



# ANNIVERSARY MASS 2016

**Congratulations to our couples  
who celebrate a significant  
Anniversary this year.**

**The couples were honored at the  
5:00pm Mass on February 13, 2016**

<i>George &amp; Valeria Norus, 71 years</i>	<i>Greg &amp; Pam Evanzia, 50 years</i>
<i>Walter &amp; Nancy Aaron, 67 years</i>	<i>Raymond &amp; Joan Knapp, 50 years</i>
<i>Bernard &amp; Helen Kosnik, 65 years</i>	<i>Brian &amp; Linda Brennan, 45 years</i>
<i>Ray &amp; Rosetta Culbertson, 64 years</i>	<i>Robert &amp; Frances Kraft, 45 years</i>
<i>Tom &amp; Eileen Wesley, 64 years</i>	<i>Ken &amp; Barb Milczynski, 45 years</i>
<i>John &amp; Virginia McNeil, 63 years</i>	<i>Daniel &amp; Debi Teran, Jr., 45 years</i>
<i>Jack &amp; Lorenza Caradonna, 60 years</i>	<i>Tom &amp; Rita Theoret, 45 years</i>
<i>Robert &amp; Marie Donovan, 60 years</i>	<i>Rich &amp; Marie Bracci, 43 years</i>
<i>Gerald &amp; Elaine Michewicz, 60 years</i>	<i>Greg &amp; Valerie Ball, 40 years</i>
<i>Duane &amp; Lorraine Gavrilak, 58 years</i>	<i>Steve &amp; Karen Gadzinski, 40 years</i>
<i>Thomas &amp; Phyllis Harris, 57 years</i>	<i>Dennis &amp; Joann Lichocki, 40 years</i>
<i>Richard &amp; Magdalene Risko, 57 years</i>	<i>John &amp; Rita Rakowski, 40 years</i>
<i>Francis &amp; Rosemarie Dascenza, 56 years</i>	<i>Arnold &amp; Patti Semrau, 35 years</i>
<i>Richard &amp; Judy Koelzer, 56 years</i>	<i>Chester &amp; Denise Dara, 30 years</i>
<i>Casimir &amp; Anna Brodak, 55 years</i>	<i>Chris &amp; Pamela Starling, 30 years</i>
<i>Pete &amp; Joann Crachiolo, 55 years</i>	<i>Dan &amp; Roseann Trotta, 30 years</i>
<i>Ron &amp; Mary Woywood, 55 years</i>	<i>Dale &amp; Lisa Erickson, 25 years</i>
<i>Andy &amp; Gerri Maiuri, 54 years</i>	<i>Larry &amp; Marilyn Hess, 25 years</i>
<i>Richard &amp; Nancy Volpe, 54 years</i>	<i>John &amp; Stacey Kujawa, 25 years</i>
<i>Julius &amp; Chris D'Ambrosio, 53 years</i>	<i>Eric &amp; Wendy Rzeppa, 25 years</i>
<i>Vic &amp; Fran Saverino, 53 years</i>	<i>Brian &amp; Nancy Barkkari, 20 years</i>
<i>Leon &amp; Kathryn Soltesz, 53 years</i>	<i>David &amp; Joann Maguran, 20 years</i>
<i>Sammy &amp; Sandy Castelli, 52 years</i>	<i>Craig &amp; Linda Smith, 20 years</i>
<i>Al &amp; Dolores Trombley, 51 years</i>	<i>Joe &amp; Karen Wainz, 20 years</i>
<i>Harry &amp; Judy Burzynski, 50 years</i>	<i>Joe &amp; Jolynn Friedmann, 15 years</i>
<i>Dan &amp; Linda Dubicki, 50 years</i>	<i>Robert &amp; Christine Griffor, 15 years</i>

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

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Sterling Heights, MI 48310  
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**MASS SCHEDULE**

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

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Copy deadline is Tuesday at 10:00am.

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday:  
8:30am - 8:30pm  
(Closed from 12:00 to 1:15 for lunch)  
Friday: Closed  
Saturday: 2:30pm - 6:30pm  
Sunday: 10:00am - 1:30pm

**MINISTRIES**

**Knights of Columbus #13340**  
Brian Barkkari 586-215-4669  
**Parish Nurse Ministry**  
Doreen Corby 586-977-8080  
**Seniors**  
Ron 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**

If you have a child who is not yet baptized, but you would like them to be, we would be delighted to talk to you about your options. Please call the Parish Office (586-977-8080) to make any arrangements.

