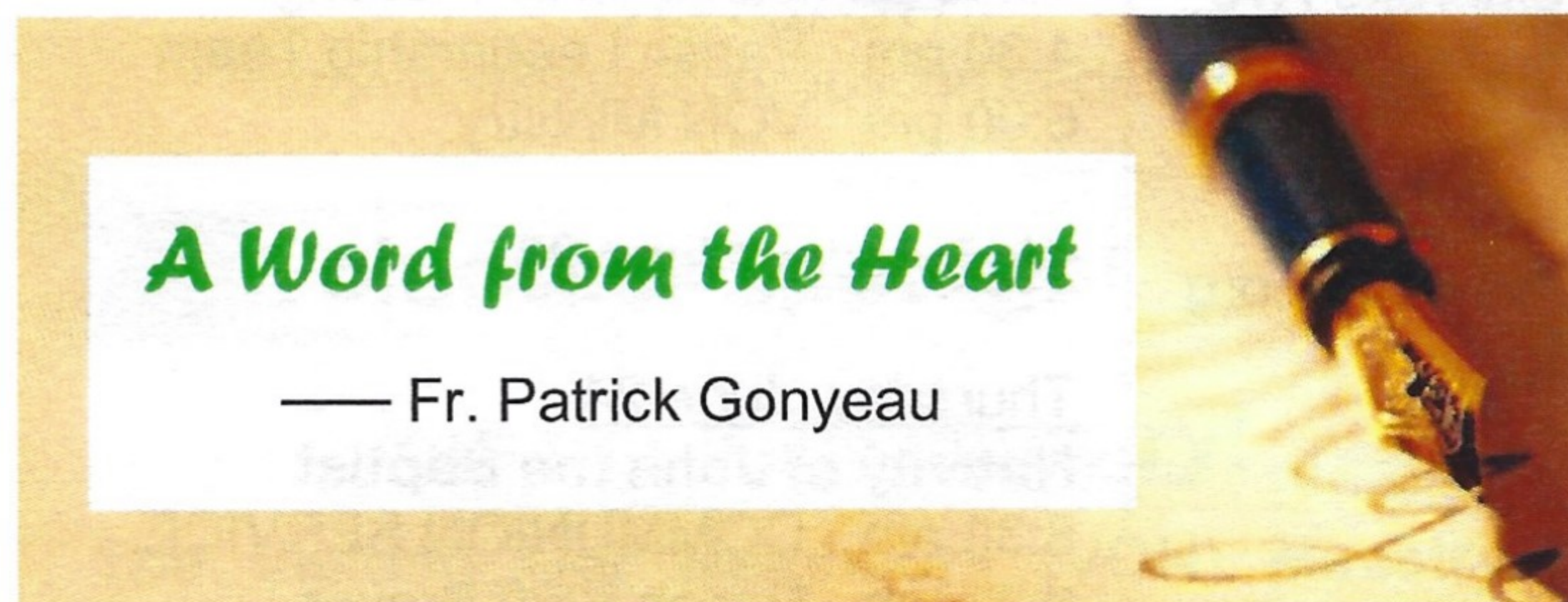


Corpus Christi Parish

"Building the Body of Christ"



We strive to radiate
the presence of Jesus Christ
in our parish and community
and invite others to join us
on our journey.



Family of Parishes Update

Hello brothers and sisters in Christ! This weekend I have attempted to give a more in-depth update on Families of Parishes, utilizing the time for the homily to share the organizational structure that the Archdiocese has given us regarding this new initiative. You will be able to access the audio version of this homily and the slides used with it on our website, and they will also be shared through parish email as well.

As we begin to be part of our Family of Parishes on July 1, the team of priests that serve our Family, with Fr. Jaime Hinojos as the **Moderator** and leader of our Family, will be working on two specific items: 1 – identifying the right candidate to serve as the **Mission Support Director** for the family, and 2 – working on the **Priests' Covenant**. The **Mission Support Director** is essentially the Director of Operations/Business Manager for the entire family. They will work with the Moderator and business personnel at the parish level to ensure healthy business operations across the family, both at the individual parish level and in regard to family fiscal matters (i.e., equitable sharing of cost for a ministry position that is shared between parishes.) The approach for our family regarding any ministry positions that are to be filled is to **look internally within our family for candidates** and then externally if a candidate cannot be found. I am confident we have excellent staff in our parish and Family who should be able to fill these positions and work together in the Family of Parishes structure.

The second item I mentioned is the **Priests' Covenant**. It is an extensive document we have been given from the Archdiocese that the priests on the team are to work through that will help to clarify how the priests will serve in the family and what kind of fraternal sharing of life they will have. I do believe this covenant agreement will result in me continuing in a capacity at Corpus Christi similar to that I have been in, and for this I am grateful. I believe God has great things in store for Corpus Christi.

One change of note that is coming with Families of Parishes is that a **Family Pastoral Council** and a **Family Leadership Team** will be formed that will function like our Parish Pastoral Council and the Parish Leadership Team, but for the whole Family. These two consultative bodies will include two parishioners to give us parish representation on these family consultative bodies. Once these consultative bodies are formed, our Parish Pastoral Council and our Parish Leadership Team will be celebrated and then cease to function by the end of 2021. I do envision that our lay-led commissions and committees will continue as such in a solid relationship with both the person leading them at the parish level, the family pastor at the parish level (myself for Corpus Christi), and the **Directors** of the various areas of ministry which their commission or committee falls under in the new organizational structure. Next week, I will be writing about the **five Director positions** that *(continued on page 3)*

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Corpus Christi Directory

Parish Office Hours:	All parish buildings remain closed		
Weekend Masses:	Saturday 4 pm, Sunday 9 am and 11am		
Daily / Holy Day Masses:	See weekly parish schedule		
Parish Address:	19800 Pembroke Ave Detroit MI 48219-2145		
Parish Phone:	313-537-5770		
Parish E-Mail Address:	ParishOffice.cc@corpuschristi-detroit.org		
Parish Website:	www.corpuschristi-detroit.org		
Parish Buildings	Activities Center, 19910 Evergreen Rd Outreach Center, 16000 Pembroke Ave School Building, 19900 Evergreen Rd		
Parish Staff:			
Administrator	Fr. Patrick Gonyeau		
Bookkeeper	Shanita.Brown@corpuschristi-detroit.org		
313-528-6933			
Finance/Faith/Website	Catherine.Long	"	
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Christian Service Director	Curtis.SimpsonJr	"	
313-272-9772			
Digital Media Coordinator	John.Stockwell	"	
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Director of Operations	Carolyn.Wilson	"	
313-244-0677			
Faith Formation Director	Therese.MacKinnon	"	
313-437-8112			
Maintenance Coordinator	Gregory.Spight	"	
313-486-2146			
Ministers of Music	Michelle.Baines	"	
313-537-5770	Fannie.Larkins	"	
Parish Secretary/Pastoral Asst	Miriam.Hudson	"	
313-537-5770			
Pastoral Associate	Paul.Mueller	"	
313-349-3896			
Pastoral Minister	Mary.Davis	"	
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Youth Minister	Marilyn.Webb	"	
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Deacons:	Paul.Mueller@corpuschristi-detroit.org 248-891-9387 Aaron.Poyer@corpuschristi-detroit.org 734-718-0150		

