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OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA

Catholic Church

BULLETIN

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VETERANS DAY

HONORING ALL WHO SERVED

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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.

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.

A Prayer for Veterans Day

God of mercy we ask for blessings on all those who have served their country in the armed forces.

We ask for healing for the veterans who have been wounded, in body and soul, in conflicts around the globe.

We pray especially for the young men and women, in the thousands, who are coming home from Iraq and Afghanistan with injured bodies and traumatized spirits.

Bring solace to them, O Lord.

May we pray for them when they cannot pray.

Have mercy on all our veterans from World War II, Korea, Vietnam, Iraq, and Afghanistan.

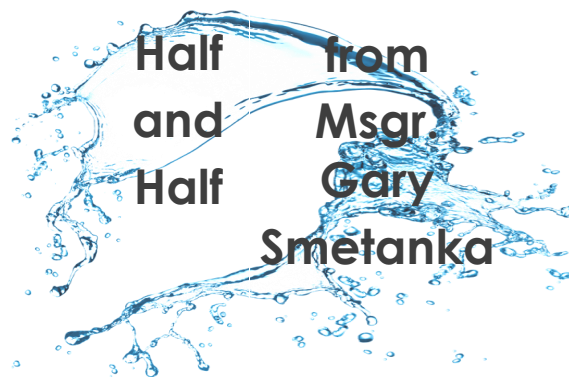
Bring peace to their hearts and peace to the regions they fought in.

Bless all the soldiers who served in noncombative posts. May their calling to serve continue in their lives in many positive ways.

Give us all here present today creative vision to see a world that, growing weary with fighting, moves to affirming the life of every human being and so moves beyond war.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

** I hope you are making plans to attend **The Taste** Saturday night. It is a great community event that hundreds of people have enjoyed in the past years. It is classy, casual, and certainly a culinary delight! It brings real happiness to look around the transformed gym and looking at so many parishioners with their friends or neighbors and having a great time. The music always adds a touch of elegance! We know people come from Royal Oak, Clinton Township and the wider community so join the crowd. Enjoy a nice



evening...before the rush of the "season" gets crazier!

At the conclusion of **The Taste** we have the **Catch a Lucky Star Raffle** where \$30,000 will make a few people very happy! So please purchase and sell those tickets for this raffle. The odds for you to win are terrific!!

** Have you been called by the Lord to be a Minister of Holy Communion during Mass? We have an information and training session Thursday evening. Come and find out more or come to be trained for this important ministry.

** Believe it or not Thanksgiving is around the corner!! We are planning to provide a nice Thanksgiving dinner for those who might otherwise be home alone that day. If you are going to be home alone that day, please, PLEASE give me a call or leave me a note with your name and phone number so I can contact you and see how we can help you come to this special dinner. Or maybe there are some parishioners who can give me some names to contact to offer an invitation. Thanks for your help in this matter. Last year the attendees had a wonderful time and we hope for the same this year!

May the Lord bless you and this parish in abundance this week!

Msgr. Gary Smetanka

Training for New Eucharistic Ministers

**Thursday, November 15, 7:00 pm
in the Church**



We are seeking additional volunteers to serve the parish in this very special ministry. Anyone who has been confirmed is eligible to become an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion (EMHC).

THE 90-MINUTE TRAINING SESSION WILL INCLUDE:

- Spiritual Aspects of being an EMHC (Reflection)
- Practical Aspects of being an EMHC (Procedures)
- Commissioning Ceremony
No registration required – just join us on **November 15**

Questions – contact Mary Makowski
(313) 884-3839 or
marymako@comcast.net



Tickets are on Sale

THIS SATURDAY

November 17, 2018

6:30pm —10:30pm

Food Sampling,
Wine and Beer
Tasting
Valet Parking,
Cash Bar

Reservations:

Adults 21 and over only

\$35 in Advance

\$40 at the Door

Alexander's Premiere Banquet Facility

Applebee's Grill & Bar

Cadillac Coffee

Capuchin Soup Kitchen Catering

Chocolate Bar Café

Da Edoardo Restaurants

Ferlito's Restaurant

Great Lakes Wine & Spirits

Grosse Pointe Yacht Club

Licavoli's Market

Merchant's Fine Wine & Spirits

Ms. Mary's and Pete Too!