**Reconciliation**

Tuesday from 6:00pm-7:00pm  
(or by appointment)

**Marriage**

Arrangements must be made by contacting the Parish Office at least six months prior to the desired date. Marriage guidelines are available at the Parish Office and must be read before your appointment. Participation in pre-marriage preparation will be arranged.

**Anointing of the Sick**

Contact the Parish Office at 586-977-8080. Also available once a month during the Tuesday evening Mass. Speak with Fr. Jerry before Mass.

**Rite of Christian Initiation  
of Adults**

This is a shared program with St. Ephrem, conducted at St. Ephrem. Those taking part in RCIA from St. Jane Frances will receive the faith formation at St. Ephrem's but celebrate associated rites at St. Jane Frances de Chantal. Please make initial contact with our pastor, Fr. Jerry Slowinski, before contacting St. Ephrem Parish.

**Parish 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**

Contact Parish Office: 586-977-8080

*This Week in our Parish*

**Monday, February 15**

No Faith Formation Classes  
9:30am-11:30am Needle Crafters  
7:00pm-8:30pm Sacrament of  
Reconciliation Revisited

**Tuesday, February 16**

No Faith Formation Classes,  
Grades K-8  
NO Confession at St. Jane  
Frances  
6:00pm Rosary  
6:30pm-8:30pm Ushers Board Meeting  
No Mass at St. Jane Frances  
7:00pm Communal Reconciliation  
at St. Ephrem

**Wednesday, February 17**

8:00am Mass  
6:00pm-8:30pm Coffee House  
6:00pm-8:15pm Needle Crafters  
7:00pm Baptism Prep  
7:00pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

**Thursday, February 18**

8:00am Mass  
10:00am-Noon Christian Service  
Vicariate Meeting  
1:00pm Swiffers, Team 3  
7:00pm-9:30pm Parish Leadership  
Meeting

**Friday, February 19**

4:00pm-7:00pm Fish Fry  
6:30pm Stations of the Cross

**Saturday, February 20**

4:30pm-6:30pm Blood Pressure  
Screening

5:00pm Mass  
6:30pm Saint of the Month; Off-Site  
**Sunday, February 21**

8:30am-11:15am Blood Pressure  
Screening  
8:30am Adult Choir Rehearsal  
9:00am Mass w/Adult Choir  
11:30am Mass w/Childrens Liturgy of  
the Word  
1:00pm-3:00pm Ushers General Mtg.  
6:00pm-8:00pm High School Youth  
Ministry Gathering

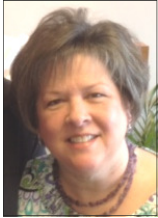
**NEW PARISHIONERS**

**WOULD YOU LIKE TO BECOME A  
REGISTERED PARISHIONER AT  
ST. JANE FRANCES de CHANTAL?**

You may register at the Parish Office at any-time after Mass on the weekend or during regular office hours. Please call 586-977-8080 if you have any questions.

***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."



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### LENTen Observation

The word Lent itself is derived from the Old English words *lencten*, meaning "Spring," and *lenctentid*, meaning "Springtide" and the word for "March," the month in which most of Lent takes place.

This year when I began to think of how I will observe Lent, it occurred to me that the word *lent* is the French word for "slow", or similarly *lento* is the Italian equivalent. I asked myself how being called to slowness might be a way to live out this Lenten season.

We have had such a short time between the Christmas season and Lent this year that I think many of us are feeling a bit rushed and unprepared. For me, I have decided to slow down a bit and reflect on what I can do to become the best "me" in time for the celebration of our Lord's resurrection. How can I deepen my prayer life? What can I do to reach out to others? How can I un-clutter my life? Slow down, breathe. How can I approach ministry so that I am most generous to those I minister to while at the same time recognizing the graces I receive from them? Slow down enough to see where God is in my life each day. Breathe, pray. Slow down, encounter Jesus. My Lent will be a time of deliberately doing these things as opposed to giving up something. Can you slow down and take time for some Lenten reflection?

