reflection by Fr. Mario Amore, one of our "weekend priests," on Monday, March 30.

\*\* Congratulations to our Jubilarian Couples who are celebrating significant wedding anniversaries this year! We wish them continued blessings as they give testimony to others through their life through the Sacrament of Matrimony. Thanks to Terry Varani and her committee for hosting a wonderful celebration.

\*\* The Parish Office will be closed Monday for the civil holiday (and a little mid-winter break for us).

Know of the Lord's abundant blessings this week!

Msgr. Gary Smetanka



## Pasta Dinner Preview of Beauty & the Beast



**FEB 20**

**5 PM**

Hosted by Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Elementary and Middle School

Hear the musical drama class premiere the songs  
we will sing at our performances.

Tickets are \$6 per person

Family Deal: 4 or more \$5 per person

Where: School Cafeteria

## Ash Wednesday Schedule FEB 26

7:30 a.m. ~ Mass with Distribution of Ashes

10:00 a.m. ~ Mass with Distribution of Ashes

11:00 a.m. ~ Adoration in Parish Offices Chapel until 2 p.m.

12:15 p.m. ~ Prayer Service with Distribution of Ashes

3:15 p.m. ~ Prayer Service with Distribution of Ashes

7:00 p.m. ~ Mass with Distribution of Ashes

Ashes Distributed After the Homily

**(Self Imposition of Ashes is Not Allowed.)**

*Ash Wednesday is a Day of Fast and Abstinence\**

*\*The law of abstinence obliges those 14 years of age and older not to eat meat. The law of fast obliges all those 18—59 years old to refrain from eating between meals and to limit eating to one full meal and two lighter meals for the entire day.*

## this week...

February 16—February 23

**SUN**  
16  
Fellowship Sunday  
Auction Raffle Sale after Masses  
8:00 a.m. Mass  
9:30 a.m. NO Kingdom Kids  
Sunday Preschool  
9:30 a.m. Little Sailors Child Care  
9:30 a.m. Mass  
11:30 a.m. Mass

**MON**  
17  
**Parish Office Closed**  
7:30 a.m. Mass

**TUE**  
18  
7:30 a.m. Mass  
4:00 p.m. No Religious Education  
Classes  
6:30 p.m. No Religious Education  
Classes  
7:30 p.m. Rosary and Chaplet

**WED**  
19  
7:30 a.m. Mass  
9:30 a.m. Biblical Walk Through  
The Mass  
11:00 a.m. Adoration  
In Parish Office Chapel  
3:00 p.m. Light of Mercy  
7:00 p.m. No High School Chosen  
7:30 p.m. Biblical Walk Through  
The Mass

**THU**  
20  
6:30 a.m. Men's Fellowship  
7:30 a.m. Mass  
5:00 p.m. Musical Drama  
Pasta Dinner

**FRI**  
21  
8:30 a.m. Mass

**SAT**  
22  
3:00 p.m. Confessions  
4:00 p.m. Mass (Vigil)  
5:00 p.m. Auction Raffle Sale

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## Loose Change Collection

Looking for a way to get rid of  
your loose change?

Help the school raise funds for  
technology and drop your loose change  
in the regular  
Sunday offertory basket.



## Christian Service

february



### March/April Service Projects

#### Lenten Alms

List of organizations to come

#### Blessing Bags

March 1 – April 26

Join us to assemble the bags  
on Sunday, April 26<sup>th</sup>  
starting at 12:30 in The Pointe.  
List to be published soon.

Donate your car to the  
Society of  
St. Vincent de Paul

The car will be picked up  
within 24 hours, the tax  
paperwork will be sent to  
you, and the donation stays  
in the community:

[www.svdpusacars.com](http://www.svdpusacars.com),  
or call (800) 322-8284.

