



St. Kateri

CATHOLIC CHURCH



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Welcome! 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 Church.**

MAY 29, 2022

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Prayer for Memorial Day

Dear God, We thank you for the freedom you have given to us, and for the price that was paid by Christ so that we could live free. We remember today. The cost of it all. The great sacrifice for freedom.

We thank you for the brave men and women who have fought, and continue to fight, so courageously for our nation. We ask for your covering and blessing over them and their families. We pray that you would be gracious and encircle them with your peace. We pray for your great favor and goodness to be evident in their lives.

Please be with all those who wear the uniform, who serve our communities and nation every single day. We ask that you provide your protection, that you would be their guiding force who leads the way, and their rear guard who keeps them safe from behind. We ask that you would draw them to yourself amidst the dangers they face in a dark world, for you are the Truth, you are the Way, you are the Light.

(by Debbie McDaniel)



The Parish Office
will be closed
May 30th,
Memorial day.



Memorial Day Mass

9:00am

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PASTOR

Rev. Terrence D. Kerner

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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



Father, You know where deployed service members are today. You know their assignments, their thoughts, their fears. Guard them - body, soul and mind. Draw every one of them close to You as they face intense situations. Be their peace.

U. S. Air Force

Diamond Knight
Kathleen Lyons
Teresa Lyons
Timothy Lyons
Connor Plate

U. S. Navy

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

U. S. Army

Nick Calvas
Mary Beth Myers
Rocky Myers
Adam Schneider

U. S. Marines

Anthony P. Alfano
Louis J. Bardel
Lukas Boudreau
Connor Danaher
Haley Valentine
Joseph R. Walker

MAY

PRAYER LIST

Nina Allam	Elaine Kujansuu
Aurora Balino	Tara Lynch
Fr. Jerry Bechard	Mathias Mangone
Robert Biess	Cass Mastalski
Denise Centi	Dorothy Miller
Micki Cibor	Michael Mountain
Vicki DeMarco	Rick Neveu
Elizabeth Fader	Sandy Roach
Richard Hanks	Antoinette Sobota
Dolores Hnot	Linda Valerio
Stan Kozlowicz	Jacqueline West

*****Please note that the names above will be kept on the list for 2 months and then will be removed. You can call to add or delete a name.**



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.

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



Congratulations

RICK NEVEU

Rick is now a Police Chaplain.

He graduated from the Oakland Police Academy

The Oakland Police Academy is recognized as a leading police training facility in the State of Michigan

Catholic Services Appeal (CSA) 2022

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.

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.



Jesus prayed saying: "Holy Father, I pray not only for them, but also for those who will believe in me through their word, so that they may all be one, as you, Father, are in me and I in you, that they also may be in us, that the world may believe that you sent me." — Jn 17:20-21

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass (©2001, 1998, 1970 CCC)

ST. KATERI GIFT SHOP NEWS

Spring is the season for many First Communion and Confirmation celebrations. Our shop carries cards and gifts that are appropriate for those occasions.

Planning your summer gardens yet? Check out our new selection of wind chimes. They have become quite popular. Religious themed garden flags and outdoor statues are also available. We can order special items if you do not see what you want in the shop.

**Come in and browse.
It's free!**



ROSARY

MAY THRU OCTOBER

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 lawn chair if you need to be seated.



GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

Unity and diversity can exist together. Our western minds have a grave difficulty seeing unity without conformity. We tend to believe that unless everyone believes the same thing, assents to the same body of truths, styles, and opinions, unity is not possible. Jesus, in today's Gospel, expresses a tenderness and an intimacy that the disciples actually can witness. This same tenderness and love are also reflected in his desire for unity and oneness. Jesus passionately wants all to be one. It is very clear that the success of Jesus' mission and the advance of the Gospel rises or falls with whether this unity is achieved. And it is a unity that is achieved around a person and not particulars.

Our church is extremely divided. These divisions all center on various theologies, philosophies, structures, and styles. We allow these particular concerns and interpretations, valid as many can be, to drive wedges between us and put us at odds with each other. They enrage us and cause us to lash out at other members of the Body of Christ. Differences are bound to exist in any group. We are unique and diverse people. Staunchly clinging to particular agendas and ideologies while waving the "we're right, you're wrong" banner as we forge ahead in battle does little to advance the real mission of Christ. We are perceived as weak, fractioned, self-focused and serving, and lacking empathy and love. How can the work of salvation be accomplished like this? We sacrifice our credibility. For what?