Parish Council President: Christeena Livingston-Long christeena04@gmail.com 734-512-9570

Adrian Dominican Sisters Convent: 248-990-4806 19910 Evergreen Road, Detroit MI 48219-2044

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays, 1–3:45 pm; during Penance services; by appointment – call parish office

Sick Calls/Prayer Requests: Please call parish office

Sacrament of Baptism: Please call parish office

Sacrament of Marriage: Please call parish office at least six months before the wedding date

Funerals: Please call parish office before making arrangements with the funeral home

The Week Ahead



Monday, June 21

8:30 am MASS

9:30 am Parish Staff Prayer

Tuesday, June 22

8:30 am MASS

9:30 am Parish Staff Prayer

10:00 am Parish Staff Meeting

4:30 pm Parish Leadership Team

6:00 pm VON Ministry

Wednesday, June 23

Thursday, June 24

Nativity of John the Baptist

8:30 am COMMUNION SERVICE

9:30 am Parish Staff Prayer

Friday, June 25

8:30 am COMMUNION SERVICE

9:30 am Parish Staff Prayer

Saturday, June 26

10:30 am VON Ministry

3:00 pm CONFESSIONS (to 3:45 pm)

4:00 pm MASS

Sunday, June 27

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Peter's Pence Collection

9:00 am MASS

11:00 am MASS



Holy Homework

Spend a half-hour with Jesus this week and ask him to show you where there are “stormy seas” in your life.

You may be surprised at what He shows you. Ask Jesus how He wants to bring peace to this area of your life and write down what He tells you. It'll be a grace filled strategy from Jesus.

A Word from the Heart *(continued from page 1)*

are part of Mission Direct. Again, you can listen to the audio homily from this weekend on our website and check out the slides, as well to get a feel for the structure of Families of Parishes that I spoke on.

I'd also like to share that the Archdiocese has recently issued some timelines that have been prescribed to the Moderator and the team of priests for when various components of this new structure should ideally be in place, such as **have the Mission Support Director in place by September 1st and the 5 Mission Direct Directors in place by October 1st.**

Under the leadership of Fr. Jaime and the unified efforts of the team, we will do the best we can regarding timelines but are also mindful that we need to operate in a spirit of peace and wisdom. If doing something the right way takes longer than the deadline suggests, that's the route that be taken unless we are notified to do otherwise, which we do not think will be the case.

Thank you for your prayers! They are much appreciated. Please know that you are in mine all the time as well!

Love and blessings,

— **Fr. Patrick**

SAVE THE DATE!
FOP Gathering #3
Friday, July 16
7 - 9 pm
at St Scholastica Parish



Trinity Vicariate Family #1

Corpus Christi Parish

<http://www.corpuschristi-detroit.org>

Presentation/Our Lady of Victory Parish

<http://presentationourladyofvictory.org/>

SS. Peter and Paul Parish (Westside)

<http://www.ssppdetroit.net>

St. Juan Diego Parish

<http://www.familiamdei.com>

St. Mary of Redford Parish

<https://saintmaryofredford.church>

St. Scholastica Parish

<https://scholastica.church/>

Learn About Your Role in the Family

Living the Mission as a Lay Disciple: A Personal Journey of Encounter, Grow, Witness is a two hour FREE online course to help you learn more about Families of Parishes and the ways you can play an important role in our missionary transformation. This self-paced course will inspire you, answer your questions, and equip you. The course is presented in five modules:

Introduction

— Kate Baumer Spore, Missionary for the Department of Missionary Strategic Planning

The Detroit Model of Evangelization: Why It Matters to You

— Patty Chase, Regional Coordinator for the Office of Catechesis

An Encounter that Changes Everything

— Sarah Kaczmarek, Director of Pastoral Ministry at Encounter Ministries

Using Scripture to Grow in Faith After Encountering Jesus

— Fr. Brian Meldrum, Sacred Heart Major Seminary Faculty Member

Let Others See Jesus in You – Giving Witness

— Fr. Patrick Gonyeau, Administrator at Corpus Christi Parish

Register at

<https://learn.egwdetroit.org/courses/living-the-mission-as-a-lay-disciple>



Sunday Reflection: The Balancing Act of Faith

All throughout human history, many have prayed to God for intervention or for particular needs. Because their prayers were not answered in the way they wanted or anticipated, they felt that God may have abandoned them. Were they right? It seems that we are continuing, at a rapid rate, down a path of destruction. Do you not care, God, that we may be perishing? When the boats of our lives are rocking and the seas tumultuous, we want to know that we have God's attention. Even more so, we want God's intervention.

Maybe the storms and the waves are necessary. If we listen, they can teach us valuable lessons. Without them, we would never learn that we have the strength to endure, understand the uselessness of fear and worry, or develop the ability to really trust. If God immediately rushed in and simply calmed things down before they got difficult, what good would that really be?

That's the balancing act that comes with faith. It is not God's job to prevent us from encountering the torrential rains and winds of life. Many believe that if faith is done the right way, that God will provide for smooth sailing. That's not how it works. God permits us to ride out the difficult stuff knowing that the storm will eventually be calmed. Do we not have faith that God will do this? True faith trusts in the steadfastness of God's love when the seas are calm and when they are choppy. God's unconditional loving presence shines through all of it and endures forever. Knowing this allows us to put our boats out into uncharted waters without hesitation. Knowing that we prefer the comfort and safety of what we know to be still waters, how do we feel when Jesus says, "Let us cross to the other side"? ©LPi

Sunday Is Special by Sr. Therese Mac Kinnon, Director of Faith Formation

Sunday is the day of the week that we particularly dedicate to God. We take some extra time for God and family. Every individual and each family has special ways to make Sunday a little different. Take time to worship, read the scripture, have a family meal, share joys and concerns with God and each other. Sunday gives us a chance to recoup from the past week and prepare for the next week. There is a publication that is available online and in print that some families have used to make Sunday more meaningful. 52 Sundays, <https://www.52sundays.com/>, is a dynamic guide to help you and your family reclaim the Lord's Day with prayer, activities, food, and more! It offers simple and insightful ways for your family to spend time together each Sunday learning more about the Catholic faith and having fun while you're at it.

