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PENTECOST  
May 20, 2018



Fr. Tony Sulkowski  
Pastor  
Ext. 102

### FR. T'S TIDBITS: NEW FROM THE BACK OFFICE

Just a quick note: In consultation with the Parish staff, the Parish Pastoral Council, and the Worship Commission, I have decided to change the Saturday evening Mass from 5:00pm to 4:00pm. As of June 2<sup>nd</sup>, the Saturday evening Mass will be at 4:00pm. Please make a note of this.

The reason for the change has to do more with the winter months and that time change. People have asked if we could change the Mass time to an earlier time so that people could attend Mass and drive home when it is still light outside.



Today we celebrate the Feast of Pentecost the end of the Easter season. Pentecost is also as the birthday of the Church. As we celebrate this Pentecost may we reflect upon the gifts of the spirit and use them to build up the Body of Christ.

As I mentioned at the Volunteer Appreciation Party a few weeks ago I am impressed with the number of people who do share their gifts and talents with the parish of St. Jane Frances de Chantal. It is a sign of your great love and devotion for the parish. Thank you for sharing your talents with the parish community. May our prayer and our commitment allow us to always respond to the call of the Holy Spirit in our day to day activities? **Come Holy Spirit fill the hearts and minds of your faithful people.**



On a sad note, next Saturday, May 26<sup>th</sup>, my home parish of St. Phillip Neri in Columbus, MI will officially close. Founded in 1878, St. Phillip Neri has served as a spiritual worship center for many generations of people in the northern farming community. I will remember all those parishioners living and deceased who encouraged and supported my vocation to the priesthood.

Bon Mot: As knowledge increases, wonder deepens. ----Charles Morgan

Have a great week.

Carpe Diem,  
Fr. Tony



**From the Diocese of Boma/CMB:** The Diocese of Boma is in the west part of the Democratic Republic of Congo. It has a population of about 1,193,000, of whom 69.9% are Catholics. The diocese has 315 native priests and 45 parishes of which 6 are under construction. Priests walk long distances to visit villages, spending weeks or 1 month celebrating Mass from one village to another in order to help children and those who have walking problems. In most villages, Masses take place outside because of the lack of churches.

Beside this, our Bishop Most Reverend Cyprien MBUKA is working on building new Parishes and new churches in order to reduce the distance between them for our priests and people. Though the priority is now to build new parishes, Bishop Cyprien is also fully involved in human development projects such as schools, hospitals (clinics), and wells to provide drinkable water.

Your prayers and generosity will bring relief to our priests and our people, but also contribute to a full development of our people. May the Lord bless each of you!



**IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT! Beginning Saturday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>, the Saturday evening Mass will be moving to 4:00pm. There will no longer be a 5:00pm Mass.**



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

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**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**

- Knights of Columbus #13340**  
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- Parish Nurse Ministry**  
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- 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**

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, MAY 21**

- 6:00pm Eden Club Spring Cleanup
- 6:15pm Protecting God's Children

**TUESDAY, MAY 22**

- 5:30pm Confessions
- 6:00pm Rosary
- 7:00pm Mass with Anointing

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 23**

- 8:00am Mass
- 9:30am Needle Crafters
- 6:00pm Needle Crafters
- 7:00pm Lectio Divina

**THURSDAY, MAY 24**

- 8:00am Mass
- 1:00pm Swiffers, Team 1
- 6:00pm MCREST Leadership Mtg.

**FRIDAY, MAY 25**

*Parish Office Closed*

**SATURDAY, MAY 26**

- 9:00am St. Pat's Soup Kitchen
- 5:00pm Mass
- 6:00pm Divine Mercy Prayers

**SUNDAY, MAY 27**

- 8:00am Red Cross Blood Drive
- 9:00am Mass
- 11:30am Mass

**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 online!

[sjffparish.org](http://sjffparish.org)

Stay connected through social media! Find us on Facebook at @sjffparish and on Instagram at @stjanefrancesparish.

