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Fr. Tony Sulkowski Pastor FrTony@sjfparish.org Ext. 102

This weekend, Fr. John L. Longbucco will be here from Cross Catholic. He will be speaking at all this weekend's Masses on behalf of Cross Catholic Outreach.

Fr. John and I have been friends for 40 years, and his being here this weekend will give us an opportunity to catch up and share a meal or two. Fr. John was ordained a priest

in 1990 in the Diocese of Marquette. As one of seven children, Fr. John has an appreciation for the working class family and especially for those families that struggle to feed their children. He began his service in the Archdiocese of Detroit and eventually transferred to the Diocese of Marquette, where he most recently served as pastor at Holy Family.

Throughout Fr. John's career, his heart for the poor has grown. During his time as pastor of St. Francis, St. Kateri, Holy Family, and during his deployment serving in Iraq as a U.S. Army Chaplain, he has seen all levels of family struggle. Seeing the worse kind of poverty in a war-torn country has moved Fr. John to want to bring the plight of the "least of those" to the Church body as an outreach priest for Cross Catholic. Please welcome Fr. John as he shares with us the ministry that Cross Catholic provides to those in need. Brochures will be provided if you wish to support this worthy Catholic ministry.

We often think of the Church as the Archdiocese of Detroit, or even as St. Jane Frances de Chantal, and we would be correct. However, we are only a small part of the Universal Church. The Church reaches far beyond the corner of 17 Mile and Ryan Road. Hearing the experiences of priests and sisters who minister in their missions allows us to see a picture of the global Church through their eyes. Let us keep in prayer those who choose to minister in mission territories throughout the world. As Pope Francis has said so often, missions are at the heart of the Church.

One of the things I enjoy is greeting people in the Gathering Space before and after Mass. It is a time for me to meet people and to say a quick hello. Some people see that time as an opportunity to make an appointment with me. However, I would ask that if you need to make an appointment to see me that you please call the Parish Office. If I am not in the office when you call, you can leave a message on my voicemail, and I will return your call when I get back. I am in the office every day for a period of time.

An important point to note is that I schedule my own appointments, and I will get back to you. I am always available to meet with people. I would ask that you leave your message on my voicemail. Please do not leave your message on the emergency line. My voicemail/office extension is 102. Thank you for your understanding in this matter.

Have a great week.

Bon mot: "Children have more need of models than of critics."

-Joseph Joubert

Carpe Diem,

Fr. Tony



WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses	
Saturday	4:00pm
Sunday	9:00am & 11:30am
Weekday Masses	
Tuesday	7:00pm
Wednesday & Thu	rsday 8:00am
Holy Day Masses	As Announced
Confession	
Tuesday	5:30pm
Rosary	
Tuesday	6:00pm

OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Wednesday, & Thursday 9:00am—1:00pm & 4:30pm—8:00pm

Tuesday 2:00pm—8:00pm Saturday 3:00pm—5:00pm Sunday 10:00am—12:30pm

PARISH HAPPENINGS

Monday, July 12, 2021 9:00am Panera

Tuesday, July 13, 2021

1:00pm	Eucharistic Adoration
5:30pm	Confession
6:00pm	Rosary
6:30pm	Recitation of Divine Praises
7:00pm	Mass

Wednesday, July 14, 2021

8:00am Mass9:30am Needlecrafters6:00pm Needlecrafters7:00pm Lectio Divina

Thursday, July 15, 2021 8:00am Mass 9:00am Swiffers Team #2

Friday, July 16, 2021 Parish Office closed

Saturday, July 17, 2021 4:00pm Mass

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Sunday, July 18, 2021 8:00am Red Cross Blood Drive 9:00am Mass 11:30am Mass 12:15pm Baptism



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From Amos to the twelve apostles, God calls people of faith to serve others.

Amos, a shepherd and horticulturist, was called to prophesize to Israel. Saint Paul was

called to bring Christ's message to Gentiles all around the world. The Twelve were sent by Jesus in pairs to heal the sick and drive out demons. Today's readings call us to consider how we are called by God to give witness to the Gospel.

Today's Gospel ends far differently from last week's. Mark tells us today that "The Twelve drove out many demons, and they anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them" (Mk 6:13). Just last week, in Nazareth, Jesus "was not able to perform any mighty deed there, apart from curing a few sick people by laying his hands on them" (Mk 6:5). Mark emphasizes that faith enables the power of Jesus to be effective—"Daughter, your faith has saved you" (Mk 5:34) —and Nazareth held mostly skeptics. But it is important to note that six pairs of disciples journeying along six different routes were able to encounter many more people than one group of 13 could.

