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End of Summer BBQ

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15 DOORS OPEN 5:30 DINNER AT 6:00

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7:00-9:00pm

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Menu:

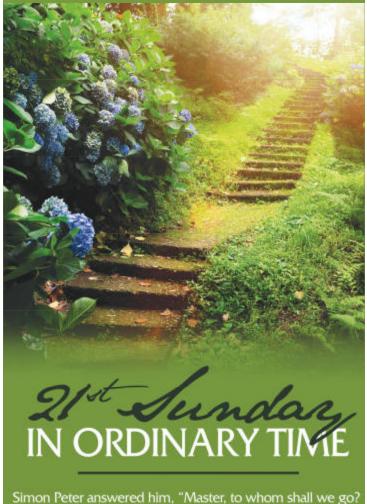
BBQ chicken, Ribs, Mac 'n cheese, Baked Beans, Cole Slaw, Rolls, Peach Cobbler, Coffee, Tea, Pop

Cash Bar Beer & Wine Available 50/50 Raffle

Western Attire optional!
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*Tickets now available in the office or in the gathering space after Mass.





You have the words of eternal life." - In 6:68

Parish Mission Statement

The Parish of St. Mary, Cause of Our Joy, inspired by Mary's "Yes" and led by the Holy Spirit, strives to be a faith-filled community, joyfully welcoming all to witness and to celebrate the Gospel.



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St. Mary, Cause of Our Joy

Office Hours

Monday to Thursday: 8:00am-4:00pm 8:00am-Noon Friday:

Mass Schedule

MON, THURS & FRI 8:30 am

12:00 Noon **WED**

4:30 pm SAT

> 8:00 am 10:00 am

12:00 Noon

Confession

Saturdays: 3:30pm

Baptisms

Please call our Parish Office during regular business hours. Parish membership and preparation class required.

Marriage

Arrangements must be made registered parishioner at least six months in advance to allow sufficient time for instructions and preparation.

Anointing of Sick and Ministry to Homebound

Our pastor, deacon or lay ministers are available to visit upon request.

RCIA

(Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

For those interested in becoming a full member of the Catholic Church. Please call the office.

Report Sexual Abuse for any child or adult:

Call AOD victim assistance 1-866-343-8055 or Call the Michigan Department of Human Services at: 855-444-3911 any time

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If there are any names that can be removed from our Prayer List, please let us know by calling 734-425-4421

READINGS for September 6

2nd Reading: James 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27 1st Reading: Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-8 Resp. Psalm: The one who does justice Gospel: Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

will live in the presence of the Lord.

OUR ACTIVE DUTY SERVICE MEMBERS

CMDR Theron R. Korsak, U.S. Navy; CPT Joey Saunders, U.S. Marines; Joseph David Onadia, U.S. Navy; PVT Marcus Rodriguez, U.S. Army; SMSGT Terence Zelek, U.S. Air Force

Hearing devices are available for use during Mass. Please see our music director in the choir area.

Bulletin Articles due by 9 am on Monday (5 days prior to publication). Submitted bulletin content is subject to approval.

From the Pastor's Desk

In the past few weeks, our Church has once again (or still?) been suffering through the pain and agony of a crisis that we all must feel in the depths of our hearts and souls. First the revelation of the actions of former Cardinal McCarrick, former member of the hierarchy of the Church in the US, and more recently, the report of the Attorney General of Pennsylvania shake us into the reality of the sinfulness of our Church. We are reminded of how the leadership of our Church has not only let us down, but allowed heinous atrocities to occur, harming thousands of young people and their families over many decades. I for one am angered, hurt and ashamed. This is the Church that I love, that we all love, and in the name of "saving" the Church these abuses were allowed to occur and to continue. Let us pray for those hurt by this abuse.

Now is a time for a conversion within our Church. Especially we leaders, the bishops and priests, must bring our hearts and our lives closer to the Lord. Pope Francis has asked us to be more devoted to prayer and penance. I ask you all to join me in praying for our Church, which is governed by imperfect humans.

Fr. Ken

Coffee Sunday



Meet and get to know more of your parish family members in the Social Hall after 10am Mass.

Sunday, September 9

If you would like to donate homemade cupcakes, cookies or other goodies for the above date, please contact:

Don & Kathy Yokley at: 734-335-6670

Greetings and Salutations,

This week I would like to ask the Parish to keep in your prayers the wonderful men and women who make up the Catechetical team for the 2018-2019 school year. We are very blessed at Saint Mary, COOJ, to have these wonderful Catechist's share their knowledge of Faith with our children. If there are any "high schoolers" interested in assisting in any of our grades, please contact me for details.

Meeting for Catechist's on Monday, September 17th at 6:30p.m. Faith Formation Classes resume on Monday, September 24th at 6:00p.m.

Just for laughs...Apple and Orange were searching for their friend Banana.