[www.advanc-ed.org](http://www.advanc-ed.org)



Our Lady  
Star of the Sea School  
has been a Nationally  
Recognized  
School of Excellence  
since 1998



The Christian Service Committee  
is sponsoring  
a **WHITE CREW** sock Drive  
**February 1—February 29**

Please place NEW socks in the  
White box in the gathering space

## High School Youth Ministry

Ignite is a fellowship of teens from the community forming their Catholic identity through service, Bible study, and community engagement. Whether you are in Catholic school, public school or private school, if you are seeking for the Truth come and join us in our quest.

“Never let the fire in your heart go out. Keep it alive.  
Serve the Lord.” Romans 12:11

## February Schedule

Tuesday, February 18th 9:00am-10:30am

Making Rosaries at Beyond (on Mack Ave. in G.P.W.)

R.S.V.P. to Carolyn by Feb. 17th

For more information please contact

Carolyn Mikula 313-884-7407 Ext. 208 or [C.Mikula@stargp.org](mailto:C.Mikula@stargp.org)

Auction 2020  
**THE DERBY**  
Place Your Bet on a Star

Saturday, February 29, 2020  
six o'clock in the evening

Country Club of Detroit  
Grosse Pointe Farms

Derby Attire Encouraged

Raffles, Silent and Live Auction  
Strolling Dinner and Cocktails



## Fish Fry

Our Lady

Star of the Sea

Fridays of Lent  
(excluding Good Friday)

February 28,

March 6, 13, 20, 27 and  
April 3

*Volunteers needed for  
the Fish Fry.*

*Work 1 shift or both...  
all Friday's or a couple*

5:00pm - 7:00pm

in *The Pointe*

Full Dinner \$ 12.50  
includes sales tax

Small Plate \$ 8.50  
includes sales tax

4 years old and under  
free

## RAFFLE TICKETS SOLD TODAY AFTER MASS

### "Win, Place, or Show" Raffle

Winner's choice of

**WIN \$10,000**

**PLACE** - Chruchill Downs Experience

**SHOW** - American Music Awards Experience

*Great odds with only 300 available! \$100 per ticket*

### Year of Dining Raffle

Win twelve - \$100 gift cards

*\$25 per ticket or 5 for \$100*



[www.OLSOS-Auction.org](http://www.OLSOS-Auction.org)

# FORMING OUR FAITH



During a recent RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation) session, we were discussing the Ten Commandments. Joe Paprocki, the author of

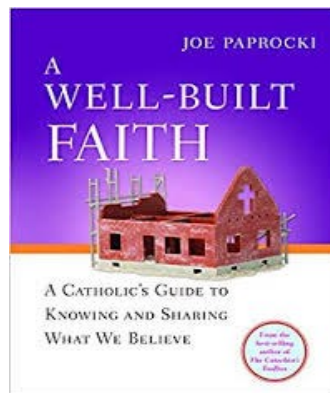
***A Well-Built Faith\****,

describes the commandments as “God’s Law of Love.” He goes on to say that there is no *mysterious secret to happiness*—God has revealed it to us in these commandments. These commandments are not just a list of rules to follow but are the principles that spell out how we live in relationship with God, who alone can offer us the gift of eternal life.

But, wait a minute! Laws are restrictive, keeping us from having any fun, right? Mr. Paprocki gives a wonderful analogy . . .

“Let’s say I want to be free to enjoy a good game of tennis. However, I am trapped (enslaved) by my ability to swing the racket properly. If I get coaching from a tennis pro, he or she will teach me the rules of a good tennis swing. If I follow these rules, I will be free to truly enjoy the game of tennis. In the same way, the Ten Commandments free us from enslavement to that which separates us from truly loving God and others.” Ponder that for a moment. Just as you taught your children to stay away from a hot stove, God wants to keep His children safe and teach them the best way to live. Take another look at the Ten Commandments from the perspective of a gift and see how you can open and enjoy them each and every day.

