



3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men.”

Matthew 4:19



Jerry-atics

Fr. Jerry Slowinski
ext. 102

Pastor

It is that time of the year, once again, when we are approaching what I've come to call the annual Financial State of the Parish Report. I will use the time allotted for the homily next weekend (January 28th and 29th) at all the Masses to go over the most pertinent aspects of our income and expenses. It certainly is appropriate that time is spent each year to share with you information that is fiscally relevant to our faith community.

What I would like to do today is to concentrate on an area of ever increasing importance to the stability of our parish – electronic giving.

Has this ever happened to you? The ushers come forward to begin the Offertory collection process. You check your coat, purse, or wallet and you realize that you left your church envelope at home. In the rush of getting off to church, it is so easy not to have the time to do a final check to make sure you have everything you need to take to church. The end result is: “Oops, no envelope this week”. Electronic giving eliminates this from happening. It's simple! It's safe! And it keeps St. Jane Frances de Chantal Parish at the top of your giving list.

Electronic giving also eliminates the winter weather woes. Ice and snow can make it difficult for some people to get to church. But the parish bills don't stop coming. In fact, if anything, they increase because of things like heating costs. You can make sure your parish support doesn't stop when we need you the most.

Christmas and Easter are wonderful times in our liturgical calendar. In addition to the very special meaning of our liturgical celebrations, we are always happy to see people attend Mass who have travelled a long way to be with family. Perhaps you are someone who, on Christmas or Easter, attends Mass at the parish where you grew up in, or go to a different church because you spend a portion of the holidays with extended family. Electronic giving is a way of not forgetting St. Jane Frances while you are with family that you do not have an opportunity see as regularly as you might like.

Even after winter has come and gone, electronic giving continues to be a blessing for the parish. When summertime rolls around, the old saying of “It's summer and the living is easy” kicks in. Summer collections often drop substantially. People go off to their cottages or get away for a few weeks to relax and chill out. We pray that your vacation time will be safe and a source of happy memories in the years to come. However, while the living may be easy, the giving is not. By signing up for electronic giving you can continue to support the parish even when you are out-of-town, working weekends, or attending Mass at a parish up north or out of state.

Finally, did you know that almost 40% of all Catholics are **not** registered as parishioners? If you are not registered here at the parish, but attend Mass here regularly, please consider registering and signing up for electronic giving. If you go to the parish website (sjfparish.org) and click on the link under **STEWARDSHIP** you can get more information and sign up so that you never have to write a check or worry about forgetting your church envelope at home. If you prefer not to go on-line, but wish to learn more about this easy, safe and secure way of giving, please contact our parish business manager, Jody Gazo (586-977-8080) and she will help to walk you through the process.



**ST. JANE FRANCES de CHANTAL
PARISH COMMUNITY**

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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses
Saturday 5:00pm
Sunday 9:00am & 11:30am
Weekday Masses
Tuesday 7:30pm
Wednesday, Thursday 8:00am
Holy Day Masses As Announced

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Copy deadline is Tuesday at 10:00am.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday thru Thursday
8:30am - 8:30pm
(Closed from 12:00 to 1:15 for lunch)

Friday: Closed
Saturday: 2:30pm - 6:30pm
Sunday: 10:00am - 1:30pm

MINISTRIES

Knights of Columbus #13340
Brian Barkkari 586-215-4669
Parish Nurse Ministry
Doreen Corby 586-977-8080
Seniors
Don Rogowski 586-977-8080
Soup Kitchen
Steven Gadzinski 586-731-4091
St. Vincent de Paul
Tom Harris 586-977-8080
Ushers-Ministers of Hospitality
Brian Brennan 586-264-1087

SACRAMENTS

Children's Baptism

If you have a child who is not yet baptized, but you would like them to be, we would be delighted to talk to you about your options. Please call the Parish Office (586-977-8080) to make any arrangements.

Reconciliation

Tuesday from 6:00pm-7:00pm
(or by appointment)

Marriage

Arrangements must be made by contacting the Parish Office at least six months prior to the desired date. Marriage guidelines are available at the Parish Office and must be read before your appointment. Participation in pre-marriage preparation will be arranged.