Maureen

### Lenten Communal Reconciliation Service St. Ephrem Parish Tuesday, February 16<sup>th</sup>, 7:00pm

Our Lenten Communal Reconciliation Service will be held by our cluster parish, St. Ephrem. There will be NO confessions or Mass celebrated at St. Jane Frances that evening as Fr. Jerry will be assisting at the Reconciliation Service. Please take advantage of this opportunity in your Lenten preparations.

## The Sacrament of Reconciliation: Revisited

February 15, 22, 29; 7:00pm - 8:30pm

***If you have not participated in the sacrament of Reconciliation for a long time or do so with great reluctance, please know that you are not alone!*** In 2008, the Center for Applied Research in the Apostolate (CARA) at Georgetown University conducted a study entitled, *Sacraments Today: Belief and Practice among U.S. Catholics*. Regarding Reconciliation, the basic finding was that 75% of Catholics "report that they never participate in the sacrament of Reconciliation or that they do so less than once a year."(57)

In this great **Jubilee Year of Mercy**, I invite you to take part in this series during which we can explore and address reasons and concerns that keep you from celebrating this sacrament which is filled with grace, even as it might instill fear or discomfort in you. This is an opportunity to learn more about Reconciliation; there will be no judging you nor pressuring you.

#### 1) You Are Not Alone:

##### I Don't Go to Confession Because...

This evening (February 15<sup>th</sup>) explores the reasons people give for not participating in the sacrament. Are these feelings valid? What is our understanding of the sacrament? What is truth about the sacrament: the theology, the affects of sin, forgiveness, mercy, grace?

#### 2) So What Now?

This evening (February 22<sup>nd</sup>) explores what might still hold you back from the sacrament, review of the healing grace of the sacrament, examination of conscience, and practical matters of celebrating the sacrament.

#### 3) What I See:

##### From My Side of the Confessional...

This evening (February 29<sup>th</sup>) explores the priest's experience in hearing people's confession. This does not mean a discussion of the sins that are confessed, but rather the humility, healing, joy, consolation, hope, grace and re-encounter with Christ that the priest witnesses as the confessor. After a brief power point presentation, Fr. Jerry Slowinski, pastor of St. Jane Frances de Chantal Parish, will share his personal reflections of his role as confessor.

It is the hope that you will leave this series open to the Spirit moving you towards the celebration of the Sacrament of Penance/Reconciliation and to experience the powerful love and compassion of Jesus. Register by contacting the parish office.

## YOUNG ADULTS

### SAINT OF THE MONTH NIGHT

**WHO:** All young adults (18 to 39 years old)

**WHAT:** Saint of the Month Night is held at a local restaurant/brewery/bar. We'll spend some time learning about and discussing the life of a saint and then enjoy our dinner after.

**WHEN:** **Saturday, February 20<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30pm**

**WHERE:** California Pizza Kitchen at Somerset Mall

**SAINT:** St. Anthony the Abbot

**RSVP:** If you think you can join us, please RSVP so that we know how big of a space to reserve! You can email us at [stjag2010@yahoo.com](mailto:stjag2010@yahoo.com) or on the parish website (go to the Education tab, click on Young Adults). Thanks!



**CHILDREN'S  
LITURGY OF THE WORD  
Ages 3-Grade 2**

**Weekly during the 11:30am Mass**

Greg J. Crachiolo  
Director of Music Ministries  
sjfmusicministry@yahoo.com

Director of Faith Formation (*Pre-K–Grade 8*) & Confirmation )  
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Ext. 103

Each week I will share a reflection on the Gospel and discussion questions. Please do this with your family.

**Step 1: Read the Gospel for the day**

**Step 2: Discuss the “On the way Home From Mass” question in the car and “Living the Word”**

**Step 3: After Mass, discuss the “On the way home from Mass” question.**

**ABOUT THE GOSPEL—Luke 4:1-13**

After hearing His Father called Him “beloved Son” at His baptism, Jesus enters the desert. There, the devil tempts Him, challenging His true identity with the words: “If you are the Son of God...” Jesus know who He is. In the strength of the Holy Spirit, three times He resists the devil. We, too, are His beloved children of God by virtue of our Baptism, and the Holy Spirit dwells within us. We can draw on that strength during times of temptation, and ask our Father to deliver us from evil.

**On the Way Home From Mass...**

Dear Parents,  
Please use these questions to help your child (ren) better understand today's Gospel.

- 1) Are you ever tempted to worship anything besides God?
- 2) Is anything more important to you than God?

