

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

Sunday, September 22, 2019

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Next Weekend at Sacred Heart!

END DISMEMBERMENT ABORTION PETITION DRIVE

An opportunity is before Michigan citizens. By working together, we can ban the inhumane abortion procedure known as the D&E or dilation and evacuation method.

This method of abortion uses surgical instruments to forcibly remove arms and legs from a living human being in the womb.

Michigan's Constitution allows the people to initiate legislation through a petition. With 400,000 signatures, the petition would help create legislation that would amend our partial-birth abortion ban by adding the equally horrific dismemberment abortion procedure to that ban. The advantage of this approach is that the bill's language cannot be changed by the legislature, but more importantly, it cannot be vetoed by the governor!

Next weekend tables will be set up in the back of church for the Petition Drive to these abortions. Please plan now to sign the petition, and help defend life in Michigan! Any citizen of the U.S., 18 and older may sign.

To help in the drive, contact Sean Sylvester at seansyl@yahoo.com or at 248-631-8829.

SIGN UP THIS WEEKEND FOR
—FALL—
ADULT EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

This fall Sacred Heart will be offering several programs to enhance the most important part of our lives – our faith. On Sept. 21st you will have an opportunity to sign up for the fall faith growing events listed below.

- **SUNDAY MORNING FROM 10:00 - 10:50AM – “DAVID THE KING” BY BISHOP BARRON:** Explore the compelling stories of King David and understand his foreshadowing of Jesus Christ, the King of Kings. Then address thought provoking questions such as: are you a king? What kind of a King are you? As a son or daughter of God, how do you live out this Kingship?
- **MONDAY AFTERNOON FROM 1:00 - 2:30PM – “THE GOSPEL OF ST. MARK”:** Why does Mark's Gospel seem to be so short and lacking details of the other synoptic Gospels? Why does Mark always having things occur “immediately” (Mark uses the word immediate over 40 times)? Why is Mark's Gospel so focused on the death of Jesus? Come learn more about Mark's message of hope in Jesus in this study of the follower of both Peter and Paul!
- **WEDNESDAY EVENING WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY FROM 7:00 - 8:30PM. – “ROMANS, THE GOSPEL OF SALVATION”:** Romans: The Gospel of Salvation explores the ways in which Jesus is the fulfillment of Israel's prophecies. We will learn; the Catholic teaching on salvation, how to explain salvation to non-Christians, what is required for salvation—faith or works, what Paul really means by “works” not leading to salvation, how Christ's death changed our relationship with God, and how we can enter more deeply into Christ.
- **SATURDAY MORNING MEN'S SCRIPTURE REFLECTION FROM 7:30-8:30AM.:** Come share an hour with the Lord and your brothers in Christ as we prepare for Sunday's Scripture readings by discerning how they apply to us, our lives, our problems, our needs and our hope.



There will be a special collection
THIS WEEKEND for the
Priests Retirement Fund
Please give generously.

HAPPENINGS AT THE HEART

K of C meeting	Tuesday, September 24, 7:00pm
Men's Scripture Reflection	Saturday, September 28, 7:30am
AA Meeting	Saturday, September 28, 8:00am
Religious Ed Kick-off Pancake Breakfast	Sunday, September 29, 10:00am
End Abortion Petition Drive	Saturday & Sunday, September 28-29 After all Masses
5th Sunday Rosary	Sunday, September 29, 2:00pm
First Day of Religious Education Classes/ <i>The Kerygma</i>	Monday, September 30, 6:00pm



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)

LISTEN to the Archbishop: GUIDEPOST 7 - FAMILIES; Marker 7.1: Ministry to Families (cont)

In recent generations, the pattern for many Catholic parents has been to delegate their children's religious education entirely to the parish, assuming that by doing so they fulfilled their obligation to pass on the faith. Parishes must make every effort to resist this pattern, since catechizing children has little effect if parents themselves are not living as disciples of Jesus. Parishes must look for ways to make catechesis and sacramental preparation family-based, helping parents grow in discipleship so that they can then form their children.