Anointing of the Sick

Contact the Parish Office at 586-977-8080. Also available once a month during the Tuesday evening Mass. Speak with Fr. Jerry before Mass.

**Rite of Christian Initiation
of Adults**

This is a shared program with St. Ephrem, conducted at St. Ephrem. Those taking part in RCIA from St. Jane Frances will receive the faith formation at St. Ephrem's but celebrate associated rites at St. Jane Frances de Chantal. Please make initial contact with our pastor, Fr. Jerry Slowinski, before contacting St. Ephrem Parish.

Parish Policy

We ask that in order to have your child baptized here, or to be married here, you should be a registered parishioner or active in your previous parish. This means attending weekly Mass with your faith community, using your envelopes and taking part in parish activities.

**Visits to the Homebound
for Communion/ Anointing**

Contact Parish Office: 586-977-8080

This Week in our Parish

Monday, January 23
6:00pm Faith Formation Classes, Grades K-6
7:00pm Intercessory Prayer Team Meeting
Tuesday, January 24
4:30pm Faith Formation Classes, Grades K-6
6:00pm Rosary
6:00pm-7:00pm Confessions
6:30pm Faith Formation Classes, Grades 7 & 8
7:30pm Mass
Wednesday, January 25
8:00am Mass
9:30am Needle Crafters
6:00pm Needle Crafters
7:00pm Parish Choir Rehearsal
Thursday, January 26
8:00am Mass
1:00pm Swiffers, Team 2
7:00pm-8:20pm Coffee and Catholicism
Friday, January 27
Parish Office Closed
Saturday, January 28
5:00pm Mass with Blessing of Throats
6:00pm Divine Mercy Prayers
Sunday, January 29
8:30am Parish Choir Rehearsal
9:00am Mass with Blessing of Throats
10:00am Knights of Columbus Rosary
11:00am Grief Support Group
11:30am Mass with Blessing of Throats & Children's Liturgy of the Word
6:00pm Youth Ministry Gathering



NEW PARISHIONERS

WOULD YOU LIKE TO BECOME A REGISTERED PARISHIONER AT ST. JANE FRANCES de CHANTAL?

You may register at the Parish Office at any-time after Mass on the weekend or during regular office hours. Please call 586-977-8080 if you have any questions.



Tuesday, 6:00pm,
Novena to the Mother
of Perpetual Help & Rosary
Join us in the Church

Parish Mission Statement

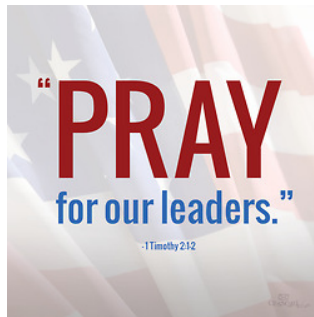
"Nourished by God's Word and the Eucharist, St. Jane Frances de Chantal Parish is a welcoming Catholic community dedicated to living and proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ."



Maureen Blair
Ext. 104

*Pastoral Associate
and Director of Worship and Evangelization*

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Prayer on the Occasion of the Inauguration of a Public Official

This prayer, from the U.S. edition of the *Book of Blessings* (no. 1965), is an adaptation of the prayer for the Church and for civil authorities which was composed by Archbishop John Carroll for use

on the occasion of the inauguration of George Washington in 1789. This prayer, or particular sections of it, especially section 2, could be used at gatherings for prayer outside Mass.

1. Almighty and eternal God, you have revealed your glory to all nations. God of power and might, wisdom and justice, through your authority is rightly administered, laws are enacted, and judgment is decreed.
2. *For the President:* Assist with your spirit of counsel and fortitude the President of these United States, that his administration may be conducted in righteousness, and be eminently useful to your people over whom he/she presides. May he encourage due respect for virtue and religion. May he execute the laws with justice and mercy. May he seek to restrain crime, vice, and immorality.
3. *For the members of Congress:* Let the light of your divine wisdom direct the deliberations of Congress, and shine forth in all the proceedings and laws framed for our rule and government. May they seek to preserve peace, promote national happiness, and continue to bring us the blessings of liberty and equality.
4. *For state and local officials:* We pray for the governor of this state, for the members of the legislature, for judges, elected civil officials, and all others who are entrusted to guard our political welfare. May they be enabled, by your powerful protection, to discharge their duties with honesty and ability.
5. We likewise commend to your unbounded mercy all citizens and residents of the United States, that we be blessed in the knowledge and sanctified in the observance of your holy law. May we be preserved in union and that peace which the world cannot give; and, after enjoying the blessings of this life, be admitted to those which are eternal. We pray to you, who are Lord and God, for ever and ever. Amen.