Apple said to Orange, "keep your eyes peeled." LOL!!! Have a great week everyone and remember let the SONshine in! Peace and Prayers,

Sabrina



This week we celebrate the feast days of two great saints; on Monday the 27th is St Monica, followed on Tuesday the 28th by her son St Augustine. In the present we recognize St Augustine as a Doctor of the Church because of his writings on our faith, but in his youth he was better known for his wild life. According to tradition, St Monica spent many sleepless nights praying for

her son. Whether it is a child, grandchild, a sibling or even a close friend I think that is something that many of us could identify with even today. Even if at times it seems like the person will never change don't despair. God listened to St Monica, and he will listen to you. Your loved one might not become the next Bishop of Hippo, and you honestly might not even see the change in your life time, but that does not mean that your prayers do not help.

Father, I and the entire leadership team at St Mary are also praying for you and your loved ones. Sometimes because you have asked for specific prayer intentions, sometimes just because you are members of our parish family. My hope is that you are also praying for our family too. I know that both I and the larger Church can use the help.

Paul Zbytowski

MARK YOUR CALENDARS! ALL YOU CAN EAT

Pancake & French Toast Breakfast

WILL RETURN: SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16 8:30am to NOON Saint Mary, Cause of Our Joy Social Hall

COST: \$3 Adults \$1.50 Children ages 2 to 10

MENU: Pancakes, French Toast, Ham, Sausage, Scrambled Eggs, Applesauce, Tea, Coffee, Milk, & Juice

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Forever Young Seniors...

Our next meeting will be the annual **Picnic in the Park** on Monday, September 10th at the Westland Farmers Market, 1901 N. Carlson St., Westland. The picnic starts at 10:00am until 3:00pm and includes games, prizes and a box lunch. **You must purchase a ticket for the picnic by Tuesday, Sept 4th.** Tickets are available by contacting Katie Bohr 734-718-5974. Cost is \$10.00.

Please keep all of our ill members in your prayers.

We have some wonderful bus trips coming up:

Turkeyville NunSense Amen!

(sold out, call for wait list)
Wed, Oct 17th
9:30am – 6:30pm
\$76 **due by Sept 17**th

Firekeepers Casino

Thurs, Nov 8th 9:15am – 5:45pm \$37 **due by Oct 25**th

Croswell Opera House

"The Wizard of Oz"
Sunday, Dec 9th 10:15am – 7:00pm
\$82 <u>due by Nov 9th</u>

The bus trips are open to everyone.

Please call me 734-525-3737 for

reservations and more details.

Copies of the flyers are available in the back of Church or at the Parish

Office during regular business hours.

Make checks payable to Bianco and mail to me at 8843 Linville, Livonia, MI 48150

Maryann Sligay



It was JOY to welcome into the family of God:

Brooklynn Margaret Schaefer

Parents: Sean & Jennifer (Beehler) Schaefer

HOLY NAME FRATERNITY

ALL men of our parish are reminded to make your reservation now at stpaulretreat.org, or 313-535-9563. Just \$30 registration fee assures you of a comfortable room for September 28-30, at St. Paul of the Cross Retreat Center. Also included: warm hospitality; pleasant setting; great food; prayerful chapel; and, most importantly, a very spiritual weekend. Questions: talk with Doug Cyr; Dan Kavetsky; or Don Yokley at church. Holy Name Fraternity is a co-sponsor of this great weekend. Oh, and if your wife is concerned that she is missing out: a similar weekend is scheduled for women of our parish on October 26. Women talk to Katie Bohr (more information to come).

Paul Markus

Save The Date VENDORS SHOW

Mark your calendars for our second parish Vendors show on: FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 9th 6:00pm-9:00pm

Parish Social Hall VENDORS WANTED

Table rental is available. \$30 for a 6 ft. table \$45 for a 12 ft. table

Please call the office at 734-425-4421 for more information

ARCHDIOCESE AND COMMUNITY NEWS

Resurrection Parish

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9:00 am: Coffee & Goodies
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- Fall Series – (September 21-December 14)

September 21st The Birth of Christianity

September 28th The Religious World of Early Christianity

October 5th The Historical Jesus

October 12th Oral and Written Traditions about Jesus

October 19th New Testament Manuscripts



Join our St. Vincent de Paul as we walk in Solidarity as Friends of the Poor

What: Friends of the Poor Walk **When**: Saturday, September 29th

Where: Belle Isle – 2 Inselruhe Ave, Detroit, MI 48207 *\$11 State Park Recreation Pass required for vehicle

(can be purchased on site)

Time: Check-in at 9:00 a.m. Walk begins at 10:00 a.m.

Who: YOU!

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Register or Donate online at https://www.fopwalk.org/team/2189
OR for more information about our St Mary's Team svdp@stmarycooj.org



Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW) is an age-appropriate Liturgy of the Word offered for ages 4 through 2nd graders.

During this special time, the volunteer teacher leads the children through prayers, songs and readings that are simplified for children. The children learn about the same Scripture readings as the rest of the assembly.

