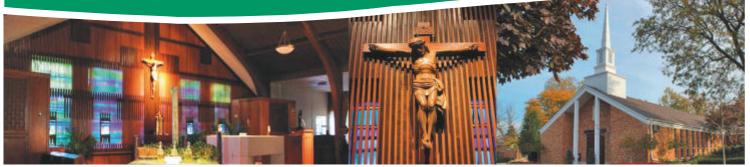


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#### **JANUARY 19, 2020**

## 2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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#### **OFFICE HOURS**

Monday–Friday: 9:00 AM–Noon and 1:00–4:30 PM

#### LITURGIES

Saturday: 4:00 PM Sunday: 9:00 & 11:00 AM Tuesday: 6:40 PM Wednesday–Friday: 9:00 AM

#### **CONFESSIONS**

Saturday: 3:00 PM

#### **ADORATION**

Tuesday: 4:00-6:30 PM

## PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS

Tuesday at 6:30 PM and Thursday at 9:00 AM

For *Marriage, Baptism* and *Confirmation* information, please call the Parish Office.

#### **BOOK & GIFT SHOP**

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#### FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

By Fr. Terry Kerner

I hope that by the time you are reading this article I am back on my feet after suffering from a viral infection. The doctor thinks that is what it is and is sticking to his story. A local funeral director suggested to me that he is seeing cases running from two to three weeks. (It makes me a little nervous having a prognosis given by an undertaker.) I know that many parishioners are suffering from the virus and we should keep one another in our prayers and on our "watch list". At 74 I know that I don't always bounce back as swiftly as I used to, but then again like you, we are just happy to be bouncing. I am sure that we can take comfort in the old saying: "This too will pass".

There are a couple of things we can do in church that probably should help in curbing the spread of the virus. Obviously, if you are struck with the "Bug" don't show up at church. Take care of yourself with extra rest and participate in the mass on TV. Look for the listings.

Another precaution is to NOT offer the Precious Blood at communion. Only the host or Body of Christ will be given at communion until further notice. PLEASE NOTE, the Eucharistic Minister already assigned to the Cup, will then also distribute the Body of Christ. Be assured this is only temporary. Also at the Greeting of Peace, a simple nod with a smile on your face assures your fellow worshiper of your sentiment. {The smile should be given in that it offers a more authentic sign of who you are and what joy you might share.}

Stay healthy and hopefully we will see all of you in church.





### Parish News

#### **FAITH FORMATION**

#### By Grace Lakatos

Half way into January...how did that happen so fast? Are you keeping up with your resolutions? Here's 2 more Spiritual Resolutions for you to consider (plus a quick review of the first 4):

**Increase Your Marian Devotion.** Mary is our spiritual mother and like our earthly mother, she is there for us. We just need to open our hearts to her.

Make more time for spiritual reading. Have you found a good book? Or maybe, your choice is the Good Book? Crack open the spine and let the words enter and open your heart and mind.

**Make good stewardship a lifestyle.** Take some time to think and pray about your gifts and how you use them. And then make a change...A BIG ONE!

**Share your Catholic faith with others.** Your action could be the touch of God that someone so desperately needs in that moment. Reach out!

Bring back regular penances. What? It's not Lent yet! No, it's not but the saints of the Church practiced penances in a habitual nature, internally, externally, great and small. At one time, Fridays outside of Lent were days of fast and abstinence. When the Church changed the eating of meat on Fridays, outside of Lent, it was meant for another form of penance to continue. This practice was to show reverence to the day of the week on which our Lord died. Be creative. An act of service or additional prayers or maybe even giving up meat on Fridays are all possibilities. Penances aren't meant to be pleasant at first, but the graces that grow from them grow sweeter with time.

Go an extra day to Mass. Mass is not only the source and summit of our faith, it is the source and summit of our very life. Try to arrange or rearrange your schedule to attend an additional Mass each week or even a few extra days per month. It may require a change in your travel route, attending a neighboring parish or even skipping lunch. Most daily Masses are usually 30 minutes long. If there is just no way to attend Mass, consider adding time at your parish for Adoration outside of Mass time, even if just for 15 minutes. As you journey forward into 2020, I hope and pray that you will make great strides in your resolutions, physical, mental, emotional, financial and most of all, spiritual.