Feast of St. Blaise February 3

Blaise, a bishop in fourth-century Armenia, was viciously martyred under the emperor Diocletian. Most legends attest that, while he was imprisoned for his faith, he saved a child who was choking on a fish bone. Whatever the version of this event, one thing has held: the annual blessing of throats that accompanies his memorial and highlights Blaise's role as patron of those who suffer from ailments of the throat. The blessing is inferred for diseases of the throat **and every other illness.**

**The Blessing of Throats will take place
after all Masses on Jan 28th & 29th.**

Thoughts on Discipleship: "We have focused so long on filling the head with doctrine. We forget to fill hearts with love. Evangelization only happens when the heart is touched by Jesus Christ." November 15, 2016 by Archbishop Michael Byrnes then Auxiliary Bishop for the Archdiocese of Detroit

Intercessory Prayer Team

Did you know we have an Intercessory Prayer Team? This group prays for the needs of our parish, our Church, our country, in addition to praying for our local and personal needs. We have installed a prayer intention box by our tabernacle in the church. The prayer team will lift your intention up in prayer. You can also call the parish office to let us know of your intention. We gather for prayer on the 1st Monday of each month at 1:30am, and on the 3rd Monday of each month at 7:00pm. If you would like to join this team please contact Maureen Blair. All pray-ers are welcome!!



LECTIO DIVINA
Reading the Scripture
Reflecting on the Meaning
Responding through Prayer
Resting in God
Responding in Action

Lectio Meditatio Oratio Contemplatio Operatio

Group *Lectio Divina* to begin in Lent

Beginning March 8th, on Wednesday evenings 7:00pm - 8:00 pm, I will be facilitating a group prayer using the *Lectio Divina* method of prayer. We will be using the readings from the Sunday liturgies during our prayers. If you are interested in joining this group please call the parish office at (586) 977-8080 or by emailing me at maureenblair.stjane@gmail.com.

Have you visited our updated website? ***sjfparish.org***

Check it out to:

- See the parish calendar,
- Learn about different ministries,
- Connect with the staff,
- Look at the bulletin as a flip-book,
- Check out Mass times,
- Find links to the Archdiocese of Detroit and others,
- And more!

The website also now includes an awesome feature from Our Sunday Visitor: **Faith In Action**. This features dynamic content that is updated regularly. You have access to:

- The Daily Readings and Prayers: *A spiritual reflection on the daily readings that help cultivate a pattern of daily prayer and a deepening relationship with God.*
- Reflections from Pope Francis: *Spend a few minutes with Pope Francis each day. These daily reflections are sure to deepen your Catholic faith journey.*
- Faith In Action: *A resource that offers insightful, faith-filled solutions for real life issues and creative ideas for living out your Catholic faith.*
- Family Living: *Find tips and tools to help your family integrate faith into your everyday life.*



You can read them daily, see archived ones, and even subscribe to have them sent directly to you!

SIGN UP TO RECEIVE OUR E-NEWSLETTER!

We want to keep you in the loop! From upcoming events, funeral notifications, and other parish news, we will send out an email to those on our e-newsletter distribution list. Even if you signed up with our previous website, please sign-up again!

If you have already signed-up via the updated parish website, thank you! If you have not, simply go to sjfparish.org and click the "Home" tab. Then select "Sign-up for E-blasts/E-newsletters." Fill out the required information and you will be signed-up. You can unsubscribe at any time!

MUSIC NEWS

Choir Practice resumes this Wednesday, January 25th, at 7:00pm. Contact Andy with any questions.

