

# OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA

September 4, 2022  
OLSOS.ORG

I know that there is nothing  
better for people than to be happy  
and to do good while they live.  
That each of them may eat and  
drink, and find satisfaction in all  
their toil - this is the gift of God.

Ecclesiastes 3:12-13

Labor Day



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-FRI** 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
**SAT** Closed  
**SUN** Closed  
**Holidays** - Closed

### FAITH FORMATION OFFICE HOURS

**Mon- THU** 8:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m.  
**FRI, SAT and SUN** - Closed

### BAPTISMS

Please call the Faith Formation Office (313-884-7407) 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

Happy Labor Day Holiday! We all know that this marks the "unofficial" end of the summer. How fast time has flown!! Hopefully everyone can take that additional break on Sunday and Monday and enjoy at least two days of rest and relaxation from the fruits of our labors.

I want to thank all those on staff at our parish and school. They all labor so hard for the good of the parish and the school, especially during these past two very unusual years. They are very dedicated in what they do and strive to bring the best to the people of Our Lady Star of the Sea. There are also a host of super volunteers who labor and give their all through a wide variety of ministries and volunteer opportunities to enhance the parish, bring people closer to the Lord and help build a stronger community. There are many who go above and beyond the call of duty and give countless of hours without counting the cost! To the staff and all these volunteers – a very grateful thanks for all you do and I hope that this Labor Day God will continue to bless you and reward you for your goodness!

As we celebrate Labor Day this weekend, we know we are blessed to take and enjoy such a holiday. Truly, work is a good thing and we take the time to not only honor working men and women but to celebrate the meaning and value of work.

We find in our Hebrew scriptures the important relationship between people and the land and their work (Leviticus 25). We are also reminded that all these things come from God and we work the resources of the earth in order to benefit each and every member of society. In this way we share in the continued creation of God as we also direct our human work and activity toward God.

As we celebrate our work and rest from it this weekend, perhaps we might be a little more aware of some of the economic and work related injustices that are present in our society and world. Our faith calls us to form economic policies that protect human dignity, promote strong families and create active, vibrant communities. One fundamental moral test in any society is how well the poor, the weak and the vulnerable are faring.

Labor Day is a day to remember that a person is more valuable for what she or he *is* than for what they *have*. We all come together — workers and employers, entrepreneurs and union leaders, trades people and policy makers — to build a society that respects each person and their work. May we enjoy this Labor Day weekend as we rest from our labors and pray for an increase of respect for all people, no matter what they do, because they all created in God's image and love.

**\*\* We will not have a morning Mass here on Labor Day. We will celebrate the day at St. Lucy Church at 9 a.m. We will also have our monthly Holy Hour at 7:30 pm Labor Day night in church.**

**\*\* Have a good, safe and restful holiday weekend!**

Msgr. Gary Smetanka



## Holy Hour

**Monday, September 5, 2022  
at 7:30pm  
In the Church**

### Year of Prayer for Priestly Vocations

Heavenly Father, Lord of the Harvest,  
call forth vocations to the priesthood  
from our archdiocese and families.

Jesus, Eternal High Priest,  
give us men willing to sacrifice and serve.  
Make their hearts after your own Sacred Heart.

Holy Spirit, Everlasting Love between Father and Son,  
strengthen, inspire, and set men on fire with divine charity.  
Grant them the courage to say yes to their vocation.

Holy Mary, Mother of God, Mother of priests,  
comfort and protect your sons as they discern their call.  
With Saint Joseph, may they know your love and companionship  
as they deepen their relationship with Jesus.

Immaculate Heart of Mary, pray for us.  
St. Anne, pray for us.  
St. John Vianney, patron saint of priests, pray for us.

