

mass times & information

SAT 4:00 p.m. (Vigil) **SUN** 8:00 a.m.

9:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.

MON 7:30 a.m. TUE 7:30 a.m. WED 7:30 a.m.

THU 7:30 a.m. **FRI** 8:30 a.m.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

MON8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.TUE8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.WED8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.THU8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.FRI8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

SAT Closed SUN Closed Holidays — Closed

BAPTISMS

Please call the parish office during the last months of pregnancy to arrange for Baptism classes and schedule the Sacrament. Everyone has a right to their own sacramental certificate. No one has the right to another person's certificate, except: the parent/guardian of a minor child. (Archdiocese of Detroit)

RECONCILIATION

Saturday at 3:00 pm or by appointment

ANOINTING OF THE SICK/ MINISTRY TO THE SICK

The Church strongly encourages people to receive the Sacrament (Anointing) of the Sick at the early stages of serious sickness or before serious surgeries.

In emergency situations needing the prompt attention of a priest, please call the parish office.

MARRIAGE

Archdiocesan law requires advance notice of at least six months.

PARISH REGISTRATION

Newcomers to the parish may register in the Parish Office during regular office hours. Others, please notify the Parish Office of address changes. Adults over 21 need to be

Adults over 21 need to be registered as an individual member to be considered a Catholic in Good Standing.

Hearing devices are available for use during Mass. Please ask an usher for assistance.



Tomorrow, at 7:30 pm, we have our monthly "Holy Hour." Every first Monday of the month we take the time to simply spend time with the Lord in church with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament that concludes with Benediction and a blessing with the Blessed Sacrament. There are many important areas of life that need our prayer as we contemplate the Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. We need to pray for our

presidential candidates and those running for election. We need to pray for the end of violence in our communities and our world. We need to pray for the protection of all life. We need to pray for the continual outpouring of the Holy Spirit on the Church's evangelization efforts and the proposed Family of Parishes. We need to pray to the Holy Spirit for an outpouring of Grace upon our parish and mission. And so much more! So please consider coming to this service as we offer our many prayers to the Lord.

Wednesday, October 7, is the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary. As you know the Rosary is an excellent prayer for an individual, a family, or a group of people. There is a great sense of unity for those who pray the Rosary. St. John Paul II said in his 2002 apostolic letter on the Rosary said: As a prayer for peace, the Rosary is also, and always has been, a prayer of and for the family. At one time this prayer was particularly dear to Christian families, and it certainly brought them closer together. It is important not to lose this precious inheritance. We need to return to the practice of family prayer and prayer for families, continuing to use the Rosary... The family that prays together stays together. The Holy Rosary, by age-old tradition, has shown itself particularly effective as a prayer which brings the family together. Individual family members, in turning their eyes towards Jesus, also regain the ability to look one another in the eye, to communicate, to show solidarity, to forgive one another and to see their covenant of love renewed in the Spirit of God. (ROSARIUM VIRGINIS MARIAE)

Weather permitting, we will pray the rosary at the Rosary Garden Wednesday night at 7:30 pm.

**We started to "live stream" or televise some of our liturgies. For the present time, we will live stream the 4 pm Saturday Mass, which can then be viewed any time after. Hopefully this "service" will bring a better connection between the homebound and the parish community. [Be patient with us as we iron out some of the kinks!] You can connect to our Masses through our website at OLSOS.org. We can use the assistance of a few other volunteers to record the liturgies and "run the camera." If you are willing and able, please call the parish office for more information. Your help will be appreciated!

** Men and women of the parish: don't forget to think about joining other men and women in a retreat at the end of this month. Information is in this bulletin. Often a little retreat is exactly what we need to refocus in our life, especially in these unsettling times.

May Our Lady, during this month of the Rosary, bring families together into the loving and merciful arms of Jesus.

Msgr. Gary Smetanka

Scripture Readings

WEEK OF October 4 SUNDAY

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 5:1-7 Ps 80:9, 12, 13-14, 15-16, 19-20 Phil 4:6-9 Mt 21:33-43

MONDAY

Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos, Priest

Gal 1:6-12 Ps 111:1b-2, 7-8, 9 and 10c Lk 10:25-37

TUESDAY

Saint Bruno, Priest; Blessed Marie Rose Durocher, Virgin

Gal 1:13-24 Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15; Lk 10:38-42

WEDNESDAY Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary

Gal 2:1-2, 7-14 Ps 117:1bc, 2 Lk 11:1-4

TTHURSDAY

Gal 3:1-5 Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75 Lk 11:5-13

FRIDAY

Saint Denis, Bishop, and Companions, Martyrs; Saint John Leonardi, Priest

Gal 3:7-14 Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6 Lk 11:15-26

SATURDAY

Gal 3:22-29 Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 Lk 11:27-28

SUNDAY

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 25:6-10a Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 Phil 4:12-14, 19-20 Mt 22:1-14 or Mt 22:1-10





