

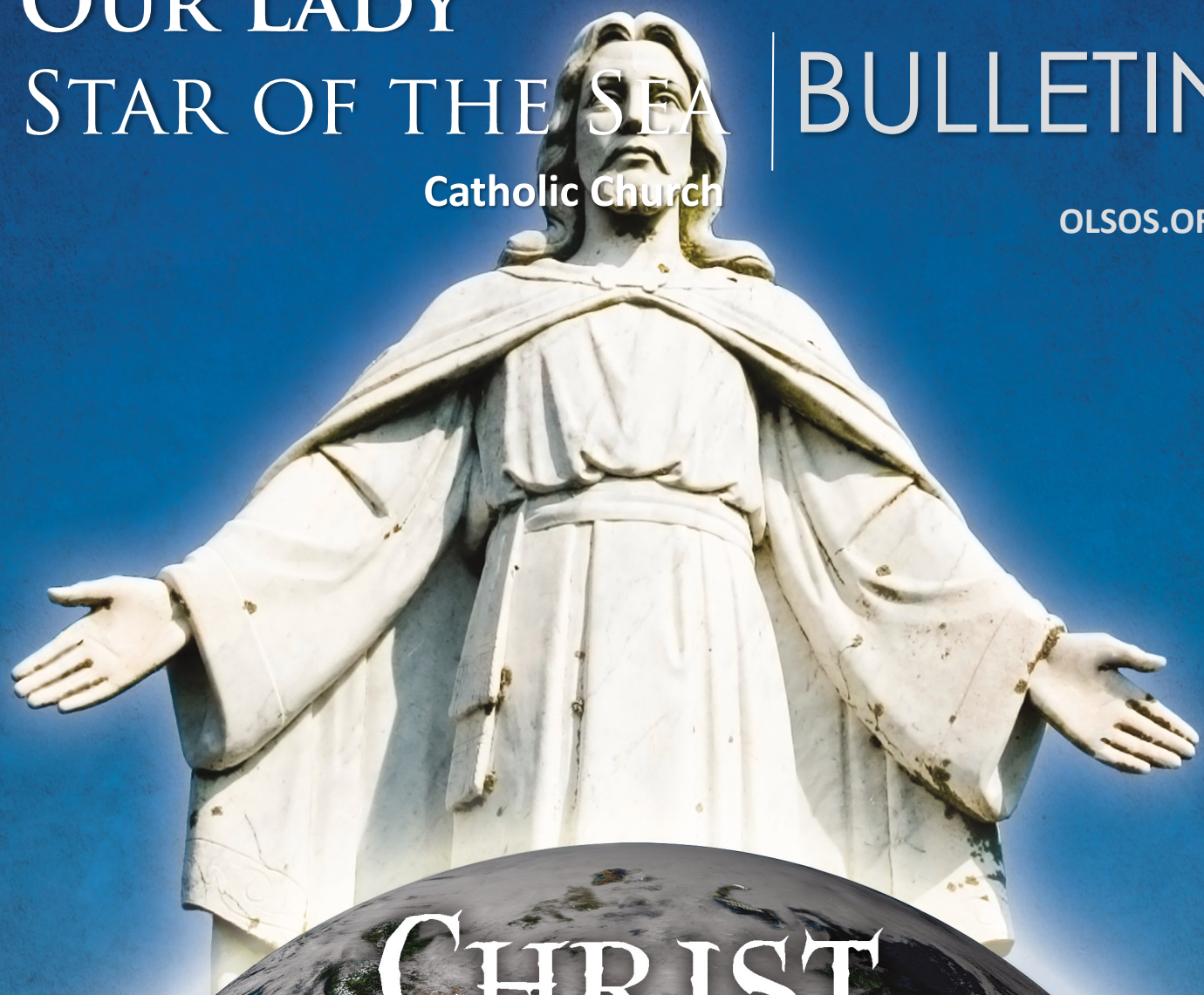


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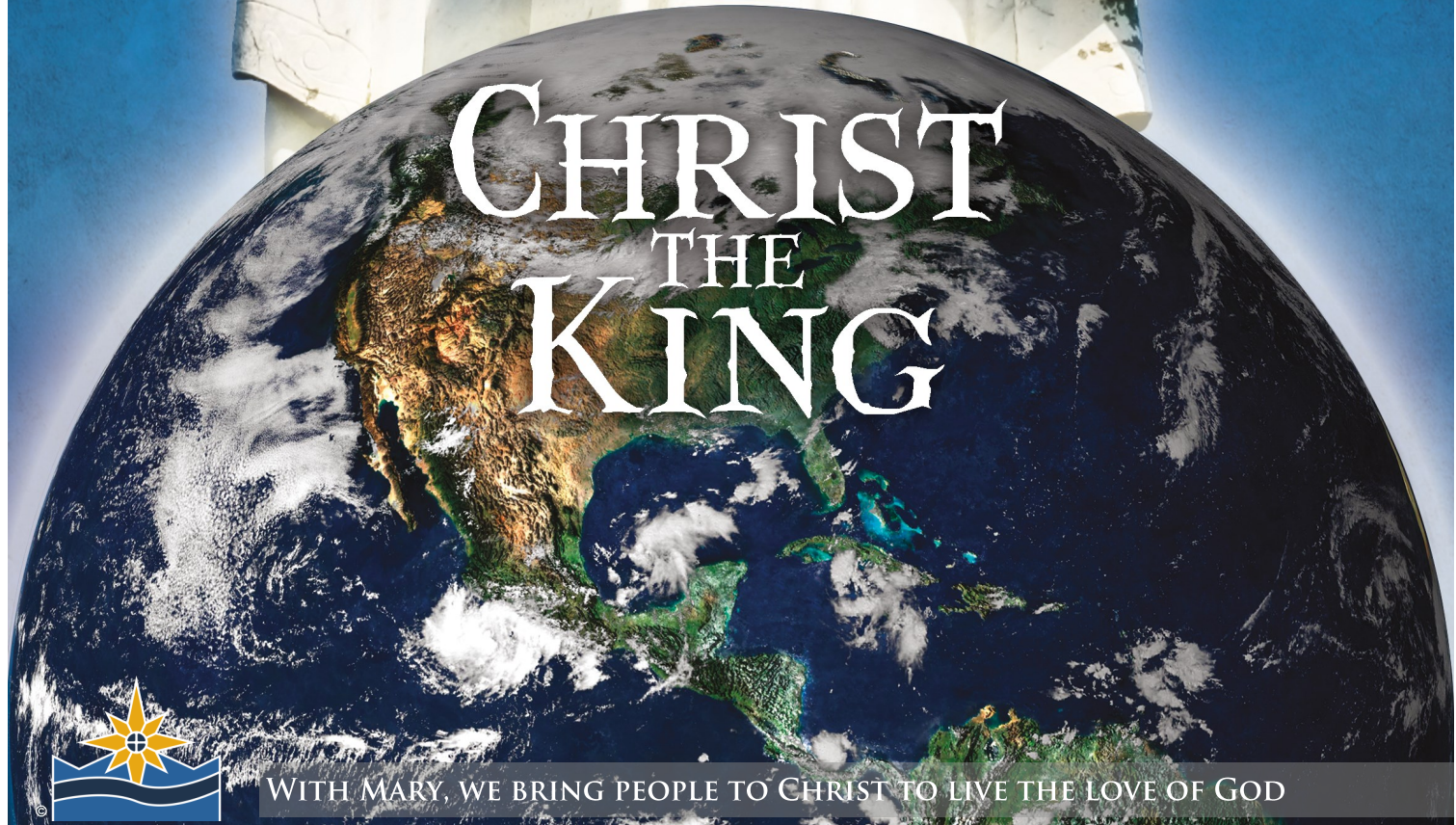
OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA | BULLETIN

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CHRIST THE KING



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.

