

THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

June 14, 2020

OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA

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Half and Half from Msgr. Gary Smetanka

“It is only because God himself is the eternal dialogue of love that he can speak and be spoken to. Only because he himself is relationship can we relate to him; only because he is love can he love and be loved in return. Only because he is threefold can he be the grain of wheat which dies and the bread of eternal life. Ultimately, then, Corpus Christi is an expression of faith in God, in love, in the fact that God is love. All that is said and done on Corpus Christi is in fact a single variation on the theme of love, what it is and what it does. In one of his Corpus Christi hymns Thomas Aquinas put it beautifully, *nec sumptus consumitur* – love does not consume: it gives and, in giving, receives. And in giving it is not used up but renews itself. Since Corpus Christi is a confession of faith in love, it is totally appropriate that the day should focus on the mystery of transubstantiation. Love is transubstantiation, transformation. Corpus Christi tells us: Yes, there is such a thing as love, and therefore there is transformation, therefore there is hope. And hope gives us the strength to live and face the world. Perhaps it was good to have experienced doubts about the meaning of celebrating Corpus Christi, for it has led us to the rediscovery of a feast which, today, we need more than ever.” [Pope Benedict XVI]

These words, though maybe a little “heavy,” remind us again of the significance of this feast today as we celebrate the Body and Blood of Christ.

On this day, may we take the opportunity to be renewed by the mystery of the Eucharist and all that it teaches us, especially how to live our life. May we be renewed to spend time with the Lord, in

private prayer, in adoration before the Tabernacle or during Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. May we be especially renewed in our commitment to celebrate the Eucharist each and every Sunday, with our families, and allow the depths of what we celebrate transform us in our daily life!

** This week the parish office begins its “summer hours.” That means we will be closing the office on Fridays at noon. For those who come to the parish office to conduct some business, you will see in the vestibule a table if you are just dropping off a form, your Sunday Offering envelope, or a Mass intention request. If you need to come further into the office to conduct some business, masks will be required for the safety of all.

** Congratulations to members of our parish who are receiving their First Holy Communion this weekend! As expected, our previously scheduled Corporate Communion were postponed due to the pandemic. Some children are (or will be) celebrating with their individual families at various Masses during the next couple of weekends. Some opted for this special group celebration. Still a few other families will be celebrating in the fall. In any case, especially as we celebrate this wonderful feast of the Body and Blood of Jesus, we offer our congratulations to all of our First Communion children and our prayerful good wishes as they take the next “step” in completing their Sacraments of Initiation. We thank their parents, guardians, family members and their teacher-catechists in the formation they provided for this special occasion.

** We also offer prayerful best wishes to those teachers who are retiring from our school:

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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 7:30 a.m.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

beginning June 15th

MON 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
TUE 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
WED 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
THU 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
FRI 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 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.



Congratulations to those receiving First Eucharist in 2020!

Anthony Amori	Andrew Gwinnell	Michael Slomski
Logen Ancona	Benjamin Hendrickson	Jack Smith
Molly Backus	Hunter Hudson	Anna Steiger
Vincenzo Baratta	Alyssa Lleshaj	Nicholas Thompson
Alyson Camaj	Emily Lorelli	William Thornton
Hannah Chateau	Christian Mangol	Charlotte Tubbs
Riley Collins	Michael McLeod	Ethan Verb
Eleanor Cueter	Mariella Newbold,	Sami Zarife
Charlie Cursi	Nmesoma Nwoke	Liam Zvirbulis
Gracie Cursi	Claire O'Neill	Ronan Zvirbulis
Grace Dakmak	Amalea Orlando	
Lana Davis	Dominic Plewa	
Adam Fisher	Katelyn Quigley	
Aiden Gillette	Ella Schomer	
Kennedy Griffin	Annabelle Schorer	
Henry Grosfield	Allesandro Secco	



Because the loaf of bread is one, we, though many, are one body, for we are all partake of the one loaf. ~1 Corinthians 10:17

We congratulate our children who will be receiving Jesus this year, joining all those throughout the world who "partake of the one loaf" – Jesus! Please continue to pray that these children will love Jesus with all their hearts and forever live faithfully.