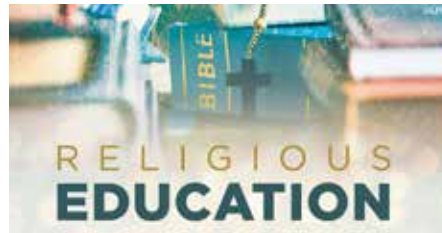
UNLEASH THE GOSPEL, pg 39

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

Come, Holy Spirit, to Sacred Heart Church. Give us strength and the will to "resist the pattern" where parents delegate their children's religious education entirely to the parish. Open the hearts and minds of parents to recognize both the necessity for them, and their "obligation," to participate in catechesis and sacramental preparation. Lead parents to grow in discipleship so that they become "living disciples of Jesus" who then can "form their children," both modeling the Christian life, and also benefiting themselves from a closer relationship with our Lord and a better understanding of our Catholic faith. Come Holy Spirit, set our hearts on fire to become joyful missionary disciples!

ACT: What is this letter saying to you? Can others tell that you are a disciple of Jesus? Pray first (always), then commit to taking one step to better model the Christian life. If you are a parent, pray and commit to participation in whatever "family-based" catechesis your children will be involved in this year at Sacred Heart so you will be better able to "form your children."

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



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION 2019-2020

1st through 8th Grade

If you missed our Early Bird registration there is still time to sign your children or grandchildren up for Religious Education. Contact the office (248-852-4170 x10) or Director of Religious Education, Michael Merlo (248-852-410 x12). We will gladly provide the information you need to enroll your little ones.

ADAMS ROAD FALL CLEAN-UP SATURDAY, SEPT. 28TH

Come join the Sacred Heart Council #8659 of the Knights of Columbus in their Fall Clean-Up of Adams Road, Saturday, Sept. 28th.



All ages are invited! This is a chance to let the 'rubber' of your civic responsibility to 'hit the road.' Get some exercise, share some great fellowship, and do some good, all at the same time! We will meet at the parking lot of the Flagstar Bank on Adams Road and Marketplace Circle (near Meijers) and will start at 8:00am sharp and should be finished by 9:30am. Bagels and coffee will be available at 7:45 AM. For more information, contact **Ken Schack** at kschack@comcast.com.



Holy Family Regional School

A School of God...
A School of Academic Excellence

CYO WINTER SPORTS

Open to Sacred Heart Parishioners

ONLINE REGISTRATION FOR:
Basketball • Bowling • Cheerleading

Basketball & Cheer open to Grades 5-8
Bowling open to Grades 4-8

Register online at www.holyfam.org



ANNUAL PREGNANCY AND INFANT LOSS MASS

We invite you to join us for the Annual Pregnancy and Infant Loss Mass on October 6, 2019 at 11 a.m. at the Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament. Archbishop Allen H. Vigneron will celebrate a Mass where we will remember the babies, infants and children who have died and turn with hope to the Lord for comfort.

A prayer will be offered for families who have lost a pregnancy, infant, baby or child and a blessing will be given to married couples who desire a baby.



Please let us know if you desire a blessing for a baby and/or the name of the baby, infant, or child who has died. RSVP to PregnancyMass@aod.org or (313)237-4679.

CALLING ALL MEN

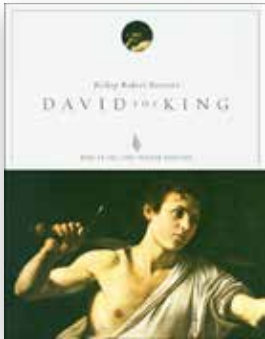
Please consider joining the Sacred Heart Men's Bible Study on Saturday mornings from 7:30 to 8:30 in Father Kreft Hall.

We will read, pray, and discuss what God is telling us through his word, by reviewing Sunday's three



readings. No experience needed, accept a desire, a yearning to bring God and his Word into our lives. Please join us any and every Saturday. If you have any questions or concerns, please call Michael Merlo at 248-852-4170 ext.12

Bishop Robert Barron's DAVID THE KING



Sacred Heart parish will soon experience how the whole Bible opens up once it's viewed through the person of David. David's

kingship recalls the kingship of Adam in the Garden of Eden, and also foreshadows the kingship of Jesus Christ. Adam was the first king and steward of the rightly ordered Garden of Eden, but he failed. Later, David emerged as one following the heart of God with the challenge of bringing the world under the Lordship of God. But being human and thus imperfect, David did not accomplish the task. So God promised to send a son of David who would be the perfect and eternal King. Join us on Sundays in October and November as we unpack this mystery of kingship and how it related to our kingship under Christ.

CATECHETICAL SUNDAY CELEBRATION "KICK-OFF" FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast!