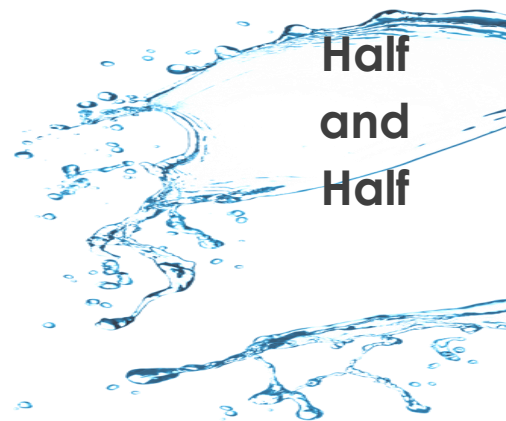
Hearing devices are available for use during Mass. Please ask an usher for assistance.

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

Today we celebrate the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe. Back in 1925 when this feast was first instituted by Pius XI, it was celebrated on the last Sunday of October, before the feast of All Saints. In 1969, Pope Paul VI gave the title we have today, was the former feast to a solemnity and moved it to the last Sunday of the liturgical year, the last Sunday before Advent begins.

When this feast was first instituted, it was to combat growing nationalism and secularism. There was fear back then of the rise of secularism, i.e., the exclusion of God from our way of life as if He did not exist. Hence, the feast was to remind people of the Lord's reign over their hearts, as individuals, and over all nations.

Does that time seem to resemble our present age? Many would say that today is worse than 90 years ago as secularism is getting to be more rampant. All we have to do is look around and listen. Listen to our society and culture. Maybe even at times, listen to ourselves! You see and hear more and more people who deny God's presence. More people place themselves in God's place. God is not the authority but the individual is, despite their lack of study, reflection and



knowledge. Authority is easily dismissed because of personal desires, selfishness, fear of sacrifice and maybe even for one's convenience. Thus it is easy to rationalize for our convenience and use God or the Church as the excuse.

It seems today this Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe is needed more than ever. We need something to combat our secularism before the whole world is gone! We need another reminder how precious is our religious freedom! We need to once again acknowledge and respect a sense of the sacred, not only in ourselves but in God's people, in our churches, in our activities, in all that we say and do. How can we truly claim that God does not exist? How can we claim that we can take the place of God??

St Vincent de Paul

Our Lady Star of the Sea

Thank you Star of the Sea parishioners!



St. Vincent de Paul
Detroit

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.



from
**Msgr. Gary
Smetanka**

May this great feast we celebrate today begin a renewal of knowing our relationship with the Lord and living it appropriately. Maybe we can make this renewal a part of our Advent commitment to grow in our faith and discipleship. Do we truly have the time to postpone? It is a matter of life or death, eternity or damnation!

** We have again the "Little Blue Books" for your Advent meditation and reflection. Donations will assist our local St. Vincent de Paul Society. (Advent starts next weekend!)

** Thank you for your assistance and generosity with our "Giving Tree." Remember to return your gifts next weekend. And please do

not wrap them. (The agencies unwrap any gifts before distribution.)

** Today is the last Sunday Mass for St. Philomena Parish. The parish has decided to close after many years serving the community so well in terms of worship, community, education and service outreach. The closing of a parish is always sad and difficult, especially as parishioners begin the task of finding a new home. I ask that you be extra attentive in the weeks ahead for some new people that might be sitting around "your area" or even in "your pew" at Mass. Know they might be from St. Philomena Parish looking at Star of the Sea to become their new home. So...reach out to them (making sure you don't kick them out of "your pew!)", introduce yourself, please make them feel welcome and at home!

Open your hearts. Let the Lord, the King, in to reign and rule. Do not be afraid, but trust!

Msgr. Gary Smetanka

this week...

