# ST. KATERI CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## - SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2023

## 28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Come to the feast." - Mt 22:4bc

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## ST. KATERI PARISH NEEDS YOU!

If you are not already registered here at St. Kateri, please register. Many people think that because they attend a particular parish they automatically belong. Registration is a way to be included in the religious, social, and ministerial activities of your parish. It affects the parish in many ways.

It is very easy to register here at St. Kateri:

- Call to our office (313.336.3227)
- Fill out the form that is in our bulletin every other week and turn it in to a collection box.
- Download the form on our website, fill it in, and mail it.

## TIME TO UPDATE!

If you are registered, now is the time to let us know if there have been any changes to your contact information. We are preparing to submit our annual Guide Book & Directory. Have you changed your phone number? Have you moved? Are you preparing to move soon? Are all of your children still at home and are they all included in your membership record? **Please update your information.** 

	NAME:
2	ADDRESS:
0	CITY & ZIP:
	PHONE NUMBER:

### Saint Kateri Tekakwitha

## OCTOBER PRAYER LIST

Norma Jean Bak Ron Prowse Mary Horton-

Bischoff Phil Ciavaglia Wondella Devers **Emily Hudson** Fr. Terry Kerner Stan Kozlowicz Stanley Lane Sandy Lucas Michael Mountain Helen Szelc Patricia Nowak Carol O'Day Kevin O'Day

Rosalilia Rosas **Kim Rzucidlo** Rose Marv Schimizzi John Schlaff Kelly Sobon Rob Sobon Lottie Surmacz Kathryn Syrian Maria Harkness-Wozniak

#### Dear Jesus.

Divine Physician and Healer of the sick, we turn to you in this time of illness. O dearest comforter of the troubled, alleviate our worry and sorrow with your gentle love, and grant us the grace and strength to accept this burden. Dear God, we place our worries in your hands. We place our sick under your care and humbly ask that you restore your servants to health again. Above all, grant us the grace to acknowledge your will and know that whatever you do, you do for the love of us. AMEN



Saint Rafael Guízar y Valencia was a Catholic bishop who cared for the poor in Mexico. He bravely continued his mission while in exile, in the face of constant life-threating conflicts with the Mexican government.



Registration is ongoing for all children in grades 1 thru 8. Call the St. Kateri Office (313.336.3227) or email: info@stkateridearborn.org.

#### Classes are held at St. Kateri on Mondays from 5:30pm -7:00pm.

During the first hour the children will meet with their teacher while the parents meet with Deacon Tom. All adults are welcome to join us.

The last half hour all will meet with Fr. Kerner as he teaches on the practices of our faith.

On October 16, 2023 the Deacon's topic will be "Breath of God" - How God breathes new life in us by the Holy Spirit.

\_\_\_\_\_ NOVEMBER 11 @ 5:30PM Harvest Dinner

### **DECEMBER 9**

Polish Mass @ 4:00PM

Creche Display and Polish Dinner following Mass \_\_\_\_\_

## WAYS TO GIVE

There are many easy ways for you to give to St. Kateri Church, including one -time gifts, online recurring giving and, of course, at Mass.

Thank you for your financial support of our parish community and its ministries. Our online giving system will allow you to safely give to the parish directly from your bank account or via credit card.

Creating an account will enable you to:

- Save/manage your preferred method of giving
- Make one-time or recurring contributions
- Manage your recurring gifts .
- View your online giving history

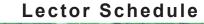
To set up your account go to our website https://stkateridearborn.org and select Online Giving.

## ucharisticMinisters

All trained and gualified Eucharistic Ministers, regardless of your parish, are welcome to serve Holy Communion. 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.