Old World Gluten-Free Pierogi

Pointe's Pantry

Telly's Place

Trattoria Serventi

Verace Pasta e Olio

Wildtree

Reservations are now being accepted

Visit our website at olsos.org for more information.

Please pray for

the sick

Connor Baratta
Shirley Belchunas
Lisa Belcoure
Bruce Belcoure
Marie Brady
Robert Caldwell
Cassidy Christie
Sharon De Long
Virg Ditty
Joseph Drader
James Faller
Anthony Fodale
Peter John Hanna
Linda Keschl
Steve Kocsis
Chris Kreuter
Dr. Mike Luberto
Bill Minoletti
Maryann Montpetit
Kristina Mulder
Laura Murphy
Sue Nelson
Don Nelson
Marilyn O'Bryan
Sylvia Panicara
Jim Panicara
Biagio Picoro
Terry Ryba
Len Stoehr
Alexis Suppanz
Kelly Suppanz
Fr. Francis Weingartz
Hannah Wheatley

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
Stephen La Barge
Matt Lacy
Kyle Lechner
Thomas Miller
Joseph Misuraca
Vincent Scalabrino
Meghan Servais
Dan Sheppard
Richard Shetler, III
Robert Skowronski
Antonio Spindler
Michael Trondle
Michael Ullman
John Walker

this week...

November 12 - November 18

SUN
11

Fellowship Sunday

8:00 a.m. Mass
9:30 a.m. Mass
10:45 a.m. Spirit & Life
11:30 a.m. Mass

MON
12

7:30 a.m. Mass

TUE
13

7:30 a.m. Mass
4:00 p.m. Religious Education
6:30 p.m. Religious Education
6:30 p.m. Spirit & Life
7:00 p.m. Saint Vincent de Paul Meeting
7:30 p.m. Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy

WED
14

7:30 a.m. Mass
9:30 a.m. Bible Study
11:00 a.m. Adoration in Parish Office Chapel
3:00 p.m. Light of Mercy Prayer Group
7:30 p.m. Bible Study

THU
15

6:30 a.m. Men's Fellowship
7:30 a.m. Mass
7:00 p.m. EMHC Training
7:30 p.m. Teen Bible Study

FRI
16

8:30 a.m. Mass

SAT
17

10:00 a.m. 8th Grade Retreat At St Lucy's
3:00 p.m. Confessions
4:00 p.m. Mass
6:30 p.m. The Taste

SUN
18

Fellowship Sunday

8:00 a.m. Mass
9:30 a.m. Mass
10:30 a.m. 7th Grade Retreat
11:30 a.m. Mass

NEW PARISHIONER

Denise Malow



Christian Service

november

COMMUNITY SERVICE



Monthly Service Project

Giving Tree



RIGHT TO LIFE

CHRISTMAS CARDS

Our Right to Life Christmas Cards will be on display and ready to purchase in the Gathering Space after all Masses: November 24 & 25, and December 8 & 9.

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.



www.advanc-ed.org



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

Giving Tree Tags are available

Gifts due back by **December 2nd**
by **12:30pm.**

Please **DO NOT WRAP** any of the gifts.

Organizations we are helping this year include:

Catholic Charities of Southeast Michigan (Coats for Kids), Catholic Charities of Southeast Michigan, Project Hope (baby products), Mary's Children (Special needs adults), Our Lady of the Rosary and Our Lady Star of the Sea.

Thank you for your generous support



Bereavement Support

The Holidays:

***A time to remember those
we've Loved and Miss***

Presenter: Fr. Rich Bartoszek

Chaplain at Beaumont Hospital, Grosse Pointe

Tuesday, November 13, 2018 7:00 p.m.