\**A Well-Built Faith*  
by Joe Paprocki  
Loyola Press



***Looking for ways to get involved in your parish?***

## **Volunteer Opportunities:**

### **Vacation Bible School (VBS) Coordinator**

Assist the Director of Religious Education (DRE) in planning and coordinating the annual VBS week in June. If you have been blessed with the gift of creativity, have a flair for drama, are comfortable in front of a crowd, enjoy sharing the love of God with His children, and organizing events, we have the volunteer opportunity for you!

### **Little Sailors Child Care**

Sundays during the 9:30 Mass.

Adult needed to assist coordinator with children ages 12 months to 3 years, helping with activities, snack, and bathroom breaks.

### **Substitute Catechists**

Tuesdays during Religious Education classes:

Session I—4:00-5:30 pm; Session II—6:30-8:00 pm.

### **Hospitality**

Assist with various events throughout the year such as Confirmation Candidate/Sponsor Retreat, Advent Family Night, Lent Family Night, First Eucharist Family Dinner, Confirmation Reception, etc.

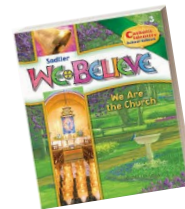
*Please contact Judy Zedan, DRE, for more information.*

*J.zedan@stargp.org -OR- 313.884.7407*

## **Religious**

## **Education**

## **Calendar**



### **Grades 1-8—Tues.**

NO CLASS Feb. 18

Class on Feb. 25

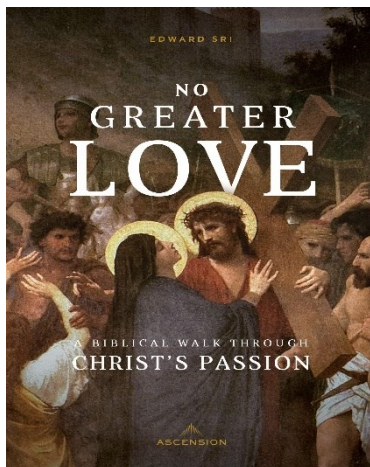
### **High School Chosen—Weds.**

NO CLASS Feb. 19 & Feb. 26

***Find more information about our***

***Religious Education programs at: <https://olsos.org/religious-education-forms-schedules>***

# Join us on this wonderful Lenten Journey!



## *No Greater Love: A Biblical Walk Through Christ's Passion*

*Wednesdays, March 4 – April 1<sup>st</sup>*

*Mornings: 9:30 am – 11:00 am*

*Evenings: 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm*

Filmed on location in the Holy Land, *No Greater Love* is a **five-part video series and full-length book** that reveals Christ's amazing love for us. Best-selling author Edward Sri guides you through the last hours of Christ's life in this biblical pilgrimage. While taking this study or reading this book, you will walk **step-by-step with Jesus** from the Garden of Gethsemane to the Mount of Calvary.

Every step of the way, biblical experts reveal how **Old Testament prophecies, messianic expectations, biblical symbolism, and historical context** shed light on the mystery of Christ's suffering and death. With these insights, Catholics can come to a deeper understanding and appreciation of God's immeasurable and unconditional love—**drawing closer to Jesus than ever have before**.

Authored and presented by Edward Sri, *No Greater Love* also features: **Fr. Mike Schmitz, Jeff Cavins, Jennifer Fulwiler, Curtis Martin, Teresa Tomeo, Fr. Josh Johnson, and Elizabeth Sri**.

In this study, Catholics discover...

- The Biblical background to each scene in Christ's passion.
- What was Jesus going through at each moment?
- How did the Old Testament foretell of Christ's death?
- Why did Christ die for us? What did it accomplish?
- What was the meaning behind of the tearing of the temple veil, the crowning with thorns, and other events during Christ's Passion?

Participants in **No Greater Love** study program should have a Catholic Bible.

