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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**.

OCTOBER 29, 2023

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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 AM & 11:00 AM

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday: 6:40 PM Wednesday—Friday: 9:00 AM

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:00 PM

ADORATION

Tuesday: 4:00 PM - 6:30 PM

PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS

Tuesday at 6:30 PM and Thursday at 9:00 AM

BOOK & GIFT SHOP

Open weekends before and after Masses

Welcome New Parishioners!

To register, change an address, or if you moved, please contact

the parish office

THIRTIETH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

All Saints & All Souls Masses here at St. Kateri:

Oct 31st All Saints Vigil Mass 6:40pm (after Novena)

Nov 1st All Saints - Holy Day of Obligation Masses: 9:00am and 5:30pm

Nov 2nd All Souls Mass 9:00am

Nov 4th All Souls Mass for all deceased in the last year at 4:00pm

All Souls Day Masses at Archdiocesan Cemeteries: Holy Sepulchre

9:00am Archbishop Allen Vigneron

Our Lady of Hope

11:00am Bishop Gerard Battersby

St. Joseph in Monroe

2:00pm Father David Burgard

Our Guide Book is being <u>finalized</u>. Please call the office this week if there are any changes or if you do not want your name, address and phone number listed.



OCTOBER

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

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

Dear Jesus,

Kevin O'Day

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**



Blessed Father Francis Xavier Seelos was a German immigrant and Redemptorist priest deeply committed to serving those marginalized in the USA during the 1800s. He was known for his gentle and compassionate nature and his tireless dedication to the poor and the sick.

FAITH FORMATION

AT ST. KATERI

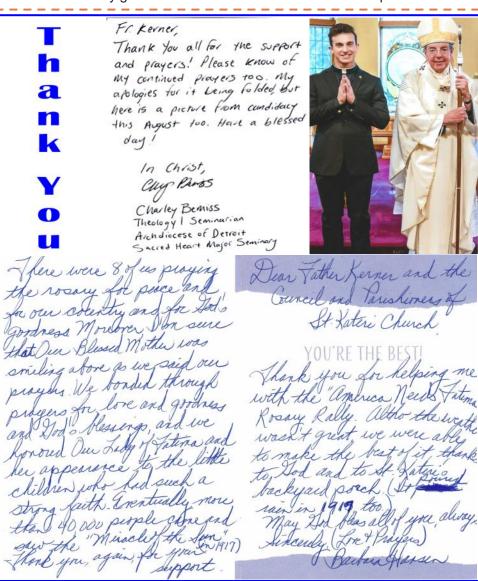
Registration is ongoing for all children in grades 1 thru 8. Call the St. Kateri Office (313.336.3227) or email: info@stkateridearborn.org.

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 30, 2023 the Deacon's topic will be The Spirit & Our Lady - How she models for us what our lives can look like when we say "yes" to God's will and fully give ourselves over to the actions of the Spirit of God.



BE PREPARED FOR **NEXT SUNDAY, NOV 5TH** REMEMBER





All in the Family

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

AROUND THE SHOP

Fall has arrived and the Christmas holidays are just around the corner. For the month of November, the Gift Shop has put out memorial items commemorating our departed loved ones. The shop carries solar and wax cemetery candles, memorial ornaments, lanterns, books on grief and cards. We can also special order items for you.

Advent begins on December 3rd and is the start of the new liturgical year. The 2024 Sunday Missals are now in stock.

Advent supplies and the new Christmas stock will start to appear on our shelves soon. (Hint: Some beautiful Christmas lanterns are headed our way.) Remember, there is no charge to browse!



THE RELICS OF SAINT PIO OF PIETRELCINA TO VISIT THE ST. BARBARA R.C. CHURCH

13534 Colson St., Dearborn, MI 48126

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2023 FROM 3:00 P.M. TO 9:00 P.M. MASS IN HONOR OF SAINT PIO AT 6:00 P.M.