**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 ON PENTECOST

"Come Holy Ghost, Creator Blest," the text we sing today, is attributed to Edward Caswall, born in 1814, at Yately in Hampshire, where his father was a clergyman. In 1832, he went to Brasenose College, Oxford, and in 1836, took a second-class in classics. His humorous work, "The Art of Pluck," was published in 1835; it is still selling at Oxford, having passed through many editions. In 1838, he was ordained Deacon, and in 1839, Priest. He became perpetual Curate of Stratford-sub-Castle in 1840. In 1841, he resigned his incumbency and visited Ireland. In 1847, he joined the Church of Rome. In 1850, he was admitted into the Congregation of the Oratory at Birmingham, where he has since remained. He has published several works in prose and poetry.



--Annotations of the Hymnal, Charles Hutchins, M.A. 1872

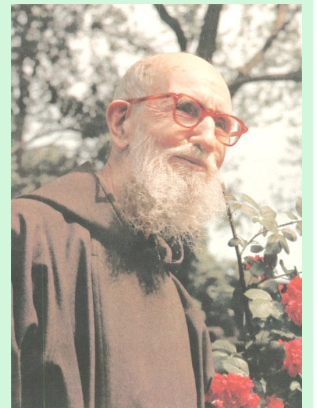
On a side note, thank you all for your prayers, gifts, and well wishes for the newest additions to our family. On May 2, 2018 William Sean, Jr. and William Jacob Pierce Harrison were born. Though they are not home yet, they are doing well in the NICU. At current, they are 4 lbs. 2 oz. and 4 lbs. 3 oz., & 17.5 and 18 in. long. All fingers, toes, and lots of hair! Maybe they will play some piano duets when they get the whole eating thing together!

Happy Pentecost!

## JOIN US AT THE SOLANUS CASEY CENTER ON 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.

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: \_\_\_\_\_





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### Forms and Methods of Prayer

Throughout this month, I have written about prayer. It's easy to let the day slip away and "forget" to pray, yet prayer can take shape in many different forms. Here are some examples; find a couple that work for you and make them a part of your daily routine:

- ◆ Blessings
- ◆ Centering prayer
- ◆ Charismatic Prayer
- ◆ Contemplative Prayer
- ◆ Devotions
- ◆ Eucharistic Adoration
- ◆ Evening Prayer
- ◆ Examination of Conscience
- ◆ Faith-Sharing Prayer
- ◆ Fallow Time: The Prayer of Doing Nothing
- ◆ Journaling
- ◆ Labyrinth Prayer
- ◆ Lectio Divina
- ◆ Listening Prayer
- ◆ Litanies
- ◆ The Liturgy
- ◆ Mantras
- ◆ Meal Prayer
- ◆ Meditation
- ◆ Morning Prayer
- ◆ Music and Song
- ◆ Novenas
- ◆ Photography as Prayer
- ◆ Prayer of Everyday Experiences
- ◆ Prayer Groups
- ◆ Prayer of Silence
- ◆ Prayer with Gestures/movement
- ◆ Prayer Walking, in/with nature
- ◆ Prayer through Written words
- ◆ Praying with Art
- ◆ Praying with Images/Icons
- ◆ Praying with Scripture/Psalms
- ◆ Praying with the Saints
- ◆ The Rosary
- ◆ Sacraments
- ◆ Scriptural Meditation
- ◆ Spontaneous Prayer
- ◆ Stations of the Cross
- ◆ Traditional (memorized) Prayers
- ◆ Using Technology to Pray

*Adapted from Janet Schaeffler, OPJ, The Spirituality of a Catechist*

# SOUP KITCHEN

## OUR SOUP KITCHEN SERVES LUNCH AT ST. PAT'S SATURDAY, MAY 26, 2018

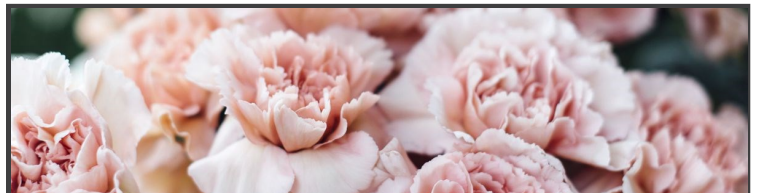
We will be going to the Senior Center in Detroit to prepare and serve lunch to approximately 50-80 seniors on Saturday, May 26<sup>th</sup>. We are looking for **10 volunteers for that day**. All who sign up will be working to prepare and serve the lunch.

