



St. Kateri Catholic Church

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AUGUST 8, 2021

NINETEENTH 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

THE **7**UPS OF LIFE

Wake UP Decide to have a good day. “This is the day the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it.”

Dress UP The best way to dress up is to put on a smile on your face and in your heart. Remember, man usually looks at outward appearance, but the Lord looks at the heart.

Shut UP Say nice things and learn to listen. God gave us two ears and one mouth. He must have meant for us to do twice as much listening as talking.

Stand UP Look at your cherished ideals and opportunities to do good. If you don't stand up for something you will fall for anything.

Look UP Reach for the Lord. Remember, you can do everything through Christ who strengthens you.

Reach UP Make something higher your goal. Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not unto your own understanding.

Lift UP Do this through your prayers. Do not worry about anything; instead, pray about everything.

AUGUST

PRAYER LIST

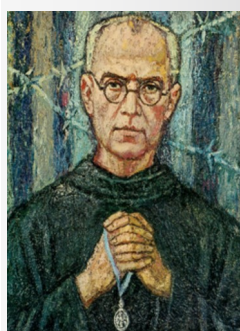
Norma Bak	Fran LaMacchia
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Miguel Bautista	Pat Mazzola
Lea Berta	Sergio Mazzola
Rose Brunetti	Perla Moss
Angela Burger	Perla Navarro
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Rachel Clark	Timothy Nolan
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Bob Fulkerson	Dorothy Pakron
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Dolores Hnot	Dennis Tymosko
Mary Hodak	Marc Wais
Emily Hudson	Michael Ward
Logan Hudson	Jim Weeks
Austin Johnson	
Joann King	



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.



St. Maximilian Kolbe was born in Poland and was a Franciscan. He founded the Immaculata Movement devoted to Our Lady.

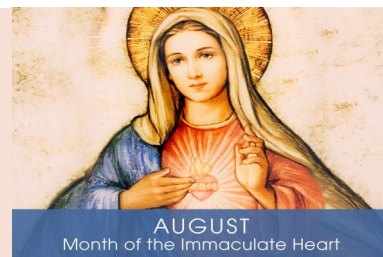
While imprisoned by the Nazis, ten men were chosen to die in reprisal for a prisoner escape.

He offered himself in place of a young husband and father. He was the last of the ten to die after enduring two weeks of starvation, thirst and neglect.

Patron: of drug addicts, prisoners, families, & the pro-life movement

Feast day: Aug 14

Devotion to Our Lady's Immaculate Heart is one of the most beloved Marian devotions for Catholics. The devotion rose to a new level after the apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima, when Mary revealed an image of her Immaculate Heart to Lucia, Jacinta, and Francisco at Fatima, Portugal.



AUGUST
Month of the Immaculate Heart

When you carry a **ROSARY**, *satan* has a Headache.

When you use **IT**, he Collapses.

When he sees you praying **IT**, he faints.

Let us pray the **ROSARY** every time, So that he'll keep fainting.



Please join us on Monday evenings at 6 PM at the Blessed Mother's Shrine (behind the church) to say the Rosary.

You may wish to bring a chair if you need to be seated.



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MAJOR SEMINARY

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SUNDAYS



LITURGY LINK

What gesture do we do before we receive the Eucharist? a) bow, b) genuflect, c) make the Sign of the Cross, or d) trace the Sign of the Cross on our heads, lips, and heart. Why is this gesture important?

FAMILY CHALLENGE

Learn more about your ancestors this week and resolve to pray for these family members each day.

FUN FACTS!

Bubbles were added into the National Toy Hall of Fame in 2014!

GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

The lens through which we view life makes a difference. It also determines who we choose to learn from and what we allow to shape our thoughts and feelings. For many, life is simply what it appears to be, a given that either through evolution or some other means just came to be. There is no apparent rhyme or reason to things and things can be dissected and understood only in terms of what they empirically present. To the person using this lens, a tree is a tree and a flower is a flower. Their composition and existence can be understood only to the extent that current human knowledge allows. Through this lens, what gives life purpose and meaning? This lens has an essentially unknown beginning and definite end. Once those are accepted, the middle becomes some kind of pursuit of happiness, with values and principles being things that are self-created and found acceptable.

But there is a Divine lens that also exists and deserves mention. It is found when one stumbles upon faith and begins to see things differently. This lens is of God and reveals a Divine Energy and Life that flows through and in all things. Faith then shows us that all that lives come from this one Source of Love. This is the only true lens that can give human beings the purpose and meaning they desperately need. From this perspective, all of life is much more than what is immediately apparent! It now tells and reveals a story about God generous, creative, and unconditional love! The

unfolding of the human story is the unfolding of God's story. What meaning our lives have when they are viewed as a part of God's love affair with humanity! We are indeed special.