On **Sunday, Sept. 29th**, the Sacred Heart Community will be celebrating Catechetical Sunday with a special 9:00 am Mass with a blessing of the teachers and students of our Religious Education program. To celebrate this Catechetical Sunday the Sacred Heart Council of the Knights of Columbus will generously be serving a delicious Pancake Breakfast in Father Kreft Hall. All parishioners, are invited to join us for this special Mass and Pancake Breakfast to support the religious education program. Just as we know it takes a village to raise a child, we also know it takes a whole parish to pass on the faith to our children. All are invited to show support to our parents, children, and catechists, as we share a great meal and pray together for God's blessing over this most important mission we have. A free will offering will be accepted.

5TH SUNDAY ROSARY SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

Come join the Sacred Heart Council of the Knights of Columbus for a special Rosary on Sunday, Sept. 29th at 2:00pm.

Our Blessed Mother has asked again and again, throughout the centuries of the Church's history, for us to pray the rosary to gain her powerful intercession against the lies and snares of the Devil. Today especially, in the midst of all the moral confusion of our times, we need Mary's guidance to discover the power and presence of Her Son, and our Lord. Now is the time! Don't wait to discover the joys of the rosary. All ages are invited!



You are Invited to the 2019 Women's Fall Scripture Study



Explore how Jesus leads us into God's universal (catholic) family by fulfilling Israel's prophecies! ♦ See how salvation is about sharing in Christ's divine life, not just canceling a guilty verdict! ♦ Make sense of the difficult passages regarding faith, works, and justification! ♦ Experience warm and caring fellowship of other women believers!

Romans: The Gospel of Salvation

Wednesdays, 10/9/19 - 12/4/19 (skip 11/27) | 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. | Father Kreft Hall

\$35.00 includes study guide and streaming video access

Questions: Call Nancy Piotrowski at 248-879-1994

To register, fill out the form below (please print). Detach and mail with your payment to:

Toni Rusch, 510 Buttercup Drive, Rochester Hills, MI 48307



NAME: _____

EMAIL: _____

PHONE: _____

Include \$35 check payable to Sacred Heart Church.

ST. BENEDICT MONASTERY ANNUAL FUNDRAISER

The Monks of St. Benedict Monastery invite you to their Annual Fundraiser Event to be held Saturday Nov. 9, 2019 at the Boulder Pointe Golf Club and Banquet Center in Oxford from 5:30PM-11:00PM. All of the proceeds go to supporting the monastic life of the Benedictine Monks and the spiritual support they bring to our community. St. Benedict Monastery is not financially supported through the Archdiocese of Detroit. This annual benefit dinner helps provide the means to continue faith formation for youth and adults at the monastery and Subiaco Retreat House. The event includes a dinner, silent auction, and raffle with the chance to win up to \$5,000 (Need not be present to win). Dinner Tickets are \$65 per person and Raffle Tickets are \$75. For more information contact:

Br. Paul Culver, O.S.B., St. Benedict Monastery
2711 E. Drahner Rd., Oxford, MI. 48370 | (248) 628-2249

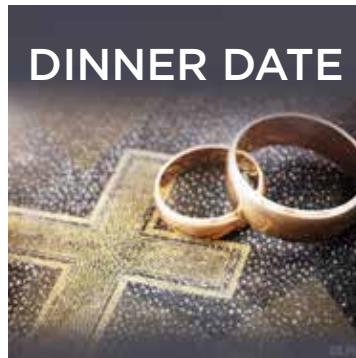
DINNER DATE WITH YOUR SPOUSE AT CAPUCHIN RETREAT IN WASHINGTON, MI

Sunday, September 29, 2019
4:00 Registration
4:30 Social and Refreshments
5:15 Delicious Dinner
6:15- 8:15 Inspiring Program

EXPERIENCING THE BRIGHT COLORS IN YOUR MARRIAGE

Reserve this date and come to Capuchin Retreat in Washington, MI and be inspired and renewed in your marriage. There are many beautiful colors of loving experiences in every marriage. Fall reminds us of the highlights in marriage and in life. This Fall evening will help you to appreciate the good and beautiful experiences in your marriage. Reserve the date. You will be renewed and inspired and become closer to each other. Fred Cavaiani, LMFT, LLP, licensed marriage and Family Therapist, Psychologist, Spiritual Director and staff member at Capuchin Retreat will facilitate this most inspiring program.

