



vibrant faith. servant heart. radical hospitality.

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
SEPTEMBER 30, 2018



Fr. Tony Sulkowski
Pastor
Ext. 102

FR. T'S TIDBITS: IT IS FINALLY HERE!!

It has been a year in the planning and it is difficult for me to believe that the Pilgrimage group from St. Jane Frances de Chantal will be leaving for Italy on Monday, October 1, 2018. Know that all of you will be remembered in my Masses as we journey throughout Italy.

We will land in Rome and spend three days visiting as much of Rome as we possibly can. Then we will take a bus to Florence. We then travel to Assisi and Orvieto. We return to Rome and visit churches outside of Vatican City. We then travel to Castel Gandolfo and Montecassino. After our visit to Castel Gandolfo we return to Rome and prepare for our flight home. It will be a great trip. We will cover a lot of territory in ten days.

I have been to Rome many times and every time that I travel to Rome and the surrounding areas I always see and find something new that I never noticed before. As we remember all of you as we travel in and around Italy, I ask that you pray for us for a safe and spirit filled experience.

Just as a point of reference, we will be in Assisi on the feast of St. Francis of Assisi, the patron saint of pets and other animals. I am sure I will have many stories and adventures to share with you when I return to St. Jane Frances de Chantal.

Fr. Malloy will be here to say the weekend Masses. You know him well. Please give him a warm St. Jane Frances welcome. See you when I return.

Bon mot: Good order is the foundation of all good things.--- Edmund Burke

Carpe Diem,
Fr. Tony



Inspiration for Living Your Faith

With the election season underway, there are bound to be some heated discussions. We need to look at how we engage in discourse and live out our commitment to be a people of profound respect for the truth and our right to express our thoughts, opinions, and positions -- always in love. We who follow Christ must not only speak the truth but must do so in love (Eph 4:15).

It is not enough that we know or believe something to be true. We must express that truth in charity with respect for others so that the bonds between us can be strengthened in building up the body of Christ. This should be true of everyone, whether they speak from a pulpit, a political platform, or through the media or other means of social communications.

GROUND RULES FOR CIVIL DIALOGUE

- Make sure everyone has an opportunity to speak.
- Share your personal experience, not someone else's.
- Listen carefully and respectfully. Speak carefully and respectfully. Do not play the role of know-it-all, convincer or corrector. Remember that a dialogue is not a debate.
- Don't interrupt unless for clarification or time keeping.
- Accept that no group or viewpoint has a complete monopoly on the truth.
- "Be more ready to give a favorable interpretation to another's statement than condemn it" (Catechism of the Catholic Church 2478, quoting St. Ignatius of Loyola).
- Be cautious about assigning motives to another person.

(from the USCCB Faithful Citizenship website)



Join us for ROSARY COAST TO COAST
October 7th | 4:00pm | Renaissance Center on the Riverwalk Side

Pray the rosary at the exact same time as others who'll be praying along our coasts and borders, in front of state capitals and in public squares across America. Our Windsor neighbors will be in eyesight across the river praying with us. Bring your parish and school banners and join Catholics from across our region as we pray to heaven to intercede for America. More information: Fatimashrinedetroit.org or call Leonard St. Pierre (313) 320-7887.

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

38750 Ryan Rd.
Sterling Heights, MI 48310
Phone: (586) 977-8080 | Fax: (586) 977-9305
www.sjfparish.org

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses	
Saturday	4:00pm
Sunday	9:00am & 11:30am
Weekday Masses	
Tuesday	7:00pm
Wednesday, Thursday	8:00am
Holy Day Masses	As Announced

