



St. Kateri Catholic Church

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NOVEMBER 14, 2021

THIRTY-THIRD 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



25 October 2021

Reverend Terrence Kerner
St. Kateri Tekakwitha Parish
16101 Rotunda Drive,
Dearborn, MI 48120

Dear Father Kerner,

I would like to thank you very much for your letter received on 23 September, in which you share with me your request to continue your pastoral ministry at St. Kateri Tekakwitha Parish, Dearborn, and be a part of the initial transition to Family of Parishes. I am pleased to honor your request to continue in ministry and I am edified by your desire to remain active in ministry during this stage of your life - particularly as you offer up your share of health challenges. I appreciate your generosity the Lord's flock.

I thank you for your prayers for me. Entrusting you all to the care of the Blessed Virgin Mary, I remain

Fraternally yours in Christ,

The Most Reverend Allen H. Vigneron
Archbishop of Detroit



Our yearly collection for Catholic Charities will be next week (Nov 20th-21st). An envelope is provided in everyone's packet.

November

PRAYER LIST

Erinie Adams	Stan Kozlowski
Norma Bak	Charlotte Lanning
Ana Bautista	Fran LaMacchia
Edgar Bautista	Michael Leonetti
Miguel Bautista	Linda Marcella
Lea Berta	Judith Masley
Rose Brunetti	Sergio Mazzola
Angela Burger	Perla Moss
Vera Ciavaglia	Perla Navarro
Micki Cibor	Peter Nolan
Rachel Clark	Timothy Nolan
Russell Crawford	Kathy Ochs
ason Dehl	Patricia O'Daniel
Joseph Dziedzic, Jr.	Dorothy Pakron
Fabian Esquivel	Leonard Pitek
Bob Fulkerson	Sidney Saynor
Wilmar Good	Deborah Stoner
Mark Grigorian	Dennis Tymosko
Kenneth Hasper	Cathy Vickroy
Dolores Hnot	Marc Wais
Emily Hudson	Michael Ward
Logan Hudson	



St. Kateri Tekakwitha, you experienced pain, sorrow, and hardship in your life. Yet in all things you found joy in believing in Jesus, present to us in the Eucharist and in his love expressed to us on the cross.

Ask Jesus, our loving Savior, to bring healing to those who are heavily burdened. Through your intercession, may this favor be granted if it is according to the will of God, for those named we pray.

By your prayer, help us always to remain faithful to Jesus and to his Holy Church.

Amen



LITURGY LINK

The Memorial Acclamation is said or sung after the priest says, "The mystery of faith." Which of these three options were used at Mass today in your church?

We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection, until you come again.

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.

Save us, Savior of the world, for by our Cross and Resurrection you have set us free.

FAMILY CHALLENGE

St. Roque Gonzalez y de Santa Cruz worked to protect the native people he served from slavery. One of the seven themes of Catholic Social Teaching is to respect the dignity of work and the rights of workers. Resolve to learn one new thing about this aspect of Catholic Social Teaching this week.

FUN FACTS!

Figs blossom on the inside of the fruit so you won't see any blossoms on their branches. In Michigan, fresh figs are in season August through October.

Time to update your contact information

It is time to update your contact information with the parish for our **Guide Book and Directory**. If anything has changed, such as phone number, email address or residence address, please let the parish know by calling

313-336-3227.

If you **DO NOT** wish your information to be published, it is **NECESSARY** that you call to advise the parish.

DEADLINE: Monday, November 22

If you would like to register and have your information in our directory, please fill out the registration form below.



Welcome

To all our visitors today

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

If you would like to become a member of St. Kateri please drop this completed form in the offertory basket.

NEW MEMBER REGISTRATION

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY & ZIP: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

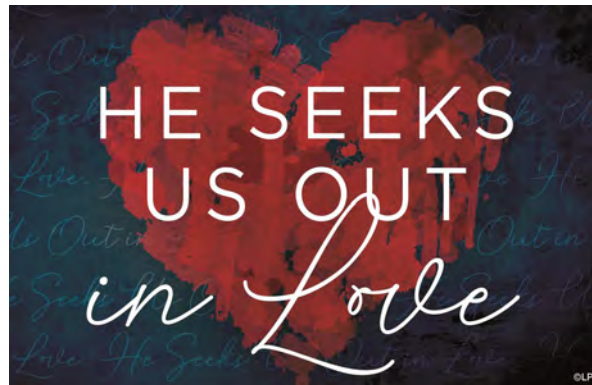
EMAIL: _____

GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

"And then they will see 'the Son of Man coming in the clouds' with great power and glory." Take a moment to ponder these words from today's Gospel. How does this image make you feel? For people to truly understand the significance of this message, something profound has to happen within. If we find ourselves reacting with a sense of dread or fear, we have to step back and ask why. Our answer will reveal a great deal about our relationship with God. It's hard to fall in love with a God of whom we are afraid. God does not want us to be afraid. Nor does He want us to align our wills to His in order to avoid some kind of horrendous eternal consequence. That sounds like too much of a superficial power play on the part of God who continues to seek out His children in love.