#### Sunday, January 19<sup>th</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Meet Our Extended Family: Saint Francis de Sales (Feast Day January 24<sup>th</sup>)

St. Francis entered the priesthood after earning a doctorate in law. At age 35, he became the Bishop of Geneva.

He is well-known for his book, *Introduction to the Devout Life*, which is still available for purchase today.

His writings, filled with his gentle spirit, are addressed to the lay people and remind them that all are called to be holy, not just priests and religious. As a family, how can we become more holy?



#### Tuesday, January 21st

St. Agnes, Virgin and Martyr

#### 6:40 PM

 Simon Croke, Health & Healing (by Doina)

#### Wednesday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>

Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

#### 9:00 AM

† Fr. Edward Mitchell (by Fr. Kerner & Parishioners)

#### Thursday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>

St. Vincent, Deacon and Martyr; St. Marianne Cope, Virgin

#### 9:00 AM

 Elsie Criseobal, Health & Healing (by Doina)

#### Friday, January 24th

St. Francis de Sales, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

#### 9:00 AM

 Perla Moss, Health & Healing (by Doina)

#### Saturday, January 25<sup>th</sup>

The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle

#### 4:00 PM

- † Paula Saliba (by Family)
- † Mary Camilleri (by Lina Herring)
- † Mark & Mike Brotherton (by Family)

#### Sunday, January 26th

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time; Catholic Schools Week

#### 9:00 AM

- † Gerard Stoner (by Family)
- † Michael Porter (by Doina)

#### 11:00 AM

- Lucy & Rich Christie,
   Wedding Anniv.Blessings
   (by Karen & Doina)
- † Helen Siepierski (by Family)

# Travel 2020 - Ark Encounter Update

Bianco Tours has scheduled 2 buses for the Ark Encounter departing on May 14th. They are taking reservations from several churches and senior centers to fill the buses. At this point, one bus is filled. **Reservations need to be made immediately** because space on the second bus is filling up quickly. If you're interested in taking this trip, **Send** 



in your reservation deposit of \$20 per person NOW. Please call Pat Ayland (313 441 3355) or the church office with questions.

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Sincerely,
SaTrice Coleman-Betts, Executive Director
St. Patrick Senior Center, Inc. Detroit, MI

#### **2019 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENT REQUEST**

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Mary Nezdropa

Tim Nolan

John O'Neill

Ed Schuler

Rose Sica

Bobbie Sobieraj

Bill Stachulski

Andric Viloria

Jim Weeks

John Witalec, OFS

Josh Wolak

Bernice Ziaja

Father, we lift up all those who are facing illness today. We ask that you would bring healing, comfort and peace to their bodies. Calm their fears and let them experience the healing power of Your love! In Jesus' name, Amen!



#### I AM A CHILD IN CHURCH

I do not contemplate theology in silence
I rarely enjoy stillness
I cannot practice total obedience

I am not satisfied only with what's right in front of me

#### INSTEAD, I LEARN MY FAITH

from copying the clergy's footsteps from seeing the icons on the other side <u>again</u> from joining the festal shouts, even when there are none

#### BUT MOST OF ALL

from the affection of my family and the love and understanding of my parish family and from the unending forgiveness for my mistakes.

#### LET ME WORSHIP

with all my senses, singing and exalting Him above all forever.



### Around the Vicariate

#### ST. ANSELM

**School Open House:** Sunday, January 26<sup>th</sup> 1-3 PM Preschool 3, Preschool 4, Kindergarten through 8<sup>th</sup> Grade.