**Volunteers must sign up in the parish office or by calling the office at 586-977-8080.** Young adults are especially needed to help carry trays for the seniors who have walkers and canes. Make this a family event.

St. Patrick's is located off of Woodward, one block NW of Mack at 58 Parsons Street. We will meet in the South parking lot of St. Jane Frances de Chantal at 8:15am. Drivers are needed so please consider signing up to help with carpooling. At St. Pat's, lunch is served from Noon to 1:00pm with clean-up following. We will return to St. Jane's parking lot around 2:00pm.

If you are not able to go down to St. Pat's, but wish to contribute, you can do so by providing a dessert plate of cookies, cakes, or muffins. Also needed are fruits as in grapes, tangerines, clementines, oranges, apples and bananas. Monetary donations are also appreciated, you may write a check to St. Jane Frances and write "Soup Kitchen Ministry" in the memo line.

God Bless you for your dedication to this ministry. It is through your participation, generosity and discipleship that it is possible to serve.



### MOTHER'S DAY FLOWER SALE

Thank You!! The Mother's Day Flower Sale was a huge success!! We were able to raise \$779 for the Right to Life Northwest Macomb Chapter. Your generosity helps support the efforts to promote respect for life at all stages. We appreciate your donations toward this most worthy cause.

Respect Life Ministry

**RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE**  
**NEXT SUNDAY,**  
**May 27<sup>th</sup> from**  
**8:00AM-2:00PM**



**TIPS FOR A GOOD DONATION EXPERIENCE**

**Before Donating:**

- ◆ Get a good nights sleep
- ◆ Have a good breakfast or lunch
- ◆ Drink extra water & fluids to replace the volume you will donate
- ◆ Eat iron rich foods—red meats, fish, poultry or liver, beans/legumes, iron fortified cereals, peas, spinach, apricots, raisins, prunes, whole grain breads
- ◆ Avoid fatty foods, such as hamburgers, fries or ice cream before donating. Tests for infections done on all donated blood can be affected by fatty materials—lipids—that appear in your blood for several hours after eating fatty foods. When this occurs & required testing cannot be performed, the blood may need to be discarded.

**During Donation:**

- ◆ Wear clothing with sleeves that can be raised above the elbow
- ◆ Show the staff any “good veins” that have been used successfully in the past to draw blood
- ◆ Relax
- ◆ Take the time to enjoy a snack and a drink in the refreshments area immediately after donating.

**After Donation:**

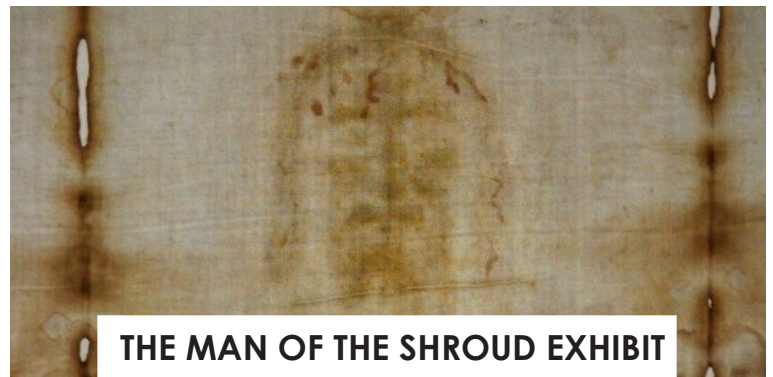
- ◆ Re-hydrate by drinking plenty of fluids over the next 24-48 hours
- ◆ Avoid strenuous physical activity or heavy lifting for about 5 hours after donation

**TO REGISTER ONLINE:**

- Visit [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org)
- Go to box down on left and middle of screen that says “Make a Donation” and click “Enter a Sponsor Code” which is stjane.
- Click “click here” to schedule an appointment to donate.

First time users must then click the blue “create a profile” link to the right of the screen before logging into schedule a time. Complete all fields marked with an asterisk.

