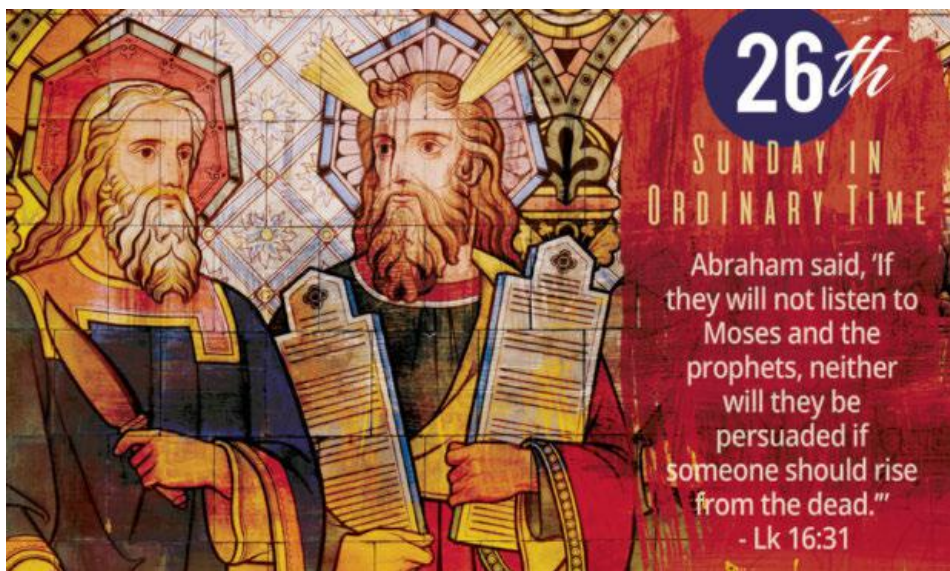


SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

Sunday, September 25, 2022

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time



SACRED HEART RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

REGISTER THIS WEEKEND!

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IN BACK OF CHURCH!

Pre-School (3-5 years old):

Sunday or Monday, Catechisis of the Good Shepherd, and

Grade School

(5th – 8th Grades):

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CLASSES BEGIN OCTOBER 3RD.

Call the parish office at 248-852-4170 for more information.

BLOOD DRIVE THIS THURSDAY! LAST CHANCE TO REGISTER!

Sacred Heart – Fr. Kreft Hall
Thursday, September 29th
12:00pm – 6:00pm

Go to rcblood.org/donate to schedule your appointment, or download the Red Cross app at Apple or Google Play Store.

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THIS WEEK AT THE HEART

Saturday, September 24	Men's Bible Study (Open Meeting)	8:00am
	AA Meeting (Men & Women)	8:00am
	Confessions	3:00pm
	Religious Ed Registration	After Mass
Sunday, September 25	AA Meeting (Men)	8:00pm
	Religious Ed Registration	After All Masses
Wednesday, September 28	Care Giving Survival <i>Catholic Charities Building</i>	12 Noon
Thursday, September 29	Red Cross Blood Drive	12pm –6pm
	AA Meeting (Men & Women)	12 Noon
Saturday, October 1	Men's Bible Study (Open Meeting)	8:00am
	AA Meeting (Men & Women)	8:00am
	Blessing of Pets	10:00am
	Confessions	3:00pm
	First Sunday Social	After Mass
Sunday, October 2	First Sunday Social	After All Masses
	AA Meeting (Men)	8:00pm



BLESSING OF PETS
AT SACRED HEART

Saturday, Oct. 1
10:00am
In the Church Courtyard

In honor of the Feast Day of St. Francis of Assisi (Oct. 4th)

All animals are welcome!



First Sunday Socials

Please join us **next weekend**

October 1 & 2 for refreshments in the Courtyard, after all Masses.



