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DECEMBER 31, 2023 THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

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

My Dear Parishioners:

It is the last day of our 2023 year and at the same time the beginning of a New Year—2024. What does it mean to us? First of all, it means that we do not have control over the flowing of time. Look around yourselves, your families and see that your daughter, your son, mother, father are older. You too. But remember that the number of years should not stop us to grow. Each one of us, regardless of age, is called to holiness, is called “to become”. We can’t control time, but we can choose our destiny. We can ask ourselves: whom do I want to become? While we are breathing and our hearts are pumping blood with oxygen and nourishment for our cells—we can love ourselves, others, God, and our Church. Last weekend it was Christmas. I hope that you enjoyed that time and had a chance to exercise “the love of God and your neighbors”. There are multiple organizations on earth that you can join. Among all organizations there is “Our Holy Catholic Church”. This is not only the institution made up of human beings but it is an institution that has divine dimension. In it there are people, usually not holy—but they (we) want to become holy. There is Jesus in the church and He is leading us to a perfect covenant with God. I wish to my parishioners on the occasion of the New Year that the Church and our Parish of St. Faustina will be a place where you can grow in a deeper relationship with God. Give yourselves a try in 2024.



*May God Bless You,
Fr. Bogdan*



Monday, January 1st 10:00 a.m.

♦Special Favors req by Etrych Family

Wednesday, January 3rd 9:00 a.m.

♦For Vocations to the Priesthood and Lay Ministries

Friday, January 5th 9:00 a.m.

♦For our St. Faustina Family



Join us for Coffee and Donuts on Sunday January 7th after the Masses.



Monday, January 1st

10:00 a.m. - Mass

Tuesday, January 2nd

Wednesday, January 3rd

9:00 a.m. - Mass

Thursday, January 4th

6:30 p.m. - Rosary & Devotion

Friday, January 5th

9:00 a.m. - Mass

Saturday, January 6th

10:30 a.m. - Confession

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

11:30 a.m. - Mass

4:00 p.m. - Mass

Sunday, January 7th

8:30 a.m. - Mass

11:00 a.m. - Mass



During the week of

December 31, 2023

the candle next to
the Tabernacle
will burn in memory of

John Evanko

*req by
Family*



Fr. Bogdan and the
parish of
St. Faustina offer sincere
sympathy to the families of

**Robert Gherardini
and
Arnel Rebogio**

We commend them to the
Lord. May they rest in peace.
Amen

Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God

January 1, 2024

10:00 a.m.

January 1 is not a Holy Day of
Obligation this year

Parish Office

The Parish Office will be
closed until January 2, 2024.
Phones and email will be
monitored but if you have an
emergency you need to leave a
message. All normal business
will be taken care of when we
return. Thank you,

Linda

Mass / Presider	Intentions
Saturday, January 6 th 4:00 p.m. Fr. Raymond Sutter	†Laurie Loiacano req by Husband Sam †Jeff Loiacano req by Father †Rosalie Loiacano req by Brother †Poor Souls in Purgatory req by Maria Lucia †Virginia T. Sawyer req by Maria Lucia †Andrew Bettencourt req by Maria Lucia †Gerald Labiak req by Wife Geri †Lorraine Dyrval req by Sister Geri †Angelo Carlisi (6th Anniv) req by Wife & Daughters †Clementine & Gustaf DeTurck req by Daughter †Jim Bloom req by Wife Margaret
Sunday, January 7 th 8:30 a.m. Fr. Raymond Sutter	♦"Special Favors" req by Etrych Family †Arnel Rebogio req by Family †Mary Joan Haggerty req by Family
11:00 a.m. Fr. Raymond Sutter	†Frank Noworolnik (2nd Anniv) req by Wife

HAPPY NEW YEAR

On behalf of the Religious Education department we wish you and your family a Blessed Christmas and a Happy and Healthy New Year.

My prayers for the New Year are that we Evangelize and bring more children and families back to the Church. Let us share our Faith with others and rejoice in Jesus' name. See the fun worksheet below, you can do this as a family.

The Nativity of Jesus

Directions: Read Luke 2:1-20. The angel proclaims good news of great joy to the shepherds living in the region of Bethlehem. On the lines below the nativity scene, write things we have to be joyful about thanks to Jesus.