We warmly welcome the newly baptized member of Our Lady Star of the Sea

Anthony Michael DeCew

Parents: David and Kelly (Bartoy) Decew

Godparents: William Ris and Robyn Ris

Baptized September 26, 2020 By Msgr. Gary Smetanka

Mass Intentions

Monday, October 5

7:30 a.m. +Frank and

Josephine M Colombo
Living and Deceased members
of the Kettel Family
+Catherine Smetanka

+Dorothy Stosik

Tuesday, October 6

7:30 a.m. Fran Maxey

Wednesday, October 7

7:30 a.m. +Timothy Diem

+Thomas Casey

Thursday, October 8

7:30 a.m. +Richard Charron

Friday, October 9

8:30 a.m. +Bob Turner

+Ed Roose

Saturday, October 10

4:00 p.m. +Patricia & Sally Curry

+Madeline Baird +Joseph Bejin +Michael Cairns

Sunday, October 11

8:00 a.m. OLSOS Parishioners

9:30 a.m. +Stephen Yuhase

+Catherine Jabaro +Manuel Moroun +Terry Trimmer +Marilyn Bourgoin

11:30 a.m. +Virginia Mushenski

+Edmund Ahee, Sr

+Martin Glynn

+Paul and Monna Hanna +Richard and Irene Spryszak





OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA 2020 PARISH GOLF OUTING

Hosted by the Men's Club to Benefit OLSOS Athletics

Monday, October 5, 2020 @ The Lochmoor Club

The Lochmoor Club has instituted specific rules and protocols to comply with the Governor's Executive Order regarding the pandemic. Players will have a boxed lunch that will be eaten outside. Weather permitting, dinner will also be served outside.

Masks will be used appropriately and appropriate social distancing will be observed.

For all of these reasons, this year's outing is

limited to 80 for golf and dinner.

Once we receive that number of reservations,

we cannot offer any more places.

It was necessary to simplify this year's event, and we cannot sell any tickets for dinner only.

11 :00 AM	Check In & Boxed Lunch
12:30 PM	Golf – Shotgun Start and 18-Hole Scramble
6:00 PM	Dinner, Open Bar & Simplified Auction w/prizes
Chances to win:	50/50 Drawing with Cash Prize 42 Inch Flat Screen TV Wine/Liquor Basket
	Apple Airpods
The dinner will consist of sliders, fries, tacos and salad.	
Individual Golf, L	unch, Dinner, Open Bar & Auction - \$ 160.00
Foursome for Go	f, Lunch, Dinner, Open Bar & Auction - \$ 640.00
Golfer #1	Golfer #3:
Golfer #2	Golfer #4:
_	t/debit card payments or checks with your registration in advance of the event. Please e to the OLSOS Men's Club, to 467 Fairford Road, Grosse Pointe Woods, MI 48236. For

more information or to make a credit/debit card payment, call Steve Francis (313) 815-6426 or Bryan

OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA OLSOS.ORG

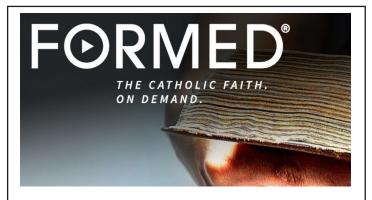
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FORMING OUR FAITH

"That which was from the beginning, which we have heard, which we have seen with our eyes, which we have looked at and our hands have touched—this we proclaim concerning the Word of life. " — 1 John 1:1

Please join us in praying for our parents, catechists and young people as Faith Formation programs begin Tuesday, October 6th!



Have you been to Formed.org yet?

"Formed" is an amazing resource. The Catholic Church has two millennia of rich, powerful Tradition—so many beautiful expressions and explanations of what God has done in our world.

So much of it can be found right here, on Formed.

Our Lady Star of the Sea subscribes to Formed, which means you have unlimited access!

Simply go to www.olsos.formed.org, find our parish, type in your email, and you are registered.

Once you're in, where do you start? Take a look at



Why am I here? Why is anything here?

What happens when I die?

Is life an accident, or are we here for a purpose?

These questions have answers.

