

St. Jane Frances de Chantal

November 3, 2019

Sterling Heights, MI 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Fr. T's Tidbits: Anniversaries

On behalf of the parish community of St. Jane Frances de Chantal I would like to extend warm wishes and blessings to all those married couples who are celebrating milestone anniversaries this year. Anniversaries are important to celebrate because they allow us to reflect upon the past years and events within those years while looking to the future.

I recall at a previous parish celebrating the 75th wedding anniversary of a couple. When I asked the couple what advice they would give to other couples who are already married or engaged couples looking to be married. Their advice was simple, as a couple you have to pray together, work as a team, and never go to bed angry. Some sage advice from a life, well lived.

I would encourage those engaged couples who are thinking of marriage to look and seek the advice from those who are married. I know that as a young priest I often sought the advice and counsel from my older and more seasoned brother priests. With age there is wisdom and we grow in wisdom as we age. To all those who are celebrating milestone anniversaries I extend to you a simple blessing taken from the liturgikon.

May the Lord, who was a guest at the wedding of Cana, bless you and your families and friends.

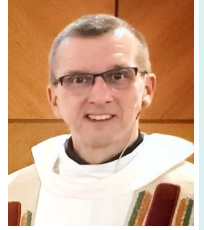
May Jesus who loved his Church to the end, always fill you hearts with love.

May he grant that, as you believe in his resurrection, so you may wait for him in joy and hope. Amen.

May you light shine before all that they may see the good that you do and the example that you provide.

Bon mot: Events are sometimes the best calendar. -Benjamin Disraeli

Carpe Diem,
Fr. Tony



Fr. Tony Sulkowski
Pastor
Ext. 102

We remember those who have been buried from our parish community in the last year: October 2018 to September 2019

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|-----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Marina Angco | Stanley Makowski | Jean Saari |
| Robert Archer | Lucille Maloziec | Natalina Sarti |
| Genowefa Baran | John McNeil | Sharon Schoenborn |
| Joan Lee Benner | Angeline Moro | Delphine Shaw |
| Barbara Bookwalter | Sophie Novak | Sophie Sokol |
| John Donahue | Geraldine Nowicki | Gervase Soldatek |
| Ronald Dreslinski | Florinda Paglino | Joseph Tallerico |
| Angeline Engle | Ronald Pellerito | Thomas Taylor |
| Ronnie L. Ermert | Edward Pieczkowski | Am Tran |
| Richard Gerst | Arnold Putrycus | Mary Ellen Van Dyke |
| Patrick Goryl | Elvira Rastelli | Richard Volpe |
| Bernard W. Graham Sr. | Margaret Rayes | Kathryn Workens |
| Elizabeth Kaptur | Thomas "Ron" Rezepa | Mary Zalewski |
| James Klassen | Marlene Rice | David Zielinski |
| Irene Kucyk | Robert Ritts | |
| James Kwapis | Barbara Rodriguez | |

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they, and all the faithful departed by the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Save All Souls

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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses

Saturday 4:00pm
 Sunday 9:00am & 11:30am

Weekday Masses

Tuesday 7:00pm
 Wednesday and Thursday 8:00am

Holy Day Masses As Announced

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Monday - Thursday
 8:30am - 8:00pm
 (Closed from 12:00 to 1:15 for lunch)
Friday: Closed
Saturday: 2:30pm - 5:00pm
Sunday: 10:00am - 12:30pm

MINISTRIES

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St. Vincent de Paul
 Tom Harris 586-977-8080
Ushers-Ministers of Hospitality
 Lawrence (Larry) Frontera 586-306-3450

SACRAMENTS

CHILDREN'S BAPTISM

Do you have a child you would like to have baptized? We would be delighted to talk to you about your options! Please call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

RECONCILIATION

Tuesday from 5:30pm-6:30pm (or by appt.)

MARRIAGE

Congratulations! Please contact our Parish Office at least six months prior to your desired wedding date to start your preparations and make arrangements. Couples should stop by the office and fill out the Request for Celebration of Marriage form. Fr. Tony will call the couple and answer any questions regarding marriage.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Contact the Parish Office to schedule. Also available once a month during the Tuesday evening Mass.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Are you interested in joining the Catholic Church? We are thrilled to have you! Contact our Pastoral Associate/Worship Coordinator, Laurie Hall, to begin the process by calling the Parish Office. Welcome home!

