



NOVEMBER 29, 2020 FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

We continue the work of Jesus Christ, to Unleash the Gospel and help everyone seek and experience the love and mercy of God.

Father Bogdan's Corner



Today we begin a new liturgical season called Advent that will last until December 24th - Christmas Eve. During this time, Christians and we Catholics are preparing ourselves for the introduction of the birth of Jesus. To hear the voice of Jesus and experience His birth requires certain preparations. Unfortunately, this year's preparation will not be in full. COVID-19 places limits on our spiritual and material preparations for Christmas in the traditional ways. Since we cannot have a big social gathering, there will not be Advent Retreats, Advent Teas, Communal Reconciliation, coffee or tea after the Masses or even the number of people at Advent Sunday Masses must be limited. Archbishop Allen Vigneron extended dispensation from attending Sunday and Holy Day Masses until Ash Wednesday 2021. Those who do not feel well or have small or strong symptoms of COVID-19 should not attend the Masses. Also, the same people should not go to the store, shopping malls or travel. Each one of us must be concerned about our health and the people around us.

I am informing you in advance that there will be no calendars for 2021 provided by the church. Many places send calendars in the mail so be sure to save one. We are not using missalettes, we do not pass out any additional materials and our Christmas Giving Tree Program will be modified. Be careful when you pick up the tag for the Christmas gift. After the Second Sunday of Advent, on Monday December 7th it will be the last our last Religious Education Class for the first part of the Catechetical Year. The classes will resume after Christmas. A note will be sent to all families. Everything will depend on the situation with COVID-19.

I am seeking advice from my commissions and councils in regard to the Christmas Mass schedule. Next weekend we will provide you with the number of Masses and Mass times.

On December 8th, the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, there will be a livestreamed Mass at 6 p.m. followed by our 7 p.m. devotion.

***God Bless,
Fr. Bogdan***

MASS INTENTIONS

Friday, December 5th 9:00 A.M.

♦ St. Faustina Parishioners

Saturday, December 6th 11:30 a.m.

♦ In reparation for the sins against the Immaculate Heart of Mary

♦ Birthday Wishes for Claire Paille req by Theresa Brown

This Week:

Monday, November 30th

9:00 a.m. - No Mass

Tuesday, December 1st

9:00 a.m. - No Mass

Wednesday, December 2nd

9:00 a.m. - No Mass

Thursday, December 3rd

9:00 a.m. - No Mass

Friday, December 4th

9:00 a.m. - First Friday Mass

Saturday, December 5th

10:45 a.m. - Confession

11:00 a.m. - Divine Mercy
Chaplet & Rosary

11:30 a.m. - Mass

3:00 p.m. - Confession

4:00 p.m. - Mass

Sunday, December 6th

8:30 a.m. - Mass

11:00 a.m. - Mass



During the week of

November 29 2020

the candle next to
the Tabernacle
will burn in memory
of

Walter & Marie Stawski

req by

Sharon Stawski

Tune in each night at 7 p.m. for
our daily devotion. Our You-
Tube channel is:

stfaustina.tv



Father Bogdan and the parish
of St. Faustina offer sincere
sympathy to the family of

David Andrus

We commend him to the Lord.
May he rest in peace. Amen.

Daily Mass Readings

**Readings for the week of
November 29, 2020**

Sunday: Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7/Ps
80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19 [4]/1 Cor 1:3-9/Mk
13:33-37

Monday: Rom 10:9-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10,
11 [10]/Mt 4:18-22

Tuesday: Is 11:1-10/ Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-
13, 17 [cf. 7]/Lk 10:21-24

Wednesday: Is 25:6-10a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-
4, 5, 6 [6cd]/Mt 15:29-37

Thursday: Is 26:1-6/Ps 118:1 and 8-9,
19-21, 25-27a [26a]/Mt 7:21, 24-27

Friday: Is 29:17-24/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14
[1a]/Mt 9:27-31

Saturday: Is 30:19-21, 23-26/Ps 147:1-
2, 3-4, 5-6 [cf. Is 30:18d]/Mt 9:35—
10:1, 5a, 6-8

