

OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA

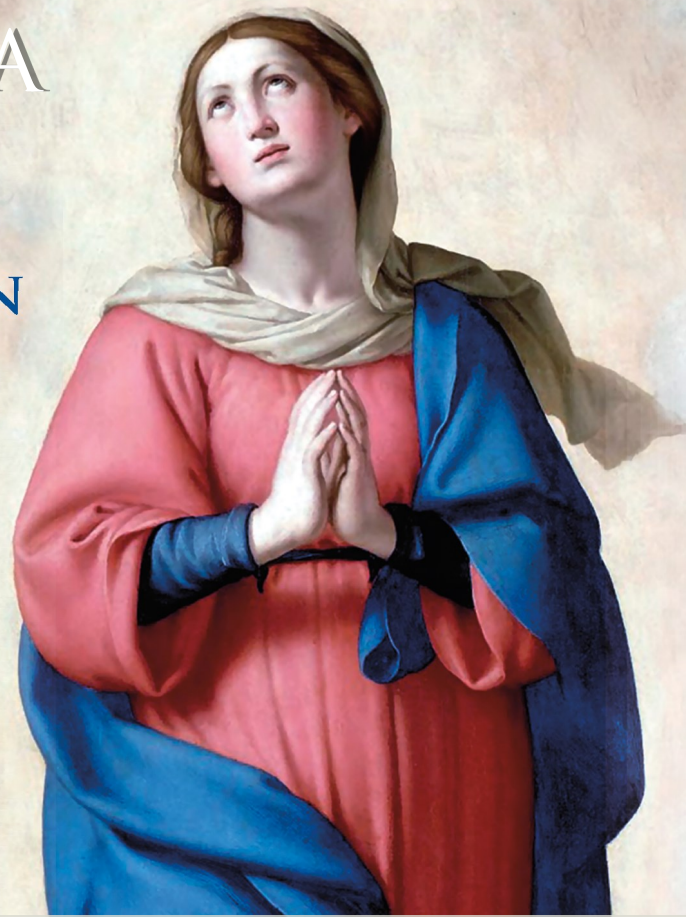
Catholic Church

August 11 | 2019

ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

*"My soul proclaims
the greatness of
the Lord; my
spirit rejoices in
God my savior."*

Luke 1:46-47



AUGUST 15, THURSDAY - HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

HOLY DAY VIGIL MASS - ST. JOAN OF ARC

7:00 P.M.

HOLY DAY MASS - OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA

7:30 A.M.

HOLY DAY MASS - OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA

7:00 P.M.

7:00 P.M. MASS WILL BE FOLLOWED BY OUTDOOR ROSARY AT 8:00 P.M.

**WE WILL GATHER IN THE ROSARY GARDEN AFTER HOLY DAY MASS
TO HONOR THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY.**

The Assumption
of the Virgin by
Giovanni Battista Salvi
da Sassoferrato
17th Century



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 7:30 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. - 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

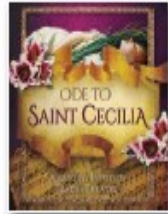
Archdiocesan law requires advance notice of at least six months.

PARISH REGISTRATION

Newcomers to the parish may register in the Parish Office or online at olsos.org during regular office hours. Or notify the Parish Office of address changes.

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

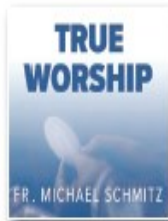
Bulletin articles are due by 10:00 a.m. on Friday. Submitted bulletin content is subject for approval.



Ode to Saint Cecilia

Hear the dramatic story of a modest young woman from Rome whose life has influenced poets, composers, and painters. Enjoy these other audio dramas as well:

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- ▶ *What's So Great about Being Catholic?* by Jason Evert



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www.olsos.formed.org

FORMED

Blanket Making —

Starting on September 21 at 9:00 AM, and each third Saturday of the month after that, please join in blanket creation 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.