**The cost of the workbook will be \$30.00. Couples may share materials.  
Both sessions of this Bible study will meet in The Pointe.**

**For more information or to register, contact Meredith Nesom in the Religious Education Office**

**313.884.7407 – OR- [m.nesom@stargp.org](mailto:m.nesom@stargp.org)**



## In memoriam

2/17/1976 William Lemay  
2/17/1984 Matthew Schumer  
2/17/1989 John Evans  
2/17/2001 Patricia Ulatowski  
2/17/2009 Donald McElmurry  
2/17/2012 George Dakmak  
2/17/2017 Dante DeSpirt  
2/18/1970 Margaret Watson  
2/18/1975 Albert Mardney  
2/18/1978 Albert DeLamielleure  
2/18/1995 Katherine Heymoss  
2/18/1997 Marjorie Schroeder  
2/18/2003 Thomas Fox  
2/18/2019 Marilyn Bourgoin  
2/19/1960 Albert Dietz  
2/19/1999 Joseph Tocco  
2/19/2003 James Causley  
2/19/2006 Virginia Berg  
2/19/2007 Angeline Ritter  
2/19/2014 Patricia La Grasso  
2/20/1967 Gertrude Reynolds  
2/20/1981 John DeLuca  
2/20/1991 Teresa Alfonsi  
2/20/1995 Jacqueline Fosse  
2/20/1995 William Kennedy  
2/20/1995 Robert Wright, Sr.  
2/20/2003 Betty Williams  
2/20/2006 Frank Makowski  
2/20/2009 Matthew Augugliaro  
2/20/2016 Joan Buccinna  
2/20/2019 Patrick Meathe  
2/21/1960 Wendell Greening  
2/21/1987 Kristen Rusko  
2/21/1988 Alfonse Baratta  
2/21/2004 Charles Spindler  
2/21.2009 Lorraine Fraser  
2/21/2014 Myron Di Bartolomeo  
2/21/2017 MaryAnn Parus  
2/22/1962 John Huetteman  
2/22/1972 Nester Decker  
2/22/1975 Robert Fannon  
2/22/1980 Jeno Huckle  
2/22/1980 Madelline Sullivan  
2/22/1983 Jennie DaDeppo  
2/22/2005 Margaret Adam  
2/22/2006 Celia Marie Wilson  
2/23/1971 Eileen Lehrter  
2/23/1976 Helen Southlea  
2/23/1981 Sam Palazzolo  
2/23/2005 Anthony Krol

## Teacher Feature— Mrs. Ascencio (5<sup>th</sup> grade)

Everyone has someone special in his or her life. During Catholic Schools Week, Star had many activities that brought our students and faculty together which allowed us to help others. Collectively, throughout the week we participated in the 'Spare Change Challenge' with all proceeds donated to St. Aloysius Parish. The students and staff also collected and donated gloves, hats, scarves, blankets, linens, sweaters, and coats for Warm Hands, Warm Hearts, which were donated to 'Operation Lunches of Love' recipients.

On Friday of CSW we had "Special Persons Day" which is an opportunity for our students to invite their 'special person' to spend the morning with them at school. It began with a wonderful mass which all attended. After mass the students and their special people stopped by The Pointe for quick refreshments before going to their classrooms. The Middle School students then went to the cafeteria to assemble 1,000 'Lunches of Love' for Homeless Veterans of Detroit. Our Lower School students returned to their classrooms with their special person for an activity and also visited a 'Specials' class. Our fifth grade language arts class spent time reflecting, writing, rewriting, and typing an essay about their special person. They invited their person to the front of the room and presented their speech in front of the fifth grade audience. When finished, they gave the speech to their special person as a thank you gift for joining them.

Thank you to all of our Special People. It was a heartwarming experience!





## Blanket Making

Please join in blanket creation each third Saturday of the month at 9:00 AM in the Pointe!

We will make receiving blankets for baptisms and prayer blankets for the sick and suffering. You do not have to bring any materials or particular crafting talent; cutting in a straight line, sticking pins, or ironing are great contributions. If, however, you have a sewing machine to bring along and can do basic straight-line sewing, or if you knit or crochet, that would be a valuable asset.