The Pointe @ Star of the Sea

Questions please contact the Parish Office 313.884.5554

THANKSGIVING DINNER

Will you be alone and do not have anyone to spend the Thanksgiving Holiday with?

Star of the Sea doesn't think anyone should be alone for the Holiday.

We would like to invite you to our
**Thanksgiving Dinner on
Thursday, November 22nd in The Pointe.**

Dinner to be served around 1pm

If you or a neighbor will be alone and would like to come please RSVP to the Parish office 313-884-5554

If you need help getting here, let us know.



UNLEASH THE GOSPEL

go and make disciples

"What would you do if I sang out of tune? Would you stand up and walk out on me?"

We know people stood up and walked on the Apostles, Moses, Noah, Job, Ruth, Diana, Joseph, David, and everyone else in the Bible. People even stood up and walked out on Jesus, for being out of tune with society.

Music is the oldest form of human communication, beginning more than 40,000 years ago. That makes music the oldest human ministry. Yet, modern teachings focus heavily on the nuts & bolts function of faith, while the musicality of faith is treated as optional. If we look at the Bible, we see that music and prose are actually the primary forms of communication. That suggests that musicality is at least as important as the nuts & bolts function.

Music is the most natural form of human expression. Every human being has rhythm. If you have a heartbeat, you have rhythm. (Literally. Every heart beats in a rhythm.) It is very rare for a person to not have ability to understand tone & pitch; it's less than 3% of the population. That means greater than 97% of the population has the ability for musicality.

Music is the most complete form of human communication. It engages us on multi-diverse levels of expression all at the same time, mind, body & spirit.

No other form of communication does that for us. Music shapes our celebrations, grief, play, work, praise, worship....

These are evidence-based facts: music is the oldest, most natural and most complete form of human communication.

So how can it be that most people believe they can't sing? Or believe they are not musical? Or even worse, believe they have no rhythm? Why do most people minimize their musicality to just being a spectator? Have we been wrongly taught that music is an industry where only the special talented people are worthy to participate? Is this another way the world misleads us to put our light under a basket?

All of the faithful people in the Old and New Testaments used their imperfect voices to shine their light. We also see in their stories, the more they used their voices, the more in-tune they got. Over time, with a lot of trial & error, their voices got more in-tune with faith and in communing meaningfully with others.

Let us be like our ancestors and lift our imperfect voices. May each of us make the effort to bring our musical light out into the world, where we can grow together, both in & out of tune. Faith like that is how beautiful music is made. I believe faith like that is how we honor God.

"I'll get by with a little help from my friends."

One in The Spirit,
Michelle Mualem
Evangelization Guest Writer

CATCH A LUCKY STAR TICKETS ON SALE IN THE PARISH OFFICE

The fifteen \$1,000.00 Winning Tickets will be put back for the Grand Prize Reversal Drawing

GRAND PRIZES

1st Grand Prize.....\$10,000.00

2nd Grand Prize.....\$ 5,000.00

You need not be present to WIN.

15 \$1,000.00 Winning Tickets
Total of 17 Prizes Given For \$30,000.

THIS SATURDAY!

Drawing: November 17, 2018

During "The Taste" in the Gym at 9:00 p.m.

Donation \$100 Check made payable to:
Our Lady Star of the Sea Church

FORMING OUR FAITH

Reverence for the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist



At a recent session of RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation), our candidate commented on his observation at Mass on the lack of reverence for the Eucharist that many people display. While it initially took me aback, I had to agree. As a Eucharistic Minister, I have seen Catholics coming forward for Communion chewing gum, looking pretty bored, waving to others while in procession, etc. Not to mention those who “eat & run” - receiving the Eucharist as they walk out the door.

Unfortunately, what this really shows is a generalized lack of respect for the Real Presence of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament that stems from a generalized lack of faith. Various studies have revealed a disturbing fact: Less than half of people who identify as Catholics believe in the **Real Presence of Jesus Christ**. The Real Presence in the Eucharist is a central tenet of our Catholic faith. We believe that, in the Eucharist, Jesus Christ is truly though mysteriously present to us under the appearance of ordinary bread and wine.

