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5<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER  
April 29, 2018



### FR. T'S TIDBITS: SUPPORTING OUR BULLETIN ADVERTISERS

My parents had a family business a grocery store in Memphis, Michigan, and it goes without saying that my siblings and I worked in the store until we left for college. I remember that my parents were always asked to place an ad in this or that paper. Placing an ad in any paper is an expensive proposition. It always made them feel good when a customer would come in and say they saw our ad in the paper. My parents would always say that placing the ad was money well spent.

Fr. Tony Sulkowski  
Pastor  
Ext. 102

This little journey down memory lane brings me to my point. You have probably seen the ads that are in our bulletin. These advertisers are contacted by the bulletin company and pay a set amount to have their ad placed in our bulletin depending upon the size of their ad. As you can image it can be an expensive proposition. By placing their ads in our church bulletin, we are able to receive the church bulletin every week at no cost to you or the parish.

I would like to thank all the businesses that have renewed their contact with the bulletin company and I would like to thank and welcome those businesses that have "signed on " for the first time. I thank you and appreciate all you do for the parish of St. Jane Frances de Chantal. Thank you for your generosity.

Which brings me to another point. I would ask that all of us support the businesses that advertise in our bulletin and tell them that you saw their ad in the St. Jane Frances de Chantal church bulletin. As an aside, every week a business is highlighted on the parish sign on Ryan Road. I hope that the advertisers who have made a commitment to St. Jane Frances de Chantal parish through their advertising will echo the words my parents spoke, "it was money well spent."

Have a great week.

**Bon mot:** Education is what remains after one has forgotten everything one learned in school. —Thomas Edison.

Carpe Diem,  
Fr. Tony



### JOIN US FOR AN AFTERNOON OF EUCHARISTIC ADORATION TUESDAY, MAY 15<sup>TH</sup> FROM NOON TO 6:00PM.

Come spend an hour with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament! If you are new to Eucharistic Adoration, you may wonder how you are to spend that hour with the Lord. You may bring your own prayer books, use the books provided in the chapel, read the Bible, pray the rosary, or just sit and relax and enjoy the sweet peace that comes from simply being in the Presence of God. You may feel that you can't pray well. Don't let this discourage you. The mere fact that you take time out to spend an hour with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is in itself a prayer of great faith.

We are asking each of you, who can, to sign up for an hour or more during the day. Sign up in the Parish Office or contact me directly. We need a minimum of two people for each hour. Consider spending an hour with the Lord during this Easter season – you will be glad you did!

### There will be a PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN WORKSHOP Monday, May 21<sup>st</sup>

at St. Jane Frances de Chantal

All who serve in ministry must attend a workshop within 6 months of beginning the ministry. If you are discerning a call to ministry, now is your chance to attend a workshop close to home. Contact Laurie at 586-977-8080 x.104 or [lhall@sjfparish.org](mailto:lhall@sjfparish.org) for more details.

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

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Sterling Heights, MI 48310  
Phone: (586) 977-8080 | Fax: (586) 977-9305  
[www.sjfp parish.org](http://www.sjfp parish.org)

**MASS SCHEDULE**

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

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**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

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

**Friday: Closed**

**Saturday: 2:30pm - 6:00pm**

**Sunday: 10:00am - 1:30pm**

**MINISTRIES**

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

**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 make arrangements and start your preparations. Marriage guidelines are available at the Parish Office and should be read before your initial appointment. Participation in pre-marriage preparation will be arranged.

**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.

*This Week in Our Parish*

**MONDAY, APRIL 30**

6:00pm K-6 Faith Formation

**TUESDAY, MAY 1**

9:00am Dennis Connection Training  
4:30pm K-6 Faith Formation  
5:30pm Confessions  
6:00pm Rosary  
6:15pm May Crowning  
7:00pm Mass

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 2**

8:00am Mass  
9:30am Needle Crafters  
10:00am Seniors Meet  
6:00pm Needle Crafters  
6:30pm Adult Choir Rehearsal  
7:00pm Lectio Divina

**THURSDAY, MAY 3**

8:00am Mass  
1:00pm Swiffers, Team 2  
6:00pm First Eucharist Practice

**FRIDAY, MAY 4**

*Parish Office Closed*

**SATURDAY, MAY 5**

1:30pm Memory Screening  
5:00pm Mass

**SUNDAY, MAY 6**

9:00am Mass  
11:30am Mass w/First Eucharist  
6:00pm Youth Ministry Gathering

**FIND US ONLINE!**

Visit the parish website to stay up to date on what is happening, to sign up to our parish news blasts, & to view the bulletin in full color!