### Scripture Readings

For the Week of September 04, 2022

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Wis 9:13-18b; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 & 17; Phlm 9-10, 12-17; Lk 14:25-33
<b>Monday</b>	1 Cor 5:1-8; Ps; 5:5-6, 7, 12; Jn 10:27; Lk 6:6-11
<b>Tuesday</b>	1 Cor 6:1-11; Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a & 9b; Lk 6:12-19
<b>Wednesday</b>	1 Cor 7:25-31; Ps 45:11-12, 14-15, 16-17; Lk 6:20-26
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b> Mi 5:1-4a; Ps 13:6ab, 6c; Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 or 1:18-23
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Memorial of Saint Peter Claver, Priest</b> 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27; Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6, 12; Jn 17:17b, 17a; Lk 6:39-42
<b>Saturday</b>	1 Cor 10:14-22; Ps 116:12-13, 17-18; Lk 6:43-49
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Ex 32:7-11, 13-14; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 17, 19; 1 Tm 1:12-17; Lk 15:1-32 or Lk 15:1-10

## Mass Intentions

### Monday, September 5

**7:30 a.m.** NO MASS  
**9:00 a.m.** Mass at St Lucy

### Tuesday, September 6

**7:30 a.m.** Benefactors of OLSOS  
+Florence & Cameell Hanna

### Wednesday, September 7

**7:30 a.m.** +Rosalie Baratta  
+Georgette Zahar

### Thursday, September 8

**7:30 a.m.** +Rosalie Prano  
+Sam LoChirco

### Friday, September 9

**8:30 a.m.** +Janet Spinelli

### Saturday, September 10

**4:00 p.m.** +Jan Dmochowski  
+Carmela & John Brucia  
+Lynda Bucciero  
+Patrick Carron  
+Deneen Boulus

### Sunday, September 11

**8:00 a.m.** OLSOS Parishioners  
**9:30 a.m.** +Rudy Armbruster  
+Brian Flaherty  
+Marilyn Bourgoin  
**11:30 a.m.** +Virginia Mushenski  
+Richard C. Krausmann  
+Gregory Ignasiak

### Mass Intentions - Please Note:

Mass intentions may be arranged by coming into the parish office. According to Archdiocesan Policy, the suggested donation is \$10 per Mass per person. Masses can be for the deceased (+) and the living, so please don't assume that a Mass being said for a living person, means that they are ill, please respect the privacy of all individuals. Mass intentions must be received 14 days prior to publication to be published and read at Mass.



## Music Notes from Glenn Miller

### *About today's hymns*

Our opening hymn, "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" (*Ritual Song*, no. 735) is a metrical version of Psalm 90:1-5. It was written by Isaac Watts, an eighteenth century English minister, theologian, and logician. He was a prolific hymn writer, and is credited with some 750 hymns, many of which are based on the Psalms. One of his most well-known hymns is the Christmas hymn, "Joy to the World." He is regarded as the Father of modern hymnody in the English speaking world. Prior to Watts hymnody was either medieval office hymns or strict paraphrases of the Psalms. What Watts did, which was very revolutionary, was to recast the Psalms of the Old Testament in the language and the message of the New Testament along with writing original hymns of the Christian experience using the language of the vernacular. Most of his hymns were written in his early twenties before he began his ministerial career after his father challenged him to improve the standard of praise. Watts was brought up in the home of a committed religious nonconformist; his father had been incarcerated twice for his views. Watts had a classical education as a youth, learning Latin, Greek, and Hebrew, and displayed a propensity for rhyme from an early age. He was once asked why he had his eyes open during prayers, to which he responded, "A little mouse for want of stairs / ran up a rope to say its prayers." The tune is named *St. Anne*, and takes its name from St. Anne's Church, Soho, London, where its composer was the organist.

The preparation hymn, "The Summons" (*Ritual Song*, no. 811) comes out of the Iona Community, an ecumenical religious community headquartered in Glasgow, Scotland and on the Iona, a small island in the Inner Hebrides, off the Ross of Mull on the western coast of Scotland. Iona is known for its relative tranquility and natural environment and is regarded as the birthplace of Celtic Christianity in Scotland. In the year 563 St. Columba founded and established its Abbey and monastic community, and it became the center of Gaelic monasticism for three centuries, though with the dissolution of the monasteries it fell into ruin. In 1938 the present day community was founded by George MacLeod, a minister of the Church of Scotland, to bridge the gap which existed between the church and working people, rebuilding the Abbey as the center of a religious community dedicated to addressing social needs and as a place for spiritual retreats. This hymn was written by two leaders of the community, John Bell and Graham Maule, in 1987, and comes out of the life of the Community, who had a practice of sending youth volunteers to live for a year or two in impoverished parts of Scotland, supported only by welfare payments and working out their discipleship in hard places. At the end of their agreed periods of ministry there would be a farewell ceremony for which the authors would often create an appropriate song. This was such a song, originally intended for one-time use around 1986-87. The tune is a Scottish folk melody; its name, *Kelvingrove*, is the name of the first purpose-built public park in Scotland, located outside of Glasgow, and takes its name from the river Kelvin, which meanders through the park.