If you would like to learn more about volunteering for Children's Liturgy of the Word, please provide your information and we will contact you:

Full name:

If you are the parent of children ages 4 to 7 years old, which Mass time would be the most helpful to your family to attend the Children's Liturgy of the Word service? (check all that apply)

Sunday

□ 10:00 am

□ 12:00 pm

Email and Phone:

*responses can be dropped in the collection basket or in the office





FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION 2018-2019

Registration packets were mailed out to all families. If you have not yet received your packet or you are a new family, please pick one up in the gathering space or the office. Questions? Call the office 734-425-4421.

MASS INTENTIONS					
Mon. Aug. 27	8:30am	Joseph & Ambrosia Paja by daughter, Roberta Luigi & Lucia Macina by Graziano Canini			
Wed. Aug. 29	12 Noon	Joe Scanga by mom, Sara Ken Paczas by Mary Hudson			
Thurs.Aug. 30	8:30am	Luigi & Lucia Macina by Graziano Canini Frank Baran by daughter, Rita			
Fri. Aug. 31	8:30am	Charles Swaney by family			
Sat. Sep. 1	4:30pm	Jeffrey Boduch by St. Mary, COOJ Richard Kwiecinski by Bob & Paula Montagna James Beaudry by Roessler family			
Sun. Sep. 2	8:00am	Deceased members of Marciniak family Robert Misiewicz by family Prayers for Hunter Johnson by Francis family			
	10:00am	William White by Styles-Mitchell family Tim Wycihowski by family Fr. John Blaska by family			
	12 Noon	Antonia Casamatta by Olimpia & Mike DeToma Our Parish family			

If you are unable to walk up for Communion and you are not sitting in the handicap section, please notify an usher when you enter Church and a **Priest** will come to you.

Eucharistic Exposition WEDNESDAYS

There will be NO Eucharistic Adoration on Wednesday, August 29

UPCO	MING I	EVENTS	August 27—September 2
MON.	Aug. 27	8:30am 7:00pm	Mass High School Youth Ministry
TUE.	Aug. 28		Doors open for cards and coffee Cards and Coffee
WED.	Aug. 29	6:30pm 7:00pm	NO Eucharistic Adoration Joyful Women Board Meeting Rosary
THURS.	Aug. 30	8:30am 9:00am	Mass Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions & Rosary
FRI.	Aug. 31	8:30am	Mass
SAT.	Sep. 1	3:30pm 4:30pm	Reconciliation Mass
SUN.	Sep. 2	8:00am 10:00am 12 Noon	Mass

SUNDAY CONTRIBUTION REPORT								
<u>Sunday</u>	No.	. Weekly		V	Weekly		Weekly	
Offertory	Env		Actual		<u>Budget</u>		<u>Variance</u>	
08/19/18	369	\$	14,046	\$	10,971	\$	3,076	
08/12/18	355	\$	11,829	\$	10,971	\$	859	
08/05/18	391	\$	11,885	\$	10,971	\$	914	
07/29/18	365	\$	9,229	\$	10,971	\$	(1,742)	
weekly actual includes online giving of \$1,295								
Aug Building Fund to-date \$3,659								
					YTD		YTD	
FY 2018-19 YTD Actual Budget Variance								
		\$	92,577	\$	87,766	\$	4,811	

Thank you for your past and future support of our Parish Community. Please remember our parish in your Estate Planning

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE September 1/2							
	SATURDAY 4:30pm	SUNDAY 8:00am	SUNDAY 10:00am	SUNDAY 12 Noon			
Celebrant	Fr. Phong	Fr. Joe	Fr. Ken	Fr. Ken			
Lector Comm.	Jan Lauster Ralph Costyn	Henry VerVaecke Rose Rodriguez	Linda Dinsmore Cara Murphy	Jennifer Schaefer Pat Sobieski			
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Flo Bozek Kathy Andrus Keith Kudron Julie Callahan Kevin Headrick Volunteer	Emmanuel Eze Diane Fredrickson Cheryl Paputa Carol Janowski Larry Janowski Katie Bohr Volunteer	Fran Read John Lister Ron Read Karen Bulmanski Volunteer Kathy Yokley	Annmarie Konrad Joan Gebhardt Ken Konrad Jennifer Schaefer Scott Ozga Volunteer Darlene LaFave			
Altar Server	Volunteer	Emmanuela Nwizu	Marlene Perez	Celia Mercado Tori White			
Sacristan	Loretta Wood	Alice André	Jeanne Sullivan				
Ushers	Tony Collins Steve Noonan Peter Kowalski Frank Pelton Paul Markus Emery Price Tony Micallef Jean Schmuck Don Niemiec Jack Rourke	Jim DeVitis Bill Lezotte Jim Fredrickson Paul Lukasik Don Koszegi Dan Stachow Ernie Lenard Leslie Johnston	Barb Burke John Burke Ron Kinunen Bonnie Kinunen	Annmarie Konrad Kathy Sherry Ken Konrad Ron Sherry Robert Dropp Sue Moore John Meconi Michael Gluth			
Greeters	Eunice Austin John Flynn Connie Flynn	Marlene & Roman Kotrys Deanna Adams	Doug Cyr Marie DiDomizio	Mercado family Rose Abela			
Homebound			Ron & Fran Read				
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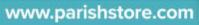
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