

St. Kateri Catholic Church

Welcome! No matter what your personal history, race or color, no matter what your self-image or esteem, you are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved and respected at St. Kateri Church.

16101 Rotunda Dr, Dearborn, MI 48120

www.stkateridearborn.org

Sunday, November 9, 2025



The Deacon is "Speakin" by Deacon Tom



I just wanted to share with you some good news. I saw my oncologist recently and he declared that I was cancer free. Glory to God! I cannot thank you enough for your prayers. It has been a great adventure with the Lord and thank you, especially Fr. Terry, for accompanying me on that journey.



Too, I'd like to remind you of the Men's Prayer Breakfast we host at Leon's Restaurant (on Michigan Ave. just east of Telegraph Rd.) every Wednesday at 6:30am sharp, consisting of Morning Prayer, a short teaching, breakfast and fellowship. Men, come and check it out.

Also, our Charismatic Prayer Meeting meets in St. Michaels Room (enter through the back alcove doors) on Thursday from 3:00 - 4:30pm. It features the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, praise and worship music, spontaneous prayer, charismatic gifts, a short teaching, and sharings. All are welcomed.

I am also pleased to share that our bible study class on the Book of Matthew is going strong with sixteen parishioners attending on Monday's from 5:45 - 7:15pm in St. Michael's Room.

Too, our OCIA (formerly RCIA) class offered on Monday's from 7:15 - 8:45pm is in "full swing." We have four catechumens (one of whom is Muslim) seeking entry into the Catholic Church and one baptized Catholic seeking his 1st Holy Communion and Confirmation. Please keep our OCIA folks in your prayers. For many it is a steep learning curve, but my thrill is to see how the Holy Spirit is already working in them.



Also, I wanted to mention that Dcn. Tim Pilon and I recently attended the yearly Diaconate Jubilarian Dinner held at Sacred Heart Major Seminary in Detroit. Dcn. Tim was recognized for his 35 years of diaconate service and I for completing 10 years as a Deacon. I am pictured receiving a certificate and Deacon pin from our new Archbishop Edward Weisenburger.



Again, thank you for all your prayers and support.
They are bearing much fruit.

PASTOR

Rev. Terrence D. Kerner

DEACON

Rev. Mr. Tom Leonard
Rev. Mr. Tim Pilon (Ret.)

ORGANIST

Kevin Jakubowicz

OFFICE STAFF

Mary Masley & Ellie Sajewski

BOOK & GIFT SHOP

Open weekends before
and after Masses

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

OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY THRU THURSDAY:
9:00 AM-NOON & 1:00-4:00 PM
FRIDAY 9:00 AM-NOON

PHONE NUMBER

313.336.3227

E-MAIL

info@stkateridearborn.org

Welcome

New Parishioners!

To register, change an address, or if
you moved, please contact the
parish office.

Harvest Dinner Tickets are now on sale at the Gift Shop (before and after weekend Masses) and the Parish Office (during regular office hours).



Turkey Dinner & Dessert \$23.

Deadline to purchase your ticket is Monday, November 17th

YOU MUST HAVE A PREPAID TICKET.

★★★★★ *Thank you,* ★★★★★
veterans! ©LPI

Almighty God, we thank You for the selfless acts of bravery of the men and women who have served our nation with unwavering dedication. We ask for your blessings upon them, their families, and all who support them. May they find peace and healing from any scars of service, both visible and unseen. Grant them strength and comfort, knowing that their sacrifices are deeply appreciated and never forgotten. Guide us to live in a way that honors their legacy and fosters peace and justice in our world. Amen.

There is an URGENT need. Please consider your gift of blood. We need more donations than last year.

DONATE BLOOD

Friday
November
14
9:00 AM - 1:00 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

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!**

Every 2 seconds someone in the U.S. needs blood and or platelets. Donating blood takes about an hour and has the potential to impact up to three lives.



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Prayer Requests

Alyssa Atkinson
Vicky Attard
Norma Jean Bak
Irene Bruen
Jim Burns
John Cassar
Lena Castlevetere

Phil Ciavaglia
Anthony Cinzori
John DePoli
Bob De Santis
Dennis Downey
Toby Edgell

Rachel Esper
Esther Fonesca
Delphine Gray
Emily Hudson
Fr. Terry Kerner
Jennifer Kozlo

Stanley Kozlowicz
Lorraine Kwiecinski
Dcn Tom Leonard
Jon LePage
Anne Munir
Cynthia Nepjuk
Michael Owen

Lori O'Leary
Victor Piaskowski
Victoria Porter
Charlie Powell
Deborah Slowik
Joseph Winslow, Sr.
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.

