

ST. KATERI CATHOLIC CHURCH

16101 ROTUNDA DR., DEARBORN, MI | 313.336.3227 | INFO@STKATERIDEARBORN.ORG

SUNDAY, JULY 27, 2025

17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"Suppose one of you has a friend to whom he goes at midnight and says, 'Friend, lend me three loaves of bread,' and he says in reply from within, 'Do not bother me.' I tell you, if he does not get up to give the visitor the loaves because of their friendship, he will get up to give him whatever he needs because of his persistence." - Lk 11:5b, 7a, 8

Needed: a minimum of 15 donors



RUSH INTO DONATE!

Friday
**August
15**

10:00 AM - 2:30 PM



Helpful tip:

Make sure to eat a healthy meal and drink plenty of water before donating.

For eligibility questions please call
866-642-5663

Rouge Family of Parishes Dearborn Community Blood Drive

LOCATION

St Kateri Catholic Church - St Francis Hall
16101 Rotunda Dr
Dearborn, MI 48120

APPOINTMENTS PREFERRED

-Call 866-642-5663

-Visit versiti.org/mi

-Or scan the QR code below

*Walk-ins welcome, as schedule allows!

Score a limited-edition football t-shirt when you donate, while supplies last!



Versiti Blood Center of Michigan is an independent, non-profit, community blood bank serving 85 Michigan hospitals, such as Henry Ford Health and Corewell Health, and is the primary supplier of blood products across our state. As a 501(c)(3) organization, we rely on volunteer donors and host groups, like St. Kateri to ensure blood is available for patients in need. Contact the office at St. Kateri for questions and concerns. 313-336-3227



A message from

At Henry Ford Health, our mission is to provide excellent care to every patient who walks through our doors—and sometimes, that care depends on a gift that can only come from someone like you. Blood can't be manufactured. It must be given, generously and willingly, by members of our community. Each year, patients at our hospital receive thousands of units of lifesaving blood—used in trauma care, surgeries, cancer treatments, and more.

The need is constant.

When we don't
see every day
with the eyes
of faith,
we're blind to
everyday
miracles.



Lector Schedule

WEEKEND OF AUG 2/3

Saturday, August 2nd, 4:00 PM
Christine Leonard

Sunday, August 3rd, 9:00 AM
Robert Ciavaglia

Sunday, August 3rd, 11:00 AM
Bob Ryan

Trivia answer from page 5:
Abba.

Marriage Banns III



*Tess Robar
&
Shane Moran*

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Norma Jean Bak	Bob DeSantis	Dcn Tom Leonard
Aurora Balino	Dennis Downey	Jon LePage
Colleen Barston	Rachele Esper	Anne Munir
Dan Bazner	Delphine Gray	Cynthia Nepjuk
Connie Belzer	Emily Hudson	Michael Owen
Frank Bonfiglio	Fr. Terry Kerner	Victoria Porter
Irene Bruen	Larry Kosiba	Charles Powell
John Cassar	Stanley Kozlowicz	Diana Short
Lena Castlevetere	John Krzyston	Deborah Slowik
Phil Ciavaglia	Lorraine Kwiecinski	Joseph Winslow Sr.
Anthony Cinzori	Patricia Lambert	Bernice Ziaja

In order to keep this list current, names will be kept on the list for two months only. Please call the office (313.336-3227) to add, remove, or keep a loved one's name on the list.

ST. KATERI PARISH GIFT AND BOOK SHOP

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

Open before and after
the weekend Masses.


