

OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA

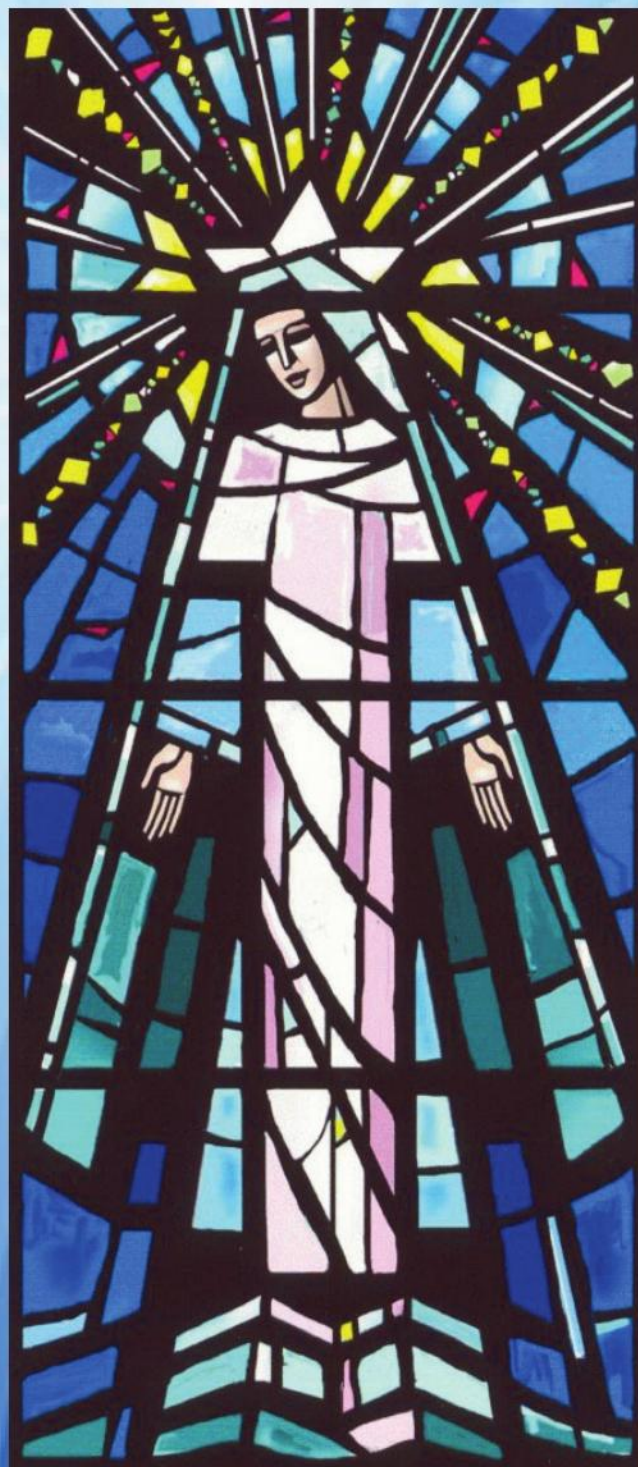
Catholic Church

August 1, 2021

BULLETIN

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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

Saturday at 3:00 pm or 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.

Half and Half from Msgr. Gary Smetanka

Welcome Glenn Miller, our new Music Minister! Glenn Miller comes to Our Lady Star of the Sea from Kirk in the Hills (Bloomfield Hills, MI) where he was the Music Director and Organist since 1998. As Director of Music, he directed their professional Chancel Choir, their boys' and girls' choir program, planned and implemented music in worship, and directed the Kirk's concert series which featured Kirk musicians and choirs, international guest artists, the Detroit Symphony Orchestra concert series, and the Great Lakes Chamber Music Festival concerts.

A native of New Jersey, he earned his Bachelor of Music degree in church music and organ at Westminster Choir College, Princeton, and his Master of Music degree in choral conducting from the University of Oklahoma. Active in the Royal School of Church Music in America, particularly its King's College (Wilkes Barre, PA) summer chorister training course for nearly thirty years (which many Kirk choristers attend each summer), he was honored by the RSCM in England for his work with this course by being conferred the HonRSCM degree in 2018. In 2017, he was awarded an Alumni Achievement Award by his alma mater, Westminster Choir College, for his work as a church musician and as a singer.