"I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end." These words describe exactly who the glorified Christ really is. Jesus wants us to see this glory! Believe this! This is the unifying principle that draws the Body of Christ together as one, not our particular preferences of worship! We give too much power to our preferences, and all too easily forget that the real mission of Christ is much more than that! If we can work at truly loving each other as members of Christ's Body despite the differences that can so quickly divide us, then maybe we'll be a bit more convincing to those who do not believe. The Risen Christ comes to us through the Eucharist. It doesn't matter where or how. Gather wherever you can and receive. We cannot substitute Jesus' passion with our own. We are one.



GOD'S GAME OF TELEPHONE

You've probably played the game of "pass it on" before, maybe years ago on the playground. It's a simple concept: one person whispers something in another person's ear, and it gets repeated person by person throughout the group, until finally the last one to hear the message has to say it out loud. Whatever ends up being said at the end of the game is usually a far cry from the original statement, and everyone has a good laugh.

As individuals, we don't receive news in the same way. Our personalities, our histories, our weaknesses, and our strengths determine how we interact with information we encounter in the world, both good and bad. One person will interpret a compliment positively; someone else will take offense. One person reacts to news of a job promotion with joy, another is disappointed that now they will have less time with their family. The same news can mean completely different things to different people.

But what God gives us is the truth in love, and the truth in love is the same in every place and in every time, for every person of every race. When Christ prayed to the Father that "the love with which you loved me may be in them," he was asking that the magnificent gift that had been imparted to him would also be imparted to us.

Our job is to play a game of pass it on with this gift of love. How do we keep it from becoming warped? Through remaining committed to the word of God, to the sacraments, and to one another.

In this game, we don't change the message. The message changes us. And we have to give it away to keep it.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

REFLECT AND RESPOND TO SCRIPTURE

First Reading:

In Acts, we are first introduced to Saul (Paul) at the stoning of Stephen, the first recorded Christian martyr. After his conversion, Paul would look back at his persecution of the Church with deep remorse. **How do you deal with regret in your life?**

Second Reading:

We hear today the final vision that John received. **How do you imagine John thought about all the visions he had received from the Lord?**

Gospel:

In his final prayer during the farewell discourse, Jesus speaks about his disciples as the Father's gift to him. **What gifts have God given you?**

JUST A REMINDER!

Season 2, episode 5 and 6 of "The Chosen." will be shown today at 12:15pm. The same episodes will be shown again on Tuesdays at 2:00pm.

Come, relax, be inspired, and join us!



It is through your support that we can continue to minister to our community. Most of us make our Sunday offerings by dropping cash or a check into the collection basket.

Online giving is a simple and secure way to aid our parish.

Go to our parish website at

<https://stkateridearborn.org>

and select Online Giving.

Thank you for your most generous & consistent support.



Tuesday, May 31st

Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
6:40 PM

† **Health of Charlene Gorney**
(by Ellie & Stan Sajewski)

Wednesday, June 1st

St. Justin, Martyr
9:00 AM

† **Russell Crawford**
(by Sharon Bretz)

Thursday, June 2nd

Sts. Marcellinus and Peter, Martyrs
9:00 AM

† **Leonard Kwiecinski**
(by Colette Alanis)

Friday, June 3rd

St. Charles Lwanga & Companions, Martyrs
9:00 AM

† **Deceased Members of the Bazner & Slowik Families**
(by Family)

† **Anna Bellissimo**
(by Family)

Saturday, June 4th

4:00 PM
† **Stella Barszcz** (by Family)

† **Maria & Juan Benitez**
(by Family)

† **Joseph Gasidlo**
(by Mary Brotherton)

† **Fran LaMacchia**
(by Carrie Conn & Family)

† **Jeanette & Cris Tonilas**
(by Family)

Sunday, June 5th

Pentecost Sunday; St. Boniface, Bishop and Martyr
9:00 AM

† **Richard Stepien**
(by Cindy Nepjuk)

† **Deborah Stoner**
(by Eileen Stoner)

† **Paul Sullivan** (by Kathy)

11:00 AM

† **Elena Dedeco**
(by Daughter Rose)

† **Janina Hejka** (by Janice Gaynor)

† **Ann Paolini**
(by Torri & Dan Dunne)

† **Joseph Pulford** (by Family)

LECTURE SCHEDULE

WEEKEND OF JUNE 4-5

Saturday, June 4th, 4:00PM

Theresa Terns

Sunday, June 5th, 9:00AM

Mike Magnone

Sunday, June 5th, 11:00 AM

Nina Cataldo

Summer Concert Series

♪ June ♪

Mary Zelinski, Organ

Tuesday, June 7th at 7:00pm

The New Verse Chamber Ensemble

Classical String Quartet

Tuesday, June 21st at 7:00pm

Sacred Heart Church

22430 Michigan Ave, Dearborn MI

Phone: 313-278-5555

www.shparish.org



ST. ANSELM FESTIVAL

JUNE 3rd
Friday 6PM-11PM

JUNE 4th
Saturday 1PM-11PM

JUNE 5th
Sunday 1PM-9PM

On Outer Drive, One Block N. of Ford Rd.