In order for these words to carry any type of significant meaning for us, they have to resonate with and touch us on a deeper level. They have to be able to connect some dots and have meaning for us in order for this promise to change our lives. Sometimes we get preoccupied with the uncertainty of our deaths. Not knowing when or how we will eventually die can be unsettling. But, more so than needing an answer to the "when" of death, the "what" of

death answer we provide has more significance. What happens to us when we die? Whether we die during the natural course of our lives or when Christ comes again, the experience is the same. If we believe that we are meant to live in union with God eternally and that death completes and does not diminish us, then it is worth our time and effort to wait in vigilant hope of the Lord's coming in glory. Our journey back to God is something beautiful to be desired, not dreaded or feared.



Sadly, many folks believe that life is no more than a random occurrence without any purposeful direction or meaning. Death is simply death and nothing more. For them, the Second Coming of Christ and God's eternal promise have no meaning. When we understand the truth about who we are, it changes things up. We then can see ourselves as works in progress who have the choice to either resist the inspirations of the Divine

Artist or give into the wonderful creativity of His will. Life awaiting the fullness of Christ to come becomes an unfolding of Divine surprises and abundant joy. God is eternally merciful, forgiving, and welcoming. It is only when we directly reject this gift and turn our backs on Love itself that we have anything to fear.

Trivia answer from page 5:
Original Sin

REFLECT AND RESPOND TO SCRIPTURE

First Reading:

The prophet Daniel foresees a time of "unsurpassed distress" where all receive divine judgement of either everlasting life or everlasting disgrace. **Do thoughts of the end times bring you comfort or concern?**

Second Reading:

The author of Hebrews continues to emphasize Jesus' death as the definitive and final sacrificial offering for sins. **Why do you think this is a central theme in the Letter to the Hebrews?**

Gospel:

Jesus speaks of his Second Coming at the end of time and warns his disciples: "Be watchful! Be alert!" **How are you preparing for judgment day?**

INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

Every human being asks and answers a very important existential question. What happens to us when we die? The answer we provide will determine how we chart the course of our existence. It will also determine whether the Second Coming of Christ will be of any concern to us. For many, life is simply a random occurrence with no significant intention or meaning about it. For these people, their eventual death, and the end of the earth as they know it, have little importance beyond their personal consequences. But, for people of faith our natural death and the Second Coming of Christ have huge implications. It is to these things that our faith speaks volumes and can bring a keen understanding and direction that the secular world simply cannot provide. This is where the call to vigilance and the primordial virtues of faith, hope, and love become useful and meaningful. We are works in progress who can either resist the inspirations of the Divine Artist or give into the wonderful surprising creativity of his will.

Smiling is infectious,
you catch it like the flu,

When someone smiled at me today, I started smiling too.

I passed around the corner and someone saw my grin.

When he smiled I realized I'd passed it on to him.



I thought about that smile, then I realized its worth.

A single smile, just like mine could travel round the earth.

So, if you feel a smile begin, don't leave it undetected.

Let's start an epidemic quick, and get the world infected!



LECTOR SCHEDULE

WEEKEND OF NOV 20 –21

Saturday, Nov 20, 4:00PM

Frank Bonfiglio

Sunday, Nov 21, 9:00AM

Janeen Bodary

Sunday, Nov 21, 11:00 AM

Nina Cataldo


Eucharistic Ministers

All trained and 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.

HOLY HUMOR



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Think
About
It.



ST. KATERI GIFT AND BOOK

SHOP NEWS

November is the month of All Saints and All Souls. To help with your devotion and spiritual practice, the shop carries biographies on the saints, books on spirituality, outdoor cemetery lanterns and candles, chaplets, rosaries, medals and prayer cards.

It seems that stores have already started their Christmas sales this year. We will be putting out our Advent and Christmas merchandise mid November.

The new paper book pocket sized St. Joseph Sunday Missals have arrived. The Missal begins with readings for the new liturgical year on November 28th, the First Sunday of Advent.

Thanks to all those who support our Shop! Sales proceeds go to our Parish and Native American ministries such as the Red Cloud School on the Pine Ridge Lakota Reservation in South Dakota. As Servant of God, Nicholas Black Elk, and the Lakota people say, "Mitakuye Oyasin!" We are all related!



ADVENT WREATH LIGHTING

We are looking for parishioners to light our Advent Wreath at the beginning of our weekend Masses. If you are interested, please return the completed coupon to the parish office.