PLEASE, CONTACT THE PARISH AT (313) 582-8383 OR VIA EMAIL AT SAINTBARBARA@SBCGLOBAL.NET FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.



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St. Joseph's Helpers which is a nonprofit organization, founded on Christian values, composed of men & women who volunteer their time and talents to provide those in need with basic home maintenance and repairs. Their ministry's focus is on the elderly,

disabled, and those who just need a helping hand.

For more information contact Rayna Bennet at 313-900-5235.



One of them, a scholar of the law, tested him by asking, "Teacher, which commandment in the law is the greatest?" He said to him, "You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind."

Trivia Answer from page 5: The Order of Preachers



ITEMS NEEDED

Greatly Needed:
Pasta Sauce
Sugar

Canned items:

Beets Chicken Cranberries Soups (small) Tomato Sauce

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

Missed "The Letter" Delivery?

For those of you who were unable to attend the film screening of "The Letter," the YouTube link is given below so that you can watch it at home. It's well worth your time. "The Letter" is based on the Church's teachings as explained in the encyclical, "Laudato Si."

The issue of climate change is crucial for our lives, the lives of our children, grandchildren and future generations. The issue is so important that Pope Francis published a follow-up exhortation, "Laudato Deum." We do not hear much about Church teachings on climate change in the U.S. Although we have had more weather emergencies recently, our country has not yet experienced as much damage as poorer countries around the world. But still, we are all connected...as God made us to be...brothers and sisters sharing this beautiful gift of creation.

The Pope, the Environmental Crisis, and Frontline Leaders | The Letter: Laudato Si Film - YouTube

GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

to some degree. An atheist man nently counter-intuitive way into the

named Robert Bridges once wrote to his friend, the Jesuit poet Gerard Manley Hopkins, asking how he could possibly learn to believe in God. Hopkins pithily responded: "Give alms." Would that help someone tempted by atheism today, like you and me?



think so, and here's why. This week Jesus speaks of love for God and neighbor. These dual commands were nothing new when Jesus used them to sum up the Jewish law. What is new is the way he links them together in mutual dependency. In Jesus, God and man have become one. Human-love and God-love are now inseparably married forever.

n our secularized culture, we all The newness of the God-man struggle with belief in God, at least The newness of the God-man means that there is now a perma-

knowledge and love of God: love of our neighbor. To experience charity is to know God. That's what Hopkins was getting at for his friend. How we treat our fellow human beings is inseparable from faith in God. Do you want to have a stronger sense of God's loving presence and good-

ness? Commit to serving someone today and this week. Love him or her. Don't wait for love for God to appear in your heart before loving others. Jesus has united divine and human love. If you want to believe more in God, give alms.

— Father John Muir

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, October 31st All Saints Vigil Mass 6:40 PM

- **†** Jack Galante (by Family)
- **†** Antonette Zadrozny (by Family)

Wednesday, November 1st All Saints Day HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION 9:00 AM & 5:30 PM

Thursday, November 2nd

All Souls' Day; 10th Anniversary of Parish Commemoration of the Faithfully Departed 9:00 AM

- **†** Jeanette & Cris Tonilas (by Family)
- Tiffany Curtis, Special Intention (by Jo-Ann Curtis)

Friday, November 3rd St. Martin de Porres, Religious 9:00 AM

> **†** Jim Uniewski (by Carol Uniewski)

Saturday, November 4th

St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop; All Souls Mass for all deceased from St. Kateri in the past year.

4:00 PM

+ For All St. Kateri Parishioners **Deceased in the Last Year**

Sunday, November 5th

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time; Daylight Saving Time Ends; National Vocation Awareness Week 9:00 AM

- **† Jennie Cinzori** (by Arlynn & John Sadowski)
- **† Paul Sullivan** (by Kathy)
- **† Robert Turek** (by Brother)

11:00 AM

- **†** Katherine Buffone (by Gloria Koss)
- **† Vera Ciavaglia** (by Family)
- **†** Josephine DeFilippi (by Family)
- **†** Deceased Members of the Sainato & Frasca Families (by Castelvetere Family)

LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

God became human to show us that only love can change the world. Let's not just believe in that love — let's be that love, each and every day.

