



ST. KATERI CATHOLIC CHURCH

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SUNDAY, JULY 7, 2024

14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

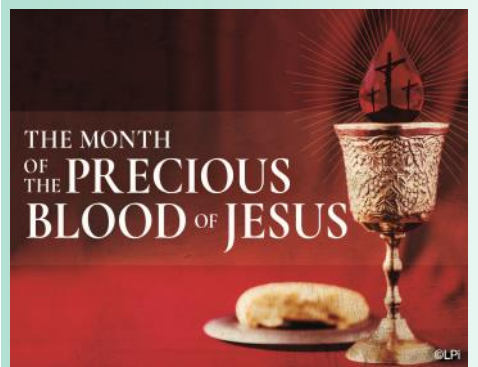


When the sabbath came he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astonished. They said, "Where did this man get all this? What kind of wisdom has been given him? What mighty deeds are wrought by his hands!" - Mk 6:2



Harry Bacalia	Sean Munir
Sue Bacalia	Kevin O'Day
Norma Jean Bak	Michael Owen
Carolyn Brunell	Victoria Porter
Cindy Brunell	Ron Prowse
David Brunell	Judy Quinlan
Phil Ciavaglia	Pat Quinlan
Bob DeSantis	Fe Roland
Sylvia Downey	Frances Savel
Janice Dumas	Rose Mary
Taeko Greenwood	Schimizzi
Mary Hepler	Kelly Sobon
Emily Hudson	Rob Sobon
Erna Karr	Janice Strimpel
Fr. Terry Kerner	Lottie Surmacz
Stan Kozlowicz	Roy Swift
Malerie Kubica	Susan Swift
Stanley Lane	Helen
Jerry McLean	Yeghiazarian
Anne Munir	Chris Zelasko
David Munir	

God of all goodness, Look with mercy on all who suffer any kind of infirmity, sickness or injury, that they may be comforted. Let your hand of healing and protection be upon them. When they are fearful, ease their fear and anxieties. When they are afraid, give them strength and courage. Amen



**OUTDOOR ROSARY MAY THRU OCTOBER
Monday evenings at 6 PM**

Come join us 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.



We've had a very interesting month. We started off slow but got busier as the heat came in. We remained open during this time, but I was worried about my outside help, since no one is allowed in the pantry. Donations have, of course, decreased since Summer started. This is normal but we will get through this. God has always provided and of course all of you have stepped up and helped us, which is most appreciated.

We fed 167 families, 442 people. We did see an increase in new clients, 20 just for this month and we are spending about \$1,800 per week on food or toilet paper and paper towels. All of us here at the pantry would like you to know you are in our prayers always for safe travels and good health.

God bless you and yours during these hot days of Summer. Matt Kulczyk

**SVDP FOOD PANTRY
@St. Maria Goretti**



Our needs for July:

Greatly Needed:

- Coffee
- Hamburger Helper
- Paper Towels
- Toilet Paper



Canned items:

- Bush's Beans

Instant:

- Mashed Potatoes
- Rice
- Brownie Mix
- Stove Top Stuffing

Celebrating July's Super Seniors (80 and over) Birthdays

Wishing you all the best for your special birthday ...and every day you continue to bless this parish.



Virginia Blow, Mary Crumley, Elvira Ferrera, Marilyn Galante, Willis Long, Barbara Miscavage, Arthur Murray, Andre Palardy, Richard Sudek, Delfina Tamburro, Eugene Zafferani



Lector Schedule

WEEKEND OF JULY 13/14

- Saturday, July 13th, 4:00PM
Therese Terns
- Sunday, July 14th, 9:00 AM
Janeen Bodary
- Sunday, July 14th, 11:00 AM
Gary Lewis

*Marriage
Banns
II*



*Maria Alvarez
&
Sebastian Arrazola*

All in the Family

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

OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL

St. Alphonsus Alumni Association along with the Siciliano family would like to extend an invitation to the parishes to attend a celebration mass for the Feast of Our Lady of Mt Carmel on Saturday, **July 13, 2024 @ 10 a.m.** The address is 13540 Gould St. Dearborn, Michigan 48126.