FAITH FORMATION NEWS

Faith Formation classes resume this Monday, January 23rd, and Tuesday, January 24th. Contact Mr. Klassen with any questions.



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YOUNG ADULTS



MICHIGAN CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULT CONFERENCE AGES 18-35

The Archdiocese of Detroit and the Catholic dioceses of Michigan present

ENCOUNTER GROW WITNESS

**Friday and Saturday,
March 31 and April 1, 2017**

St. John Neumann Catholic Church

44800 Warren Road, Canton, Michigan

MICHIGAN CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULT CONFERENCE (MICYAC)

The dioceses of Michigan offer a conference each year for Young Adults and it is right here in the Metro-Detroit area! The conference includes great speakers, break-out sessions, time for adoration, a service project, food, and time with other young adults! This year it is at St. John Neumann's in Canton. The event starts Friday, March 31st, and ends Saturday, April 1st. You can attend Friday night, Saturday, or both! The cost is under \$55 for early registration. To sign-up, visit <http://2017micyac.eventbrite.com>

ADULT FORMATION

CALLING ALL NEEDLE CRAFTERS!

Do you like to sew, knit, crochet, quilt, etc.? Whether you are new to the craft or a seasoned veteran, please join us at any of our gatherings in January to socialize and work on projects (your own or ours)! Some of our projects include blankets for those in the hospital, prayer shawls, gloves and scarves for the homeless. There is no RSVP necessary and there is no cost. You can come to one, some, or all of our gatherings! Please join us:

Wednesdays from 9:30am until 11:30am OR from 6:00pm until 8:15pm

We are also in need of more yarn to complete the projects we are working on. If you have some you are able to donate, please drop it off in the parish office. Thank you!

If you have any questions, please contact Tara at tfinn_sjf@yahoo.com or 586-977-8080, ext. 107.

COFFEE & CATHOLICISM

Join us twice a month for great presentations on topics near and dear to our faith! Our speaker will present about the history, philosophy, and theology of things like the development of the soul, Purgatory, the Council of Trent, grace, the Vatican councils, and more! There is no cost to attend! We will meet from 7:00pm until 8:20pm. Contact Tara at tfinn_sjf@yahoo.com or 586-977-8080, ext. 107 for more information. Upcoming dates and topics are:



Thursday, January 26th—The Sacraments

Thursday, February 2nd—The Soul

Thursday, February 9th—Luther's Theology

Thursday, February 23rd—Calvin's Theology

Thursday, March 2nd—Council of Trent

Thursday, March 9th—Vatican I and Vatican II



♥ World Marriage Day ♥

Come celebrate The Sacrament of Marriage - **Sunday, February 12th, 3:00pm-8:00 pm** - San Marino Club in Troy, MI
Dinner, dancing & speakers, Peter & Debbie Herbeck - "How will your Marriage Be Remembered?"
and Fr. Patrick Gonyeau, A Marriage Blessing, - Register at worldmarrieday.org \$60/couple, Engaged couples welcome!

VOCATIONS

Priestly Vocations

Please pray for men discerning a call to the priesthood at this weekend's discernment weekend at Sacred Heart's Major Seminary in Detroit. Thanks to your gifts to the Catholic Services Appeal, the archdiocesan Office of Priestly Vocations offers these firsthand, up close, and stress-free looks at seminary life several times a year. They include presentations from priests and seminarians, fellowship, and time for prayer. The next discernment weekend, for men who are high school seniors to 55 years old, will be held March 30th to April 2nd.

Heavenly Father, look after young men who are contemplating a vocation to the priesthood. Give them strength and courage, a right spirit, and the understanding of your most holy will. Holy Mary, Mother of God, protect them and keep them safe from every evil. Bring them close to the heart of your son, Jesus. (Taken from our Seminarian Prayer Cards)



Debbie Mazur
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 Christian Service Coordinator
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**Knights of Columbus
 5th Sunday Rosary for Vocations**



The Knights of Columbus invite you to join them as they pray the rosary on Sunday, January 29, 2017, for Vocations after the 9:00am Mass. Whether you pray the rosary all the time or have never experienced this devotional prayer, please feel free to join them! They do this any month there is a 5th Sunday.



