

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

Sunday, June 20, 2021

12th Sunday in Ordinary Time



12TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He woke up, rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Quiet! Be still!"
The wind ceased and there was great calm. Then he asked them,
"Why are you terrified? Do you not yet have faith?" - Mk 4:39-40

CSA 2021: FUEL THE MISSION

Please consider making a gift to the
Catholic Services Appeal (CSA) 2021.

Our parish is doing fine with the donations but only 30% of households have participated so far contributing nearly 70% of the total.

This is fine thus far, but if the other 350 families would mail in their donations we would be well over our goal and have a nice extra amount 100% for the use of the parish for improvements. Please, if you have not sent in your card thus far, please, do so in the near future.

"Whatever you do, do from the heart" (Colossians 3:23)

HAPPY
Father's
DAY!

Reflect

AND RESPOND TO SCRIPTURE

FIRST READING:

Much of the book of Job addresses the mystery of suffering and God's role in human affairs. Today we hear part of God's response to Job's questioning with images of the sea and raging waters, representing

God's power and omniscience. What helps remind you it is God who governs the universe with purpose and fidelity?

SECOND READING:

Paul encouraged the Corinthians to have the conviction of faith that since Christ died for all, believers should now live for him. In doing so, we become a "new creation."

How have you seen this happen in your life as a person of faith?

GOSPEL:

Early in their following of Jesus, the disciples' witness of the miracle of Jesus calming the storm at sea led them to ask: "Who then is this whom even wind and sea obey?"

How would you explain to others who wonder about the divinity of Jesus?



HEARTS ON FIRE

at Sacred Heart
Where Faith is Known,
Lived, & Shared

"Be who God meant you to be and you will set the world on fire!" St. Catherine of Siena

LISTEN to the Church teaching about Charisms given to individual believers: **1)** They are given to all the baptized since they are part of the gift of the Holy Spirit. **2)** All charisms are to be received with "thanksgiving and consolation" . . . not ignored in false humility. **3)** "Each person is required first to have a knowledge and discernment of his or her own charisms and those of others" . . . **4)** Each believer has the "right and duty" to use his charisms in the Church and in the world for the good of others. . . [The parish] is a place where they can discern and be encouraged to exercise their charisms in the whole of their life. **5)** The charisms "lavished" on the baptized call each individual to be "active and co-responsible" for the mission of the Church. There is no place for passivity in the Kingdom. (Fruitful Discipleship, by Sherry Weddell—Continued next week)

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

Come, Holy Spirit, Lord of the Gifts, to Sacred Heart Church and to our Sister Parishes; Enliven the charisms you gave each of us at Baptism so we can see and use them. We thank you and praise you for sharing your power with us so that your Will may be accomplished through us in your Church. We are sorry if we have ignored or avoided your call in the past—in your mercy, forgive us for not recognizing our "right and duty." But now, send us the light of your presence so that we may discern and then exercise our charisms. Move us from a place of passivity to being "active and co-responsible" for accomplishing the mission of the Church. Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in us the fire of your love as we discern and use our charisms. Amen!

ASK & ACT: What is the Church saying to **me** about charisms? Am **I** amazed (and maybe a little afraid) of the idea that I might have a special gift from my baptism that I have a "right and duty" to use in the Church for others? And that **I** am in some way "co-responsible" for the mission of the Church? I will honestly assess where I have been "passive" in my faith and ask the Holy Spirit to show me how to be more "active and co-responsible" for the mission of "Unleashing the Gospel!"

Go to familiesofparishes.org to see more about Family of Parishes

Saint OF THE WEEK

JUNE 21 | SAINT ALOYSIUS GONZAGA

June 21 is the feast day of St. Aloysius Gonzaga. The time and place where he grew up — 16th-century Italy — is not very different from 21st century America. It was a lax, morally careless, self-indulgent age. Aloysius saw the decadence around him and vowed not to be part of it. Like any teenage boy, he wanted to have a good time, and as a member of an aristocratic family he had plenty of opportunities for amusement. He enjoyed horse races, banquets and the elaborate parties held in palace gardens. But if Aloysius found himself at a social function that took a turn to the lascivious, he left.



Aloysius wanted to be a priest. When he was 12 or 13, he invented for himself a program he thought would prepare him for the religious life. He climbed out of bed in the middle of the night to put in extra hours kneeling on the cold stone floor of his room. Occasionally, he even beat himself with a leather dog leash. Aloysius was trying to become a saint by sheer willpower. It was not until he entered the Jesuit novitiate in Rome that he had a spiritual director — St. Robert Bellarmine — to guide him.

Bellarmino put a stop to Aloysius' boot camp approach to sanctity, commanding him to follow the Jesuit rule of regular hours of prayer and simple acts of self-control and self-denial. Aloysius thought the Jesuits were too lenient, but he obeyed. Such over-the-top zeal may have exasperated Bellarmine, but he believed that Aloysius' fervor was genuine and that with proper guidance the boy might be a saint.