[sjfp parish.org](http://sjfp parish.org)

Stay connected through social media! Find us on Facebook at @sjfp parish and on Instagram at @stjane frances parish.

**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!

**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."



**William Harrison**  
 Director,  
 Music Ministry  
 Ext. 103



# JUST A NOTE

Often times I receive the question about music and its role in the Mass. More times than not, I am always asked about why Catholics don't zealously participate in the congregational singing at Mass. My response is: if Catholics only realized that the God who loves them is intently listening at every Sunday Mass. "*Where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I in the midst of them.*" The angels and the saints are singing, and we have an opportunity to join in God's praises. Such a great opportunity is missed at most Sunday Masses. I'd like to offer some suggestions that might help encourage you in full, conscious, and active worship at Mass.

What can you do to start making a difference? Change your own focus. Realize the music is about God, not about us. Here are seven suggestions for entering more fully into Mass:

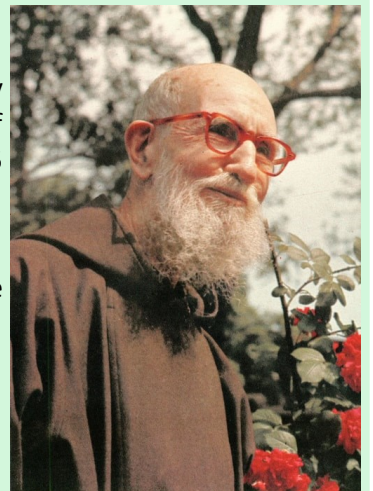
- **Start singing.** If God has given you a great voice, praise Him with it. If He has given you a poor voice, plague Him with it.
- When you enter a church and kneel to pray, picture the God who loves you. Use your imagination to see beyond the walls and ceiling. Ask your guardian angel to help you praise God well.
- Speak often of the truth about Mass: Where we are, what we are doing.
- Pray for your musicians.
- Look for better music and encourage better music.
- Learn the songs well enough that you can sing them with your eyes closed. After all, you're not singing to your neighbor.
- Consider joining the choir.

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27<sup>TH</sup>

St. Jane Frances de Chantal will be offering a day-long pilgrimage to the Solanus Casey Center in Detroit. Enjoy a docent led tour of the center including a snapshot of the life of Blessed Solanus Casey, a baked chicken lunch, and healing service. There will be room for 55 people. The cost is \$38 for the whole day.

The bus will depart from the St. Jane Frances parking lot at 8:30am. and return from the pilgrimage at 4:30pm. The fee is \$38 (non-refundable). The deadline for reservations is June 13<sup>th</sup> or as soon as the bus is filled .

Please join us for this day of formation and prayer. For more information, please contact Laurie Hall at [lhall@sjfparish.org](mailto:lhall@sjfparish.org) or 586-977-8080 ext. 104. Please complete the form below, enclose cash or check and return it to the Parish Office.



Please reserve \_\_\_\_\_ seats for the Pilgrimage to the Fr. Solanus Casey Center on Wednesday, June 27, 2018. Enclosed is payment of \$38 per person (cash or check made out to St. Jane Frances de Chantal). I understand the payment is non-refundable.

(If reserving for more than one person, please include each person's name and contact information.)

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Email (if available): \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_



**DEBBIE MAZUR**  
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## HEALTH MINISTRY MEMORY SCREENING

**Saturday, May 5, 2018**

AT ST. JANE FRANCES DE CHANTAL  
**1:30 – 4:30pm BY APPOINTMENT ONLY**  
**CALL 586-977-8080 - OR STOP IN THE CHURCH OFFICE**

This screening is affiliated with Alzheimer's Foundation of America.