The lens of our faith asks us to learn from Jesus Christ. Jesus, as the real Bread of Life, shows us our eternal destiny and completes and frames our lives. It is only in allowing ourselves to be taught by Jesus, that faith, hope, and love take on much greater importance. All the relationships in our lives are now structured and ordered using God's primary commandment of love. Jesus, then, is not just some man who lived at some point in history. Jesus is the incarnate Son of God who shows us the way, the truth, and the life. Using this lens changes things up a great deal. Looking at the creation that surrounds you and the special unique people you love, what is God trying to teach you about His love for you and the eternal life He wants you to have?



REFLECT & RESPOND TO SCRIPTURE

First Reading:

The prophet Elijah was exhausted and literally prayed for death. The Lord answered his prayer by sending Elijah food and drink for strength. **How do you encourage others in your life who are spiritually drained?**

Second Reading:

Paul held Christian communities to very high standards of conduct. **How well do you think your faith community holds to these standards today?**

Gospel:

We hear today John's account of Jesus' rejection by his own people. The Jews struggled to think of Jesus as "the living bread that came down from heaven." **What are some of Jesus' words that challenge you or cause you to struggle?**



"I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world." - Jn 6:51

LIVE THE LITURGY
INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

Are we willing to be taught by God? If we are, then we will begin to see things and make judgments using a Divine lens. Often, we perceive things with purely human eyes and reference points. When we do this, reality can lose its Divine spark and we miss what God is trying to say. When using human eyes exclusively, Jesus is at best perceived simply as a prophet who has some wise things to say. The human element has a difficult time seeing Jesus' divinity and recognizing him as the Bread of Life that comes down from heaven. We can easily get stuck on Jesus' human associations and overlook the marvelous wonders God wants us to see. If we really allow ourselves to be taught by God, we will then come to see the truth about Jesus and the abundant everlasting life God offers. Jesus becomes the key that unlocks all of our relationships: with God, others, ourselves, and creation. He, as the true and lasting bread from heaven, shows us the gifts of faith, hope, and love that God bestows on us. Through this divine lens we see that all life sparkles and glows with God's love.

Answer for Trivia on page 5: d



RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

What's Your Hearth Cake?

"Get up and eat, or the journey will be too much for you." I've been to a lot of meetings in my years of work in the Church, and you can take my word for it: the ones with snacks just seem to go better.

I don't know what it is exactly. Maybe it's just that people are in a more agreeable mood if you show up with donuts. Or maybe it's about the very real sense of community and camaraderie that is created at a table where people are engaging in that most human of tasks — eating — beside one another. I think a big part of it comes down to the simple fact that we're all just nicer people when we're fed.

This rings true spiritually, too. We simply must remain fed if we, in turn, are to feed others. Think of a time when you have neglected your relationship with God — when you haven't fed yourself with whatever it is that you need to remain committed to the journey of a Christian life. Is it Mass attendance? Is it prayer or Scripture reading? Is it time with your small group, or conversation with a trusted friend who knows your soul? What sustains your ability to be a good disciple, a good steward? What inspires you to give more freely, to love more abundantly?

Whatever it is, that's your hearth cake. That's your jug of water. Don't neglect it. The Angel of the Lord is nudging you in your sleep: "Get up and eat, or the journey will be too much for you."

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

LECTOR SCHEDULE

WEEKEND OF AUG 14 – Aug 15

Saturday, August 14, 4:00PM

Larry Winey

Sunday, August 15, 9:00AM

Lynette Downey

Sunday, August 15, 11:00AM

Pam Lewis



All trained & qualified Eucharistic Ministers, regardless of your parish, are welcome to serve Holy Communion at St. Kateri. Father needs three EMs at each Mass for the Precious Body.

Please come forward during the greeting of peace if you wish to serve. Your generosity in this ministry is much appreciated.

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

U. S. Air Force

Diamond Knight
Kathleen Lyons
Teresa Lyons
Timothy Lyons
Connor Plate

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

U. S. Navy

Brendan Burns
Conor Burns
James Donahue
Ben LePage
James Smith
Rob Swales



Tuesday, August 10th

St. Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr

6:40 PM

† Kenneth Kruse (by Family)

Wednesday, August 11th

St. Clare, Virgin

9:00 AM

- Andrea Hilt, Health & Healing
(by Annette Comstock)

Thursday, August 12th

St. Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious

9:00 AM

† Lottie & Ed Witkowski
(by Family)

Friday, August 13th

Sts. Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus, Priest, Martyrs

9:00 AM

† Joe Orlando (by Family)

Saturday, August 14th

St. Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr

4:00 PM

† Maria Natividad Benitez
(by Family)
† Marie & Angus MacPhal
(by Frank Tylutki)
† Donald Mouchet
(by Margarita Mouchet)
† Carmen & Paul Saliba
(by Family)