Our communion hymn, "In This Place" (*Spirit Song*, no. 122), is by Trevor Thomson, who has worked as the associate director of worship for the Diocese of Phoenix and has also served parishes in Arizona and California.

Our closing hymn, "Wherever He Leads" (*Ritual Song*, no. 810) was written by Baylus Benjamin McKinney, an early twentieth century American singer, song writer, teacher, and music editor. He wrote this hymn in 1936 soon after meeting his friend, R. S. Jones, who had just returned from Brazil where he was a missionary. During the meeting, Jones shared with McKinney that he had a health issue which would prevent him from returning to his beloved Brazil. McKinney is reported to have asked his friend, "What will you do?". With tears coming down his cheeks Jones responded, "Wherever He leads I will go". Jones' response so deeply affected B B McKinney that he sat down immediately that day and wrote this hymn.

### **Calling all adult singers!!**

Star Choir begins its fall season this Wednesday evening with its first rehearsal from 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. in the church. The Choir is comprised of persons who enjoy singing and fellowship and are dedicated to offering their talents in the diligent preparation of music in a positive and engaging environment for the 11:30 Sunday mass. All that is required is a pleasant singing voice, some basic musical skills, a love of the church and joy for being in community. Choral singing is a team sport, with all working together towards common goals. Singing binds people together, has great health benefits, both physical and mental, and truly keeps one young at heart and spirit. For further information, speak with Star Music Minister Glenn Miller after mass, or call (313-884-5554 ext 2121) or email him at [g.miller@stargp.org](mailto:g.miller@stargp.org). If you wish to simply come and experience first-hand the choir, no strings attached, you are welcome to do so! Simply let Glenn know in advance so that he can have a folder and hymnal ready for you. As the motto of the Royal School of Church Music states and reminds us of the words of St. Paul, "I will sing with the Spirit and with the understanding also," so may we as a community lift up to the Lord our songs of praise. "O come, let us sing unto the Lord!"



# Catholic Service Appeal (CSA) 2022

This year in your quarterly contribution packet you may have notices a yellow banded envelope for CSA. This can be used to make your gift to CSA, or your initial pledge. You can still give through electronic giving by visiting [GiveCSA.org](http://GiveCSA.org).

Thank you to those of you who have already made a 2022 CSA pledge as this ensures we *Fuel the Mission* to witness Christ as His disciples.

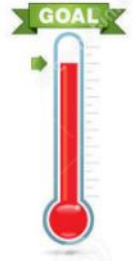
Msgr Gary is asking all parishioners to join him in contributing to this year's Catholic Services Appeal. If we all give, we will easily meet our 2022 CSA target of \$165,000 which is our parish share of the support for the CSA-funded ministries, programs, and services. Any gifts we receive over our target will be returned to our parish in full. If, however, we do not meet this target, we will have to make up the shortfall from our general fund. This year we plan to use our CSA refund to replace the roof and skylights and do general upkeep in the church, and technology upgrades.

Please prayerfully considering your CSA pledge, you may mail your completed pledge card in the pre-addressed envelope that is provided you. You may also pledge your gift to our parish campaign by giving online at [GiveCSA.org](http://GiveCSA.org).

