

# FIFTEENTH SUNDAY

*in Ordinary Time*

**Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church**  
**July 16, 2017**

*T*his is why I speak to them in parables, because 'they look but do not see and hear but do not listen or understand.'

Matthew 13:13

*P*or eso les hablo en parábolas, porque miran, y no ven; oyen, pero no escuchan ni entienden.

Mateo 13:13

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Monday-7:00 p.m., Wednesday-Friday: 8:30 a.m.

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## Around the Table

Rev. Denis B. Theroux, Pastor

### The Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dear Friends,

One of the common expressions that we often hear to describe a person who has been deteriorating in prison for a long time, perhaps even under a life sentence, is that he or she is “rotting away.” This expression conveys, I think, the profound sense of frustration, of uselessness, for the person who is in such circumstances. He is in a kind of dead-end situation in which he has no future, and there is no longer any point or purpose to his life.

We all know from various stories or newspaper articles we have read, or movies we have watched, how true this is. In a rare instance, we may hear of a person who makes the best of his situation in this confinement that seems so futile and useless. He or she may produce something worthwhile. Certainly, there have been prisoners who have written books that are of great value to the human race. Some years ago, there was a movie called ***The Bird Man of Alcatraz*** about a prisoner who did some very valuable and worthwhile research on birds which has since been of great benefit to all of us. But mostly this is an exception. The more common experience of prisoners seems to be one of languishing there or, as we say, “rotting” away. They experience a profound sense of lack of purpose and of despair, especially if they are there for life or there is very little hope of being released soon.

This vivid image of the wastefulness and futility in the life of the prisoner is something of the way St. Paul describes creation and the state of humankind before the coming of Jesus. He says that “**creation was made subject to futility,**” and the definition of futility contains the idea of uselessness, of lack of purpose. In his Letter to the Romans, St. Paul also uses the word “decay” or “corruption,” which catches the common image of a prisoner “rotting” away in a prison. Thus, before the coming of Jesus, humankind, was indeed much like a person in prison. But St. Paul reassures us, “**Creation itself would be set free from slavery to corruption and share in the glorious freedom of the children of God.**”

One can only imagine the tremendous sense of joy on the part of the prisoner who unexpectedly receives word that he or she is soon going to be free. Perhaps, he or she has been given an official pardon by the Governor or even the President. What was once, then, a sense of uselessness and waste can now become a sense of profound joy and gratitude for his release. Unfortunately, we know that many prisoners, when they are released from prison often go back to their “old way of life.” But sometimes they realize their freedom and can take joy in it and even have a sense of gratitude for it. This latter experience would describe our condition as followers of Jesus, as Christians.

We realize that without Jesus we would indeed be, as St. Paul said, “subjected to futility” and “in a sense of corruption or decay.” But realizing that we are now free from that, we can truly be joyful and express our sense of gratitude and our recognition of the source of our true freedom. Just as the prisoner who is unexpectedly given a pardon by a government official, even though it isn’t particularly due to any merit on his part, so we rejoice in our own sense of pardon by Jesus coming into the world. This was certainly not due to any merit on our part. But regardless of our merit, pardon has been granted to us, and St. Paul wants to be sure we know that. Paul wants to reassure us that we are no longer prisoners, that our lives are not futile and useless. We are truly free because we are “children of God” through Jesus who died for us. And through his death he gave new purpose and meaning to our lives.

Living in the freedom of God’s children, *Father Denis*

#### Parish Office Now Open on Sundays

Office Hours: 8:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

The Parish Office is now open on Sundays from 8:30 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. If you are new to the Parish and would like to register, need a Mass card, or have general office needs, please stop in. The Parish Office can be found by simply walking towards the restrooms from Church and then down the hall before getting to the exit doors.

Save the Date!

#### Our Lady of Victory Annual Parish Picnic

Sunday, September 10, 2017

11:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Cass Benton Park, in Northville

MASS \* LUNCH \* GAMES



## The Archdiocese of Detroit and CCSEM invite you to



### UNLEASH THE GOSPEL

"Effective witness to Jesus has these attractive qualities: joy, hospitality and generous service to the poor and the marginalized."

