



TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

ST. JANE FRANCES de CHANTAL PARISH

Sterling Heights, MI 48310

September 25, 2016

MASS WITH ANOINTING
TUESDAY,
SEPTEMBER 27TH
7:30pm



Jerry-atics
Fr. Jerry Slowinski
ext. 102
Pastor

As announced at all the Masses last weekend, Ben Klassen has taken on the position of Director of Faith Formation here at St. Jane Frances in addition to his responsibilities as Youth Ministry Coordinator. The Director of Faith Formation fulfills a vital role in the life of a parish in that he is responsible for the catechetical program (religious instruction) for the children and youth

MERCY IN ACTION DAY
SATURDAY,
OCTOBER 1ST
8:00am

of our faith community. Additionally, Ben's responsibilities include supporting and serving as a resource person for the catechists and volunteers who are part of the catechetical ministry. The Director of Faith Formation also assesses, evaluates and makes recommendations to parish leadership related to the overall strength of our faith formation program for children. The fact that we did not have to go "outside" the parish to find a new Director of Faith Formation is an added bonus in that Ben provides continuity and stability for our Faith Formation Program as we begin a new year of faith formation for the youth of our parish. There was a concern on my part that bringing in someone from the outside the parish to administrate Faith Formation would be a daunting and perhaps overwhelming task. In addition to not having to negotiate a sharp learning curve by coming in "cold" as an outsider, Ben also brings a knowledge of the multi dimensions of catechesis and has excellent communication and interpersonal skills as well as the ability to work well with parents, students and staff. I hope that you will join me in welcoming and congratulating Ben as he takes the reins of his new responsibilities.

RIGHT TO LIFE BABYSHOWER
STARTS
OCTOBER 1ST
AND RUNS
THROUGH THE
MONTH OF
OCTOBER



We now turn our full attention to the search for a new Director of Music. The pastoral staff of St. Jane Frances met last week to discuss the job description for the position which is presently vacant. I would anticipate that in the very near future we will be posting a finalized job description on the Archdiocese of Detroit website. We have already received some inquiries and resumes even before officially putting the word out (the grapevine among musicians is nothing short of amazing). Once we have sifted through the resumes, we will then contact the qualified candidates, schedule interviews and afford them the opportunity to demonstrate their musical abilities. Hiring a new Director of Music may be a bit more complicated. People who work in the church ordinarily switch jobs, or move into new positions in the spring. This allows them the entire summer to get to know the names, faces and personalities of those they will be working in close contact with. There is no way of knowing, at this point in time, how many qualified musicians/directors of music, are open to making a move as we transition from summer to autumn. As things progress you will be updated on the progress we are making in this regard. The best thing we can do at this time is to ask the Holy Spirit to guide us in this endeavor in order to make sure that we find a suitable candidate. If this means having to go through a period of instability for a time before settling on one person then we are prepared to do so. Ideally, we will find someone sooner rather than later. The coming weeks will serve to provide us an answer as to how things will unfold.

BLESSING OF PETS
SUNDAY,
OCTOBER 2ND
1:00pm



**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
Pastor	

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Copy deadline is Tuesday at 10:00am.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday, thru 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	
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

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, September 26
6:00pm Faith Formation Classes,
Grades K-6
7:00pm Intercessory Prayer Team Mtg.

Tuesday, September 27
4:30pm Faith Formation Classes,
Grades K-6

6:00pm Rosary
6:00pm-7:00pm Confessions
6:30pm Faith Formation Classes,
Grades 7 & 8
7:30pm Mass with Anointing with
Intercessory Prayers after
Mass

Wednesday, September 28

8:00am Mass
9:30am Needle Crafters
6:00pm Needle Crafters
6:00pm Bike Club at Paint Creek
Trail

Thursday, September 29

8:00am Mass
1:00pm Swiffers, Team 3
6:00pm Wedding Rehearsal
6:30pm Six Weeks With the Bible

Friday, September 30
8:30am-4:00pm Engaging the Young
Church Conference, Off-Site

Saturday, October 1

Right to Life Baby Shower
8:00am-2:00pm Mercy in Action Day
8:30am-4:00pm Engaging the Young
Church Conference, Off-Site
2:00pm Wedding
3:30pm Instruments in Praise
Rehearsal
5:00pm Mass with Instruments in
Praise

Sunday, October 2

Right to Life Baby Shower
9:00am Mass
11:00am Grief Ministry
11:30am Mass
1:00pm Blessing of Pets
6:00pm 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

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."