\$60.00 per couple includes social, dinner and program.
Call and make your reservation at Capuchin Retreat: 248-651-4826
or register online at www.capretreat.org.



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Detroit Catholic frequently receives questions about how to subscribe to our email newsletters. There are three newsletters available: daily, weekly and monthly. Each edition of our newsletter brings stories of how God is at work renewing the Church throughout the archdiocese to your inbox.

We have created an easy-to-remember URL for you to use and share with family, friends and those to whom you minister: detroitcatholic.com/subscribe

Sincerely yours in Christ, Detroit Catholic

SACRED HEART MOVIE NIGHTS RETURN THIS FALL



Breakthrough | Monday, Nov. 11



The Lion, The Witch & The Wardrobe
Monday, Dec. 18



Unplanned | Monday, Feb. 17



Overcomer | Monday, March 2

**DINNER AT 5:30 PM
MOVIE AT 6:00 PM**



Mass Intentions

Rosary said one-half hour
before daily Mass

Saturday, September 21, 2019

4:00 p.m.

- † Tim Tomasko
- † Arnulfo & Encarnacion Artesano
- † Frederick Samrah by Family

Sunday, September 22, 2019

9:00 a.m.

- † Margaret Shehab
- † Arnulfo & Encarnacion Artesano
- † Joseph Palathinkao
by Joseph Family
- † Theresa Anthony
by Joseph Family

11:00 a.m.

- † Richard Miller

Monday, September 23, 2019

Communion Service

9:00 a.m.

- Phyllis Marek

Tuesday, September 24, 2019

9:00 a.m.

- † Gerry Hart
- † Frederick Samrah
- † Arnulfo & Encarnacion Artesano

Wednesday, September 25, 2019

9:00 a.m.

- † Michael Ardelean
- † Jeannine Griseto by
Richard & Aline Connor

Thursday, September 26, 2019

9:00 a.m.

- † Francis Sylvester

Friday, September 27, 2019

9:00 a.m.

- † Christine Iannamico
- † Enright Kroetsch
- † Barbara Beacom

Saturday, September 28, 2019

4:00 p.m.

- † Margaret Landry
- † Frederick Samrah by Family
- † Giselle & Norman Wicciorek
by MaryAnn Goodlaski

Sunday, September 29, 2019

9:00 a.m.

- † Patrick Elwell
- † John Ward by Family

11:00 a.m.

- † Jim Tomlinson
- † Joan Lentz by Family
- † Richard Miller by Choir



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

Betty Andress
Wes Andress
Victor Kochajda
Michele Morin Daly
Rich Mueting
Kris Mueting
Fred Schneider
Luke Niehof
Linda Rodman
Leslie Wagner
Diane Hurd
Kristin Hammett

Deacon Jack Parent
Greg Reaume
Phyllis Marek
Carlene Zollner
Andrew Nantais
Richard Booms
Lois Bottrell
Ed Lentz
Andrew Serocki
Ursula Ryan
Sherman Rainge
Mark McDonald

Tom Guibord
Barbara Xenakis
Linda Pingilley
Audrey Patterson
Arjola Velaj
Robert VanEenoo
Helen Glinski
Jerry Glinski
Jim Carnacchi
Samantha Graves
Becky Dalman
Margaret Odnell

Scripture Readings for the Week



Sunday, September 22:

Am 8:4-7/Ps 113:1-2, 4-6,
7-8 [cf. 1a, 7b]/1 Tm 2:1-8/Lk
16:1-13 or 16:10-13

Monday, September 23:

Ezr 1:1-6/Ps 126:1b-2ab, 2cd-3,
4-5, 6 [3]/Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday, September 24:

Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20/Ps 122:1-2,
3-4ab, 4cd-5 [1]/Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday, September 25:

Ezr 9:5-9/Tb 13:2, 3-4a, 4befghn,
7-8 [1b]/Lk 9:1-6

Thursday, September 26:

Hg 1:1-8/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a
and 9b [cf. 4a]/Lk 9:7-9

Friday, September 27:

Hg 2:1-9/Ps 43:1, 2, 3, 4 [5]/Lk
9:18-22

Saturday, September 28:

Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a/Jer 31:10,
11-12a, 13 [cf. 10d]/Lk 9:43b-45

Sunday, September 29:

Am 6:1a, 4-7/Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10
[1b]/1 Tm 6:11-16/Lk 16:19-31

OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN THE SERVICE

Sergeant Daniel Pendell
Joseph Destefano, serving in Iraq
Patrick Carraher
Staff Sergeant Arbor Laclave
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

Patience is power ...
it is "timing"; it waits
on the right time to
act, for the right
principles and in the
right way.