Internationally recognized for his rare basso profundo voice, he is in considerable demand as a professional choral singer, performing, touring internationally, and making numerous recordings with leading professional choirs including Clarion (NYC), the St. Tikhon's Chamber Choir (PA), the Yale Choral Artists, Conspirare (Austin TX), Audivi (Detroit), the Choir of St. Thomas Church (NYC), the PaTRAM Institute Chamber Choir, and the Robert Shaw Festival Singers. As a soloist, Glenn has also appeared with the Atlanta Symphony Orchestra and the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra and has been featured in operatic productions in Bonn and Prague.

In 2015, he and Conspirare were awarded the Grammy for Best Choral Performance for their recording, "The Sacred Spirit of Russia," on which he was a featured soloist. As a specialist on the basso-profundo/oktavist voice and repertoire, he authored a chapter on this subject for the book, *Conducting Men's Choirs* which was published in 2020.

The process to search and get appropriate applicants for our Music Minister has been challenging. I thank the Lord that it has resulted with such an outstanding and internationally known artist. Our Lady Star of the Sea is honored to welcome Glenn Miller to our parish family. He is a man not only with a deep voice but also a deep faith and desires to bring others to a deeper faith especially through our prayer and love of the Eucharist. We ask for God's blessings upon his transition and his ministry here Star of the Sea. May we all be drawn into deeper prayer and encounters with the Lord through our liturgies and prayer!

**** Please come to the Holy Hour, Monday night at 7:30 pm and spend some time before our Eucharistic Lord with scripture, silence, music that concludes with Benediction and a blessing with the Blessed Sacrament.**

Blessings on your week and sing out in joy!

Msgr. Gary Smetanka



Holy Hour

Monday, August 2
7:30 - 8:30 pm
in the Church



Stewardship Thoughts

Today, in St. John's Gospel, Jesus ties His instructions on the Eucharist to the Book of Exodus. Christ proclaims to the crowd that their ancestors received manna in the desert from God the Father, not Moses. Jesus professes in the Gospel that He is the "Bread of Life." Those who accept His invitation and come to Him will never hunger or thirst, as they will be spiritually filled. In his Letter to the Ephesians, St. Paul instructs us that, through Christ, we will gain a fresh, spiritual way of thinking. As faithful stewards, we acknowledge Jesus' true presence in the Eucharist as translated from the Greek meaning "thanksgiving." We believe the Eucharist to be the true Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity, of Christ. We stand in awe and gratitude for this tremendous gift, which opens our hearts to holiness. Plan to attend a Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction service at your parish to experience Christ's peace and joy.



Scripture Readings

Readings for the Week of August 1, 2021

| | |
|------------------|--|
| Sunday | Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Ex 16:2-4, 12-15; Ps 78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54; Eph 4:17, 20-24; Jn 6:24-35 |
| Monday | Saint Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop; Saint Peter Julian Eymard, Priest Nm 11:4b-15; Ps 81:12-13, 14-15, 16-17; Mt 14:31-21 |
| Tuesday | Nm 12:1-13; Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 6cd-7, 12-13; Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14; |
| Wednesday | Memorial of Saint John Vianney, Priest Nm 13:1-2, 25—14:1, 26-29a, 34-35; Ps 106:6-7ab, 13-14, 21-22, 23; Mt 15:21-28 |
| Thursday | The Dedication of the Basilica of Saint Mary Major Nm 20:1-13; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Mt 16:13-23 |
| Friday | Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Mk 9:2-10 |
| Saturday | Saint Sixtus II, Pope, and Companions, Martyrs; Saint Cajetan, Priest Dt 6:4-13; Ps 18:2-3a, 3c-4, 47 and 51; Mt 17:14-20 |
| Sunday | Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 1 Kgs 19:4-8; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Eph 4:30—5:2; Jn 6:41-51 |

