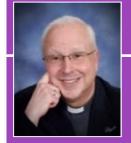
SUNDAY | MARCH 12, 2023

Third Sunday

Our Lady of Victory

Catholic Church

"As Disciples of Jesus Christ, we are a giving, growing Catholic family. Through the intercession of Mary, we worship, we pray, we study, we serve and we witness in Faith."



AROUND THE TABLE

HOPE

Rev. Denis B. Theroux, Pastor

Third Sunday of Lent

Dear friends,

Like many of us, the woman at the well, "has a history, a story." Things done and left undone, some good some not so good. Guilty feelings and life-time regrets. She is filled with fears, wounds and sorrows. Lots of secrets, too... She is a woman with a past.

If you study the history of this text, read a variety of commentaries, maybe even listen to a podcast or two, you will learn that her past is generally seen as one of the "material of gossip!" The evidence? Five spouses and now living unmarried with a sixth man. And the woman in the story... oh she's looked at but not seen, labelled but nameless. She remains unknown to everyone. Everyone, that is, except Jesus.

How easily we forget that women of her day had very little choice or control over their own lives. If she is divorced it is because the men divorced her. She had no right of divorce. That was exclusively the man's right. Maybe it was a just divorce but

often it was not. If she's not divorced then she has suffered the death of five husbands, meaning of course, left alone and abandoned five times. Can you imagine being... five times nameless, faceless, and of no value, five times starting over. Maybe some divorced her, maybe some died. We don't know. Either one, divorce or death, is a tragedy for her life.

So, let's not be too quick to judge. We don't know the details of her past. Maybe we don't need to. Maybe it is enough that she mirrors for many of us our own lives. We, too are people with a past, people with a history. We are all the "women at the well."



So frequently, people like her, people like us, people with a past, often live in fear of being found out. It is not just the fear that another will know the truth, the facts, about us but that they will do so without ever really seeing us and without ever really knowing us. We all thirst to be seen and to be known at a deep intimate level. We all want to pour our lives out to one who knows us, to let them drink from the depths of our very being. That is exactly what Jesus is asking of this woman when he says, "Give me a drink." It is the invitation to let herself be known. To be known is to be loved and to be loved is to be known.

We all go down to some well. For some, like the Samaritan woman, it is the marriage well. For others it is the well of perfectionism. Some go to the well of hiding and isolation. Others will draw from the well of power and control. Too many will drink from the wells of addiction and abuse. Many live at the well of busyness, denial, trying to find happiness or fulfillment.

Each of us can name the wells from which we drink. Day after day, month after month, year after year we go to the same well to drink. We arrive hoping our thirst will be quenched. We leave as thirsty as when we arrived only to return the next day. For too long we have drunk from the well that never satisfies, the well that can never satisfy. Husband after husband this is the well to which the Samaritan woman has returned.

There is another well, however, it is the well of **Jesus.** It is the well that washes us clean of our past, the well from which new life and new possibilities spring forth. It is the well that frees us from the patterns and habits that keep us living as thirsty people.

That is the well the Samaritan women in today's gospel found. She intended to go to the same old well she had gone to for years, the well that her ancestors and their flocks drank from. But today is different. Jesus isn't interested in her past but future, your future and mine!

"Everyone who drinks of this water will be thirsty again, but those who drink of the water that I will give them will never be thirsty." This is the living water of new life, new possibilities, and freedom from the past. This living water is Jesus' own life. It became in the Samaritan woman "a spring of water gushing up to eternal life." She discovered within herself the interior well and left her water jar behind. She had now become the well in which Jesus's life flows.

It's not enough, however, to hear her story or even believe her testimony. Until we come to the well of Jesus's life within us, we will continue returning to the dry wells of our life. We will continue to live thirsty. We will continue to live in fear of being found out. So, I wonder, from what wells do we drink? How much longer will we carry our water jars? But there is another well, one that promises life, one by which we are known and loved. Today, the Gospel invites you, invites me, to "come to a new well, come to the well of Jesus's life, Jesus's love, Jesus's presence that is already in you." So, today, come to the well that is JESUS himself and then drink deeply. Drink deeply until you become the one you have drunk.

Drinking at the well, Father Denis

2023 OLV Lenten Season Schedule

Theme: Hope in My Heart

WEAR A "HOPE" PIN DURING LENT

OLV is distributing "hope" pins. Wear it every day in Lent as a sign to yourself and others about what this season is about!

DAILY MASS

Join us on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8:30 a.m. Livestream on Wednesday at 8:30 a.m.

INDIVIDUAL RECONCILIATION OPPORTUNITIES

Saturdays, 3:00-4:30 p.m. and Monday & Fridays, 7:30-8:15 a.m.

FAMILY OF PARISHES COMMUNAL PENANCE

Saturday, March 25, 1 p.m. at St. Edith Monday, March 27, 7 p.m., at St. Colette

ONLINE WEEKLY LENTEN REFLECTION "LENTEN COMPANION"

Video featuring Fr. Mark Toups along with thoughtful reflections

FAMILY OF PARISHES MISSION

Fr. Pat Brennan will host the Pope Francis Family Mission leading us through the events of the Triduum to explore the gifts bequeathed to us by the Lord.