PARISH STAFF

- Pastor**
Rev. Anthony Sulkowski, ext. 102
FrTonySJFParish@gmail.com
- Pastoral Associate / Worship Coordinator**
Laurie Hall, ext. 104
LHall@sjfparish.org
- Business Manager**
Jody Gazo, ext. 112
jgazo@sjfparish.org
- Director of Music**
Janina Jacobs, ext. 103
JJacobs@sjfparish.org
- Director of Faith Formation & Youth Ministry Coordinator**
Ben Klassen, ext. 108
bklassen@sjfparish.org
- Christian Service Coordinator & Adult Formation Coordinator**
Deborah Mazur, ext. 107
dmazursjfparish@gmail.com
- Stewardship Liaison**
Linda Smith, ext. 113
Lsmithsjfparish@gmail.com
- Communications Facilitator**
Rakhi McCormick, ext. 101
bulletinsjfparish@gmail.com
Copy deadline for the bulletin is Tuesday at 10:00am.
- Office Assistant**
Mary Ann Gleich
mgleichsjfparish@sjfparish.org

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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

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

SACRAMENTS

CHILDREN'S BAPTISM

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, OCTOBER 1

6:15pm ChristLife: Discovering Christ

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2

NO CONFESSIONS OR MASS

6:00pm Rosary
6:00pm Confirmation Prep
7:00pm Music Ministry Info Mtg.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3

NO MASS

9:30am Needle Crafters
10:00am Seniors Meet
6:00pm Needle Crafters
7:00pm Lectio Divina

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4

NO MASS

1:15pm Swiffers, Team 2
5:30pm K-6 Faith Formation
6:00pm K of C Officers Mtg.
6:30pm Six Weeks with the Bible

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5

Parish Office Closed

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6

Blood Drive Sign Up / RTL Baby Shower / K of C Tootsie Roll Drive
9:00am Dementia Workshop
4:00pm Mass

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7

Blood Drive Sign Up / RTL Baby Shower / K of C Tootsie Roll Drive
9:00am Mass
10:00am RCIA
11:00am Grief Ministry
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!

sjfparish.org

Stay connected through social media! Find us on Facebook at @sjfparish and on Instagram at @stjane francesparish.

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."



Laurie Hall
Pastoral Associate
& Worship Coord.
Ext. 104

Join us for a MASS, MEAL, & MOVIE! Saturday, October 13th

On Saturday, October 13th, St. Jane will host a Triple M evening - Mass, Meal and Movie! All are invited to attend 4:00pm Mass, followed by a pizza dinner and a showing of the movie Paul - Apostle of Christ. This movie was in theaters earlier this year. We will include popcorn for the movie and discussion questions to deepen our understanding and provide for a full experience.



Here is the description from the DVD jacket: "Paul, who goes from the most infamous persecutor of Christians to Christ's most influential apostle, is spending his last days in a dark and bleak prison cell awaiting execution by Emperor Nero. Luke, his friend and physician, risks his life when he ventures into Rome to visit him. Paul is under the watchful eye of Mauritius, the prison's prefect, who seeks to understand how this broken old man can pose such a threat. But before Paul's death sentence can be enacted, Luke resolves to write another book, one that details the beginnings of 'The Way' and the birth of what will come to be known as the Christian church. Their faith challenged an empire. But their words changed the world."

Please sign up at the Welcome Desk after Mass or in the Parish Offices during the week. We will need a count so we can be sure to have enough food. All are welcome – bring a friend!



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION TUESDAY, OCTOBER 9th | 1:00pm - 6:00pm

We will once again offer an afternoon of Adoration on Tuesday, October 9th from 1:00pm - 6:00pm. Please sign up in the Parish Office or drop Laurie an email to let her know when you will be here. We do need two people at all times, so signing up ahead of time allows for planning. That being said, if you can't commit ahead of time, just come. For your future planning, on even numbered months we will have Adoration on the second Tuesday from 1:00pm - 6:00pm; on odd numbered months it will be on the second Monday from 3:00pm - 7:00pm. Our hope is that those who work during the day will still be able to share in this beautiful devotional practice.



