



St. Kateri Catholic Church

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JUNE 20, 2021

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday thru Friday:

9:00 AM - Noon and 1:00 - 4:30 PM

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 9:00 & 11:00 AM

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

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

Open weekends before and after Masses



God and Father of all creation,
we come before you today with humble hearts.

You are our model of a loving father.

When we fail and fall short of your expectations,
you are always there at the end of the day with open arms,
ready to heal the cuts and scrapes of the day
and to encourage us to try again and not to give up.

We hold up these men in our midst who act in the world
as fathers to their children or models of fathers for others.

Bless them in their moments of doubt
and frustration with their children.

Give them warm and open hearts to forgive failures.

Provide them with the words needed for
encouragement and perseverance.

We ask all this in the name of Jesus.

Amen.



Sunday WELCOME BACK!

Pancake Breakfast

From 10AM
until 1 PM

Sausages and Pancakes

A free will offering of your appreciation will be gratefully accepted.

JUNE

PRAYER LIST

Norma Bak	Gloria Koss
Ana Bautista	Fran LaMacchia
Edgar Bautista	Bryan Ludlow
Miguel Bautista	Pat Mazzola
Lea Berta	Perla Moss
Rose Brunetti	Perla Navarro
Elaine Bucholtz	Peter Nolan
Angela Burger	Timothy Nolan
Maria Caretti	Patricia O'Daniel
Rachel Clark	Kevin O'Day
Simon Croke	Dorothy Pakron
Bob Fulkerson	Sidney Saynor
Fran Galer	Julia Smith
Beverly Hanson	Michelle Smith
Dolores Hnot	Deborah Stoner
Mary Hodak	Fr. Mathias Thelen
Emily Hudson	Dennis Tymosko
Logan Hudson	Marc Wais
Chris Kanai	Michael Ward
Joann King	Jim Weeks



St. Kateri, maiden so pure, Christian so faithful, lover so kind, we call on you, with faith and hope, to intercede with our Lord Jesus to bring physical, emotional and spiritual healing to our friends.

We believe that Jesus heals. We believe that Jesus wants good things for us. And so we make our prayer with the confidence and the fervent expectation that something wondrous, something powerful, something life-giving will happen.

Inspire us to believe as you have believed to the presence and the power of Our Lord. Amen.

Peter's Pence Collection
Be a Witness of
Charity

Next week June 26th & 27th

we will take up the Peter's Pence Collection, which unites us and Catholics around the world more closely with the Holy Father in two ways: it supports the structures of the Holy See through which the Pope governs the Church as well as his charitable efforts to assist victims of war, oppression, natural disasters, and others most in need. Please be generous. For more information, visit <http://www.peterspence.va/en.html>.

In Ordinary Time, we remember that God can do *extraordinary* things through ordinary people and events!



QUOTES ON DADS

Dads share wisdom with their children in the hopes they spread it throughout the world.

Even the best dads make mistakes. But there is no mistaking their love for their children.

Catholic Services Appeal (CSA) 2021

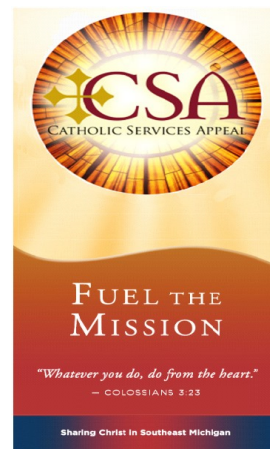
Please consider making a gift to this year's CSA Appeal.

Your generous support of our mission will enable us to respond to the needs of our communities, especially during these challenging times, and continue the work of Christ to bring people of Southeast Michigan hope that does not disappoint.

If you are new parishioners or visitors or have lost your CSA pledge card there are additional cards in the pews.

Your CSA pledge card can be sent to the office or drop it off in the offertory basket.

Checks can be made out to St. Kateri – CSA.
Your generous support is greatly appreciated.



LITURGY LINK

In the Prayers of the Faithful, we offer prayers to God for the salvation of all. How do we respond to each of those prayers?

FAMILY CHALLENGE

Write out the verse from Isaiah 41:10 and place it in a spot that will be a daily reminder for your family to trust God in times of fear: "Do not fear: I am with you: do not be anxious: I am your God. I will strengthen you, I will help you, I will uphold you with y victorious right hand" – Isaiah 41: 10.

FUN FACTS!