Monday, March 20, 7 p.m., at OLV The Last Supper of the Lord

Tuesday, March 21, 7 p.m., at St. Kenneth The Suffering, Passion and Death of Jesus

Wednesday, March 22, 7 p.m., at St. Edith
The Tomb to the Joy of Resurrection and Beyond

LENTEN SOUP SUPPER & THE GIFT OF HOPE Soup Supper at 6:30 p.m., followed by discussion PLEASE RSVP AT OLVNORTHVILLE.ORG

Topics Include:

March 29: "Hope, as Gift of God" by Deacon Fred

For those not able to attend the Wednesday Evenings, a morning discussion will be held on **Wednesday**, **March 29**, **at 10 a.m.** combining all three discussion topics.

A LENTEN CANTATA, MARCH 26, 7:00 P.M.
OLV Choir & Orchestra presents "Colors of Grace"
by Joseph Martin

EASTER FOOD / EASTER BASKET BLESSING Saturday, April 8, at 11:00 a.m., in Church

EASTER EGG HUNT

Saturday, April 8, at 12 Noon on the Parish grounds. Fun for the whole family!

LENTEN ALMSGIVING ALL DONATIONS DUE BY MARCH 26

PLEASE CONSIDER DONATING TO THE FOLLOWING ORGANIZATIONS.
FOR MONETARY DONATION, PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE DIRECTLY
TO THE ORGANIZATION.

Right to Life Baby Shower for Wee Care

Easter Baskets for St. Dominic's Outreach Center

New or Gently used First Communion Outfits

Monetary donations for:
Camp Ozanam
Christian Appalachian Project
Gianna House

MyParish App-Lent Reflections

Your smart phone is just a click away from a series of Lent reflections. Download the myParish app from www.myparishapp.com. A special button and background for Lent Resources will appear starting on Ash Wednesday.

DAILY REFLECTIONS ONLINE AT NOON

Spend a little time with Fr. Denis, Deacon Ric or Deacon Fred Visit *olvnorthville.org* or the Parish Facebook page

DEACON LED STATIONS OF THE CROSS Fridays at 6:30 p.m.

Booklets are available throughout the day for individual use. Stations on Good Friday will be at noon.

DIVINE MERCY NOVENA

Participate in a Nine Day Novena which begins on Good Friday and concludes the following Saturday in preparation for Mercy Sunday, the Second Sunday of Easter.

LENTEN PRAYER BOOKLETS

Available in the Gathering Area For Young Children, Family & Personal Use!

This year our Lenten Prayer Booklets for personal reflection are "The Little Black Book," "The Joy of Salvation" and "A Path in the Wilderness." Each author has a unique way of taking us through the season; one that should fit your prayer life.

A special Family Lenten Booklet for the younger children is titled, "Discovering Lent's Secrets." It has activities on every page for the children.

Our general Family Lenten Booklet for family use is titled, "Trust in the Lord." It offers family prayers and activities for the entire family.



Lenten Soup Supper & The Gift of Hope Soup Supper starts at 6:30 p.m.

Fr. Ernie Center

Followed by discussion. Topic:

March 29

"Hope, as Gift of God" by Deacon Fred

Please **RSVP** at *olvnorthville.org* so that we know how much soup to make!

For those not able to attend the Wednesday Evenings, a morning discussion will be held on Wednesday, March 29, at 10 a.m. combining all three discussion topics.





As part of sharing the "HOPE IN YOUR HEART" this Lent, consider bringing a non-perishable item each week to help Northville Civic Concern.

- Boxed Macaroni & Cheese, Rice, Potatoes, Noodles
- Pasta & Pasta Sauce, Canned Meals
- Canned Fruit or Vegetables, Jelly
- Cereal(unsweetened)Breakfast Bars
- Instant Oatmeal Box (individual packets)
- Dish Soap or Small Laundry Soap
- Paper towels & Kleenex Boxes
- Shampoo & Conditioner
- Toothpaste



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Join us in church each Friday in Lent at 6:30 p.m. Either Deacon Ric or Deacon Fred will

lead us through the Stations of the Cross. All are welcome!



The Passion, Death and Resurrection of Jesus with Father Pat Brennan, CP

Hospitality begins at 6:30 p.m., Talk begins at 7:00 p.m.

Fr. Pat Brennan from St. Paul of the Cross will be our Retreat Leader. He will center his talks around The Last Supper of the Lord; The Suffering, Passion and Death of Jesus; and The Tomb until the Joy of Resurrection and Beyond.

Fr. Pat states, "It is my hope to share insights into the most profound time in the life of Christ, the events leading up to his sacred Passion, Death, and Resurrection. Within these three profound moments, all of us as disciples and men and women of faith, are invited to witness and reflect upon some of the great gifts we can receive during the Triduum."

"Using the **Triduum** as a format, we will explore the very special gifts bequeathed to us by the Lord in these final events of his life. They are graces that help us to grow in our Christian faith, as well as in our participation in the sacramental and spiritual life of the Church."