Drop-off contributions of pre-washed flannel fabric in one-yard increments to the parish office are a way to get involved if Saturdays are inconvenient. Please consider joining in fellowship with us as we create these blankets, sharing love and hospitality with the most vulnerable in our parish.



## scripture readings

### WEEK OF FEBRUARY 9

#### SUNDAY

**Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
Sir 15:15-20; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34; 1 Cor 2:6-10; Mt 5:17-37 or Mt 5:20-22a, 27-28, 33-34a, 37

#### MONDAY

**The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order**  
Jas 1:1-11; Ps 119:67, 68, 71, 72, 75, 76; Mk 8:11-13

#### TUESDAY

Jas 1:12-18; Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 18-19; Mk 8:14-21

#### WEDNESDAY

Jas 1:19-27; Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5; Mk 8:22-26

#### THURSDAY

Jas 2:1-9; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mk 8:27-33

#### FRIDAY

**Saint Peter Damian, Bishop and Doctor of the Church**  
Jas 2:14-24, 26; Ps 112:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mk 8:34—9:1

#### SATURDAY

**Feast of the Chair of Saint Peter, Apostle**  
1 Pt 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-3a, 4, 5, 6; Mt 16:13-19

#### SUNDAY

**Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Lv 19:1-2, 17-18; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13; 1 Cor 3:16-23; Mt 5:38-48



## UNLEASH THE GOSPEL

### go and make disciples

Because Lent is just around the corner, last week we discussed performing the works of mercy during Lent. It is not too soon to think about what we can do to grow spiritually during this season of fasting, self-denial, spiritual growth, conversion, and simplicity.

In today's column another suggestion for a Lenten practice is offered.

Lenten programs and plans can be a time-out, an opportunity to examine our relationship with God and those around us and a chance for spiritual growth and conversion; a spiritual spring cleaning.

So busy that you are meeting yourself coming and going? Don't know if you can get to any planned programs but still want to encounter Jesus in a special way this Lent?

There are tons of ways that you can enrich and enhance your spiritual life and experience conversion and growth. You will know what works best for you.

Here's something to think about.

We have heard the parable about the rich man who asks Jesus what he should do to follow Him. After answering that he obeys the commandments, etc. Jesus tells him to sell all he has to be able to follow him.

Letting go this Lent may be the right road to follow.

"Some of us may need to let go of money to follow Jesus, but for others, grandiose views of self, unfair expectations, and trivial worries do far more damage to a life of discipleship than anything else. Some of us need to let go of possessions, but others have too strong a grip on safety nets, past traumas, or grudges to be free enough to follow Jesus. Truly, nothing is too small or too insignificant. Anything that prevents us from following Jesus with our whole heart, anything that holds us back, is a stumbling block to Christian discipleship as deadly as sin. If we refuse to let go of whatever it is, we run the risk of ending up just like the rich young man: sad and far from Jesus." ...from the book *Let Go: Seven Stumbling Blocks to Christian Discipleship* by Casey Cole, OFM

Make the most of this spiritual spring cleaning and time out. Lent is serious, but it doesn't have to be gloomy. The grace and peace that will follow our efforts are God's gift to us.

One in the Spirit  
Joanne Mualem  
Evangelization Commission

**Please pray for**

**the sick**

Angela Agrusa  
 Daniel Ament  
 Bruce Belcoure  
 Lisa Belcoure  
 Marie Brady  
 Rod Brown  
 Robert Caldwell  
 Cassidy Christie  
 Dr. William Collins  
 Sharon De Long  
 Virg Ditty  
 Joseph Drader  
 Dave Galbenski  
 Peter John Hanna  
 Linda Keschl  
 Steve Kocsis  
 Lynn Land  
 Luke Lleshaj  
 Phyllis Marek  
 Rev. Timothy Mazur  
 Mary Ann Montpéfit  
 Kristina Mulder  
 Laura Murphy  
 Dan Murphy  
 Sue Nelson  
 Don Nelson  
 Marilyn O'Bryan  
 Sylvia Panicara  
 Jim Panicara  
 Lilian Rogers  
 Joe Ross  
 Terry Ryba  
 Josh Simon  
 Joseph Simon  
 Carmela Veneri  
 Charlotte Weekes  
 Fr. Francis Weingartz