PARISH SACRAMENTAL 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

Please call the Parish Office to schedule.

Parish Happenings

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4

6:30pm Ushers Board Mtg
 6:45pm Bishop Barron Series on the Mass

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5

5:30pm Confessions
 6:00pm Rosary
 6:00pm Diabetes Prevention Program
 7:00pm Mass

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6

8:00am Mass
 9:30am Needle Crafters
 10:00am Seniors
 5:45pm Needle Crafters
 6:00pm Bells
 7:00pm Choir
 7:00pm Lectio Divina

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7

8:00am Mass
 1:15pm Swiffers Team 2
 5:30pm K-6 Faith Formation
 6:00pm Knights Officer Mtg
 7:00pm Financial Workshop
 7:00pm Wedding Rehearsal

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8

4:00pm Wedding
 6:30pm Wedding Rehearsal
 6:30pm Ushers General Meeting

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9

RTL Christmas Card Sale
 Giving Tree Tags
 1:00pm Wedding
 3:30pm K O fC Honor Guard
 4:00pm Mass w K O fC Corp.
 5:00pm Spaghetti Dinner

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10

RTL Christmas Card Sale
 Giving Tree Tags
 9:00am Mass
 10:00am RCIA
 10:00am Cantor Practice
 11:30am Mass
 6:00pm HSYM Sun. Eve Gathering

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."

NEW TO THE PARISH?

WOULD YOU LIKE TO JOIN THE ST. JANE FRANCES DE CHANTAL FAMILY? BECOME A REGISTERED PARISHIONER!

You may register at the Parish Office at anytime after Mass on the weekend or during regular office hours. Please call 586-977-8080 if you have any questions. We look forward to having you here!



Laurie Hall
Pastoral Associate
& Worship Coord.
Ext. 104

Second Annual Parish Day of Renewal: Encountering the Risen Christ: With Sr. Miriam James Heidland, SOLT

WHO: All parishioners

WHEN: Saturday, November 16th

WHERE: Suburban Collection Showplace

WHY: As we mark the third anniversary of Synod 16 and the second anniversary of the beatification of Blessed Solanus Casey, don't miss this opportunity to become better equipped to Unleash the Gospel in your parish community and family!

WHAT: The day will include keynote talks, breakout sessions, Mass with Archbishop Vigneron, food, and fellowship.

The breakout sessions are divided into tracks. Each participant selects one track to attend when registering, which will include three sessions led by an expert in the field. Attendees will leave with knowledge in this area as well as ready-to-use tools to incorporate UTG into their parish or family. These tracks will dive deeper into the following topics:

- **Track 1—Rediscovering the Sacredness and Mission of the Holy Family**—Dr. Bill Keimeg, from Franciscan University of Steubenville, will look at family evangelization and building the Domestic Church. This track will simultaneously be translated into Spanish and is great for parents, coaches, and anyone with a heart for family ministry
- **Track 2—Stories that Change Lives: How Your Personal Testimony Can Help Others Encounter Christ**—Sarah Kaczmarek, the associate director of Alpha Catholic, will delve deeper into knowing our own story and how to comfortably share that with others. There will be time to reflect and practice as well. This track is wonderful for anyone who wants to be able to share their own testimony.
- **Track 3—Small Group: An Ancient Method for a Digital Age**—Tom Corcoran, the co-author of *Rebuilt*, will share the concepts of small group ministry, best practices, and some ideas for implementing them. This track is ideal for anyone wanting to learn how to lead a small group.
- **Track 4—Great Hospitality: Creating an Environment for Encounter**—Tim Glemkowski, the president of L'Alto, will explore what is the theology of hospitality and why what we do (or don't do) really matters when creating a culture of encounter. This track is great for ushers, parish secretaries, greeters, and other volunteers who are the first contact for someone coming to your parish.

