



# 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.

**JULY 23, 2023**

**SIXTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

**PASTOR**

*Rev. Terrence D. Kerner*

**DEACON**

*Rev. Mr. Thomas Leonard*

**ORGANIST**

Kevin Jakubowicz

**OFFICE STAFF**

Mary Masley & Ellie Sajewski

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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

### ***Saint Kateri Prayer***

*by: Harold Caldwell*

*O Saint Kateri, Lily of the Mohawks,  
your love for Jesus,  
so strong, so steadfast,  
pray that we may become like you.*

*Your short and painful life  
showed us your strength and humility.  
Pray that we may become  
forever humble like you.*

*Like the bright & shining stars at night,  
we pray that your light  
may forever shine down upon us,  
giving light, hope, peacefulness  
and serenity in our darkest moments.*

*Fill our hearts, Saint Kateri Tekakwitha  
with your same love for Jesus  
and pray that we have  
the strength and courage  
to become one like you in heaven.  
Through Christ our Lord.*

*Amen.*



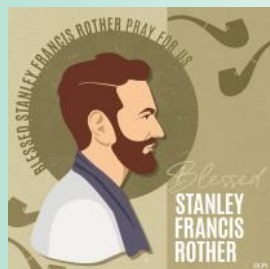
JULY

PRAYER LIST

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|----------------------|---------------------|
| Vincent Alvarado     | Sandy Lucas         |
| Norma Jean Bak       | Kian Lynch          |
| Diane Bartos         | Jay Marshall        |
| Ana Bautista         | Michael Mountain    |
| Irene Bruen          | Anne Munir          |
| Maria Caudillo       | Sean Munir          |
| Chet Ceglaz          | Cynthia Nepjuk      |
| Phil Ciavaglia       | Kevin O'Day         |
| Miguel Jaime Delgado | Judy Opiela         |
| Reina Delgado        | Michael Owen        |
| Ronald Dorogi        | Rosalilia Rosas     |
| Roberta Grosse       | Anthony Rzucidlo    |
| Emily Hudson         | Kim Rzucidlo        |
| Meliton Jaime        | Rose Mary Schimizzi |
| Maryann Jordan       | John Schlaff        |
| Fr. Terry Kerner     | George Sipos        |
| Stan Kozlowicz       | Lottie Surmacz      |
| Michael Leonetti     | Kathryn Syrian      |
|                      | Cathy Vicaroy       |



St. Kateri we call on you, with faith and hope, to intercede with our Lord Jesus to bring physical, emotional and spiritual healing to our friends. Amen



Blessed Stanley Francis Rother spent most of his priestly life serving the Tz'utujil people of Southwest Guatemala, whom he loved. He was shot and killed by non-native guerilla forces in their attempt to terrorize the community. He is the first U.S.-born beatified martyr.

Lector Schedule

WEEKEND OF JULY 29/30

Saturday, July 29<sup>th</sup>, 4:00PM  
Therese Terns

Sunday, July 30<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 AM  
Nancy Coyne

Sunday, 30<sup>th</sup>, 11:00 AM  
Pam Lewis

ST. KATERI  
OUTDOOR ROSARY

All are welcome.  
Mondays  
6:00 PM  
May thru October

Bring a chair if you need to sit.



Trivia Answer from page 5:

Holy Grail

If you need more information on any volunteer activities, please call the office during business hours at 313-336-3227.

Volunteers are very much appreciated at St. Kateri.

Eucharistic Ministers

All trained and qualified Eucharistic Ministers, regardless of your parish, are welcome to serve Holy Communion at St. Kateri. Father needs 3-4 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.

St. Kateri Parish  
Gift and Book Shop

Rosaries, prayer cards, books, Bibles, gifts, jewelry, greeting cards, wind chimes and more...

Open before and after weekend Masses.

Proceeds go to Parish and Red Cloud Indian School.



Don't just ATTEND your church - LOVE your church



Discover Ways To Serve In Our Parish

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PHONE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

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| <input type="checkbox"/> LECTOR             | <input type="checkbox"/> ALTAR SERVERS (ADULT OR CHILD) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> EUCHARIST MINISTER | <input type="checkbox"/> CANTOR OR MUSICIAN             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SACRISTAN/USHER    | <input type="checkbox"/> LIVE STREAM PRODUCER           |

Please check areas of interest, clip, and return to collection areas or to the office.