The Sea of Galilee's location makes it subject to sudden and violent storms as the wind comes over the eastern mountains and drops suddenly onto the sea, which is 700 feet below sea level. Storms are especially likely when an east wind blows cool air over the warm air that covers the sea. The cold air (being heavier) drops as the warm air rises. This sudden change can produce surprisingly furious storms in a short time, just as it did in Jesus' day.

GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

As we look at our lives and world events, do we ever find ourselves wondering if God is sleeping? After all, maybe God's patient, unconditional love has run its course and He is finally fed up with humanity's reluctance to accept the truth about who we are. God really can't be that patient! All throughout human history, many have prayed to God for intervention or for particular needs. Because their prayers were not answered in the way they wanted or anticipated, they felt that God may have abandoned them. Were they right? It seems that we are continuing, at a rapid rate, down a path of destruction. Do you not care, God, that we may be perishing? When the boats of our lives are rocking and the seas tumultuous, we want to know that we have God's attention. Even more so, we want God's intervention.

Maybe the storms and the waves are necessary. If we listen, they can teach us valuable lessons. Without them, we would never learn that we have the strength to endure, understand the uselessness of fear and worry, or develop the ability to really trust. If God immediately rushed in and simply calmed things down before they got difficult, what good would that really be?



We would miss opportunities to learn how to drink more deeply of life, treasure its complexity, irony, and beauty and fully engage ourselves in surrendering to the love of our Creator. It is easy to walk on the surface of life without immersing ourselves in its messiness. Life has to burn its way through us in order to bring us to a place of secure trust. It's unfortunate that some prefer a shallower journey.

That's the balancing act that comes with faith. It is not God's job to prevent us from encountering the torrential rains and winds of life. Many believe that if faith is done the right way, that God will provide for smooth sailing. That's not how it works. God permits us to ride out the difficult stuff knowing that the storm will eventually be calmed. Do we not have faith that God will do this? True faith trusts in the

steadfastness of God's love when the seas are calm and when they are choppy. God's unconditional loving presence shines through all of it and endures forever. Knowing this allows us to put our boats out into uncharted waters without hesitation. Knowing that we prefer the comfort and safety of what we know to be still waters, how do we feel when Jesus says, "Let us cross to the other side"?

INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

Do we trust that God will take care of us and has things under control? When life gets difficult, shaky or painful, we may find ourselves wondering what we may have done to deserve this fate. Often, we go to great lengths to explain suffering away, as if it has no purpose and ought not to exist. In an attempt to get God on our side in our battle against suffering, our prayer can mirror a question asked by the disciples: do you not care that we are perishing? As we are asking that question of God, God is asking of us: do you not yet have faith? It is for certain that God does not intentionally inflict pain upon us. God has no sinister plot to test our faith or trip us up. Rather, the unconditional, restorative and rejuvenating power of God's love can bring light out of the greatest darkness and gives hope in the midst of deep despair. We have to be patient and ride out the storm. It is our task to deepen our faith that God will calm the wind and draw meaning out of that which seems senseless.

REFLECT AND RESPOND TO SCRIPTURE

First Reading:

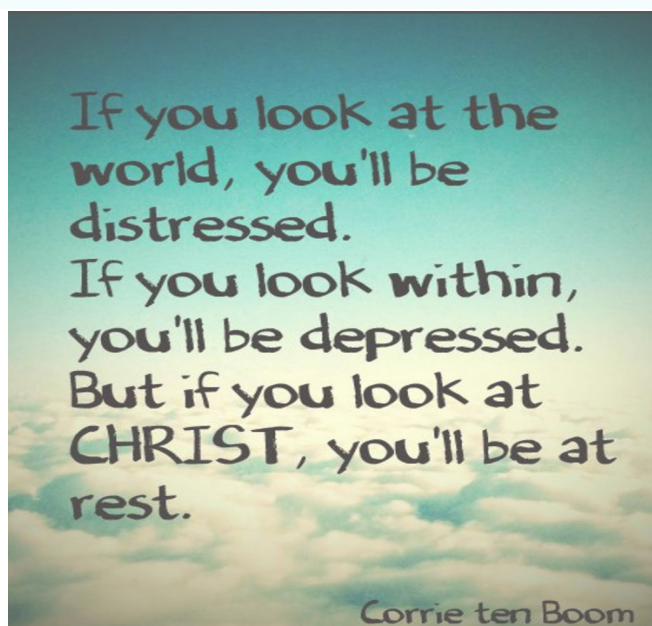
Much of the book of Job addresses the mystery of suffering and God's role in human affairs. Today we hear part of God's response to Job's questioning with images of the sea and raging waters, representing God's power and omniscience. **What helps remind you it is God who governs the universe with purpose & fidelity?**