Name: _____

Phone number: _____

Mass available:

Saturday, Nov. 27th, 4 PM _____Sunday, Nov. 28th, 9 AM _____Sunday, Nov. 28th, 11 AM _____Saturday, Dec. 4th, 4 PM _____Sunday, Dec. 5th, 9 AM _____Sunday, Dec. 5th, 11 AM _____Saturday, Dec. 11th, 4 PM _____Sunday, Dec. 12th, 9 AM _____Sunday, Dec. 12th, 11 AM _____Saturday, Dec. 18th, 4 PM _____Sunday, Dec. 19th, 9 AM _____Sunday, Dec. 19th, 11 AM _____Tuesday, November 16th

St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude, Virgin

6:40 PM

† Carol Jones, Health & Healing
(by Eva Lutz)

Wednesday, November 17th

St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious

9:00 AM

† Josephine DeFilippi
(by Family)

Thursday, November 18th

The Dedication of the Basilicas of Sts. Peter & Paul, Apostles; St. Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin

9:00 AM

† Eric Foss (by Doina)

Friday, November 19th

9:00 AM

† Sara Stuk (by Family)

Saturday, November 20th

4:00 PM

† Health of Michael Leonetti
(by Gloria Koss)

† For the Deceased Bishops,
Priests & Deacons

† Brotherton & Zub Families
(by Family)

† Pat Hannon
(by Dolores Greco)

Sunday, November 21th

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

9:00 AM

† Robert & Richard Gliese
(by Family)

† Greg Schimizzi
(by John Urbani)

† David Schlaff
(by Barbara Schlaff)

11:00 AM

† Scott Roland, Birthday
Blessing (Family)

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† Deacon Robert Herta
(by Fr. Kerner & Parishioners)

† Philip Mruzik
(by Wife & Family)

† Joseph Pulford (by Family)

WEEKLY OFFERING

November 7th	Week 19
Current	Year to Date
Budget \$ 6,700.00	\$ 127,300.00
Current \$ 7,169.00	\$ 119,312.00
Variance \$ 469.00	\$ (7,988.00)

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.



Coming soon

We will be resuming of our "Holiday Mail for Heroes" and the "Giving Tree".

Watch for details.

Looking for some happy elfs to help with these programs.



Rest in Peace

JANE ROBERTS

Wife of Steve Roberts

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.



Lord, hear our prayers those who are serving in our military. Bless and protect them. May they know your presence and our appreciation for their valiant service. through Jesus Christ, our Lord, 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



JUST FOR FUN

Question: What sin does the Sacrament of Baptism remove?

Answer on page 3



Food Pantry

St. Maria Goretti Food Pantry

- Coffee Creamer
- Beef Ramen Noodles
- Spam
- Personal Hygiene: tooth paste, tooth brushes, deodorant, razors, shampoo ect.
- Hamburger Helper
- Instant Oatmeal Packets
- Ravioli



Well, it's almost the holidays. Where did the days go? Please remember us at the pantry as we feed so many of our neighbors in need. Even a small donation can go a long way. Please remember **December 11th** for our **Meijer in Allen Park Simply Give** Program double donation day. This is crucial to our shelves remaining filled. Thank you so much for all you do. Monetary donations are always welcomed and needed as some of our neighbors are homeless. Thank you and God bless you and your families.



At first glance, the weeks' readings leading up to Advent become foreboding, ominous, & even a little depressing. One has to search really hard to find the hope, but it is there. Thanks to the Resurrection, one can always find hope!



CARMELITE SPIRITUALITY
LIVING AT PEACE IN A DISQUIETED WORLD

A FREE ONLINE COURSE
SUNDAY NOVEMBER, 28
- FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24

This short online course aims to introduce students to the history of the Carmelite Order and its unique features.

Register today for free at www.shms.edu/advent



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Are you interested in sharing your faith with the youngest members of our parish? Assistance is needed for our Faith Formation program.

Please contact Grace Lakatos in the parish office for more details.

Faith
FORMATION

Readings for the Week

Sunday: Dn 12:1-3/Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 [1]/Heb 10:11-14, 18/Mk 13:24-32

Monday: 1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63/Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158 [cf. 88]/Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday: 2 Mc 6:18-31/Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [6b]/Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday: 2 Mc 7:1, 20-31/Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b and 15 [15b]/Lk 19:11-28

Thursday: 1 Mc 2:15-29/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15 [23b]/Lk 19:41-44; *Dedication:* Acts 28:11-16, 30-31/ Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43/Mt 14:22-33

Friday: Mc 4:36-37, 52-59/1 Chron 29:10bcd, 11abc, 11d-12a, 12bcd [13b]/Lk 19:45-48

Saturday: 1 Mc 6:1-13/Ps 9:2-3, 4 and 6, 16 and 19 [cf. 16a]/Lk 20:27-40

Next Sunday: Dn 7:13-14/Ps 93:1, 1-2, 5 [1a]/Rv 1:5-8/Jn 18:33b-37