**Enjoy the good feeling that comes with knowing that you may have saved as many as three lives.**



**THE MAN OF THE SHROUD EXHIBIT**  
 at St. Paul of Tarsus

**Exhibit Dates/Hours:**

**May 31<sup>st</sup> 4:00pm-8:00pm | Jun. 1<sup>st</sup> Noon-2:00pm & 4:00pm-8:00pm**  
**Jun. 2<sup>nd</sup> Noon-2:00pm & 5:00pm-8:00pm | Jun. 3<sup>rd</sup> 1:00pm-8:00pm**  
**June 4<sup>th</sup> Noon-2:00pm & 4:00pm-8:00pm**

The Shroud of Turin has long been venerated by the faithful and is believed by many to be the burial cloth of Jesus of Nazareth. The Shroud is one of the most scientifically studied religious icons in history. The Center for the Study of the Passion of Christ and the Holy Shroud has developed a moving and informative exhibit on the Shroud of Turin, including a full-length photographic image of the Shroud. In addition, on display will be a large crucified corpus showing the wounds of Christ corresponding to the passion narrative in the Gospel accounts and the wounds shown on the Shroud. Also included in the exhibit are 92 panels detailing the history and science of the Shroud. Free will donations will be accepted to help with upkeep of the exhibit.



**YOUNG CATHOLIC  
 PROFESSIONALS**

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 30<sup>TH</sup> | 7:00pm - 8:30pm**

Corpus Christi, Detroit

**SPEAKER: Bashar Kirma**

A free, monthly event open to the public in which executives share their professional and faith journeys with young professionals in their 20's and 30's, challenging them to 'Work in Witness for Christ!' Complimentary beer, wine, and appetizers are provided before and after the speaker.

Bashar Kirma is a native of Baghdad, Iraq. He became an atheist in his youth and later converted to Christianity. Bashar holds a Bachelor's Degree in Mechanical Engineering from U of D-Mercy and a Master's in Mechanical Engineering from OU with a focus on Electric/Hybrid Vehicles and Alternative Energy. He founded Silent Saints Ministry, which after 10 years developed into “Silent Saints” TV show and has been featured on Catholic Television Network of Detroit (CTND) and Noursat (Catholic Television for Middle East). Bashar is a husband and father to four children.



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**Upcoming Faith Formation Events -**  
Check out our website!  
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Or e-mail us at  
[FaithFormation@sifparish.org](mailto:FaithFormation@sifparish.org)



**ABOUT THE GOSPEL:**

This Sunday's Gospel reminds us that we are not alone. "The Advocate" was sent by God,

to us, to help us. Jesus breathed the Spirit into His disciples, and we receive the Spirit through Baptism.

**IN CHURCH:**

What colors are seen in the Church during Pentecost? What are these colors representative of?

**QUESTIONS FOR THE WEEK:**

- ◆ How have you seen the Spirit (the Holy Spirit) work in your life?
- ◆ How have you been the voice of the Spirit in the world today? Have you spoken out against injustice? Have you protected someone who needed help?
- ◆ Who do you know, that needs to hear a positive voice? Can you be that voice for that person? Will you let the Spirit move through you?

**FAMILY PRAYER:**

Lord Jesus, breathe Your Spirit into our lives again! Let it wash over us and fill our lungs with Your Word!

**QUESTION TO ASK YOURSELF NEXT WEEK, IN PREPARATION FOR MASS:**

- ◆ What is the Holy Trinity? How do we, as Catholics, recognize it each day?
- ◆ Have you ever received a job? What job does God give to each of us?

Holidays (Holy Days), are days that are "supposed to be" special to us. Days that we set aside as a day of rest, as a special day to be with family, and recognize the gifts that we have already been given. Nowadays, it seems like we often expect more gifts, especially on these days. Last week I mentioned that approximately 0.664% (less than 2/3's of a percent) of our year, we are asked to set aside to recognize, adore and worship God and the gifts that He has already given to us.

If we really set the whole Sabbath aside to be with family, for God, as He asked, that would be 14.3% of our year. (Approximately 52 Sundays divided by 364 days in a year—sleep time is lumped in for easy calculation). If we each got 7 hours of sleep each night (really?), this sleep equals about 29.1% of our time. So, that means that we spend (on average) twice as much time sleeping as we would purposely setting aside time to enjoy each others company in rest and recognition of God's wonder in the world. Don't get me wrong, I am just as guilty as anyone in this regard! Heck, I work almost every Sunday, but I really try to take an hour or so to spend time eating dinner with Mom, Dad and my Papa.