HEARTS ON FIRE at Sacred Heart Where Faith is Known, Lived, & Shared

"The liturgy is the summit toward which the activity of the Church is directed," and "the font from which all her power flows."
— Sacrosanctum Concilium

LISTEN to VATICAN II: Especially on Sundays and feasts of obligation there is to be restored after the Gospel and the homily, "the common prayer" or "the prayer of the faithful." By this prayer, in which the people are to take part, intercession will be made for holy Church, for the civil authorities, for those oppressed by various needs, for all mankind, and for the salvation of the entire world.

Sacrosanctum Concilium (*Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy*), 53

PRAY: throughout the week

Come Holy Spirit, lead all the faithful in common prayer to pray for our entire world as part of the Sacred Liturgy—for holy Church, for civil authorities, for those with various needs, and for the salvation of our world. Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in each of us the fire of your love. Amen!

ASK & ACT: What is this note saying to **me**? Do I pray the "Prayer of the Faithful" at Mass with my whole heart and mindful attention? Do I see that I am the intercessor between these people and Jesus when I pray the response: "Lord, hear our prayer"? Pray for the grace to be more intentional and attentive when I pray this prayer.

Nancy Piotrowski—piomom@me.com

Saint OF THE WEEK

SEPTEMBER 27 | ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

On September 27, it is the feast day of St. Vincent de Paul. St. Vincent de Paul was a great apostle of charity and brought a great revival of the priesthood in the 17th century. He was born near Dax in 1581 in the Landes (in the old Province of Gascony), France in 1581. As a young priest he was captured by Moorish pirates who carried him to Africa. He was sold into slavery but freed in 1607 when he converted his owner.

Having returned to France, he became successively a parish priest and chaplain to the galley-slaves. He founded a religious Congregation under the title of Priests of the Mission or Lazarists (now known as Vincentians), and he bound them by a special way to undertake the apostolic work of charity; he sent them to preach missions, especially to the ignorant peasants of that time, and to establish seminaries.

In order to help poor girls, invalids, and the insane, sick, and unemployed, he and St. Louise de Marillac founded the Congregation of the Daughters of Charity, now better known as the Sisters of St. Vincent.

St. Vincent worked tirelessly to help those in need: the impoverished, the sick, the enslaved, the abandoned, the ignored. He died in 1660 at St. Lazarus's house, Paris. His motto: "God sees you." "Let us love God; but at the price of our hands and sweat of our face." He is the patron saint of charitable societies, horses, hospitals, leprosy, lost articles, prisoners, volunteers, spiritual help, Madagascar, and the diocese of Richmond, Virginia.



SACRED HEART Intercessory Prayer Team

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

Come Father, Son, and Holy Spirit!!

- ~ On this "Priesthood Sunday", may we give thanks for all priests, especially for our pastor, Fr. Joe, and may all the faithful recognize that the priesthood is essential for the sacramental life of the Church, especially the Eucharist, the Mass, and Reconciliation with our Father.
- ~ For the growth and success of our Religious Education programs, drawing the participating children and families closer to our Lord Jesus Christ.
- ~ For clarity of action and purpose in our Family of Parishes, and its leaders' willingness to cooperate and support each other on mission.
- ~ May all the faithful encounter Christ more deeply in the Eucharist so that their lives will reflect that encounter, and be a credible witness to all they meet.

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

THE DANGERS OF PROPOSAL 3

LETTER FROM ARCHBISHOP VIGNERON TO THE FAITHFUL REGARDING PROPOSAL 3

September 16, 2022

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

We are less than two months from the November 8 election, during which voters in Michigan will decide on an issue of paramount importance to protecting the inherent, God-given dignity of all people.

Abortion advocates under "Reproductive Freedom For All" seek to amend the state constitution to allow unregulated abortion on demand through all nine months of pregnancy. This effort, primarily funded by out-of-state dollars, is spearheaded by Planned Parenthood and the ACLU. It will appear on the ballot as Proposal 3.

The implications of this proposal are vast and extreme. If passed, the proposal's vague wording would result in the elimination of dozens of Michigan laws relating to abortion, including: laws prohibiting partial-birth abortion and taxpayer-funded abortion; laws requiring parental consent and informed consent for abortion; laws protecting the conscience rights of persons who refuse to participate in abortion, and more. The proposal would prohibit lawsuits from being brought against any individual for performing an abortion, even when complications result from the procedure.