## FUEL THE MISSION

### CSA 2022

Our Lady Star of the Sea Goal: \$165,000



*Thank you to those who have already pledged.  
\*as of August 23, 2022*

CSA 2022 UPDATE *	
pledges to date	\$157,737.50
% of goal	95%
no. of families who pledge	310
% of families	27%
no. of families still to respond	815
Short	\$ 7,262.50



### Our Lady Star of the Sea— CSA 2022 Pledge Card

Please fill out and return in the offertory boxes or, drop off in the Parish Office

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone or email: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ please accept my one time gift of:  \$25  \$50  \$75  \$100  Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ please accept my pledge of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

I have enclosed an **initial payment** of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ and would like to  
Monthly or quarterly payments—on the remainder of my pledge

Save time and donate online, through your phone, computer, or tablet <http://olsos.aodcsa.org> or  
by contacting the Archdiocese at 1-888-331-8695

Those wishing to leave a legacy, match a contribution, or give a stock gift –  
please contact the AOD Donor Services: 1-313-237-5768

**Please make checks payable to Archdiocese of Detroit (CSA)**

Thank you for your generosity!

# BACK TO SCHOOL ✨

✨ We are excited to be back in the classrooms for another school year. Our first week was a success - it was great to see so many familiar faces and meet our new students.



## Important Dates

Sept. 5 - No school  
Sept. 6 - TCBY Fundraiser

Sept. 13 - Back to School Night  
Sept. 14 - Jet's Pizza Fundraiser

## To Parents of Star Athletes

### Star Sports registration is open for 2022-2023 CYO Basketball

For Boys and Girls Grades 3rd - 8th

The Athletic Program is open to any parishioner who is a baptized Catholic attending the Religious Education Program (must be registered at Star Parish) or any student that attends Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic School.

#### Registration Dates:

Winter Sport Registration Period: May 1 - October 15, 2022

(Sports offered: Boys/ Girls Basketball)

**Grades 3-8 fee \$200.00/ player**

Depending on # of players registered 3rd/4th graders may play in an instructional basketball program vs CYO.

**Men's Club Fee: \$25 per family**

Register online at: Our Lady Star of The Sea

Register online at: <http://starsports.assn.la/>

Sports physical exam is required each year to be eligible to participate in CYO athletics. The physical must be dated by the doctor after April 15, 2022. No student will be allowed to try out for any sport without having a sports physical on file with the Athletic Department. There are no exceptions to this requirement. Please stop by the parish office for the form

#### Important dates

**Registration closes 10/15/22**

**Tryouts** will be 11/07/22 - 11/09/22

\* Preseason tournament 11/18/22 -11/27/22

League games 11/28/22 -02/19/23

\*Christmas Tournament 12/19/22-12/31/22

\*Playoffs and post season tournament 02/23/23-03/12/23

\* (approximate dates)

Any questions email Loreto Manzo at [olstarsports@yahoo.com](mailto:olstarsports@yahoo.com)



**SUPPORT  
OUR SCHOOL**

**TCBY Fundraiser**  
September 6, 3:30 PM

Let them know at checkout you are supporting the 'Our Lady Star of the Sea School fundraiser!'



**Jet's Pizza Night  
School Fundraiser**

Help us raise money for the school by ordering pizza from Jet's Pizza on Vernier & Mack

How to participate:  
1. Call (313) 884-3838.  
2. Tell them "This is an order for Our Lady Star of the Sea Spirit Night".  
3. Enjoy a pizza night with the family!

**September 14**  
**4:00 - 8:00 PM**



**CarePointe**  
A Community Support Group for Family and Friends of Loved Ones with Memory Loss



**WHEN**  
3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of Every Month  
from 1:00 - 2:30 p.m

**WHERE**  
Our Lady Star of the Sea  
Catholic Church  
467 Fairford Rd.  
Grosse Pointe Woods

**WHAT TO EXPECT**

- ◆ Meet Other Caregivers
- ◆ Share Your Experiences
- ◆ Learn from Others
- ◆ Find Support in a Welcoming Environment



**All Are Welcome**  
No Registration Required

For more information, visit us at [CarePointeSupport.org](http://CarePointeSupport.org)

[/CarePointeSupport](#) Email: [info@CarePointeSupport.org](mailto:info@CarePointeSupport.org) Phone: 313.884.5554