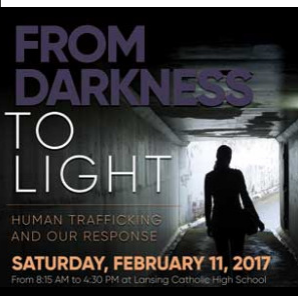
**Thank you from Saint Vincent De Paul
 Justice Initiative**

Dear St. Jane Frances de Chantal Parishioners,

2016 proved to be a year of growth for the Justice Initiative, serving 400 clients this year being released back into society. Most of these men and women have no family to turn to, and are often all alone. Most don't have a coat, underwear or a pair of shoes. Your gifts give so much to these individuals. It doesn't seem like much, a new coat, underwear, a pair of shoes, clothing, hats, gloves and hygiene. But for these individuals, it means so very much.

The SVDPI is the only charity exclusively that caters to these individuals. This year we expect to keep pace with 2016. Thanks to your donations, the SVDPI was able to serve each person in 2016 that came to us looking for assistance. On behalf of all of us at SVDPI thank you very much for this year's support.

The SVDPI Team
 Dorian Bellinger, President
 Deacon Michael Chesley, Chaplain
 Deacon Dan Gonos, Chaplain
 Ron Thompson, Counselor
 Emily Shewall, Coordinator of Donations



**National Slavery and Human
 Trafficking Prevention
 Month**

The federal Office on Trafficking in Persons is calling for the public to take a closer look at human trafficking and potential situations of the crime. If you would like to learn more about human trafficking and

what you can do about it from many great experts, sign up for MCC's conference on February 11th, titled

***From Darkness to Light: Human Trafficking and Our
 Response***

Learn more at www.micatholic.org/fromdarknesstolight/ or contact abennett@micatholic.org or 517-316-3588.



Divorce Recovery Workshops

Divorce is one of the most painful and challenging experiences in life. Catholic Charities of Southeast Michigan is offering Divorce Recovery Workshops starting in January. These workshops are discussion based sessions with weekly videos. Cost is \$20 for materials.

Wednesdays, January 25th-April 5th, from 6:30pm-8:30 pm
 Sacred Heart of the Hills, 3300 Adams Rd, Auburn Hills
 Thursdays, January 26th-April 6th, from 6:30pm-8:30pm
 St. Therese de Lisieux, 48115 Schoenherr, Shelby Township
 To register please call 248-930-4157.

**Health Ministry
 People Fall, It Happens!**

In fact, an older adult falls every second of everyday! Although falls are common, informing your doctor or other health care professionals, of a fall can be beneficial to you to help you prevent future falls which can involve greater injuries (i.e., fractured hips or head injuries).

The first step in reducing or preventing future falls is discussing the fall with your doctor who may:

- Review your medications for side effects
- Send you for some physical therapy for your balance
- Refer you for an eye exam which may be affecting your balance

Other things that may help to ward off future falls:

- Strengthening your leg muscles by doing simple balance exercises
- Tai Chi & Yoga
- Many city recreation departments offer classes for the older population (falls increase with age).

About half of all falls happen in our homes:

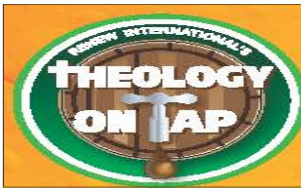
- Keep your floors clutter free (take up throw rugs)
- Attach grab bars in your bathroom
- Install handrails and lights in stairwells
- Wear shoes inside and out
- Use non-slip mats in the bathtub & shower
- Reduce glare coming in the windows
- Lower items to make them easier to reach
- Use night lights

This article was submitted by Wendy Rzeppa who is on our Health Ministry team. Wendy & her husband Eric have been parishioners at St. Jane Frances for the past 24 years and have served in various ministries. Professionally, Wendy has worked as a physical therapist in inpatient rehab setting, home care, education of student therapists and currently works part time in a inpatient rehab unit at St. John Hospital in Detroit. She hopes to offer some insight, education and resources to our parishioners and caregivers.