Second Reading:

Paul encouraged the Corinthians to have the conviction of faith that since Christ died for all, believers should now live for him. In doing so, we become a "new creation." **How have you seen this happen in your life as a person of faith?**

Gospel:

Early in their following of Jesus, the disciples' witness of the miracle of Jesus calming the storm at sea led them to ask: "Who then is this whom even wind and sea obey?" **How would you explain to others who wonder about the divinity of Jesus?**



HISTORIC CHURCHES PILGRIMAGE

Nativity of St. John the Baptist Feast Day Detroit Historic Churches

On Thursday, June 24, you are welcome to join *Prayer Pilgrimages* as we are planning to visit, with private prayer time, the following churches: St. John the Baptist Ukrainian, St. Hedwig, St. Francis, Basilica of Ste. Anne de Detroit, Most Holy Redeemer, and St. Joseph Shrine with opening 8 AM Holy Mass. Scheduled deluxe motorcoach local pickups from Ss. Cyril & Methodius Parish Center in Sterling Heights (7 AM departure, 6 PM return), Levagood Park in Dearborn (7 AM departure, 6 PM return), & St. Joseph Shrine in Detroit (9 PM departure, 5:15 PM return). Total cost per person is \$40 (with lunch on your own in Mexicantown). To reserve and/or more information: Michael Semaan at (248) 250-6005 or www.prayerpilgrimages.com.

WAKING GOD

A show of hands, ladies and gentlemen. Have any of you been given the silent treatment and had absolutely no idea why?

On the flipside, have any of you have sworn you're not going to demean yourself by explaining, for the thousandth time, that you need extra help with the kids before soccer practice, or that you feel ignored when your spouse doesn't ask how your day went?

But sadly, love doesn't give you the ability to read minds. And in the end, we learn the lesson again and again, we have to verbalize our feelings, our needs, our wants. Expecting your partner to anticipate your needs is guaranteed to end badly.

It's the same with God, even though, oddly enough, He *does* have the ability to read minds. But He still desires us to explain ourselves to Him, doesn't He? "I'm feeling scared of this." "I'm really worried about that." "God, I think I need x, y and z. Help me. Please."

Jesus slept on that boat, as it was tossed and turned by the waves, until his disciples woke him. "Why were you sleeping?" they ask. Well, geniuses, he was sleeping because they hadn't woken him up yet. They had wasted time cowering in fear, waiting for him to act. They gave him the silent treatment and they didn't even know it.

God doesn't desire us to verbalize our needs as a way of keeping us submissive. He's not that petty. What He desires is the communication — that's what really counts. That act of opening yourself up, of becoming vulnerable, of relying on Him, trusting Him. If it feels like God is asleep in your life, ask yourself this, have you tried waking Him up?

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

He woke up, rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Quiet! Be still!" The wind ceased and there was great calm. Then he asked them, "Why are you terrified?"

Do you not yet have faith?" — Mk 4:39-40

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD



Tuesday, June 22nd

St. Paulinus of Nola, Bishop; Sts. John Fisher, Bishop, & Thomas More, Martyrs

6:40 PM

- Mary Frances, Special Intention (by Doina)
- † Gino DeSantis (by Ellie & Stan)

Wednesday, June 23rd

9:00 AM

- Professor Mrvka, Special Intention (by Doina)
- † Helen Wexel (by Family)

Thursday, June 24th

The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

9:00 AM

- † Theresa Bazner (by Bonnie & Joe Rogala)

Friday, June 25th

9:00 AM

- Wais Family, Health & Healing (by Gloria Koss)

Saturday, June 26th

4:00 PM

- † Sandy Gaber (by Elizabeth Richko)
- † Jim Shepard (by Mary & Matt Masley)
- † Greg Schimizzi (by John Urbani)
- † Rosy Sica (by Linda & Michael Magnone)

Sunday, June 27th

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 AM

- † Dennis Drugacz (by Family)
- † Sanford Oudersluys (by Drugacz Family)
- † Sara Stuk (by Family)

11:00 AM

- † Carliloso T. Anasco (by Family)
- † Mary DePoli (by Chiarello Family)
- † John Hartman (by Amy & Mark Catallo)
- † Joan Pryce (by Ellie & Stan Sajewski)

Pray for our Military

Lord, please hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless act they perform for us in our time of need. We ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. Amen