Sunday

MISSION



WEEKEND OF OCT 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>

Saturday, October 21<sup>st</sup> 4:00PM Frank Bonfiglio

Sunday, October 22<sup>nd</sup> 9:00AM Janeen Bodary

Sunday, October 22<sup>nd</sup> 11:00 AM Gloria Koss

Collection next weekend



Online

Giving

## Saint Kateri Tekakwitha All in the Family

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

#### ALL SAINTS SOUP KITCHEN VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

The word is out about the All-Saints Soup Kitchen that opened its doors in March! We are averaging 55 guests a week. We need helping hands from our Family of Parishes to volunteer on Wednesday, October 18. What you need to know:

- The hours of service at 10:30 am until 2 pm
- Lunch is served at noon until 1:30
- You can volunteer any time during those hours

If you are available, and would like to join our kitchen crew teams, please contact: Therese Terns 313-657-3508

#### SPAGHETTI DINNER

PRESENTED BY Knights of Colombus 11th Annual Special Olympics Dearborn Benefit

Sunday October-29, 2023 Event Starts at 2:00 pm Basket Raffle Drawings Start at 6:00 pm \$15 Adult Donations \$ 10 Child Donations

> New Location PRCUA #162 1430 Oak St., Wyandotte, MI 48192

More Information Home Made Spaghetti with different sauces! Huge Bake Sale All Baked by Athletes! Huge Selection of Baskets for Raffle! 50/50



Live DJ Alfonso Spectrum Entertainment

Trivia Answer from page 5: Popes only.

**PASTOR** *Rev. Terrence D. Kerner* 

DEACON Rev. Mr. Tom Leonard

> **ORGANIST** Kevin Jakubowicz

OFFICE STAFF Mary Masley & Ellie Sajewski

E-MAIL info@stkateridearborn.org 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 AM & 11:00 AM

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE Tuesday: 6:40 PM Wednesday—Friday: 9:00 AM

> CONFESSIONS Saturday: 3:00 PM



#### ITEMS NEEDED

<u>Greatly Needed:</u> Pasta Sauce Sugar

<u>Canned items</u>: Beets Chicken Cranberries Soups (small) Tomato Sauce

Jiffy Mix Brownie Mix Salad Dressing Ketchup & Mustard Ramen Noodles Deodorant Lady's Razors Shampoo & Toothpaste

A SPECIAL EVENT

St. Barbara's 13534 Colson Ave, Dearborn

Veneration of the Relics of Blessed **Fr. Solanus Casey** Sunday, October 15 from 10:00am to the conclusion of the 6:00pm Mass.

> ADORATION Tuesday: 4:00 PM - 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 Tekakwitha

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

confess that I have a soft spot for the scary things Jesus says because they are usually ignored. But there's gold in them thar hills, if we have courage to look. This week Jesus gives us a terrifying warning in his parable about the king who gives a

marriage feast for his son and promptly goes berserk when people don't respond. The point: those who do not properly respond to God's generous invitation will face totally devastating consequences. The invitees who don't

show up get their city burned to the ground. The poor homeless man is tortured for not wearing the correct clothes. Scary indeed.

s Jesus trying to intimidate or bully us into following him? No, because that is certainly not how he treats any-

one in the Gospels. A better view is this: to Jesus, your life *matters*. The universe is not an empty wasteland where anything goes. It is a theater of love offered and either accepted or rejected. How easy it can be to glide through life thinking my life doesn't

> make a difference. But it does. It really does.

his should not only be sobering but exhilarating. The positive side of the negative in Jesus' scary parables is the thrill and joy that he is inviting us, therefore our lives matter a great deal. There is a reason to get up in the

morning. God's generous love is relentlessly calling us. True, obstinately saying no through our indifference is a catastrophe for us and those around us. But how wonderful must the consequences of our 'yes' be?

— Father John Muir

## LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

The goodness and mercy of God are gifts He wants to share with each one of us, but we have to be ready to receive them. Let's be prepared for whatever the Lord will ask of us this week.

## A PRAYER FOR PEACE

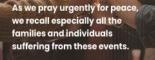
Compassionate God and Father of all. we are stunned at violence in so many parts of the world. It seems that none are safe, And many are fearful.

Hold back the hands that do harm; Grant instead your strong Spirit of Peace -Peace that passes our understanding but changes lives,

Through Jesus Christ our Lord

Amen

Pray for the leadership of Israel, that God will grant them His Wisdom in protecting their nation and people.