URGENT NEED!

SVDP FOOD PANTRY @ St. Maria Goretti

Our needs for November

CANNED/PACKAGED

- Canned Beets
- Canned Carrots
- Canned Peas
- Canned Spinach
- Canned Mixed Fruit
- Canned Peaches
- Bagged Mashed Potatoes
- Boxed Stuffing
- Ramen Noodles
- Mayo

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**.
- Kroger, Aldi and Dollar Tree Gift cards would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you all for your support of the pantry. In the month of September, we served 136 households with 387 family members. We appreciate all the support we receive for our Neighbors in need.

MEIJER'S SIMPLY GIVE PROGRAM

has started again for our pantry. The campaign runs from **through December 28th** at the **Allen Park store**. Your generosity in the past has allowed us to purchase the food for our Neighbors in Need. On **December 13th** Meijer will **double Match our donation**.

Getting to know St. Pier Gorgio Frassati 1901-1925

Saint Pier Giorgio Frassati was a devout young man from a wealthy Turin, Italy family who, despite his privilege, dedicated his life to serving the poor and sick, embodying a joyful and adventurous spirit rooted in his deep Catholic faith. Known as the "Man of the Beatitudes," he lived out Christ's teachings through acts of charity, even as his agnostic parents disapproved of his intense piety. He died at age 24 from polio, likely contracted while tending to the sick, and his funeral was attended by thousands of the people he had helped, demonstrating the profound impact of his selfless life.



Celebrate Heritage and Community

All are welcomed to join us this November for our Native American Heritage Luncheon.

We gather to remember our departed loved ones. So, to emphasize this, we ask that each person bring a picture of their loved one(s) that they want to celebrate or remember.

We will also be honoring St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Nicholas Black Elk, and the ancestors on whose shoulders we stand.

Saturday, November 22, 2025
11:00 am-1:00 pm

St. John XXIII Catholic Church
12100 Beech Daly
Redford, Michigan

This is a free event, but registration is required. Seating is limited. Go to www.dominicancenter.org
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SPIRITUALITY FOR MISSION

Trivia Answer:

The Jordan River.

Lector Schedule



Weekend of November 15/16

Saturday, Nov 15, 4:00 PM
Theresa Jordan

Sunday, Nov 16, 9:00 AM
Janeen Bodary

Sunday, Nov 16, 11:00 AM
Sebastian Hernandez

Fall in Love All Over Again!

A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience is a time set aside for you and your spouse to connect more deeply and fan the spark of your love. Through presentations and time for private discussion, WWME offers tools to take your marriage to the next level. Apply today at wwme.org or contact Amy & Joe Kopacz at 517-667-0433 for more info. Upcoming November 21-23
St. Paul of the Cross
Retreat Center - Detroit

Gift Shop Updates

This part of the year seems especially meaningful as November and December bring remembrances of All Saints and All Souls, Thanksgiving, Advent and Christmas. We are busy in the Gift Shop as we try to stock items related to these occasions. Hope you'll stop by to check them out.

For November, we carry cemetery lanterns, wax and solar candles to honor our deceased loved ones. Books on caregiving, loss and grief can comfort and assist us through challenging times. Advent wreaths and candles are stocked to help prepare for Christmas.

The first Sunday of Advent begins the new liturgical church year and, with it, a new cycle of Mass scripture readings. The 2026 St. Joseph pocket sized Sunday Missals are now available. They provide a way to both prepare and enhance Sunday liturgies.

Boxed Christmas cards and Nativity sets will be out on our shelves in the next couple of weeks. Watch for our announcement.

Did you know? The new children's animated series, "The Chosen Adventures," has premiered on Prime Video. This animated series is based on Jesus' relationship to two children who appeared in the original dramatic series. The children, Abigail and Joshua, portray lessons that apply to us all. The series is very clever, humorous and deceptively educational. It's an enjoyable watch for children of all ages. (BTW...we have "The Chosen Adventures" kit with crafts, coloring books, and other activities for the whole family.)

Thank you for your ongoing support.



We want to extend our heartfelt gratitude to the generous parishioners of St. Kateri for helping make our annual Halloween celebration such a huge success once again this year! We welcomed around 2,000-3,000 of our neighbors again this year filling the day with laughter, joy, and an incredible sense of community.

The spirit of fun and togetherness was truly contagious. These moments of celebration are a beautiful reflection of the apostolic work being done through events like this, and we are so grateful for your role in bringing it to life. Please share our gratitude and these photos with the rest of the parish staff.