Good and Bad Habits in Catholic Living

In the 2017 Pastoral Letter, "Unleash the Gospel,"



Archbishop Allen Vigneron points

out "Good and Bad Habits" of Church life, which describe things that should change in parish life as well as the great things the Church can become! We will go through one of each per week. Let's ask Our Lord for a change of heart, to drop any bad habits and replace them with what He would have us be!

We'll start with a good habit, and talk about a bad habit next week.

GOOD Docility to the Spirit

Since Pentecost when He descended upon the Apostles, the Holy Spirit has been the Power, Life and Soul of the Church! As a Church at large and in our individuals lives as Catholics, we should not take a single step without Him!

God is invested in your life; He wants what's best for you every day! We don't have a God who created the world, only to distance Himself from it. He doesn't just speak to certain, elite people throughout history. He *wants* to speak to you and I! Let's seek to listen for His voice and be open to what He has to give us.

For an array of resources on the Letter, as well as the Letter itself, please visit www.unleashthegospel.org !

Faith Formation — DATES TO KNOW!

- Tuesday, October 6th: Faith Formation begins!
- Tuesday, Oct. 13th/Wednesday, Oct. 14th —
 "Jesus" Bible Study Begins in person, 9:30 AM in The Pointe





SPECIAL OUTDOOR ROSARY WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7 7:30 P M

ER PERMITTING

Clothing Drive

October 9th - 19th.

- The pod will be located in the parking lot near the rectory.
- Please put bags, of *clothing only*, in the open pod.
- If for some reason the pod is closed leave your

bag outside the pod or open pod if you are comfortable and put bag in.

- Receipts will be in a basket in the pod if you would like one for your records.
- We are looking forward again to your kind and generous donations. Thank you!

"...the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people that will produce its fruit.



Regina High School

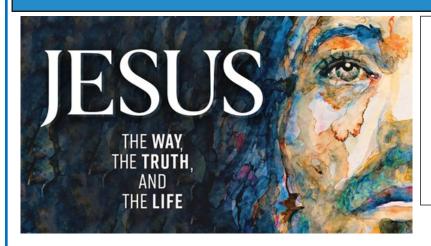
invites 5th-8th grade girls and their families to our outdoor Open House on October 18, 2020 from 1:00-4:00 PM!

We will be taking every precaution to ensure this is a safe event. Masks will

be required at all times. At this event, you will meet teachers, students, coaches, and more! Also, you can enter a raffle to win a \$1,000 tuition voucher and other prizes!

> Preregistration is required. Visit www.reginahs.com/openhouse2020 to register and become #ReginaReady!

Can't make this event? Register for our Virtual Information Nights (Oct. 7 & 13) where you can Zoom with faculty and students. You can also schedule a Virtual Shadow Visit for your daughter to participate in virtual classes and meet with students and staff! Visit www.reginahs.com for more information.



Bible Study is returning in Fall 2020!

Jesus: The Way, the Truth, and the Life is a 10-week video study program and book. Anchored in the life of Christ as presented in the Gospels, this study explores the entirety of Jesus' life—who he is, what he is really like, what he taught, what he did for our salvation, and what all of this means for us as Catholics today.

Presented by **Dr. Marcellino D'Ambrosio**, **Jeff Cavins**, and **Dr. Edward Sri**, this study was **filmed in the Holy Land** so Catholics can experience the extraordinary world in which Jesus lived and taught—the historical context, the politics, the clashing cultures, the history, and the ancient land—and see where the most significant events of his life took place, from his infancy to his ascension.

The cost of the materials will be \$35.00.

Couples may share materials.

In person sessions will be held in The Pointe
Virtual sessions will be held at home via ZOOM.

For more information or to register, contact Meredith Nesom in the Faith Formation Office
313.884.7407 – OR- m.nesom@stargp.org

Tuesdays OR Wednesdays Mornings 9:30-11AM

Runs from October 13—December 15

<u>In person</u> in The Pointe

OR

Evenings: 7:30 pm - 9:00 PM

This study shows, **in a simple way**, how Jesus, the Incarnate God, is both fully divine and fully human—his intimacy with the Father, his revelation of the Father's love, and his extraordinary influence on his disciples, his followers, and even his enemies.

Most importantly, this encounter with Christ will inspire and empower you to center your entire life in him as you come to know and love him in an ever-deeper and more intimate way.

In this study, you will learn...

- Who Jesus is and how he answers the longings of the human heart.
- Why Jesus was baptized.
- The significance of the Transfiguration.
- The essentials of Christology explained in a way the average Catholic can understand.
- The mystery and meaning of the Resurrection, Christ's triumph over death.
- The nature of Jesus' mission and the redemption of humanity.