# All in the Family

St. Alphonsus-St. Clement, St. Barbara, St. Kateri, St. Maria Goretti

## St. Alphonsus Legacy Gardens By Fr. Terry Kerner

Preliminary concept - July 2023

The parking lot upgrade will be the first phase. Please note that the site will not be a public park but rather a reverent space honoring our heritage. Our vision for a Legacy Garden will have fencing and a reasonable setback from sidewalks and streets. As with any property modification, the following summary of details may require limited modification as we proceed. We are committed to provide our parish and community a beautiful, peaceful oasis to celebrate and memorialize our faith and our incredible history.

Inside the garden will be a statue of Our Lady of Fatima and three children. Our Lady of Fatima has a sincere and reverent meaning not just for Catholics but also for our Muslim neighbors.

On the site of the high school will be a memorial to alumni that served in the Armed Forces through the years. Special recognition of the thirty-four alumni

killed in WWII will be honored with pavers along with the 1942 plaque recognizing the first graduation class with alumni serving in WWII. The cornerstone will also have an appropriate setting. Pavers honoring friends and relatives who are veterans will also be available.

On the elementary school site, the Knights of Columbus have committed to erecting a Way of the Cross for a year-round garden for prayer and meditation.

In the same area we intend to place an outdoor statue of St. Clement with appropriate landscaping. On the corner of Gould and Schaefer we expect to have a memorial to the Clergy and the Adrian Dominican Sisters who served through the years. Pavers would be donated in memory of a favorite Priest, Sister, or lay teacher. Initial plans include using the convent entrance statue and as much of the limestone embellishment as possible.

The Legacy Garden, like the parish over the years, will take time to grow as did our parish. Depending on parishioner support and enthusiasm the effort will not take one hundred seventy-one years!



### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD PANTRY THE SIMPLY GIVE PROGRAM MEIJER IN ALLEN PARK

You can go to the Meijer Store on the hill in Allen Park, pick up a **Simply Give** donation card located at every register and donate a **minimum of \$10.00** which Meijer will MATCH.

On **Saturday, Aug. 12<sup>th</sup> & Saturday, Sep. 9<sup>th</sup>** Meijer will **DOUBLE** your donation. Please help us keep our shelves stocked and your neighbors fed throughout the year. We have quite an increase and surely could use your help. This is the time to step up and help our Neighbors In need.

**Thank you. ST. MARIA GORETTI FOOD PANTRY**

**GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE**

**P**atience is rooted in Hope (an image of a bush filled with birds would be great). Life, like the church, is often burdened with evil, smallness, and impurities. The Lord's parables give us a hope-filled perspective on all three.

**E**vil: in Jesus' parable about the good farmer whose enemy plants weeds at night, Jesus tells us that God is not the cause of evil but permits evil to exist with good out of his patient love. He *will* finally deal with it, but his love lets things stay messy for a time.

**S**mallness: It's funny that Jesus says his kingdom looks like ... wait for it ... a bush. What a let-down! Yet this little shrub still somehow has room for all the birds of the sky. The smallness of the Church, and even our own little lives, still provides plenty of room for all whom God sends.

**I**mpurities: divisions and hypocrisies in the Church and our own hearts exasperate us. Recall that Jesus compares his kingdom to a lump of dough with impure leaven eating away at it and therefore making it expand. It's the secret of the Cross. Not how we'd prefer it. But finally, great news.

**T**he field, the bush, the loaf: all three parables invite us to embrace a patience rooted in hope: one day the field will be weeded, the bush filled with birds, and the risen loaf leaven-free.

— *Father John Muir*



**LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK**

When the disciples cannot understand something, they approach Jesus, and beseech him to explain. Let us be this forthcoming when we are discerning the will of God or struggling with a decision. Let us ask him to explain in words we can understand.

**REFLECT AND RESPOND TO SCRIPTURE**

**First Reading:**

Our Jewish wisdom writer describes God as lenient, powerful, and kind.

**What words would you use to describe God?**

**Second Reading:**

Paul encourages the believers in Rome that the Spirit intercedes for us and teaches us what to pray for. **What could you pray for this week?**

**Gospel:**

In the parable of the weeds among the wheat, Jesus speaks privately to his disciples of the presence of the evil one, the devil in this world. **How can we best defend our family and loved ones from evil?**



**Prayer for Increased Faith**

Dear Lord,  
 You say that faith needs only be the size of a mustard seed but even that seems like a lot some days.  
 Increase our faith!  
**Let's move mountains, together.**  
 Amen.