**LIVING THE WORD**

To mark this new season, place a violet cloth near your Bible. Cut a piece of card stock into two 4 1/2 x 11 cards. On one, write the word, “LENT” in violet and place it on the cloth. Recall that the Church gives us six weeks to prepare our hearts – through prayer, fasting, and almsgiving– for the glorious feast of Easter. Decorate the other card with the word “Alleluia!” and symbols of Easter. Bury it under the cloth as a reminder that we will not hear that word at Mass until Easter.

**NEXT WEEK'S GOSPEL—Luke 9:28b-36**

**...On the Way To Mass**

**Step 1:** Read the gospel aloud, from the Bible, a smart phone, or tablet. Or find it at usccb.org.

**Step 2:** Discussion

- 1) When you pray, have you ever heard Jesus? What did He say? Have you ever seen Him? How did He look?

**NO K-8 FAITH FORMATION CLASSES**

**FEBRUARY 15<sup>th</sup>/16<sup>th</sup>**

**DUE TO WINTER BREAK.**

**CLASSES WILL RESUME FEBRUARY 22<sup>nd</sup>/23<sup>rd</sup>**



**UPCOMING SINGLE OPPORTUNITIES TO  
PLAY OR SING AT MASS**

*Want to put your musical talent to use at Mass but can't commit long-term?*

*Then check these opportunities out:*

Saturday, March 26<sup>th</sup>—Easter Vigil 8:00pm

Sunday, March 27<sup>th</sup>—Easter 9:00am or 11:30am Mass

Sunday, April 24<sup>th</sup>—First Holy Eucharist—11:30am Mass

Saturday, May 7<sup>th</sup>—Confirmation—5:00pm Mass

Sunday, May 15<sup>th</sup>—Mass of Thanksgiving for Dominic Macioce who will be ordained to the priesthood on May 14<sup>th</sup>—9:00am



*Please contact Greg Crachiolo, for more information, to receive music, and get rehearsal schedule*







Tara Stenger  
Ext. 107  
Adult Formation Coordinator  
Email:  
tfinn\_sjf@yahoo.com

**COFFEE & CATHOLICISM**

Join us twice a month for great presentations on topics near and dear to our faith! Our speaker, Mark Bajercius, will present about the history, philosophy, and theology of things like the Trinity, the Incarnation, and more! There is no cost to attend. We will meet from 7:00pm until 8:20pm. Contact Tara at tfinn\_sjf@yahoo.com or 586-977-8080, ext. 107 for more information or to sign-up. Upcoming dates are: *Thursdays, February 25<sup>th</sup> and March 10<sup>th</sup>.*



**DESSERTS**

Our St. Vincent de Paul Society will be selling desserts at the Friday Fish Fry's. We need your help to make it a success! You can donate your desserts (be sure NO nuts or peanut butter) to the Parish Office on **Thursday before 8:00pm** the week of the Fish Fry's!

Our Next Fish Fry is scheduled **February 19, 2016**  
We look forward to your delicious donations!!



**PASSION & PURPOSE FOR MARRIAGE**  
*Saturday, March 12, 2016*  
*at St. Anastasia in Troy*  
**9:00am-1:30pm**  
*Presented by Dr. Allen Hunt,*  
*a member of the Dynamic Catholic organization*

You will come away with many insights that will help you with your most important commitment —your marriage.

Show your spouse how important they are, how you value them and your marriage.

The ticket price is \$25 per person and may be purchased online at:

<http://cart.dynamiccatholic.com/Passion-and-Purpose-for-Marriage-Troy-MI-p/mr031216.htm>



**ATTENTION ALL NEEDLE CRAFTERS!**

Do you like to sew, knit, crochet, quilt, etc.? Whether you are new to the craft or a seasoned veteran, please join us at any of our opportunities in February to get together to socialize and work on projects (your own or ours)! No RSVP is necessary and there is no cost. You can come to one, some, or all of our gatherings! Please join us on Mondays **from 9:30am until 11:30am OR Wednesdays from 6:00pm-8:15pm.** If you can't stay the whole time or need to come late, that is fine too! Contact Tara with any questions at tfinn\_sjf@yahoo.com or 586-977-8080, ext. 107.