**Interfaith Volunteer Caregivers
 Community Enrichment Meeting
Caregiver Stress**

Speaker: Lauren Cetnar, Alzheimer's Association
Tuesday, January 24, 2017 at 1:00pm
 At St. Mark Catholic Church
 4401 Bart Avenue, Warren, MI 48091

(One block north of 9 Mile Rd. & One block east of Ryan Rd.)
 Free of charge—All are welcome! Please call 586-757-5551 to RSVP and feel free to bring a friend!



THEOLOGY ON TAP IN THE D

Join young adults (ages 18-35) for food, fellowship, fantastic speakers, and faith. The next gathering is Wednesday, February 8th, at Traffic Jam and Snug (511 W. Canfield, Detroit, MI). The evening starts with dinner (everyone on their own bill) and is then followed by a presentation with questions and answers. This month Erik Coules will speak on Growing Daily in Discipleship. For more information, contact Chris at yacm@aod.org or 313-237-4647.



Please join us as our hosts,
The Knights of Columbus,
 Prepare and serve a fabulous
Spaghetti Dinner



Saturday, February 11th, 6:00pm

\$9 each for adults,
 \$5 each for children 12 and under

The proceeds from this community-building event enable the Knights of Columbus to continue the good works of the Knights through the charities they support. Tickets are available for purchase in the Gathering Space after Mass and in the office during the week.



Anniversaries Mass 2017



If you and your spouse are celebrating a wedding anniversary this year of **1, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50 or over years,**

or a significant year in your own marriage,

you are invited to our annual Parish Anniversaries Mass on **Saturday, February 11th, at the 5:00pm Mass.**

The Mass is followed by the Knights of Columbus Spaghetti Dinner served at no charge for the anniversary couple.

Please fill out this form and return it to the parish office no later than **Monday, February 6th.**



Anniversaries Mass 2017



Last Name: _____

First Names: _____

Years Married: _____

Attending Mass: _____ Yes _____ No

Attending dinner _____



Life and Dignity of the Human Person

The Catholic Church proclaims that human life is sacred and that the dignity of the human person is the foundation of a moral vision for society. This belief is the foundation of all the principles of our social teaching. In our society, human life is under direct attack from abortion and euthanasia. The value of human life is being threatened by cloning, embryonic stem cell research, and the use of the death penalty. The intentional targeting of civilians in war or terrorist attacks is always wrong. Catholic teaching also calls on us to work to avoid war. Nations must protect the right to life by finding increasingly effective ways to prevent conflicts and resolve them by peaceful means. We believe that every person is precious, that people are more important than things, and that the measure of every institution is whether it threatens or enhances the life and dignity of the human person.

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Deacon: Edwin McLeod

Weekend Masses:
 Saturday — 4:30pm
 Sunday — 9:00am & 11:00am
Weekday Masses:
 Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday — 9:00am
Confessions
 Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday — 8:30am
 Saturday — 12:15pm



**Traveling Chalice
A Program of Prayer
For Vocations**

Parishioners are asked to take the chalice home and display it in a place of honor, we ask them to pray each night for vocations to the priesthood and religious life. This week our parish gratefully acknowledges

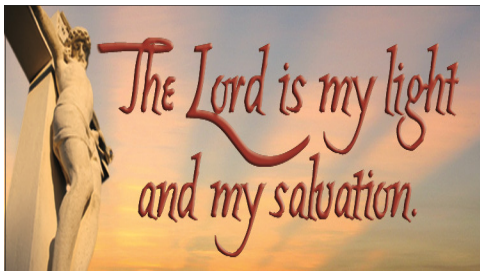
The Mezzapelle Family

for hosting our Traveling Chalice. If you would like to participate in The Traveling Chalice Program please contact Ray Sroka at 586-979-7879.