Monday, August 2

7:30 a.m. Liturgical Ministers

Tuesday, August 3

7:30 a.m. OLSOS Staff

Wednesday, August 4

7:30 a.m. Parish Priests

Thursday, August 5

7:30 a.m. +Marilyn Bourgoin
+Elizabeth Wickersham
+John Ahee

Friday, August 6

7:30 a.m. Increase in Faith

Saturday, August 7

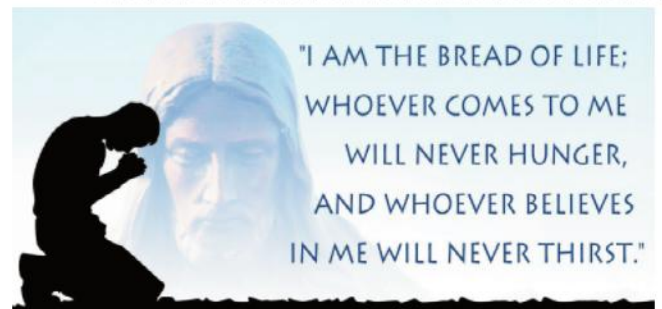
4:00 p.m. +Nunzio Ortisi
OLSOS Parishioners
+Joseph Okonowski

Sunday, August 8

8:00 a.m. +Joseph Nowak Family

9:30 a.m. +Marilyn Bourgoin
+Catherine Jaboro
+Robert Nesom

11:30 a.m. +Virginia Mushenski
+Arthur Molitor
+Richard and Irene Spryzak



FUEL THE MISSION

CSA 2021



| CSA 2021 UPDATE * | |
|----------------------------------|----------|
| pledges to date | \$95,425 |
| % of goal | 57.3% |
| no. of families who pledge | 217 |
| % of families | 18% |
| no. of families still to respond | 980 |
| Short | \$71,095 |

**as of July 22, 2021*

Thank you to those who have already pledged.

Thank you for helping Fuel the Mission.

Please consider making a gift to the Catholic Services Appeal (CSA) 2021. Each Gift allows us to continue our work to Unleash the Gospel through supporting programs that FUEL THE MISSION. Your commitment supports more than 100 ministries, services, and programs that share Christ throughout Southeast Michigan

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Lord, you watch over my coming and going, you guard me at home and when I'm away. As I travel from home, keep watch over me. Protect me and keep me safe. Surround me with your love and comfort. Carry me through my travels and bring me home safely. For you are my guide, leading me day and night. May I continue to always follow where you lead, for now and ever more. Amen.

A Prayer for Spiritual Communion

My Jesus,
 I believe that you are present
 in the Most Holy Sacrament.
 I love you above all things
 and I desire to receive you in my soul.
 Since I cannot at this moment
 receive you sacramentally,
 come at least spiritually into my heart.
 I embrace you as if
 you were already there
 and unite myself wholly to you.
 Never permit me to be
 separated from you.
 Amen.

Teen Summer Mass Series at the Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament

Inviting all Teens from the Archdiocese
 to join us for monthly themed **11:00am** masses
 Sundays this Summer

August 29

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*We encourage you to dress for each monthly theme

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Healing For Divorced, Separated, Civilly Remarried

St. Paul on the Lake is again presenting Fresh Start: A Healing Ministry for the Divorced, Separated & Civilly Remarried.

It's a journey to help those who are divorced, separated or remarried outside the Church to share experiences and dialogue with others in a confidential group setting. Included is an excellent video series, Voices of Hope.

There are no fees.

Where: in the Church Assembly Room, adjacent to the Gathering Space on the parking lot side

157 Lake Shore Road
Grosse Pointe Farms.

Sessions are from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

September 13

October 7-14-28

November 11-18

December 2-16

January 6-20

February 3-17

March 3

To register:

contact Deacon Bill Jamieson at bjamieson@stpaulonthelake.org or 313.885.8855, ext. 145.



Please donate your clean bottles and cans to the **Knights of Columbus**

Money collected will be used to help numerous organizations.

Donations may be brought to the Mary Garden Vestibule.

For more information, please contact:
Dennis Hyduk at 313.969.7650



FORMING OUR FAITH

"That which was from the beginning, which we have heard, which we have seen with our eyes, which we have looked at and our hands have touched—this we proclaim concerning the Word of life." — 1 John 1:1



Is the Lord Calling You to Serve as a Catechist?

We need catechists for next Faith Formation year!

We are grateful to be back in person and able to guide our young people along this journey of faith. For this, we need Confirmed Catholics who are willing to serve the church as Catechists.

Faith Formation classes begin on **October 5th** and run on most Tuesday afternoons/evenings throughout the school year. **Catechists are still needed for the following time slots: 4-5:30PM and 6-7PM.**

If you feel God calling you to take part, serve as a disciple and strengthen your own faith, call the office at (313) 884-7407 and express your interest to become a catechist!