17700 West Outer Drive, Dearborn Hts, MI 48127 | 313-563-3430

Dear friend of the basilica of Ste. Anne de Detroit:

The community of the Basilica of Ste. Anne de Detroit is looking forward to our parish's signature summer event, **Novena, on July 17 - 20.**

This joyful event has been a tradition at the parish for more than 100 years. Novena is nine days of prayer including daily mass. Each day of prayer has a different theme associated with an ethnic group important to Detroit. On the tenth day, we celebrate the Feast of Ste. Anne. We gather to ask Ste. Anne to pray for our intentions, the intentions of our families, our city, our Archdiocese, and our world. Novena masses and related plaza re-



ceptions will be held in person again this year. I hope that you will find time to join us. If you are unable to attend in person, I invite you to tune in to the livestream. Please mark your calendar and invite your family and friends to come, too. More information about novena can be found at ste-anne.org/events/novena.

Thank you for your consideration. I hope you will join us in our celebration of novena.

Peace,

Msgr. Charles G. Kosanke

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Stewardship Report

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Week Ending May 22, 2022

YEAR TO DATE

OFFERTORY	\$ 5,080.00	\$ 294,180.00
ONLINE GIVING	\$ 260.00	\$ 10,300.00
ACTUAL	\$ 5,340.00	\$ 304,408.00
BUDGET	\$ 6,700.00	\$ 314,900.00
VARIANCE	\$ (1,360.00)	\$ (10,492.00)



Aadhan Iglard Sekar

Son of Sekar Jeyabalan

And Sajitha Sriharan

Brother of Amritha and Sahaana

Baptized on Sunday, May 22, 2022

By Rev. Terrence Kerner

*May the Lord give His angels charge over you,
to guide you in all your ways.*



Antonio's Cucina Italiana

They are celebrating the 29th Annual Feast of St. Antonio on Monday, June 13th by helping those who are less fortunate. Visit any Antonio's location, donate what you can and enjoy a **FREE** lunch from 11am-3pm, with proceeds going to benefit the **Capuchin Soup Kitchen and Gleaners Community Food Bank**. If you prefer, order off the regular priced menu 11am-10pm and a portion of the proceeds will be donated.

Visit www.anthoniosrestaurant.com for additional information.



Marriage Banns II

Kathryn Takach
&

Steven Znoy

Readings for the Week

Sunday: Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/ Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/ Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23/Lk 24:46-53 **Seventh Sunday of Easter:** Acts 7:55-60/Ps 97:1-2, 6-7, 9 [1a, 9a]/Rv 22:12-14, 16-17, 20/Jn 17:20-26

Monday: Acts 19:1-8/Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab/Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6/Lk 1:39-56

Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38/Ps 68:29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab/Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/Jn 17:20-26

Friday: Acts 25:13b-21/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab/Jn 21:15-19

Saturday: Morning: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Ps 11:4, 5 and 7/Jn 21:20-25

Next Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30/ Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39 **Extended Vigil:** Gn 11:1-9/Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b/Ez 37:1-14/Jl 3:1-5/ Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39 **Day:** Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17/Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16,

A 104-year old woman was asked by a reporter, "What do you think is the best thing at 104."



"No peer pressure," she replied.

May 31st



THE Visitation

St. Vincent de Paul



@ St. Maria Goretti

- ◆ Chef Boy R Dee
- ◆ Pancake Mix
- ◆ Sugar
- ◆ Cake Mix & Brownie Mix
- ◆ Frosting
- ◆ Pineapple (can)
- ◆ Spam
- ◆ Mayonnaise
- ◆ Collard Greens
- ◆ Adult Cereal & Kid's Cereal (Please no Cheerio's or Honey Nut)
- ◆ Razors, Shampoo, Toothpaste and Deodorant



TRIVIA

Just for fun

Question: What does the word 'Gospel' mean?

Answer on page 3

I'm Fine Thank You

There is nothing the matter with me I'm as healthy as can be. I have arthritis in both my knees And when I talk, I talk with a wheeze, My pulse is weak and my blood is thin, But I'm awfully well for the shape I'm in.

Arch supports I have for my feet, or I wouldn't be able to go on the street. Sleep is denied me night after night, But every morning I find I'm all right, My memory is failing, my head's in a spin But I'm awfully well for the shape I'm in.

The moral is this - as my tale unfolds, That for you and me who are growing old, It's better to say, "I'm fine" with a grin, Than to let folks know the shape we're in.

By Constance O'Neon