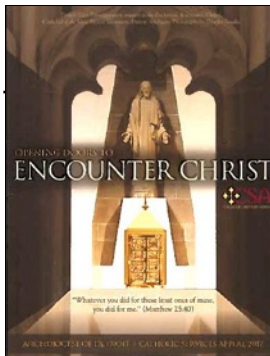
Archbishop Allen H. Vigneron  
*Unleash the Gospel Pastoral Letter*

### Volunteer for Life Remodeled in Central Detroit

Be one of 17,000 volunteers on a six-day beautification blitz in central Detroit neighborhoods surrounding Sacred Heart Major Seminary, St. Charles Lwanga and St. Moses the Black parishes as part of Life Remodeled. Work ranges from sweeping, removing litter and brush, lawn mowing, painting and more. The project kicks off Monday, July 31 and runs through Saturday, August 5, 2017. Volunteers from AOD parishes, schools, ministries as well as Sacred Heart Major Seminary and Catholic Charities of Southeast Michigan are invited to serve.



For more information or to register, please visit [www.aod.org/liferemodeled](http://www.aod.org/liferemodeled).



### 2017 CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL

We are almost 90% of our goal! Thank you to all of the pledges that we have received so far!

<b>2017 CSA Parish Goal:</b>	<b>\$194,469</b>
<b>Amount Pledged to date:</b>	<b>\$155,572</b>
<b>Online Pledge Amount:</b>	<b>\$ 18,100</b>
<b>Balance:</b>	<b>(\$ 20,797)</b>
<b>Total Pledges:</b>	<b>411</b>

If you need another envelope, please call the Parish Office or make a donation online at <http://olv.aodcsa.org>. Thank you for your support!



### MINUTE Natural Family Planning

"It's time! Say 'Yes' to God's plan for married love" is the theme of National Natural Family Planning (NFP) Awareness Week 2017, held this July 23-29.

This annual campaign of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops celebrates God's design for married love and the gift of life and raises awareness of NFP methods. Gifts to the Catholic Services Appeal allow the archdiocesan Office for Natural Family Planning to offer classes in and presentations about NFP methods.

To kickoff NFP Awareness Week, the Office for Natural Family Planning is hosting a family picnic with the Couple to Couple League at Milverton Park, in Troy, from 1-4 p.m. on Sunday, July 23. RSVP by calling (313) 451-4637.

For more information about CSA-funded programs, ministries, and services, please go to [www.AOD.org](http://www.AOD.org).

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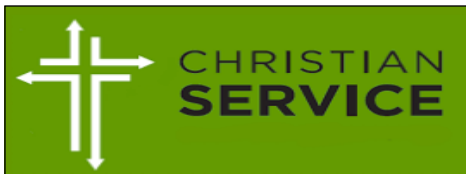
NINE JULY NIGHTS OF HERITAGE, DIVERSITY, AND PRAYER

TUE 18	<b>IRISH</b>	CELEBRANT: FR. GRAYSON HEENAN MUSIC: IRISH ACCORDIAN AND BAGPIPER CALLUM MACNEAL
WED 19	<b>ASIAN</b>	CELEBRANT: FR. HOANG LAM MUSIC: 60+ VOICE FILIPINO CHOIR AND VIETNAMESE CHILDREN'S CHOIR
THU 20	<b>POLISH</b>	CELEBRANT: FR. ZIGMOND OSTROWSKI MUSIC: FILARETS POLISH CHOIR
FRI 21	<b>ALBANIAN</b>	CELEBRANT: FR. NJE DIERGJ AND FR. FREDERIK KALAJ MUSIC: ST. PAUL ALBANIAN CONTEMPORARY CHRISTIAN BAND
SAT 22	<b>LATINO</b>	CELEBRANT: FR. BETO ESPINOZA MUSIC: LATINO CONTEMPORARY CHRISTIAN BAND
SUN 23	<b>FRENCH</b>	CELEBRANT: MSGR. KOSANKE, PASTOR MUSIC: SPECIAL GUEST
MON 24	<b>CHALDEAN</b>	CELEBRANT: CHALDEAN BISHOP FRANCIS KALABAT MUSIC: CHALDEAN CONTEMPORARY CHRISTIAN BAND
TUE 25	<b>AFRICAN-AMERICAN</b>	CELEBRANT: FR. PARKER MUSIC: THE WARD FAMILY GOSPEL CHOIR
WED 26	<b>FEAST DAY</b>	CELEBRANT: ARCHBISHOP ALLEN H. VIGNERON MUSIC: STE. ANNE MUSICIANS, BAGPIPER BRENDAN O'LEARY, AUDIWI VOCAL ENSEMBLE