Proposal 3 is not about protecting existing rights, but rather about revoking the right to life for an untold number of human beings.

This is a grave offense to the dignity and sanctity of unborn, innocent human life. As people of faith who witness to the Good News of Jesus Christ and His teachings, we fervently oppose this deadly proposal and are taking action to defeat it. On behalf of the Catholic dioceses of Michigan, including the Archdiocese of Detroit, the Michigan Catholic Conference earlier this year partnered with Right to Life Michigan and other pro-life organizations to form a coalition called **Citizens to Support MI Women and Children** to oppose and, ultimately, to defeat this dangerous proposal.

In support of these efforts, I offer you three invitations to act:

PRAY: As advocates for the sanctity of life and truth, we always begin with prayer. Let us pray that our fellow Catholics and all people of goodwill will reject Proposal 3 in recognition of the danger it poses for women, children, and their families. To assist in our prayer, I will be celebrating Mass at 11 a.m. October 2 at the Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament, in gratitude to the Sacred Heart of Jesus for the gift of all human life. I hope to see you there.

VOTE: As faithful citizens, we look forward to casting our votes on November 8. Catholics in the Archdiocese of Detroit

are called to uphold the inherent dignity of all people by voting against Proposal 3, rejecting its "anything goes" approach to the destruction of human life. To vote in favor of this proposal would be to actively participate in the promotion and expansion of the intrinsic moral evil of abortion.

GIVE: As members of a family of faith, we can spread awareness among Catholics, practicing or otherwise, and others about the true nature of Proposal 3 and its consequences for life, women, families, and children. You can do this in part by discussing it with family, friends, and members of your community, but your reach will grow exponentially through your support of the statewide coalition dedicated to preventing this proposal from distorting our state constitution. I invite you to **visit supportmiwomenandchildren.org to learn more about the amendment, view a list of the dozens of laws it would impact, and consider a financial contribution to these efforts.**



As we protect and defend life from the moment of conception through natural death, we must at the same time accompany and support women experiencing difficult or unintended pregnancies. That is why the pro-life office of the Archdiocese of Detroit is working with our parishes and Catholic Charities of Southeast Michigan, the charitable arm of the archdiocese, to redouble efforts to provide assistance and resources to women and families across the region, especially through initiatives like ***Walking With Moms in Need***. We cannot create a world where abortion is unthinkable without also creating a world in which all families receive the support they need. This work of mercy is critical and continuous. Together, we are building a culture of life where vulnerable families are given the help and support they need to choose and sustain life. For more information on these efforts, please visit aod.org/prolife.

Please join me in praying that this destructive proposal is defeated, and that Catholics and others use their votes to uphold the right to life and the inherent dignity of all people. Let us always have confidence in Jesus Christ, who has triumphed over death and invites us to this work of accomplishing God's will in our midst.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
The Most Reverend Allen H. Vigneron
Archbishop of Detroit

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PICK OF THE WEEK

Sept 25, 2022

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A pampered child from a middle-class 19th century French family, Thérèse Martin journeys to Rome to beg Pope Leo XIII for permission to enter the Carmelite monastery at the unheard-of age of 15. Once admitted she experiences the joys and rigors of monastic life, and makes the surprising yet simple discovery that holiness can be achieved by small acts of love and compassion – a spiritual path she calls her "Little Way."

**LEARN****ANGELS: BISHOP FULTON SHEEN**

In this compilation of three episodes from his classic television program, "Life is Worth Living," Bishop Fulton Sheen delivers his thoughts on various elements of the Catholic Faith with his ever-present humor, animated presentation, and captivating mode of speaking. In the first segment, "Angels," Bishop Sheen explicates the nature of angels and the meaningful role they play in our world.

LISTEN**THE CASE FOR JESUS BY DR. BRANT PITRE**

Dr. Brant Pitre, Scripture scholar and bestselling author, uses biblical and historical evidence to bolster the "case for Jesus" by exposing the problems with the many false theories that have been introduced over the past hundred years, resulting in widespread skepticism about the reliability of Christian Faith. He tackles head-on questions like: Were the four Gospels written anonymously? Did Jesus claim to be God? Did Jesus fulfill the Jewish prophecies of the Messiah? and many more.