HOW: For more information or to register, please visit: <https://pdr2019.eventbrite.com>



WEEK III

JAMES SPERRY
&
JESSICA GOODMAN



JOEL GASPAROVICH
&
KAYLYN GIANG

BAPTISM



Bentley Giovanni-Anthony Martin
Parents: Bruce Martin &
Naszreen Rita Wilson
Godfather: Anthony Green
Godmother: Kimberly Chandara

The Catholic Community
of
**St. Jane Frances
de Chantal**
welcomes the following
children who were
Baptized by
Fr. Anthony Sulkowski on
October 26th, 2019 &
October 27th, 2019



Dean Michael Roux
Parents: Joshua Robert Roux &
Shannon Valentine
Barrington Roux
Godfather: Zachary Barrington
Witness: Kabrina Roux



DEBBIE MAZUR

Christian Service & Adult Faith Formation Coordinator

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HEALTH MINISTRY

Unused Prescription and OTC Medications Unused Wound Care Products Collection November 2-17, 2019

Do you have unused medications or wound care dressings in your home?? The Health Ministry at St. Jane Frances will be collecting prescriptions and over the counter medications (OTC) as well as wound care products (dressings, tape, ace bandages, etc.) again. They will be taken to the *Soup Kitchen, to the pharmacist there who assists with the needs of the less fortunate.* Please bring your unused medications and wound care products to the church office any time during the above dates.

Rules for medication drop off:

1. Original prescription bottles with labels intact. We must be able to read the drug name, dosage, date, and pharmacy that dispensed the prescription. **Please block out your name** before bringing the bottles to church.
2. Expired dates on labels are accepted. The pharmacist will determine if it is still usable.
3. Unused over the counter (OTC) medicines are also accepted.
4. **NO LIQUIDS.**
5. **NO NARCOTICS OR CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES**
Controlled substances are those with the potential for psychological or physical dependence. Examples include: narcotic painkillers such as Morphine, Vicodin, Oxycontin, Demerol, Tylenol III with codeine; anti-depressants, and ADHD drugs such as Ritalin.

Rules for wound care products drop off:

1. Original packages, unopened if packaged as sterile.
2. No liquids or ointments.

Your contributions will be greatly appreciated!
May God bless you with good health.

Right to Life Christmas Cards

Right to Life NW Macomb will be offering Christmas card selections the weekend of **November 9-10, 2019** at all Masses. The proceeds support pro-life activities, education and materials and will benefit "Life" at all its stages. We hope you enjoy helping mom's "choose" life for their babies. If you are not in need of cards, donations will be gratefully accepted.

Christmas Giving Tree

"Whatever you do to the least of these, you do to me."
(Mt 25:40)

As we anticipate celebrating the amazing "gift" of the incarnation of God in the birth of Jesus, we invite you to join in our annual Giving Tree project—and share your blessings with those less fortunate. This year we have committed to seven groups serving diverse needs both within our parish and beyond—

- ◆ Children of families served by St. Vincent de Paul (green trees)
- ◆ Mary's Children Family Center for brain injury recovery (blue bells)
- ◆ St. Aloysius "street ministry" to homeless, working poor and seniors in Detroit (red bells)
- ◆ St. Vincent de Paul Archdiocesan ministry to prisoners & newly released inmates (blue stars)
- ◆ St. Leo's Soup Kitchen ministry to the homeless (yellow stars)
- ◆ Turning Point shelter for domestic violence victims and survivors (orange candles)
- ◆ McWARM warming center; a gathering place for homeless in Macomb county (red candles)

***Note: Giving Tree tags are gifts for individual recipients— if you would like to "adopt a family" please contact Mary Lee Becker (248-457-0672) by Nov 5th and she will reserve tags for you.**

Please return **unwrapped gifts, with the ornament tag attached**, to collection boxes in the gathering area when you arrive at Mass on **November 23rd/24th** or **November 30th/ December 1st.** Gifts of cash or checks can also be dropped off at the Church office.

**Deadline for returning all gifts:
Wednesday December 4th**

**Ladies Morning of Reflection at
St. Jane Frances
Saturday, November 16, 9:00am-12:00pm**

Angels of God

Learn:

**What the Bible really says about angels
What angels do
What the Church believes and teaches
Share ideas and table discussion
A morning of learning, prayer, and sharing**

Presented by Diane Bucko, D. Min.

**Please pre-register by calling the parish office at
586-977-8080 or email Debbie at
dmazur@sjfparish.org**



**Holiday Food Basket
Collection**
**“Lord, when did we see you
hungry?”**

Holidays are a time we give thanks to God for the blessings we have received...and share those blessings with families in need.