Next Sunday: Is 40:1-5, 9-11/Ps 85:9-
10, 11-12, 13-14 [8]/2 Pt 3:8-14/Mk 1:1-
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**Observances for the week of
November 29, 2020**

Sunday: 1st Sunday of Advent

Monday: St. Andrew, Apostle

Tuesday:

Wednesday:

Thursday: St. Francis Xavier, Priest

Friday:

Saturday:

Next Sunday: 2nd Sunday of Advent

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Mass / Presider	Intentions
Saturday, December 5 th 4:00 p.m. Fr. Bogdan Milosz	✠ Laurie Loiacano req by Husband Sam ✠ Jeff Loiacano req by Father ✠ Gerald Labiak req by Wife & Children ✠ Thaddeus Klamerus req by Robert Macek
Sunday, December 6 th 8:30 a.m. Fr. Bogdan Milosz	✠ Anna DiGirolamo (21st Anniv) req by Daughter June ✠ Sr. Joanne Therese (18th Anniv) req by June DiGirolamo
11:00 a.m. Fr. Bogdan Milosz	✠ Sandy Gamrat req by Mr. & Mrs. Gary Zilli ✠ Emily Czenkusz (29th Anniv) req by Family ✠ Armando DeNardis req by Senior Club



Excerpts from St. Faustina's Diary

St. Faustina's Diary is a compilation of her personal spiritual journey: how she encountered Jesus and what He said directly to her. It's a beautiful testimony of faith, showing how trust in the Lord, especially in times of uncertainty and doubt is absolutely essential.

An extraordinary thing, (that) in winter a canary comes to my window and sings beautifully for a while. I have tried to check whether there is a canary in a cage somewhere around, but there is none anywhere, not even in the neighboring ward. One of the other patients also heard it, but only once, and wondered how a canary could be singing in this freezing season of the year. 907 page 353

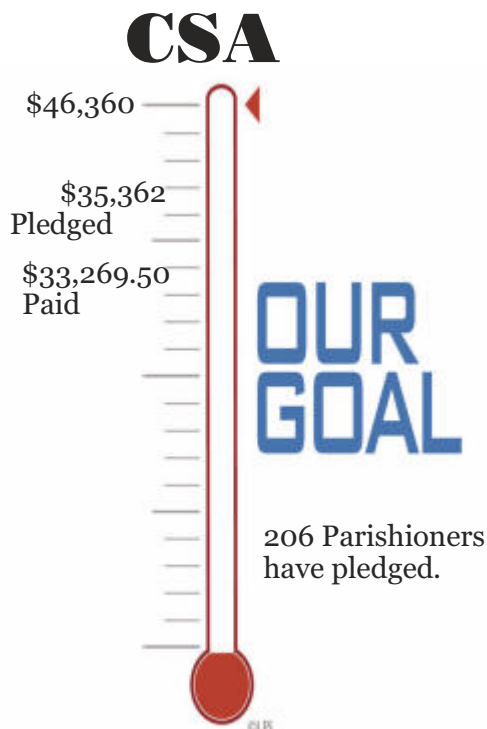
+O Jesus, how sorry I feel for poor sinners. Jesus, grant them contrition and repentance. Remember Your own sorrowful Passion. I know Your infinite mercy and cannot bear it that a soul that has cost You so much should perish. Jesus, give me the souls (267) of sinners; let Your mercy rest upon them. Take everything away from me, but give me souls. I want to become a sacrificial host for sinners. Let the shell of my body conceal my offering, for Your Most Sacred Heart is also hidden in a Host, and certainly You are a living sacrifice.