Generations of Faith reached many individuals and families in the past year. The videos and guide pages are still on the Corpus Christi website. If you want to check them out again or if you missed them, you can check them out. Below is the report of attendance at Generations of Faith sessions. Thanks to everyone who made this possible.

GOF ADULTS

Session			Total
1	91 Facebook	246 YouTube	337
2	32 Facebook	117 YouTube	149
3	45 Facebook	89 YouTube	134
4	56 Facebook	75 YouTube	131
5	59 Facebook	98 YouTube	157
6	43 Facebook.	67 YouTube	110

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1	91 Facebook	246 YouTube	337
2	32 Facebook	117 YouTube	149
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6	43 Facebook.	67 YouTube	110

GOF KIDS

Session			Total
1	71 Facebook	126 YouTube	197
2	32 Facebook	52 YouTube	84
3	17 Facebook	35 YouTube	52
4	27 Facebook	19 YouTube	46
5	26 Facebook	22 YouTube	48
6	47 Facebook.	8 YouTube	55

Bishop Hanchon confirmed six young people this month. We want to thank the Confirmation team for a great job in preparing our candidates: Joe Long, Ken Banka, Vicky Lecione, Cathy Long, Jennifer Long, Rebecca Rice, Mirabella Koponen, Nicole Nielsen. May the Spirit continue to move in them and in our parish.

— Sr. Therese

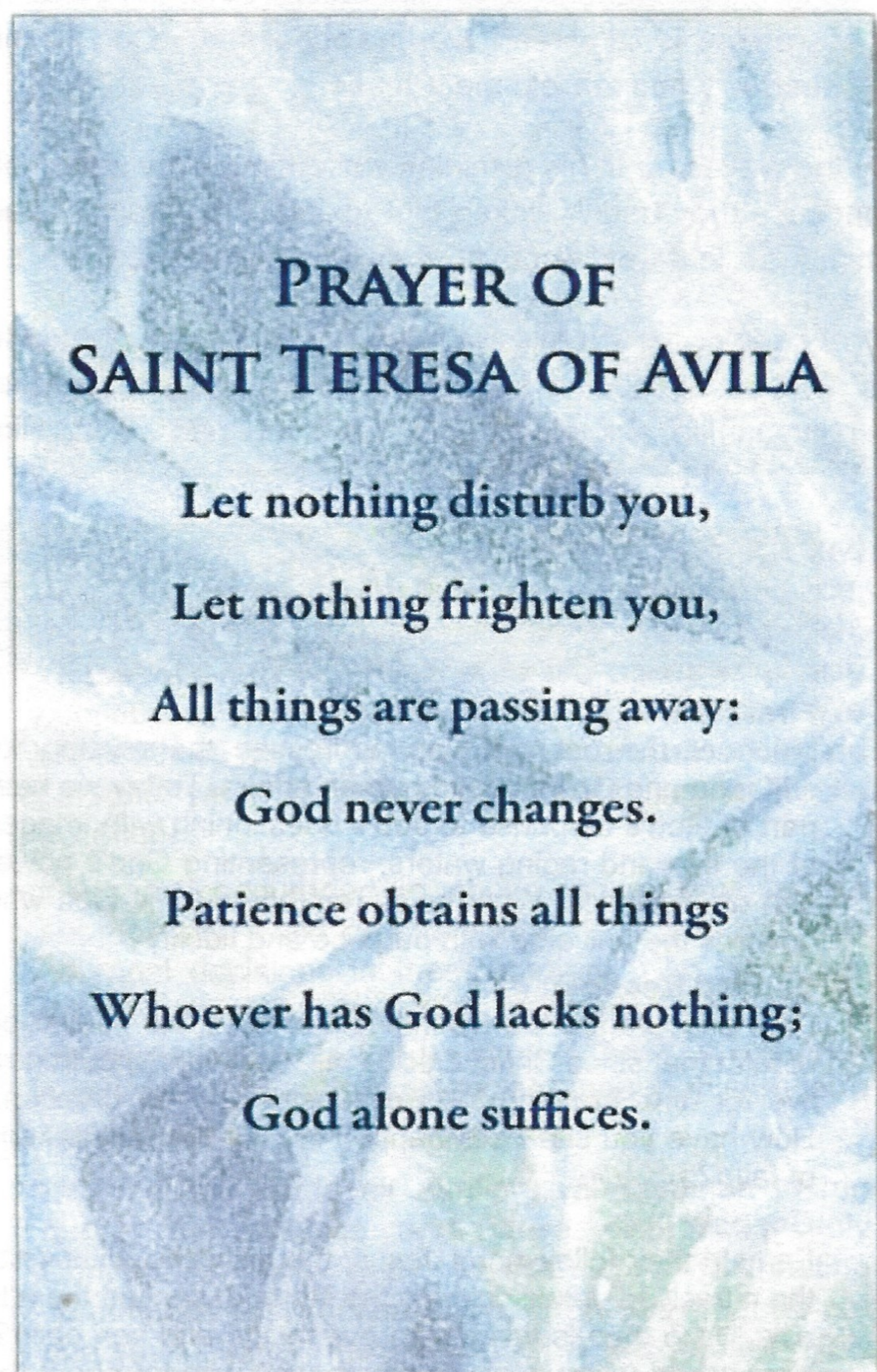


Church of the Home

Family Prayer

Prayer of St. Teresa of Avila

Pray this prayer before bedtime to let the peace of Christ envelop your family.