For both Thanksgiving and Christmas our St. Vincent de Paul chapter provides holiday meal packages to over **40 families in need** within our parish boundaries. This only happens because of the **generosity of you**, our parishioners.

The **specific** items we need to complete our **Thanksgiving** meals include:

- ◆ 25-30 Large Turkeys (for families of 5 or more)
- ◆ 20 small Turkeys or Turkey Breast for families of 2-4
- ◆ 50 Stuffing mix
- ◆ 50 Turkey Gravy
- ◆ 50 Canned sweet potatoes
- ◆ 50 Canned cranberry sauce



Note: Please bring turkeys to the church office **no later than Wednesday, November 20th!** Thank You!

Join our Hosts
The Knights of Columbus
for a fabulous:

Spaghetti Dinner

**Saturday, November 9th
Dinner 6:00pm—8:00pm**

**\$10 each for adults,
\$5 each for children 12 and under**
**Proceeds to benefit the Fishermen’s Fund of Sacred Heart
Major Seminary**

Thanks to the Knights of Columbus Council of St. Jane Frances de Chantal parish, last year’s spaghetti dinner raised nearly \$1000 to donate to the Fishermen’s Fund. Folks are still talking about how delicious the spaghetti dinner was and are looking to join us this year! Buy your tickets today—only a limited number of tickets are sold! Tickets will be available for purchase after Mass in the gathering space or during the week in the parish office.



*Casting a net for Sacred Heart
Major Seminary students.*



Widows & widowers are invited to join **“Widowed Friends”** for dinner & games at the **American Polish Cultural Center, 2975 E. Maple Rd (NW corner of 15 Mile & Dequindre) in Troy on Friday, Nov. 8th**. Social hour begins at 5:00pm followed by a family style dinner at 6:00pm. Cost is \$15.00/pp which includes tax & gratuity. Stay after dinner to play cards & games. **Must RSVP by Nov. 5th to Mary at 586-254-2554.** For further information about Widowed Friends, visit our website at



Order your Thanksgiving Pies and support “On the Rise Bakery”

This year we have added a few more selections for your Thanksgiving feast!
Please turn in order forms to the office with payment by **November 10, 2019**. Please print!

Name: _____ Phone: _____

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|--------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Apple _____ @ \$7.00 | Peach _____ @ \$7.00 | White Dinner Rolls _____ \$4/dozen |
| Blueberry _____ @ \$7.00 | Sweet Potato _____ @ \$9.00 | Wheat Dinner Rolls _____ \$4/dozen |
| Cherry _____ @ \$7.00 | Pumpkin _____ @ \$9.00 | Pecan _____ @ \$10.00 |

Total Items: _____ **Total: \$** _____ (Make checks payable to “On the Rise Bakery”)

Pick up will be **Tuesday, November 26th** from 4:00pm-7:00pm in the parish office. Your support will make a big difference in giving a second chance to those who are “On the Rise” to a productive path in life!



BEN KLASSEN
 Youth Ministry Coordinator &
 Director of Faith Formation
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*Family
 Corner*

ABOUT THE GOSPEL:

Zacchaeus, a tax collector, climbs into a sycamore tree for a better view of Jesus. Jesus honors Zacchaeus by staying at his house. Tax collectors, then, were dishonest and the crowd is angry that Jesus would stay with a sinner but Jesus wants everyone to come to him.

IN CHURCH:

Choose seats in or near the front row at Mass for the best possible view of Jesus. Remind your family to pay special attention to see if they notice anything new when their view is unobstructed. Pray together that your family always remembers that Jesus is close by.

QUESTIONS FOR THE WEEK:

- ◆ What makes someone your friend? When has a friend been a good example for you?
- ◆ How have you changed because of a good friend?
- ◆ How did Zacchaeus change because of his friendship with Jesus?
- ◆ What kind of power do rumors and gossip have?

FAMILY PRAYER:

Lord, help us to be good role models for one other. Amen.

QUESTIONS TO ASK YOURSELF NEXT WEEK

IN PREPARATION FOR MASS:

- ◆ Name all the things and people, that God gives life to in your life?
- ◆ How do we get to Heaven?
- ◆ Who shares their life with you?