Admittedly, the mysteries of our faith can be hard to teach to children and adults. So, let's forget about *teaching* a mystery. Instead, let's invite others to encounter it and experience it. Yes, we do need to teach about the sacraments to ensure that they have an understanding of it and how to receive it but we

really need to focus on preparing people to see, not just with their eyes, but also with their hearts. An article I read spoke of a 13 year old who was not Catholic but tagged along with her Catholic friend wherever she went including Mass. When she asked her friend's mom, “What do you go up there to get?” the mom broke into a big smile and said, “Oh, the greatest gift you can ever dream of receiving!” No theology, just laying the groundwork to predispose that child to enter into a mysterious encounter through which she would receive the greatest gift imaginable –the very presence of God within us!

How can we be more reverent when receiving the Eucharist? It starts at the very beginning of Mass by placing ourselves in His presence, asking for pardon, praising God, listening to His Word. Offering all our cares to Him. While in the Communion procession line, ask Jesus to prepare your heart to receive Him. As you approach the Eucharistic Minister (EM), make a throne with your hands, your dominant hand below the other-OR- if receiving on the tongue, stick out your tongue slightly, bow before receiving, and, when the EM says, “The Body (or Blood) of Christ” respond with AMEN-I believe! After receiving, you may step to one side to consume and make the Sign of the Cross. As you return to your pew, thank God for the gift of His Son. Enjoy the quiet after Communion to ask God to show you how to share Him with others in the coming week. And keep this in mind . . .

~ *Things you take for granted, others pray for!* ~



LITTLE SAILORS CHILD CARE

Do you remember sitting at Mass and being able to look to the altar for the ENTIRE Mass? No distractions from your child asking when will this be over??? Do you dream of being able to pay attention to the prayers and fully participating again? We have the answer to your prayers!!

BUT, IT'S A LIMITED TIME OFFER!!

Little Sailors Childcare is held every Sunday during the 9:30 am Mass in room 29 of the school. This program is intended for children aged 12 months to 3 years and is a PILOT program for the months of October through December. ***IF YOU THINK YOU'D LIKE TO HAVE THIS AVAILABLE FOR YOUR FAMILY SO THAT YOU CAN REALLY PARTICIPATE IN MASS***, be sure to take advantage of this opportunity so that we can have a good base to assess the level of interest of continuing to offer it throughout the year.

Complete a Child Information Form the first time you bring your child to us. Each week, parents must sign in/sign out their child and will be required to show proof of identity at pick up. You will be provided with our Little Sailors Child Care Guidelines when you drop off your child the first time. ***GIVE IT A TRY!***

QUESTIONS? Contact Judy Zedan @ j.zedan@stargp.org –OR– 313-884-7407

Jet's Pizza® Spirit Night

scripture
readings

WEEK OF NOVEMBER 11

FUN draiser Program



Date: 11/14/2018

Time: 4-8pm

Join up with Jet's Pizza® located at Vernier & Mack to raise money

for Our Lady Star of the Sea. Enjoy a pizza and at the same time help your school.

For every order, Jet's Pizza® will donate a portion of that sale back to

Our Lady Star of the Sea



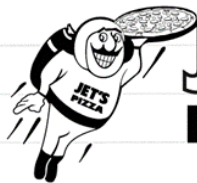
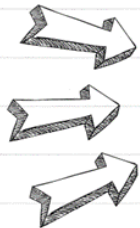
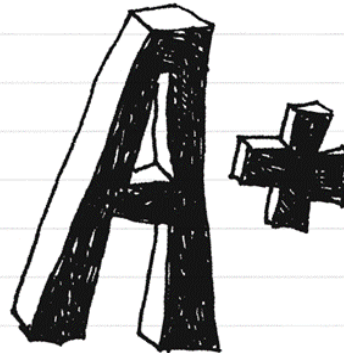
It's as easy as 1, 2, 3!