## Mass Intentions

Tuesday, October 17th St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr 6:40 PM

> + Paul Marion, Jr. (by Fr. Kerner & Parishioners)

#### Wednesday, October 18<sup>th</sup>

St. Luke, Evangelist 9:00 AM **+** Joe Orlando (by Family)

#### Thursday, October 19th

Sts. John de Brébeuf and Isaac Jogues, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs 9:00 AM

**+** Anthony Rzucidlo

(by Kimberly Rzucidlo)

#### Friday, October 20<sup>th</sup>

St. Paul of the Cross. Priest 9:00 AM

- Claudine & Tim Keating, **Special Intention** (by Jo-Ann Curtis)
- + Sara Stuk (by Family)

#### Saturday, October 21<sup>st</sup> 4:00 PM

- **† Joseph Gasidlo** (by Family)
- + Laurence & Christopher Jordan (by Family)
- + Joseph Tola
- (by Lynn & Linda)

+ Jim Uniewski (by Carol Uniewski)

#### Sunday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>

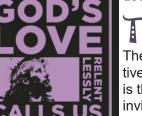
29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time; World Mission Sunday 9:00 AM

- + Mike & Mark Brotherton (by Family)
- Karen & Larry Fanning, 40<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary (by Cathy & AI)
- **+ Shelly Zub** (by Family)

#### 11:00 AM

- + Leonard Kwiecinski (by Family)
- + Joseph Pulford (by Family)
- Theresa & David Smith, 30<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary (by Family)





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Stewardship Report						
WEEK ENDING		Oct. 8	YEA	R TO DATE		
OFFERTORY	\$	5,653.00	\$	81,890.00		
ONLINE GIVING	\$	<u>640.00</u>	\$	<u>8,965.00</u>		
ACTUAL	\$	6,293.00	\$	90,855.00		
BUDGET	\$	<u>6,500.00</u>	\$	<u>97,500.00</u>		
VARIANCE	\$	(207.00)	\$	(6,645.00)		

Best in Peace

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

CHARLES ALESTRA Husband of Mary Alestra

> DEBORAH LEOS Sister of Gina Barker

**Earn a tuition-free Master of Arts in Theology** at the University of Notre Dame while serving the Church in a partner diocese in the United States or Ireland.

Early Deadline Dec. 1, 2023; Regular Deadline: Jan. 20, 2024 For more information:

https://mcgrath.nd.edu/service-learning/echo-graduate-service-program/

*Always pray* to have eyes that see the best in people, a heart that forgives the worst, a mind that forgets the bad, and a soul that never loses faith in *God*.



**Question**: Which clergymen are called by the ecclesiastical title "His Holiness"?

Answer: Page 3

Readings for the Week

**Sunday:** Is 25:6-10a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (6cd)/Phil 4:12-14, 19-20/Mt 22:1-14 or 22:1-10

**Monday:** Rom 1:1-7/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Lk 11:29-32

**Tuesday:** Rom 1:16-25/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Lk 11:37-41

Wednesday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18/Lk 10:1-9

Thursday: Rom 3:21-30/Ps 130:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab/Lk 11:47-54

Friday: Rom 4:1-8/Ps 32:1b-2, 5, 11/ Lk 12:1-7

**Saturday:** Rom 4:13, 16-18/Ps 105:6 -7, 8-9, 42-43/Lk 12:8-12

**Next Sunday:** s 45:1, 4-6/Ps 96:1, 3, 4-5, 7-8, 9-10 (7b)/1 Thes 1:1-5b/ Mt 22:15-21

We can see the signs all around. Leaves turn from green to yellow to orange or red, then fall and fade to brown. Birds slowly disappear for the south. Grass withers underfoot. "To everything there is a season," we read in Ecclesiastes. The natural world speaks spiritual truths, if only we have ears to hear. God invites each and every one of us into the seasonal progression of our own conversion. No matter who we are, each of us has something in our life that is ready to turn. Is it an area where we're weary? A good habit we've been putting off? A familial reconciliation that needs to happen? As the world passes from one season to another, where is God inviting you to turn toward Him?

The Seasons of Life



It's that time of the year again! Halloween is just around the corner, and Sacred Heart Major Seminary needs your help. Each year the seminary community opens their doors and their

hearts to over 2000 children from the surrounding Detroit neighborhood so that the kids can have a fun and safe



place to play games and trick ortreat. But they need your help to make this year a success! They are asking for donations of Halloween candy that will then be passed out to the many kids. If you are willing to participate in this important ministry by donating bags of candy please bring them to the containers at the doors of the church, or the parish office during normal business hours.

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Just fill out this form below and submit it in the offertory, to the
office, by mail, or simply call 313-336-3227.
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