Take Time To Chat: Jesus Calms The Sea

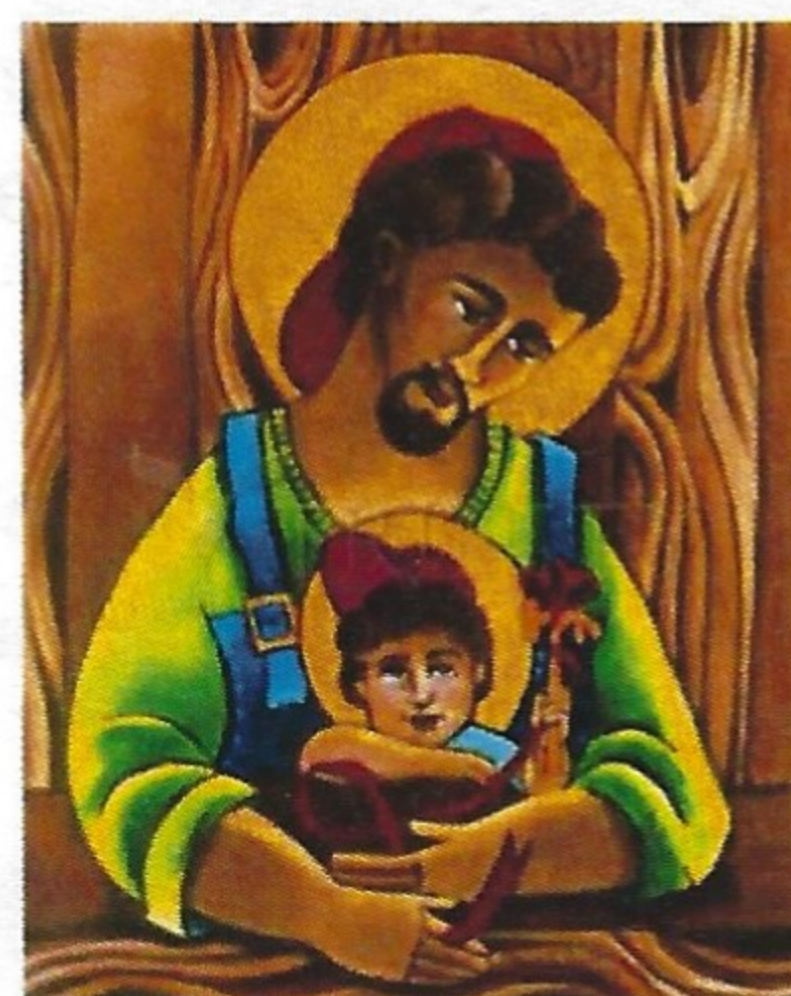
Explore the Gospel as a family. Choose someone to read aloud Mark 4:35-41. Find the Gospel at <https://www.52sundays.com/sundays/june-20-2021>.

Discuss the following questions as a family:

- Share a time when you were in a big storm. Were you scared? Did you pray to God for help?
- What would it have been like to witness the wind and the sea obey Jesus' command to be still?
- Why do you think Jesus asked the disciples, "Why are you terrified? Do you not yet have faith?"

*If you want to change
the world,
go home and love
your family.*

MOTHER TERESA



St. Joseph Novena
for Families

Sunday, June 20
thru
Monday, June 28

All are invited to participate in a special novena for families that calls on the intercession of St. Joseph. For nine consecutive days, you will receive a prayer prompt that reflects on different titles of St. Joseph. There is also a space to include any specific intentions for your family. The goal of this novena is to help the domestic Church flourish through families praying to grow closer to God and one another.

Just as we call on our friends, family, and church community to pray for us here on earth, we also call on the communion of saints to bring our intentions to the Lord. This year has been designated the Year of St. Joseph by Pope Francis. This novena provides us an opportunity to ask him to pray for our specific intentions, our universal needs as families, and our desire to grow in holiness.

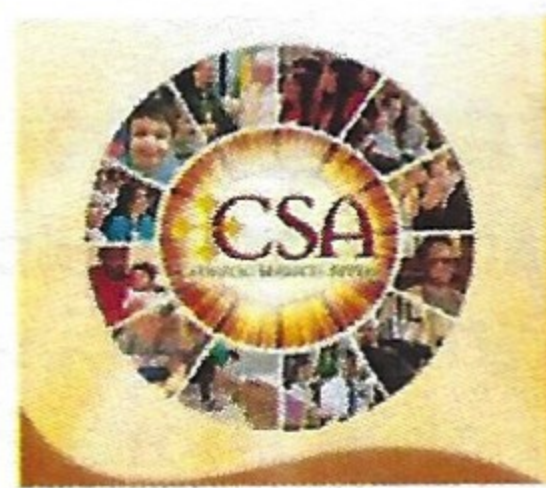
Please visit www.utgdetroit.org/stjoseph-novena to sign up.

Sunday Offertory Report

Weekly Budget	\$ 8,350.00
Sunday Offerings 6-13-2021	\$ 8310.00
Shortfall for the Budget Year	\$ 23,568.22

CSA Update

Goal:	\$50,000.00
Total Paid:	\$12,253.47
Pledges Full Paid:	41
Pledges Outstanding:	4
Average Pledge:	\$ 186.67



FUEL THE MISSION

ST. PAUL WROTE TO THE COLOSSIANS,
"WHATEVER YOU DO, DO FROM THE HEART"
(COLOSSIANS 3:23)

Everyday Stewardship

A show of hands, ladies and gentlemen. Have any of you been given the silent treatment and had absolutely no idea why? On the flipside, have any of you have sworn you're not going to demean yourself by explaining, for the thousandth time, that you need extra help with the kids before soccer practice, or that you feel ignored when your spouse doesn't ask how your day went?

But sadly, love doesn't give you the ability to read minds. And in the end, we learn the lesson again and again, we have to verbalize our feelings, our needs, our wants. Expecting your partner to anticipate your needs is guaranteed to end badly.

It's the same with God, even though, oddly enough, He does have the ability to read minds. But He still desires us to explain ourselves to Him, doesn't He? "I'm feeling scared of this." "I'm really worried about that." "God, I think I need x, y and z. Help me. Please."

Jesus slept on that boat, as it was tossed and turned by the waves, until his disciples woke him. "Why were you sleeping?" they ask. Well, geniuses, he was sleeping because they hadn't woken him up yet. They had wasted time cowering in fear, waiting for him to act. They gave him the silent treatment and they didn't even know it.

God doesn't desire us to verbalize our needs as a way of keeping us submissive. He's not that petty. What He desires is the communication — that's what really counts. That act of opening yourself up, of becoming vulnerable, of relying on Him, trusting Him. If it feels like God is asleep in your life, ask yourself this, have you tried waking Him up? — Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS ©LPI

Readings for the Week

Sunday	Jb 38:1, 8-11/2 Cor 5:14-17 Mk 4:35-41
Monday	Gn 12:1-9/Mt 7:1-5
Tuesday	Gn 13:2, 5-18/Mt 7:6, 12-14
Wednesday	Gn 15:1-12, 17-18/Mt 7:15-20
Thursday	Is 49:1-6/Acts 13:22-26 Lk 1:57-66, 80
Friday	Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22/Mt 8:1-4
Saturday	Gn 18:1-15/Mt 8:5-17

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24/2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15
Mk 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b-43

"Do not be afraid; just have faith."

Questions of the Week

First Reading:

Much of the book of Job addresses the mystery of suffering and God's role in human affairs. Today we hear part of God's response to Job's questioning with images of the sea and raging waters, representing God's power and omniscience. What helps remind you it is God who governs the universe with purpose and fidelity?

Second Reading:

Paul encouraged the Corinthians to have the conviction of faith that since Christ died for all, believers should now live for him. In doing so, we become a "new creation." How have you seen this happen in your life as a person of faith?