- Call or visit JetsPizza.com - 313-884-3838

Order for Pick-up or Delivery!

- **IMPORTANT** – Before ordering, please say

“This is a Our Lady Star of the Sea Spirit Night Order”



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Thank you for your donations to the Bottle and Can Drive for the benefit of the Faith Formation programs!

Your generosity is much appreciated!

Participate in the drive by:

Bringing your clean, refundable bottles in bags.

Deposit the bags in the bin located in the vestibule near the Marys' Garden entrance.

Pray for the participants in our Faith Formation programs.

SUNDAY

Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
1 Kgs 17:10-16; Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10;
Heb 9:24-28; Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44

MONDAY

Saint Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr
Ti 1:1-9; Ps 24: 1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; Lk 17:1-6

TUESDAY

Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin
Ti 2:1-8, 11-14; Ps 37: 3-4, 18 & 23, 27 & 29; Lk 17:7-10

WEDNESDAY

Ti 3:1-7; Ps 23: 1b-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6; Lk 17:11-19

THURSDAY

Saint Albert the Great, Bishop and Doctor of the Church Phlm 7-20; Ps 146: 7, 8-9a, 9bc-10; Lk 17:20-25

FRIDAY

Saint Margaret of Scotland;
Saint Gertrude, Virgin
2 Jn 4-9; Ps 119: 1, 2, 10, 11, 17, 18; Lk 17:26-37

SATURDAY

Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious
3 Jn 5-8; Ps 112: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 18:1-8

SUNDAY

Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Dn 12:1-3; Ps 16: 5, 8, 9-10, 11;
Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32

#TeenMinistry 2018

**Sunday Reading Bible Study
Every Thursday**

7:30-8:30pm

in the Parish Office
Sept. 27th-Dec. 13th

No meeting:
Nov. 21st



Holiday Season Fundraiser Sponsored by the PTO

Beautiful Poinsettia and Greenery from Ray Weigand's Nursery



Orders Must Be Returned By: **Monday, November 19** to the School or Parish Office or the Sunday Collection basket.
Pick Up: **Saturday, December 1** - 1:30-3:30 p.m. in the Gathering Space

Name: _____

Phone number: _____

	Quantity	Price	Total
1 Stem Poinsettia Red w/ Gold Foil		\$15.00	
1 Stem Poinsettia White w/ Gold Foil		\$15.00	
1 Stem Poinsettia Pink w/ Gold Foil		\$15.00	
2 Stem Poinsettia Red w/ Gold Foil		\$25.00	
2 Stem Poinsettia White w/ Gold Foil		\$25.00	
2 Stem Poinsettia Pink w/ Gold Foil		\$25.00	
22" Holiday Splendor Wreath		\$26.00	
26" Holiday Splendor Wreath		\$35.00	
9" Holiday Splendor Porch Pot		\$30.00	
Grand Totals		n/a	

Full payment is due with order -- please make checks payable to Our Lady Star of the Sea

**All Poinsettias come with a light shimmer spray.

**Holiday Splendor Wreath has frosted pinecones that serve as accents to a vibrant weatherproof red bow.

** Holiday Splendor Porch Pot decorated with frosted pinecones and adorned with a single, tasteful red bow.

Any questions please call Pam Cleary 313 850-3449 or Betsy Giffer 586 214-2606



Pierogi and Kielbasa Sale - Sponsored by PTO

Orders Must Be Returned By: **Monday, November 26th** to the School or Parish Office or the Sunday Collection basket