Transform me into Yourself, O Jesus, that I may be a living sacrifice and pleasing to You. I desire to atone at each moment for poor sinners. The sacrifice of my spirit is hidden under the veil of the body; the human eye does not perceive it, and for that reason it is pure and pleasing to You. O my Creator and Father of great mercy, I trust in You, for You are Goodness Itself. Souls, do not be afraid of God, but trust in Him, for He is good, and His mercy is everlasting. 908 page 353

Jesus I Trust in You

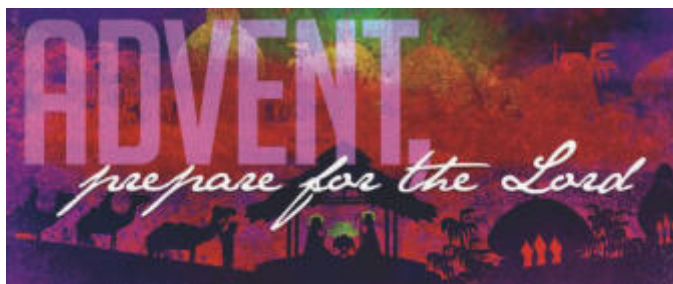


SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION



Sacrament of Reconciliation is every Saturday at 3 p.m. or by appointment. During the Advent Season, in addition to the above, Fr. Bogdan will be available immediately after the 8:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday December 6th and 13th.

Mark your calendars for First Friday on December 4th to observe First Friday Mass and devotion. First Saturday, of December is December 5th. On these two days there will be Reconciliation before the Masses. Use these days as a good way to get ready for the Christmas Season.



GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest,
 and on earth peace to people of good will.
 We praise you,
 we bless you,
 we adore you,
 we glorify you,
 we give you thanks for your great glory,
 Lord God, heavenly King,
 O God, almighty Father.
 Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
 Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
 you take away the sins of the world,
 have mercy on us;
 you take away the sins of the world,
 receive our prayer;
 you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
 have mercy on us.
 For you alone are the Holy One,
 you alone are the Lord,
 you alone are the Most High,
 Jesus Christ,
 with the Holy Spirit,
 in the glory of God the Father.
 Amen.

First Reading: IS 63:16B-17, 19B; 64:2-7

You, LORD, are our father,
 our redeemer you are named forever.
 Why do you let us wander, O LORD, from your
 ways,
 and harden our hearts so that we fear you not?
 Return for the sake of your servants,
 the tribes of your heritage.
 Oh, that you would rend the heavens and come
 down,
 with the mountains quaking before you,
 while you wrought awesome deeds we could not
 hope for,
 such as they had not heard of from of old.
 No ear has ever heard, no eye ever seen, any God
 but you

First Reading (Cont'd)

doing such deeds for those who wait for him.
 Would that you might meet us doing right,
 that we were mindful of you in our ways!
 Behold, you are angry, and we are sinful;
 all of us have become like unclean people,
 all our good deeds are like polluted rags;
 we have all withered like leaves,
 and our guilt carries us away like the wind.
 There is none who calls upon your name,
 who rouses himself to cling to you;
 for you have hidden your face from us
 and have delivered us up to our guilt.
 Yet, O LORD, you are our father;
 we are the clay and you the potter:
 we are all the work of your hands.

Responsorial Psalm PS 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19

R. (4) Lord, make us turn to you; let us see your face and we shall be saved.

O shepherd of Israel, hearken,
 from your throne upon the cherubim, shine forth.
 Rouse your power,
 and come to save us.

R. Lord, make us turn to you; let us see your face and we shall be saved.

Once again, O LORD of hosts,
 look down from heaven, and see;
 take care of this vine,
 and protect what your right hand has planted
 the son of man whom you yourself made strong.

R. Lord, make us turn to you; let us see your face and we shall be saved.

May your help be with the man of your right hand,
 with the son of man whom you yourself made
 strong.
 Then we will no more withdraw from you;
 give us new life, and we will call upon your name.

R. Lord, make us turn to you; let us see your face and we shall be saved.

Second Reading:**1 COR 1:3-9**

Brothers and sisters:

Grace to you and peace from God our Father
and the Lord Jesus Christ.

I give thanks to my God always on your account
for the grace of God bestowed on you in Christ

Jesus,

that in him you were enriched in every way,
with all discourse and all knowledge,
as the testimony to Christ was confirmed among
you,

so that you are not lacking in any spiritual gift
as you wait for the revelation of our Lord Jesus
Christ.