Kathy Sigouin, Maria Walker, Linda Ascencio, Roberta Henrichs, and Mary Ann Rusch. In addition, our principal, Julie Aemisegger is retiring after serving here 17 years, the last 10 as principal. Judy Zedan, our Religious Education Director, is also retiring to spend more time with two new grandsons! There are many, many dedicated years of service to catholic education/formation and to our families with these retirees...but they all deserve to enjoy this next phase of life with God's grace and blessings as a reward for their dedication and service.

May you know the depths of the Lord's love and life this week. See you in church!

Msgr. Gary Smetanka



Parish Office Re-Opening

The Parish office lobby will reopen on Monday, June 15th.

Summer Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday 8:00 am - 4:30 pm

Friday - 8:00 am - 12 noon

- A table will be available in the vestibule for the collection of forms, contribution envelopes and Mass intentions
- Please be sure to wear a mask, as it is required for entry into the office lobby
- We ask that no more than 2 people enter the office lobby at a time
- Only the office lobby will reopen, the Church and Chapel will remain closed
- For your convenience, Mass intentions and other inquires can be made over the phone by calling the parish office or by emailing parish@stargp.org

We thank you for your understanding and cooperation

Mass Intentions

Monday, June 15

7:30 a.m. +Frank & Josephine M. Colombo

Tuesday, June 16

7:30 a.m. The Sick

Wednesday, June 17

7:30 a.m. Mr. & Mrs. Robert and Angeline Trupiano
+William J. Cosgrove, Sr.

Thursday, June 18

7:30 a.m. +Angelo Ronzi
+Robert Ronzi
+Angeline Ronzi Diedo

Friday, June 19

7:30 a.m. +Joan Orlando
Thomas Fodell
+Mary Lou Ferrante

Saturday, June 20

4:00 p.m. +Frank Fox
+Sister Ruth Marie Curry, OSC
+Carmela Brucia
+Mitchell Wysocki
+William L. Collins
+Mary Lou Ferrante

Sunday, June 21

8:00 a.m. +Thomas Burns
+Ann Marie Rogier
OLSOS Parishioners

9:30 a.m. +Catherine Jabaro
+William J. Cosgrove, Sr.
+Timothy Diem
+Terry Trimmer
+Doug Reaume
+Mary Lou Ferrante

11:30 a.m. +Virginia Mushenski
+James, Aaron & Jay Blair
+William Listman
+Edward Nowak
+Susan Amine
+Alan Gerlach

Scripture Readings

WEEK OF JUNE 14

SUNDAY

Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a

Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20

1 Cor 10:16-17

Jn 6:51-58

MONDAY

1 Kgs 21:1-16

Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-6a, 6b-7

Mt 5:38-42

TUESDAY

1 Kgs 21:17-29

Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 11 and 16

Mt 5:43-48

WEDNESDAY

2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14

Ps 31:20, 21, 24

Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

THURSDAY

Sir 48:1-14

Ps 97:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7

Mt 6:7-15

FRIDAY

Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

Dt 7:6-11

Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 10

1 Jn 4:7-16

Mt 11:25-30

SATURDAY

Memorial of the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

2 Chr 24:17-25

Ps 89:4-5, 29-30, 31-32, 33-34

Lk 2:41-51

SUNDAY

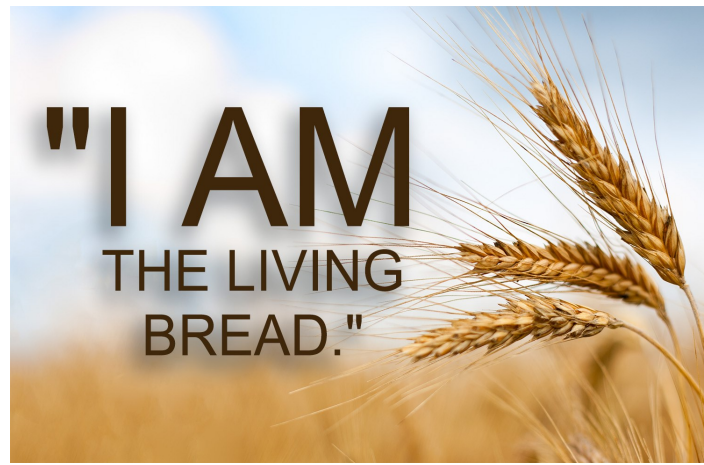
Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jer 20:10-13