Pick Up: **Friday, December 14th** 3:15-4:00 & 5:30-6:30 pm in the Gym Courtyard



Name: _____

Phone number: _____

	Quantity	Price	Total
Potato & Farmer's Cheese Pierogi Dozen		\$8.00	
Potato Pierogi Dozen		\$8.00	
Sweet Farmer's Cheese Pierogi Dozen		\$8.00	
Sauerkraut Pierogi Dozen		\$8.00	
Mushroom Pierogi Dozen		\$8.00	
Spinach Artichoke Pierogi Dozen		\$8.00	
Cherry Pierogi 9 Pieces		\$8.00	
Blueberry Pierogi 9 Pieces		\$8.00	
Mini Potato American Cheese Pierogi approx 24-36 by weight		\$7.00	
Mini Sweet Farmer's Cheese Pierogi approx 24-36 by weight		\$7.00	
Mini Spinach Artichoke Pierogi approx 24-36 by weight		\$7.00	
Mini Mushroom Pierogi approx 24-36 by weight		\$7.00	
Mini Jalapeno Popper Pierogi approx 24-36 by weight		\$7.00	
Potato Pancakes 6 Pieces		\$8.00	
Smoked Chunky Kielbasa "Holiday" 2.5 lbs		\$15.00	
Fresh Kielbasa 2.25 lbs		\$15.00	
Homemade Horseradish 16 oz jar		\$5.00	
Homemade Barreled Raw Sauerkraut 2# bag		\$4.00	
Grand Totals		n/a	

Come enjoy a pierogi sample after all **Sunday Masses November 11th!!!** Try the mini pierogi for appetizers at your next party.

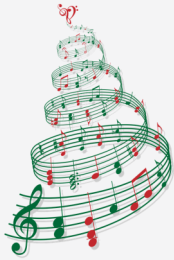
Pierogi will be delivered frozen.

Any questions please call Pam Cleary 313 850-3449 or Betsy Giffer 586 214-2606

St. Nicholas Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, December 2 8:30 am—1:00

A visit from St. Nick
and the Star School Chorale



ALL YOU CAN EAT
BUTTERMILK PANCAKES & SAUSAGE
Gluten Free Pancakes Available

Scrambled eggs side dish

(Limited Availability)

Bagels, Applesauce, Peaches

Coffee, Tea, Orange Juice



Adults (13 years old +)
Children 5 – 12 Years
Families

\$6.00
\$3.00
\$20.00

Children 4 and Under
Scrambled Eggs Side Dish

FREE
\$1.50



Breakfast sponsored and prepared by the Star of the Sea Knights of Columbus

To benefit the Star of the Sea St. Vincent de Paul Society and other K of C Charities.



ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY — Christmas Luncheon

Wednesday, December 12, 2018 ~ Lochmoor Club
Lunch at 11:30 a.m.

All Women of the parish are invited to attend this joyful occasion. The price per person is \$25.

Our entertainment for this luncheon will be the Tuesday Children's Choir from our School.

To assure your reservation, please make your check payable to the Rosary Altar Society.

The check must be sent in with your reservation.

If you want to have friends sit with you, please include their names with your payment.

Send your check and reservation request to:

Marianne Carlisle ~ 1070 Fairholme Rd. ~ Grosse Pointe Woods, MI 48236.

Deadline for reservations is Wednesday, December 5, 2018

**** Attention Rosary Altar Society:** We will be having our Mass for all living and deceased members of the R.A.S. at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday, December 8, 2018, the Feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Virgin Mary.



Sunrise Assisted Living - Volunteer Needed

Sunrise Assisted Living on Vernier Rd would like a volunteer to come and lead the Rosary for their residence.

If you are interested in helping in this ministry please contact Janet Barolo – Activity Coordinator

313.642.2000

Email:

GrossePointeVernier.AVC@sunriseseniorliving.com



Thank you Star of the Sea parishioners!

for your contributions to our conference totaling a little over \$10,000. Your generosity allowed us to provide rent, beds, clothing and utility assistance to over 60 needy people in our area.

We purchased winter coats and boots for a single mom with 5 children.

Another single mom with a 13 year old son asked for DTE assistance last December. During our visit we saw no furniture or Christmas decorations and she had no gifts for her son. We helped with DTE and gave her Target cards so her son would have a Christmas.

We expect our need to be greater this year. We hope you will consider donating to our conference through the blue envelopes in your quarterly package or simply use a plain envelope.