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



An Invitation from Archbishop Vigneron

September 2016

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

In introducing a new rally cry this year to *Unleash the Gospel*, we acknowledge that we have, indeed, been held back from fulfilling our mission as disciples of Christ in the Archdiocese of Detroit. Before this November's Synod, I felt it important that we deeply and seriously reflect on the sinfulness that has kept us as a People of God apart from our Lord, and repent for this.

At 7 p.m. on Friday, October 7, the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary, we will host an archdiocesan Mass for Pardon at the Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament. Within the Mass, we will pray a Litany of Pardon, and I will come personally before God to repent on behalf of the Archdiocese for the sins committed over the generations by our bishops, our priests, our lay ministers, our institutions, and all the faithful — sins which, all too often, have become embedded in our church-culture.

This will be a public moment of repentance, but one also that can and should have a personal effect on every Catholic in our Archdiocese. Our late Holy Father, St. John Paul II, modeled for us this act of repentance when he led the Universal Church in a "Day of Forgiveness" at the beginning of Jubilee 2000. The Mass for Pardon is to be a cornerstone in our local observance of the Jubilee Year of Mercy, and an occasion of repentance and humility for every member of the Archdiocese. Just as the Sacrament of Confession gives us the sanctifying grace to reach new levels in our relationship with God, this act of repentance is a vital step in our imploring the Holy Spirit to grant us all the graces of a New Pentecost in our Archdiocese.

In God's unfathomable wisdom, He gave us, sinners though we are, the responsibility of spreading the Good News, knowing that in our humanity we would err — but promising us deliverance from sin and death with our heartfelt repentance. In this spirit, I invite you to attend the Mass for Pardon, but more importantly to unite with me in this prayer for forgiveness in your own way. It may be by offering a rosary, or a day of fasting, visiting the Door of Mercy at the Cathedral, or receiving the Sacrament of Penance at your own parish.

Grateful for your faithfulness and united with you through our patron saint, Saint Anne, and her daughter, Our Lady of the Rosary, I remain,

Sincerely yours in Christ,

The Most Rev. Allen H. Vigneron
Archbishop of Detroit

**TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**

The sin of the rich man in today's parable was not that he was rich, but that he failed to share his wealth with the beggar at his gate. He knew Lazarus, perhaps walked by him every time he came in or out, but did nothing to relieve his suffering. Is there a Lazarus in my life? What am I doing to help?

In today's Gospel story, Jesus reminds us that the way we live our lives will decide whether or not we share everlasting happiness with Him at the end of time.

The Book of Proverbs tells us:

- Whenever you get the chance to help someone, do it willingly. Never turn someone away until tomorrow, when you can do a good deed today (Proverbs 3:27-29)



Copy and cut out the two figures, the house, path, and some palm trees. After coloring these separately, stick them onto a large sheet of paper and encourage children to fill in the background.



**CHILDREN'S LITURGY
OF THE WORD UPDATE**



Children's Liturgy of the Word is for young children. They are invited to participate in the Liturgy of the Word at an age-appropriate level at the 11:30am Mass. The children gather near the altar following the Opening Prayer and are led to the chapel where adults lead them in the proclamation of the Word, discussion, and activities relating to the Scripture Readings for the day. Through this ministry, children can experience God's Word in language they can understand and have it opened to them in creative ways. We are still in need of a few leaders to make this program available. Leaders receive the materials in advance and prepare the readings and activities for the children. They work in teams of two and the commitment to lead is about once a month. Leaders need to work well with young children and will need to be Safe Environment certified. If you are interested in helping out with this amazing ministry or have any questions, please contact the Parish Office at 586-977-8080. Thank you!

