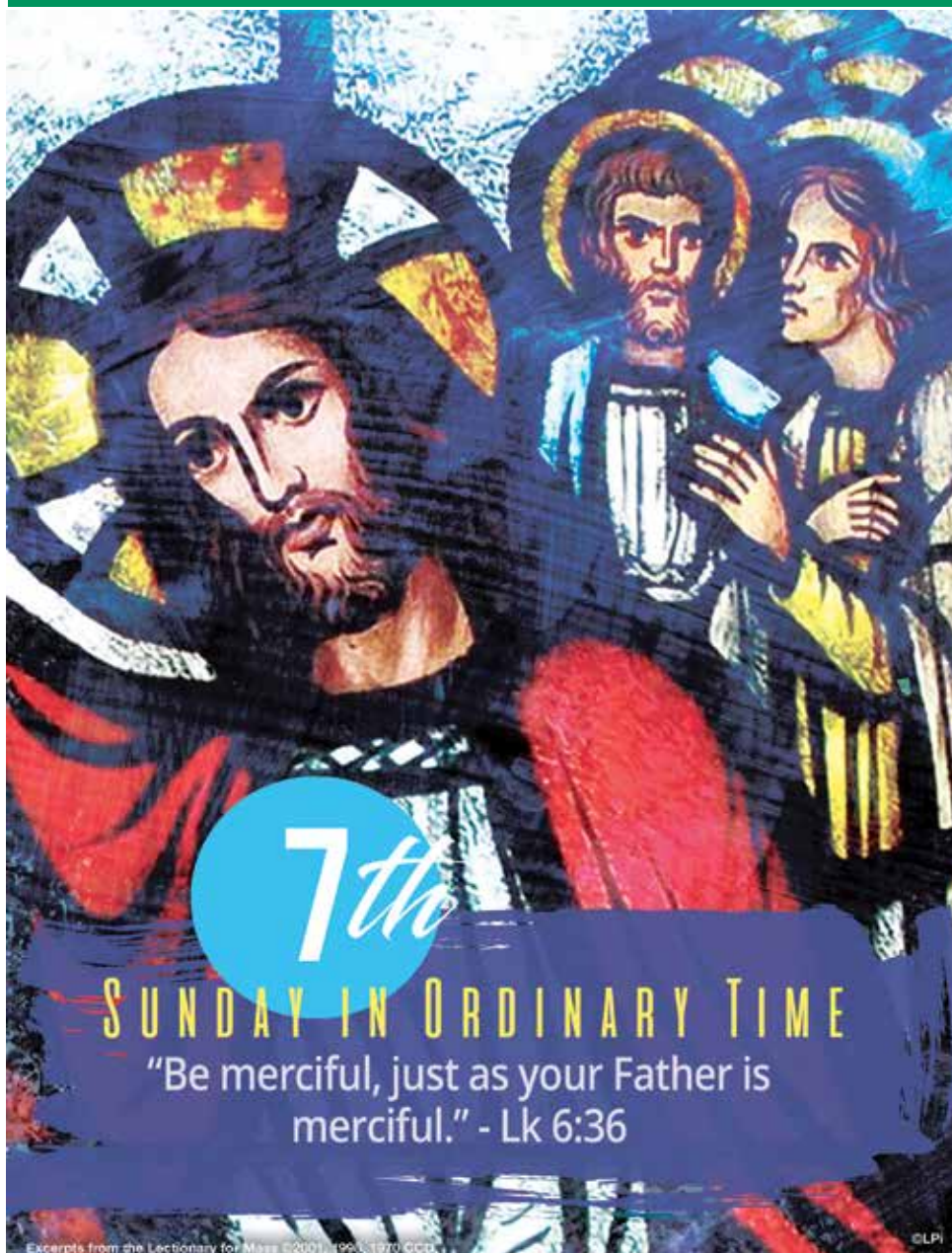


SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

Sunday, February 24, 2019

7th Sunday in Ordinary Time



7th
SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful." - Lk 6:36



**CHECK OUT THE
 NEW AND IMPROVED
 SACRED HEART WEBSITE.**

www.esacredheart.org

Check out the new look and upgrades to our website. The home page features a carousel of upcoming events both at the parish and throughout the Archdiocese. There is a parish calendar for all events under the "News & Events" tab. There is also a list of ministries available for parishioners to help serve others and their parish. And, there are some great links for Catholic Online Resources. We hope the website becomes a useful tool for all to expand their faith.