Gospel:

Early in their following of Jesus, the disciples' witness of the miracle of Jesus calming the storm at sea led them to ask: "Who then is this whom even wind and sea obey?" How would you explain to others who wonder about the divinity of Jesus?

Mass INTENTIONS

June 21 - 27, 2021

Monday	8:30 am	For Our Homebound Members
Tuesday	8:30 am	+ Tracy Swain (req by Corpus Christi Parish)
Wednesday	<i>No Mass or Communion Service</i>	
Thursday	8:30 am	<i>Communion Service</i>
Friday	8:30 am	<i>Communion Service</i>
Saturday	4:00 pm	For Those Who Are Caregivers
Sunday	9:00 am	For the People of Corpus Christi
Sunday	11:00 am	+ Lorraine Taylor (req by Mary Mathis)

Please Pray for Those with Covid-19:

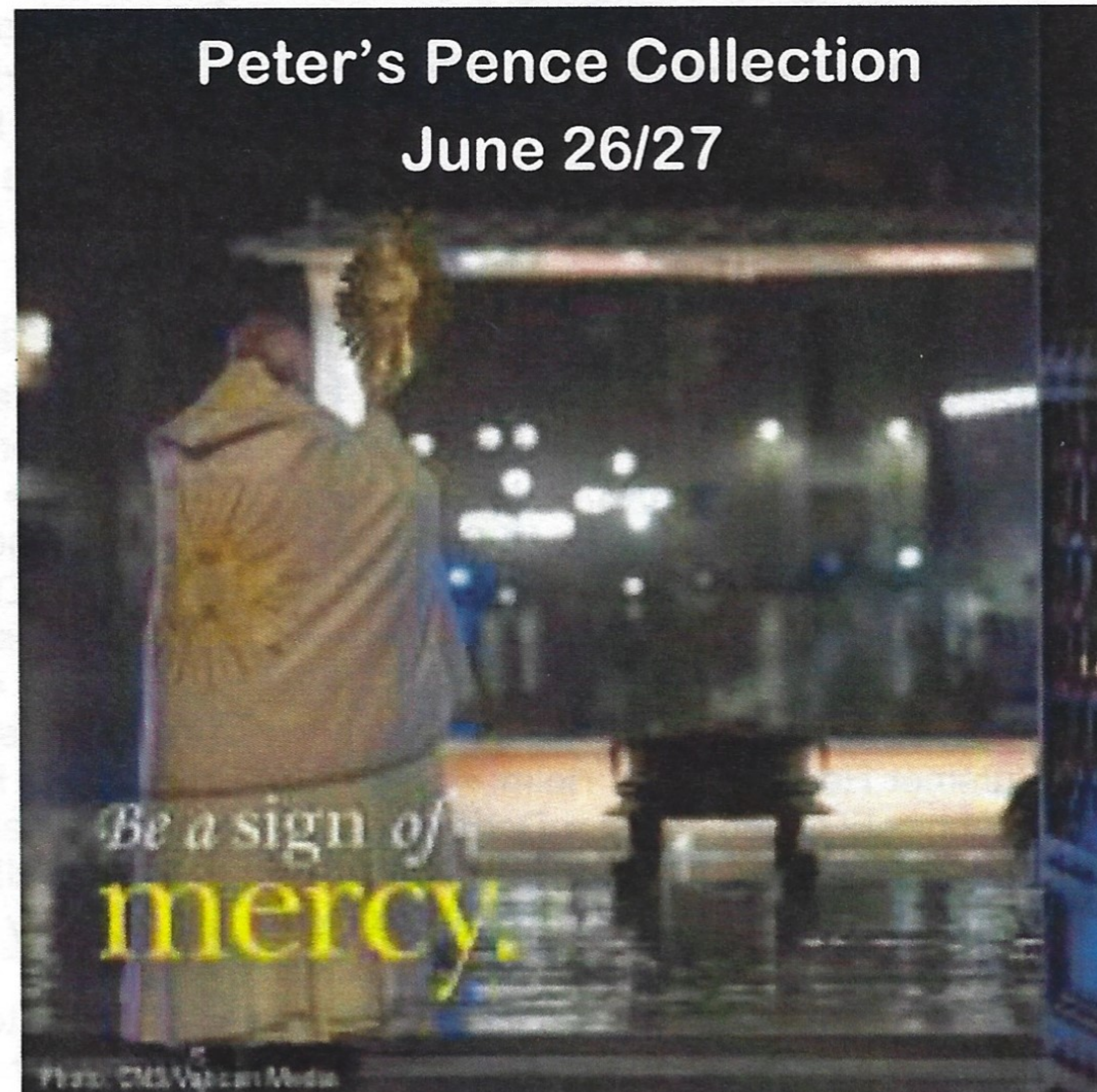
Christopher Davis • Sr. Elizabeth Flaherty • Dee Hunt
• Christopher Johnson • Cassandra Lowe • Patrick O'Neill • Sean O'Neill • Jean Rooney • David Slaughter
• Matt Smale • Michelle Talley • Juan Windham



As of Saturday, May 22, those who are fully vaccinated are not required to wear a mask or social distance, though they certainly can continue to do so if they wish. Those who are not vaccinated are asked to please continue to wear a mask and social distance. We expect there will be both vaccinated and unvaccinated persons wearing masks and continuing to social distance.

You are encouraged to show compassion to one another and avoid any judgment of others and their personal decisions in these matters. An additional consideration for the sake of charity may be for vaccinated persons not wearing a mask to put on a mask when not social distancing, though this is not a requirement of the new guidelines.

Our medical grade air purifiers will continue to run during the masses and those distributing Holy Communion will wear masks while distributing communion with sanitized hands. At this time, we are unable to offer the Precious Blood during Holy Communion.



The Peter's Pence Collection occurs yearly on the Sunday closest to June 29, the Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, as a sign that Catholics around the world are joined together in support of the Holy Father.

Next weekend, we will take up the Peter's Pence Collection, which unites us and Catholics around the world more closely with the Holy Father in two ways: it supports the structures of the Holy See through which the Pope governs the Church as well as his charitable efforts to assist victims of war, oppression, natural disasters, and others most in need.

Please be generous. For more information, visit <http://www.peterspence.va/en.html>.