November 25– December 2

SUN 25	Weekend Fellowship 8:00 a.m. Mass 9:30 a.m. Mass 11:30 a.m. Mass
MON 26	7:30 a.m. Mass
TUE 27	No Spirit & Life 7:30 a.m. Mass 12:45 p.m. School Penance Service 4:00 p.m. Religious Ed 6:30 p.m. Religious Ed 7:15 p.m. Knights of Columbus Meeting 7:30 p.m. Rosary and Chaplet
WED 28	7:30 a.m. Mass 11:00 a.m. Adoration until 2:00 p.m. 9:30 a.m. Bible Study 3:00 p.m. Light of Mercy Prayer 7:30 p.m. Bible Study
THU 29	6:30 a.m. Men's Fellowship 7:30 a.m. Mass 6:30 p.m. 1st Reconciliation 7:30 p.m. Teen Bible Study
FRI 30	8:30 a.m. Mass 7:30 p.m. Songs of the Angels Concert
SAT 1	3:00 p.m. Confessions 4:00 p.m. Mass (Vigil)
SUN 2	First Sunday of Advent Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast 8:00 a.m. Mass 9:30 a.m. Mass 10:45 a.m. Spirit & Life 11:30 a.m. Mass



Save the Date

Advent Holy Hour

Monday, December 3
7:30 p.m. In church

Tuesday, December 6

"With Mary, we prepare for Christmas"
7:00 p.m. In church

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.



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 & Project Hope
Mary's Children (baby products) (Special needs adults),
Our Lady of the Rosary

Thank you for your generous support



OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA PARISH ADVENT - 2018

Giving Tree Gifts

Return unwrapped gifts Dec. 1 and 2
so they can be distributed Dec. 3

Advent Holy Hour

Adoration and Benediction
Monday, Dec. 3 7:30 pm

"With Mary, we prepare for Christmas"

With Mary, we prepare for the coming of the Lord in this special hour of prayer and music.

Thursday, Dec. 6 7:00 pm

Grosse Pointe Symphony Christmas Pops Concert

Includes a Sing-a-long!

Sunday, Dec. 9 3:00 pm

Tickets available through gpsymphony.org

Judelaire's Christmas Concert

The joyful sounds of the season!
Friday, Dec. 21 7:00 pm

Free will donation



Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays at 3 pm until all have been heard.

Wed. Dec. 12: 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Vicariate Services

Communal Celebration with
Individual Confession

St. Barnabas Church

Tuesday, Dec. 18 at 1 pm

St. Joan of Arc Church

Tuesday, Dec. 18 at 7 pm



Angela Theis, Soprano

Diane Schoff, Mezzo-Soprano

Timothy Cheek, Piano

Songs OF THE Angels

A Concert to Lift the Soul

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30th
7:30 p.m.

OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA CHURCH
467 Fairford Rd, Grosse Pointe Woods

COST: Freewill offering

Teacher Feature - Ms. K. Garvey

Ms. Garvey teaches 3rd grade at Star of the Sea. She went to Uganda and Kenya this summer with the Warm Hearts Foundation which helps with funding for schools, water wells and hospitals. She is photographed with Sr. Katherine, a nurse at a hospital in rural Uganda.



scripture readings

WEEK OF NOVEMBER 25

SUNDAY

**Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe**

Dn 7:13-14; Ps 93:1, 1-2, 5;
Rv 1:5-8; Jn 18:33b-37

MONDAY

Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5; Ps 24:1bc-2,
3-4ab, 5-6; Lk 21:1-4

TUESDAY

Rv 14:14-19; Ps 96:10, 11-12,
13; Lk 21:5-11

WEDNESDAY

Rv 15:1-4; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 7-8,
9; Lk 21:12-19

THURSDAY

Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a;
Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5; Lk 21:20-
28

FRIDAY

Saint Andrew, Apostle

Rom 10:9-18; Ps 19:8, 9, 10,
11; Mt 4:18-22

SATURDAY

Rv 22:1-7; Ps 95:1-2

SUNDAY

First Sunday of Advent

Jer 33:14-16; Ps 25:4-5, 8-9,
10, 14; 1 Thes 3:12—4:2; Lk
21:25-28, 34-36

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

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

www.svdpusacars.com,
or call (800) 322-8284.

FORMING OUR FAITH



The word Eucharist comes from “the Greek words eucharistein and eulogein, which recall the Jewish blessings that proclaim – especially during a meal – God’s works: creation, redemption, and sanctification” (CCC, 1328). As we celebrate the Eucharist every Sunday, we are united as one body, one family sharing in the one bread and one cup of Christ.