Congratulations to Newly Baptized

Beauden J. Ososki

Son of Randall & Samantha Ososki

Pray that Beauden and his family be filled with the Holy Spirit and grow in knowledge of Christ's love.



Please Welcome New Members to Sacred Heart Church:

**Matt and Christina Rockwell
 and their children
 Riley, Tanner and Madelyn**

HAPPENINGS AT THE HEART

Afternoon Bible Study	Monday February 25th, 1:00pm
Religious Education	Monday, February 25th, 6:00pm
K of C Meeting	Tuesday, February 26th, 7:00pm
Tenderhearts Bible Study	Wednesday, February 27th, 7:00pm
AA Meeting	Thursday, February 28st, 12:00 Noon
Men's Bible Group	Saturday, March 2nd, 7:30am
AA Meeting	Saturday, March 2nd, 8:00am
Ash Wednesday Mass	Wednesday, March 6th, 7:00pm



HEARTS ON FIRE

at Sacred Heart

Where Faith is Known,
Lived, & Shared

I have come to set the earth on fire, and how I wish it were already blazing. (Luke 12:49)

As you read the Archbishop's letter, based on Synod 16, ask yourselves, "What is the Holy Spirit saying to me?"

**LISTEN to the Archbishop: GUIDEPOST 4—
EQUIPPING FOR THE SERVICE OF THE GOSPEL;
Marker 4.2 Equipping the Evangelizers (cont)—**

[A parish that is a community of missionary disciples is one that provides regular opportunities for parishioners to learn and practice skills such as the following]:
1. Discerning "seeds of the Word"; 2. Ability to explain the kerygma: the core message of the Gospel [Christ loves you; He gave His life to save you so you could live with Him forever; and He "is living at your side every day to enlighten, strengthen, and free you."]. This may include practical training for evangelizing in different contexts—in the extended family, in the workplace, in sports settings, on the street, and so on. [Skills 3-5 will be considered in future bulletins].

UNLEASH THE GOSPEL, pg 31

PRAY: *Tear or cut off this prayer and keep it where you'll remember to pray it throughout the week*

Come, Holy Spirit, to us at Sacred Heart Church and teach us to understand and then to proclaim and explain the kerygma, the very heart of the Gospel message that comes directly from Your heart to ours. Create in us the desire to learn how to speak it; then train us in explaining it in whatever way is appropriate and most effective in the different contexts in which you place us. Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Amen

ACT: What is this letter saying to you? Do you truly know how much God loves you? Have you ever told anyone how much God loves them? Pray for the Holy Spirit to touch your heart in a way that will help you to understand this. And then tell someone else. Baby steps.

To read the entire letter, "Unleash the Gospel" go to unleashthegospel.org



For the word of the Cross is folly to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God
— St. Paul

THE BEAUTY OF BELIEF

A FREE Online Course Designed for the Lay Faithful of the Archdiocese of Detroit and Those Seeking to Unleash the Gospel

We are proud to announce that Sacred Heart Major Seminary is launching a free online course designed for the everyday Catholic seeking to grow and discover the beauty of the Catholic Faith. Our first open, online, non-credit course, *Beauty of Belief*, will feature some of our most respected faculty members and take students on a journey covering six key theological themes and how these unique characteristics radiate the beauty of Christ and his Church.

Dr. Ralph Martin - Beauty of Truth

Dr. Mary Healy - Beauty of Scripture

Dr. Robert Fastiggi - Beauty of Church

Dr. Janet Smith - Beauty of Virtue

Dr. Patricia Cooney-Hathaway - Beauty of Spirituality

Fr. Pieter VanRooyen - Beauty of Hope

This course is not intended to be academically strenuous, and is instead designed to provide enrichment for those with very busy lives and would like to learn more about their faith. This is a perfect activity to prepare and nourish you through the Lenten season. *Beauty of Belief* will begin on March 11 and run through Lent ending on April 20th.

To Register for this Free course go to <http://explore.shms.edu/beautyofbelief>



**SACRED
HEART
MOVIE
NIGHT**

Can we forgive even when someone destroys your livelihood, what you have worked for your whole life, when they kill your best friend? Can you forgive them? Can you forgive yourself? Can you accept Mercy?

Join us on **March 4th at 6:00pm** for Sacred Heart Movie Night to watch the movie *God's not Dead III- A Light in the Darkness*.