#### **DIVINE CHILD**

Elementary & High School Open House: Sunday, January 26<sup>th</sup> 1-3:30 PM

#### **SACRED HEART**

**Early Childhood Information Night:** Thursday, January 23<sup>rd</sup> 6:30 PM in the school. Contact Gary Yee, principal at 313-561-9192 or <u>principal@shparish.org</u> for more information. **School Open House & Book Fair:** Sunday, January 26<sup>th</sup> 12:30 PM. Contact Gary Yee, principal at 313-561-9192 or <u>principal@shparish.org</u> for more information.

#### What <u>IS</u> going on at our Southern Border?

We INVITE you to join PAX CHRISTI of Ss. Simon & Jude on **Friday**, **January 31, 2020**, **at 6:30 PM**. for a program on Immigration.

At this program two women who have recently returned from the border will share their FIRST HAND observations of "What IS going on at our Southern Border?"

#### KIM REDIGAN and MARY HANNA

There will be a Q&A period. Refreshments will be served. A Basket will be available for a Free Will Offering.

Ss. Simon & Jude is located at: 32500 Palmer Rd., Westland MI 48186 (between Merriman and Venoy) <a href="https://www.stssimonandjude.com/">https://www.stssimonandjude.com/</a>

#### Readings for the week of January 19, 2020

**Sunday:** Is 49:3, 5-6/Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8 -9, 10 [8a, 9a]/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34 **Monday:** 1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23 [23b]/Mk 2:18-

**Tuesday:** 1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28 [21a]/Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10 [1]/Mk 3:1-6
Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps
56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13 [5b]/Mk

3:7-12

Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6

and 11 [2a]/Mk 3:13-19

**Saturday:** Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2 [Mk 16:15]/Mk

16:15-18

**Next Sunday:** Is 8:23.-.9:3/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 [1a]/1 Cor 1:10 -13, 17/Mt

4:12-23 or 4:12-17



# JANUARY FOOD PANTRY ITEMS



#### LITURGY SCHEDULE JANUARY 25<sup>TH</sup> & JANUARY 26<sup>TH</sup> 4:00 PM 9:00 AM 11:00 AM Fr. Kerner Fr. Kerner Fr. Kerner Celebrant Reader Frank DeMilde Carol Kulwicki Barbara Hartman 1-Nina Cataldo Ciborium 1-Betty DeMilde 1-Steve Perry 2-Nicoleta Uicker 2-Hannah Bailey 2-Janeen Bodary 3-Therese Terns 3-Mary Below 3-Margaret Skora 4-Dominic Tramontana 4-Jo-Ann Curtis 4-Sarah Renshaw **Altar Servers** Alina U. Tyler H. Katelyn D. Marie S. Maximillian O. Pam Lewis

Nancy Coyne



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#### **DOLORES STUS**

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May the souls of all the faithful departed, Through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen



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Meet two of Our Seminarians

**PRAYER FOR SEMINARIANS** 



Matthew Kurt Pre-Theology II St. Thomas a Becket,

Oh God, hear our prayer for the men you have chosen to follow in your Son's footsteps. Teach them humility and fidelity to unselfishly help others. May their devotion to Our Blessed Mother, Queen of Vocations increase, enabling them to do your will. Amen.

http://aprayerforseminarians.com/oracions/



Ron Landelius

#### **CHURCH EVENTS**

Adoration - Tuesdays

RCIA - Wednesday, Jan 22<sup>nd</sup>, 7 PM
At Sacred Heart

Seniors - Thursdays 11 AM

Catholic Bible College Thursday, Jan 23<sup>rd</sup>, 7 PM - 9 PM

Charismatic Prayer Mtg.-Fridays, 6:30 PM

Faith Formation
Saturday, Jan 25<sup>th,</sup> 4 PM - 6 PM

AA - Sunday 2 PM, Tuesday 7 PM & Fridays, 8 PM

**Nicholas Black Elk Kateri Circle** 2<sup>nd</sup> Wed. of the month, 7 PM

## **Armed Forces**

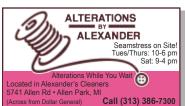
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#### **STEWARDSHIP**

January 1	2 <sup>th</sup>		Week 28
		Current	Year to Date
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