This feast holds special meaning for the Sicilianos whose 6 children attended St. Alphonsus grade school and high school from 1952 -1983.

After mass, come walk and experience the new Heritage Gardens across from the church, where the convent, grade and high school once stood.

Again, please join us in honoring Our Lady of Mt. Carmel on Saturday, July 13 @ 10 a.m.

Father Greg Deters will be our presider.

Music will be provided by Adam Morency, the Siciliano family and choir members from the St. Genevieve/St. Maurice Parishes.

Mass will also be livestreamed.
www.stals-stclem.org/livestream-schedule.



We have exceeded our goal!

All money donated NOW will stay in **OUR** parish and go towards our air conditioning.

Trivia Answer from page 5:
 It was Pope Paul VI in 1964



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

For more information contact
1-800-303-5075, option 3
 Or **Rayna Bennet at 1-313-900-5253**.



Who we serve:

- Our Seniors
- Our Veterans
- Those with Physical Challenges
- Those who just need a helping hand

PASTOR
Rev. Terrence D. Kerner

DEACON
Rev. Mr. Tom Leonard

ORGANIST
 Kevin Jakubowicz

OFFICE STAFF
 Mary Masley & Ellie Sajewski

E-MAIL
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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.

GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

Recently I watched a bunch of YouTube videos on how to optimize willpower in the face of weakness. The message was: do not accept your weakness. Crush it. Dominate it. In one video, however, at the end of a rant by a willpower coach, the muscular stoic admitted, "You'll never actually get what you want, no matter how hard you try." Amazingly, he admitted that willpower alone is not sufficient for us weak-willed humans.



What does God want us to do with our weaknesses, if crushing them with willpower won't work? For example, what should I do with my tendency to arrogance and self-isolation? Or my procrastination? Or my intellectual and physical limitations? Or my selfishness?

The counter-intuitive answer is clear in this week's words from St Paul, "I will rather boast most gladly of my weaknesses in order that the power of Christ may dwell in me (2 Cor. 12:9)." Boast of our weaknesses? Paul isn't promoting weak-mindedness or laziness. Rather, he perceives that Jesus loves us not despite our weaknesses but because of them. Boasting of our weakness means claiming human will is not all we have. It means turning to God whenever we feel weak, which—let's face it—is almost all the time. When we do, we learn to love our weaknesses, because it's there that we meet the strength of Christ. This week, I challenge us to find ways to boast not in willpower but in weakness.
— Father John Muir

LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK
When Jesus taught in the synagogue of his native place, he didn't fit the image of the Messiah the people expected. They dismissed him. Let's learn from their example and remember that God often comes to us in forms that are surprising - even challenging.

TO REFLECT AND RESPOND TO SCRIPTURE
First Reading:
The Lord encourages Ezekiel to be courageous in his role as a prophet, regardless of the response of the Israelites. **Can you think of a time when you had to be courageous in facing uncertainty?**
Second Reading:
Paul learned a "thorn in his flesh" that was given to him to teach him that God's grace alone should be sufficient for his ministry. **What are some obstacles in your life you have had to overcome?**
Gospel:
We hear how the villagers of Nazareth were "offended" by Jesus and lacked faith in him. **How do you support family or friends who have been hurt by others?**

Prayer for Truth
Dear Lord,
Your prophets were those who spoke Your Truth.
Help me to be a speaker of truth as well, one who reminds of Your love, encourages the lowly, and points ever more deeply to You. Amen.