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DAILY MASSES  
MAIN CHURCH: MON-SAT @ 7 P.M. & SUNDAY @ 12 NOON  
MASSES ALSO HELD IN THE CHAPEL AT 12 NOON





### Catholic Social Teachings-July Theme: *Solidarity- Loving Our Neighbor Locally and Globally*

*From Michael Hovey's brochure "Major Themes of Catholic Social Teachings"*

*"We are all brothers and sisters of one God., one human family. We are our brothers' and sisters' keepers, wherever they live. We are one human family, whatever our national, ethnic, racial, economic or ideological differences. Learning to practice the virtue of solidarity means learning that "loving our neighbor" has global dimensions in an interdependent world. In recognizing our solidarity, we recognize the truth that we are indeed the body of Christ."*



### Blood Drive Coordinator Needed

OLV is in need of a new Blood Drive Coordinator. The blood drive is scheduled three times a year (September, January and April/May), from 7:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. Please contact that Parish Office, if you are interested in helping to continue this wonderful event. If we get more than one coordinator we can split the shift in two. Think about it. The need is great



### Support Our Unique Learners(S.O.U.L.)

The 7th Annual Strides for SOUL 5k Run, Walk or Roll at Mercer Beach, in Walled Lake, is Saturday, August 5. Come join us for food, fun, exercise and the opportunity to support children with special learning needs. Register at [runsignup.com](http://runsignup.com) or Strides for Soul 5K Run, Walk or Roll on Facebook.



### Faith Communities Coalition on Foster Care Monthly Spotlight

Every month, we will be introducing foster children looking for "Forever Families" to our community. Please check out the bulletin board in the Gathering Space and remember to pray for these children who would love to be adopted. Is God nudging you to find out more about foster parenting, adopting, mentoring or giving respite care? Talk with experienced foster and adoptive parents who can provide answers. Contact the Foster Care Navigator Program at (855) MICKID, [www.fcnp.org](http://www.fcnp.org) or the Adoption Navigators at (800) 589-6273. For more information, you may contact the Michigan Adoption Resource Exchange at (734) 528-2070 or [www.mare.org](http://www.mare.org).

The numbers are sobering. Seventy percent of teens who emancipate from foster care report that they want to attend college, but fewer than ten percent who graduate from high school enroll in college, and of those less than one percent graduate from college. Approximately 13,000 children are in the Michigan foster care system at any given time. A growing number of Michigan youth are reaching adult age while in foster care and have no resources to attend college when they age out of the system.

### Statistics for Youth Leaving the Foster Care System are Tragic

- 1 in 5 or more will become homeless after age 18.
- 7 of 10 women will be pregnant by their 21st birthday.
- Just half will be employed at 24.
- Fewer than 3% will earn a college degree by 25.
- 1 in 4 will be incarcerated within two years of leaving foster care.

For more information or to make a donation, go to [fosteringfutures-mi.com](http://fosteringfutures-mi.com).



### Plymouth Salvation Army July Collection

Targeted items this month are: **paper towels, toilet paper, and kleenex boxes.** The Plymouth Salvation Army serves residents in Northville, Canton and Plymouth. Please be generous.



### Backpack & Summer School Supply Collection

To take advantage of the early sales, we are starting our Back To School Supply Collection now. Please place your donations in the designated bin in the Gathering Space.