As Jesus' disciples in the world today, we can encounter many, many times more people. We can also reach people in so many different ways. Most of those ways don't require that we leave everything behind—even our closets full of clothes! Jesus instructed the disciples to go without possessions, so that they were able to fully experience their dependence on God. We are all dependent on God for the grace to carry out our mission. By the grace given in our baptism, we became part of the body of Christ, called and empowered to carry on Jesus' mission, ministering to those in need. With the power of the Holy Spirit, we have all we need to be up to the task of ministering to others and spreading the Good News.

Today, reflect on a time when you were provided what you needed to bring God's blessings to others. Pray that you will always be aware of those blessings and bring the joy of your faith to all your interactions, wherever you journey. Peace!

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION WITH RECITATION OF DIVINE PRAISES

Please join us in the worship space on Tuesday, July 13th, anytime from 1:00pm until 6:30pm for Eucharistic Adoration, ending with recitation of the Divine Praises at 6:30pm.



We ask that you please review our updated COVID-19 liturgical protocols at **sjfparish.org** if you choose to attend.



THE 2021 CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL: FUEL THE MISSION

As we face so many challenges in 2021, we are reminded of our call as missionary disciples to act out of the heart that God has formed in us. The CSA raises funds that make possible the work of the AOD, including supporting more than 100 ministries, programs, and services. This includes helping the hungry and homeless, supporting AOD parishes, priests, and seminarians, promoting the work of the Catholic schools, and so much more.

What is the CSA?

The Catholic Services Appeal is an annual campaign that raises funds for the Archdiocese of Detroit ministries, programs, and services that benefit all the faithful in southeast Michigan. This archdiocesan-wide campaign communicates that the local Church extends beyond the parish. The CSA is an opportunity for the faithful to respond to Christ's command "to love one another as I have loved you" (Jn 15:12) by helping to fund services throughout the broader area of southeast Michigan.

What does the CSA fund?

The Catholic Services Appeal benefits parishes and people in the Archdiocese of Detroit by helping to fund more than 170 ministries, programs, and services, including support for men discerning God's call to the priesthood at Sacred Heart Major Seminary, grants to Catholic schools, and young adult programs.

Our parish goal is \$91,324.00. Once a parish reaches its individual annual goal, 100 percent of the overage is returned to the parish.

Please, prayerfully consider contributing to the 2021 Catholic Services Appeal.

COME WITH US ON THE WAY OF FAITH

Come along on a journey of faith with St. Jane Frances de Chantal. We'll explore the many aspects of our Catholic faith, how they unite us, and how they challenge us to embrace the world around us with love.

The Way of Faith is our new online video series exploring our Catholic faith. Our first video, "Freedom," is out now, in time for Independence Day weekend. In it, we explore what freedom means to us as both Americans and Catholics did our freedom come when we declared ourselves an independent nation, or did it come when we were created by God in God's image? How and why is that difference important? Are we Americans who were baptized Catholic, or are we Catholics who happen to live in America? How does the answer to that question change what freedom means to you?

Watch "Freedom" at **sjfparish.org/thewayoffaith**. We hope you'll come along with us on this journey!

LECTOR SCHEDULE					
Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Saturday	Sunday	
July 13, 2021	July 14, 2021	July 15, 2021	July 17, 2021	July 18, 2021	
<i>7:00pm</i>	<i>8:00am</i>	<i>8:00am</i>	<i>4:00pm</i>	<i>9:00am</i>	
Chris Bajercius	Judy Taylor	Cindy Guzi	Phil Mina	Brian Brennan	
				11:30am Barb Milczynski	

SCRIPTURE READINGS WEEK OF JULY 11, 2021

Sunday

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time Am 7:12-15 Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14 Eph 1:3-14 or 1:3-10 Mk 6:7-13

Monday

Ex 1:8-14, 22 Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8 Mt 10:34—11:1

Tuesday

St. Henry Ex 2:1-15a Ps 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34 Mt 11:20-24

Wednesday

Memorial of St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin Ex 3:1-6, 9-12 Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 6-7 Mt 11:25-27

Thursday

Memorial of St. Bonaventure, Bishop & Doctor of the Church Ex 3:13-20 Ps 105:1 & 5, 8-9, 24-25, 26-27 Mt 11:28-30

Friday

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Ex 11:10—12:14 Ps 116:12-13, 15 & 16bc, 17-18 Mt 12:1-8

Saturday Ex 12:37-42 Ps 136:1 & 23-24, 10-12, 13-15 Mt 12:14-21

Sunday

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time Jer 23:1-6 Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6 Eph 2:13-18 Mk 6:30-34

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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PRAYING THE ROSARY

Join us each Tuesday at 6:00pm to pray a Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Help and to pray the Rosary in the main worship space.