Sunday, August 15th

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9:00 AM

† Ronald Leonetti (by Brother)
† Greg Schimizzi
(by Ernestine Stranges)
† David Schlaff
(by Barbara Schlaff)
† Sylvester Zell (by Zell Family)

11:00 AM

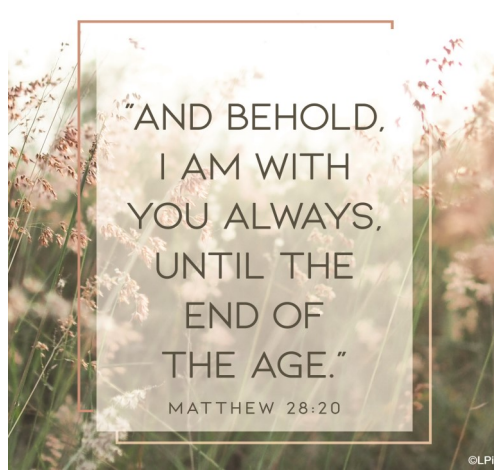
- For the Living Bishops, Priests & Deacons of the Archdiocese
† Lynda Schneider (by Family)



Welcome

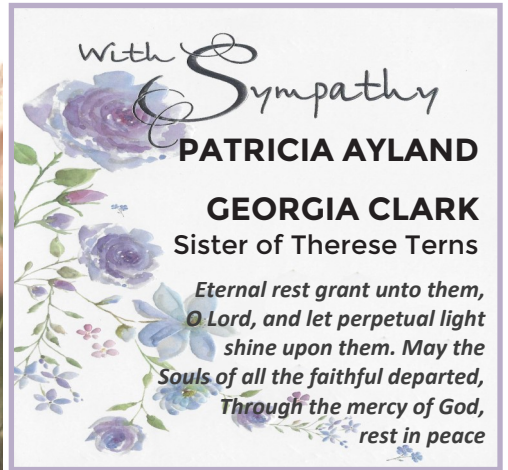
PATRICIA & JOSEPH BOZICH

We are happy to have you join our parish family.



"AND BEHOLD, I AM WITH YOU ALWAYS, UNTIL THE END OF THE AGE."

MATTHEW 28:20



With Sympathy

PATRICIA AYLAND

GEORGIA CLARK
Sister of Therese Terns

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

ST. KATERI GIFT AND BOOK SHOP

We will be open before and after weekend Masses this summer. Feel free to stop by and browse. No charge to explore!

Thank you for your ongoing support.

JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

Are you interested in working in a Pro-life community? The Lennon Pregnancy Center has a JOB OPENING for a Communications/Office Manager. Responsibilities include bi-monthly payroll, basic office duties, and management of all Social Media Platforms. Must be tech savvy, experience with Word and Excel.

Part time: Tues, Thurs, Fri, 9am—4pm
With some work done at home.
Please call 313-277-5637

Readings for the Week

Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:4-8/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [9a]/Eph 4:30—5:2/Jn 6:41-51

Monday: Dt 10:12-22/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20 [12a]/Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday: 2 Cor 9:6-10/Ps 112:1-2, 5-6, 7-8, 9 [5]/Jn 12:24-26

Wednesday: Dt 34:1-12/Ps 66:1-3a, 5 and 8, 16-17 [cf. 20a and 10b]/Mt 18:15-20

Thursday: Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17/Ps 114:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mt 18:21—19:1

Friday: Jos 24:1-13/Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22 and 24/Mt 19:3-12

Saturday: Jos 24:14-29/Ps 16:1-2a, and 5, 7-8, 11 [cf. 5a]/Mt 19:13-15

Next Sunday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2/Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14 [8]/1 Cor 15:54b-57/Lk 11:27-28 Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16 [10bc]/1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56

St. Vincent de Paul

Food Pantry

St. Maria Goretti Food Pantry

- Shampoo and Conditioner
- Bar Soap and Dish Soap
- Regular Pork n Beans
- Ketchup
- Mac n Cheese
- Mayonnaise
- Green Beans
- Progresso Soup
- Cooking Oil

A special Thank You to all of you for remembering your neighbors in need. God bless you all. Remember, we feed our neighbors all year round. Summertime is always a slow time for us receiving food. Please remember us and that we continue the need of monetary donations to help those with financial needs.

WEEKLY OFFERING

	Aug 1 st	Week 5
	Current	Year to Date
Budget	\$ 6,700.00	\$ 33,500.00
Current	\$ 6,263.00	\$ 31,966.00
Variance	\$ (437.00)	\$ (1,534.00)

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.

TRIVIA TIME!

— JUST FOR FUN

Which sacrament makes us members of the Body of Christ?

- Marriage
- Confirmation
- Reconciliation
- Baptism

Answer on page 3

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.