A memory screening is a simple and safe evaluation tool that checks memory and other thinking skills. It can indicate whether an additional check up by a qualified healthcare professional is needed. The face-to-face screening takes place in private and will be done by a parish nurse. It consists of a series of questions and/or tasks designed to test memory, language skills, thinking ability, and other intellectual functions. Results of the memory screenings are confidential. A memory screening is not used to diagnose any particular illness and does not replace consultation with a qualified physician or other healthcare professional.

These questions might help you decide if you should be screened. If you answer "yes" to any of them, you might benefit from a memory screening.

- ◆ Am I becoming more forgetful?
- ◆ Do I have trouble concentrating?
- ◆ Do I have difficulty performing familiar tasks?
- ◆ Do I have trouble recalling words or names in conversation?
- ◆ Do I sometimes forget where I am or where I am going?
- ◆ Have family or friends told me that I am repeating questions or saying the same thing over and over again?
- ◆ Am I misplacing things more often?
- ◆ Have I become lost when walking or driving?
- ◆ Have my family or friends noticed changes in my mood, behavior, personality, or desire to do things?

If a memory screening indicates possible problems, the person should follow up with a doctor or another qualified healthcare professional as soon as possible for a complete medical evaluation.

Follow-up is important to identify the cause of the memory problems. Memory problems could be caused by Alzheimer's disease or other medical conditions. Some memory problems can be readily treated, such as those caused by vitamin deficiencies or thyroid problems. Other memory problems might result from causes that are not currently reversible, such as Alzheimer's disease.



## MOTHER'S DAY FLOWER SALE

Say "I Love & Appreciate You" to Mom, Grandma, Aunt, Friend, Neighbor and all the special ladies in your lives! The weekend of May 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>, Right to Life will be providing fresh long stemmed carnations in various spring colors for a \$2.00 donation in an effort to promote respect for life at all stages. Your support of this worthy cause is greatly appreciated.

Happy Mother's Day from your representatives of  
 Right to Life Northwest Macomb



**Strike Out  
 Loneliness & Isolation**  
*With Interfaith Volunteer Caregivers*

**BOWL-A-THON**  
**Friday May 11, 2018**  
 6:30pm Check-In | 7:00pm Start

**Imperial Lanes**  
 44650 Garfield Clinton Township, MI 48038  
 Minimum \$30 in Pledges to bowl  
 To sign up or request pledge forms  
 call 586-757-5551



**A PROGRAM TO HELP COUPLES  
HEAL AND RENEW THEIR MARRIAGES**

Do you feel lost, alone or bored in your marriage? Are you frustrated, hurt or angry with your spouse? Are you constantly fighting? Or, do you simply shut down? Have you thought about separation or divorce? Does talking about it make it worse?

**RETRouvaille CAN HELP!!**

The Retrouvaille Program consists of a weekend experience combined with a series of twelve follow up sessions over the course of six weeks. It provides the tools to help put your marriage in order again. The main emphasis of the program is on communication in marriage between husband and wife. It will give you the opportunity to rediscover each other and examine your lives together in a new and positive way.

**OUR NEXT PROGRAM IS MAY 4-6.**

**\*\*Please pass this information on to anyone who you suspect might be a hurting couple\*\***

For confidential information or to register call 800-470-2230 or visit our website: [HelpOurMarriage.com](http://HelpOurMarriage.com)



**4th ANNUAL REVERSE RAFFLE**

**Emcee "Big Al Muskovitz"  
From the Dick Purtan Show**

**May 11, 2018  
6 pm-10 pm**

**American Polish Century Club  
33204 Maple Lane Rd  
Sterling Heights, MI 48312**

"Big Al" back to emcee our Reverse Raffle  
Come on out and enjoy the show!

Alan Muskovitz also know as "Big Al Muskavito" is a writer, producer, and has been a character voice talent for 18 years!