**Supplies needed: backpacks, #2 pencils, colored pencils, washable markers (8 or 10 pack), loose leaf paper (wide and college ruled), composition notebooks (wide and college ruled), 1-3 subject notebooks (wide and college ruled), erasers, pens (red, blue and black), yellow highlighters, rulers, glue sticks and glue bottles, pocket folders, scissors (blunt and pointed), crayons (24 or 48 count) and 1 inch 3 ring.**

### Civic Concern Targeted Items for July

Targeted items for this month are: **paper products, cereal, canned fruit, soup, and canned meats.** Remember that Michigan Bridge cards will not cover the purchases of paper products so **toilet paper, paper towel, napkins and kleenex boxes** are constantly in demand and in low supply.

### St. Christine's Food Pantry: July Collection

Targeted items for this month are **peanut butter and jelly, cans of tuna, salmon or chicken, as well as rice and noodle dishes** please help us to continue to feed the hungry. Place all donated items in the designated bin near the stairwell leading to the Father Ernie Center. At the end of the month, we will be delivering the items to St. Christine's. **Anyone wishing to help serve by dropping off donated items to St. Christine's, may contact the Christian Service Office to make arrangements.**



### OLV St. Vincent de Paul Society Conference #437

In today's Gospel, we hear the story of the sower and we know that "some seed fell on rich soil, and produce fruit, a hundred or sixty or thirty fold."

***Your generous support of our OLV SVdP conference (both financial and by volunteering your time and talents) allows us to sow the seed of God's mercy and love to those in need within our community. Thank you!!***

**Please join us at our next meeting on Tuesday, July 25, at 7:00 p.m., in the St. John XXIII Room.**

Grow spiritually. Help those in need. Develop Christian friendships.

**Live Your Faith. Join the Society of St. Vincent de Paul®**

Since 1833, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul has been serving those in need. Young Adult Conferences now forming!



### How can you help sow the seeds of faith?

This weekend's gospel speaks to the heart of Catechesis and the handing on of the Good News of Jesus Christ. As a Catechist one is called to help sow the seed that will produce good fruit. Our world is full of alluring ways and detours that can distract one from his/her true purpose which is to serve God and each other! How this will look and how our faith and Church help to strengthen and nourish this mission is the curriculum of every Catechist! This process which is first begun in the family cannot be supported unless we have those who feel God's call to share this life giving faith with our young people. If you feel that you would like to develop the gift of being a Catechist or would like to share Jesus' Good News by assisting as aides, please call the Faith Formation Office!

### Christians Service Project Reflections from Our Confirmandi!

As a part of our Confirmation preparation process at OLV our young people are asked to write a reflection on a Christian Service project they have participated in during the past year. Many of our young people expressed some wonderful feelings and reactions about their project. I will be sharing some of these reflections during the next few weeks.

#### *Detroit Lions and Habitat for Humanity's Project "Home for the Holidays."*

Every year this non-profit organization provides a new home, complete with everything inside to a deserving low-income family. This was an eye-opening experience for me. I wanted to be part of providing a home for someone else that is so deserving. I firmly believe, "By serving others, we serve God." This is a perfect example. It was rewarding to be a part of such a life-changing moment for this family. I was happy to give my time. My parents are constantly reminding me how fortunate we are and this project helped me to realize that so many people around us don't even have a place of their own to call home. It opened my eyes to how so much of what I take for granted, others are extremely grateful to just have.

**-Luke Parambo**

#### *Holy Family Homeless Week*

I went to Holy Family and served the homeless. I chose this event because I like making food and interacting with others. During this project, I realized how thankful I should be and that even in my toughest times have hope because people have it worse. Before the homeless people arrived, I was scared because I thought they would be scary. I soon realized that they were just like us. This really changed the way I looked at them. The only question I have is why does Jesus let people suffer if he wants the best for us? Being Jesus to others made me feel really good about myself and it made me happy. I wish I could do it more often!