Janina Jacobs
Director of Music
Ext. 103

MUSICAL NOTES

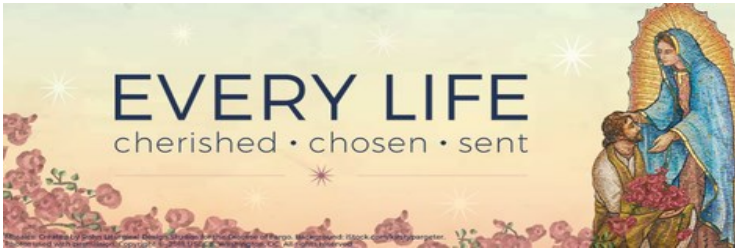
The first year I was Director of Music at St. Basil's, Pastor Jim Profota asked if I would perform a solo concert at Christmas, and I said yes. Sometimes when you play church or sacred music, people think it's all you can do, and I wanted the concert to be more than that. Good idea: it was standing room only. Thus began an annual tradition of themed 'Angels and Inspiration' concerts. The choir joined in, and one year when it seemed the entire parish was sick with flu or colds and my performers were down for the count with cancellation imminent, something magical happened. By then Fr. Tony was Pastor and asked if I might let another director and his choir sing: David Troiano and the Filarets Polish Choir. Then another group asked to join us . . . then Liturgical dancers and Irish Stepdancers. That took the pressure off of my choir and thus, an enhanced Angels and Inspiration program developed.

However, it did not end there. My sax boys, Paul and Danny, play in other bands including the 25-piece Swing Shift Orchestra. Director Lynne Henry mentioned they had lost their rehearsal location, a church which was also the setting for a Music Series where various groups would come in periodically to perform. The Series landed at St. Basil; it was the perfect place to invite local groups and people of all faiths to visit. We simply Unleashed the Music! Since then, we'd had a wide variety of concerts including the 50-voice Harry Langsford Men's Chorus, WDIV-super singer Angela Davis (who recently performed the National Anthem for Monday Night Football), Gospel singer Dayna Davis, the Gabby Rosalino Jazz Quintet, the Troy Heritage Band, and of course, Swing Shift...along with their soloists, Lisa and Geoff Watz. All the concerts featured a Free Will offering collection to sustain the Series and sometimes offer musicians a stipend, with the exception of the Langsford concert, for which we sold tickets and filled the church. **Get ready to enjoy the Angels and Inspiration Music Series here at St. Jane's, with two concerts scheduled before year's end: a Veterans Day Tribute by Swing Shift (date/time TBD); and on Thursday, December 6th, The Judelaires will stop in for their annual Christmas and Holiday concert.**

jjacobs@sjfparish.org



DEBBIE MAZUR
Christian Service & Adult Faith Formation Coordinator
 Ext. 107
 Email: dmazursjparish@gmail.com



Respect Life Month is observed annually in October. This year's annual Respect Life Program theme, **"Every Life: Cherished, Chosen, Sent"** is featured from October 2018 through September 2019.

This annual Respect Life Program is a year-round, nationwide effort to help Catholics understand, value, and become engaged with building a culture that cherishes **every human life**.

At our parish, we will have several activities to highlight every stage of Life - from the unborn to the senior, including baby bottle drives, blood drives, the dementia series, Mercy in Action, a novena, the giving crib, etc. It is a busy month with many ways to **cherish every aspect of life!**

GIVING CRIB

Our Giving Crib will again be located in the church gathering space during the entire month of October. Any and all gifts, new or gently used, will be accepted. However, specific items are needed for the following agencies:

GIANNA HOUSE:

- ◆ Diapers sizes 3, 4, & 5
- ◆ Dr. Brown's baby bottles/nipples, sizes: 0m+, 1m+, 3m+, 6m+
- ◆ Onesies 0-18 mos.
- ◆ Pacifiers
- ◆ Burp cloths & bibs
- ◆ Wipes/pull wipes
- ◆ Crochet hooks "G" & "H"
- ◆ Gift cards to Target

COMPASSION PREGNANCY CENTER:

- ◆ Enfamil formula—yellow label
- ◆ Diapers Size 5 & 6
- ◆ Just about anything else including maternity clothes.



RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 21ST
 8:00 AM-2:00 PM

We are taking Blood Drive Sign-ups the weekends of October 6th/7th and 13th/14th. The donation of one unit of blood can potentially help to save three lives.

PLEASE CONSIDER DONATING!

TO REGISTER ONLINE:

- Visit 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.



HOPE DEMENTIA WORKSHOP SERIES

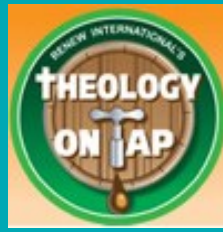
Have you been touched by Alzheimer's? Perhaps a parent, spouse, family member or friend is affected? On October 6th, we will be hosting a session on the topic of Dementia.

DEMENTIA BASICS AND BUILDING A DEMENTIA CARE TEAM

This session will give participants a basic understanding of what dementia is as well as looking at some common characteristics of aging that are **not** dementia related. We will look more closely at the most common forms of dementia, which includes Alzheimer's Disease, and the characteristics of each. Bring your questions and get some answers!

SAT. OCTOBER 6, 2018 | 9:00AM -11:30AM
St. Jane Frances de Chantal
Fr. Page Activity Center

THEOLOGY ON TAP
Monday, October 8, 2018
6:30pm-8:30pm
Atwater Brewery
 237 Jos Campau | Detroit, MI 48207



Theology on Tap is a great opportunity for young Catholic adults to meet in a comfortable setting to explore our faith and how it affects our lives.

Renew International's Theology on Tap is a licensed program that encourages the exploration of faith amongst young adults, ages 18-35, in a setting that is meant to be non-threatening and open to dialogue.

Join young adults for fellowship, food, fantastic speakers and faith.



TAP INTO LIFE
SIMPLE SERVICE SATURDAY
October 6, 2018 | 9:00am-12:00pm
Solanus Casey Center
 1780 Mt. Elliott Street | Detroit, MI

Young Adults are invited to join in the good works of the Capuchin Ministries for a morning of service.

The morning will begin 9:00am at the Solanus Casey Center with a prayer service. Then we will have 2 hours of service at the Capuchin Soup Kitchen-Earthworks Urban Farm. Finally, the group will gather for lunch to talk a bit about what they experienced.

Please email us to reserve your spot TapIntoLife@the capuchins.org or call Sally 313-579-2100, ext. 149

Join St. Michael Christian Service, Parish Health Ministry & The Knights of Columbus in coordination with Operation RX as they host an:



Addiction 101 Education Seminar
Tuesday, October 2, 2018 | 7:00 PM- 9:00 PM

St. Michael Catholic Community
 40501 Hayes Rd. | Sterling Heights, 48313
 Speakers: Mark Kilgore- Care of Southeastern Michigan
 Program Coordinator- Greater Macomb Project Vox
 Dunya Barash- Care of Southeastern Michigan
 Community Organizer for Sterling Heights Drug -Free Coalition



All Are Welcome! Help fight against the Opioid Epidemic. Program Overview to include:
 Learn, Connect & Take Action | The Opioid Epidemic | Resources for Families |
 Understanding Recovery | What Can The Community Do?

SAVE THE DATE - OCTOBER 11TH, 2018: LEARN TO SAVE A LIFE NARCAN 101



Federal, state and local funding has been provided through Macomb County Community Mental Health/Office of Substance Abuse and other funding sources to support project costs. Recipients of substance use services have rights protected by state and federal law and promulgated rules. For information, contact CARE of Southeastern Michigan Recipient Rights Advisor, 31900 Utica Road, MI 48026, 586.541.2273 or State Recipient Rights Coordinator, P.O. Box 30664, Lansing, Michigan 48909.