If you would like to attend dinner before the movie at 5:30pm of sandwiches, chips, salad and dessert please sign up at the back of Church or on signupgenius.com.

SACRED HEART *Lenten Program*

UNLEASH THE GOSPEL

**Our Proclamation of Hope – The Kerygma
Thursday March 7th at 7pm in Social Hall**

We will watch Father John Ricardo's presentation at Last Fall's Parish day of Renewal about the Kerygma and Unleashing the Gospel and discuss what the Kerygma means to our lives.



REJOICE IN THE LORD ALWAYS

**Sacred Heart Parish Mission
Wednesday, March 20th, March 27th, April 3rd, at 7pm**



St. Paul of the Cross Retreat team will conduct a Parish Retreat for Sacred Heart reflecting on the Words of St. Paul to the Philippians, "Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. Let your gentleness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus."

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday during Lent at 7:00pm

This lent how are you reflecting on God's love through his redemptive act for you? Jesus on the cross said "I thirst", what he thirsted for is you. Come join us every Friday night at 7pm for a different "Stations of the Cross" Presentation. Come pray with your fellow parishioners for your family, for your parish, for your Archdiocese, and for the world; that we may all fall in love with the Lord and share the good news of salvation with all we meet.

- March 8th** Father Cavellier
Traditional Stations
- March 15th** Intercessory Prayer Team
Mary's Way of the Cross
- March 22nd** Knights of Columbus
Prolife Way of the Cross
- March 29th** Religious Education
Children's Way of the Cross
- April 5th** St. Vincent de Paul Society
The Way of the Cross for the Poor
- April 12th** Michael Merlo
*St. Pope John Paul II
Scriptural Way of the Cross*



SACRED HEART ANNUAL *Baby* SHOWER

On **March 9th and March 10th** Sacred Heart Christian Service Commission will be collecting baby items to benefit the pregnant woman and their babies serviced by Oxford Pregnancy Center.

To assist the mothers and babies that are helped at Oxford Pregnancy Center they need all baby items but they are especially in need of the following: **sleepers, onesies, socks, receiving blankets, diapers (size 1-4), and baby wipes, bottles, and baby personal hygiene.** If you would like to help in purchasing car seats and cribs, you can write a check to Oxford Crisis Pregnancy Center.

To counter the negative marketing argument of the media, that all unwanted babies should be aborted, we want to assist Oxford Pregnancy Center in providing needed items for these women and their babies. We want to show them through our generosity that both the moms and their babies are all special and all loved in the eyes of God and also by their neighbors at Sacred Heart and Oxford Pregnancy Center.

Please be generous in your support. If you have any questions please contact **Mary Alice Merlo at 248-375-5378.**