Please Pray for Our Deceased Loved Ones:

Edward Bejesky (6/6) uncle of Andrea Baier and Mary Mathis
 John Meakin (6/6) lifelong friend of Paul Billion
 Brian Schmitz (6/7) nephew of Sr. Ellen Schmitz
 Rosemary Friend (6/13) former member of the parish



Please Pray for Our Sick Members:

Ken Alexander Sr. • Tony Baines • Ken Banka • Doris and Paul Billion • Marcelle Blackmon • Tanisha Bronaugh • Faye Chennault-Johnson • Jefferie Cook Sr • Karen Cook • Terrie Craighead-Henderson • Sheri Dargin • Cid Davis • Mary Davis • Kevin DeMatas • David Derouselle Sr • Renita Fletcher • Roy Ford • Bernadette and Tom Foster • Connie Gant • Richard Grace • Gary Greening • Virginia Harkey • Clint Harris • Irma Horton • Lynn James • John Johnson • Roswitha Jordan • Fannie Larkins • Myrna Leonard • Marilyn Lewandowski • Sharon Lewis • Nancy Loper • Lori Love • Felicia McPherson-Watts • Kathy Montgomery • Shirley Myles • Yve Nemeth • Helen Parkman • Vernard Plain • Thelma Polley • Joy Robinson • Elyse Ryder • Michael Sands • Pauline Simpson • Paula Springer • Donna Storie • Colletta Sykes • Brendia Thomas • Charlotte Turner • Harold Unsleber • Adele Waddell • Kathy Wilson • Dolores Wodarski

Please Pray for Our Homebound Members:

Jackie Bodenhorn • Evelyn Brantley • Beverly Brown-Johnson • Angeline Butler • Joe and Michelle Cagle • Clairmina Danjou • Vivian Dorsey • Ella Goldsmith • Sr. Rachelle Harper • Sr. Stephanie Holub • Ed and Mary Catherine Hustoles • Sharon Lewis • Clemencia Massey • Beatrice Neail • Margaret Nielsen • Shirley Oldenburg • John Onwudinjo • Sue Padalino • Milford Raines • Hulda Reed • Isiah Searls • Joseph Shelton • Mary Pat Shelton • Bernice Slaughter • Irene Williford • Joyce Wilson • Audrey Zielinski

Please Pray for Our Relatives and Friends:

Susan Absher • Jim Agnello • Duncan Alfes • Gloria Alexander • Cynthia Archer-Gift • Dana Porter Ashton • Jene Baldwin • Sue Bates • Marie Beard • Joan Beckley-Fletcher • Kenneth Black • Laurie Bogart • Malcom Boudreaux • Bryan Bowman • Bria Brown • Ron Brown • James Bryant • Pam Buck • Ernest Cabule • Michael Derrick Cade • Jenny Churchill • Scott Clinton • Leah Closson • Perry Conway • Nancy Copeland • Ronald Crane • Betty Cross • Barbara Cywka • Chuck Davis • Natacha Desir • Shannon Dodd • Jerry Douglas • Chris Downing • Elizabeth Downing • Anita Eans • Lloyd Earl • Memphis Edison • Virginia Etherly • Joseph Evans • Stephen Farkus • Barbara Ford • Kyle Foster • Jerry and Patricia Franks • Mavis Frazer • Barbara Gay • Nestelyn Gay • Elwood Gneckow • Becky Goodrich • Marlene Grant • Morty Green • Jerry Grondin • Alfonso Harris • Millie Harris • Sharon Harris • Lisa Harston-LeDoux • Bob and Jane Hazen • Arvin Heath • Donna Hebel • Summer Henry • Carol Holm • Sullivan Horton • Jean Houck • Jeranne Jackson • Robert Jarey • Aliyaa John • Arnim Johnson • El Caleb Jones • Dorie Kaiser • Fr. Larry Kaiser • Bill Kelley • Joe Kieffer • Kristin Kingzett • Katie Lutz Kissell • Erin Knight • Fred Kolp • Paul Kruszewski • Emilia Kullman • Marta Lagos • Antoinette Litzinger • Anthony Lorenger • Shannon Lorenger • Michael Mathis • Lisa Renee McCrary • Scott McDonald • Ethan McMaster • Anthony McNeal • Michael McNeece • John and Mary Jo Meakin • Ashley Melonson • Jerry Mercier Jr • Marilyn Mills • Ben Miller • Charlotte Miller • Robert Miller Jr • Darwin Mills • Florence Mills • Willard Mitchell • James Molloy • Karen Momper • Elizabeth Moore • Shirley V. Moore • Glinda Moorer • Verita Morris • Pierce Mueller • Joyce Mulhall • Mignon Murray • Sara Nell-Wallace • Margaret Nelson • Ernestine Nimmons • Charles Nutt • Charlotte, Donna, John and Tyler O'Neill • Patty Page • Celena Parker • Willie Parker Jr. • Paula Parham • Cyndi Pask • James Pefley • Alicia Penman • Ethel Person • Marquon Perry • Matt Phillips • Reginald Phillips • Anthony Plain • Erin Plain • Robin Rau • David Remo • Sandra Reynolds • Michael Rice • Matthew Rich • Viola Richborge • Dorothy Roberson • Crystal Roberts • Eugene Rohde • Alfredo Rojas • Jean Rooney • Patrick Ryder • Frank Salem • Sherry Samuel • Ethel Mae Sanders • Larry Schneider • Mildred Scott • Alice Sheehan • Larry Shelton • Lenny Simmons • Sierra Simmons • Curtis Simpson Sr. • Donald Sims Sr. • Annice Sisco • Bee Smale • Emily Smale • Elizabeth Smith • Kathy Smith • Tyrone Smith • Beverly Sneed • Tom and Dorothy Sobota • Nicholas Stephens • Rochelle Stewart • Trevor Sullivan • Kevin Sweeney • Frances Sykes • Patt Taylor -Braxton • Anne Thieman • Rick Thompson • Carolyn Thrash • Johnny Townsend • Gerry Tremonti • Amy Turner • Eleanor Ursalan • Al Victors • Alicia Walker • Kelley Walker • Lance Walker • Andrea Weaver • Alonzo Wesley • Brady Wesley • The Wheeler Family • Ruth Wilson • Barbara Woods • Doris Woody • Kyle Yanke • Max Yanke

Please Pray for Those in the Military:

Caija Campbell (Army) • Anthony Carson (Army) • Thomas Dixon (Navy) • Anthony Ford (Army) • Nick Goodrich (Army) • Anthony Hollins Jr. (Army) • Jonah and Jon LaTour • John Maurer (Air Force) • Robbie Mayes (Marines) • Christopher Maniere (National Guard) • Lance Walker II (Army)



Congratulations to those who celebrated
Sacraments of Initiation at Corpus Christi:

Baptism

Michael Ejiogu

son of Charles and Lillian Ejiogu
baptized May 23, 2021

Leanna and Leora Ejimakor

daughters of Humphrey and Prisca Ejimakor
baptized May 30, 2021

Confirmation

Valerie Abulu

Chioma Dike

Maryann Kalu

Vitaliy Koponen

Manny DeCenso

Gabriella Nielsen

confirmed June 12, 2021



Congratulations!