CANDY DRIVE FOR COFFEE HOUSE

We are collecting Halloween candy to pass out at our next coffeehouse for the intellectually impaired. Baskets will be in the gathering space the weekends of October 6th/7th and 13th/14th.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
TOOTSIE ROLL DRIVE
OCTOBER 6TH & 7TH

Our members will be handing out Tootsie Rolls after each Mass. Please be generous in your donations to help people with intellectual disabilities. All donations are used to support charities for those with intellectual disabilities.

THANK YOU in advance for your generosity.



BEN KLASSEN
**Youth Ministry Coordinator &
 Director of Faith Formation**
 Bklassen@sjfparish.org
 Ext. 108

As Faith Formation begins this year, we ask that each of us renew our prayers for our Young Disciples learning about Jesus, for their parents who are the primary Catechists, and all those who volunteer their time, helping the parents in the formation of their children here at the parish!

I have contemplated many things this past week. Faith Formation (K-6 and Confirmation Preparation) has begun again. Our High School Youth Ministry Sunday Evening Gatherings began last week. Our ChristLife Program for people in all stages of their faith life began this past Monday. Finally, I was able to attend a conference last weekend—Engaging the Young Church Conference. For those of you that may not know me, some of my greatest trepidations come from writing, and from public speaking. Each of these tasks get my stomach in knots, they disrupt my sleep patterns and I get overly jittery and nervous.

With everything beginning over the course of a single week, I was thrown for a loop and I was exhausted! The conference I attended, I just wanted to skip because I was so tired, but I pushed myself to go, and I am very glad that I did! We had a fabulous speaker from Florida come in and energize our group. The most fascination thing about this gentleman that I found was that he seemed very much like most of us. He wasn't trying to push a way of doing things. He doesn't have a website that was plugged over and over. He is a church-going Theology teacher in a Catholic High School who truly Loves God.

When I get tired, I throw on a smile, and many times I feel like the people in the commercials holding a smiley face in front of their face. That is how I entered into the conference. By the end of the first day, I was at a level of energy that I often start a regular day with. By the end of the second day, I was PUMPED UP! Monday, I was tired, but ready to go, a headache pushing its way to the front of my face. ChristLife began at 6:00pm and I was a bit excited that we had parishioners and guests of our community joining us in an opportunity to share, grow and witness their faith.

This weekend's readings strike a few chords in my mind. First there is Moses, willing to share the grace that God gave to him, so that God's word and Spirit could be further advanced by many people. Then there is Jesus speaking with His Apostles about a simply stated, but difficult to understand, truth: the power in the world is of God. Humankind can affect the power of God in negative ways when they (we—humankind) begin to preach and believe that it comes from us, but when we speak (properly) about God's power and attribute it as such, we can perform mighty deeds.

Paul speaks through James, though, about our tendency to bemoan all of the things that we "suffer" through - all of the things we build up in this worldly life that distract and tend to lead us from a very simple truth. God "IS." In the very "being" of God, He gives each (and everyone) of us Grace; how WE decide to use, grow and witness this Grace is our choice. When we give from the Grace given to us, more comes back to fill the void that we freely have given from. It is not on "me" to make others do; all I can do is offer the simple truth of God to those around me. It is ultimately up to them to accept, ask questions about, and grow or walk away from the light and truth that God offers.

When I am tired, I realize that I have to rely (more heavily than normal) on others around me, but in this relying on others, we have to realize that it is God, working in and through each and every one of us, who strengthens and encourages us. I hope and pray that everyone sees God in a new way this week, and that everyone can share and spread that grace that you receive in the Eucharist with someone new, to spread God's love through the world, in spite of the darkness that surrounds us. ~Peace be with you all!



**PRAISE & WORSHIP. DYNAMIC PREACHING.
 ENCOUNTER JESUS IN
 ADORATION & RECONCILIATION.**

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 21ST
 6:00PM - 8:00PM**

St. Lawrence Church, Utica

For more info, call 313-596-7325 or email Kellie at chamberland.kellie@aod.org.