Outdoor Rosary

(weather permitting)

Please note time change for
Thursday, August 15
 is at **8:00 pm**

At the Rosary Garden



this week... August 11 - August 18

SUN 11	8:00 a.m. Mass 9:30 a.m. Mass 11:30 a.m. Mass
MON 12	7:30 a.m. Mass
TUE 13	7:30 a.m. Mass 7:30 p.m. Rosary and Chaplet
WED 14	7:30 a.m. Mass 11:00 a.m. Adoration In Parish Office Chapel 3:00 p.m. Light of Mercy 5:30 p.m. Knights of Columbus Picnic
THU 15	Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mother 6:30 a.m. Men's Fellowship 7:30 a.m. Holy Day Mass 7:00 p.m. Holy Day Mass 8:00 p.m. Outdoor Rosary
FRI 16	7:30 a.m. Mass 12:00 p.m. Parish Office Closed
SAT 17	1:00 p.m. CarePointe 3:00 p.m. Confessions 4:00 p.m. Mass
SUN 18	8:00 a.m. Mass 9:30 a.m. Mass 11:30 a.m. Mass

Knights of Columbus Council 7780's

Summer Picnic

August 14

at The Pointe

5:30 pm - 8:30 pm



For all Council members and their family and any prospective new members.

Please bring a dish to pass.

The Council will provide: hamburgers, hot dogs, sausages and beverages.

Contact Vito Cusenza at 313 886 8598 for more information.

11:30 AM Sacristan Needed

The Sacristan Ministry at Star is looking for someone to join our Sunday 11:30 am Sacristan Team.

Sacristans are scheduled to serve once a month, but are able to switch with other sacristans on their team whenever needed.

Responsibilities for 11:30 am sacristans include setting up for Mass and locking up the church after Mass.

No experience is required. We will show you exactly what you need to do. This is a wonderful ministry for individuals, couples, or families, and a nice way to get involved in the Parish.

Contact: Terry Varani
 terry.varani@gmail.com
 313 492-8327



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FORMING OUR FAITH



Faith: the Next Generation – Pass It On!

*Lord, you are a great administrator of schedules and details.
Help me to share my life in a way that honors You –
not overcommitting, or hiding away, but acting generously and wisely.
Help me to choose rest when I need rest,
and to say yes when there is a need I sense You're inviting me to fill.
Only You can create this sense of peace in my life and schedule,
and I desperately need Your guidance.*

Boldly go where many have gone before and help pass on the Good News of Jesus Christ and our Catholic faith! This fall, over 200 children and young people, preschool through grade 8, will register to learn more about Jesus and the Catholic faith. You can help by becoming a catechist for Faith Formation. Classes are held on Sundays as well as Tuesday afternoons and evenings. As you nurture the faith of our young, you will learn and grow as well! As one long-time catechist put it, "I learn so much from the children!" We provide you with training, materials, and support.

Current openings include:

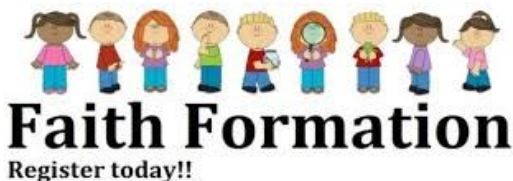
- Sunday Kingdom Kids—adult co-leaders
- Tuesday, Session I (4-5:30 pm): grade 1, 2, 3
Tuesday, Session II (6:30-8 pm): grade 5, 6
- Tuesday, Session II: grade 8: 2 male leaders

Contact Judy Zedan,
Director of Religious Ed.
for more information
313.884.7407
j.zedan@stargp.org

Classes beginning in September!

Register by August 15th!!