Monday, March 20

The Last Supper of the Lord
Our Lady of Victory Church

Tuesday, March 21

The Suffering, Passion, and Death of Jesus Saint Kenneth Church 14951 N Haggerty Road, Plymouth, MI 48170

Wednesday, March 22

The Tomb until the Joy of Resurrection and Beyond
Saint Edith Church
15089 Newburgh Road, Livonia, MI 48154



2023 LENTEN ALMSGIVING

As we prepare for this season, perhaps consider that Lent isn't necessarily just about giving things up, but doing a little something extra for someone. Our theme this lent is "Hope in My Heart". What a wonderful way to give others Hope by sharing the Hope you carry in your own heart. Donations will be collected through March 26. All items due Sunday, March 26.

Right to Life/LIFESPAN Baby Shower for Wee Care Collection



Wee Care provides help to women and their babies when other organizations or public agencies cannot meet their needs. Over 600 families are helped each year because of your generosity. During Lent, let's show how much we care by picking up an egg in the Gathering Space—each contains a needed basic baby item to purchase. If you would like to make a monetary donation, please make checks payable to: *LIFESPAN Wee Care* and drop off at the Parish Office or place in either collection offertory boxes.

Short Sleeve Onesies (Size 3mo or 6mo.), Sleeper (light wt.-Size 3mo or 6mo.), Crib sheet, Receiving Blanket (light wt., Baby wipes, Baby Bath Towel and Washcloth, Baby Wash/Shampoo/Lotion, Pacifiers and Baby Socks.



First Communion Suits, Dresses and Shoe Collection

Please consider donating new or cleaned but gently used First Communion dresses, veils, suits, ties, socks (boys / girls) and shoes for children in Detroit area parishes who would otherwise go without. Many parents are struggling financially and purchasing such items can be almost impossible. If purchasing new items, please consider sizes 8, 10 or 12 or consider purchasing a DSW (Designer Shoe Warehouse) gift card to purchase shoes. The need is great. All outfits can be hung on the clothing rack in the Gathering Space.



Children's Easter Baskets for St. Dominic's Outreach Center

In the Gathering Space you will find tags with requests for Easter baskets for a Boy or Girl (Ages 3-12) for St. Dominic's Outreach Center. We are hoping to collect 100 baskets (50 girls and 50 boys). Please return your filled basket to the crate found in the Gathering Space. Ideas for a basket; puzzles, books, sidewalk chalk, silly putty, play dough, water bottle, outside games, sport equipment, art supplies, small figurines, matchbox cars, jump rope, and candy are just a few suggestions. Please consider keeping basket value between \$15-30.



Camp Ozanam: Donations so kids can go to Camp!

St. Vincent de Paul (SVdP) owns and operates a free summer camp program for qualifying boys and girls, ages 8-14. Camp Ozanam has served over 119,000 children since 1923 and is located on the shores of Lake Huron. Your generous donation will make it possible for children who would otherwise not be able to go to camp. Please make checks payable to St. Vincent de Paul—memo line: Camp Ozanam.



Christian Appalachian Project (CAP) is a ministry founded by Fr. Ralph Beiting in 1962 and serves the people of Appalachia. Far too many children, their families, and seniors in Appalachia live in desperation. No matter how hard they work, they have trouble escaping poverty, hunger, and fear that have held their family's captive for generations. You can help provide essential services that transform lives. Through Hunger & Poverty Relief, Child Family Development and Disaster and Elderly Services, CAP helps build hope, while sharing Christ's love. Much of CAP's services come from volunteers. Our Lady of Victory Teens along with Deacon Ric and Colleen Misiak have been among the volunteers who have served throughout the years. Please make checks payable to Christian Appalachian Project. For more information, please visit their website at christianapp.org.



Gianna House: The goal of Gianna House is to provide a safe residence for pregnant teens and their newborn infants while providing spiritual, educational, and parenting support and resources to all pregnant women. The vision at the Gianna House is to change the lives forever of teen moms and their baby by providing them with the opportunities to live in a safe and loving environment, that provides educational, life skills and career planning. The Gianna House suffered a setback this past December because of broken water pipes. All moms and babies are safe and being cared after, but extra help is needed to recover from the water damage. **Please make checks payable to Gianna House.** For more information, please visit: www.giannahouse.org.



OLV SCHOOL NEWS

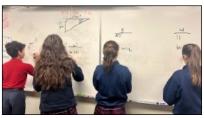
Middle School Math

By Mrs. Whited
OLV Middle School Math Teacher

To say we are all thrilled that it's March and the sun has (somewhat) been shining is an understatement. Spring is on the horizon and middle school is excited! Here are some of the things we've been practicing in middle school math:

- My On-level 8th graders, Honors 8th graders, and Advanced 7th graders have been working on important concepts that they will be seeing more of next year in Algebra 1: Solving Systems of Linear Equations and/or Inequalities. Whether it be using multiple methods to solve traditional problems, or creating equations/inequalities to represent and solve real-world scenarios, they are getting a good start on something that they will be delving deeper into in high school.
- Honors 7th grade is finishing up its unit on an Introduction to Trigonometry-remember SOH CAH TOA? They have been using sine, cosine, and tangent to find unknown sides and angles in right triangles. Advanced 6th grade will be starting this unit soon!
- Last, my Honors 6th graders will be starting their geometry unit on Surface Area and Volume, which will be a nice break from the equations and graphing unit they are currently working on.