Faith Formation Reminder:
 Kindergarten—6th Grade sessions:
 Resume this week on Thursday!
 Confirmation Preparation:
 We do not meet this week.
 Remember—be looking for Spiritual and Service opportunities

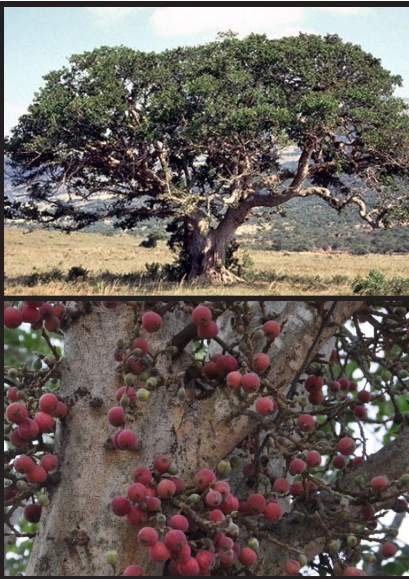
What have you done, to see a band that you wanted to see in concert? How about a speaker, or a celebrity? A sporting event, game, match, meet, etc.? Did you miss some school, or some work? Did you pay an exorbitant amount of money? What *is* an exorbitant amount of money?

In the Gospel story from this weekend, a little man really wanted to see Jesus. I mean *really, REALLY* wanted to see Him, so this little guy (Zacchaeus) climbed a Sycamore tree. The Sycamore tree of the Middle East produced a “fruit” like a fig, it grew quickly and was quite large. Now, if you read a little bit about this tree, you might come across the fact that this tree lived symbiotically (look up that word if you don’t know that one!) with a species of wasp, providing shelter and food for the insect while the insect pollinated the tree, and helped the tree reproduce. Now imagine this little man, climbing a monstrous tree, full of wasps. He REALLY wanted to see Jesus!

I really do get, that this was a different time, with different ideals and people were much more “attuned” to nature than most of us are today, but scripture also says that little “Zac” was a wealthy man, and here he is, climbing a tree to see a preacher, a Rabbi, someone who has been doing some miraculous stuff in neighboring towns and villages. Then, the man he was trying to see, called him by name, AND invited Himself (Jesus did) to Zacchaeus’ own home.

We are all sinners, not one of us is exempt. God is the example of perfection, and even the slightest deviation from “perfect”, means that we are wholly *imperfect*. Even though we are all imperfect sinners, God has called each of us. Had He not called us, we would not be in church, we would not be reading these blatherings from a bald guy named Ben. We HAVE been called by God. Have we responded? Do we take time to separate from the world around us to listen for God’s call? Do we see the miracle of His inviting Himself into our lives?

Read again, our first and second readings (Wisdom 11:22-12:2 and 2 Thessalonians 1:11-2:2). Let us be aware of God’s Call, God’s Mercy, God’s Love; GOD in our lives. Let us be willing to climb a tree to see God in hopes of meeting Him. Let us go out on a limb to see God in each other, in a stranger. Let us SHOW the world what we are willing to do for God, not just talk about it, like the “Pharisee” in the scriptures. Let us be Jesus to and for our neighbors, so they may come to meet Him as well!



Catholic College Night
 VISIT 22+ COLLEGES IN ONE EVENING

Nov. 7, 2019 - 6:00 - 8:00 pm
 at
 Madonna University
 36600 Schoolcraft Road
 Livonia, MI 48150

Information Seminars

- Financial Aid and Scholarships
- Updated FAFSA Process

Learn more and Register Now:
CatholicCollegeNight.org

FREE PIZZA!

K of C Council #7304 and Madonna University present the Fourth Annual Catholic College Night



HEAVENLY DELIGHTS

Heavenly Delights are served after the 9:00am Sunday Mass about once a month throughout the year. In addition to enjoying delicious refreshments, parishioners come together to build community and form new friendships. The team of individuals who work at getting everything ready for Heavenly Delights usually volunteer between 8:30am – 11:00am on the Sunday morning of the event. We are currently in need of additional volunteers to help with these events. If this is something you can help us with or if you want more information, please contact Linda Smith at 586-977-8080 ext. 113 or at Lsmith@sjfparish.org. Thank you!