High School

Destini Caldwell

Jalen Rose Leadership Academy
Fall: Grand Valley State University

James Hines

Detroit Edison Public High School Academy
Fall: WC3 and the University of MI, Dearborn

Justin Martin

Bradford Academy, Southfield
Fall: Central State University, Ohio

Udoka Osuoha

Thurston High School in Redford
Fall: University of Michigan, Dearborn

College

Stacy Jones Brown

Associate of Arts in Ministry
Sacred Heart Major Seminary

Still Considering a CSA Pledge?

Help us meet the parish goal by completing the card you received in the mail or use the form below (be sure to complete both sides). Make checks payable to "Archdiocese of Detroit (CSA)." and **mail your pledge to Archdiocese of Detroit, PO Box 6047, Albert Lea MN 56007-6647**. Please do not mail or drop off your pledge card at the parish. The AOD is handling the processing of all CSA pledges.



Parish: Corpus Christi Parish, Detroit, Detroit - 266

YES, I/We want to support our parishes, schools, priests, seminarians, families, the poor and other ministries.

☐ **My Gift Amount: \$** _____
Initial gift: \$ _____
Balance: \$ _____

☐ Unable to donate at this time, but will pray for the success of the appeal

Please consider one of these gift options this year.
Suggested Payment Plans

Gift Amount	10 payments
\$1,200	\$120
\$1,000	\$100
\$900	\$90
\$800	\$80
\$700	\$70
\$600	\$60
\$500	\$50
\$400	\$40
\$300	\$30
\$200	\$20
\$100	\$10

Any sacrificial gift you can make to the **2021 Appeal** is greatly appreciated!

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Payment Details:

If you choose to give online please DO NOT return this card.

Pledge Givers Only

Please mail my statements

☐ Monthly ☐ Quarterly

Campaign ends
May 15, 2022

One-Time Givers Only

☐ I have enclosed a check for the full amount
(Checks payable to the Archdiocese of Detroit CSA)

See the back for other giving options

Please indicate your language preference if other than English (we hope to be able to provide in the future):

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This new program is designed around the Encounter-Grow-Witness paradigm of *Unleash the Gospel* by focusing on equipping catechists to be more effective in forming others through their personal discipleship and witness.

The program is designed specifically for those serving in a catechetical ministry and those Catholics seeking to learn more about their faith and explore Catholic ministry. To learn more, visit www.shms.edu/catechist.

FAMILIES OF PARISHES Meet the Family!

If you missed the first two gatherings for our Family of Parishes, you can still view and hear the videos of the gatherings. The link is:
<https://aod.box.com/s/ed9pxz30efbky6gsey1ri0ni003eg2qn>

Our Family's next gathering is **Friday, July 16 from 7:00 – 9:00 pm** at St. Scholastica Parish. The focus of this third gathering is to encourage Family members to bear witness to the Gospel as a Family, receiving the grace that comes through sharing of faith and attracting others to encounter with Jesus Christ. A Family comes together as a community of faith whose purpose is to grow individually and in number by reaching out to those who do not know Christ.

This gathering will be held "in person" only. Register to attend at www.fopgatherings.org.



Ken Alexander Sr., member of Corpus Christi Parish, has been placed on a kidney transplant list and is asking for prayers that he finds a donor (must have blood type B+). If you would like to contact Ken, call 313-728-2530.

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Please return this pledge card to: **Archdiocese of Detroit, PO Box 6047, Albert Lea, MN 56007-6647**

Help Wanted

Corpus Christi Parish is seeking a part time Maintenance Assistant. Must be at least 18 years old and have a valid driver's license. Two to three days a week, 12 to 18 hours. For more information, please contact Carolyn Wilson, Director of Operations at:

313-537-5770

carolyn.wilson@corpuschristi-detroit.org

Volunteer Spotlight

Join the VON Ministry!

The Visiting Our Neighbors (VON) Ministry needs more team members to help make visits to neighborhoods and storefronts in our parish boundaries. Visits are made on Saturday mornings at 11 am (meet in the church at 10:30 am) and Tuesday evenings at 6:30 pm (meet in the church at 6 pm). The ministry begins with prayer in church before going out to make visits. You can participate every week, every other week, some weeks on Saturday or Tuesday. You can also come to church to pray with the teams before they go into the "mission field." For more information, contact **Jeff Smale**, **Paul Moore**, or **Deacon Paul Mueller**. Please give this ministry some prayerful consideration!