Below are some pictures of my Honors 7th graders participating in a Board Wars competition to prepare for their Trigonometry test!







Becoming Catholic The OLV OCIA Class of 2023

On Saturday, February 25, Bishop Cepeda celebrated The Rite of Election for Catechumens (one who has not been baptized) and The Call to Continuing Conversion for Candidates (baptized, but not confirmed). This began a final step in a journey which will culminate at the Easter Vigil on Saturday, April 8. Please keep all of our Candidates and OCIA team in your prayers.



Our 2023 Elect & Candidates

Hunter Frye, Kevin Piwowar, Ron Uptergrove, Charles Caldwell III, Stephanie Beattie, Adam Beattie, Keith Brandt, Sara LaBelle, Jamie Gibbons, Taylor Gonyou.

Might you be in next year's class?

If you are the non-Catholic spouse in an interfaith marriage, or know of a non-Catholic who has curiosities about the faith, or a Catholic who has not, yet, been confirmed, please consider being part of next year's OCIA.

All inquiries, please contact Deacon Ric at *rmisiak@olvnorthville.net* or (248) 349-2621.

LAUGH 4 HOPE

Another Way Pregnancy Center Fundraiser!

Join us at **7:00 p.m., on Friday, April 14**, at the Ward Church in Northville for our 7th annual comedy night fundraiser in support of Another Way Pregnancy Center! Make it a date night, bring your small group, or have



the whole family join and enjoy clean comedy with **Shawn Reynolds** and **Marty Simpson!** AWPC is a nonprofit Christian-based pregnancy center committed to helping families with unexpected pregnancies through access to free pregnancy tests, ultrasounds, parenting classes, material assistance, and more. For tickets, visit *awpcfriends.org/events* or call (248) 939-5900!



OLV St. Vincent de Paul Society

Conference #437

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

In today's Gospel, Jesus says: "My food is to do the will of the one who sent me and to finish his work."

Thirst is a metaphor for conversion; it captures the dynamic of encountering Christ, hearing his voice, seeing our lives for what they are, and then turning to Christ who is the source of our thirst. Christ is the "gift of God" who gives us the "living water" of his own preaching, dying, and rising. Our mission is to drink deeply and we, too, will never thirst again. Then we will be able to say with Jesus, "My food is to do the will of the one who sent me and to finish his work." (Living Liturgy, p.72)

If you would like to know more about OLV's SVdP Ministry and its activities, please leave your name and contact information on the OLV SVdP Hotline at (248) 349-2622 or e-mail us: stvincent@olvnorthville.net. A Vincentian will contact you. Or join us at our next meeting this Tuesday, March 14, at 7:00 PM, in the St. John XXIII room.





St. Vincent de Paul CLOTHING DRIVE

Saturday, April 29, 11:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Sunday, April 30, 8:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

We are so glad to be helping St. Vincent DePaul and provide you a chance to clean out a closet or two! You can help those in need by bringing your clean, gently used clothing, shoes and coats to the church parking lot during the drop-off times. All items donated will be delivered to the SVdP Thrift Store. Please make sure to place items in plastic kitchen sized garbage bags and not to fill them too much since our volunteers have to lift and load them onto the truck. "Thank you for helping us help others".

We need volunteers for any amount of time to help with unloading cars and loading the truck. Please contact Nancy Tolkacz, nancytolkacz@att.net. High School students can also earn community service hours while donating time to a worthy event!



OLV High School Youth Ministry

www.olvnorthville.org/high-school-youth

Bible Kahoots!



Sunday, March 19, 6-7:30 p.m.

Quick of wit and quick of thumb! Which team will do the best? Maybe yours! Meet in the Neumann Room. Snacks will be available. Come and bring a friend. See you there!



The National Catholic Youth Conference

"FULLY ALIVE"

November 16-19, 2023 Indianapolis, Indiana

Visit: olvnorthville.org/youth-conferences for more information and to view trailer.

Open to all students in grades 9-12 entering the 2023-24 school year.

If you are interested, please contact Colleen Misiak at *cmisiak@olvnorthville.net* or (248) 349-2621, ext. 2269.



GIRL SCOUT COOKIES ON SALE AFTER ALL MASSES THIS WEEKEND!

OLV's Girl Scouts in the 7th and 9th grades will be selling Girl Scout Cookies to earn money for their silver and gold awards. The troops will have a booth set up in the atrium after all the Masses the weekend of March 11-12. Cookies are \$5 or \$6 a box and there are many great choices. Help support the Girl Scouts at OLV!

Those who need our prayers...