*Family
 Corner*

ABOUT THE GOSPEL:

Jesus reminds us that whoever is not against us is for us. This is a good reminder to treat anyone who truly brings Jesus to us (priests, deacons, teachers, friends, even people that we may not always like) with respect and kindness.

IN CHURCH:

Say thank you to someone at Church who helps you on your faith journey.

QUESTIONS FOR THE WEEK:

- ◆ How does Father Tony bring Jesus to, and share Jesus with you?
- ◆ How can YOU share Jesus with others?
- ◆ What can each of us do today, to build the church that we envision?
- ◆ What do you do, that shows the world that you follow Jesus?

FAMILY PRAYER:

Lord, help us to recognize those who teach us, to know you better. Helps us to treat them with love and kindness every day.

QUESTIONS TO ASK YOURSELF NEXT WEEK, IN PREPARATION FOR MASS:

- ◆ What is a friend?
- ◆ How do I show that I belong to my family? How about to Jesus' family?
- ◆ Who welcomes you each day? How do you welcome others?



TRUNKS OF TREATS TIME IS HERE AGAIN!

Saturday, October 27th | 5:30pm-8:30pm

Join the fun and bring your little ones (ages 10 years and younger) for games, activities, food, and a round of Trunk-of-Treating. Costumes are encouraged; please make sure they are family-friendly. Please sign-up by Saturday, October 20th in the Parish Office to receive your tickets for the event.

If you are interested in decorating a trunk to pass out candy or to just pass out candy, you are invited too! Please sign-up by October 20th and we'll get you all the details!

Want to volunteer? Help is needed the night of the event. Please sign-up in the Parish Office. Thank you! Questions? Contact Linda at Lsmithsjfparish@gmail.com or 586-977-8080.ext. 113.



ATTENTION SENIORS

"THURSDAYS AT THE MUSEUM"

The Detroit Institute of Arts is offering a **FREE** special program for adults 55 and older

The DIA is offering groups of 25-50 people from Wayne, Oakland and Macomb counties FREE admission, FREE transportation and a complementary coffee and cookie reception. The itinerary is

- 12:00pm Bus pick-up at St. Jane Frances
- 1:00pm Program begins
- 2:30pm Coffee and cookie reception
- 3:15pm Buses depart from DIA to St. Jane Frances

We are scheduled to attend the following event:
November 15th - Art Making; Tibetan Prayer Flags (must sign up in the Parish Office by October 30th)

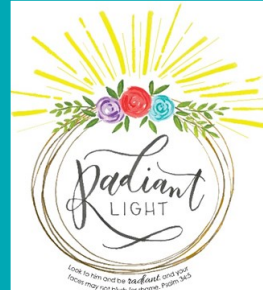
We can only take a maximum of 50 people, so sign up early!! Please contact Linda at 586-977-8080, ext. 113 or Lsmithsjfparish@gmail.com with any questions.



Our Parish Mission Statement states that we are a welcoming Catholic community dedicated to living and proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ. What better way to "welcome" all who enter through our doors than to give a friendly smile and greet everyone with good morning or evening. This is exactly what the Welcome Desk volunteers do. In addition to greeting our parishioners and visitors, they field questions, provide directions and give assistance when needed.

Please consider volunteering to help out at the Welcome Desk. Training will be provided to everyone who volunteers.

If you are interested or need more information, please contact Linda Smith at 586-977-8080 ext. 113 or Lsmithsjfparish@gmail.com.



Join us for the
**RADIANT LIGHT
WOMEN'S CONFERENCE**
OCTOBER 19TH - 20TH

This conference is a gathering of Catholic Christian women to renew, rejoice, and radiate their love of God.