**Intercessory Prayer Team
Advancing the New Evangelization**

Just a reminder that we have an Intercessory Prayer Team dedicated to praying for the needs of our parishioners. We have a group of very powerful pray-ers who meet twice each month to pray together for your intentions. When we aren't praying as a group, we remember you and your intentions in our personal daily prayers. In addition to these we pray for the requests submitted by our Faith Formation students and teachers, those on our Parish Sick List, our Military Service Personnel, and many others. Your prayer intentions can be placed in the Intercessory Prayer Box located near the Tabernacle or send your prayers via email to maureenblair.stjane@gmail.com. Such a beautiful experience praying together, calling on the Holy Spirit to guide us and to give us the words necessary to intercede for others. It is a very graced and blessed gathering for all involved. Also, you will see members of the prayer team at the Tuesday evening anointing Mass, laying on hands as Fr. Jerry anoints those who have come for the sacrament. After these Masses people can request to be prayed over by the prayer team. Please keep an eye out for pray-ers as we hope to become a very visible part of the New Evangelization in revitalizing our own prayer, your prayer, and the effects that prayer can have!!!

If you would like to become a member of this team, you are invited to join us as we gather on the second Monday of each month at 1:30pm and the fourth Monday at 7:00pm. in Room B. We need many pray-ers!! We need to really get energized over this!! The world is crying out for us! If you are interested in joining this team, please contact Maureen Blair at maureenblair.stjane@gmail.com. or at 586.977.8080, x 104.



BLESSING OF PETS

**Sunday, October 2nd
1:00pm**

**Church parking lot,
near the garage**

Bring your furry, feathered, and fishy friends!

"We are all creatures of one family."



Ben Klassen
Ext. 108

Youth Minister Coordinator

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FALL SCHEDULE

If you (a teen) play a sport, are in the band, are a cheerleader, or participate in any of the numerous other extracurricular activities offered by your school, let us know! If you'd like, we (the youth ministry adult team) can come see you perform/play/compete, etc. once we know your schedule! Let us know when your activities are and we will do what we can to come support YOU!



YOUTH MINISTRY GATHERING

Sunday nights from 6:00pm-8:30pm
For all 9th-12th graders!

Enter through Door #4
in the Circle Drive

Bring a friend or two and check us out!

Come to have fun!



STEWARDSHIP

ST. JANE FRANCES BIKE CLUB

Who: Anyone who wants to join others for a non-competitive bicycle ride is invited to come out to one of the Bike Club's upcoming rides! Anyone under 18 needs to attend with a parent or guardian. They ride around various trails in the area; check out the schedule below for where and where. The rides start 15 minutes after the gather time. Typically, you can just show up (if not, it will be noted on the list). **You must wear a helmet!** Please bring bug spray, sunscreen, water, or anything else you would need.



REMINDER: For reminders of where the ride is at or notifications due to weather changes, etc., please sign-up for our Remind Group by texting @sjfbike to 81010 or email sjfbike@mail.remind.com to sign-up. You can unsubscribe at any time.

UPCOMING RIDES:

Wednesday, September 28th—Ride the Paint Creek Trail at 6:15pm (Gather at 6:00pm at the Rochester Municipal Park)

Wednesday, October 5th—Ride at Dodge Park at 6:15pm (Gather at 6:00pm at the Main Entrance Cinder Block restrooms)

Wednesday, October 12th—Ride through downtown Royal Oak at 6:15pm (Meet at 6:00pm in the St. Mary's parking lot)

Saturday, October 22nd—LAST RIDE OF THE SEASON—Ride the Paint Creek Trail at 10:00am (Gather at 9:45am at the Rochester Municipal Park). We are planning on stopping at the cider mill on this ride so bring money if you would like to buy something to eat or drink.

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.