Minerva Adame Barbara Albanese Diane Anderson Anthony Bell Mike Brick Gina Buchan Linda Burns Robert Burns Richard Carbott Mike Cebulski Isabella Corridore Fr. John Currin Dawn Cyrek Eleanore Darnell Carol Ann Donnelly Joe Dunnabeck Dorothy Ferrari Terry Gruley Justin Gugala Rod Harris David Horgan Thomas Hurley Lisa Jacobs Fred Jones

Justine Jones Irena Ladak Declan McCaffrey Sharron McDonald Maggie McQuillan-Key Elizabeth Moriarty Mike Mroue Sandra Nielsen Patricia Outwater Howard Payne Bernardo M. Pepito Barbara Place Tom Ross Curt Schneider Jeffrey Snyder Krista Stoumbos Fr. Jude Surowiec Lorraine Theroux Verna Wadowski Susan Weschler Raymond Weidenbach Marilyn Wirtz Tami Zajac

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 Lt Col Karl Beier **MAJ Barton Blackorby USMC Kristopher Bledsoe PFC Brian Bokun** SSG Joshua Bullock **SGT Jamie Bushman** LT Benjamin Clay USN **LCDR Michael Cullen PVT Jeffrey DeBozy SPC Tyler DeBozy MAJ David Faulk** LTJG Katherine Mary Gorski PFC John Dillon **WO Glenn Hardy LCDR John J Hamann Chief Matt Haydu CPT Jay Heide** LCPL Isaac Isabell USMC SGT Matthew Isabell USMC **CPL Noah Isabell USMC** LTC Barbara Krause LT Daniel Kuriluk **CPT Matthew Kuriluk CPL Ben Maday**

MAJ Shawn Magowan SGT Shawn McHale SGT Mark McGlynn SGT Alexandra McGlynn **CPL James McGlynn** Chap. Tim Meier. SJ **SGT Steven Miller CW2 Lincoln Moloney CPT Rick Moreira, USMC** LTC Brooke Heintz Morrissey **MAJ Michael T. Morrissey** DC3 SW Jeremy Nemeth **2LT Erik Prudil CPT Brett Quick 2LT Brvce Quick 1LT Chad Quick CPT Kelsey Quick** A1C Elyse McCanna Salmon **MAJ Mark Saurer** SSG Amber Schmay, USAF **CPL Gabriel Smith. USMC SFC William Smith PFC Nathan Swiger USMC Daniel Van Bonn** LTC Christopher Wagner LTC Phillip Wiktor, USMC



READINGS OF THE WEEK

STHIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

Sunday Third Sunday of Lent

Ex 17:3-7; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Rom 5:1-2, 5-8; Jn 4:5-42

Monday 2 Kgs 5:1-15ab; Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4; Lk 4:24-30

Tuesday Dn 3:25, 34-43; Ps 25:4-5ab, 6 & 7bc, 8-9; Mt 18:21-35

Wednesday Dt 4:1, 5-9; Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20; Mt 5:17-19

Thursday *Jer 7:23-28; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Lk 11:14-23*

Friday Saint Patrick, Bishop

Hos 14:2-10; Ps 81:6c-8a 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 & 17; Mk 12:28-34

Saturday Saint Cyril, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Hos 6:1-6; Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab; Lk 18:9-14

Sunday Fourth Sunday of Lent

1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a; Ps 23: 1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Eph 5:8-14; Jn 9:1-41



Ever feel like you are out there alone?

Why not give our STEPHEN MINISTRY a try?

LTJG Adam Williams

Our Lady of Victory has had this program successfully in place for over 10 years. There is a trained parishioner waiting to meet with you for support and sharing. No charge, no long term commitment and all confidential!

To learn more about this program, please

call the STEPHEN MINISTRY confidential message line at (248) 349-0216 and leave your name and phone number. A Stephen Minister Leader will return your call.



Our Lady of Victory Page 8 www.olvnorthville.org

Mass Intentions

Sunday, March 12: 3rd Sunday of Lent

7:30 a.m. Spec. Int. For Michael and Sherri Ossy req. by Kathy and Mary

† Jean & Severino D'Agostino req. by Family

† Sean McCleary req. by Daniel G. McCleary

† Charles Diebolt req. by Joann Diebolt and Family

9:30 a.m. † Katie Balai req. by OLV Adult Choir

† Richard Carbott req. by Martha Phillips

11:30 a.m. † Kevin Kortas req. by Karel O'Brien

† Patty Delle-Monache req. by John Delle-Monache

Monday, March 13: Lenten Weekday

8:30 a.m. † Fr. William J. Murphy req. by Fr. Denis and the OLV Staff

Spec. Int. For Lisa and Sandy's health through the intercession of Madonna of Pompeii req. by Mario Direzze