**-Briana Saez**

#### *Miracle League Baseball*

Miracle League Baseball gives special children a chance at playing sports while enjoying the fans who watch and support them. For my project, I volunteered to help be a 'buddy' to one of the kids. At first, I was nervous about doing Miracle League. Working with mentally and physically handicapped people seemed like a lot to handle. In the end, I was very happy that I stuck with it. I saw the struggle of parents who have to feed, play and parent children with disabilities. I saw some parents in tears as their child hit the ball and ran around the bases. It opened my eyes to how serious mental and physical disabilities are and how we should treat those who have it with extreme respect. Just as Jesus did, love my neighbor as I love myself.

**-Brady Butcher**



Mary Ellen Skene, Director



### DAVID WIDZINSKI

#### COMMUNITY GOLF CLASSIC

**Sunday, September 3, 2017**

Mass @ 9:00 a.m.

Catholic Central High School

Golfer registration @ 11:00 a.m.

Shot gun start at noon

Dinner @ 6:30 p.m. followed by dancing

#### **Tanglewood Golf Course**

53503 W. Ten Mile Rd., South Lyon  
Golf, dinner & dancing - \$100 per golfer  
Dinner & dancing only - \$33 per person

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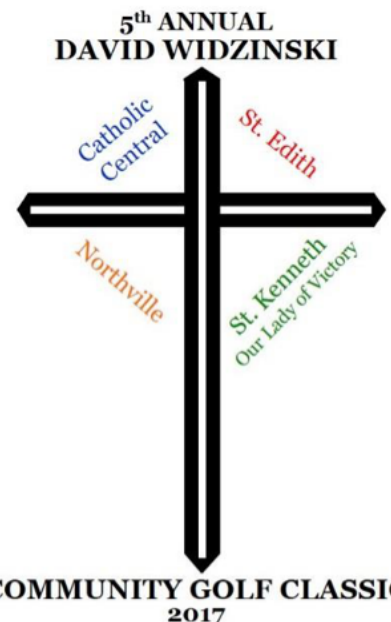
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## KNIGHTLY NEWS

### Fifth Sunday Rosary Sunday, July 30, after 9:30 a.m. Mass

We continue to celebrate the 100th anniversary of Our Lady's appearances to the three peasant children (Jacinta, Francisco, and Lucia) in Fatima, Portugal, in 1917. When Mary appeared to them on July 13, 1917, they received the Fatima prayer from Our Lady which is often inserted after completing a full decade of the Rosary. Oh my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of Hell and lead all souls to Heaven, especially those in most need of your mercy. The world today is especially in need of His mercy. The next Fifth Sunday Rosary will take place on Sunday, July 30. Please join the Knights of Columbus to pray the rosary in the church following the 9:30 a.m. Mass. All are welcome!



### Vocation Day for 7th Grade Students

The Office of Priestly Vocations is hosting five Junior High Vocation Days at Sacred Heart Major Seminary. It is an opportunity for seventh grade boys and girls to learn more about the vocations of Priesthood and Consecrated Life. The students will hear how others have come to understand their call from God, celebrate Mass with one of our Auxiliary Bishops in the beautiful seminary chapel, enjoy a delicious meal and tour the historic seminary. The selected dates are:

- o Tuesday, September 19, 2017
- o Wednesday, September 20, 2017
- o Tuesday, October 10, 2017
- o Wednesday, October 11, 2017
- o Wednesday, November 8, 2017

Space is limited. Reservations will be taken on a first come-first serve basis. If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact our office at (313) 868-7040. To register, go to: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/junior-high-vocation-day-registration-34282971290>



## Open Hands & Hearts Hospitality Ministry

*Tina Bak, Coordinator*

### Funeral Team Leaders are Needed

If you like to help plan, setup or cleanup events then we have a job for you! OLV hosts many events and fun activities for our parishioners throughout the year. We are especially in need of Funeral Team Leaders. Please call the Parish Office, if you would like to lend your talents to this ministry!



**MARIAN**  
Strong Women of Mind and Heart

Marian will be soon begin distributing personalized admission packages to students entering the 8th grade and eventually the high school class of 2022. In order to receive their own package, students should visit [www.marian-hs.org](http://www.marian-hs.org) and complete the **Inquiry** form.