Pentecost, the Festival of Weeks, the second "feast" or "festival" of the Lord mentioned in *both* Leviticus (Chpt. 23) and Deuteronomy (Chpt. 16) when our Hebrew ancestors celebrated, and gave of, their harvest; from the harvest's "first fruits" to the end of harvest time (approximately 50 days later) when the growth cycle of the grains (of the time) would often be done. A constant giving of thanks for the gifts of God. As we have moved away from an "agricultural society" I know that I "know" very little (in retrospect) of the cycle of sowing and reaping, tending and nurturing of entire crops. Knowing when, and when not to, fertilize, water well, water little, prune back, and care for the harvested crops that will sustain us through the cold dark months of little growth (wintertime in our area).

Christ died on the Cross on Good Friday, ushering in the *need* for the Church. Our example of how to live, and our greatest intercessor was gone, humanity needed to pass on His teachings—the true birthday of the Church (Good Friday) - our "First Fruits" of the faith. Fifty days later, as the (Jewish) Apostles, of the Christ, gathered to celebrate their Festival of Weeks, after experiencing loss, but gaining more faith than ever in being with the Resurrected Jesus, and then "losing" Him again when He ascended to Heaven, God gave *them* the final (and everlasting) gift of Himself through the Holy Spirit, so that the actual harvest of souls, of lives for God, could begin.

Do we give praise and honor to God in the world, or do we enter into the world's practice of spreading rumor and gossip? Do we thank God for the gifts given to us, or do we spend more time asking for more and not recognizing what we already have? Do we use the Spirit, given to us at Baptism, to spread the seeds of the Good News, or do we begin to "expect" others to do things for us? Join us in celebrating Pentecost this year, by diving deeper into faith, and challenging one another to live more like the example given to us by Jesus the Christ!



**Vacation Bible School**

June 25<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup>,  
from  
9:00am - Noon

**Registrations are now available!**

In the Parish Office or online at:  
[www.sifparish.org/VBS](http://www.sifparish.org/VBS)

**GRADUATION PICTURES and GRADUATION MASS - Reservations due by Monday, May 21<sup>st</sup>**

Last Call to join the parish community in celebrating your graduation! Go to our website, [www.sifparish.org/GraduationMass](http://www.sifparish.org/GraduationMass), fill out the form, submit it, and join us on June 10<sup>th</sup> at the 11:30am Mass! Pictures may be submitted via e-mail ([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).







## CAR SHOW

Join us for a Cruise-In on  
**Friday, June 15<sup>th</sup>**  
**from 4:00pm-8:00pm.**

The proceeds from the evening go to the Pastoral Outreach Support Fund.

Whether you are bringing a car to show or just want to stroll around and check them all out, consider yourself invited!! Concessions will be provided by the Knights of Columbus and we'll have music provided by Rockin' Ronnie! We hope you can join us!

Bringing a car? Registration information available in the parish office.

Want to join others for a non-competitive bike ride once a week? Come along on our May & June rides around various trails in the area! Check out the full schedule and details on where to meet at [sjparish.com/bikeclub](http://sjparish.com/bikeclub). You don't need to register unless otherwise noted, but **you must wear a helmet!** Please bring bug spray, sunscreen, water, or anything else you would need.



**REMINDERS:** For reminders of where we are riding or notifications due to weather, etc., sign-up for our Remind Group by texting [@sjfbike](https://www.instagram.com/sjfbike) to 81010 or email [sjfbike@mail.remind.com](mailto:sjfbike@mail.remind.com). You can unsubscribe at any time.

### THIS WEEK'S RIDE

**Thursday, May 24<sup>th</sup> - Downtown Royal Oak**

Meet at 6:15pm, Ride at 6:30pm

Gather in the St. Mary's Royal Oak Parking Lot (4<sup>th</sup> Street and Lafayette). This will be a destination ride.

We will stop for dinner in Royal Oak after the ride.