SEEK HIM

Teen Ministry & F.E.E.L.C. Youth
Ministry

Presents **An Advent Prayer Breakfast**

Who is Invited: Those in 9th-12th grade

When: Monday December 3rd

Where: The Pancake House

What Time: 7:15 - 8:15 am

R.S.V.P. By Dec. 1st

Carolyn Mikula at C.Mikula@stargp.org

Renata Conger at renata@feelc.org

On coming to the house, they saw the child with his mother Mary, and they bowed down and worshiped him. Then they opened their treasures and presented him with gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh. Matthew 2:11



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Knights of Columbus'
Council 7780



Annual Christmas Party

December 13, 2018

Members and guests are invited.

Cost: \$20/person

Event starts at 5:00 pm

Where: In The Pointe

Dinner at 6:00 pm.

RSVP: Vito Cusenza

313-886-8598



Saints Museum

8th grade had several saints and answer questions from the younger grade students and other Star parishioners about those saints... this happened in the gymnasium



Homebound Ministers Needed.

We are looking for individuals that are available 1 hour once a month on Friday's to distribute Holy communion to the homebound.

If you are interested please contact Debby in the Parish Office.

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,
or call (800) 322-8284.

Tax-free Charitable Gifts 2018

There is still time to make a tax-free Charitable Gift for 2018

Make a tax-free charitable gift by year end and :

- Reduce your taxable income
- Satisfy your required minimum distribution
- Support Our Lady Star of the Sea

For more information or to donate please visit:

<http://www.aod.org/being-catholic/ways-to-give/share-your-treasure/>

OLSOS Christmas Choir

Christmas is almost here!

All singers are invited to join the choir and sing for the Christmas Season.

This is a short-term commitment with only four rehearsals:

Nov. 28, Dec. 5, 12, and 19
(7:00pm-9:00pm).

If you are able to participate, please contact Matthew Jakubisin at m.jakubisin@stargp.org or stop by the piano after any Mass.

In memoriam

11/12/1999	Cecelia LeRoy
11/12/2002	Mary Fox
11/13/1973	Lucille Kendall
11/13/1974	Victor Calcaterra
11/13/1984	Irwin Sattler
11/13/1985	Gloria Rutan
11/13/1989	Kurt Hartlieb
11/13/1995	Patricia Barker
11/13/2011	Frances Menard
11/13/2017	Matthew Maher
11/13/2017	Virginia Fazio
11/14/1960	Jean Byrwa
11/14/1991	Charles Brennecke
11/14/1992	Stanley J. Jursek
11/14/1992	Dolores Stoneback
11/15/1959	Katherine Dubrul
11/15/1968	Charlotte Rodda
11/15/1987	Thomas Griffin
11/15/1989	JoAnn Thompson
11/15/1995	Elisabeth Boyd
11/15/2009	Barbara Ann Arjeski
11/16/1962	Stanley Pormaniak
11/16/1970	George Schafer
11/16/1980	Cristian Klein
11/16/1986	Emma Schorer
11/16/1991	William Wonsik, Sr
11/16/2000	Catherine Stander
11/16/2005	Howard Schorer
11/16/2011	Mary Keegan
11/17/1957	Rose Gannon
11/17/1972	Arthur Rohde
11/17/1997	Henretta Ceglowski
11/17/2014	Anthony Gagliardi
11/18/1957	Julia Hochbein
11/18/1970	Charles A. Stoll
11/18/1978	Roland Burnham
11/18/1981	Bernard Roy
11/18/1982	Charles McKenna
11/18/1987	Ernest Bailer
11/18/1991	Sarah Dilworth
11/18/2010	Greta Lagowski

Mass Intentions

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12

7:30 a.m.

† Frank & Josephine M. Colombo
† Edmund Ahee, Sr.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13

7:30 a.m.

† Ann Marie Rogier
† Fr. Paul Walsman

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14

7:30 a.m.

† Agnes Rupp
† George Bojalad
Paul Spindler

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15

7:30 a.m.