**For Your Spiritual Health...**  
**Stations of the Cross for Caregivers**  
**Thursday, February 25<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30pm**

If you are a caregiver for someone, anyone, this is for you. Caregiving demands your time and commitment. The prayers of the Stations are written specially to provide support and inspiration for you. Take this opportunity to spend some quiet time with God, away from the demands of caregiving. Come and take care of yourself in reflection and prayer.

**Our Soup Kitchen serves Lunch at St. Pat's**  
**Saturday, February 27, 2016**

Now that we are in the midst of Lent, wouldn't it be a great way to show mercy by helping at the soup kitchen? We will be going to the Senior Center in Detroit to prepare and serve lunch to approximately 50-80 seniors on Saturday, February 27<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 car pooling. 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.

It is through your participation and generosity that it is possible to serve.

God Bless you for your dedication to this ministry.

**Blood Pressure Screening**

Our Health Ministry Team will be available for Blood Pressure Screening next weekend, February 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup>. They will do the screenings on Saturday, February 20<sup>th</sup>, from 4:30pm to 6:30pm and on Sunday, February 21<sup>st</sup>, from 8:30am to 11:15am.

# The Cross and the Light

## A Spiritual Wake-up Call

The Cross and the Light is an immersive faith encounter, a "baptism of the imagination" with the "wow" factor that will engage hearts and minds! Our singers are not only Broadway quality, they are passionate believers. Add to that high-powered projectors and video imagery projected onto the walls 150 ft. wide by 30 ft. high, and people leave "speechless", "blown away", "in tears", and "open to God's love and mercy."

### St. Malachy Catholic Church

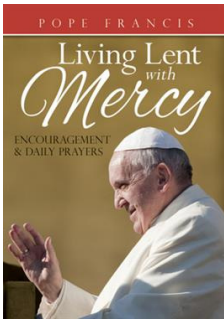
14115 East 14 Mile Rd.  
Sterling Heights, MI  
March 17<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup>

### Our Lady Star of the Sea

467 Fairford Road  
Grosse Pte. Woods, MI  
March 10<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>

For show times and to reserve tickets, visit  
<http://www.crossandlight.com/>

## Lenten Reflection Booklets



Now available in the Gathering Space and in the Parish Office.

Requested Donation \$1 each.

"The season of Lent during this Jubilee Year should also be lived more intensely as a privileged moment to celebrate and experience God's mercy." Pope Francis has made relating Jesus' teachings on mercy one of his top priorities. He has proclaimed this Jubilee Year of Mercy, praying that the Church, "with renewed enthusiasm, may bring good news to the poor, proclaim liberty to captives and the oppressed, and restore sight to the blind."

Combining the wisdom and humility of Pope Francis with prayers from Fr. Warren J. Savage, *Living Lent With Mercy* will touch your heart, prompt deep reflection and spark a desire to grow closer to the Lord, one day at a time.

FYI, if you prefer The Little Black Books, you can download a Kindle version from Amazon following this link:

[http://www.amazon.com/Little-Black-Book-Lent-2016-ebook/dp/B01A9U7Y8G/ref=pd\\_sim\\_351\\_1?ie=UTF8&dpID=31EO-OLDInL&dpSrc=sims&preST=\\_AC\\_UL160\\_SR120%2C160\\_&refRID=0H7FGAY4F3JH1H45Y0R6](http://www.amazon.com/Little-Black-Book-Lent-2016-ebook/dp/B01A9U7Y8G/ref=pd_sim_351_1?ie=UTF8&dpID=31EO-OLDInL&dpSrc=sims&preST=_AC_UL160_SR120%2C160_&refRID=0H7FGAY4F3JH1H45Y0R6)

## FIRST SUNDAY MONTHLY MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION

The donation fee is still \$75.00 for the intention year. Intentions will be listed every week in our bulletin on the back page. Intentions for the First Sunday Memorial Association Members will be recognized at the 9:00am Mass on the first Sunday of each month starting March 6<sup>th</sup>. If you need an application, they are available in the parish office.

Please submit your application as soon as possible but **no later than February 18<sup>th</sup>**.

## BAPTISMS

The Catholic Community of St. Jane Frances de Chantal welcomes the following child who was Baptized by Fr. Jerome Slowinski on Saturday, February 6, 2016:



### Quinn Avery Hunter

Parents: Kenneth Hunter, Jr.  
Melanie Vecore Hunter  
Godparents: John Kerr  
Katie Vecore

## THANK GOD FOR LITTLE THINGS

Thank you, God, for little things that often come our way.