*Liability – At no time does St. Jane Frances de Chantal, 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 licensed medical practitioner. Members should consult with their doctor or other licensed care representative if they have any questions or concerns about participating in an exercise program. It is up to the best judgment of those participating to listen to their bodies and prevent injury.*

## BAPTISM

The Catholic Community of  
**St. Jane Frances de Chantal**  
 welcomes the following child  
 who was Baptized by  
 Fr. Anthony Sulkowski  
 on May 12, 2018



### *Lily Mary James Friedmann*

Parents: Joseph Friedmann  
 Jolynn Friedmann  
 Godfather: James Friedmann  
 Godmother: Margaret Friedmann

## BAPTISM

The Catholic Community of  
**St. Jane Frances de Chantal**  
 welcomes the following child  
 who was Baptized by  
 Fr. Anthony Sulkowski  
 on May 13, 2018



### *Warren Dominic Regoni*

Parents: Aaron Zieleniewski  
 Samantha Regoni  
 Godfather: Matthew Wezner  
 Godmother: Christy Wezner

## WELCOME

The Catholic Community of St. Jane Frances de Chantal welcomes all our new parishioners this spring! Please take a moment to say hello to our new members:

**Mr. & Mrs. Antonio Perri & Family**

**Mr. & Mrs. Paul Lesnau**

**Mr. John Tockstein & Family**

**Mr. Ronald Dreslinks, Jr.**

**Mrs. Nancy Ann Gordon**

**Mr. & Mrs. William Cosnowski**

We are so thankful you have joined our parish family. See you in church!

# Mass Intentions

- MONDAY, MAY 21**  
No Mass at St. Jane Frances
- TUESDAY, MAY 22**  
7:00pm Liv. Stella Sokolowski (Family)
- WEDNESDAY, MAY 23**  
8:00am For Vocations
- THURSDAY, MAY 24**  
8:00am Dec. Rose Marie Spies (Cindy Guzi)  
Dec. James Taylor (Tom & Judy Taylor)
- FRIDAY, MAY 25**  
No Mass at St. Jane Frances
- SATURDAY, MAY 26**  
5:00pm Dec. Anna & Guido Urbano (Richard & Barbara Urbano)  
Dec. Ray Mandziuk (Richard & Delphine Skowron)  
Liv. Stella Sokolowski , 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday (Family)  
Dec. Leonard Welk (Jim & Marge Hendy)
- SUNDAY, MAY 27**  
9:00am For the Parishioners  
Dec. Wanda Sztaba (Son, Dennis)  
Dec. Ralph Florek (Jerry & Sylvia Soldatek)  
Dec. Anna G. Cecchini, 1<sup>st</sup> Anniv. (Family)  
11:30am Dec. Jack Campo (Caradonna Family)  
Dec. Maria & Damiano Campo (Caradonna Family)  
Dec. Vincent & Bridget Caradonna (Caradonna Family)  
Dec. Jack Taylor (Tom & Judy Taylor)

**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

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 20, 2018

### SUNDAY

**Pentecost Sunday**  
Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34;  
1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25;  
Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

### MONDAY

**Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church / Saint Christopher Magallanes, Priest and Companions, Martyrs**  
Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14;  
Ps 87:1-2, 3 & 5, 6-7; Jn 19:25-34; OR  
Jas 3:13-18; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15; Mk 9:14-29

### TUESDAY

**Saint Rita of Cascia, Religious**  
Jas 4:1-10; Ps 55:7-8, 9-10a, 10b-11a, 23;  
Mk 9:30-37

### WEDNESDAY

Jas 4:13-17; Ps 49:2-3, 6-7, 8-10, 11; Mk 9:38-40

### THURSDAY

Jas 5:1-6; Ps 49:14-15ab, 15cd-16, 17-18, 19-20;  
Mk 9:41-50

### FRIDAY

**Saint Bede the Venerable, Priest and Doctor of the Church; Saint Gregory VII, Pope; Saint Mary Magdalene de' Pazzi, Virgin**  
Jas 5:9-12; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8-9, 11-12;  
Mk 10:1-12

### SATURDAY

**Saint Philip Neri, Priest**  
Jas 5:13-20; Ps 141:1-2, 3 and 8; Mk 10:13-16

### SUNDAY

**The Most Holy Trinity**  
Dt 4:32-34, 39-40; Ps 33:4-5, 6, 9, 18-19, 20, 22;  
Rom 8:14-17; Mt 28:16-20



### 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 the

*Frontera 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.