REFLECT AND RESPOND TO SCRIPTURE

First Reading:

We hear today some of the laws that Moses received from God on Mount Sinai. Namely, God's expectation that I we show compassion for those most I I vulnerable in society. How could you show care for those in need this week?

Second Reading:

Paul praised the Thessalonians for being role models of the faith for the I surrounding regions of Achaia and I Macedonia. How do you model your faith to family & friends?

Gospel:

For Jesus, love of God and love of neighbor and self are the most important commandments. Which of I these commandments do you do best?

Prayer for Our Deceased

Dear Lord, Comfort us in our grief as

we mourn those no longer with us on earth.

Free those in purgatory quickly, and guide us in Your will, so that one day we may all be united with You, for eternity.

Amen.



Stewardship Report

WEEK ENDING	Oct 22	YEA	R TO DATE
OFFERTORY	\$ 4,634.00		91,900.00
ONLINE GIVING	\$ <u>690.00</u>		<u>10,560.00</u>
ACTUAL	\$ 5,324.00		102,460.00
BUDGET	\$ 6,500.00		110,500.00
VARIANCE	\$ (1,176.00		(8,040.00)



Question: What's the official name for the Dominican Order?

Answer: Page 3

Lector Schedule

WEEKEND OF OCT 28th & 29th

Saturday, October 28th 4:00PM Frank DeMilde

Sunday, October 29th 9:00AM Richard Fron

Sunday, October 29th 11:00 AM Barb Hartman

27 WORDS THAT MATTER

"You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind" & "You shall love your neighbor as yourself."

Readings for the Week

Sunday: Ex 22:20-26/Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51 (2)/1 Thes 1:5c-10/Mt 22:34-

Monday: Rom 8:12-17/Ps 68:2 and 4, 6-7ab, 20-21/Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday: Rom 8:18-25/Ps 126:1b-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6/Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1 -12a

Thursday: Wis 4:7-14/Ps 25:6, and 7b, 17-18, 20-21/Rom 5:17-21/Mt 11:25-30

Friday: Rom 9:1-5/Ps 147:12-13, 14-

15, 19-20/Lk 14:1-6

Saturday: Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29/Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 17-18/Lk 14:1, 7-11

Next Sunday: Mal 1:14b-2:2b, 8-10/ Ps 131:1, 2, 3/1 Thes 2:7b-9, 13/Mt

23:1-12

WELCOME

FRANK & CARRIE DORAN

and sons Gabriel & Jacob

We are happy that you have joined our parish family.



HALLOWEEN-Is Halloween a pagan holiday or a Catholic one?

The short answer: nowadays, a little bit of both. But it wasn't always that way. Halloween and All Saints' Day are closely connected. In the 800s, the Catholic Church began celebrating All Saints' Day. It was originally called All Hallow's Day or Hallow-

mas. The celebration began early on All Hallows' Eve. But if Halloween is really about the saints in all their victorious glory, where do we get haunted houses, costumes, and pranks?

All Saints' Day became associated with the other deceased rather quickly. November 2nd is All Souls Day, where we pray for the souls in purgatory. Throughout the European world, especially with the Celtic and Germanic peoples, the dead were honored in the autumn months. The Celtic pagan celebration of Samhain had its own folk rituals and occurred around the same time as these Catholic feast days.

Within the last few hundred years, this included dressing in disguise and going door to door, asking for food in exchange for a rhyme or poem. Some people masqueraded as "dark" spirits and pulled pranks on others. Today's celebration of Halloween tends to take on these later practices, rather than the original meaning of celebrating the saints. But remember ... this feast was Catholic first!

30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME









	TO	BECOM	IE A	MEMBER	OF (OUR	PARISH	FAMILY
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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.

NEW MEMBER REGISTRATION

NAME:		
ADDRESS:		
CITY & ZIP:	***	

PHONE: __