St. Jane Frances de Chantal

Knights of Columbus

Council 13340

Wishes to recognize the

contributions of the following Knights and families:

SEPTEMBER

KNIGHT OF THE MONTH



Bob Bielinski

&

SEPTEMBER

FAMILY OF THE MONTH

Julius & Christine D'Ambrosio

This recognition is given in honor of your dedicated service to our council and parish community.

Thank you!



EUCHRE NIGHT HAPPY HOLIDAYS



WHEN: Saturday, November 23rd, from 5:00pm until about 10:00pm.

WHERE: In the Fr. Page Activity Center.

WHO: Whether you are a pro or a beginner join us for a fun night of Euchre!

WHAT: We'll be playing Euchre and having a fun evening together! The games will be played using rotating partners.

HOW: Sign-up in the Parish Office. The cost is \$10.00 per player and covers the cost of dinner, snacks, dessert, beverages and prizes. We ask that the \$10.00 please be paid before the night of the event. The cut off for signing up is Monday, November 18th. (No refunds for cancellations received after November 18th.)

Questions: Contact Linda Smith at

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586-977-8080, ext. 113.



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October 17, 2019

St. Jane Frances de Shantel Catholic Church
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Sterling Heights, MI 48310

Dear Fr. Tony Sulkowski,

It is my sincere pleasure to congratulate St. Jane Frances de Shantel Catholic Church on receiving the 2020 Sterling Heights Beautification Award. This achievement signifies qualities that are very much admired as an indication of talent and industriousness by the people of Sterling Heights.

Thank you for making such a tremendous contribution to your neighborhood and our community. Best wishes to your congregation for many years to come in appreciation of all your hard work and dedication.

Sincerely,

Michael D. MacDonald
State Senator
Serving Macomb

This certificate of congratulations is presented to
St Jane Frances de Chantal Catholic Church
on behalf of your efforts to beautify your surroundings for all to enjoy and admire.

Michael C. Taylor, Mayor
City of Sterling Heights

Gary Iom
Sterling Heights Beautification Commission

Dated: 10/01/19

PARISH SUPPORT October 27, 2019	
Registered Families:	1406
Envelopes Returned:	301
Amount Offered:	\$6,952.10
Loose Offering:	\$1,045.20
Online Giving Contributors:	67
Contributions:	\$1,871.00
Total Offerings:	\$9,868.30
Budgeted Offertory:	\$12,044.00
Actual Offertory:	\$9,868.30
Difference:	-\$2,175.70

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ST. EPHREM CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Pastor: Fr. Craig Giera

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

ONLINE GIVING

We are grateful for your support of our church. Online Giving allows you to make contributions to our church without writing checks or worrying about cash donations. Visit our website:

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to sign-up for Online Giving. Email Jody Gazo at jgazo@sjfparish.org or call 586-977-8080, ext. 112 with any questions.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

November 3, 2019

Sunday

Wis 11:22—12:2; Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13, 14; 2 Thes 1:11—2:2; Lk 19:1-10

Monday

Memorial of Saint Charles Borromeo, Bishop

Rom 11:29-36; Ps 69:30-31, 33-34, 36; Lk 14:12-14

Tuesday

Rom 12:5-16ab; Ps 131:1bcde, 2, 3; Lk 14:15-24

Wednesday

Rom 13:8-10; Ps 112: 1b-2, 4-5, 9; Lk 14:25-33

Thursday

Rom 14:7-12; Ps 27:1bcde, 4, 13-14; Lk 15:1-10

Friday

Rom 15:14-21; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Lk 16:1-8

Saturday

Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome

Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22

Sunday

2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14; Ps 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15; 2 Thes 2:16—3:5; Lk 20:27-38 or Lk 20:27, 34-38

LOW GLUTEN HOSTS AVAILABLE:

Call the Parish Office at 586-977-8080.