**On behalf of the OLSOS Knights of Columbus Council 7780  
 we would like to thank all the children who participated in our  
 Annual Free Throw Competition to make it a success.**

**The following children are the winners in their respective age bracket.  
 They will advance to compete in the district competition and  
 also have their name added to the plaque located in the gymnasium lobby**

Girls		Boys	
Age	Name	Age	Name
9	Phoebe Julian	9	Jacob Duffy
10	Alivia Bierkle	10	Liam Haney
11	Eva Borowski	11	Evan Michalski
12	Kerith Short	12	Brady Collins
13	Chloe McFarlane	13	Rocco Cardinale
14	Emily Przybylski	14	Joseph Olejniczak

**those in the military**

Joshua Bielak  
 Paul David Boni  
 James Patrick Carrier  
 Kyle Cone  
 Emily de Brun  
 Jason T. Erbecker  
 Ramon Lopez Garcia  
 Dylan Goitz  
 Kevin Hanley  
 Matt Helm  
 Matt Hoffman  
 Matthew Johnston  
 Justin Kelly  
 Paul Koss  
 Matt Lacy  
 Kyle Lechner  
 Thomas Miller  
 Joseph Misuraca  
 Michael Mott  
 Vincent Scalabrino  
 Meghan Servais  
 Dan Sheppard  
 Richard Shetler, III  
 Robert Skowronski  
 Antonio Spindler  
 Donte Spindler  
 Michael Trondle  
 Michael Ullman  
 John Walker

**We hope to see you again next year.**





Our Lady Star of the Sea  
presents...

**RESERVE NOW!**  
**Space is limited!**

# TRIVIA NIGHT

Friday, March 20, 2020 • OLSOS Gym

You must  
be 21 or  
older to  
attend.

Doors open at 6:30pm • Game starts at 7:00pm  
Questions from a number of great categories!

To celebrate  
March Madness,  
dress up and  
support your  
favorite  
team!



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**COST:**

**\$25/person**

**or \$200/table**

Buy a table of 8 for a group of friends.



**Pizza will be provided!**

Bring your own snacks, desserts and beverages.  
Bottles, cans OK. Coolers welcome.

## For All Families Lent Event! March 3, 2020...

### *Performing God's stories that shape human hearts.*



Join us as we welcome Magic Carpet Theatre troupe as they present *The Parable Project*. This wonderfully entertaining troupe of 3 actors tells the stories Jesus told, to bring home the messages of the Gospel.

The Parable Project uses drama, humor, and audience participation to bring nine parables to life; including "The Good Samaritan" and "The Parable of the Sower."

"In "The Lost Sheep", the audience actually plays the 99 sheep, baaing on cue! Audiences watch, participate, and experience these stories in a creative and fun way. Jesus knew the power of a good story and his parables teach us lessons that help us love like him.

Appropriate for ages 5-105.