"Look to him and be radiant, and your faces may not blush for shame." - Psalm 34:5

The conference begins on Friday, October 19th with our "Girls Night Out" event. This will be held at the Claddagh Irish Pub in Livonia, MI. This will be a fun event geared towards interacting with your fellow conference attendees in a casual setting. Two drink tickets and appetizers will be provided with paid entry.

The main conference event will be held on Saturday, October 20th at St. John Neumann in Canton, MI. We have a packed agenda with dynamic speakers, engaging topics, and many opportunities to encounter Christ through prayer, praise & worship, confession and Mass.

Get more details & purchase tickets through our website at www.radiantlightconference.com. See you there!

Mass Intentions

MONDAY, OCTOBER 1:
NO MASS

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2:
NO MASS

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3:
NO MASS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4:
NO MASS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5:
NO MASS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6:
4:00pm Dec. Jennie Hetrick (A. Hetrick & Terans)
Dec. Donald Andreski (Paul & Betty Waleke)
Liv. Jon & Irene Putrycus (Putrycus Family)
Dec. Edward & Agatha Smak (Family)

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7:
9:00am 1st Sunday Memorial Assn. Mbrs. For the Parishioners
Dec. Joseph & Harriet Florek (Jerry & Sylvia Soldetek)
Dec. Marsha Olson (Family)

11:30am Liv. Robert & Joyce Youngert, 50th Wedding Anniversary (Family and Don & Marge Wisniewski)
Dec. Wilfredo Maralit (Sig, Erica, & Wife Millie)
Dec. Carol Bardelline (Loving Husband, Jim)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 30, 2018

SUNDAY

Nm 11:25-29; Ps 19:8, 10, 12-13, 14;
Jas 5:1-6; Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

MONDAY

St Thérèse Virgin & Doctor of the Church
Jb 1:6-22; Ps 17:1bcd, 2-3, 6-7; Lk 9:46-50

TUESDAY

The Holy Guardian Angels
Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23; Ps 88:2-3, 4-5, 6, 7-8; Mt 18:1-5, 10

WEDNESDAY

Jb 9:1-12, 14-16; Ps 88:10bc-11, 12-13, 14-15; Lk 9:57-62

THURSDAY

St. Francis of Assisi
Jb 19:21-27; Ps 27:7-8a, 8b-9abc, 13-14; Lk 10:1-12

FRIDAY

Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos, Priest
Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5; Ps 139:1-3, 7-8, 9-10, 13-14ab; Lk 10:13-16

SATURDAY

Saint Bruno, Priest;
Blessed Marie Rose Durocher, Virgin
Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17; Ps 119:66, 71, 75, 91, 125, 130; Lk 10:17-24

SUNDAY

Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
Gn 2:18-24; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6; Heb 2:9-11; Mk 10:2-16 or 10:2-12

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.

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



ESAM PIETRAS
&
TRISHA GIZA

WHEN I CALLED, YOU ANSWERED ME; YOU BUILT UP STRENGTH WITHIN ME.

PSALM 138:3



LITURGICAL SCHEDULE — OCTOBER 6TH & 7TH

	4:00pm	9:00am	11:30am
Presider	Fr. Bob Malloy	Fr. Bob Malloy	Fr. Bob Malloy
Sacristan(s)	Lori & Joe Nida	MaryAnn Webb	Kathaleen Burley
Lector 1	Craig Smith	Denise Dara	Felix Erfe
Lector 2	Linda Smith	Julius D'Ambrosio	John Czarski
Altar Servers	Isabella Schilling	Teresa Mezzapelle	Lucas Jeffrey
			Elsa Jeffrey
Ushers	Team 3	Assigned	Team 1

THERE WILL BE NO WEEKDAY MASSES OR CONFESSIONS THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 1ST

PARISH SUPPORT

September 23, 2018

Budgeted Weekly Obligation:
\$12,237.00

Actual Average Weekly Collection:
\$11,739.00

Registered Families: 1417
Envelopes Returned: 319

Amount Offered: \$7,622.00
Loose Offering: \$748.54

Online Giving
Contributors: 79
Contributions: \$2,406.00

Total Offerings \$10,420.54

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 parish website at:

www.sjffparish.org

to sign-up for Online Giving. Email Jody Gazo at jgazosjffparish@gmail.com or call 586-977-8080, ext. 112 with any questions. Thank you!