LENTEN FISH FRY FUNDRAISER APPLICATIONS

We have started taking applications for the 2017 Lenten Fish Frys. They can be found in the Parish Office or on the parish website. Groups can fill out an application form to host a Fish Fry for a specific purpose that they are allocating the funds for. The applications will be taken to the Finance Council for approval of the Fundraiser and to the Stewardship Commission. The approved applications help determine how many Fish Frys we have each Lent. If you have any questions, please contact Tara Stenger at tfinn_sjf@yahoo.com or 586-977-8080, ext. 107. Thank you!

BOWLING NIGHT



The Stewardship Commission is planning a Bowling Night for Saturday, November 5th at Troy Lanes (19 Mile & John R). The evening would start at 8:30pm and would include 3 games of bowling (9 Pin No-Tap), shoes, and food for \$16.00 per person. Please stop in the parish office or download the registration form from the parish website to sign-up **by Sunday, October 16th**! Spaces will be filled in order of registration. If you have any questions, please contact Tara at tfinn_sjf@yahoo.com or 586-977-8080, ext. 107. Thank you!

TRUNKS OF TREATS



This year we will be doing our Trunks of Treats celebration with St. Ephrem parish at the end of October! Check future bulletins for more details.





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Does your marriage need help?

Retrouvaille (pronounced *retro-vi* with a long i) is a Christian Peer Ministry focused on reaching out to hurting couples longing for renewal and hope.

Metro Detroit has multiple English and Spanish programs scheduled for 2016, each beginning with a weekend on the following dates: October 14th-16th (Spanish), and October 28th-30th

(English).

For more information or to register, please see our website: helpourmarriage.com or call 1-800-470-2230. Scholarships are available so don't let cost keep you from attending.

Pregnancy and Infant Loss Mass

When: Sunday, October 9th, at 11:00am-12:30pm



What: Come join us in prayer to support those desiring a baby and remembering those who have been lost. At the service:

- A blessing will be given to married couples who desire a baby
- A prayer will be offered for families who have lost a pregnancy

Contact: Please RSVP to pregnancymass@aod.org or call 313-237-4679. Contact us:

- If you would like a blessing for desiring a pregnancy
- The name of the baby, infant, or child who died.

Why: October is National Pregnancy and Infant Loss Awareness Month.

Where:

Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament
9844 Woodward Ave., Detroit, MI 48202

VOCATION CONNECTION: The Traveling Chalice

Parishioners are invited to sign up to take the Traveling Chalice home and pray each evening (or a different time of day if that works for you) for a week. There are prayers included that you can use or you can create your own! We are mainly praying for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Individuals, couples, and families can sign up for this awesome experience! If you would like to participate in *The Traveling Chalice Program*, you can sign up in the Gathering Space. If you have other questions, please contact Ray at 586-979-7879.



“Mercy in Action Day of Service”

October 1, 2016



One more week and Mercy In Action Day will be a reality!! Thank you for everyone's support of this project!!

TAGS—During the past 2 weeks, in our Gathering space, we have had tags for the Mercy in Action Day of Service. **Please return the tags for the troops with your donation to the office no later than Monday September 26th.** THANK YOU to everyone who took a tag and for your generous donations! Through your generosity, we will be able to help with the expenses of the coffeehouse, provide candy to Seminarians to pass out to children in Detroit and fill 250 boxes for our servicemen.

FALL CLEAN-UP — If you know someone (senior or disabled) who could use some assistance in their yard for fall clean up, there are **“Client Service Project Forms”** available in the gathering space and the parish office. Please turn these into the parish office no later than **Monday September 26th**, so we can schedule our volunteers for October 1st.