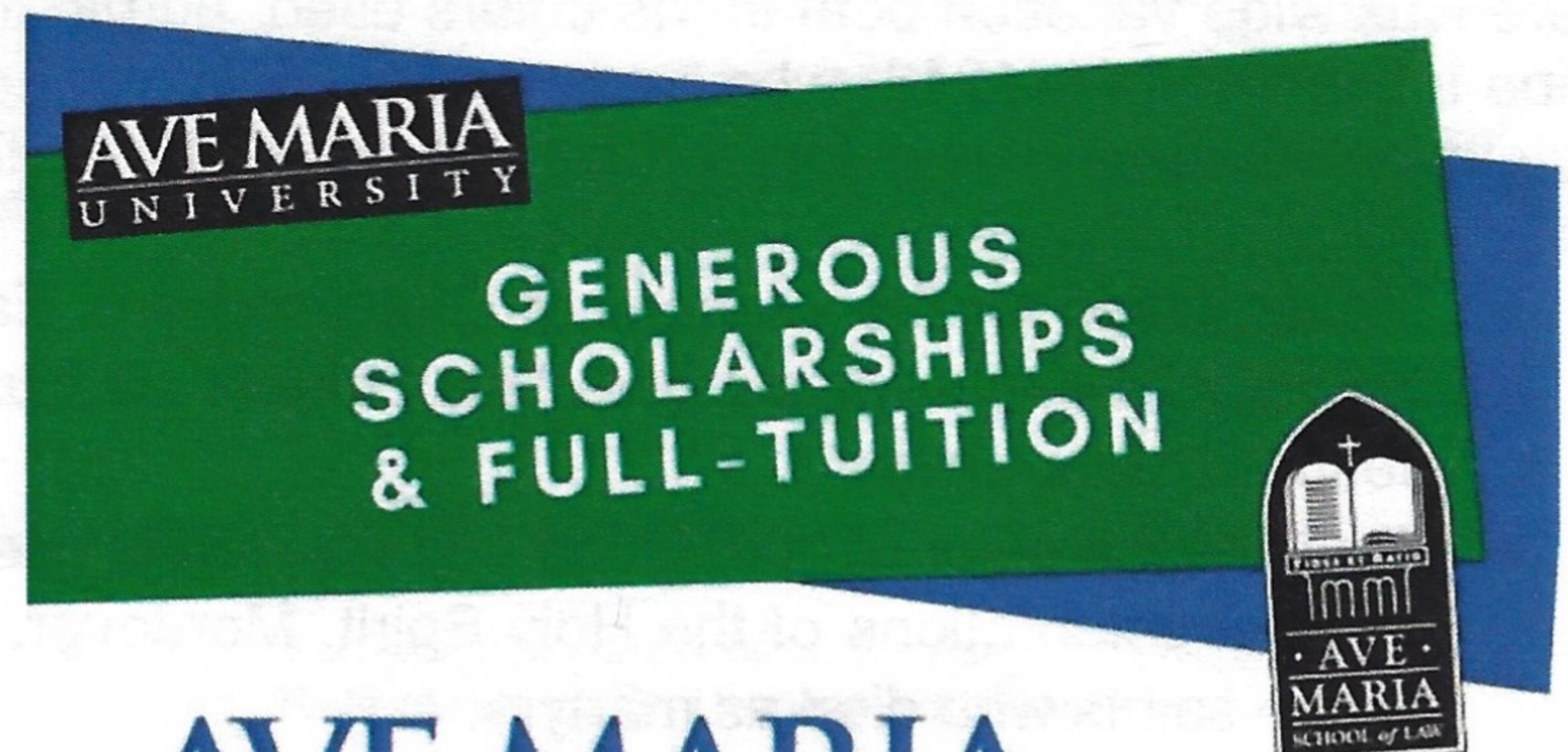
Corpus Christi Senior Adult Fellowship

The next Senior Zoom will be this **Friday, June 25 at 11:00 am**. Join parish seniors for a discussion about "in person" meetings and possible outings when the church bus is available again. Please contact Cheryl Hill for the link.

COMMUNITY NEWS

The Detroit Catholic Clergy Alliance (DCCA) has resumed its community Peace Walks. Corpus Christi will host a Peace Walk on **Friday, August 20 at 6 pm**.

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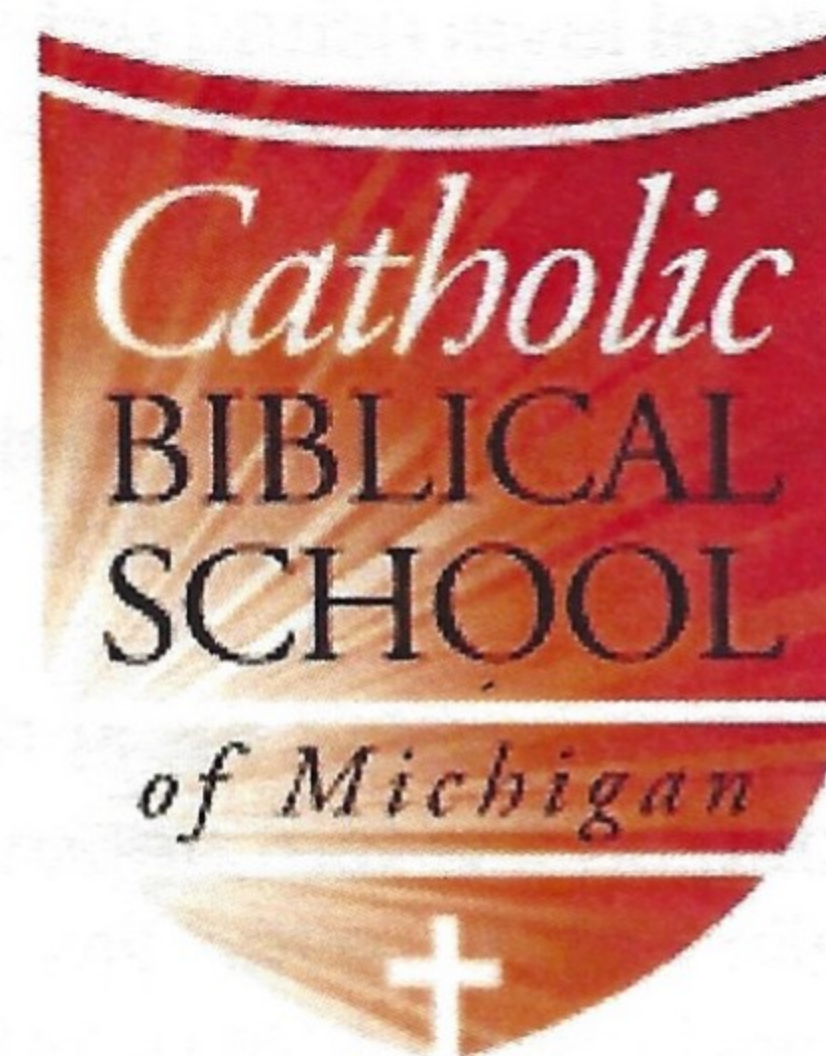
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Let the Bible come to life for you through live, expert teaching. CBSM's Year A Created For Covenant bible study class will be held from Sep – May. Learn more about this opportunity for renewal through the Scriptures by attending one of their Information Nights.

At Our Lady Queen of Martyrs, Beverly Hills

(all are from 7-8 pm in the Parish Social Hall)

Tuesday June 22, Thursday July 29, or Wednesday August 25

On Zoom (videoconference or dial-in)

Sunday June 27, 8 pm, Saturday July 17, 9 am, or Friday Aug 27, 8 pm

Visit <https://cbsmich.org/infonights> for more details.

Why Do We Do That? – Catholic Life Explained

Question:

What do the colors of the priest's and deacon's vestments mean?

Answer:

In the Roman Rite of the Catholic Church, the colors of the vestments evolved over the course of several centuries and there was wide variation both in the colors used, and in the feasts and seasons associated with particular colors. It was Pope Innocent III (d. 1216) who gave us the basic outline that was later prescribed by Pope Saint Pius V in 1570. The various colors remind us of the dominant themes of a particular season or celebration.

- White: Used for the seasons of Christmas and Easter and in celebrations of the Lord, of Mary, the angels, and saints who were not martyrs. This color is also used in Masses for the dead, at baptisms, weddings and other festive celebrations.
- Red: As the color of both blood and fire, red is used on Palm Sunday and Good Friday, as well as Pentecost and special celebrations of the Holy Spirit. Moreover, red is used on the feasts and memorials of the Apostles and those saints who died as martyrs.
- Violet: The color for Advent and Lent. Violet may also be used in Masses for the dead and on All Souls Day (November 2).
- Green: A color of life and hope, green is used throughout Ordinary Time.

Other colors: Rose may be used on the Third Sunday of Advent and the Fourth Sunday of Lent, black may be used in Masses of the dead and on All Souls Day, gold or silver may be used on solemn occasions in place of white, red, or green.

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