Wednesday, March 15: Lenten Weekday

8:30 a.m. † Jim Kaiser req. by Family

† Patty Hanzek req. by Dave and Rita Kelleher

Friday, March 17: St. Patrick

8:30 a.m. † Souls in Purgatory req. by Through His Heart

† Molly Grace Morris req. by Mr. & Mrs. Mark Spitery

† Mary and Patrick Curran req. by The Curran Family

Saturday, March 18: St. Cyril of Jerusalem

5:00 p.m. † Walter and Felicia Fedorowicz req. by M/M David Gawlowski

† Donna Bradshaw req. by Family

† Dee Spaller req. by Cindy and Dave Kramarczyk

Sunday, March 19: 4th Sunday of Lent

7:30 a.m. † Deacon Eugene Kowalski req. by Fr. Denis & OLV staff

† Marian & Nancy Diacono req. by Family

† Jo Bandyk req. by Kathleen Pillon and Mary Killeen Comstock

† Edward Budde req. by Greg & Donna Matuszak

9:30 a.m. † Mary Kay Hickey req. by Katie Farrelly

† Michael Heslip req. by Isom Family

† William Donoghue req. by The Donoghue Family

11:30 a.m. † Thomas Payne req. by Friends of the Family

† Patty Delle-Monache req. by John Delle-Monache

† Gavin Kelly req. by Trug Chappell

Week at a Glance

MONDAY, MARCH 13

Reconciliation, 7:30-8:15 a.m.

Divine Chaplet, 7:45 a.m. Rosary, 8:00 a.m., Church Mass, 8:30 a.m., Church CBS, 7 p.m.

TUESDAY, MARCH 14

Card Group, 1:00 p.m. Children's Choir, 4 p.m. Confirmation Mass, 6:30 p.m. St. Vincent de Paul Mtg, 7 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15

Divine Chaplet, 7:45 a.m. Rosary, 8:00 a.m., Church Mass, 8:30 a.m., Church & Livestream WWP, 9:30 a.m, FEC Confirmation Mass, 6:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, MARCH 16

Women's AA Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
The Marriage Course, 6:30 p.m., FEC
Adult Choir, 6:30 p.m.
NA Meeting, 7 p.m.

FRIDAY, MARCH 17

Reconciliation, 7:30-8:15 a.m.
Divine Chaplet, 7:45 a.m.
Rosary, 8:00 a.m., Church
Mass, 8:30 a.m., Church
Stations of the Cross, 6:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, MARCH 18

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

SUNDAY, MARCH 19

Mass, 7:30 a.m.

Mass, 9:30 a.m., Church & Livestream OCIA, 9:30 a.m.

Mass, 11:30 a.m., Church & Livestream Blaze Meeting, 6 p.m., FEC LifeTeen Meeting, 6-7:30 p.m.

Ministry Schedule Saturday, March 18 Sunday, March 19 5:00 p.m. 7: 30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m. FR. DENIS THEROUX FR. DENIS THEROUX FR. JOHN WHEELER FR. DENNIS KAUFFMAN Clergy **DORY SCHMIDT** LISAMARIA JOHN JIM ANDONIAN JOE MCLOUGHLIN **Lecturers ERIC FOX** ANN GAGE KAREN MARCUM PAT KOLOWICH



OUR LADY OF VICTORY CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL

worship. pray. study. serve

133 Orchard Dr., Northville, MI 48167 | (248) 349-2621 | Fax: (248) 349-7329 | www.olvnorthville.org

Parish Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Mass Times: Monday, Wednesday, Friday @ 8:30 a.m., Saturday @ 5:00 p.m., Sunday @ 7:30, 9:30, and 11:30 a.m.

CONTACT INFORMATION

PARISH STAFF		PARISH OUTREACH and MINISTRIES	
CLERGY		PARISH OUTREACH GIIG MI	MISTRIES
Pastor		Evangelical Charity	
Rev. Denis B. Theroux, olvfather@olvnorthville.net Weekend Associate : Rev. Dennis Kauffman, CSB	x2255	Cindy Portis, Evangelical Charity Director, christianservice@stcolette.net Kim Minniear, Coordinator kminniear@olvnorthville.net x2277	
DEACONS			
Deacon and Pastoral Associate Ric Misiak, rmisiak@olvnorthville.net	x2254	Gospel of Life Merri Cullen, mwcullen1@gmail.com	(248) 790-8068
Deacon Fred Billotto, fbillotto@olvnorthville.net	x2265	Health & Wellness Ministry	
MUSIC & WORSHIP		Molly Griffin, mollygriffin@pobox.com	(248) 930-1740
Johnny Kash, Music Director, jkash@olvnorthville.net Tim Johnson, timjohnson@olvnorthville.net	x2479	Meal Ministry Karen Martin, karenmartin48167@comcast.net (248) 797-3888	
PARISH OFFICE		Deliah Sarafa, dil0518@hotmail.com	(248) 884-5553
Office Secretary Nancy Patel, olvoffice@olvnorthville.net	x2250	Parish Pastoral Council Chairperson Dan Stedem, dstedem@comcast.net	(863) 581-2002
Assistant to Fr. Denis		Special Needs Outreach	
Colleen Bonadeo, cbonadeo@olvnorthville.net	x2292	Pat Romzek, promzek@yahoo.com	(248) 305-8984
Parish Administrator/Mission Support Director Julie Lupo, jlupo@olvnorthville.net	x2257	Stephen Ministry Confidential Support Ministry	(248) 349-0216
FACTS Tuition Management, CSA, Online Giving Julie Stedem, jstedem@olvnorthville.net	x2270	OLV Dads' Club President	(240) 047 0210
Accounting		John Glon olvdads@olvnorthville.net	
Karyn Carnahan, kcarnahan@olvnorthville.net	x2259	OLV Athletic Director Derek Van Buskirk dvanbuskirk27@gmail.com	
Communications Coordinator (Bulletin Editor, website Michelle Gawne, olvbulletin@olvnorthville.net	x2253		
Maintenance Director		Affiliate Organization	IS
Bob Larson, olvmaint@olvnorthville.net	x2266	Knights of Columbus	
Custodial Supervisor		Paul Kueber, pkueber1@alumni.nd.edu	(248) 767-3856
Joan Marley, jmarley@olvnorthville.net	x1318		, ,
Facilities and Events Coordinator Ellen O'Neil, eoneil@olvnorthville.net	x2256	St. Vincent de Paul Conference #437 stvincent@olvnorthville.net	(248) 349-2622
Technology Director Ed Isabell, eisabell@olvnorthville.net x2262		Our Lady of Victory School (pre-k thru grade 8) www.olvnorthvilleschool.org	
Colleen Misiak, Coordinator, cmisiak@olvnorthville.net		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	
Ellen O'Neil, eoneil@olvnorthville.net	x2256	Kate Szuba, Principal kszu	ba@olvnorthville.net