—Ven. Fulton Sheen

Liturgy Schedule

September 21–22, 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time			
	Lead E.M.	Lectors	Greeters
Saturday, 4:00 pm Mass	Peg Fitzpatrick	Mary Tavernit Jerry Lingeman	Bill & Celia Brown Bob & Joanne Ames
Sunday, 9:00 am Mass	Joan & Dick Martus	Pete Keating Sean Sylvester	Bernie DeLano
Sunday 11:00 am Mass	Karen & Joe Ziembo	Nancy Piotrowski Mary Alice Merlo	Mary Alice Merlo Randy Hopkins

September 28–29, 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time			
	Lead E.M.	Lectors	Greeters
Saturday, 4:00 pm Mass	Linda Caspary	Kitty Vigneau Peg Fitzpatrick	Bill & Celia Brown Bob & Joanne Ames
Sunday, 9:00 am Mass	Mike & Jane Maslyn	Alec Paulson Sandy Stacer	Bernie DeLano
Sunday 11:00 am Mass	Lita Pascua	Doug Rusch Toni Rusch	Karen Ziembo

EUCHARISTIC SCHEDULE FOR THE INFIRMED			
Boulevard Hills (Pomeroy Living)	American House (Adams)	American House (Auburn)	Oakmont
Sunday	Tuesday	Tuesday	Thursday
Sept 22 – Team A	Sept 24 – Team D	Sept 24 – Team D	Sept 26 – Team D
Sept 29 – Team B	Oct 1 – Team A	Oct 1 – Team A	Oct 3 – Team A

Parish Mission Statement

Sacred Heart parish is a loving 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 GIFT TO GOD THE WEEKEND OF SEPTEMBER 15, 2019	
Number of Envelopes:	97
Number of Envelopes Sent Out:	400
Percent Envelopes Not Used:	76%
Total Offertory:	\$6394



Sacred Heart Parish

<p>SACRED HEART OFFICE 3400 S. Adams, Auburn Hills, MI 48326 248-852-4170 FAX: 248-852-5745 sacredheartauburnhills@gmail.com www.esacredheart.org</p> <p>OFFICE HOURS: Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Wed, Sat & Sun: Closed</p> <p>LEADERSHIP AND STAFF Pastor: Rev. Fr. Richard Cavellierx22 Pastoral Associate & Director of Religious Education: Michael Merlo ...x12 Deacon: Rev. Mr. Jack Parent Office Assistant: Carol Bissax10 Music Minister: John Welch</p> <p>MASS SCHEDULE Monday Communion Service Tues., Wed., Thur. and Fri. 9:00 a.m. Saturday 4:00 p.m. Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.</p>	<p>PARISH COUNCIL</p> <p>COMMISSIONS Christian Service Member Colleen Sylvester 248-853-5717</p> <p>Education Member JoAnn Eaton 248-361-2854</p> <p>Finance Member Ron Iwaszkiewicz 248-852-1303</p> <p>Worship Member JoAnn Eaton 248-361-2854</p> <p>Member at Large Mary Alice Merlo 248-375-5378</p> <hr/> <p>KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Sacred Heart Council 8659 www.kofc8659.com</p> <p>Dan Heath (GK) 248-343-9622 Sam Crowl (MD) 248-980-4636 samcrowl@comcast.net</p>	<p>SACRAMENTS & INFORMATION</p> <p>RECONCILIATION Saturday, 3:00 p.m.</p> <p>BAPTISMS Please call the Parish Office for arrangements, Call 3 to 6 months before birth of child.</p> <p>MARRIAGES Arrangements to be made with priest. Call at least 6 months to a year prior to wedding.</p> <p>RCIA RCIA program for adult entrance into the Church begins each fall. Please call the Parish Office for information.</p> <p>EUCHARISTIC CHAPEL Come and pray anytime.</p> <p>NEW MEMBER REGISTRATION Please stop by or call the Parish Office</p> <p>BULLETIN Deadline: Articles are due by Friday (10 days before) at 5:00 p.m. Bulletin Editor Email: bulletin@esacredheart.org</p>
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