Blessing of the Pets

October 4th 1 pm

In the Rosary Garden on Morningside

Good St. Francis, you loved all of God's creatures.

To you they were your brothers and sisters.

Help us to follow your example of treating every living thing with kindness.

St. Francis, Patron Saint of animals, watch over my pet and keep my companion safe and healthy.

Amen.

In case you missed it...



Tune in to our new

LIVE Masses

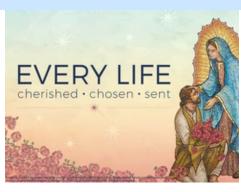
on our Facebook page or our website at

olsos.org.

Log in beginning at 4pm Saturday or watch at your convenience on Saturday night or Sunday.

RESPECT LIFE

We proclaim that human life is a precious gift from God; that each person who receives this gift has responsibilities toward God, self and others; and that society, through its laws and



social institutions, must protect and nurture human life at every stage of its existence. (Usccb.org)



Knights of Columbus

Annual Tootsie Roll Fundraising Drive

Weekend of October 9

Intersection of Mack/Vernier



Our Lady Star of the Sea Men's Retreat

October 23-25, 2020

Manresa Jesuit Retreat House

1390 Quarton Road ~ Bloomfield Hills, Michigan 48013 www.manresa-sja.org

For information please call:

Ray Kettel Rob Sattler 313-882-9798 313-882-9798

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In memoriam

10/5/1968 Robert Jacques Dorothy Sullivan 10/5/1968 Genevieve Szarek 10/5/1987 10/5/1990 Robert Coleman 10/5/1993 Beatrice Scott 10/5/1999 Frances Tocco 10/5/2006 Mary Simon 10/5/2013 Robert Sattler, Sr. 10/5/2013 **Edward Orley** 10/5/2019 June Cubba Henry J. Osebold 10/6/1960 10/6/1962 Harry Allen 10/6/1978 Lawrence Hawkins 10/6/2005 Bessie Kulka 10/6/2009 Michael Irwin 10/7/1972 Donald Irvine 10/7/1976 Margaret Seiloff 10/7/1977 Joseph Jaglowicz 10/7/1982 Teresa Donovan 10/7/2010 Timothy Diem Laura Wortman 10/7/2015 10/8/1958 Martin Brine 10/8/1978 Eclesta Allard 10/8/1988 Mary Elizabeth Tatu 10/8/1996 Margaret Eickmann 10/8/2008 **Emil Grob** 10/8/2014 John Geymann Grace McCormick 10/9/1986 10/9/1987 Thomas Gibney 10/9/2000 Virginia Connors 10/9/2005 Margaret Zimmer 10/9/2006 James Conboy 10/9/2006 James Loranger 10/9/2016 Ruth Zynda 10/9/2016 Jack Elwarner 10/10/1976 Michael Kearins 10/10/1983 Rose Bradke 10/10/1988 Elsie Kaspor 10/10/2003 Oreste Scalvini 10/10/2007 Frank Ralko, Jr. 10/10/2009 Joseph Choma 10/11/1960 Thomas J. Mackey 10/11/1980 Ruth LePeve 10/11/1989 Paul B. Lee

Please pray for

the sick

Angela Agrusa John Ahee Daniel Ament Jim Amori Bruce Belcoure Lisa Belcoure Marie Brady Rod Brown Robert Caldwell Cassidy Christie Adam Cole Noah Cole Dr. William Collins Sharon De Long Virg Ditty Joseph Drader Dave Galbenski Peter John Hanna Dorothy Ianasiak Linda Keschl Steve Kocsis Lvnn Land Giuseppe Lico Phyllis Marek

Rev. Timothy Mazur Mary Ann Montpetit Laura Murphy Dan Murphy Sue Nelson Don Nelson Marilyn O'Bryan Sylvia Panicara Jim Panicara Lilian Rogers Joe Ross Terry Ryba Josh Simon Joseph Simon Kathy Spindler Raul Tomas Carmela Veneri Collen Verb and her unborn child (Thomas) Charlotte Weekes Fr. Francis Weingartz

those in the military

Joshua Bielak Paul David Boni James Patrick Carrier

Kyle Cone Emily de Brun Jason T. Erbecker Ramon Lopez Garcia Dylan Goitz Kevin Hanley Matt Helm Matt Hoffman Matthew Johnston Justin Kelly Paul Koss Matt Lacy Kyle Lechner Thomas Miller Joseph Misuraca Michael Mott Vincent Scalabrino Meghan Servais Dan Sheppard Richard Shetler, III Robert Skowronski Antonio Spindler Michael Trondle Michael Ullman

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