# Mass Intentions

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17

**7:30 a.m.**

† Frank & Josephine M. Columbo

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 18

**7:30 a.m.**

† Marilyn Bourgoin  
 † Hattie Laige  
 † Angelo Ronzi  
 † Robert Ronzi  
 † Angeline Ronzi Diedo

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19

**7:30 a.m.**

Fran Bauer

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20

**7:30 a.m.**

† Patrick Meathe  
 Elsie & William Connors  
 Bettejean Ahee  
 † Joan Buccinna

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21

**8:30 a.m.**

† Alfonse Baratta  
 † William Cusenza

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22

**4:00 p.m.**

† Margaret Gerlach  
 † Carmela Brucia  
 † Ann Chevalier

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 23

**8:00 a.m.**

OLSOS Parishioners

**9:30 a.m.**

† Ann Chevalier  
 † Leonard, Ethel & Helen Hart  
 † Marilyn Bourgoin  
 † Catherine Jaboro  
 † Ronald Suppanz

**11:30 a.m.**

† Lou Iacobell  
 † Virginia Mushenski  
 † Father of Rose  
 † Dr. Charles Guy  
 † Dick Flynn

# WORSHIP SCHEDULE

February  
22/23

SAT 4:00PM	SUN 8:00AM	SUN 9:30AM	SUN 11:30AM	
Msgr. Gary Smetanka	Fr. Jeff Allen	Msgr. Gary Smetanka	Msgr. Gary Smetanka	<b>CELEBRANT</b>
Beline Obeid	Michael Patten	Sedone Ledesma	Gary Lechner	<b>LECTOR</b>
Saturday Team  Randy Eissa Mary Ann Fox Dennis Janowski Bill Quinlan Paul Ventimiglia	Team A  Vito Cusenza Dennis Hyduk Mike McNamee Rob Sattler Margaret Spindler Jerry Varani <b>Ron Wehrmann</b>	Team C  <b>Greg Bourgoin</b> Joe Bourgoin Paul Mazzara Jerry Moore Tim Northey Jack Szytman Ernest Valentino	Team E  Susan Anderson Martin Ellis Dave Marchildon Tom McDonald <b>Matt Savage</b> George Schena Bill Viviano	<b>USHERS</b>
B. Clor E. Kociba N. Kociba	A. Vrana J. Drawbaugh M. Siciliano	A. Takach E. Takach E. Gliffer	M. Schorer K. Schorer J. Francis	<b>ALTAR SERVERS</b>
David & Tracy Janis Theresa Cerwin	Debby Veltri Tony Brinkman	John & Mary Klobuchar Steve & Judy Armbruster	Pam Barthel	<b>GREETERS</b>
Pat Jensen Terry Cerwin	Terry & Jerry Varani	Ray & Joan Kettel	Maureen Lechner	<b>SACRISTAN</b>
Amy Clor Marianne Carlisle		Ray & Joan Kettel		<b>PRAYER MINISTERS</b>

## Holy Water Care



**February 21** Cynthia Plourde  
**February 28** Liz Abood

Please contact Elsie Surmont at 313-884-3084

## Altar Servers

**Monday, February 17**  
**7:30 a.m.** No Servers

**Tuesday, February 18**  
**7:30 a.m.** No Servers

**Wednesday, February 19**  
**7:30 a.m.** B. Short, K. Short

**Thursday, February 20**  
**7:30 a.m.** B. Short, K. Short

**Friday, February 21**  
**8:30 a.m.** S. Ancona, J. Griffin, B. Collins

## Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament



### HOLY HOUR

**March 2, 2020**  
**7:30pm - 8:30pm**  
 In Church

### Wednesdays

**11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.**  
 Chapel in the Parish Offices  
 (Enter through the Parish Office Lobby)



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## News in our Community

### Soup and Supper



You are cordially invited to the annual "Soup and Supper" event at St. Margaret of Scotland. It will take place on 28 February 2020 in the Parish Hall beginning at 5:30 p.m. with a soup and bread dinner, with the concert immediately following the supper in the church at 7:00 p.m.

We look forward to seeing you for an evening of prayer and music!

Please contact June Di Franco at (586) 801-9877 or [junedifranco@gmail.com](mailto:junedifranco@gmail.com) for questions regarding the event.



The next Retrouvaille weekend will begin

**Friday, March 6, 2020**

**in Southfield, Michigan**

**For confidential information**

**or to register call 800-470-2230**

**OR VISIT OUR WEBSITE:**

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