**FOR TICKETS CALL OR VISIT**

586-415-5101 \* 586-447-2896  
[WWW.MCREST.ORG](http://WWW.MCREST.ORG)

**1ST Prize \$5000 - 2nd Prize \$1000  
3rd Prize \$500**

**TICKET PRICE \$125**

Full Polish Dinner - Entertainment  
Prizes

For sponsorship opportunities contact  
[eneidah@mcrest.org](mailto:eneidah@mcrest.org)



**SPREAD A  
LITTLE SWEETNESS  
(& COFFEE!!)**

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 events. If this is something you can help us with or you want more information, please contact Linda Smith at 586-977-8080 ext. 113 or at [Lsmithsjfparish@gmail.com](mailto:Lsmithsjfparish@gmail.com). Thank you!

**SEND IN THE  
SWIFFERS**



The Swiffers are volunteers who help keep our church and gathering space beautiful! Their duties include cleaning the altar area and pews, wiping the windows on the entrance doors and vacuuming the gathering space. All cleaning supplies are provided and volunteers work in teams.

The teams clean once a month and are usually scheduled on Wednesdays or Thursdays at 1:00pm. Several of the Swiffer teams are in need of additional volunteers.

If this is something you can help us with or you want more information, please contact Linda Smith at 586-977-8080 ext. 113 or at [Lsmithsjfparish@gmail.com](mailto:Lsmithsjfparish@gmail.com). Thank you!



**BEN KLASSEN**  
 Director of Faith Formation &  
 Youth Ministry Coordinator  
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**ABOUT THE GOSPEL:**

Jesus tells us he is the vine and we are the branches. He explains that we can only grow in faith and do the right things if we stay close to him. Jesus will correct and guide us, just as a gardener prunes and tends a garden so it will grow strong.

**IN CHURCH:**

When the gifts are brought to the altar, remember how important vineyards are to the Catholic Church. At Mass, Jesus becomes truly present in the Bread and the Wine.

**QUESTIONS FOR THE WEEK:**

- ◆ What has God made that you like most? What parts of the Mass are your favorite?
- ◆ What fruits does your life bear when you follow God’s Word? What did Jesus mean when He said that He is the vine and we are the branches?
- ◆ What does that imagery of the vine and the branches tell us about our relationship with Jesus? In how many ways is your life *firmly* rooted in the true vine of Christ?
- ◆ When have you experienced a shared commitment energizing a wide community?

**FAMILY PRAYER:**

Help us to find ways to stay close to you, Jesus, so we can grow in faith and love.

**QUESTION TO ASK YOURSELF NEXT WEEK**

**IN PREPARATION FOR MASS:**

- ◆ Do you have rules in your life? How do they help you live a good life?
- ◆ How will you love your neighbor this upcoming week?
- ◆ Does love always “feel good”? Is it sometimes hard to love someone?



**GRADUATION PICTURES & GRADUATION MASS**

If you will be a high school or college graduate this year (winter or spring commencement), please turn in a picture for our parish graduation insert this spring!

Pictures may be submitted via e-mail to [bulletinsifparish@gmail.com](mailto:bulletinsifparish@gmail.com) or by dropping them off

at the Parish Office (please include the Graduate’s name with the picture). Please fill out the webform located at [www.sjfparish.org/GraduationMass](http://www.sjfparish.org/GraduationMass) or a form in the office with information about the graduate as well. The pictures will be returned (if requested) after the bulletin insert is distributed. **Pictures are due by Monday, May 21<sup>st</sup>.**

The Graduation Mass is scheduled for Sunday, June 10<sup>th</sup>, at the 11:30am Mass! Please RSVP by May 21<sup>nd</sup>. You can fill out a form in the office or by going to the web address listed above.

*I am the vine, you are the branches.  
 Whoever remains in me and I in him will bear much fruit,  
 because without me you can do nothing.  
 John 15:5*

Each of us, no matter how insignificant we might feel, come from the same place, the same Creator, the same brotherhood. **Man** has made differences “matter”. **Man** has said that one person is “greater” than another. **Man** has *chosen* to accentuate (and continues to do it to this day) and hold these differences high overhead. Jesus lets us know that each one of us is but a branch. Each of us can and does bear fruit, so long as we remember Him that we come from.

