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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

MON-FRI: 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

SAT Closed SUN Closed Holidays - Closed

FAITH FORMATION OFFICE HOURS MON-THU 8:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

BAPTISMS

Please call the Faith Formation Office (313-884-7407) 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 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.

Holy Week-2024











Save the date June 2 at 1:00pm

Eucharistic Procession from St Paul on the Lake to Our Lady Star of the Sea The Corpus Christi procession is a centuries-old tradition of the Catholic faith to process the Real Presence of Jesus the Eucharist — in public. MORE INFORMATION TO FOLLOW

Join us on a journey with 33 Days to Eucharistic Glory May 1—June 2

As we continue through the National Eucharistic Revival, we invite you to join us in a 33 day consecration to the Holy Eucharist. This journey will also help us prepare for our Eucharistic Procession on Sunday, June 2. Dedicate yourself and draw closer to God, discover His will for your life and learn how to better respond to His Grace.

Free copies of the 33 Days to Eucharistic Glory by Dynamic Catholic for adults and children are available in the gathering space or the Parish Office.

In addition we have companion Journals available to purchase for \$11 in the Parish Office.



Mass Intentions

Monday, April 15

7:30 a.m. +Deceased Members of the Ronzi Family

Tuesday, April 16

+Charles Attalla 7:30 a.m.

+Julia Attalla

+George & Thelma Attalla +Rev Joseph & Ann Hokavem +Deceased Members of the

Attalla, Hokayem & John's Family

Wednesday, April 17

7:30 a.m. +Walt Bryzik

The Bolton Family

Thursday, April 18

7:30 a.m. +Jean Ebner

Friday, April 19

8:30 a.m. +Rev. Ralph Barton

Saturday, April 20

4:00 p.m. +David Graham

> +Julia Hrabovsky +John & Carmela Brucia

+Richard Flynn

Sunday, April 21

8:00 a.m. **OLSOS Parishioners**

9:30 a.m. +Marilyn Bourgoin

+Walt Bryzik +Phil Farley +Richard Colombo

11:30 a.m. +Virginia Mushenski

+Edmund Ahee, Sr. +Lois Mann

+Keith Underwood

Scripture Readings

Wednesday

For the Week of April 14, 2024

Sunday Third Sunday of Easter

Acts 3:13-15, 17-19; Ps 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9;

1 Jn 2:1-5a; Lk 24:35-48

Monday Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30;

Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday Acts 7:51—8:1a; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 7b and

8a, 17 and 21ab; Jn 6:30-35

Thursday Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:51;

Jn 6:44-51

Friday Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59 Saturday Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17;

Jn 6:60-69

Fourth Sunday of Easter Sunday

Acts 4:8-12; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29;

Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a; Jn 6:35-40

1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18

OLSOS 8th Grade Presents



April 20, 2024 Star Gym

6:30 DOORS OPEN 7:00 GAME BEGINS

\$25 per person OR \$175 for a Table of 8
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Cans/Bottles, Coolers Welcome

Questions contact Danielle Trudel d.trudel@stargp.org OR Amy Clor a.clor@stargp.org Compete and return to the school office with payment. Checks payable to Our Lady Star of the Sea

Main Contact Name and Email

Player 1	Player 5
Player 2	Player 6
Player 3	Player 7
Player 4	Player 8

Adoration

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Every Wednesday -

<u>11am - 2pm</u> in the Parish Office Chapel

Prayer Group

every Wednesday at 3:00 pm

in the O.L.S.O.S. prayer and Eucharistic chapel on Morningside, to pray the Rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet.

We pray for world peace and all the parish intentions

OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA PRAYER & EUCHARISTIC CHAPEL open 6am-11:30 pm

Jesus is Risen, He is Here!

"When I think about falling in love with the Eucharist — Jesus, it is experiences I have at adoration or receiving the Eucharist at Mass. It is an experience of my heart beating with Heart of the Eucharist. It is an experience of an overwhelming sense of His presence, His peace. It is a yearning or drawing that quickens my feet to go to the chapel or nearby church. It is knowing that what I believe is TRUE — Jesus is truly present with us in the Eucharist. One cannot give these experiences to others to help them move from unbelief to belief or intellectual understanding to reality — but one can live it!" (This begins an excerpt from an article by Sister Mary John, O.C.D.)

Make a personal commitment of a day to pray one hour per week in His Eucharistic presence.

Sacristan Needed



The Sacristan Ministry at Star is looking for someone to join our Sunday 11:30 am Sacristan Team.

Sacristans are scheduled to serve once a month, but are

able to switch with other sacristans on their team whenever needed.