Visit the parish website to stay up to date on what is happening and to view the bulletin online!

sjfparish.org

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MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4: NO MASS

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5:

7:00pm Dec. Keith Richards
(Linda Franczyk)

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6:

8:00am Dec. Leo Maska (Majka Family)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7:

8:00am Dec. Leroy Rogers (Judy Taylor)
Dec. James Taylor (Judy Taylor)
Dec. Michael Koczon (Judy Taylor)
Liv. Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence Ross
50th Annv. (Mike & Sue Emerson)

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8: NO MASS

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9:

4:00pm All Veterans & Military Personnel
Deceased Mbrs of K Of C
Dec. Edward & Estelle Zybura
(Dennis & Nancy Lippert)
Dec. Jacqueline Slezak
(Dennis & Nancy Lippert)
Dec. Lorraine Promo
(Promo Family)
Dec. Sophie Novak
(Son & Daughter)

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10

9:00am For the Parishioners
All Military Veterans & Personnel
Dec. Bill & Grace Ochenski
(Sam & Sharron)
Dec. Sophie Novak
(Steve & Lisa Skoczylas)

11:30am All Veterans & Military Personnel
Dec. Tom Taylor (Florita Newton)
Dec. Mark & Lena Papaj (Family)
Dec. Ronald Guzi (Family)

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE — November 9th & 10th

Please see scheduling app for updates.

	4:00pm	9:00am	11:30am
Presider	Fr. Tony	Fr. Tony	Fr. Tony
Sacristan(s)	Lisa Skoczylas	MaryAnn Webb	Dan & Darlene Rys
Lector 1	Linda Smith	Brian Brennan	Geri Miles
Lector 2	Craig Smith	Denise Dara	Robert Skwara
Altar Servers	Maria McQueen	Samantha Abuel	Elsa Jeffrey
	Azure Swincicki	Jasmine Abuel	Lucas Jeffrey
Ushers	Team 3	Assigned	Team 1

WEEKDAY LECTOR SCHEDULE

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5

Mary Anne Barczak

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6

Annette Mobley

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7

Cindy Guzi

PRAYER LIST

*From the Letter of James 5:13:
Is anyone among you suffering?
He should pray. Is anyone in
good spirits? He should sing
praise!*

It is our Christian duty to pray for others. Please call the Parish Office to add or remove a name from the Prayer List. Please be aware that, in this age of security issues, we can add only names of persons who have given permission to have their names printed. If you desire prayers for someone who does not wish to have their name printed in the bulletin, please use our Intercessory Prayer Box in the Worship Space. The Intercessory Prayer team will include your intentions in their prayers. Names added to the Prayer List will remain on the list for a period of 4 weeks. If the illness or situation continues after that time and additional prayers are needed, please call the Parish Office.



Fr. Gerard Austin

Rachel Canavesio

Scott Harris

John Mazur-Baker

Theresa Sponer

Bob Youngert

IRELAND PILGRIMAGE

St. Jane Frances de Chantal

& Fr. Tony Sulkowski

May 4 - 14, 2020

Want to deepen your devotion to Mother Mary? Join Fr. Tony as he leads you on the trip of a lifetime to the Apparition site at the shrine of Our Lady of Knock in Ireland! Stay tuned for more details!

Day 1 Monday, May 4 - Depart for Ireland

Day 2 Tuesday, May 5 Shannon, Cliffs of Moher, & Galway

Day 3 Wednesday, May 6 - Knock & Ballintubber

Day 4 Thursday, May 7 - Kylemore, Croagh Patrick, & Murrisk

Day 5 Friday, May 8 - Ennis & Adare

Day 6 Saturday, May 9 - Adare, Tralee, & Killarney

Day 7 Sunday, May 10 - Killarney: The Ring of Kerry

Day 8 Monday, May 11 - Blarney, Holycross Abbey, Cashel, & Waterford

Day 9 Tuesday, May 12 - Glendalough & Dublin

Day 10 Wednesday, May 13 - Dublin

Day 11 Thursday, May 14 - Depart for Home

FINANCIAL WORKSHOP

November 7th, 2019 7:00pm-8:00pm

Presented by Bob Carr

I'm retired now what? Ages 70 +

Topics include: Medicare D, Life insurance, Wills, Beneficiaries, Living Will/Patient Directive

CHRISTMAS IS COMING!

Love Christmas music? Please consider joining the Music Ministry short-term over the next two months to play your instrument and/or sing for Christmas. Rehearsals are Wednesdays, 7:00pm-8:30pm. Contact Music Minister Janina Jacobs at Jjacobs@sjfparish.org or via the parish office or see her after Mass!

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