The things we take for granted but don't mention when we pray.

The unexpected courtesy, the thoughtful, kindly deed.

A hand reached out to help us in the time of sudden need.

Oh make us more aware, dear God, of little daily graces.

That come to us with "sweet surprise" from never-dreamed-of places.

**Our Cluster Partner**  
**ST. EPHREM CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
38900 Dodge Park, Sterling Heights  
Phone: 586-264-1230 Fax: 586-264-2757  
**Administrator: Fr. Craig Giera**  
**Deacon: Edwin McLeod**

### 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 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

*Jan & Dolores Darner*

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

**PARISH LEADERSHIP  
MEETING**

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18<sup>TH</sup>  
7:00pm-9:30pm**

The Committees will meet at 7:00pm. If you are unable to attend, please contact your chairperson and let them know.

The Parish Council will meet at 8:00pm. If you are unable to attend, please let Fr. Jerry know.

There is time allotted at the start of each Parish Council Meeting for an Open Forum. If you have a suggestion or an issue which you would like to present to the Parish Council, please email Fr. Jerry at ([jws1953@att.net](mailto:jws1953@att.net)). Be sure to include a brief summary or details regarding what you will be talking about. You will be given 5 minutes to address the Council.

**Readings**

**Week of February 14, 2016**

**Sunday**

**First Sunday of Lent**

Dt 26:4-10; Ps 91:1-2, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15; Rom 10:8-13; Lk 4:1-13

**Monday**

Lv 19:1-2, 11-18; Ps 19:8, 9, 10,15; Mt25:31-46

**Tuesday**

Is 55:10-11; Ps 34:4-5,6-7, 16-17, 18-19; Mt 6:7-15

**Wednesday**

Jon 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13,18-19; Lk 11:29-32

**Thursday**

Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8; Mt 7:7-12

**Friday**

Ez 18:21-28; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc8; Mt 5:20-26

**Saturday**

Dt 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8; Mt 5:43-48

**Sunday**

**Second Sunday of Lent**

Gn 15:5-12, 17-18; Ps 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14; Phil 3:17—4:1 or 3:20—4:1; Lk 9:28b-36

**CONGRATULATIONS**

We want to congratulate the following students from our community who attend De La Salle High School for making the Honor Roll.

*Noah Chan, Class of 2018*  
*Aaron Palmeri, Class of 2016*  
*Kyle Wiegand, Class of 2017*  
*Kyle Zammit, Class of 2018*

Keep up the good work!

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Monday, February 15**

No Mass at St. Jane Frances

**Tuesday, February 16**

No Mass at St. Jane Frances

**Wednesday, February 17**

**8:00am** Living — Chung Nguyen (Vanessa)

Living — Joseph Nguyen (Mom)

All Souls (Vanessa Nguyen)

**Thursday, February 18**

**8:00am** Dec. Maria Vu Thi The (Vanessa Nguyen)

All Souls (Vanessa Nguyen)

**Friday, February 19**

No Mass at St. Jane Frances

**Saturday, February 20**

**5:00pm** Dec. Edward Roby (Appleton Family)

Dec. Antony Krull (Family)

Dec. Ron Kotulis (Sister Judy)

Dec. Joseph Nida (Paul & Georgia Osak)

**Sunday, February 21**

**9:00am** Dec. Craig Ankawi (Mom & Dad)

Dec. Anna Maguran (Dave, Joann & Michael)

Dec. Benedetta Vettraino (Daughter)

Living Nikolea Vacaj (Mom)

**11:30am** For the Parishioners

Dec. Genevieve Wilcox (Wilcox Family)

Dec. Daniel Warner (Mom, Dad & Ted)

Healing for Antonio Angco (Family)

**LITURGICAL SCHEDULE — FEBRUARY 20<sup>TH</sup> & FEBRUARY 21<sup>ST</sup>**

	5:00pm	9:00am	11:30am
<b>Presider</b>	Fr. Jerry	Fr. Jerry	Fr. Jerry
<b>Sacristan(s)</b>	Lisa Skoczylas	Selma & Paul Marzec	Judy & Gary Bjornrud
<b>Lector 1</b>	Christopher Darner	Julius D'Ambrosio	Robert Skwara
<b>Lector 2</b>	Bill Burr	Brian Enck	John Czarski
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Lucas Jeffrey	Team Havern	Mary Burley
	Danielle Erickson	Team Havern	Kathaleen Burley
	Amanda Dufoor	Team Havern	Jasmine Abuel
<b>Ushers</b>	Team 3	Assigned	Team 1
<b>Music Leader</b>	Jeanette	Virginia	Greg