Mass Intentions

- Tuesday, July 9th**
St. Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs
6:40 PM
† **Micki Cibor** (by Carol Uniewski)
- Wednesday, July 10th**
9:00 AM
† **Michael Galante** (by Family)
† **Ben Koss** (by Gloria Koss)
- **Nancy Short, Birthday Blessing & Health** (by Mother)
- Thursday, July 11th**
St. Benedict, Abbot
9:00 AM
† **George Dressler** (by Wife)
† **Rod Rodriguez** (by Mary Below)
- Friday, July 12th**
9:00 AM
† **Theresa Bazner** (by Family)
- Saturday, July 13th**
St. Benedict, Abbot
4:00 PM
† **Maria & Juan Benitez** (by Family)
† **Carolyn & Duncan Doran** (by Zell Family)
† **Joe Gasidlo** (by Family)
† **Holy Souls in Purgatory** (by Paula Goodrich)
† **Emily Meyer** (by Anthony Meyer)
† **Jim Uniewski** (by Carol Uniewski)
- Sunday, July 14th**
15th Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 AM
† **Alan Konkel** (by Nancy Zajac & David Nolley)
† **Kathleen Moore** (by Sandy Mesara)
- 11:00 AM**
† **Gerard Drazba** (by Terry Kruse)
† **Stephen Przybyla** (by Family)
† **Joseph Pulford** (by Family)
† **Mary, Feliks & Robert Turek** (by Son/Brother)

Stewardship Report	
Week Ending	YEAR TO DATE
OFFERTORY	
ONLINE GIVING	
ACTUAL	
BUDGET	
VARIANCE	

Due to the Holiday, an early submission was required. There is nothing to report at this time.

ST. KATERI PARISH GIFT AND BOOK SHOP

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

Open before and after weekend Masses.

Proceeds go to the Parish and Red Cloud Indian School.

"What did the grape say when it was stepped on?"



"Nothing, it just let out a little wine."



FUN FACT!
We hear a lot of parables about wine in the Bible — wine skins, vineyards, vines. Even Jesus' first miracle was turning water into wine!



Question: Who was the very first Pope to visit the Holy Land?

Answer on Page 3.

Readings for the Week

Sunday: Ez 2:2-5/Ps 123:1-2, 2, 3-4 (2cd)/2 Cor 12:7-10/Mk 6:1-6a

Monday: Hos 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday: Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Ps 115:3-4, 5-6, 7ab-8, 9-10/Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday: Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt 10:1-7

Thursday: Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9/Ps 80:2ac and 3b, 15-16/Mt 10:7-15

Friday: Hos 14:2-10/Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-13, 14 and 17/Mt 10:16-23

Saturday: Is 6:1-8/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Mt 10:24-33

Next Sunday: Am 7:12-15/Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14 (8)/Eph 1:3-14 or 1:3-10/Mk 6:7-13

CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED-Gospel of Mark

In Year B, we hear primarily from the Gospel of Mark. Since each Evangelist has a unique perspective, what are the key issues that Mark addresses in his Gospel?

Gospels are a particular faith community's reflection on Jesus. Each Gospel's author reflected that community's faith in Jesus. Jesus' message is made relevant to the community's situation and context. Mark was the first Gospel to be written. When Matthew and Luke wrote theirs, they imitated and adapted Mark for their communities.

Mark's Gospel seems to be addressed to a faith community undergoing turmoil, rejection, and persecution—forces that threaten to overwhelm them. This provides the context around which Mark fashions the story of Jesus. He presents Jesus as the One sent by God to confront the forces of evil. That is the good news of Jesus.

Jesus' struggle with the demonic forces leads to confrontation, rejection, outright opposition, and a conspiracy to do away with him. Realizing this, Jesus is not deterred. Rather Jesus calls for total faith in God who helps us to overcome the forces of evil. Suffering and even death seem to be the consequences of this struggle. Yet, that is not the end. The one who suffers for the sake of others, the suffering servant, will be the one through whom redemption and salvation will come to all. For Mark, this is what discipleship demands and what true faith in God can and will accomplish. See if you can detect these themes as you read Mark's Gospel.

TO BECOME A MEMBER OF OUR PARISH FAMILY

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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