VOLUNTEERS ON OCTOBER 1ST — For those who volunteered to help with hospitality, registration, packing boxes for the troops or fall clean up, the itinerary for Saturday is as follows:

- 8:00am-8:30am — Check-in, receive shirt, and continental breakfast
- 8:30am — Opening prayer
- 9:00am-12:00pm — Mercy in Action projects (i.e., packing boxes)
- 12:30pm — Arrive at Our Lady of Czestochowa for lunch, closing prayer and reflection/evaluation of Mercy in Action day

GIVING CRIB—The Giving Crib will again be located in the church gathering space beginning October 1st through the entire month of October. We will have tags suggesting layette and maternity items that are most needed. If you choose not to select a tag, the gift of your own choosing will be happily received. There is also a need for cash donations. Any and all gifts, new or gently used, will be accepted.

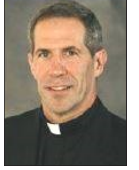
As this is the year of Mercy, we are hopeful that October 1st will be an exceptional Day of Mercy as we continue to be Disciples of Christ.

We are the hands and feet of Jesus, lets continue to do His work.

YOUNG ADULTS

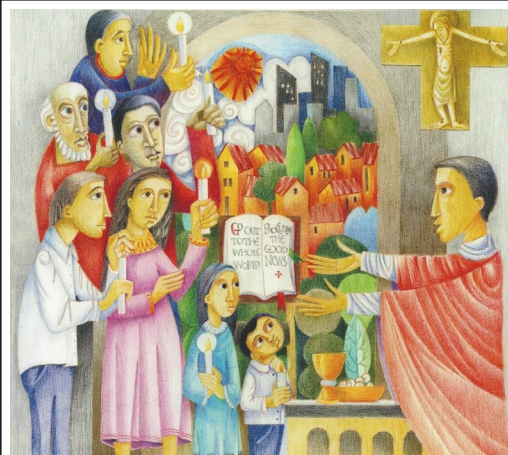
PILGRIMAGE WITH BISHOP BYRNES

All young adults are invited on an All Saints' Day Pilgrimage with Bishop Byrnes to Washington D.C. This pilgrimage takes place within the Year of Mercy, presenting a unique opportunity to unite and to witness in Christian solidarity! Space is limited. The cost is \$239 per person. To reserve your spot on this 1-day tour of Washington D.C. Call their office at 313-565-8888, ext. 122 to speak with a representative or book online at www.ctscentral.net: Trip Code 11965, Group Code 3163



YOUNG ADULT FALL RETREAT

The Agape Fall Retreat is October 21, 2016 at 6:30pm – October 23, 2016 at 5:00pm at the Capuchin Retreat Center (62460 Mt Vernon Rd, Washington, MI 48094). Do not miss this amazing opportunity and take a chance to recharge from your busy Fall. Our theme this year is "Where is God in humanity?" How we encounter God in many different experiences and how we can recognize Him in all aspects of life. The retreat includes: Adoration, private Reconciliation, Mass, peer witness talks, small group discussion, amazing worship music, and spiritual directors on staff for you at NO charge. Plus free time, great food, time with other young adults. The cost is \$75 for students or \$100.00 for non-student young adults. Each participant receives their own private room. Please do not let money be an issue in attending the retreat. Contact Kim Boismier with any questions or concerns at 248-906-8571. Registration is at this link: <https://agapecommunity.net/retreats>



**From Mass to Mission:
Understanding the Mass
and Its Significance for Our Christian Life**

*Liturgy Day Retreat
for Liturgical Ministers
and Interested Parishioners*

**Saturday, October 8, 2016, 9:00am - 1:00pm
Fr. Leon Page Activity Center**

All are invited!!! How does participating in the Mass help to strengthen our discipleship? How does it prepare us to go out into the world bringing ourselves and others into relationship with Jesus?

In *From Mass to Mission: Understanding the Mass and Its Significance for Our Christian Life* we read that ever since the Lord's Death and Resurrection, His followers have gathered on the Lord's Day "in small groups or large, in spaces that are soaring and grand or modest and humble, ... to share this holy meal together. For Catholics, this is the celebration of the Mass. We leave home. We gather with friends and strangers. We enact a predictable ritual, and we change in unpredictable ways. We place all the events of the past week inside that Mass to offer them for the glory of God. We prepare for the duties of the coming week and seek their sanctification. We discard from our lives what keeps us from Christ, and we retain what makes us good disciples."