*Registration forms in the kiosk in the Gathering Space or
online at www.olsos.org > About Us > Faith Formation*



- **Child Care Ministry** –Sundays, 9:15-10:35 am. For children aged 12 months to 3 years. **FREE!**
- **Kingdom Kids**—Sundays, 9:15– 10:35 am.
For children aged 3 years through Kindergarten. **FREE!**
- **Grades 1-6**
Session I – Tuesdays, 4:00–5:30 pm
Session II - Tuesdays, 6:30–8:00 pm
- **Grades 7 & 8 Spirit & Life Confirmation Preparation**
Tuesdays– 6:30 pm –8:00 pm
- ♦ **High School students who have not yet been Confirmed**
Contact Judy Zedan for more information



Forms also available in the Parish Offices and Gathering Space of church.

REGISTER EARLY TO INSURE YOUR CHOICE OF CLASS DAY/TIME! If you have any questions, contact us .

313-884-7407 -OR- j.zedan@stargp.org

Are you interested in learning about the Catholic Church or completing your Sacraments?

RCIA is your answer!



We will have a NEW INQUIRER GROUP BEGINNING SOON! For more information or if you have any questions, please contact Judy Zedan,

j.zedan@stargp.org— OR- 313.884.7407.

St. Vincent de Paul

Please remember
St. Vincent de Paul in your
monthly giving.

Thank you.

**ATTENTION:
High School Students Who Are Not Confirmed**

Good News! Our Lady Star of the Sea and St. Paul are once again offering a joint class for high school students who missed Confirmation.

Classes start on Wednesday, September 11 and will be held at Our Lady Star of the Sea. Please call the Religious Education Office at 884-7407 for more information.



UNLEASH THE GOSPEL

go and make disciples

At the Last Supper, Jesus gave us an example of serving others when He washed the feet of the apostles. He said "I have given you a model to follow, so that as I have done for you, you should also do." (John 13:15)

Scripture records many other times that Jesus gave us the same lesson. By His actions, alone, we see the compassion with which he approached every person and situation. And He served all of us by His sacrifice on the cross. With His words at the Sermon on the Mount, we received the Beatitudes, combining different types of service to others.

Today, our approach to service is seeing Jesus in every human being and sharing His love with them.

We especially focus on the poor and suffering, recognizing that there are many different kinds of suffering. We try to imitate Christ and give of ourselves, instead of focusing inward.

Our goal is to provide service with love and to make that love real and present whenever we can. The sacraments have given us spiritual gifts that are meant to be used in service to others.

When we serve others with love, dying to ourselves, we are Jesus' witnesses in today's world.

"Whoever serves and gives seems like a failure in the eyes of the world. In reality, it is exactly in giving their life that they find it." (Pope Francis)

"Grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled,
as to console;
To be understood as to understand; To be loved as to love;
For it is in giving that we receive; it is in pardoning
that we are pardoned;
And it is in dying that we are born to eternal life."
(from the Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi)

One in the Spirit,
Jean Wersching
Evangelization Commission

Christian Service

COMMUNITY SERVICE



Upcoming Monthly Drive

September

1 yard of fleece –
Tie for Pie
September 29th

October

PB & J drive –
Sandwich making
October 27th

*Please place items in the big
white box in the
gathering space*

www.advanc-ed.org



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

In memoriam

8/12/1976	Joseph Grimaudo, Sr.
8/12/1984	Carl Grewe
8/12/1984	Phyliss Kortas
8/12/1991	Angus Redmond
8/12/2003	John Aley
8/12/2005	Anne Delsener
8/13/1991	Caroline Garavaglia
8/13/1999	Gladys Touchton
8/13/2009	Betty Lou Bergamo
8/14/1965	Dolores Bueker
8/14/1981	Frank Hill
8/14/1993	Otto Lenhard
8/14/1997	Maxine Clements
8/15/1967	Thomas J. Formella
8/15/1974	Edwin Monnig
8/15/1994	Sylvester Shea
8/15/2008	Joseph Prano
8/15/2009	Valentine Stano
8/15/2010	Frances Rustryzk
8/15/2011	Helen Gaynor
8/16/1974	Clarence J. Totte
8/16/1985	Sam Frontera
8/16/1997	Mary Ann Stanish
8/17/1984	John Gallagher
8/17/2007	John DiSante
8/18/1999	Helen Marsh
8/18/2000	Mary Anne Doman
8/18/2004	Lena Catalfo

Our Lady Star of the Sea School

is continuing to
collect Box Tops For Education.