TOGETHER LET US PRAY...

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

Lillian Arendall
Tim Broders
James Brown
Sam Castelli
Sandy Castelli
Jack Caradonna
Lorenza Caradonna
Vicki Chrzanowski
Bernie Colasanti, Jr
MaryAnn DeDonatis
Sharyl Dennis
Lorraine Dory
Ronald Dreslinksj, Sr.
Rita Duffey
Kevin Dufoor
Jean Duynslager
Shirley Essad
Marie Gagnon
Richard Gerst
Charles Grade
Barbara Franklin
Dennis Franklin
James Friedmann
Greg Gibson
Cindy Graham
Pauline Gronowski
Phyllis Harris
Scott Harris

Hank Helton
Julie Helton
John Karalunas
Richard Kaufmann
James Klassen
Susan Kowalski
Frances Kraft
Walter Kronner
James Kwapis
Fr. Gerry LeBoeuf
Dorothy Lentz
Thomas Lentz
Samuel Llewellyn
Sr. Eileen Lynch
Lynn Macieczni
Addison Mathews
Jeffrey Maxwell
Barbara Mezzapelle
Karen Mosher
Bernice McIlwain
William Navalta
Norma O'Connor
Kathleen Pawlik
Matthew Pawlik
Judy Peterson
Adam Phillips
Anita Pitlock
Amy Zachwieja Raggio

Marlene Rokicki
Olivia Rokicki
Junito Sacdalan
Ray Samarziya
Lori Chmielewski Sanders
Stephen Schriedel
Arnold Semrau
Mike Smith
Tom Taylor
Daniel Van Acker
Richard Volpe
Helen Walczak
Merrie Watchowski
Roy Weickel
Lois Wheism
Kevin Wilcox
Gary Winters
Don G. Wisniewski
Doug Wolf
Lorri Wolf
Toni Woodring
Edward Young
Carol Zachwieja
Mary Zalewski
Marsha Zanardelli
Nicole Zapinski
Marti Zysk



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:

Robert Bain, Army
Chris Burley, Navy
Shaun Chaplin, Air Force
Amir Ciplakovic, Marines
Paige Corrias, Army
Melanie De Le Ree, Air Force
Zack Hoover, Air Force
Louis B. Kasper III, Coast Guard
Stephen LaBarge, Army



Carmen LaForest, Navy
Matthew McDowell, Air Force
Cassidy Kicinski Rose, Air Force
Jeremy Rzeppa, Navy
Scot D. Skoczylas, Navy
Sean Slattery, Marines
Allison Stewart, Army
Anthony Trotta, Navy

SPONSOR OF THE WEEK

Thank you to Kathy Desmond of

**Desmond & Sons
Funeral Directors**

for advertising in the St. Jane Frances de Chantal bulletin. We ask our parishioners to support our advertisers as they are the ones that help make our bulletin possible.

ST. JANE FRANCES DE CHANTAL PARISH COUNCIL

Fr. Tony Sulkowski, Pastor

Craig Smith, Chairman
248-515-5355 | crgsto@live.com

John Martin, Vice Chairman & Worship
jdsmarti@netscape.net

Doreen Corby, *Christian Service*
Nancy Dufloor, *Secretary*
Ray Fortier, *Finance*
Joe Nida, *Member at Large*
Bob Pawlik, *Member at Large*
Eric Rzeppa, *Education*

Linda Smith, *Stewardship*
Leon Soltesz, *Worship and Ushers*
Julie Sroka, *Vicariate Rep*
Ray Sroka, *Vicariate Rep*
Joe Wainz, *Member at Large*