Christian Service Commission



SACRED HEART CHURCH – MARCH 2019

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
24 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:00 am Mass 11:00 am Mass	25 9:00 am Communion Service 1:00 pm Afternoon Bible Study 6:00 pm Religious Ed.	26 9:00 am Mass 7:00 pm K of C	27 9:00 am Mass 7:00 pm Tenderhearts Bible Study	28 9:00 am Mass 12 noon AA	1 9:00 am Mass 9:30 am Adoration 12 Noon Benediction	2 7:30 am Men's Bible Group 8:00 am AA 4:00 pm Mass
3 8th Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:00 am Mass 11:00 am Mass	4 9:00 am Communion Service 1:00 pm Afternoon Bible Study 6:00 pm Religious Ed. 6:00 pm Movie: God's Not Dead III	5 9:00 am Mass 6:30 pm Education Commission 7:00 pm K of C 7:00 pm SYDP	6 Ash Wednesday 9:00 am Mass 7:00 pm Lenten Presentation: Unleash the Gospel with Ashes	7 9:00 am Mass 12 noon AA 7:00 pm Lenten Presentation: Unleash the Gospel	8 9:00 am Mass 4:00 pm K of C Fish Dinner 7:00 pm Stations of the Cross with Father Richard: Traditional Stations	9 7:30 am Men's Bible Group 8:00 am AA 9:00 am Blue Star Mothers 4:00 pm Mass
10 1st Sunday of Lent Daylight Savings Time Begins 9:00 am Mass 10:00 am Intercessory Prayer 11:00 am Mass	11 9:00 am Communion Service 1:00 pm Afternoon Bible Study 6:00 pm Religious Ed.	12 9:00 am Mass	13 9:00 am Mass	14 9:00 am Mass 12 noon AA 6:00 pm Commissions Meeting 7:00 pm Council Meeting	15 9:00 am Mass 4:00 pm K of C Fish Dinner 7:00 pm Stations of the Cross with Intercessory Prayer Team: Mary's Way of the Cross	16 7:30 am Men's Bible Group 8:00 am AA 4:00 pm Mass
17 2nd Sunday of Lent St. Patrick's Day 9:00 am Mass 11:00 am Mass	18 10:00 am Communion Service at Blvd Health Center 1:00 pm Afternoon Bible Study 6:00 pm Religious Ed.	19 9:00 am Mass 7:00 pm K of C	20 9:00 am Mass 7:00 pm SYDP Meeting 7:00 pm Parish Missions	21 9:00 am Mass 12 Noon Senior Moments 12 Noon AA	22 9:00 am Mass 4:00 pm K of C Fish Dinner 7:00 pm Stations of the Cross with the Knights of Columbus: Prolife Way of the Cross	23 7:30 am Men's Bible Group 8:00 am AA 4:00 pm Mass
24 3rd Sunday of Lent 9:00 am Mass 11:00 am Mass	25 9:00 am Communion Service 1:00 pm Afternoon Bible Study 6:00 pm Religious Ed. 6:00 pm Reconciliation Service	26 9:00 am Mass 7:00 pm K of C	27 9:00 am Mass 7:00 pm Parish Missions	28 9:00 am Mass 12 noon AA	29 9:00 am Mass 4:00 pm K of C Fish Dinner 7:00 pm Stations of the Cross with Religious Education Students: Children's Way of the Cross	30 7:30 am Men's Bible Group 8:00 am AA 4:00 pm Mass
24 3rd Sunday of Lent 9:00 am Mass 11:00 am Mass	31 3rd Sunday of Lent 9:00 am Mass 11:00 am Mass 3:00 pm K of C Rosary					

Liturgy Schedule

February 23-24, 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

	Lead E.M.	Lectors	Greeters
Saturday, 4:00 pm Mass	Peg Fitzpatrick	Linda Botson Peg Fitzpatrick	Bill & Celia Brown Bob & Joanne Ames
Sunday, 9:00 am Mass	Dick & Joan Martus	Alec Paulson Gena Galicia	Mike & Jane Maslyn
Sunday 11:00 am Mass	Lita Pascua	Tammy Bliss Mary Alice Merlo	Mike & Sarah Zelinski

March 2-3, 8th Sunday in Ordinary Time

	Lead E.M.	Lectors	Greeters
Saturday, 4:00 pm Mass	JoAnn Eaton	Linda Barrows Greg Barrows	Bill & Celia Brown Bob & Joanne Ames
Sunday, 9:00 am Mass	Ron & Gerrie Iwaszkiewicz	Pete Keating Sandy Stacer	Mike & Jane Maslyn
Sunday 11:00 am Mass	Randy Hopkins	Doug Rusch Toni Rusch	Doug & Toni Rusch Lita Pascua



PRAY FOR . . .

*Names will be published for 3 weeks.
If a name has been removed that you wish
to have re-established, please call the
Parish Office at 248-852-4170*

Andy Serocki	Ron McCain	Kris Mueting
Michelle Schieble	William Thibodeau	Fred Schneider
Christine Agosta	Laura Langlois	Luke Niehof
Lorraine Caradonna	Margret O'Donnell	Linda Rodman
Luke Niehof	Tania Romanowski-Price	Wayne Herman
Ryan Nantais	Jackson Hensley	Leslie Wagner
Robert Grau	Thomas Reckling	Sue Augustyn
Steve Botson	Betty Andress	Barbara Beacom
Barbara Xenakis	Wes Andress	Richard Kessler
Mike Wendells	Victor Kochajda	Diane Hurd
Don Meyer	Tony Pieroni	Kristin Hammett
Brenda Pavlik	Irene Herman	Deacon Jack Parent
Bill Netter	Michele Morin Daly	Greg Reaume
Roger Byrd	Rich Mueting	

Scripture Readings for the Week



Sunday, February 24:

1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23/
Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13
[8a]/1 Cor 15:45-49/Lk 6:27-38

Monday, February 25:

Sir 1:1-10/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2,
5 [1a]/Mk 9:14-29

Tuesday, February 26:

Sir 2:1-11/Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28,
39-40 [cf. 5]/Mk 9:30-37

Wednesday, February 27:

Sir 4:11-19/Ps 119:165, 168, 171, 172,
174, 175 [165a]/Mk 9:38-40

Thursday, February 28:

Sir 5:1-8/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [40:5a]/
Mk 9:41-50

Friday, March 1:

Sir 6:5-17/Ps 119:12, 16, 18, 27,
34, 35 [35a]/Mk 10:1-12

Saturday, March 2:

Sir 17:1-15/Ps 103:13-14, 15-16,
17-18 [cf. 17]/Mk 10:13-16

Sunday, March 3:

Sir 27:4-7/Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16
[cf. 2a]/1 Cor 15:54-58/Lk 6:39-45

EUCHARISTIC SCHEDULE FOR THE INFIRMED

Boulevard Hills	American House (Adams)	American House (Auburn)	Oakmont
Sunday	Tuesday	Tuesday	Thursday
Feb. 24 – Team C	Feb. 26 – Team B	Feb. 26 – Team B	Feb. 28 – Team B
Mar. 3 – Team D	Mar. 5 – Team C	Mar. 5 – Team C	Mar. 7 – Team C

OUR GIFT TO GOD THE WEEKEND OF FEBRUARY 17, 2019

Number of Envelopes:	128
Number of Envelopes Sent Out:	400
Percent Envelopes Not Used:	68%
Total Offertory:	\$11,094



Mass Intentions

Rosary said one-half hour before daily Mass

Saturday, February 23, 2019

4:00 p.m.

† Larry Cifani by Family

† Gerry Hart

Sunday, February 24, 2019

9:00 a.m.

† Francis Sylvester by Family

11:00 a.m.

† Julie Koppin

Monday, February 25, 2019

10:00 a.m. Communion Service

Margaret Goldsmith

Tuesday, February 26 2019

9:00 a.m.

† Tim Tomasko

Wednesday, February 27, 2019

9:00 a.m.

† Patrick Elwell

† Christine Iannamico

Thursday, February 28, 2019

9:00 a.m.

† Mary Monica Flood

† Stanley Golembeski

† John Ward

Friday, March 1, 2019

9:00 a.m.

† Catherine Malerich

† Bernice Barduca

Saturday, March 2, 2019

4:00 p.m.

† Larry Cifani

Sunday, March 3, 2019

9:00 a.m.

† Jerome & Agnes Snyder by William Snyder/

† Rosemary Burns

11:00 a.m.

† Tere Patterson by David & Audrey

† Joseph Pellerito by Elaine Kruse

Sacred Heart Parish

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Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Wed, Sat & Sun: Closed

Pastor: Rev. Fr. Richard Cavellier x22
Pastoral Associate and Director of Religious Education: Michael Merlo x12
Deacon: Rev. Mr. Jack Parent
Office Assistant: Carol Bissa x10
Music Minister: John Welch

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MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 9:00 a.m.

Monday Communion Service

Saturday 4:00 p.m.

Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

RECONCILIATION

Saturday, 3:00 p.m.

BAPTISMS

Please call the Parish Office for arrangements, Call 3 to 6 months before birth of child.

RCIA

RCIA program for adult entrance into the Church begins each fall. Please call the Parish Office for information.

MARRIAGES

Arrangements to be made with priest. Call at least 6 months to a year prior to wedding.

EUCCHARISTIC CHAPEL

Come and pray anytime.

NEW MEMBER REGISTRATION

Please stop by or call the Parish Office

BULLETIN

Deadline: Articles are due by Friday (10 days before) at 5:00 p.m.

Bulletin Editor Email:

bulletin@esacredheart.org

Parish Mission Statement

Sacred Heart parish is a living and giving Roman Catholic community.

We welcome people from all walks of life as we celebrate God's presence in the Eucharist and we proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ by serving all, teaching boldly and rejoicing always.

OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN THE SERVICE

Sergeant Daniel Pendell
 Joseph Destefano, serving in Iraq
 Patrick Carraher
 Staff Sergeant Arbor Laclave,
 serving in the Middle East
 CPL Cory Short

Officer Ryan Gielegem, Navy,
 USS Dallas, Deployed
 Staff Sergeant Timothy James Lowe
 Sergeant Joel Bock, National Guard
 Major Daniel Droste
 Kaitlyn Tullock, U.S. Marines
 James Buster, Active Duty