Paul Spindler

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16

8:30 a.m.

† Mary Cannon Michielutti
† John Ross
† Howard & Emma Schorer

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17

4:00 p.m.

† Ray Kettel, Sr.
† Anthony Gagliardi
† Anthony Leshia
OLSOS Parishioners

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 18

8:00 a.m.

† Anthony Leshia

9:30 a.m.

† Angelo Ronzi
† Robert Ronzi
† Angeline Ronzi Diedo
† Salvatore Leto
† Art & Dorothy Spindler
11:30 a.m.
† Virginia Mushenski
† Ann & Ray Oleszko
† Dorothy A. McDonald
† Lorette Clune

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

SAT 4:00PM	SUN 8:00AM	SUN 9:30AM	SUN 11:30AM	November 17/18
Msgr. Gary Smetanka	Msgr. Gary Smetanka	Fr. Marko Djonovic	Fr. Marko Djonovic	CELEBRANT
Beline Obeid	Phil Bertelsen	Karen Gagnier	David Franks	LECTOR
Saturday Team	Team A	Team C	Team E	USHERS
Dave Barthel Randy Eissa Mary Ann Fox Bill Quinlan Joe Rabaut Paul Ventimiglia	John Carnaghi Vito Cusenza Mike McNamee Rob Sattler Margaret Spindler Jerry Varani Ron Wehrmann	Greg Bourgoin Paul Mazzara Jerry Moore Tim Northey Jack Szpytman Ernest Valentino	Pat Arsenault Martin Ellis Tom McDonald Matt Savage George Schena Bill Viviano	
K. Scott S. Michael M. Lucido	M. Walter K. Short C. Ancona	K. Tomas R. McKeown M. Tranchida	C. Nwoke C. Nwoke K. Schorer	ALTAR SERVERS
Amy Clor Annette Myslinski	Kay Abram Debby Veltri	Mike Held & Family Joe & Betty Ahee	Jerry & Ann Vier Marie Stines	GREETERS
Annette Myslinski	Dennis & Mary Hyduk	Annette Cusenza	Scott & Chris Morrison	SACRISTAN
Midge Culos Pam Burke		Ray & Joan Kettle Marie Miller		PRAYER MINISTERS

Holy Water Care



November 16 Gale Merrill
November 23 Cynthia Plourde
November 30 Liz Abood

Please contact Elsie Surmont
at 313-884-3084

Altar Servers

Monday, November 12
7:30 a.m. C. Nwoke, C. Nwoke

Tuesday, November 13
7:30 a.m. C. Nwoke, C. Nwoke

Wednesday, November 14
7:30 a.m. k. Short, M. Walter

Thursday, November 15
7:30 a.m. K. Short, M. Walter

Friday, November 16
8:30 a.m. S. Ancona, A. Streberger

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament



HOLY HOUR

December 3, 2018
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



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Transforming Girls into Women of
Faith and Vision in the Franciscan
Tradition.

Congratulations to Regina students
who have earned Honor Roll status
for this quarter's marking.

Our Lady Star of the Sea:

Sydney Maxey, sophomore

Our Lady of the Rosary Church

is in need of gift wrapping supplies
(tape, scissors, wrapping paper,
gift bags, tissue and labels)
for their upcoming
Christmas store.

They are expecting to wrap gifts
for 315 children!

If you would like to help,
please place the items
in the hamper in the gathering
space by November 21st.

Any questions please call

Sally Urban @ (313) 303-4535.

Pasta for the Poor



St. Vincent de Paul –
St. Ambrose Conference
Friday, November 16
5:00 – 8:00 p.m.

The ARK at St. Ambrose
15020 Hampton Street
Grosse Pointe Park

All you can eat Spaghetti Dinner
Choice of three homemade Italian sauces,
three different pastas, tossed salad, garlic
bread,
dessert, soft drinks and coffee.

Adults - \$15, Children 6-12 - \$6,
Children 5 and under are free.