Many of us are still recovering from our “food coma” -the result of our nation’s celebration of Thanksgiving this past Thursday where we gathered as one body, one family sharing a meal—just as we do at Mass- giving thanks for the blessings we have received, sharing stories, working together with a common goal of putting a meal on the table.

Through our baptism we become members of the Body of Christ and are part of a much bigger family, the family of the **Church**. Just as we look forward to seeing everyone at our holiday get-togethers, wouldn’t it be great if our parish community was a place where you felt welcomed and connected. A place that your family wanted to get to each and every Sunday.

Well, that’s what a faith community should be! How can YOU be part of this community called Our Lady Star of the Sea? What are your gifts and talents that you could share? Can you arrive to Mass early to:

- ◇ Be a welcoming face at the church doors?
- ◇ Be a sacristan and set the table of the Lord?
- ◇ Share your vocal talents as a cantor or choir member?
- ◇ For our 4th grade -12th graders—be an altar server for an up close and personal view of the Mass?
- ◇ Be a Eucharistic Minister to be able to share with others the Body & Blood of Christ?
- ◇ Be a Hospitality host in The Pointe for an hour or two?

Maybe there is a ministry that you would like to get started here at the parish? We’d love to hear from you! Come join us in giving thanks to the Lord for all our blessings!!

Have a Blessed Week!

Judy Zedan

Director of Religious Education



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



UNLEASH THE GOSPEL

go and make disciples

Three weeks ago, we were invited to journey with our brothers and sisters in the Archdiocese to Unleash the Gospel.

Many have said to me that Unleashing the Gospel, evangelizing, is not new to us at Star. Encountering Christ, growing in our personal relationship and then sharing the good news of what Christ has done for us is familiar to us. In fact, the etching on the doors to the Pointe are the words Encounter, Grow, Witness.

So yes, that movement and evangelizing is not brand new to us.

We have been moving in the direction of becoming intentional disciples for a long time. Some are further along in the journey than others and it is always changing and challenging.

This was in an article 4 years ago. So yes, again not new but evolving:

"We have heard a lot about discipleship in the last few years. Here at Star we are committed to move from maintenance to mission and help all of us become intentional disciples of Jesus. To this end, we need to focus on our personal relationship with Christ."

Discipleship begins with an encounter with Jesus Christ. We encounter Him in the sacraments, scripture and in others.

Discipleship is the consistent following of Jesus as He becomes the center of our lives.

Have we grown in our personal relationship and have we challenged ourselves to do more to bring others to Christ?

Very pointedly, do we think of ourselves as disciples?

I think we are more comfortable with the idea that disciples are exceptional people and we are just ordinary Catholics. It's been five decades since the Second Vatican Council when we were all called to holiness and discipleship. Discipleship is still a difficult concept for many of us.

We all have different spiritual styles. Our prayer styles differ, our service styles may differ, but all have a common goal of doing God's work.

And here's some good news, you already have been doing things that help you grow in your love of God. Those acts help you share that love and help you become a true disciple.

Begin or enrich your personal relationship with Jesus. Ask the Holy Spirit to show you how you can be a "joyful disciple" using your own unique gifts.

Ask yourself these questions this week. Can we see discipleship in our Catholic way of life? Can we come to think of ourselves as disciples?

That's what the movement to Unleash the Gospel is telling us—that we are all called to be disciples not just an exceptional few. How that looks for you and me will be different because of our unique gifts.

My hope and prayer is that the Holy Spirit inspires all of us to Unleash the Gospel in our hearts and in our lives.

One in the Spirit
Joanne Muellem
Evangelization Commission

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.



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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



Stay in Touch

Below is a list of websites to help you stay current with your faith journey

- † aodonline.org - information concerning the Archdiocese of Detroit
- † uscbb.org - United States Conference of Catholic Bishops ~ liturgical readings, news and calendar
- † discovermass.com - View OLSOS bulletins by typing in our zip code ~ click on view bulletins
- † massfimes.org - use this website to find locations and times of Masses when traveling and on the road.