Save the Date: Students in grades 4-8 are invited to attend Marian's Fall Open House on Sunday, November 5, 2017 from 1-4 PM.

Marian is a Catholic college preparatory school for young women, sponsored by the Sisters, Servants of the Immaculate Heart of Mary. For more information, contact the Office of Admission at (248) 644-1946 or [admission@marian-hs.org](mailto:admission@marian-hs.org). 7225 Lahser Road, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48301

[www.marian-hs.org](http://www.marian-hs.org)



### Altar Servers Wanted

Please note that during the summer months, there will be a sign-up sheet at each Mass for trained Altar Servers to be able to serve. You need to sign-in by writing your name at the podium in the Gathering Space at least 10 minutes before the start of Mass. From there, please enter the sacristy to dress into the alb.

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### Protecting God's Children Workshops

All parents who wish to help coach CYO sports or volunteer their time at OLV school (including field trips), must first complete a "Protecting God's Children" workshop. Each workshop lasts around 3 hours. Upcoming workshops scheduled in the area include:

**Saturday, August 5, 9:00 a.m., St. Joseph Parish, South Lyon**

**Monday, August 21, 6:00 p.m., St. Michael School, Livonia**

**Tuesday, September 12, 6:00 p.m., All Saints School, Canton**

**Thursday, October 12, 6:00 p.m., St. Fabian Parish, Farmington Hills**

— Go to [www.virtusonline.org](http://www.virtusonline.org) for the full schedule and to register. —



## Week at a Glance

### Monday, July 17

Devotional Prayer, 6:15 p.m., Church  
Mass, 7:00 p.m., Church  
AA Meeting, 7:30 p.m., Martha Mary

### Tuesday, July 18

Senior Card Club, 1 p.m., St. John XXIII

### Wednesday, July 19

Rosary, 8:05 a.m.  
Mass, 8:30 a.m., Church  
Contemporary Practice, 7 p.m., St. Cecelia

### Thursday, July 20

Rosary, 8:05 a.m.  
Mass, 8:30 a.m., Church  
NA Meeting, 6:00 p.m., Fr. Ernie

### Friday, July 21

Reconciliation, 7:45 a.m.  
Rosary, 8:05 a.m.  
Mass, 8:30 a.m., Church  
Eucharistic Adoration, 9:30 a.m., CH  
Adoration Closing, 11:30 a.m., CH

### Saturday, July 22

Reconciliation, 3:30 p.m.  
Mass, 5:00 p.m., Church

### Sunday, July 23

**Parish Office Open, 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m.**  
Mass, 7:30 a.m., Church  
Mass, 9:30 a.m., Church  
Mass, 11:30 a.m., Church

The seed that falls  
on good ground  
will yield a  
fruitful harvest.



## Readings of the Week: 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

<b>Monday</b>	<i>Ex 1:8-14, 22; Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8; Mt 10:34—11:1</i>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Saint Camillus de Lellis, Priest</b> <i>Ex 2:1-15a; Ps 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34; Mt 11:20-24</i>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<i>Ex 3:1-6, 9-12; Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 6-7; Mt 11:25-27</i>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Saint Apollinaris, Bishop and Martyr</b> <i>Ex 3:13-20; Ps 105:1 and 5, 8-9, 24-25, 26-27; Mt 11:28-30</i>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Saint Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest and Doctor of the Church</b> <i>Ex 11:10—12:14; Ps 116:12-13, 15 and 16bc, 17-18; Mt 12:1-8</i>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Saint Mary Magdalene</b> <i>Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18</i>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> <i>Wis 12:13, 16-19; Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16; Rom 8:26-27; Mt 13:24-43 or 13:24-30</i>



## Hello Sunshine!!

Summer time is great...but it doesn't bring an end to our worries, concerns or personal struggles. **Stephen Ministers** are here to offer a listening ear, prayers and support during the summer, too. We don't pack up and leave for a summer vacation!

Look at the Stephen Ministry heading on the parish website or call our confidential voice message box: **(248) 349-2621, ext. 482** and leave your name. A Stephen Minister Leader will return your call.