Then, in January 1591, the plague struck Rome. With the city's hospitals overflowing with the sick and the dying, the Jesuits sent every priest and novice to work in the wards. This was a difficult assignment for the squeamish Aloysius. Once he started working with the sick, however, fear and disgust gave way to compassion. He went into the streets of Rome and carried the ill and the dying to the hospital on his back. There he washed them, found them a bed, or at least a pallet, and fed them. Such close contact with the sick was risky. Within a few weeks, Aloysius contracted the plague himself and died. He was 23 years old. He is the patron saint of AIDS care-givers, AIDS patients, Catholic youth, Jesuit students, sore eyes, and teenagers.



LEARNING MORE ABOUT FAMILY OF PARISHES

To learn more about Family of Parishes go to our website at esacredheart.org and watch the new AOD Youtube video on family of parishes. Or you can go to Youtube directly and watch *A New Way to Respond to Our Call | Pentecost 2021*.



The fruitfulness of evangelization depends upon the graces called down through intercession.

As we celebrate Fathers Day, let us pray:

~ *May Fr. Mark Brauer, our Moderator, and Fr. Craig Marion, the priest newly assigned to us for the summer, and Fr. John Vandennakker, the priest who will be coming in the fall, view their pastoral role to be "spiritual fathers who bring God's children to birth*

and nurture them to maturity in Christ."

~ *For those searching for God, may the love of the Father who loves them so dearly, lead them home.*

~ *As the time approaches for the transition to the new Families of Parishes format, may the God of new beginnings guide us and guard against all fear and division.*

~ *May all fathers, natural, adoptive and spiritual, be led by the Holy Spirit to guide the children God has entrusted to them into the Truth of the Faith and the Church.*

We ask all this in the Name of the Father, the Son & the Holy Spirit (Sign of the Cross). Amen.

THE KNIGHTS HONOR FATHERS THIS FATHERS' DAY

The Knights of Columbus, of Council #8659 would like to show our gratitude to all the fathers of our parish



this Father's Day by gifting them after Masses with a special St. Joseph prayer card.

Please know of our support to all fathers. It was the vision of Blessed

Fr. McGivney, when he created the Knights of Columbus, that it would be a source of material and spiritual support to families, but especially to fathers.

Through the intercession of St. Joseph and Blessed Fr. McGivney, may God bless you in your sacred vocation!

GOSPEL MEDITATION

ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

As we look at our lives and world events, do we ever find ourselves wondering if God is sleeping? After all, maybe God's patient, unconditional love has run its course and He is finally fed up with humanity's reluctance to accept the truth about who we are. God really can't be that patient! All throughout human history, many have prayed to God for intervention or for particular needs. Because their prayers were not answered in the way they wanted or anticipated, they felt that God may have abandoned them. Were they right? It seems that we are continuing, at a rapid rate, down a path of destruction. Do you not care, God, that we may be perishing? When the boats of our lives are rocking and the seas tumultuous, we want to know that we have God's attention. Even more so, we want God's intervention.

Maybe the storms and the waves are necessary. If we listen, they can teach us valuable lessons. Without them, we would never learn that we have the strength to endure, understand the uselessness of fear and worry,

or develop the ability to really trust. If God immediately rushed in and simply calmed things down before they got difficult, what good would that really be?

We would miss opportunities to learn how to drink more deeply of life, treasure its complexity, irony, and beauty and fully engage ourselves in surrendering to the love of our Creator. It is easy to walk on the surface of life without immersing ourselves in its messiness. Life has to burn its way through us in order to bring us to a place of secure trust. It's unfortunate that some prefer a shallower journey.

That's the balancing act that comes with faith. It is not God's job to prevent us from encountering the torrential rains and winds of life. Many believe that if faith is done the right way, that God will provide



for smooth sailing. That's not how it works. God permits us to ride out the difficult stuff knowing that the storm will eventually be calmed. Do we not have faith that God will do this? True faith trusts in the steadfastness of God's love when the seas are calm and when they are choppy. God's unconditional loving presence shines through all of it and endures forever. Knowing this allows us to put our boats out into uncharted waters without hesitation. Knowing that we prefer the comfort and safety of what we know to be still waters, how do we feel when Jesus says, "Let us cross to the other side"? ©LPI



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WED, JULY 7, \$6 PRESALE 5-7
THURSDAY, JULY 8, 9-5
FRIDAY, JULY 9, 9-5
SATURDAY, JULY 10, 9-1
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Teen Summer Mass Series
 at the Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament

Inviting all Teens from the Archdiocese
 to join us for monthly themed **11:00am** masses