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	

Pierogi will be delivered frozen.

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

St. Nicholas Pancake Breakfast



ALL YOU CAN EAT

BUTTERMILK PANCAKES & SAUSAGE



Gluten Free Pancakes Available

Scrambled eggs side dish

(Limited Availability)

Bagels, Applesauce, Peaches

Coffee, Tea, Orange Juice



Sunday, December 2 8:30 am—1:00 p.m.

**A visit from St. Nick
and the Star School Chorale**

Adults (13 years old +)	\$6.00	Children 4 and Under	FREE
Children 5 – 12 Years	\$3.00	Scrambled Eggs Side Dish	\$1.50
Families	\$20		



Breakfast sponsored and prepared by
The Our Lady Star of the Sea Knights of Columbus
To benefit the Star of the Sea St. Vincent de Paul Society.



**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 Fallor
- 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 Piccoro
- 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

the faithful departed

- Thomas Stephenson

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

Christmas Flower and Decoration Donations

As the holidays approach we are giving you an opportunity to remember your loved ones who have passed away by making a monetary donation for flowers or decorations. Please use your envelope that is included in with your weekly offering or place your donation in a plain envelope marked "holiday decoration donation" with the name of the person(s) you would like remembered. All names will be listed in the Christmas bulletin. Please return by **Friday, December 14th.**

Donation made in memory/honor of :





The All Saints Soup Kitchen needs your help. Over a hundred hungry and homeless people a day come to the doors of All Saints Soup Kitchen looking for sustenance. Through the generosity of people like you, the soup kitchen is able to help individuals meet their basic needs.

Please consider helping me organize a group 8 – 10 volunteers to help serve at All Saints Soup Kitchen. There are many dates for our parish to help in September and October. Monday's seem to be their greatest need. Thank you for your consideration.

If you are able to volunteer or want more information, please contact Debby Veltri

Volunteer opportunities include:

- Preparing, cooking, and serving Monday, Wednesday and Thursday
- 2-3 volunteers to arrive at 8:30 a.m. to begin cooking the meal
- Remaining volunteers (6-9) arrive at 10:00 a.m. and set up dining area
- Meal served at 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

In memoriam

11/25/1958	Jack Heitz
11/25/1962	MaryS arcona
11/25/1973	Matthew Hudson
11/25/1988	Agnes Mazzei
11/25/1991	Gladys Summerhoff
11/25/1996	Loretta Smith
11/25/2006	Frank Duross
11/26/1969	Dorothy Boase
11/26/1974	William Lavigne
11/26/1979	June Burke
11/26/1986	Mary Altese
11/26/1991	Josephine Iacobell
11/26/1992	George Shaway
11/26/1994	Kathleen McCarthy
11/26/1997	Evelyn M. Groff
11/26/1997	Sam Ficarra
11/26/2008	Donald Martin
11/26/2008	Jimmie Bloink, Jr.
11/26/2013	Richard Edgington
11/26/2013	Winifred Tanney
11/26/2014	Regina Lesinski
11/26/2017	Irma Stevens
11/27/1956	Albert DiPaola
11/27/1958	Edward Weeks
11/27/1972	Agnes Gardiner
11/27/1974	Stephen Olesak
11/27/1974	Robert Werner
11/27/1988	Richard Broomham
11/27/1988	Dorothy Mansfield
11/27/1992	Joseph Malisse
11/27/1995	Thomas LaHood
11/27/2006	Josephine Kuzmicki
11/28/1970	Lynn M. Bartlett
11/28/1984	Julia B. DeBaeke
11/28/1984	Veronica Magielski
11/28/1984	Emmett McNamara
11/28/1998	Vincent Szymborski
11/28/1998	Clarice Grob
11/28/2004	Mark Schmidt
11/28/2010	Rose Horne
11/28/2016	Patricia Golla
11/29/1969	Alice Saniford
11/29/1976	David Martin
11/29/1981	Grace Quasarano
11/29/1984	Anthony Cusmano
11/29/1992	Vincent Dunne
11/29/2002	Richard Pieronek
11/30/1972	William A. Petzold, Jr.
11/30/1998	Alice Klein
11/30/2002	Dorothy Littley
11/30/2015	Irene Masha