*Mass Intentions*

**Tuesday, July 25<sup>th</sup>**

*St. James, Apostle*

**6:40 PM**

† **Maryann Condon**

(by Helene Uhlmann)

- **Health of John Schlaff**

(by Barbara Schlaff)

**Wednesday, July 26<sup>th</sup>**

*Sts. Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

**9:00 AM**

† **Jeanette & Cris Tonilas**

(by Family)

**Thursday, July 27<sup>th</sup>**

**9:00 AM**

† **Marc Wais** (by Family)

**Friday, July 28<sup>th</sup>**

**9:00 AM**

† **Pat Ayland**

(by Carol McIntosh)

**Saturday, July 29<sup>th</sup>**

*Sts. Martha, Mary and Lazarus*

**4:00 PM**

† **Laurence & Christopher Jordan** (by Family)

† **Deacon Ernest Riopelle** (by Fr. Kerner & Parishioners)

† **Betty Rozich**

(by Denise Rose)

- **Jennie Siwik, Birthday**

**Blessings** (by Gloria Koss)

**Sunday, July 30<sup>th</sup>**

*17<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**9:00 AM**

† **Katherine Buffone**

(by Carol Lawrence)

† **Jennie Cinzori**

(by Arlynn & John Sadowski)

† **Phillip Isgro** (by Family)

† **Bessie Zuzga** (by Family)

**11:00 AM**

† **Maryann Condon**

(by Sandra Mesara)

† **David Doty**

(by The Jakubowicz Family)

† **Joseph Pulford** (by Family)

† **Richard Surmacz**

(by Family)

Stewardship Report

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WEEK ENDING	Jul 16	YEAR TO DATE
OFFERTORY	\$ 5,401.00	\$ 17,041.00
ONLINE GIVING	\$ 720.00	\$ 1,690.00
ACTUAL	\$ 6,121.00	\$ 18,731.00
BUDGET	\$ 6,500.00	\$ 19,500.00
VARIANCE	\$ (379.00)	\$ (769.00)



Rest in Peace

TERESSA TAPLIN

Daughter of Judith Masley  
And sister of Matt Masley

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

A Memorial Mass will be  
scheduled at a later date.



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If life were a  
do-it-yourself  
project,  
God would not  
have left  
instructions.

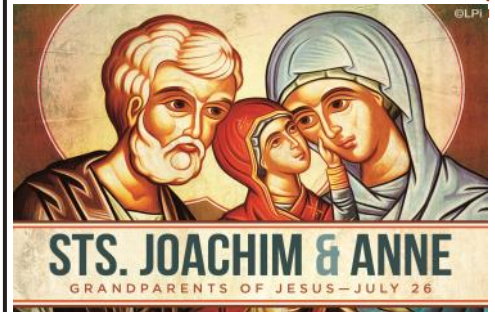
SVDP FOOD PANTRY

@St. Maria Goretti



**Our needs for July:**  
Au Gratin Potatoes  
Canned fruit: peaches, pears,  
pineapple, mixed fruit  
and applesauce  
Canned vegetables  
Chili  
Mac n Cheese  
Pancake syrup  
Collard greens  
Paper towels: NEED BADLY

Most Holy St's Anne & Joachim,  
come close to us and guide our  
hand and our hearts in the way  
of virtue. Help us to parent our  
children and grandchildren with a  
gentle heart as you did. Show us  
how to raise our children in faith  
and bring our families into the  
Light of Jesus.



ST. JOACHIM & ANNE  
GRANDPARENTS OF JESUS - JULY 26

Trivia

Question:

What is the name given to the Chal-  
ice used by Christ at the last supper?

Answer on page 2

Readings for the Week

**Sunday:** Wis 12:13, 16-19/Ps 86:5-6,  
9-10, 15-16 (5a)/Rom 8:26-27/Mt  
13:24-43 or 13:24-30

**Monday:** Ex 14:5-18/Ex 15:1bc-2, 3-  
4, 5-6/Mt 12:38-42

**Tuesday:** 2 Cor 4:7-15/Ps 126:1bc-  
2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6/Mt 20:20-28

**Wednesday:** Ex 16:1-5, 9-15/Ps  
78:18-19, 23-24, 25-26, 27-28/Mt  
13:1-9

**Thursday:** Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b/  
Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56/Mt 13:10-17

**Friday:** Ex 20:1-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10,  
11/Mt 13:18-23

**Saturday:** Ex 24:3-8/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6,  
14-15/Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

**Next Sunday:** 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12/Ps  
119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-128, 129-130  
(97a)/Rom 8:28-30/Mt 13:44-52 or  
13:44-46

Pray for Our Military

Lord, hear our prayers those who are serving in military forces.  
Bless and protect them Lord and use their work for the good of our nation  
and your glory. May they know your presence with them at this time. May  
they know 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  
Mary Beth Myers  
Rocky Myers  
Adam Schneider

U. S. Navy

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

U. S. Marines

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

National Guard (Army)

Joey Enright