Again, thank you so much for your generosity in making the day, week or even year of so many of our young neighbors, and for helping their parents and grandparents experience the joy of seeing them so excited! None of this could be possible without you and your kind support. Please keep us in prayer as we do you.

God bless you, Michael Atto
Seminarist, Eparchy of St. Thomas the Apostle

HONORING YOUR LOVED ONES AT CHRISTMAS

Included in this week's bulletin is our 2025 Floral Tribute request form. You may also use the November envelope in your packet, or the form on our website www.stkateridearborn.org. The suggested price is \$10 per name or family name. One very beautiful plant can represent the entire family.

The suggested donation of \$10 per name or family name.

Our deadline is November 30th

Mass INTENTIONS

Tuesday, November 11th

Saint Martin of Tours, Bishop

6:40 PM

Art Lewandowski

(by Joan Lewandowski)

Joann Sajewski (by Family)

Wednesday, November 12th

Saint Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr

9:00 AM

Jim Uniewski (by Carol Uniewski)

Thursday, November 13th

Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin

9:00 AM

Sara Stuk (by Family)

Deceased Members of the Syrian Family (by Family)

Friday, November 14th

9:00 AM

Jeanette Franke (by Gloria Koss)

Deceased Smutek Family

Members in Most Need of God's Mercy (by Family)

Saturday, November 15th

Saint Albert the Great, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

4:00 PM

Deceased Members of the

Benitez Family (by Mary Meyer)

Holy Souls in Purgatory

(by Tony Meyer)

Joe Pulford (by Family)

Carmen & Paul Saliba (by Family)

William Wiczorek

(by Diane Bartos)

Sunday, November 16th

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 AM

Buddy Munoz (by Family)

11:00 AM

Barbara Alban

(by Edward & Michele Bovich)

Rod Rodriguez (by Family)

Sandra Stassen

(by Diane & Alexandra Stassen)



Stewardship Report

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WEEK ENDING	Nov 2	YEAR TO DATE
OFFERTORY	\$ 6,311.00	\$ 96,362.00
ONLINE GIVING	\$ <u>1,171.65</u>	\$ <u>19,968.90</u>
ACTUAL	\$ 7,482.65	\$ 116,330.90
BUDGET	\$ <u>6,000.00</u>	\$ <u>108,000.00</u>
VARIANCE	\$ 1,482.65	\$ 8,330.90

I have given
Christ countless
reasons not to love
me, none of
them changed His
mind.

REST IN PEACE

SUSAN PIASECKI

Wife of Edward Piasecki



*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*

Pleasant Hours Club

meet weekly from
11 a.m. - 3 p.m.
at St. Kateri Church.
on Thursday
Lunch, friendship, cards,
bingo and other fun social
activities.
Membership is open to all
Dearborn residents 50+
and church members.
For more information:
313-943-2414

DEDICATION OF ST. JOHN LATERAN



"Don't shine so that others
can see you. Shine, so that
through you, others can
see Him."

— C.S. Lewis

WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS

David & Vickie York

We are happy you have joined
our parish family.

CATHOLIC TRIVIA

... just for fun

Question: What is the name of the
river Jesus was baptized in?

Answer on Page 3

**Why is it so important that we register in a parish?
Isn't it good enough that we go to Mass?**

Membership requires formally enrolling yourself in a parish. Registration is a commitment to a community. It is also necessary for certain benefits, like scheduling sacraments, obtaining sponsor certificates, and getting donation statements for taxes. Registering in your parish is a statement of faith and confidence in the life and work of your parish.

Readings for the Week

Sunday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3,
5-6, 8-9/1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22

Monday: Wis 1:1-7/Ps 139:1b-3, 4-6,
7-8, 9-10/Lk 17:1-6

Tuesday: Wis 2:23-3:9/Ps 34:2-3, 16-17,
18-19/Lk 17:7-10

Wednesday: Wis 6:1-11/Ps 82:3-4, 6-7/Lk 17:11-19

Thursday: Wis 7:22b-8:1/Ps 119:89,
90, 91, 130, 135, 175/Lk 17:20-25

Friday: Wis 13:1-9/Ps 119:1, 2, 10, 11,
17, 18/Lk 17:26-37

Saturday: Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9/Ps
105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43/Lk 18:1-8

Next Sunday: Mal 3:19-20a/Ps 98:5-6,
7-8, 9 (see 9)/2 Thes 3:7-12/Lk 21:5-19

TO BECOME A MEMBER OF ST. KATERI PARISH

Please 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 NUMBER: _____

EMAIL: _____