### Marriage Banns

#### WEEK I

Anthony Hoang  
&  
Tina Pham

**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.

The Saturday evening Mass will be moving to 4:00pm beginning Saturday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>. All 5:00pm Mass intentions will be moved accordingly.

### LITURGICAL SCHEDULE — MAY 26<sup>TH</sup> & 27<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	Karen Mills	Brian Finn
<b>Lector 1</b>	Lisa Erickson	Eileen Clase	Barb Milczynski
<b>Lector 2</b>	Dale Erickson	Harv Bajercius	Robert Skwara
<b>Altar Servers</b>	TBA	TBA	TBA
	TBA	TBA	TBA
<b>Ushers</b>	Team 1	Assigned	Team 2

### WEEKDAY LECTOR SCHEDULE

**TUESDAY, MAY 22**  
Mary Anne Barczak

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 23**  
Judy Taylor

**THURSDAY, MAY 24**  
John Martin



**PARISH SUPPORT**

**May 13, 2018**

Budgeted Weekly Obligation:  
\$12,237.00

Actual Average Weekly Collection:  
\$12,101.00

Registered Families: 1430  
Envelopes Returned: 358

Amount Offered: \$8,720.03  
Loose Offering: \$1,076.38

**Online Giving**  
Contributors: 72  
Contributions: \$2,469.41

**Total Offerings \$12,265.41**

**TOGETHER LET US PRAY...**  
Please pray for those who are in special need of our prayers.

<i>Lillian Arendall</i>	<i>James Friedmann</i>	<i>Olivia Rokicki</i>
<i>Michael Astro</i>	<i>Cindy Graham</i>	<i>Eric Rzeppa</i>
<i>Tim Broders</i>	<i>Pauline Gronowski</i>	<i>Lori Chmielewski Sanders</i>
<i>James Brown</i>	<i>Scott Harris</i>	<i>Stephen Schriedel</i>
<i>Sam Castelli</i>	<i>John Karalunas</i>	<i>Arnold Semrau</i>
<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>Fr. Gerry LeBoeuf</i>	<i>Roy Weickel</i>
<i>Bernie Colasanti, Jr</i>	<i>Sr. Eileen Lynch</i>	<i>Mel Werner</i>
<i>MaryAnn DeDonatis</i>	<i>Lynn Macieczni</i>	<i>Kevin Wilcox</i>
<i>Sharyl Dennis</i>	<i>Addison Mathews</i>	<i>Gary Winters</i>
<i>Anna DiDonato</i>	<i>Jeffrey Maxwell</i>	<i>Don G. Wisniewski</i>
<i>Mario DiDonato</i>	<i>Karen Mosher</i>	<i>Doug Wolf</i>
<i>Ronald Dreslinksi, Sr.</i>	<i>William Navalta</i>	<i>Lorri Wolf</i>
<i>Rita Duffey</i>	<i>Norma O'Connor</i>	<i>Toni Woodring</i>
<i>Kevin Dufoor</i>	<i>Jacqueline Palazzolo</i>	<i>Mary Woywood</i>
<i>Jean Duynslager</i>	<i>Kathleen Pawlik</i>	<i>Edward Young</i>
<i>Shirley Essad</i>	<i>Matthew Pawlik</i>	<i>Mary Zalewski</i>
<i>Marie Gagnon</i>	<i>Judy Peterson</i>	<i>Marsha Zanardelli</i>
<i>Richard Gerst</i>	<i>Adam Phillips</i>	<i>Nicole Zapinski</i>
<i>Charles Grade</i>	<i>Anita Pitlock</i>	<i>Marti Zysk</i>
<i>Barbara Franklin</i>	<i>Amy Zachwieja Raggio</i>	
<i>Dennis Franklin</i>	<i>Marlene Rokicki</i>	

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[www.sifparish.org](http://www.sifparish.org)

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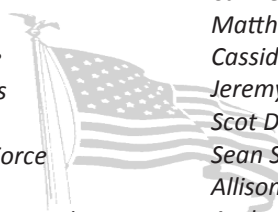
The annual Catholic Services Appeal is now underway. This year's goal for St. Jane Frances de Chantal parish is \$92,728.00.

Please prayerfully consider making a pledge that you can pay over the course of nine months. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

**ARMED SERVICES PRAYER LIST**

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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