**Proceeds go to the Parish
and Red Cloud Indian School.
Browsing is free and enjoyable!**

All in the Family

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

THE WISDOM YEAR

PRESENTED BY THE CATHOLIC BIBLICAL SCHOOL




GET THE REAL STORY **FROM REAL TEACHERS** **WITH REAL PEOPLE**

Thursdays 6-7:30 pm
St. Mary, Cause of Our Joy, Westland
starting September 18th

Dive into the Psalms and the Gospel of John with an expert instructor there to guide you! This Sept-May we'll explore the "wisdom literature" of the Bible and discover how God's Word gives light to our path today!

cbsmich.org
info@cbsmich.org
call/text: 586-438-3085

FIND OUT MORE




There are many easy ways for you to give to support St. Kateri Church. One-time gifts, recurring online 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 contribute to the parish directly from your bank account or via a 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 an account, go to our website:

<https://stkateridearborn.org>
And select Online Giving.

SVDP FOOD PANTRY

@St. Maria Goretti

Our needs for August:
CONDIMENTS:

Cooking Oil Mayo

FOOD:

Boxed Au Gratin Potatoes Knorr Bag Side Dishes
Boxed Mashed Potatoes Pancake Mix
Boxed Stuffing Canned Pears

DOLLAR STORE:

Toothbrushes Razors
Tooth Paste Deodorant
Shampoo

Thank you all for your support of the pantry. In the month of June, we served 152 households with 456 family members.

In addition to food donations, **monetary and Kroger, Aldi and Dollar Tree Gift cards** would be greatly appreciated.

Blessings,
David Grindstaff, St. Maria Goretti

The Food Pantry also accepts monetary donations.

- For a cash donation, please enclose in an envelope clearly marked for the **SVDP Food Pantry**.
- For a check, make it payable to **St. Maria Goretti-SVDP** and in the memo line **FOOD PANTRY**.

17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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 Thursday:
9:00 AM-Noon and 1:00-4:00 PM
Friday 9:00 AM-Noon

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:

313.336.3227

GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

Once I went to a hospice facility to celebrate Last Rites for an elderly dying man. His family had told me that he had been uncommunicative for days. At the conclusion of the ritual, we began to recite the Our Father prayer. To everyone's surprise, his lips moved, clearly mouthing the words to the Lord's prayer. Stripped of most of his faculties, the man could still pray those precious God-given petitions. A lifetime of prayer had planted the words even deeper than his failing consciousness.

Do we want the Lord's prayer to be as deeply embedded in us? If we want to be people of hope, we should. Recall that our Lord immediately follows the prayer by saying: **"Ask, and**

it will be given to you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened to you" (Luke 11:9).



We only ask, search and knock because we hope that the request is not in vain. Everything we could possibly hope for is contained in the prayer. Praying the Our Father deepens our hope.

We should consciously pour all our hopes into the Lord's prayer; we should allow it to be an expression of hope, not simply rote words. Then, over time, it builds up our hope in God. It sinks deep into our souls and bodies. How blessed we are when these words of hope are on our lips, even when everything else seems to fail.

— Father John Muir

LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

"Lord, teach us to pray." The disciples are asking how to approach God, how to communicate with Him. Jesus' answer? Have no fear, and have no embarrassment. God waits at the door. Knock. The conversation is yours to start.

REFLECT AND RESPOND TO SCRIPTURE

1st Reading Question:

Abraham questions God about how He passes judgment on people. **What questions do you have for the Lord?**

2nd Reading Question:

Paul teaches the believers in Colossae that through his cross and resurrection from the dead, Jesus united Jews and Gentiles by their shared faith in him. **How does your faith in Jesus bring you closer to others?**

Gospel Question:

Jesus encourages his disciples to be persistent and bold in praying to God. **Can you think of a time when God answered a bold prayer from you?**

Prayer for Hope

**Lord,
Restore my hope!
Where I fear the
future, write a
new script in my
heart.**

**Where I doubt
Your goodness,
fill me anew.**

**Give me steadfast
hope for a beautiful
tomorrow.**

Amen.

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, Jul 29th

Sts. Martha, Mary and Lazarus

6:40 PM

† Rita Oudersluys

(by Gloria Koss)

† Stanley Sajewski, Jr.