[Faith Formation Office Hours](#)

The Faith Formation Office is closed for the summer.

Please stay in touch by contacting

c.schuelke@stargp.org

or (313) 884-7404



IS THERE MORE TO LIFE THAN THIS?

Join us in the fall for friendship, free food, and great conversation.

Alpha is a free, ten-week series discussing life's bigger questions.

Bring a friend! If you know anyone who might have questions about the deeper meaning in life, invite them! *No religious, faith or church experience is necessary to attend.*

When: Thursdays @6:30-8:30PM beginning September 23rd

Where: The Pointe, Our Lady Star of the Sea
Please RSVP at (313) 884-7407 or c.schuelke@stargp.org

Alpha Leaders Needed!

We are looking for leaders and co-leaders to guide discussion and help coordinate Alpha small groups. If you have led a small group, been on Alpha before, or feel God calling you to help out in some way, contact Curtis Schuelke today at the number above!

In memoriam

| | | | |
|-----------|---------------------|----------|----------------------|
| 7/26/1966 | Mildred Rees | 8/1/2012 | Robert Hamlin |
| 7/26/1982 | Frances Burnett | 8/2/1963 | Joseph Domzalski |
| 7/26/1987 | Ira Mok | 8/2/1965 | Frank Moi |
| 7/26/1997 | Robert Cavanagh | 8/2/1975 | Alice Halpin |
| 7/26/1997 | Mary Welling | 8/2/1978 | Woodrow Lamb |
| 7/26/2011 | William Krantz | 8/2/1988 | George B. Morris |
| 7/27/1970 | Wendelin C. Schrage | 8/2/1993 | Jules Buydens |
| 7/27/1973 | Gerhard Zieger | 8/2/2005 | Delphine Dorgan |
| 7/27/1979 | Marion Piana | 8/2/2006 | Virginia Rohde |
| 7/27/2000 | Paul Marco | 8/3/1967 | Michael Gates |
| 7/27/2005 | Alfred Schulte | 8/3/1969 | Norman J. Parent |
| 7/27/2008 | Paul Youngblood | 8/3/1975 | Vera Lingemen |
| 7/28/1962 | Fred P. Koehler | 8/3/1996 | Mary (Minnie) Martin |
| 7/28/1979 | John Byrne | 8/3/2004 | Kathryn Sullivan |
| 7/28/1987 | John K. Busch | 8/4/1967 | Emery Gesell |
| 7/28/1995 | William Touscany | 8/4/1971 | Mary Ellen Tapin |
| 7/28/1998 | Raymond Decraene | 8/4/1984 | Corinne Lenhard |
| 7/28/2000 | Beverly Green | 8/4/1995 | Jack Lucido |
| 7/28/2007 | Judith Verlinden | 8/4/2002 | Mary Gallotti |
| 7/28/2013 | Frank Scalise | 8/4/2014 | Frances Kristufek |
| 7/28/2018 | John Hayes | 8/4/2014 | Patricia Hendra |
| 7/29/1966 | Caroline Colombo | 8/5/1968 | Mary Kirk-Haggerty |
| 7/29/1996 | Stephen Forish | 8/5/1972 | Richard Klein |
| 7/29/2004 | Frank Decker | 8/5/1972 | Joseph Kopitzki |
| 7/29/2004 | Augustino Venditti | 8/5/1972 | Clorinda Vigliotti |
| 7/29/2005 | Adrienne Grabowski | 8/5/1998 | Edward Gula |
| 7/29/2008 | Clarence Beshke | 8/5/1999 | Walter Kujawski |
| 7/30/1975 | Rita Zemmin | 8/5/2009 | Daniel Popovic |
| 7/30/1981 | Jessie Chariot | 8/5/2011 | Nunzio Ortisi |
| 7/30/1986 | Leo Drolshagen, Sr. | 8/5/2013 | Marian Gliniecki |
| 7/30/1992 | Joseph Posch, Sr. | 8/6/1960 | Eugene Kornmeier |
| 7/30/1997 | Diane Lynn Kaye | 8/6/1968 | Mary Greer |
| 7/30/1999 | Bessie Allor | 8/6/1970 | Paul C. Sloan |
| 7/30/2001 | Ruth Kocinski | 8/6/1972 | Madeline Hall |
| 7/30/2002 | Isabelle Janowski | 8/6/1988 | Albert Malooly |
| 7/30/2014 | Joseph Barzotti | 8/6/1992 | Adeline Nowak |
| 7/30/2019 | John Judge | 8/6/2002 | R. Warren Adam |
| 7/30/2020 | Mary Klobuchar | 8/6/2018 | Patrick McElmurry |
| 7/31/1958 | Peter Kaplita | 8/7/1971 | Irene Centeck |
| 7/31/1969 | Alice Guyette | 8/7/1972 | Walter Lesinski |
| 7/31/1970 | William Stanton | 8/7/1976 | Mark Schoenith |
| 7/31/1975 | Albert Kustrzyk | 8/7/1980 | Mildred Formaniak |
| 7/31/1976 | Peter Depalma | 8/7/1993 | Clara DeYonker |
| 7/31/1984 | Arthur Dlought | 8/7/1997 | John Kennedy |
| 7/31/1985 | Edward Riss | 8/7/2016 | Sally "Lou" Wheeler |
| 7/31/1991 | Carole A. Oehler | 8/8/1959 | Lottie Jurczyk |
| 7/31/1996 | Chester Bogan | 8/8/1987 | Elizabeth Verbeke |
| 7/31/2006 | Albina Kuczynski | 8/8/1988 | Charles Dorn |
| 7/31/2019 | Lawrence Rancilio | 8/8/1988 | Jacques Schoenmakers |
| 8/1/1967 | Cornelius Diem | 8/8/2003 | Sophia Prus |
| 8/1/1980 | Assunta Polizzi | 8/8/2014 | Michael Hatty |
| | | 8/8/2020 | John Molloy |