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# FORMING OUR FAITH



**Don't forget to register your children for Faith Formation classes!**

**Classes start September 27, 2022**

Our Faith Formation programs are designed to partner with parents in sharing the light of our rich Catholic faith with our children and youth. Through class room activities, service projects, and spiritual experiences we help the children to ENCOUNTER Jesus, GROW in their faith, and be a WITNESS to the love of God for everyone. Classes are offered at the following timeframe from September through May:

**Hours for Faith Formation Classes:**

- GRADES 1-6 4:00-5:15 PM Tuesdays
- GRADES 7 & 8 6:00-7:15 PM Tuesdays

You can find the registration form on our website [olsos.org](http://olsos.org)  
-OR- <https://forms.gle/LZMUos29ypjrANKB9>

Questions? Please contact Meredith Nesom (313) 884-7407  
or [m.nesom@stargp.org](mailto:m.nesom@stargp.org)

**CATECHISTS  
NEEDED**

Contact Meredith Nesom at  
[m.nesom@stargp.org](mailto:m.nesom@stargp.org)

## Are you considering becoming Catholic?

Do any of these statements apply to you?

- + I have never been baptized
- + I am baptized but have had little or no faith formation.
- + I am baptized and have had faith formation in another religious traditions
- + I am baptized Catholic but have not received the sacraments of Eucharist and or Confirmation

For more information please Contact Msgr Gary  
([msgr.smetanka@stargp.org](mailto:msgr.smetanka@stargp.org))



## Back to School Blessing

Dear Heavenly Father,

For all of the children returning to school, send your Holy Spirit as their guide and protector.

Keep them free from danger and unnecessary harm. Put our sons and daughters in the right place, at the right time, to receive your grace. Let them learn and grow strong. May the presence of your Spirit fill their hearts.

Bless every family, Lord as we entrust our children to you. Since from the beginning, they are yours to keep.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit,  
Amen.



## Our Lady Star of The Sea Prayer and Eucharistic Chapel

Open 6am - 11:30pm

"Doesn't the tabernacle hold the most precious treasure ever to be found on earth or in heaven? Unfortunately, there are many who cannot see it because they are blind. Yet our faith unerringly tells us that endless riches are to be found there. People sweat and toil to make money, and yet, in the tabernacle dwells the Lord of the universe. He will grant you what you ask, if you really need it." (St. John Bosco)

*Spend an hour per week in the Eucharistic Presence of Our Lord by your own personal commitment of the day and the hour.*



# OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA FALL FEST

FOOD TRUCKS & RAFFLE  
**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24TH**  
**5-7PM**



CANALSIDE PIZZA  
ESTIA  
KALINDI'S SWEETS

## FOOD

FULL RACK BBQ  
ARUBA FREEZE

## ENTERTAINMENT

JOE FIKANY JR. & TONY NOUHAN  
ROSCO THE CLOWN

## FUN

FACE PAINTING MUMS  
TOUCH-A-TRUCK YARD GAMES  
CRAFTS KIDS BASKET RAFFLE

**CATCH A  
LUCKY STAR  
RAFFLE**

**WIN \$10,000**



Your Franciscan Home

**Capuchin Women's Retreat  
October 28-30  
THEME - LIVING THE LORD'S PRAYER**

This silent retreat begins on Friday night with orientation at 7:30pm and finishes with the noon meal on Sunday.

Accommodations include newly renovated private room and bathrooms with linens.

During the weekend you have to opportunity to:

- + go to confession
- + attend the Healing service
- + attend Seminars
- + schedule one-on-one meeting with the preaching staff
- + Eucharistic Adoration, Daily Mass, Rosary
- + Private time...to enjoy the beautiful gardens or to sit in the lounge

The Cost for the weekend is \$225, which includes a \$50 deposit to confirm your reservation. Scholarships are available. Please Contact Debby Veltri to register...d.veltri@starg.org or call the parish office 313-884-5554. Registrations must be received by October 10th.

For more information please visit capretreat.org



**St Vincent de Paul  
Clothing Drive  
September 23-25**

Please only drop off clean, gently used clothes

The SVdP truck will be in the parking lot during the weekend only! Do not drop off clothes early!