THE CASE FOR JESUS

DR. BRANT PITRE



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SACRED HEART ANNOUNCES:

A HOLY HOUR FOR LIFE**Tuesday, Oct. 11th****7:00pm – 8:00pm****Eucharistic Exposition & Benediction**

During October as Respect Life Month, Archbishop Vigneron has asked for prayers that the people of Michigan will choose life and vote against Proposal 3. Come and behold the message & power of the Christ truly present in the Eucharist!

**Prayer for Priestly
Vocations to the
Archdiocese of Detroit**

Heavenly Father, Lord of the Harvest, call forth vocations to the priesthood from our archdiocese and families.

Jesus, Eternal High Priest, give us men willing to sacrifice and serve. Make their hearts after your own Sacred Heart.

Holy Spirit, Everlasting Love between Father and Son, strengthen, inspire, and set men on fire with divine charity. Grant them the courage to say yes to their vocation.

Holy Mary, Mother of God, Mother of priests, comfort and protect your sons as they discern their call. With Saint Joseph, may they know your love and companionship as they deepen their relationship with Jesus.

Immaculate Heart of Mary, pray for us.

St. Anne, pray for us.

St. John Vianney, patron saint of priests, pray for us.

**CAREGIVING SURVIVAL****Wednesday, Sept. 28****12:00pm – 1:00pm****at Catholic Charities***right on our SH campus at the old convent!*

Jill Gafner Livingston will deliver a talk based on her book *Personal Positioning for the Caregiver*. Based on her own personal experience of 21 years of caring for her severely sick husband, and using humor and hope, her presentation defines steps needed to survive the extreme stress of caregiving.



Rosary said one-half hour before daily Mass

Saturday, September 24
4:00 pm

- † Lois Healy
- † Vince & Maria Avellino

Sunday, September 25
9:00 am

- † Christine Agosta
- † Enright & Dominica Kroetsch by Son
- † Vince & Maria Avellino

11:00 am

- † Suzanne Augustyn by Family
 - † Carolyn Flynn by Dennis
- Pro Populo (For the People of Sacred Heart)

Monday, September 26
9:00 am

- † Robert Newton
- † Vince & Maria Avellino

Tuesday, September 27
9:00 am

- † Deceased Members of Sacred Heart Church
- † Vince & Maria Avellino

Wednesday, September 28
9:00 am

- † For the needs of Our Family of Parishes
- † Vince & Maria Avellino

Thursday, September 29
9:00 am

- Lynn Mele – Special Intention
- † Vince & Maria Avellino

Friday, September 30
9:00 am

- Martha Kedroski – Special Intention
- † Vince & Maria Avellino

Saturday, October 1
4:00 pm

- † Vince & Maria Avellino
- Pro Populo (For the People of Sacred Heart)

Sunday, October 2
9:00 am

Pro Populo (For the People of Sacred Heart)

11:00 am

- † Vince & Maria Avellino



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

Don Boudreaux
Cathleen Stachurski
Jackson Hensley
Richard Booms
Ursulene McCaffrey
Shawn Burns
Samatha Graves
Harold Clason
Betty Clem
Joanne Pozan
Steve Keller
Tom Guibord
Danielle Boglov

Scott Vogel
Margo Javelov
Marilyn Minnick
Carole Payne
Paul Daigle
Ron Guibord
Jeff Kerre
Tommy Momrik
Resi Cavellier
Deac. Jack Parent
Emily Dzienisowicz
Tommie Miller
Marie Pietela

Priscilla Boudreaux
Mark Pascua
Roland Pascua
Brandon Schomer
Donna Patterson
Lorraine Caradonna
Josephine Medado
Gayle Durkin
David Williams
Stella Lentz
Paul Bull
Jim Boehm
Norma Manalili

Scripture Readings for the Week



Sunday, September 25:

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time;
National Migration Week
Am 6:1a, 4-7/Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10
[1b]/1 Tm 6:11-16/Lk 16:19-31

Monday, September 26:

Sts. Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs
Jb 1:6-22/Ps 17:1bcd, 2-3, 6-7/Lk 9:46-50

Tuesday, September 27:

St. Vincent de Paul, Priest
Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23/Ps 88:2-3,
4-5, 6, 7-8/Lk 9:51-56

Wednesday, September 28:

St. Wenceslaus, Martyr; St. Lawrence Ruiz and Companions, Martyrs
Jb 9:1-12, 14-16/Ps 88:10bc-11,
12-13, 14-15/Lk 9:57-62

Thursday, September 29:

Sts. Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels
Dan 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 4-5/Jn 1:47-51

Friday, September 30:

St. Jerome, Priest and Doctor of the Church
Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5/Ps 139:1-3,
7-8, 9-10, 13-14ab/Lk 10:13-16

Saturday, October 1:

St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church
Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17/Ps 119:66, 71,
75, 91, 125, 130/Lk 10:17-24

OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN THE SERVICE

Sergeant Joel Bock, National Guard

Lt Aaron Brooks, Space Force

Lt Jamel Chokr, Coast Guard

Joseph Destefano, serving in Iraq

Maj Brent Drabek, Air Force

Petty Officer Anthony Giacomelli, Navy

Lt Stephanie Herderich, Air Force

Lt Nicholas Hughes, Army

Lt Pete Johnson, Navy

Brian Kliffel, Army

Lance Corporal Adam Mather, Marines

Capt Sean McQuade, Army

Lt JG Mitchell Monarch, Navy

SPC Paul Monarch, Army

Captain Ryan Nick, Army

Matthew Panella, US Navy TM3

Sergeant Daniel Pendell

Gunnery Sgt Michael Schuyler, Marines

Staff Sergeant Scott Socia, Air Force

Derek Sprigg, Navy

AMN William Tryon, Air Force

Tom Yombor, Army Ranger 1175

Ian Zdral, Army

Liturgy Schedule		
September 24-25, 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time		
	Lector 1	Lector 2
Saturday, 4:00 pm Mass	Jennifer Botson	Kitty Vigneau
Sunday, 9:00 am Mass	Chris Lyons	Sandy Stacer
Sunday, 11:00 am Mass	Jack Mueller	Tammy Bliss
October 1-2, 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time		
	Lector 1	Lector 2
Saturday, 4:00 pm Mass	Carol Lingeman	Jerry Lingeman
Sunday, 9:00 am Mass	Pete Keating	Gena Galacia
Sunday, 11:00 am Mass	Toni Rusch	Doug Rusch

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.



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Our Gift to God the Weekend of September 10-11, 2022:

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Saturday & Sunday: Closed

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday – Friday: 9:00 am
Saturday: 4:00 pm
Sunday: 9:00 am and 11:00 am

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Reconciliation

Saturday, 3:00 p.m. or by appointment.

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

For any adult interested in entering the RCIA process to become Catholic, please contact the Parish Office for information.

Eucharistic Chapel

Come and pray anytime.

New Member Registration

Please call the Parish Office at **248-852-4170 x10** to register.

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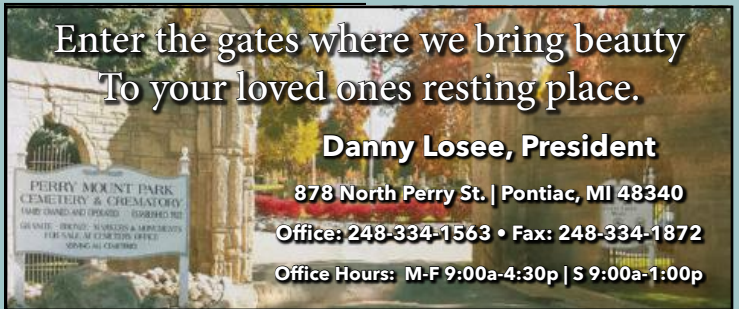
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