FAMILY of PARISHES

ST. COLETTE CATHOLIC CHURCH

17600 Newburgh Road, Livonia, 48152 (734) 464-4433. www.stcolette.net

MASS TIMES

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday @ 9:00 a.m. Saturday @ 4:00 p.m. Sunday @ 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. & Noon

RECONCILIATION: Saturday 2:00-3:00 p.m.

ST. KENNETH CATHOLIC CHURCH

Emily Wesley, Assistant Principal

14951 North Haggerty Rd, Plymouth 48170 (734) 420-0288, www.stkenneth.org

MASS TIMES

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday @ 9:00 a.m. Saturday @ 4:30 p.m. Sunday @ 7:30, 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

RECONCILIATION: Saturday 3:30-4:30 p.m.

St. EDITH CATHOLIC CHURCH

ewesley@olvnorthville.net

15089 Newburgh Rd, Livonia, 48154 (734) 464-1222, www.stedith.org

MASS TIMES

Tuesday and Wednesday @ 9:00 a.m. Saturday @ 5:00 p.m. Sunday @ 8:30 and 11:00 a.m

RECONCILIATION: Saturday 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Celebrating Lives, Honoring Memories Since 1898

Proud to be part of this great community 41555 Grand River Ave 248-348-1800 Novi, MI 48375 obriensullivanfuneralhome.com



Call Kola Camaj for Free Estimate 248-249-4255

Residential • Commercial • Interior • Exterior kcsignaturepainting@gmail.com

For Advertising Information call:

BRIAN MORANO @ 616.894.2821

widing quality care in the heart of downtown Northville since 1937 STERLINE

Courtney Casterline - Ross, Manager (248) 349-0611 122 W DUNLAP



Automotive Repair and Service is Our Business ction is Our Goall

Free Shuttle Service to your Home or Off 43291 W Seven Mile Rd. • Northville • 248-449-5182



X Smith, Inc. Construction Services

24317 Indoplex Circle, FH, MI 48335 248.427.8400 • www.mccarthysmith.com

ELECTRIC 4999 MCCARTHY DR. MILFORD MI 48381

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR

248-471-2277 WWW.RCI-ELECTRIC.COM

COMMERCIAL /INDUSTRIAL RESIDENTIAL SERVICE CONSTRUCTION

33610 grand river farmington, mi 48335 248/374-0001 merritt cieslak design mcdarchitects.com

architecture + planning

ELEN LANDSCAPE, INC. UE LANDSCAPE CREATIONS Tom Thelen, B.S. Horticulture 22699 Deerfield, Novi, MI 48375 248-348-4464



MARK MANDELL

FAUSONE BOHN, LLP

www.fb-firm.com 734-552-1449 Criminal Defense & Expungements

WIETECHAS MONUMENT CO. 25685 W 10 Mile Rd. Southfield, MI

248-356-7625 22602 W Warren Rd. Detroit, MI 313-278-0380 monuments1947.com

French's Flowers © Gifts, In 33885 W. Five Mile Road, Livonia CIVIC CENTER PLAZA 734-427-7820 • frenchsflo@aol.com www.frenchsflowers.com

Since 1970 - Over 50 Years

Good Time Party Store & Deli and Custard Time

567 Seven Mile Rd. (248) 349-1477 Jim & Carolyn Roth, Parishioner gtps567@yahoo.com

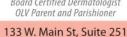


GUERNSEYFARMSDAIRY.COM

Center

DERMATOLOGY BY DR. KARTONO MEDICAL · SURGICAL · COSMETIC

Dr. Francisca Kartono Board Certified Dermatologist



Northville, MI 48167 (248) 963-5915 www.Mlskincenter.com



Treatment of Eye Diseases • Glasses & Contact Lenses 248-446-1146 317 N LAFAYETTE