Ps 69:8-10, 14, 17, 33-35

Rom 5:12-15

Mt 10:26-33



Archbishop's Gala

The 2020 Archbishop's Gala will now be a virtual event on Friday, June 26. "As they say, the show must go on and, you only turn 100 once! While none of us thought we'd close our centennial year virtually – it is the celebration God has given us."

Please visit archbishops gala.com for more information.

Outdoor Rosary (weather permitting)

Every Thursday

7:30 pm

In the Rosary Garden

Bring your own lawn chair and mask



Reporting Sexual Misconduct Involving Bishops

The Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service (CBAR) has been established to receive reports of sexual abuse and related misconduct by bishops, and to relay those reports to proper Church authorities for investigation. In the Archdiocese of Detroit, as in all U.S. dioceses, an independent, third-party entity provides secure, confidential intake services. Individuals may go to ReportBishopAbuse.org or call (800) 276-1562 to make a report.

Information on reporting sexual abuse and related misconduct by archdiocesan priests, deacons or other church representatives is available at protect.aod.org. In all cases, victims of sexual abuse are urged to contact law enforcement.

In memoriam

6/15/1964 *George Miller*
6/15/1973 *Helen Wilee*
6/15/1980 *Dominic Cusmano*
6/15/1983 *Madeleine Monacelli*
6/15/1990 *Donna M. Dunlop*
6/15/1991 *Thomas R. Kedzierski*
6/15/1992 *William Calka*
6/15/1997 *Katherine Bertucci*
6/15/1998 *Donald Birmingham*
6/15/2000 *Rinaldo Fuga*
6/16/1962 *Delibera Manzo*
6/16/1966 *Sam DeCesare*
6/16/1967 *Raymond Gilewicz*
6/16/1969 *Louise Lielinski*
6/16/1970 *Jeanette Davis*
6/16/2006 *Bernadette Kristalsky*
6/16/2009 *Suzanne Carolan*
6/16/2010 *Angeline Wesich*
6/16/2012 *James Faremouth*
6/17/1957 *Urban MacDonald*
6/17/1975 *Elizabeth Van Wormer*
6/17/1984 *Margaret Eckhardt*
6/17/1999 *Georgina Patteuw*
6/17/2000 *Theresa Bolton*
6/17/2003 *Josephine Howard*
6/17/2004 *Ben Trentacosta*
6/17/2007 *Charles Van Hove II*
6/17/2018 *Virginia Wall*
6/18/1958 *Elizabeth Johnson*
6/18/1966 *Bernice DeClercq*
6/18/1979 *Violet Beecher*
6/18/2000 *David Clark*
6/19/1971 *Michael Mistretta*
6/19/1985 *Fischer Butts*
6/19/2006 *Lorraine Kendall*
6/19/2019 *Thomas Augustitus*
6/20/1966 *Otto Hornung*
6/20/1995 *Emidio DiBartolomeo*
6/20/1999 *Edward Fabian*
6/21/1964 *Xavier DeSostoa*
6/21/1964 *Rose LaGrasso*
6/21/1994 *Karen Grazewski*
6/21/2008 *Alan Gerlach*

Please pray for

the sick

Angela Agrusa
Daniel Ament
Jim Amori
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
Dorothy Ignasiak
Linda Keschl
Steve Kocsis
Lynn Land
Luke Lleshaj
Phyllis Marek
Rev. Timothy Mazur

Mary Ann Montpetit
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

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
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Vincent Scalabrino
Meghan Servais
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Antonio Spindler
Donte Spindler
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