For many people, going to Sunday Mass is simply something they "do" as good Catholics. Keeping the Lord's Day holy is something they were taught as children, and attending Mass is simply matter of fact. But even if you're very committed to participating, it's easy to get out of touch with the wonder and gift of it all, and the ways in which we are changed unpredictably. Come to a new or renewed understanding of how the Mass can empower you in your discipleship!!

This retreat day is part of the continuing education of our liturgical ministers. We ask all liturgical ministers (servers in 8th grade and up, lectors, EMHC's, sacristans, MoH/Ushers, music ministers, altar-linen caregivers to plan on attending this retreat. Please RSVP by October 2nd to the parish office your plans to attend. Participant booklets will be provided. Light breakfast refreshments and lunch will be provided. Contact Maureen Blair with any questions at 977-8080, ext. 104 or maureenblair.stjane@gmail.com



Throughout the jubilee year, Holy Doors are opened at the Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Detroit, and cathedrals throughout the world. Faithful who make a pilgrimage and pass through a Holy Door receive a plenary indulgence.

"The Holy Door will become a Door of Mercy through which anyone who enters will experience the love of God who consoles, pardons, and instills hope." - Pope Francis, *Misericordiae Vultus*, 3.

First Friday of every month: 9:00am - 2:00pm; Sunday afternoons: 1:00pm - 3:00pm
All Saints Day: 10:00am - 6:30pm (*Join us for Mass at 7:00pm*)

This is a self-guided pilgrimage.



**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

The Mezzapelle 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.

Low-Gluten Hosts available

For our parishioners who have Celiacs 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



**Now he has found
consolation here,
but you have found
TORTURE.**

Readings
Week of September 25, 2016

Sunday
Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Am 6:1a, 4-7; Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10;
1 Tm 6:11-16; Lk 16:19-31

Monday
Jb 1:6-22; Ps 17:1bcd, 2-3, 6-7; Lk 9:46-50

Tuesday
Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23; Ps 88:2-3, 4-5, 6, 7-8; Lk 9:51-56

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

Thursday
Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a; Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 4-5; Jn 1:47-51

Friday
Jb 38:1, 12-21, 40:3-5; Ps 139:1-3, 7-8, 9-10, 13-14ab; Lk 10:13-16

Saturday
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
Hb 1:2-3, 2:2-4--; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; 2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14; Lk 17:5-10

MARRIAGE BANNS

III

Michael Gura & Lauren Wolf

II

*Brian Miska & Megan Bielat
Brett Cory & Ann Marie Srodon*

MASS INTENTIONS

- Monday, September 26**
No Mass at St. Jane Frances
- Tuesday, September 27**
7:30pm Dec. Joanne Tuzinowski (Husband Marvin)
- Wednesday, September 28**
8:00am Dec. Christine Schlueter (Sister Bernie)
Dec. Gary Gleich (Mary Ann, Sarah, Todd, Susan & Jon)
- Thursday, September 29**
8:00am Dec. Sarah Flum (Aunt Bernie)
Dec. Trevor Flum (Aunt Bernie)
- Friday, September 30**
No Mass at St. Jane Frances
- Saturday, October 1**
5:00pm Dec. Frieda Kaufmann 3rd Anniversary (Richard & Cindy Kaufmann)
Dec. Joseph Tutro (Nancy & Dennis Lippert)
Dec. Dorothy Tutro (Nancy & Dennis Lippert)
Dec. Robert Agents (Nancy & Dennis Lippert)
- Sunday, October 2**
9:00am First Sunday Memorial Association Members For the Parishioners
Dec. Marsha Olson (Family)
Dec. Joseph & Harriet Florek (Sylvia & Jerry Soldatek)
- 11:30am** Dec. Karen Taylor (Tom & Judy Taylor)
Dec. Virginia Lewandowski (Family)
Dec. Paul Patton (St. Jane Frances Ushers)
Living — Dennis & Joann Lichocki
40th Wedding Anniversary

*Whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes Me,
and whoever welcomes Me welcomes not Me but the one who sent Me.
— Mark 9:37*

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE — OCTOBER 1 ST & OCTOBER 2 ND			
	5:00pm	9:00am	11:30am
Presider	Fr. Jerry	Fr. Jerry	Fr. Jerry
Sacristan(s)	Tim & Karen Pawlik	Dick & Nancy Volpe	Mike Burley
Lector 1	Dale Erickson	Brian Brennan	Jan Machusak
Lector 2	Lisa Erickson	Franny Havern	Robert Skwara
Altar Servers	Tim Wainz	Amanda Belz	Mary Burley
	Amanda Dufoor	Samantha Belz	Kathaleen Burley
	Kayla Pickens	Raymond Benvenuti	Julia Ortmann
Ushers	Team 1	Assigned	Team 2
Music Leader	TBA	TBA	TBA

WEEKDAY LECTOR SCHEDULE

- Tuesday, September 27th @ 7:30pm**
Mary Minjeur
(Anointing Mass in Church)
- Wednesday, September 28th, @ 8:00am**
Joe Boland
- Thursday, September 29th, @ 8:00am**
Tom Kraniak



Sunday, September 18, 2016
Weekly Obligation: \$12,237.00
Registered Families.....1479
Envelopes Returned.....365
Amount Offered.....\$8,880.25
Loose Offering.....\$674.00

Online Giving:
Contributors.....67
Contributions.....\$2,118.00

Total Offerings.....\$11,672.25

Special Collection:
Priest Retirement fund.....\$1,645.00
Assumption of Mary.....\$5.00



TOGETHER LET US PRAY...

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

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| Maureen Blair | Cindy Graham | Charlotte Miles |
| Judith Brisson | Scott Harris | William Navalta |
| James Brown | Arnold Jarboe | Kathleen Pawlik |
| Sam Castelli | Mary Ann Joly | Matthew Pawlik |
| Sandy Castelli | Nada Khayat | Helen Perliskey |
| Vicki Chrzanowski | James Klassen | Anita Pitlock |
| Bernie Colasanti, Jr. | Joan Knapp | Frank Polizzi |
| Salvatore DeAngelo | Bernard Kosnik | Amy Zachwieja Raggio |
| Anna DiDonato | Frances Kraft | Marlene Rokicki |
| Kevin Dufoor | Walter Kronner | Olivia Rokicki |
| Pam Evanzia | Gary Kubicki | Chet Rudzewicz |
| Shirley Fasczewski | Jeffrey Leonardi | Daniel Van Acker |
| James Friedmann | Nuala Lynch | Mel Werner |
| Charles Grade | Addison Mathews | 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:

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| Robert Bain | Zack Hoover | Danielle Marie Minichello |
| Richard Brown | Louis B. Kasper, III | Eric Olson |
| Christopher Burley | Paul Koss | Scot Skoczylas |
| Emir Ciplakovic | Curtis McCoy | Sean Slattery |
| Eric Dillard | Matthew McDowell | Allison Steward |
| Lisa Drake | Donovan John Miller | Carl Winowiecki |
| Joshua Hebert | | |

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL

Thank you for helping us reach our goal.

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.

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IN SYMPATHY

The Community of St. Jane Frances de Chantal expresses support and prayers to the family of the one who has died this past week:

Patrick G. Fortier
 Husband of Theresa
 Father of Raymond Fortier and Doris Allen

May his soul and the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.

Amen.

MARRIAGE

The Catholic Community of St. Jane Frances de Chantal congratulates the following couple on the celebration of their union in the Sacrament of Marriage on Saturday, September 10th:



Mr. & Mrs. Brandyn & Leah (Jezak) Fecteau

Celebrant: Fr. Jerome Slowinski
Witnesses: Cory Jezak, Katie Jezak
Sponsor Couple: Ray & Linda Fortier

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 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