He will keep you firm to the end,
irreproachable on the day of our Lord Jesus Christ.
God is faithful,
and by him you were called to fellowship with his
Son,
Jesus Christ our Lord.

Alleluia**PS 85:8**

R. **Alleluia, alleluia.**

Show us Lord, your love;
and grant us your salvation.

R. **Alleluia, alleluia.**

Gospel**MK 13:33-37**

Jesus said to his disciples:

“Be watchful! Be alert!

You do not know when the time will come.

It is like a man traveling abroad.

He leaves home and places his servants in charge,
each with his own work,
and orders the gatekeeper to be on the watch.

Watch, therefore;

you do not know when the Lord of the house is
coming,

whether in the evening, or at midnight,
or at cockcrow, or in the morning.

May he not come suddenly and find you sleeping.

What I say to you, I say to all: ‘Watch!’”

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I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.
I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the
Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the
Virgin Mary,
and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius
Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day
in accordance with the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver
of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is adored and
glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic
Church.

I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the
dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.



Just a reminder! **Gifts for the Giving Tree must be returned by Sunday, December 6.** The reason we deliver these gifts so early is because the organizations we deliver the gifts to need enough time to unpack, organize and distribute them before Christmas. **A reminder due to COVID-19 please do not wrap or return your gift in any type of bag.** Simply attach the sticky note and drop in the designated box. Gift cards should be placed in an envelope, attach the sticky note and put in the designated box.

Thank you,
Christian Service Commission



St. Vincent de Paul

PANTRY UPDATE



St. Vincent de Paul would like to express our heartfelt thanks to all who generously gave gift cards, monetary donations, or food for our Thanksgiving Bags. We are truly grateful for our parishioners. We now need the following items, cereal, hearty soups, spam, canned ravioli, mixed vegetables, rice sides, jam/jelly, peanut butter, canned fruit, toothpaste, hand soap, deodorant, and laundry detergent. If anyone requires assistance, such as food, utilities, clothing, please contact us at 586-773-9231.

Happy Thanksgiving, stay safe and healthy.

“Kind words can be short and easy to speak, but their echoes are truly endless.”...
St. Teresa of Calcutta



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Many families have already chosen to give one-time or recurring donations through our website. Explore the convenience of online giving at stfaustinawarren.org/give, and be one of the families who set their tithe to automatically occur when, how often, and in the amount they'd like to give. And always have access to update your information, change gift amounts, enter new payment methods, or pause/cancel a gift at any time. With online giving, you can forget about writing checks or swinging by the ATM.

ST. FAUSTINA

Please pray for those in our parish family in prolonged sickness:

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Samantha Beattie
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Dorothy Gietzen
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MASSES

Saturday: 4:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Saturday - 3:00 p.m.
Or by appointment

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Report Abuse

The Archdiocese of Detroit encourages individuals to report clergy sexual abuse of minors and others - no matter when the abuse occurred. Individuals may contact local law enforcement authorities and/or they may report to the Archdiocese of Detroit by calling the Victim Assistance Coordinator at (866) 343-8055 or by emailing vac@aod.org. In addition, the Michigan Attorney General's Office can be contacted at its toll-free reporting hotline at (844) 324-3374 or by email at aginvestigations@michigan.gov.

More information about the Archdiocese's efforts to address abuse may be found at protect.aod.org.

Registration

Parishioners may register in person, by phone, or online.

Baptism

At least one parent needs to be registered, active and a practicing Catholic for at least six months. A Baptismal Preparation Class is required for both parents and godparents. The church requires that at least one of the godparents be an active and practicing Catholic. For more information call the Parish Office.

Marriages

Arrange at least six months in advance.

Communion Calls

Pastoral Staff members visit the sick in the hospital when possible and take Communion to the sick and homebound regularly. Names of the sick should be reported to the Parish Office.



If you or someone you know is interested in becoming Catholic, please contact the Parish Office or send an email to stfaustina@comcast.net

St. Faustina is extending a personal invitation to you so that we can help with your spiritual needs.

If you have been baptized and have made your First Holy Communion, please contact Fr. Bogdan to inquire about Confirmation.



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