Box Tops can be sent to the school office or put into the collection container in the back of the Church.



School Supplies

August Service Sunday



You can help provide new backpacks filled with school supplies for elementary and middle school children. Donate all or any of the items

Backpacks • Loose Leaf paper • Folders

• pens • Pencils • pencil sharpeners

• pencil cases • erasers • crayons • scissors

• highlighters • spiral notebooks
(college/wide ruled)

• markers • colored pencils • glue sticks/bottles

• calculators (simple) • compasses • rulers

• 3 ring binders • binder dividers.

*Please place items in the big white box in the
gathering space*

Thank you

for your generous support!



**Prayer for the
Next Phase
of Unleash the Gospel**

Heavenly Father,

*Thank you for the abundant graces of Synod 16:
for awakening in us the vision and resolve
to become again your Church on mission,
eagerly working together
to “make disciples of all nations,”
according to our commission from the Lord Jesus.*

*Pour out upon us your Holy Spirit, as a new Pentecost,
to guide us in our next phase in our movement
to Unleash the Gospel.*

*By his power at work in us, transform our parishes
into bands of joyful missionary disciples.*

Come Holy Spirit:

*Set our hearts on fire to share the Good News of
Jesus with all those who stumble in darkness,
who hunger for hope, who thirst for eternal life.
Above all, grant us the boldness and courage
of the apostles to put the mission above all else,
so that our community becomes the spark
to ignite the fire of divine love that transforms
this time and this place into the Kingdom of Heaven.*

*We pray through the intercession
of Our Lady, Star of the New Evangelization,
and her mother, our Patron, St. Anne;
and in the spirit of Blessed Solanus we thank you
ahead of time for “accomplishing in us far more
than all we ask or imagine.”*

*We ask all of this in the all-powerful name
of the Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns forever.*

Amen

Please pray for

the sick

- Angela Agrusa
- Bruce Belcoure
- Lisa Belcoure
- Bernadine Bauman
- Marie Brady
- Robert Caldwell
- John Carnaghi
- Cassidy Christie
- Kevin Collins
- Dr. William Collins
- Sharon De Long
- Virg Ditty
- Joseph Drader
- Peter John Hanna
- Linda Keschl
- Steve Kocsis
- Chris Kreuter
- Phyllis Marek
- Bill Minoletti
- Mary Ann Montpetit
- Kristina Mulder
- Laura Murphy
- Dan Murphy
- Sue Nelson
- Don Nelson
- Marilyn O'Bryan
- Sylvia Panicara
- Jim Panicara
- Terry Ryba
- Josh Simon
- Joseph Simon
- Walter Thursam
- Fr. Francis Weingartz

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

the faithful departed

- John Judge
- Larry Rancilio, Sr..

**scripture
readings**

WEEK OF AUGUST 11

SUNDAY

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Wis 18:6-9; Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22;
Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or Heb 11:1-2, 8-12; Lk
12:32-48 or Lk 12:35-40

MONDAY

**Saint Jane Frances de Chantal,
Religious**
Dt 10:12-22; Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-
20; Mt 17:22-27

TUESDAY

**Saints Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus,
Priest and Martyrs**
Dt 31:1-8; Dt 32:3-4ab, 7, 8, 9 and 12;
Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

WEDNESDAY

**Memorial of Saint Maximilian Kolbe,
Priest and Martyr**
Dt 34:1-12; Ps 66:1-3a, 5 and 8, 16-17;
Mt 18:15-20, Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16;
16:1-2; Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14; 1Cor
15:54b-57; Lk 11:27-28

THURSDAY

**Solemnity of the Assumption of the
Blessed Virgin Mary**
Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10, 11,
12, 16; 1Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56

FRIDAY

Saint Stephen of Hungary
Jos 24:1-13; Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22
and 24; Mt 19:3-12