You can use any bags, but bags will be provided in the gathering space.



## Men's Weekend Retreat

### Manresa Jesuit Retreat House

1390 Quarton Road ~ Bloomfield Hills, Michigan 4830  
www.manresa-sja.org ~ 248-644-4933

**October 28-30**

Arrival time is anytime after 5pm

Dinner at 7pm followed by evening Mass

**All men are invited and welcome. Please join us!!**

**Ray Kettel  
313-882-9798**

**Rob Satter  
586-615-3004**

**Tom Youngblood  
313-600-2005**

**Manresa Retreat House  
248-644-4933**



## Communion to the Homebound Volunteers Needed

Volunteers are needed to help bring Holy Communion to the sick and the homebound of our parish.

Please consider even if you are not a Eucharistic Minister.

We visit our homebound on Friday mornings

- + You are schedule approx. one time per month
- + Time involved depends on how many homes we visit. (Currently we visit 4 homes)
- + Training will be done with a current volunteer on a Friday

Please contact the Parish Office (313-884-5554).  
*Our Homebound have requested that you wear a mask.*

Sept 4, 2022

### WATCH

#### NETWORK OF FREEDOM

Set in France at the beginning of World War II, this inspiring film narrates the heroic work of Sister Helene Studler, the Daughter of Charity who saved the lives of thousands of French refugees by preventing them from becoming prisoners of the Nazi forces, or freeing those who were captured. Among those she saved were many illustrious characters including the future Prime Minister of France, François de Mitterrand.



### LEARN

#### FORMED NOW: THE NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

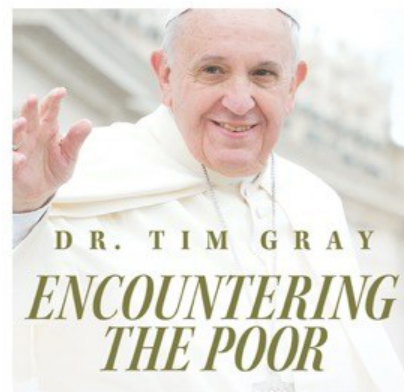


As we celebrate the birthday of the Blessed Virgin Mary this week, listen as Dr. Tim Gray and Dr. John Sehorn discuss the traditions surrounding Mary's life and how her life is a model of humility for Christians.


### LISTEN

#### ENCOUNTERING THE POOR: BIBLICAL ROOTS FOR CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING BY TIM GRAY

Dr. Gray expounds upon the teachings of the Catholic Church surrounding social justice in light of Sacred Scripture. Discover how social justice in regards to the poor is not one small piece in the puzzle, but instead frames the entire mosaic of Scripture.




Our parish has a FORMED subscription.  
To set up your free account visit [formed.org/signup](https://formed.org/signup) and select our parish.



OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA

**Set up  
ONLINE  
GIVING  
right from  
your phone**



**Text "Enroll"**  
to enroll in long term giving.

If you've already enrolled or want to make a one time payment:

**Text your gift amount to:**  
**(313) 887-6612**  
or visit  
**faith.direct/MI1044**

## Church Offering envelope users

Please note that as of October your envelopes will be mailed bi-monthly instead of quarterly, from our distributor.

Please inform the Parish Office of any address changes, the distributor requests addresses at least 1 month prior to each mailing.



### If you or somebody else is in need of assistance with:

Mortgage foreclosure prevention -  
Tax foreclosure prevention - Prop-  
erty Tax foreclosure - Water assis-  
tance or small home repair

Please call 211 from any phone **first** to see if you qualify.

This information provided by St. Vincent de Paul ,  
Our Lady Star of the Sea Conference

## Stewardship Thoughts

In his Gospel today, the evangelist St. Luke authors Jesus' statement on true discipleship: *Whoever does not carry his own cross and come after me cannot be my disciple.* We are asked to renounce our former life and possessions to make Jesus first in our lives. In his *Unleash the Gospel* pastoral letter, Archbishop Allen Vigneron states, *Growing as his disciple demands a daily surrender to the one who loved us and gave his life for us: "I live, no longer I, but Christ lives in me" (Gal 2:20) (see: Unleash the Gospel, Marker 9.2, Grow).* Discipleship requires sacrifice and may include persecution and suffering to witness Christ and His Truth. Are we willing to pay the cost? As an example, do we uphold the Church's teaching on sacramental marriage between one man and one woman at the risk of ridicule and persecution from the secular world? To learn more about Catholic teaching, read a few pages of the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* daily.