<p>U. S. Air Force Diamond Knight Kathleen Lyons Teresa Lyons Timothy Lyons Connor Plate</p>	<p>U. S. Army Nick Calvas Dalton Evans Adam Schneider U. S. Marines Anthony P. Alfano Louis J. Bardel Lukas Boudreau Connor Danaher Haley Valentine Joseph R. Walker</p>	<p>U. S. Navy Brendan Burns Conor Burns James Donahue Ben LePage James Smith Rob Swales</p>
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Attention students! Dearborn Public Schools will be distributing meals every Thursday from 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Dearborn, Edsel Ford, or Fordson high schools. This student food distribution program will continue through August 12. See link below for more information.
<https://www.wxyz.com/news/dearborn-public-schools-to-offer-free-meals-to-students-over-the-summer>

St. Kateri Gift and Book Shop

Does your garden need a little inspiration? We have ordered new religious garden flags and small shrines with images of the Blessed Mother and the Saints. The flags will be in the store by **June 5th**. They are quite unique and attractive.

In the meantime, you are always welcome to stop by and browse our selection of cards, gifts and sacramentals. Looking forward to seeing you again now that things are getting back to normal! Thank you for your ongoing support.



POP IT SAVE IT

Place tabs in a plastic bag and deposit in the collection basket or drop off at the parish office.



Readings for the Week

Sunday: Jb 38:1, 8-11/ Ps 107:23-24, 25-26, 28-29, 30-31 [1b]/2 Cor 5:14-17/Mk 4:35-41

Monday: Gn 12:1-9/Ps 33:12-13, 18-19, 20 and 22 [12]/Mt 7:1-5

Tuesday: Gn 13:2, 5-18/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5 [1b]/Mt 7:6, 12-14

Wednesday: Gn 15:1-12, 17-18/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9 [8a]/Mt 7:15-20

Thursday: Vigil: Jer 1:4-10/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15, 17 [6b]/1 Pt 1:8-12/Lk 1:5-17 Day: Is 49:1-6/Ps 139:1-3, 13-14, 14-15 [14a]/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80

Friday: Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 [4]/Mt 8:1-4

Saturday: Gn 18:1-15/Lk 1:46-47, 48-49, 50 and 53, 54-55 [cf. 54b]/Mt 8:5-17

Next Sunday: Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11, 12, 13 [2a]/2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15/Mk 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b-43

St. Vincent de Paul

Food Pantry
St. Maria Goretti Food Pantry

- *Tomato Sauce
- *Stove Top Stuffing
- *Sweet Potatoes
- *Bagged Flavored Instant Potatoes
- *Au gratin / Scalloped Potato Boxes
- *Laundry Soap




As always we are so pleased with you wonderful people coming and dropping off food and whatever is needed. God bless you all. Remember, we feed

The generous will be blessed, for they share their food with the poor.
 Proverbs 22:9

MEALS ON WHEELS VOLUNTEER DRIVERS NEEDED IMMEDIATELY

Drivers deliver nutritious meals to homebound seniors in their community. Volunteer Drivers may commit to one or more days per week. Meals are delivered Monday through Friday between the hours of 9:00am and 1:00pm. Applicant must have a valid driver's license, reliable transportation and pass a background check. Mileage reimbursement paid for delivery route.

Please contact Wayne County Senior Services
 734-326-5341 or 734-326-4401




He died last fry day. Thank God he wasn't beaten. Don't worry, he went over easy. He's now on the sunny side. He's definitely in a better plate.

STEWARDSHIP

	June 13 th	Week 48
	Current	Year to Date
Budget	\$ 6,700.00	\$ 335,000.00
Current	\$ 11,194.40	\$ 320,255.40
Variance	\$ 4,494.40	\$ (14,744.60)


We appreciate all those who continue to support our parish. Your envelope can be mailed, put in the offertory, or dropped off at the parish office.

ST. KATERI'S DIAPER & WIPES DRIVE CONTINUES

Any brand of diaper, **SIZE 3 OR LARGER, INCLUDING PULL-UPS** are needed. Any brand of wipes needed.

Plastic containers, near the entrances of church, will be available through the rest of June. Thank you for your generosity in supporting the Lennon Center, a Pro-Life ministry.

For more information contact Katherine Quintana at 313-530-1552 or Dcn. Tom Leonard at the parish, or cell: 313-995-6789.



Thank You For joining Us at Mass

LET'S KEEP IN TOUCH!

No matter what your personal history, age background, race, or color, no matter what your self-image or esteem, you are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved and respected at St. Kateri Tekakwitha Church.

Name _____

Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Yes! I am interested in becoming a member.