SATURDAY

Jos 24:14-29; Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 11;
Mt 19:13-15

SUNDAY

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Jer 38:4-6, 8-10; Ps 40:2, 3, 4, 18; Heb
12:1-4; Lk 12:49-53

Mass Intentions

MONDAY, AUGUST 12

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

TUESDAY, AUGUST 13

7:30 a.m.
† Deceased members of the Thomas Sharpe family
† Edmund T. Ahee

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14

7:30 a.m.
† Robert Veneri
† William Connors

THURSDAY, AUGUST 15

7:30 a.m.
Sanctity of Life

7:00 p.m.
† Virginia Mushenski
Marianne Carlisle

FRIDAY, AUGUST 16

7:30 a.m.
† Anthony Lesha
† Timothy Diem

SATURDAY, AUGUST 17

4:00 p.m.
† Ann Marie Rogier
† Anthony Gagliardi
† Carmela Brucia

SUNDAY, AUGUST 18

8:00 a.m.
† Angelo Ronzi
† Robert Ronzi
† Angeline Ronzi Diedo
† Art & Dorothy Spindler

9:30 a.m.
† Marilyn Bourgoin
† Catherine Jaboro
† Ann Puppi

11:30 a.m.
† Virginia Mushenski
† Karen Allen
Frieda Patterson
OLSOS Parishioners

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

August
17/18

SAT 4:00PM	SUN 8:00AM	SUN 9:30AM	SUN 11:30AM	
Msgr. Gary Smetanka	Fr. Brian Meldrum	Fr. Robert Nalley	Msgr. Gary Smetanka	CELEBRANT
Kerry Schaeffner	Terry Varani	Aimee Argel	Romilly Stackpoole	LECTOR
Saturday Team Randy Eissa Mary Ann Fox Bill Quinlan Joe Rabaut Paul Ventimiglia	Team B Anthony Brinkman Bob Chevalier Jeff Heutter Mike Makowski Jim Solomon Leonard Stoehr Frank Zimmer	Team D Ray Kettel Walter Pokladek Lindsay Rusch Mark Rusch Joe Surmont	Team F Bill Bolton Doug Hawkins Dr. Charlotte Hartzell Ted Kedzierski Dr. Ray Rahi Dr. John Roarty	USHERS
G. Sahadi K. Scott W. Seymour	E. Mchalski J. Michalski E. Michalski	B. Short K. Short I. Flynn	A. Schena L. Schena G. Bourbeau	ALTAR SERVERS
Tom & Sandy Youngblood Jerry & Maureen Berndtson	Chris & Jeannette Ancona	Jack & Mary Szpytman Bonnie Woods	Anthony & Lindsay Tocco	GREETERS
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Amy Clor MaryAnn Fox		Ray & Joan Kettel		PRAYER MINISTERS

Holy Water Care



August 16 Elisa Merrill
August 23 Nora Spada
August 30 Liz Abood
September 6 Marie Schwantiz
September 13 Jo Ortisi

Please contact Elsie Surmont
at 313-884-3084

Altar Servers

Monday, August 12
7:30 a.m. N. Kociba, E. Kociba
Tuesday, August 13
7:30 a.m. N. Kociba, E. Kociba
Wednesday, August 14
7:30 a.m. A. Schena, L. Schena
Thursday, August 15
7:30 a.m. A. Schena, L. Schena
7:00 p.m. See Schedule
Friday, August 16
7:30 a.m. S. Tomas, K. Tomas

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament



HOLY HOUR

September 2, 2019
7:30pm - 8:30pm
In Church

Wednesdays

11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Parish Office Chapel

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News in our Community



CAPUCHIN SOUP KITCHEN
FUNDRAISER

26th Annual

Benefit on the Bay

Friday, August 23, 2019

Guest Host Jay Towers | Fox 2 News * 100.3 WNIC

Location: MacRay Harbor on Lake St. Clair, 30675 North River Road, Harrison Township, MI 48045

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