All are welcome and encouraged to join in!

PARISH NEWS

Parish News keeps our parishioners up -to-date with regular updates from our parish. Any parishioner with an email address can sign up for Parish News. All news will be delivered to your email inbox.

Sign up at **sjfparish.org/news**.

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

On **July 18, 2021**, the Red Cross will be hosting a blood drive **by appointment only**.

Temperature checks will be conducted at the door, and a limited number of people will be allowed inside at the same time.

Register online at **redcrossblood.org**.

KEEPING THE FAITH IN WHEN SCHOOL'S OUT

Adapted from unleashthegospel.org. Written by Adele Paz Collins.

In the summer, there is a noticeable shift of energy in my household. My children, who have been going to school and playing sports during the spring months, are all home together under one roof. Our days are open with little more than a trip to the pool on the schedule. As the warm sunshine and long days beckon us out of the house, we are outside barefoot until we retreat to the house in exhaustion to rest and regroup until we're ready to go out again.

These months are fun, active, and exhausting, but they also present the beautiful opportunity to live out our faith together in the domestic church of our family. While during the school year our family schedule conforms to the demands of schools, activities, and jobs, during the summer months, our schedule is a blank slate. It's the perfect chance to live the liturgical year together, whether through our daily prayers and devotions or through the activities we use to fill our time.

Our rich Catholic tradition provides a variety of beautiful devotions and practices around which we can form and enrich our days. Here are a few that we've enjoyed over the years:

Make a Marian Garden

Perhaps you've heard of the tradition of the Marian garden. It goes back to the seventh century, when monasteries, churches, and families would plant herbs and flowers symbolic of Our Lady within their gardens. These gardens were used to make tinctures and ointments by monks and laypeople, but also as places of respite and prayer over the course of the day. You might be surprised to know that most common flowers and herbs have special Marian names, based on their symbolism in Marian gardens.

Maybe you don't have a big yard, but only a little patio or sunny corner of your home. Why not make a Marian garden of potted plants where you can retreat to pray during the day? You can even start a family tradition of leaving a bouquet of fresh blooms, branches, or leaves that you gather at the feet of the Blessed Mother over the verdant summer months. You only need a statue of Our Lady, big or small, and a few potted plants to surround her with to get started. Place a candle, a comfortable cushion, or seat for sitting and a basket with rosaries to make it the ultimate retreat spot.

Here are a few common plants with their Marian names which you can incorporate into your garden:

- Marigold, or "Mary's Gold"
- Lily of the Valley, or "Our Lady's Tears"
- Canterbury Bells, or "Our Lady's Bells"
- Foxgloves, or "Our Lady's Gloves"
- Sage, or "Mary's Shawl"
- Violet, or "Our Lady's Modesty"
- Juniper, or "Our Lady's Shelter"

Or better yet, research the Marian name of your favorite flower or herb! Most have Marian names and associations—many are even associated with a specific mystery of the rosary.

Read the full article at **unleashthegospel.org**. Interested in more like this? Sign up for Parish News at **sjfparish.org/news** to be emailed similar resources.

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KROGER COMMUNITY REWARDS: AN EASY WAY TO GIVE BACK TO OUR PARISH

Looking for an easy way to support our parish? St. Jane Frances de Chantal participates in **Kroger Community Rewards!** With Kroger Community Rewards, a percentage of your grocery purchase will be awarded to our parish. **This will not cost you any additional money.**

TO USE KROGER COMMUNITY REWARDS:

Be sure to have your Kroger Plus card handy, and remember to register your card with your organization after you sign up. If you do not yet have a Kroger Plus card, they are available at the customer service desk at any Kroger.

1. Visit krogercommunityrewards.com.

2. Create a digital account. A digital account is needed to participate in Kroger Community Rewards. If you already have a digital account, simply link your Shopper's Card to your account so that all transactions apply toward the organization you choose.

3. Link your Card to an organization. Selecting the organization that you wish to support is as simple as updating the Kroger Community Rewards selection on your digital account:

- Sign in to your digital account.
- Search for your organization.
- Enter the name or NPO number of the organization you wish to support. **Our parish's NPO number is JK577**.
- Select the appropriate organization from the list and click "Save."

Your selected organization will also display in the Kroger Community Rewards section of your account. If you need to review or revisit your organization, you can always do so under your account details.