If we are ALL branches, we are ALL more similar than we are different. We are made up of the same “stuff”. Some are smaller than others, some a little rougher around the edges, but none of this tells us what kind of fruit we will bear. Each of us as a branch have little “offshoots” of branches, just like the things that we add to our lives. Those offshoots might be my bowling team that I am a part of, the school that I go to, my job, the places that I like to hang out with my friends at. The main shoot of the branch is our family, and inside, under the bark, feeding it all (just below the surface) is the nourishment and the structure of our lives, our Faith.

When our faith is compromised, our family will lose shape. If we allow our family to get pulled away from us, we run the risk of weakening our nourishment layer. If we have too many “offshoots” (things that take up many little parts of our lives) all of our energy goes to all of the “little” things, and not enough nourishment and energy is used in the production of good fruit in our lives. That’s when a few of those offshoots need to be pruned away.

We live a balancing act. It’s never perfect, but we constantly need to keep trying to balance everything in life, keeping God at the core, family surrounding and nourishing that life, and those little offshoot branches under control so that the fruit of our lives will be given the chance to show off it’s color, flavor and help the next person who will use that fruit to nourish their lives and grow.

In the second reading, Saul pruned the unneeded stuff from his life, and began to be around good people. He then became one of the most prolific writers of the Bible! Thank you Saul (now known as the Apostle Paul) for sharing your fruit!

**UPCOMING FAITH FORMATION EVENTS -**  
 Check out our website,  
[www.sjfparish.org/FaithFormation](http://www.sjfparish.org/FaithFormation),  
 or e-mail us at  
[FaithFormation@sjfparish.org](mailto:FaithFormation@sjfparish.org)



**SCRAP-STAMP & CRAFTING EVENT**

**Saturday, May 12<sup>th</sup> 8:00am—10:00pm  
(BONUS Friday night 6:00pm—10:00pm)**

Event opens at 6:00pm on Friday for table set-up - begin working on projects, socializing and more. Crafting items to be left in secured hall for Saturday Event. (Your spot is not reserved until registration slip & check are received.)

**Where:** In the Fr. Page Activity Center

**What:** Each participant will have a table to work on. Meals, snacks and beverages provided.

**Cost:** The cost for the event is \$45 per participant.

**How:** Registration forms can be found in the Parish Office. Please return the form by Wednesday, May 9<sup>th</sup>.

**Questions:** Contact [Lsmithsjfparish@gmail.com](mailto:Lsmithsjfparish@gmail.com) or 586-977-8080, ext. 113.

**EDEN CLUB SPRING MEETING**

The Eden Club Spring Meeting will be

**Monday, May 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm**

The Eden Club cares for the grounds around the parish. Join us for this meeting if you want to learn more about the awesome work they do!



**SAVE THE DATE FOR  
SPRING CLEANING!**

If Old Man Winter ever leaves, Spring Cleaning will be  
**Monday May 21<sup>st</sup> from 6:00 - 8:15pm**

Come help us get the grounds ready for planting! Contact Linda for more information at [Lsmithsjfparish@gmail.com](mailto:Lsmithsjfparish@gmail.com)

 **BAPTISM**

The Catholic Community of  
**St. Jane Frances de Chantal**  
welcomes the following child  
who was Baptized by  
Fr. Anthony Sulkowski  
on April 21, 2018



*Ava Marie Kleinberg*

Parents: Raymond Kleinberg  
Jessica Kleinberg  
Godfather: Timothy Kruszyna  
Godmother: Nicole Kruszyna



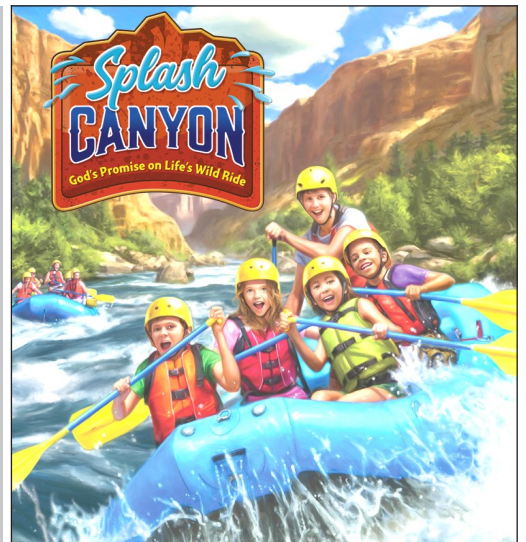
*With Deepest  
Sympathy*

The community of  
**St. Jane Frances de Chantal**  
wishes to express our  
support & prayers to the family of

*Norma Kuefler*

Beloved wife of the late Kenneth.  
Loving mother of  
Lynn Kuefler (Lenny Audette),  
Laurie Hall (Daniel),  
Edward Kuefler (Christine),  
Susan Kuefler and Joseph Kuefler.  
Proud and loving grandmother of 10.