Tuesday, 6:00pm,  
Novena to the Mother  
of Perpetual Help & Rosary  
Join us in the Church

**WEEKDAY LECTOR SCHEDULE**

**Tuesday, February 16  
NO MASS**

**Wednesday, February 17 @ 8:00am  
Mike Scavo**

**Thursday, February 18 @ 8:00am  
Joe Boland**





Sunday, February 7, 2016

Weekly Obligation: \$11,900.00

Registered Families.....1482
Envelopes Returned.....433
Amount Offered.....\$11,673.38
Loose Offering.....\$652.28

Online Giving:
Contributors.....70
Contributions.....\$3,588.00

Special Collection:
Solemnity of Mary.....\$25.00
Easter Flowers.....\$35.00

Total Offerings.....\$15,973.66

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL (CSA)

If you made a pledge, please honor it. Any amount under the goal that is not met will have to come out of the Church account.

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. Please visit our parish website at:

www.sifparish.org

to sign-up for Online Giving. Contact Jody Gazo at jgazosjfp@parish@gmail.com or 586-977-8080, ext. 101 with any questions.

Thank you!

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For our parishioners who have Celiac Disease we now have procedures in place to help you celebrate the Eucharist with your parish family. For more information or to take part, please contact Maureen Blair,

586-977-8080 or by email maureenblair.stjane@gmail.com



TOGETHER LET US PRAY...

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

Antonio Angco
Theresa Bauer
Marge Bellus
Maureen Blair
James Brown
Vicki Chrzanowski
Salvatore DeAngelo
Anna DiDonato
Kevin Dufoor
Pam Evanzia
Shirley Fasczewski
Scott Gould
Cindy Graham
Mary Ann Joly

James Klassen
Jane Klik
Joan Knapp
Pat Kniola
Frances Kraft
Gary Kubicki
Ed Kuhle
John LaRocca
Jeffrey Leonardi
Joann Lichocki
Rosa Maiani
Addison Mathews
Charlotte Miles
William Navalta

Virginia Norton
Kathleen Pawlik
Matthew Pawlik
Helen Perliskey
Anita Pitlock
Amy Zachwieja Raggio
Magdalena Reinhardt
Marlene Rokicki
Olivia Rokicki
Jerome Szymanski
Barbara Van Maldeghem
Daniel Van Acker
Mel Werner
Don G. Wisniewski

Please pray for the men and women serving our country in the Armed Services that they may return home safely to family and friends. Remember particularly:

Richard Brown
Christopher Burley
Robert Bain
Eric Ciplakovic
Eric Dillard
Lisa Drake
Joshua Hebert

Greg Hjelle
Zack Hoover
Louis B. Kasper, III
Paul Koss
Curtis McCoy
Matthew McDowell
Donovan John Miller

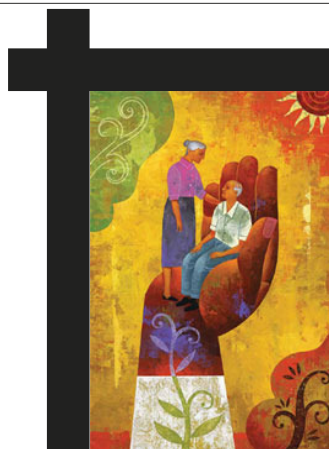
Danielle Marie
Minichello
Eric Olson
Heather Ann Reo
Scot Skoczylas
Sean Slattery
Allison Steward
Carl Winowiecki

Praying the Way of the Cross In Times of Illness

Followed by

Anointing of the Sick (Sacrament for Catholics)

Wednesday, March 9th 2:00pm



The Way of the Cross for Caregivers

Thursday, February 25th, 6:30pm

At the conclusion of our time in prayer, our Health Ministry Team will be available to share resources and to help answer some of your healthcare questions. Please join us for these special prayer opportunities. Contact the parish office if you need more info.