Sundays this Summer

June 27, July 18, August 29

Followed by food, fellowship and fun in the Plaza



*We encourage you to dress for each monthly theme
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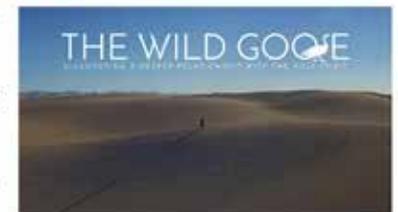
PICK OF THE WEEK

June 20, 2021

WATCH

BAPTISM IN THE HOLY SPIRIT & FIRE

As we celebrate the Nativity of John the Baptist this week, we remember his words: "He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire" (Mt 3:11). Jesus came to baptize us in the Holy Spirit, and the power and grace that comes from baptism in the Holy Spirit changes lives. Explore the meaning of this sacrament in this episode of The Wild Goose!



LEARN

TRUE REFORMERS: EPISODE 1 - ST. THOMAS MORE

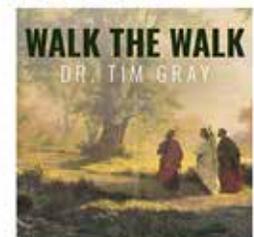


St. John the Baptist was the "forerunner" who preached a baptism of repentance. His nativity reminds us that it is by confessing our sins that we welcome God's mercy, allowing us to begin anew. In this 2-part series, Fr. Daniel Moloney and Taylor Kemp discuss how to make a good

LISTEN

**WALK THE WALK: FOLLOWING CHRIST AS HIS DISCIPLE
 BY DR. TIM GRAY**

Being a disciple of Jesus has always been synonymous with being a Christian. From the Scriptures and from his own experience, Dr. Tim Gray explains how Christian discipleship calls us to follow in the footsteps of Christ as engaged participants in God's plan. In doing so, we bear witness to the Lord in our families.



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Mass Intentions

Rosary said one-half hour
before daily Mass

Saturday, June 19, 2021

4:00 p.m.

- † Mary Jo Singles
- † Margaret and Bart Marchese
by Elizabeth Mahoney

Sunday, June 20, 2021

10:00 a.m.

- † John Dzienisowicz by Wife
- † Edward Konopitski by Family
- † Fred Samrah by Family

Monday, June 21, 2021

9:00 a.m.

- † Richard Martus

Tuesday, June 22, 2021

NO MASS

Wednesday, June 23, 2021

9:00 a.m.

- † Bill Brown

Thursday, June 24, 2021

NO MASS

Friday, June 25, 2021

9:00 a.m.

- † Suzanne Augustyn
- † Virgil and Joan Beckman

Saturday, June 26, 2021

4:00 p.m.

- † Stephen C. Ryan by Family
- † Henry Richardson by Friend

Sunday, June 27, 2021

10:00 a.m.

- † Rita Booms
- † Lois Duhamel
by Elizabeth Mahoney
- † Fred Samrah by Family

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

Elizabeth Jeri	Richard Booms	Jim Clem
David Sargent	Doreen Valente	Mary Ann Demres
Tommie Miller	Mary Bourbeau	Priscilla Boudreaux
Margaret O'Donnell	Lori Crowl	Resi Cavellier
Gabrielle Roth-Haver	Dennis Spensley	Deac. Jack Parent
Don Boudreaux	Rolf Maier	Ella Dawson
Jackson Hensley	Stella Lentz	Anders McCarthy
Marguerite Fishbaugh	Tom Guibord	Sean Reaume
Joe Kroetsch	Nancy Delosh	Margaret Sillo
Joan Martus	Michael Delosh	JoAnn Eaton
Laurie Graves	Frank J. DeFelice	Mark DeFelice
Diane Hurd	Nick Rennels	

Scripture Readings for the Week



Sunday, June 20:

Jb 38:1, 8-11/ Ps 107:23-24, 25-26,
28-29, 30-31 [1b]/2 Cor 5:14-17/Mk
4:35-41

Monday, June 21:

Gn 12:1-9/Ps 33:12-13, 18-19, 20 and
22 [12]/Mt 7:1-5

Tuesday, June 22:

Gn 13:2, 5-18/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5
[1b]/Mt 7:6, 12-14

Wednesday, June 23:

Gn 15:1-12, 17-18/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7,
8-9 [8a]/Mt 7:15-20

Thursday, June 24:

Vigil: Jer 1:4-10/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15,
17 [6b]/1 Pt 1:8-12/Lk 1:5-17

Day: Is 49:1-6/Ps 139:1-3, 13-14, 14-15
[14a]/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80

Friday, June 25:

Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5
[4]/Mt 8:1-4

Saturday, June 26:

Gn 18:1-15/Lk 1:46-47, 48-49, 50 and
53, 54-55 [cf. 54b]/Mt 8:5-17

Sunday, June 27:

Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6,
11, 12, 13 [2a]/2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15/
Mk 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b-43

OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN THE SERVICE

2nd Lt Carrigan Berard, Army NG
CPL Christopher Berard, US Marine Corp
Sergeant Joel Bock, National Guard
Lt Christopher Burns, Navy
Lt Molly Hamilton Burns, Navy
Lt Jamel Chokr, Coast Guard
Sra Jake Coll, Air Force
Ssgt Joshua Coll, Air Force
AMS3 Christion Compton, Navy
Joseph Destefano, serving in Iraq
Capt Brent Drabek, Air Force
Lt Linda Erickson, Army
Petty Officer Anthony Giacobelli, Navy
Lt Stephanie Herderich, Air Force
Lt Nicholas Hughes, Army
LCPT Dawson Innis, Marines
Capt Benjamin Lloyd, Marines
Capt Kaitlyn Tullock Lloyd, Marines
Lance Corporal Adam Mather, Marines
Capt Sean McQuade, Army
Maj Sarah Burns Mobilio, Marines
Sergeant Daniel Pendell
Lt Ronnie Robinson, Army
1Lt Billy Romine, Army
Gunnery Sgt Michael Schuhler, Marines
Capt Todd Sullivan, Army
Senior Airman Scott Socia, Air Force
Tom Yombor, Army Ranger 1175
Ian Zdral, Army

JUST SO, YOUR LIGHT
MUST SHINE BEFORE
OTHERS, THAT THEY MAY
SEE YOUR GOOD DEEDS
AND GLORIFY YOUR
HEAVENLY FATHER.

MATTHEW 5:16

Liturgy Schedule		
June 19-20, 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time		
	Lector	Eucharistic Minister
Saturday, 4:00 pm Mass	Diane Radtke	Diane Radtke
Sunday, 10:00 am Mass	Gena Galicia-Hahn	Gena Galicia-Hahn
June 26-27, 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time		
	Lector	Eucharistic Minister
Saturday, 4:00 pm Mass	Kristen Koltvedt	Kristen Koltvedt
Sunday, 10:00 am Mass	Pete Keating	Gena Galicia-Hahn

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.

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>Follow us on facebook, instagram and twitter @sacredheart7009</p>  <p>OFFICE HOURS: Mon. & Tues.: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Thurs & Fri.: By Appointment Wed, Sat & Sun: Closed</p> <p>LEADERSHIP AND STAFF Pastor: Rev. Fr. Richard Cavellierx22 Pastoral Associate & Director of Religious Education: Michael Merlo ...x12 Office Assistant: Carol Bissax10 Music Minister: Brendan Johnson</p>	<p>MASS SCHEDULE Mon., Wed., Fri.: Mass 9:00a.m. Tues., Thur.: NO MASS Saturday: 4:00 p.m. Sunday: 10:00 a.m.</p> <p>PARISH COUNCIL COMMISSIONS Christian Service Member Colleen Sylvester 248-853-5717 Education Member JoAnn Eaton 248-361-2854 Finance Member Ron Iwaszkiewicz 248-852-1303 Worship Member JoAnn Eaton 248-361-2854 Member at Large Mary Alice Merlo 248-375-5378</p> <p>KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Sacred Heart Council 8659 kofc8659.com Dan Heath (GK) 248-343-9622 Sam Crowl (MD) 248-980-4636 samcrowl@comcast.net</p>	<p>SACRAMENTS & INFORMATION RECONCILIATION Saturday, 3:00 p.m. BAPTISMS Please call the Parish Office for arrangements, Call 3 to 6 months before birth of child. MARRIAGES Arrangements to be made with priest. Call at least 6 months to a year prior to wedding. RCIA RCIA program for adult entrance into the Church begins each fall. Please call the Parish Office for information. EUCCHARISTIC CHAPEL Come and pray anytime. NEW MEMBER REGISTRATION Please call the Parish Office at 248-852-4170 x10 to register. BULLETIN Deadline: Articles are due by Friday (10 days before) at 5:00 p.m. Bulletin Editor Email: bulletin@esacredheart.org</p>

3 EASY STEPS

TO KEEPING YOURSELF & OTHERS HEALTHY!

We are cautioned to be especially careful during the Coronavirus outbreak. Here are some simple ways to keep sickness away.



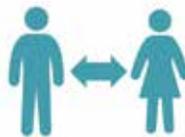
WASH YOUR HANDS

Wash your hands for at least 20 seconds using soap and water. If you can't wash your hands, use hand sanitizer frequently.



DON'T TOUCH YOUR FACE

Especially around the eyes, nose and mouth. If you must sneeze, use a tissue or your arm.



KEEP YOUR DISTANCE

Practice social distancing during this epidemic and stay away from large groups. Instead, call, email or check up on family and friends using social media.

SACRED HEART CHURCH ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Sacred Heart has joined social media!

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