4. Start shopping! Any transactions made using the Shopper's Card number associated with your digital account will be applied to the program **at no added cost to you.**

For each purchase to count, members must swipe their registered Kroger Plus card at the register or use the phone number that is related to their registered Kroger Plus card when shopping.

Kroger donates annually to participating organizations based on your percentage of spending as it relates to the total spending associated with all participating Kroger Community Rewards organizations.

We appreciate your participation!



FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



BIKE CLUB

Want to join others for a noncompetitive bike ride once a week? Come along on our summer rides!

This year, the Bike Club will be meeting every Tuesday at 6:15pm, with rides beginning at 6:30pm. We will be meeting in the Onyx Ice Arena parking lot located at 24 Mile Road and Dequindre. From there, we will ride either the Macomb Orchard Trail or the Clinton River Trail.

You don't need to register to join, but you must wear a helmet! Please bring bug spray, sunscreen, water, and anything else you might need.

Sign-up: As a means to let everyone know who will be attending each Bike Club ride, we have made available an online sign-up sheet. To access the sign-up sheet, visit **sjfparish.org/ bikeclub** and click "Bike Club Sign-up Sheet."

The dates for each ride are indicated on the sheet. Type in your name under the ride(s) you plan on attending. This information is updated real time and is available to everyone who plans on riding. We hope to see everyone at future rides!

Reminders: For reminders of each ride or notifications of cancellations due to the weather, etc., sign up for our Remind 101 by texting **@sjf-bike to 81010 or to 857-256-0255**. You can unsubscribe at any time.

Liability: At no time does St. Jane Frances de Chantal Parish, the Archdiocese of Detroit, employees, or volunteers assume liability for any event that may occur during these workouts. The members participate of their own free will, understanding that any exercise program has the inherent risk of injury. No one associated with this group is operating as a doctor or as a licensed medical practitioner. Members should consult with their doctor or with another licensed care representative if they have any questions and/or concerns about participating in an exercise program.



ARMED SERVICES PRAYER LIST

Robert Bain, Army			
Nicholas Brosowski, Army			
Chris Burley, Navy			
Shaun Chaplin, Air Force			
Alexander J. Hendzell, Marines			
Louis B. Kasper III, Coast Guard			
Elijah Kuefler, Navy			
Carmen LaForest, Navy			
Matthew McDowell, Air Force			
Cassidy Kicinski Rose, Air Force			
Jeremy Rzeppa, Navy			
Scot D. Skoczylas, Navy			
Anthony Trotta, Navy			
Kyle Wiegand, Army			

PRAYER LIST

	For the Parishioners
	Dec. Jerry Soldatek (Sylvia Soldatek)
	Dec. Conrad Modlinski (Edward Nowak)
	Dec. Michael Tabone (Joe & Rosanna Formaro)
11:30am	Fr. Tony Sulkowski—Happy Birthday!
	Dec. Ray Mandziuk (Pat Mandziuk)
	11:30am

MASS INTENTIONS

Wednesday, July 14, 2021

Thursday, July 15, 2021

Saturday, July 17, 2021

Sunday, July 18, 2021

Friday, July 16, 2021 No Mass

Tuesday, July 13, 2021

7:00pm

8:00am

8:00am

4:00pm

9:00am

Monday, July 12, 2021 No Mass

For the Parishioners Liv. Anna Gabel (Family)

For the Parishioners

For Priests & Religious

Dec. Angeline M. Tringali (Family) Dec. Shirley Putrycus (Putrycus Family) Dec. Irene Mandziuk (Edward Mandziuk)

Dec. Robert Pomaville (Stangis Family)

Fr. Tony Sulkowski—Happy Birthday!

Dec. Irene Mandziuk (Pat Mandziuk)

Liv. Maria Vacaj (Joe Gjok)

Names added to the Prayer List remain for four weeks. Please call the Parish Office to request prayers.



OUR MISSION

"Nourished by God's Word & the Eucharist, we strive to be a welcoming Catholic community dedicated to living and proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ."

NEW TO OUR PARISH?

Would you like to join the St. Jane Frances de Chantal parish family? Become a parishioner! You may register anytime in the Parish Office or online at **sjfparish.org/joinus**. We would love to have you!

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CHILDREN'S BAPTISM

Do you have a child you would like to have baptized? Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

RECONCILIATION

Available Tuesdays at 5:30pm.

MARRIAGE

Congratulations! Please contact our Parish Office at least six months prior to your desired wedding date to begin preparations.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Contact the Parish Office to schedule one-time or regular visits.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Are you interested in joining the Catholic Church? Contact Laurie Hall to begin the process. Welcome home!



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