*May her soul and the souls of the  
faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.*



Plunge in with us  
this summer at

**Splash Canyon VBS!**

When: June 25<sup>th</sup>—29<sup>th</sup>, 2018

Where: HERE! At St. Jane Frances  
Registration will soon be available at  
[www.sjfparish.org/VBS](http://www.sjfparish.org/VBS)

**ST. EPHREM CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
 38900 Dodge Park | Sterling Heights  
 Phone: 586-264-1230 | Fax: 586-264-2757  
**Pastor: Fr. Craig Giera**

**WEEKEND MASSES**

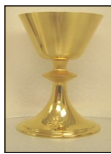
**Saturday** 4:30pm  
**Sunday** 9:00am & 11:00am

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

**Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday**  
 9:00am

**CONFESSIONS**

**Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday**  
 8:30am  
**Saturday** 12:15pm



**TRAVELING CHALICE:  
 A PROGRAM OF PRAYER  
 FOR PRIESTLY & RELIGIOUS  
 VOCATIONS**

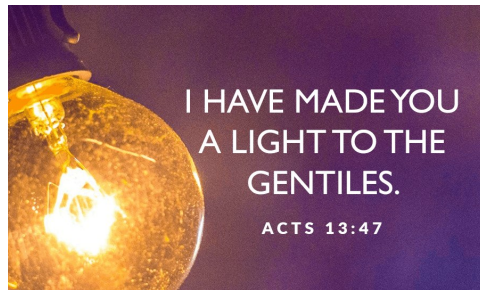
Parishioners are asked to take the chalice home and display it in a place of honor. We ask them to pray each night for vocations to the priesthood and religious life. This week our parish gratefully acknowledges

*Bill Bishop*

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



Sponsored by the St. Jane Frances Knights of Columbus.



**READINGS FOR THE  
 WEEK OF APRIL 29, 2018**

**FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

Acts 9:26-31; Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32;  
 1 Jn 3:18-24; Jn 15:1-8

**MONDAY**

**Saint Pius V, Pope**

Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-2, 3-4, 15-16;  
 Jn 14:21-26

**TUESDAY**

**Saint Joseph the Worker**

Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 21;  
 Jn 14:27-31a (286) or, for the Memorial,  
 Gn 1:26—2:3 or Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24;  
 Mt 13:54-58

**WEDNESDAY**

**Saint Athanasius,**

**Bishop & Doctor of the Church**

Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5;  
 Jn 15:1-8

**THURSDAY**

**Saints Philip and James, Apostle**

1 Cor 15:1-8; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Jn 14:6-14

**FRIDAY**

Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-9, 10 and 12;  
 Jn 15:12-17

**SATURDAY**

Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5; Jn 15:18-21

**SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48;  
 Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4;  
 1 Jn 4:7-10; Jn 15:9-17

**LOW GLUTEN HOSTS AVAILABLE:** For our parishioners with Celiac Disease, we now have procedures in place to help you celebrate the Eucharist with your parish family. For more info or to take part, call the Parish Office at 586-977-8080.