## PAPER NEEDED FOR THE SCHOOL



OUR LADY  
STAR OF THE SEA SCHOOL

Did your business change address, or get a new look, and you have paper, letterhead, etc. that you no longer need....please consider donating to the school.

If you have any extra paper around that you would like to donate, we would love to have it!

Please only donate paper that is 8.5 x 11, blank on one side, to be used for copying or printing.

Drop the paper off in the School office between 8-3 Monday—Friday.



For more information contact Jaime Schomer at [j.schomer@stargp.org](mailto:j.schomer@stargp.org) or 313-884-1070

## In memoriam

9/5/1967 Helen M. Roche  
9/5/1971 Marion Merrick  
9/5/1980 Anne Kramer  
9/5/1981 Prewitt Semmes  
9/5/1984 Teresa Russo  
9/5/1985 Celso DaDeppo  
9/5/1985 Catherine Versical  
9/5/1987 Harold Hoffman  
9/5/1991 Catherine Howard  
9/5/1998 Mary Elizabeth Kasper  
9/5/2004 Clem Weisse  
9/5/2008 Eileen Fitzpatrick  
9/5/2012 John Wieme  
9/5/2014 Dolores Amori  
9/6/1967 Albert Charles Bean  
9/6/1982 Elsie Stoff  
9/6/2001 Mary Kathleen  
Geymann  
9/6/2002 Edward Gendernalik  
9/6/2005 Mary Rudzinski  
9/6/2005 Florence Hanna  
9/6/2005 Theresa Duross  
9/7/1967 Arthur Burchett  
9/7/1984 Rosemund Rahaim  
9/7/1989 Henry Kafarski  
9/7/2001 Louise Birmingham  
9/7/2015 Josphine Colombo  
9/7/2018 Mary Bourget  
9/8/1974 Warren Winstanley  
9/8/1980 Walter VanGoethem  
9/8/1994 John Verbiest  
9/8/1997 Vincent Ryszewski  
9/8/2008 Ilene Sattler  
9/8/2014 Marie Roberts  
9/8/2017 James Daoust  
9/9/1969 William Bogdanski  
9/9/1971 Cordelia Kessler  
9/9/2004 Arthur Baker  
9/9/2007 Patricia Couvreur  
9/10/1970 Agnes G. Benoit  
9/10/1985 Geraldine Ansel  
9/10/1994 Mark Kafarski  
9/10/1995 Patricia Hancheruk  
9/10/1998 Kathleen Zosel  
9/10/1999 Katherine Steiner  
9/10/2002 Charlotte Graul  
9/10/2015 Frank Palazzolo  
9/10/2016 Patrick Carron  
9/11/1980 Anna McGraw  
9/11/1983 Filippo Veneri  
9/11/1985 Edmund Gallagher  
9/11/1991 Irene Kaspari

## Please pray for:

### the sick

Angela Agrusa  
Jeanne Collins  
Angela Harris  
Catherine Pentis  
Evelyn Pentis  
Bill Scholtz  
Cathy Spindler  
Fr. Francis Weingartz  
Barbara Weiss



### Homebound Ministry

If you, or someone you know, are unable to attend Mass and would like to receive the Eucharist, please call the Parish Office at 884-5554

## those in the military

Joshua Bielak  
James Patrick Carrier  
Perry Carter  
Josh Duffy  
Kyle Lechner  
Michael Mott  
Richard Shetler, III  
John Walker

### PLEASE NOTE

Names will remain on the sick list for one (1) month unless the parish is notified otherwise.

For those in Military, we would like to pray for those who are active, Please contact us to add names to our list.



# Monday, September 5th

# Mass is at 9:00 a.m.

# at St Lucy's

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# Parish Office is closed Monday, for the Holiday

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