Low-Gluten Hosts available

For our parishioners who have Celiacs Disease we now have procedures in place to help you celebrate the Eucharist with your parish family. For more information or to take part, please contact Maureen Blair,

586-977-8080 or by email
maureenblair.stjane@gmail.com



**Visit the Parish Website at:
www.sjparish.org**

Readings

Week of January 22, 2017

Sunday

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 8:23—9:3; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14;
1 Cor 1:10-13, 17; Mt 4:12-23 or
4:12-17

Monday

**Day of Prayer for the Legal
Protection of Unborn Children;
Saint Vincent, Deacon and Martyr;
Saint Marianne Cope, Virgin**

Heb 9:15, 24-28; Ps 98:1, 2-3 ab, 3cd-4,
5, 6; Mk 3:22-30 or, for the Day of
Prayer, any readings from the Lectionary
for Mass Supplement, the Mass "For
Giving Thanks to God for the Gift of
Human Life" or the Lectionary for
Mass, the Mass "For Peace and Justice"

Tuesday

**Saint Francis de Sales, Bishop and
Doctor of the Church**

Heb 10:1-10; Ps 40:2 and 4ab, 7-8a,
10,11; Mk 3:31-35

Wednesday

**The Conversion of Saint Paul the
Apostle**

Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22;
Ps 117:1bc, 2; Mk 16:15-18

Thursday

Saints Timothy and Titus, Bishops
2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5; Ps 96:1-2a,
2b-3, 7-8a, 10; Mk 4:21-25

Friday

Saint Angela Merici, Virgin

Heb 10:32-39; Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 23-24,
39-40; Mk 4:26-34

Saturday

**Saint Thomas Aquinas, Priest and
Doctor of the Church**
Heb 11:1-2, 8-19; Luke 1:69-70, 71-72,
73-75; Mk 4:35-41

Sunday

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Zep 2:3; 3:12-13; Ps 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10;
1 Cor 1:26-31; Mt 5:1-12a

MASS INTENTIONS (CONT.)

Monday, January 23

No Mass at St. Jane Frances

Tuesday, January 24

7:30pm Living — Chung Nguyen
(Wife)
Living — Joseph Nguyen
(Mother)

Wednesday, January 25

8:00am Dec. Maria Vu Thima Manh
30th Anniversary
(Granddaughter)
All Souls
(Vanessa Nguyen)

Thursday, January 26

8:00am All Souls
(Vanessa Nguyen)
Dec. Henry Varani
(Tom & Judy Taylor)

Friday, January 27

No Mass at St. Jane Frances

Saturday, January 28

5:00pm Dec. Jerry Ficek
(Kris)
Dec. Edward Smak
(Kris)
Dec. Edward Malozeic
(Kathleen Pawloski)
Dec. Stanley Zwolinski
(Kris)

Sunday, January 29

9:00am Dec. Sister Mary Paulette, CSSF
(Bob & Joyce Youngert)
Dec. Joseph Hendzell
30th Anniversary
(Family)
Dec. Bernard Varani
(Tom & Judy Taylor)
Dec. Barbara & Ralph Rays
(Albina & Don Srodon)
Living — Isaac Sutton
(Gave Family)
11:30am For the Parishioners
Dec. Jack Campo
(Caradonna Family)
Maria & Damiano Campo
(Caradonna Family)
Dec. Vincent & Bridget
Caradonna
(Caradonna Family)

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE — JANUARY 28TH & JANUARY 29TH

	5:00pm	9:00am	11:30am
Presider	Fr. Jerry	Fr. Jerry	Fr. Jerry
Sacristan(s)	Lisa & Dale Erickson	Karen Mills	Dan & Darlene Rys
Lector 1	Catherine Maxwell	John Czarski	Phil Mina
Lector 2	Matthew Pawl	Jolynn Friedmann	Felix Erfe
Altar Servers	Danielle Erickson	Maggie Friedmann	Terasa Mezzapelle
	Raegan Watson	Sarah Friedmann	Isabella Schilling
	Elizabeth Galadik	Amanda Dufoor	Julia Ortmann
Cantor	Vanessa	Bill	Therese
Ushers	Team 2	Assigned	Team 3

WEEKDAY LECTOR SCHEDULE

Tuesday, January 24th, @ 7:30pm
Mary Anne Baraczak

Wednesday, January 25th, @ 8:00am
Joe Boland

Thursday, January 26th, @ 8:00am
Bernie Mikowski



Sunday, January 15, 2016

Weekly Obligation: \$12,237.00

Registered Families.....1479
 Envelopes Returned.....365
 Amount Offered.....\$8,551.05
 Loose Offering.....\$581.92

Online Giving:
 Contributors.....72
 Contributions.....\$2,254.00

Total Offerings.....\$11,386.97

Special Collection:
 Solemnity of Mary.....\$40.00



TOGETHER LET US PRAY...