*Mass Intentions*

**MONDAY, APRIL 30**

No Mass at St. Jane Frances

**TUESDAY, MAY 1**

**7:00pm** Dec. Frank Perry (Elaine Fontana)  
 Dec. Dolores Whitehouse  
 (Tom & Judy Taylor)  
 Dec. John Peterson  
 (Tom & Judy Taylor)  
 Liv. Xhuloj Frangaj (Mom)

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 2**

**8:00am** Dec. Kenneth Kuefler (Hall Family)  
 Liv. Jaimee Diconzo  
 (Nancy Morrison)  
 Dec. Walter Starkey  
 (Majka Family)

**THURSDAY, MAY 3**

**8:00am** Dec. Michael J. Scavo  
 (Bernie Mikowski)  
 Dec. Shirley Putrycus  
 (Novak Family)

**FRIDAY, MAY 4**

No Mass at St. Jane Frances

**SATURDAY, MAY 5**

**5:00pm** Dec. Sandy Kotulis (Sister, Judy)  
 Dec. Ralph & Marie Beaufait  
 (Robert & Frances Kraft)  
 Dec. Desmond Cushing  
 (Barbaresso Family)  
 For our First Eucharist Students

**SUNDAY, MAY 6**

**9:00am** 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday Memorial Assoc.  
 For the Parishioners  
 For our First Eucharist Students  
 Dec. Guiseppe Maiani (Wife)

**11:30am** Our First Eucharist Students  
 Dec. Norman Franks  
 (Jon & Susan Strunk)  
 Dec. Michael Baranski (Family)  
 Dec. Marsha Olson (Family)

**LITURGICAL SCHEDULE — MAY 5<sup>TH</sup> & 6<sup>TH</sup>**

	5:00pm	9:00am	11:30am
<b>Presider</b>	Fr. Tony	Fr. Tony	Fr. Tony
<b>Sacristan(s)</b>	Tim & Karen Pawlik	Ray Knapp	Mike Burley
<b>Lector 1</b>	Kathy Pawlik	Geri Miles	Barb Milczynski
<b>Lector 2</b>	John Czarski	Eileen Clase	Annette Mobley
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Tim Wainz	Maggie Friedmann	Julia Ortmann
	Elizabeth Galadik	Sarah Friedmann	Teresa Mezzapelle
<b>Ushers</b>	Team 1	Assigned	Team 2

**WEEKDAY LECTOR SCHEDULE**

**TUESDAY, MAY 1**  
 Mary Anne Barczak

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 2**  
 Annette Mobley

**THURSDAY, MAY 3**  
 John Martin



**PARISH SUPPORT**

**April 22, 2018**

Budgeted Weekly Obligation:	
	\$12,237.00
Actual Average Weekly Collection:	
	\$12,101.00
Registered Families:	1430
Envelopes Returned:	365
Amount Offered:	\$8,330.00
Loose Offering:	\$906.00
<b>Online Giving</b>	
Contributors:	76
Contributions:	\$2,439.00
<b>Total Offerings</b>	<b>\$11,675.00</b>

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<i>Tim Broders</i>	<i>Pauline Gronowski</i>	<i>Eric Rzeppa</i>
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<i>Sandy Castelli</i>	<i>James Klassen</i>	<i>Mike Smith</i>
<i>Jack Caradonna</i>	<i>Walter Kronner</i>	<i>Tom Taylor</i>
<i>Lorenza Caradonna</i>	<i>James Kwapis</i>	<i>Daniel Van Acker</i>
<i>Vicki Chrzanowski</i>	<i>Sr. Eileen Lynch</i>	<i>Roy Weickel</i>
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<i>Kevin Dufoor</i>	<i>Jacqueline Palazzolo</i>	<i>Toni Woodring</i>
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Please pray for the men and women serving our country in the Armed Services that they may return home safely to family and friends. We remember particularly:

<i>Robert Bain, Army</i>	<i>Carmen LaForest, Navy</i>
<i>Chris Burley, Navy</i>	<i>Matthew McDowell, Air Force</i>
<i>Shaun Chaplin, Air Force</i>	<i>Cassidy Kicinski Rose, Air Force</i>
<i>Amir Ciplakovic, Marines</i>	<i>Jeremy Rzeppa, Navy</i>
<i>Paige Corrias, Army</i>	<i>Scot D. Skoczylas, Navy</i>
<i>Melanie De Le Ree, Air Force</i>	<i>Sean Slattery, Marines</i>
<i>Zack Hoover, Air Force</i>	<i>Allison Stewart, Army</i>
<i>Louis B. Kasper III, Coast Guard</i>	<i>Anthony Trotta, Navy</i>
<i>Stephen LaBarge, Army</i>	

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