## Baptism Class

*OLV's Baptism Preparation and Formation class is held on the first Sunday of each month.*

*Our next class will be **Sunday, August 6, at 12:30 p.m.** Please call the Parish Office at (248) 349-2621 to register.*

## Article for the Bulletin...

If you wish to submit an article for publication in the Parish Bulletin, the deadline is **Wednesday, for the weekend ten days following. Flyers will only run for two weeks.**

If you have questions, feedback or wish to submit an article for publication, please contact the Bulletin Editor at [olvbuletin@olvnorthville.net](mailto:olvbuletin@olvnorthville.net) or leave a message at (248) 349-2621, ext. 253.

## Moving?

If you are moving, please help us keep our parish records current by notifying the office at (248) 349-2621 or [olvoffice@olvnorthville.net](mailto:olvoffice@olvnorthville.net).

Please contact us if there is a change of address, phone number, email address, or if you have found a new spiritual home. Thank you!



## OLV Dads' Club Annual Golf Outing

**Monday, September 25, 12:30 p.m. Start**

**Four Person Shamble (\$250 per player)**

**Western Golf & Country Club, Redford, MI**

Fee includes golf, golf balls, lunch, dinner, open bar after golf, \$50 gift card.

Prizes all day!



Register at [olvdadsclubgolfouting.golfgenius.com](http://olvdadsclubgolfouting.golfgenius.com). Help make this an amazing fundraiser for OLV!



## Those who need our prayers...

**Dear God,** we place our worries in your hands. We place our sick under your care and humbly ask that you restore your servants to health once more. Please remember to keep in prayer...

Matt Abraham	Jennifer Kuphal
Charles Adashek	Ted Lachowicz
Kathryn Allen	Toni Lachowicz
Ian Barret	Lawrence Larabell
Marie Beaghan	Suzanne Larabell
Carl Boyd	Kay Laurencelle
Gina Buchan	Rosemary Liedel
Barbara Burbo	Eileen Longsworth
Mary Anne Callahan	Sue McCann
Robert Clark	Carol McLoone
Robert Crawford	Jack McLoone
Kitty Culp	Maggie McQuillan-Key
Flora DiPardo	Maylene Naujokas
Eddie Fleming	Daniel Outwater
Carolyn Freebury	Patricia Outwater
Patrick Fries	Patrick Paquette
Judith Heary	Barb Place
Beth Hohenshil	Donald Rabahy
Stephen Helt	George Rau
James D. Johnson	Helen Schneider
Lois Johnston	Henry Sullivan
Mary Kate Jones	Sr. Maria of Jesus
Joan Koeppen	Jackson Stegmeyer
Peter Kovacs	Lillian Wiktor

Names are kept on the list for **four weeks**. If you wish to add or remove a name, please call the Parish Office at (248) 349-2621. Thank you!



## Pray For Those Who Serve in Our Military

Do you know someone who is serving in the military? Please call the Parish Office to add your loved one's name. Continue to pray for peace and for a lasting and peaceful solution to the world's conflicts.

MAJ Mikelle Adamczyk  
 USN Patrick Antio  
 SrA Olivia Azeez  
 CPT Barton Blackorby  
 USMC Kristopher Bledsoe  
 SSG Joshua Bullock  
 Sgt Jamie Bushman  
 ENS Hannah Constantakis  
 ENS Katelyn Constantakis  
 1LT Daniel Courtney  
 LT Michael Cullen  
 SPC Tyler DeBozy  
 MAJ David Faulk  
 Daniel Giraud  
 Sr. Airman Brian A. Hada  
 LT John J Hamann  
 Chief Matt Haydu  
 CPT Jay Heide  
 LTC Barbara Krause  
 LT Daniel Kuriluk  
 CPT Matthew Kuriluk  
 CPL Ben Maday  
 MAJ Shawn Magowan  
 Sgt Mark McGlynn  
 Sgt Alexandra McGlynn  
 Cpl James McGlynn  
 PFC Shawn M McHale  
 Chap. Tim Meier, SJ  
 Sgt. Steven Miller  
 SPC Lauren Moloney  
 WO1 Lincoln Moloney  
 CPT Rick Moreira, USMC  
 MAJ Michael T. Morrissey  
 DC3 SW Jeremy Nemeth  
 2LT Brett Quick  
 Capt. Garrett Quick  
 Capt. Mark Saurer  
 CPL USMC Gabriel Smith  
 SFC William Smith  
 PFC Nathan Swiger  
 LTC Christopher Wagner  
 MAJ Phillip Wiktor  
 LTJG Adam Williams