Responsibilities for 11:30 am sacristans include setting up for Mass and locking up the church after Mass.

No experience is required. We will show you exactly what you need to do. This is a wonderful ministry for individuals, couples, or families, and a nice way to get involved in the Parish.

Contact: Terry Varani

terry.varani@gmail.com

313 492-8327



An Invitation to Serve as a Lector

The Parish needs some new lectors to serve along with our existing team of dedicated lectors.

Do you read aloud well? We'd love for you to share your gift for reading aloud with us by proclaiming the Word during Mass.

Our lectors find that participation in the Lector Ministry gives them an increased understanding of and appreciation for Sacred Scripture.

Lectors are normally scheduled to serve about once a month at the Mass they normally attend.

No experience is necessary. Anyone who has been Confirmed may serve as a lector. A single training session will be scheduled at your convenience.

Contact Terry Varani for additional information. (313 492-8327 or terry.varani@gmail.com)

Our **food pantry** needs the following items:



Cereal-pasta and sauce - Soup - mac and cheese - canned tuna - canned chicken - canned fruit - canned vegetables - canned pasta - peanut butter and jelly - crackers (Saltines, Ritz, Townhouse), personal care (soap, toothpaste, deodorant)

Please drop off items in the gathering space.

Thank you for your continued generous support!



PLEASE CONSIDER we are in urgent need of Volunteers to help bring Holy Communion to the sick and the homebound of our parish.

Please consider even if you are not a Eucharistic Minister at Sunday Mass.

We visit our homebound on Friday mornings

- You are scheduled approx. one time per month (we are trying to schedule 2 ministers each week so you would only have to visit 4 homes)
- Time involved depends on how many homes we visit.
- Training will be done with a current volunteer on a Friday

Please contact the Parish Office (313-884-5554).

Our Homebound have requested that you wear a mask.

All volunteers must have completed
The Virtus Training

Marriage Coaching – Help for Your Marriage

Are you struggling in your marriage or in need of a marriage refresher and not

sure where to turn for help?

The Marriage Support Office of the Archdiocese of Detroit is pleased to offer the Marriage Coaching program — a couple-to-couple mentoring opportunity designed to assist couples fully live out God's plan for their marriage.

When differences begin dividing, hurt is hardening the heart, growing pains are becoming regular pains, and the passion and affection is lacking, then your marriage needs help. Like our vehicles that need preventative care, tuneups or repairs to prevent major damage, so do our marriages.

Trained Coaching Couples will give the support and practical tools needed to help couples restore and realize the relationship they desire for their Catholic marriage. The Marriage Coaching program consists of seven main coaching sessions that are strictly confidential and provided at no cost.

To learn more and get started with the help you need for your marriage contact: 313-237-4680 | www.aod.org/marriagecoaching | familyministry@aod.org. All inquiries are strictly confidential.

Whether you are wanting a marriage tune-up, feeling stalled, or experiencing a downward spiral, you need not settle for anything led than the fullness that God intends for your marriage relationship.

No need to delay, there is help for your marriage ... contact us today!

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Do you have any United States Flags but are unsure how to dispose of them properly?

The Our Lady Star of the Sea Girl Scout Troop will collect U.S. Flags after all Masses on April 13th and 14th and April 20th and 21st.

Please place your flags in the large collection box in the back of the church.

These flags will be delivered to the Knights of Columbus Assembly 2696, who are hosting a US Flag Retirement Ceremony on April 27 at St. Paul on the Lake starting at 6:30pm.



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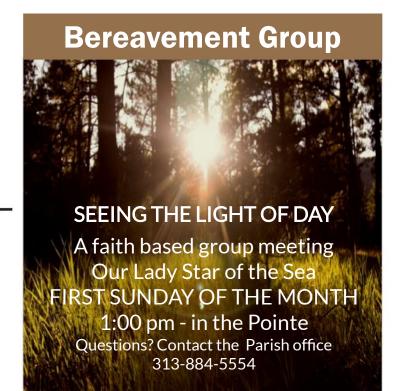
To complete the workshop visit www.virtusonline.org For questions or help logging in contact 1-888-847-8870

Stewardship Thoughts

The themes linked in today's Scripture readings encourage us to avoid sin by following the Lord's directives, to repent, and to seek forgiveness. St. Peter, in the Acts of the Apostles, reminds the people, and us, of God's glorification of Christ's passion and death, and that through repentance and conversion, our sins be wiped away. St. John, in his First Letter, tells us that Jesus is an offering for our sins. In St. Luke's Gospel, Jesus appears to His disciples after His Resurrection while two of them recount their encounter with Jesus on the road to Emmaus. They finally recognize Him in the breaking of the bread. The Church has long taught that partaking of the Eucharist strengthens us on our journey as Christ's disciples. Likewise, participating in the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the forgiveness of sins opens us to Christ's grace, bringing us closer to Him, giving us peace in our lives. This week, go to confession and receive Holy Communion to draw into union with Christ.