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In memoriam *continued*

12/1/1958	Russell Cushing
12/1/1973	Bernard Ronan
12/1/2001	Serafina Evola
12/2/1981	Adele Ahee
12/2/1990	Charles W. Moore
12/2/1996	William R. D'Arcy III
12/2/2007	Emeline Fikany

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/>



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**March 2, 2019
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**For Sponsorship, Donation, Advertising,
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Mass Intentions

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26

7:30 a.m.
 † Frank & Josephine M. Colombo
 † George Shaway
 † Zakoor Family

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 27

7:30 a.m.
 † OLSOS Staff
 † Sue Willson

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 28

7:30 a.m.
 † Maureen Blair
 † Michelle Rae Ployngam

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 29

7:30 a.m.
 † Elsie & William Connors
 † Joe Bauer

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30

8:30 a.m.
 † Patrick Korth
 † Bill & Lorrain Gynn
 † Vincent Szymborski

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1

4:00 p.m.
 † Louis Gendernalik
 Jean & Mary Fontana
 Anthony Ciaravino
 † Anthony Leshia
 † Robert Patrick Rahaim

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 2

8:00 a.m.
 † Yvheniya Shale
 † Art & Dorothy Spindler
9:30 a.m.
 † Gaye Attar
 † Anthony Leshia
 OLSOS Parishioners
11:30 a.m.
 † Virginia Mushenski
 † Edmund Ahee, Jr.
 † Ann & Ray Oleszko
 † Aaron Blair
 † Increase in Religious Vocations

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

SAT 4:00PM	SUN 8:00AM	SUN 9:30AM	SUN 11:30AM	December 1/2
Msgr. Gary Smetanka	Msgr. Gary Smetanka	Fr. Marko Djonovic	Fr. Marko Djonovic	CELEBRANT
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Pat Jensen Terry Cerwin	Terry & Jerry Varani	Ray & Joan Kettel	Kathy Hawkins	SACRISTAN
				PRAYER MINISTERS

Holy Water Care



November 30 Liz Abood
December 7 Maria Schwanitz
December 12 Charlotte Ellis
December 21 Anita Barger
December 28 Liz Abood

Please contact Elsie Surmont at 313-884-3084

Altar Servers

Monday, November 26
7:30 a.m. A. Schena, P. Roustemis
Tuesday, November 27
7:30 a.m. L. Shcena, M. Roustemis
Wednesday, November 28
7:30 a.m. L. Vavaliere, J. Drawbaugh
Thursday, November 29
7:30 a.m. L. Cavaliere, J. Dreawbaugh
Friday, November 30
8:30 a.m. S. Tomas, G. Bourbeau, E. Giffer

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

CSA - Metropolitan Tribunal

Each year, millions of Catholics suffer the pain and hurt of divorce and end up feeling separated and alienated from their faith. The annulment process brings these Catholics back into the sacramental life of the Church.

The Metropolitan Tribunal of the Archdiocese of Detroit receives more than a thousand formal annulment requests a year. While processing these requests accounts for a major part of its duties, the Tribunal also reaches out to those in need through presentations by its judges at parishes throughout the year.

Thanks to your CSA gifts, the staff of the Metropolitan Tribunal is able to offer guidance, hope, and spiritual healing to divorced Catholics.

For information about CSA-funded ministries, programs, and services, please go to aod.org.

The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

“Let us rededicate ourselves this year to recognizing the reign of Jesus Christ and his Sacred Heart in every aspect of our lives.”

USCCB Office of Religious Liberty

On this feast of Christ the King and always, May all recognize God as the author of life and give thanks for His priceless gift;
We pray to the Lord.



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With Mary,
we bring people
to Christ
to live the love of God.