## Mass Intentions

### Monday, July 17

7:00 p.m. **Cecylia Viatto**  
 req. by The Family  
**Daniel Stedem**  
 req. by Mr. & Mrs. Dan Stedem

### Wednesday, July 19

8:30 a.m. **For School Children on Vacation**  
 req. by Fr. Denis & OLV Staff  
**Spec. Int. of Kevin Murphy**  
 req. by A Friend of the Family

### Thursday, July 20

8:30 a.m. **Angela Romagnoli**  
 req. by Merry Herdell

### Friday, July 21

8:30 a.m. **Elaine DiFazio**  
 req. by Rosemarie Denton

### Saturday, July 22

5:00 p.m. **Charles Marino**  
 req. by His Children  
**Elaine DiFazio**  
 req. by Maria Fucinari  
**Sandra Kay Harris**  
 req. by Virginia Benedict

### Sunday, July 23

7:30 a.m. **William Darish**  
 req. by Betty Jane Darish

9:30 a.m. **Richard Zabell**  
 req. by The Family  
**Clarence Ledford**  
 req. by John Olis  
**Spec. Int. of the Elliott Family**

11:30 a.m. **Val Rudolffi**  
 req. by The Rudolffi Family  
**Maria Angresola**  
 req. by Mr. & Mrs. Joe Breitenbeck  
**Araxie Shirlanian**  
 req. by Karen Bilyk  
**Donald Petrusha**  
 req. by Helen & Family



## Ministry Schedule

	Saturday, July 22	Sunday, July 23		
	5:00 p.m.	7:30 a.m.	9:30 a.m.	11:30 a.m.
Clergy	Fr. Denis Theroux	Fr. Denis Theroux	Fr. Denis Theroux	Fr. Dennis Kauffman
Lectors	George Mcleod Barb Desmond	Bette Fitz Paula Jones	David Heathcote Denise Weaver	Jim Ryan David Compo
Altar Servers	<p><b>There is no schedule for the summer months.</b>  <b>Please sign-up at the Gathering Space podium, if you are available to serve. Thank you!</b></p>			

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## SACRAMENTS, MINISTERIAL OUTREACH & FAITH SHARING at OLV

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**Baptisms:** Celebrated the third and fourth Sundays of the month following the 11:30 a.m. Mass. Call the Parish Office to register for the Baptism Preparation and Formation class held the first Sunday of the month. No Baptisms during Lent.

**First Eucharist:** Parents of children who need to be prepared to receive First Eucharist should contact the Director of Faith Formation, Mary Ellen Skene. Adults who wish to be prepared for First Eucharist should contact the RCIA Coordinator, Kathryn Ling.

**Reconciliation:** Celebrated every Saturday from 3:30-4:30 p.m.

**Holy Orders/Religious Vocations:** Anyone interested in learning more about vocations to the Priesthood or to consecrated religious life should contact the Archdiocesan Office for Vocations at (313) 237-5875.

**Confirmation:** Adults who have not been confirmed are invited to call the Parish Office to arrange for classes. Adults may be confirmed along with our students or on Pentecost Sunday at the Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament.

**Marriage** Couples are invited to call the Parish Office, minimally six months in advance, to prepare for and schedule their marriage.

**Sacrament of Anointing** is celebrated after the 9:30 a.m. Mass on the first Sunday of every month.

**Funerals:** Please contact the Parish Office so that we may walk this journey with you.

**RCIA:** The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is for anyone inquiring about the Catholic Faith or who wishes to deepen their own understanding of the Catholic Faith. You are invited to call the RCIA Coordinator, Kathryn Ling, for more information on meeting dates and times.

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