The Warren Fire Department and Regina High School Softball Alumnae

Second annual Red Lights vs. Saddlelites Charity Softball Game

Where: Regina's softball diamond located at 13900 Masonic Blvd., Warren, MI 48088.

Along with an exciting game, there will be raffles, delicious concessions, a dunk tank, and more! All proceeds for this event benefit the Warren Fire Department Smoke Detector Giveaway Program and the students of Regina High School.

Tickets are \$15 at the gate or \$10 pre-order online www.reginahs.com/charitysoftballgame/

Children under the age of 8 can attend for free. Attendees are encouraged to bring their own chairs.

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We will not be accepting any of the following: clothing, encyclopedias, textbooks, Readers Digest, computers, televisions and other electronics, stuffed animals, bowling balls, healthcare items, weapons, engines or motors. We will be accepting other books.

If you have any questions, need items picked up, and/or would like to volunteer, please call Rita or Tom at 586-776-4481.



Pregnancy Aid of Detroit is hosting its annual Cruise for Life on the Detroit River Saturday, August 21, on the Diamond Jack.

The cruise, from 7 to 10 pm, includes dinner, beer, wine, soda, dessert and raffles.

Tickets are \$75 after August 1. Boarding begins at 6:45 pm at the Stroh's River Place parking lot, 26800 Atwater Street in Detroit.

Parking is free.

Tickets can be purchased at pregnancyaiddetroit.org or the Pregnancy Aid service center, 15847 East Eight Mile Road, Eastpointe 48021

Pregnancy Aid Detroit is a 501(c)3 nonprofit, Christian organization that upholds the sanctity of human life by advocating for the lives of mothers and their unborn children, and by offering emotional and material support, as well as education to promote healthy lifestyles.

We warmly welcome the newly baptized

Baptized:

July 25, 2021

by Fr. Brian Meldrum



Layla Elaine Weidenthaler

Parents:

Cameron & Kelly (Kunka) Weidenthaler

Godparent: Jill Decena

Christian Witness: Tyler Broussard



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- The Amen

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Noah Cole
Sharon De Long
Virg Ditty
Joseph Drader
Angela Harris
Joyce Janowski
Linda Keschl
Michelle Koning
Phyllis Marek
Kristina Mulder
Sue Nelson
Don Nelson
Marilyn O'Bryan
Joe Ross
Terry Ryba

Josh Simon
Joseph Simon
Bill Scholtz
Cathy Spindler
Charlotte Weekes
Fr. Francis Weingartz

those in the military

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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
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Justin Kelly

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