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: Sir 3:2-6, 12-14

God sets a father in honor over his children;
a mother's authority he confirms over her sons.
Whoever honors his father atones for sins,
and preserves himself from them.
When he prays, he is heard;
he stores up riches who reveres his mother.
Whoever honors his father is gladdened by children,
and, when he prays, is heard.
Whoever reveres his father will live a long life;
he who obeys his father brings comfort to his mother.
My son, take care of your father when he is old;
grieve him not as long as he lives.
Even if his mind fail, be considerate of him;
revile him not all the days of his life;
kindness to a father will not be forgotten,
firmly planted against the debt of your sins
—a house raised in justice to you.

Responsorial Psalm Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5.

R. (cf. 1) **Blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways.**

Blessed is everyone who fears the LORD,
who walks in his ways!
For you shall eat the fruit of your handiwork;
blessed shall you be, and favored.

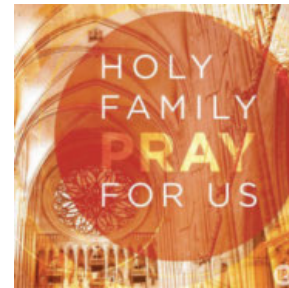
R. **Blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways.**

Your wife shall be like a fruitful vine
in the recesses of your home;
your children like olive plants
around your table.

R. **Blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways.**

Behold, thus is the man blessed
who fears the LORD.
The LORD bless you from Zion:
may you see the prosperity of Jerusalem
all the days of your life.

R. **Blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways.**



Second Reading: Col 3:12-17

Brothers and sisters:
Put on, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved,
heartfelt compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness,
and patience,
bearing with one another and forgiving one another,
if one has a grievance against another;
as the Lord has forgiven you, so must you also do.
And over all these put on love,
that is, the bond of perfection.
And let the peace of Christ control your hearts,
the peace into which you were also called in one body.
And be thankful.
Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly,
as in all wisdom you teach and admonish one another,
singing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs
with gratitude in your hearts to God.
And whatever you do, in word or in deed,
do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus,
giving thanks to God the Father through him.

Alleluia**Heb 1:1-2****R. Alleluia, alleluia.**

In the past God spoke to our ancestors through the prophets;
in these last days, he has spoken to us through the Son.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.**Gospel****Lk 2:22, 39-40**

When the days were completed for their purification
according to the law of Moses,
they took him up to Jerusalem
to present him to the Lord.

When they had fulfilled all the prescriptions
of the law of the Lord,
they returned to Galilee,
to their own town of Nazareth.

The child grew and became strong, filled with
wisdom;
and the favor of God was upon him.

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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.



Readings for the Week

of December 31, 2023

Sunday: Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or Gn 15:1-6; 21:1-3/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 or Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9/Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17 or Heb 11:8, 11-12, 17-19/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22, 39-40

Monday: Nm 6:22-27/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 (2a)/Gal 4:4-7/Lk 2:16-21

Tuesday: 1 Jn 2:22-28/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Jn 1:19-28

Wednesday: 1 Jn 2:29—3:6/Ps 98:1, 3cd-4, 5-6/Jn 1:29-34

Thursday: 1 Jn 3:7-10/Ps 98:1, 7-8, 9/Jn 1:35-42

Friday: 1 Jn 3:11-21/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/Jn 1:43-51

Saturday: 1 Jn 5:5-13/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20/Mk 1:7-11 or Lk 3:23-38 or 3:23, 31-34, 36, 38

Next Sunday: Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 (see 11)/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12



World Marriage Day
A day of marriage enrichment that includes dinner and dancing
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\$95 per couple-After Jan 1st, 2024
Final day to register is Feb 12th, 2024
Register at: www.worldmarriageday.org

Knights Of Columbus Euchre Night

January 20, 2024

TOURNAMENT



Who: Euchre Players over 21 years of age

Where: St. Faustina Family Center 14025 12 mile road. Warren

When: Jan 20, 2024 at 6:30pm for registration & 7:00

Deal

Tickets: \$20.00

Pizza, snacks, Pop and water included. Pizza will be served at halftime

Cash Prizes and 50/50 Raffles.

For more information Call: 586-850-5544

Events within our Family



Jesus and the Eucharist Small Group
St. Mary, Our Lady Queen of Families
8075 Ritter, Center Line, MI 48015
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Every Mondays starting
January 8, 2024 6pm-8pm
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Contact Francis Gestada
for more details at
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This event is in cooperation with the
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Daily Masses
 Wednesday & Friday 9:00 a.m.

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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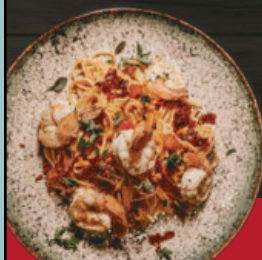
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