(by Dan Bazner)

Wednesday, Jul 30th

St. Peter Chrysologus, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

9:00 AM

† Sharon Kischuk (by Family)

† Joseph Pulford (by Family)

Thursday, Jul 31st

St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest

9:00 AM

† Bessie Zuzga (by Family)

Friday, August 1st

St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

9:00 AM

† Deceased Members of the Syrian Family (by Family)

Saturday, August 2nd

St. Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop; St.

Peter Julian Eymard, Priest

4:00 PM

† Maria & Juan Benitez

(by Mary Meyer)

† Don Cinzori

(by France & Sue MacMillan)

† Stanley Sajewski, Jr.

(by Jeff Kerner Family)

† Joe P. Yeager

(by Gloria Koss)

• Dcn Tom Leonard, Birthday Blessing (by Gloria Koss)

Sunday, August 3rd

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 AM

† Joseph Bozich

(by Lucia Gliese)

† Theresa Fusco

(by Cataldo Family)

† Mary Suter (by Zell Family)

† Jim Wood

(by Joan Wiggins)

11:00 AM

† Nancy & Ronald Caretti

(by Maria Caretti)

† Jim Uniewski

(by Carol Uniewski)

• Imad O'Neil Younes, Special Intention

(by Kouessiba Younes)

Stewardship Report

GLPI



WEEK ENDING	Jul 20	YEAR TO DATE
OFFERTORY	\$ 6,635.00	\$ 17,345.00
ONLINE GIVING	\$ 1,150.00	\$ 3,460.00
ACTUAL	\$ 7,785.00	\$ 20,805.00
BUDGET	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 18,000.00
VARIANCE	\$ 1,785.00	\$ 2,805.00

"And I tell you, ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks, receives; and the one who seeks, finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened." — Lk 11:9-10

Excerpt from the Lectionary for Mass (2002), 198, 197b CCD



Question: What word did Jesus call God the Father when he was praying?

Answer: Page 2

OUTDOOR ROSARY 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.

Workshop Offers Guide to Healthy Aging



Sisters Mariane Fahlman, OP, and Esther Kennedy, OP, offer A Practical Guide to Healthy Aging from 9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, August 12, 2025, at Weber Retreat and Conference Center. The workshop is offered in person and through livestream.

The workshop highlights the vital relationship between physical activity, nutrition, cognitive health, and mindfulness and includes practical strategies to reduce stress and promote overall wellbeing.

Sister Mariane is a Professor of Kinesiology, Health, and Sports Studies at Wayne State University in Detroit and studies physical function and cognition among those who are 65 and older. Sister Esther is a retreat leader and spiritual director who offers monthly mindfulness sessions at Weber Center.

The cost is \$35, including lunch. Registration is required.

Visit www.webercenter.org and click on "programs," call 517-266-4000, or email: webercenter@adriandominicans.org.

Limited scholarships are available.

Weber Center is on the campus of the Adrian Dominican Sisters Motherhouse, Adrian, Michigan. On East Siena Heights Drive, turn into the driveway between Adrian Rea Literacy Center and the solar panel-covered carport. Follow the signs to Weber Center. For information, call the Weber Center at 517-266-4000.

Readings for the Week

Sunday: Gn 18:20-32/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6-7, 7-8 (3a)/Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13

Monday: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23/Mt 13:31-35

Tuesday: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Ps 103:6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13/Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

Wednesday: Ex 34:29-35/Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9/Mt 13:44-46

Thursday: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a, 11/Mt 13:47-53

Friday: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Ps 81:3-4, 5-6, 10-11ab/Mt 13:54-58

Saturday: Lv 25:1, 8-17/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8/Mt 14:1-12

Next Sunday: Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14, 17 (1)/Col 3:1-5, 9-11/Lk 12:13-21

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. Navy

Anthony Baldwin
Brendan Burns
Conor Burns
James Donahue
Jacob Fader
Ben LePage
James Smith
Rob Swales
Alex West

U. S. Army

Nick Calvas
Mary Beth Myers
Rocky Myers

U. S. Marines

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

National Guard (Army)

Joey Enright