CarePointeSupport.org



Dennis Dykstra, a representative from our bulletin publisher, Diocesan Publications, is seeking new parish bulletin ads. If you are interested in advertising please contact Dennis at

616-916-9683. We feel this is an excellent opportunity for local businesses to increase their visibility in the community. Advertising in the bulletin allows this publication to be printed each week at no cost to the parish.

THANK YOU: The advertisements that appear in this bulletin completely defray all publishing costs which the church would otherwise incur. Please patronize the sponsors on the back of this bulletin and thank them for their kind generosity.



3 year (2022 - 2025) goal is \$2,500,000.

Raise the Roof update	
Donations received to date	\$487,878.25
% of goal	19.5%
shortage for project	\$2,012,121.75

Thank you to those who have already given!

Please pray for:

In memoriam

In memoria	am
4/15/1977	Marguerite Charpe
4/15/1990	Caroline C. Kedzierski
4/15/1997	Estelle Binder
4/15/1998	Arthur Trybus
4/15/2009	Frederick Cushing
4/15/2023	Jennie Wolf
4/16/1973	Roger Waindle
4/16/1974	Richard Benoit, Sr.
4/16/1977	Pasquale Juliano
4/16/1980	Catherine Kern
4/16/1990	Leona F. Hess
4/16/1994	Rev. Hector Saulino
4/16/1998	Marun Mualem
4/16/2018	Eva De Perro
4/16/2020	Georgette Zahar
4/17/1980	Bertha Piceu
4/17/1984	Robert Artner
4/17/1984	Rosemary Taras
4/17/2021	Josephine Testori
4/17/2023	Walter Bryzik
4/18/1975	Adam Wojciechowski
4/18/1976	Giovanna Amico
4/18/1994	Henry Galarowicz
4/18/1996	Lucy Mallat
4/18/2002	Lorraine Broomham
4/18/2006	Virginia Palombit
4/18/2006	James Prendergast
4/18/2011	Lauren Hayes
4/18/2012	Joanne Karcher
4/18/2014	Madeleine Quasarano
4/18/2020	Anne Marie Shaheen
4/18/2020	Jean Ebner
4/19/1990	Gabriel Hoyos
4/19/1993	Rev. Ralph Barton
4/19/1996	Laura Richer
4/19/1996	Michael VanAssche
4/19/2011	Bernice Pokorski
4/20/1960	Joseph Calcaterra
4/20/1965	Anastasia Seski
4/20/1979	Hector Couvreur
4/20/1984	Laura Molitor
4/20/1984	Helene Nelson
4/20/1989	Jerome Nuyttens
4/20/2009	Marjorie Decker

4/21/1968

Clarence Doetsch

In memoriam (continued)

4/21/1979	Jerry O'Berski
4/21/1992	Gary Hughes
4/21/2012	Robert Davis
4/21/2014	Louis Mushro

the sick

Michele Allen Dave Barthel Pam Barthel Jennie Barzotti Jeanne Collins Kaynoa Dunn **Gavin Howitt** Christine Mathis Virginia Merchant Carol Nowinski Delores Spezia Cathy Spindler Mary Surmont Christopher Urban Linda Vitale James Victor Fr. Francis Weingartz Elaine Westerman Pam Wilson Thomas J. Youngblood

those in the military

Connor Barthel
James Patrick Carrier
Perry Carter
Josh Duffy
Richard Shetler, III
John Walker

PLEASE NOTE

Names will remain on the sick list for one (1) month unless the parish is notified otherwise.

For those in Military, we would like to pray for those who are active,
Please contact us
to add names to our list.

Parish Newsletter

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Looking for parishioners of all ages, male and female, to

participate in the usher ministry.

If you are at all interested in being an usher, please let me or any of the ushers know and we'll be happy to answer any questions you may have.

The ushers thank you for your support and let you know it's a pleasure to serve.

Greg Bourgoin
President, OLSOS Ushers
P 248-807-8362/P 313-617-3416
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Sunday: 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

Daily: MF 9:00 a.m. **W** 12:00 p.m.

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Mass Times

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