Please pray for those who are in special need of our prayers.

Maureen Blair
 Judith Brisson
 James Brown
 Sam Castelli
 Sandy Castelli
 Vicki Chrzanowski
 Bernie Colasanti, Jr.
 Anna DiDonato
 Kevin Dufoor
 Pam Evanzia
 Shirley Fasczewski
 James Friedmann
 Charles Grade
 Cindy Graham
 Scott Harris

Henry Helton
 Mary Ann Joly
 John Karalunas
 James Klassen
 Joan Knapp
 Walter Kronner
 Jeffrey Leonard
 George Lutfy
 Addison Mathews
 Charlotte Miles
 Karen Mills
 William Navalta
 Norma O'Connor
 Kathleen Pawlik
 Matthew Pawlik

Helen Perliskey
 Adam Phillips
 Dominic Pietro
 Tara Pietro
 Anita Pitlock
 Frank Polizzi
 Amy Zachwieja Raggio
 Marlene Rokicki
 Olivia Rokicki
 Daniel Van Acker
 Dorothy Weglarz
 Mel Werner
 Kevin Wilcox
 Don G. Wisniewski
 Toni Woodring

Please pray for the men and women serving our country in the Armed Services that they may return home safely to family and friends. Remember particularly:

Robert Bain
 Richard Brown
 Christopher Burley
 Amir Ciplakovic
 Eric Dillard
 Lisa Drake
 Joshua Hebert

Zack Hoover
 Louis B. Kasper, III
 Paul Koss
 Curtis McCoy
 Matthew McDowell
 Donovan John Miller

Danielle Marie Minichello
 Eric Olson
 Scot Skoczylas
 Sean Slattery
 Allison Stewart
 Anthony Trotta
 Carl Winowiecki

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL (CSA)

If you made a pledge, please honor it.

Any amount under the goal that is not met will have to come out of the Church account.

ONLINE GIVING

If you have never used the convenience of Online Giving, why not make your life simpler and give it a try. Go to the parish website at www.sjfparish.org click on the link under STEWARDSHIP and follow the instructions for setting up your donation(s). It is easy and allows you:

- A direct debit from your checking/savings account or credit/debit card.
- The convenience of recurring or one-time donations.
- Complete online giving history available 24/7.
- E-mail reminders regarding when the debit will be made to your account/card.

Online Giving is easy, secure and eliminates always having to remember your weekly envelopes. Go online and give Online Giving a try. If you have any questions, contact Jody Gazo at jgazosjfparish@gmail.com or call her at 586-977-8080.

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK

We want to thank Terrie Mackey of J & J Roofing for advertising in the St. Jane Frances de Chantal bulletin.

We ask our parishioners to please patronize the advertisers as they are the ones that help make our bulletin possible.

2016 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

2016 Statements have been mailed to all those who gave \$200.00 or more in 2016. If you did not receive a statement and need one, please call the parish office (586-977-8080) and request a 2016 Contribution Statement.

2016 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS FOR CATHOLIC SERVICE APPEAL (CSA)

If you contributed \$250.00 or more to the Catholic Services Appeal (CSA) for 2016, a statement from the Archdiocese of Detroit will be mailed to you in the upcoming weeks.

If your contribution is under \$250.00, please email or call the Archdiocese of Detroit to request a statement:

Email: CSA@aod.org
 Or call: 313-596-7330.

FIRST SUNDAY MONTHLY MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION

Enclosed in last week's bulletin was the application for the First Sunday Memorial Association. The donation fee is still \$75.00 for the intention year. Intentions will be listed every week in our bulletin on the back page. Intentions for the First Sunday Memorial Association Members will be recognized at the 9:00am Mass on the first Sunday of each month starting March 5^h.

Please submit your application as soon as possible but **no later than February 19th**.

Additional forms are available in the parish office.