Barone Law Offices, PLC

Personal Injury • Family Law Wills & Trusts **Drunk Driving**

10% PARISHIONER DISCOUNT 607 S Main St. • Plymouth 734.414.0358

ROCKET Mortgage DAN RICE

586,243,9219 NMLS #42611 danrice@rocketmortgage.com OLV Parent & Lifelong Parishioner Executive Loan Officer 18 Years Mortgage Experience

HOME

CONTRACTING CORP

DON'S PLUMBING 248-349-0675

Expert Plumbing Sewer & Drain Cleaning LICENSED MASTER PLUMBER Donald J. Wood

TIM SARB Lic. & Ins. Builder timothysarb@gmail.com (313) 563-5053

Remodeling • Additions **Aging in Place & Handicap Renovations**

www.HomeRepairContracting.com

SMILECREATOR OF BINGHAM FARMS

Tim Kosinski, DDS, MAGD

Master, Academy of General Dentistry Diplomate, American Board of Oral Implantology 31000 TELEGRAPH RD., STE. 170

248.646.8651

Parish Member

www.smilecreator.net

sa A. Barron, M.D. Jennifer A. Swearingen, M.D. Alice C. Watson, M.D.

44000 W 12 Mile Rd. | Suite 103 Novi. MI 48377 | 248-946-4787 novidermatology.com

mel

novi dermatology

A loving heart and a willingness to learn is all it costs.



Priesthood



Painting

by Robert SENIOR RATES **OVER 32 YEARS EXPERIENCE**

Highest Quality Interior & Exterior Deck Staining • Textured Ceiling Faux Finishes • Plaster/Drywall Repair Wallpaper Removal

248-349-7499 734-464-8147

catholicmatch' Michiaan



CatholicMatch.com/goMI



WEINGARTZ.COM

KELLY KELLY



Northville's Law Firm Since 1988 UVENILE OFFENSES

WILLS & TRUST

2 ==



WE DELIVER!

рн: 248-380-1380

рн: 734-462-3700

When Disaster Strikes...You Need a SunGlo Pro.

- Water Mitigation
- Structural Drying Smoke & Odor Removal
- Structural Repairs
- Contents Restoration
- Mold Remediation Carpet Cleaning
- 24 Hour Emergency Service 800-574-2000 sungloservices.com



Disaster Restoration Specialists

Parish Member

Northrop- Sassaman Chapel

Our Family Serving Yours

248-348-1233

19091 Northville Road

(at 7 Mile Road)

David G. Griffin,

Parish Member

John B. Sassaman 1944-2014

CREMATION AND TRADITIONAL SERVICES

PARTNER WITH US AND

GROW YOUR BUSINESS!

248-684-0500

David J. Boyd CFP°, AAMS° Financial Advisor CELL: 248-318-3835

AAMS **Financial Advisor** CELL: 248-318-1137

Andrew Boyd

david.boyd@edwardjones.com andrew.boyd@edwardjones.com Now Taking New Clients

42000 6 Mile Rd., Suite 100 • Northville, MI 48168 248-348-4610 www.edwardjones.com



MICHAEL NEMES, CPA, CFP®

Financial Advisor OLV Alumni & Lifelong Parish Member 39500 High Pointe Blvd Ste 190

48.449.5436 **NEMES RUSH** rush.com FAMILY WEALTH MANAGEMEN

ORINNE MADIAS REALTOR / OWNER

OLV Parishioner, Ladywood Grad.

(248) 756-1290

corinnemadias@gmail.com corinnemadias.kwrealty.com

KELLERWILLIAMS.

Ranked Outstanding REALTOR® ALL STAR
Top 5% in Sales for Metro Detroit







MORELLO LAW GROUP P.C.

ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELORS AT LAW

ESTATE PLANNING | TRUST ADMINISTRATION | BUSINESS PROBATE | REAL ESTATE GUARDIANSHIP | LITIGATION | MEDICAID | VETERAN'S BENEFITS | ELDER LAW



TOM PELON PARISHIONER

> COMPLIMENTARY ESTATE PLAN REVIEW 10% discount to parishioners, call for AN ESTATE PLANNING PACKET

> > 41000 WEST SEVEN MILE RD., STE. 200 NORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN 48167 TELEPHONE: (248) 347-2950 FACSIMILE: (248) 347-2999

GERALD M. MORELLO, JR. _ **OLV PARISHIONER**

www.MorelloLawGroup.com



248-756-0414

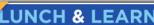
Former Local Realtor of the Year
Parish Member
Residential-Vacant Land-Foreclosures
iphnobrien@realestateone.com



equivest College Planning

WE CAN HELP YOU: Pay \$1000's Less for College
 Get More Financial Aid & Scholarships · Minimize Student Loans · Protect Your Retirement

Mike Bink, AAMS®, CCFS® (248) 962-8825 www.equivestadvisors.com



Sept. 7th at 11:00 am Sept. 21st at 11:00 am Schrader-Howell

280 S Main St., Plymouth 734-453-3333

Buddyis Please RSVP to (734) 453-3333

JAMEY KRAMER
ASSOCIATE BROKER **OLV Parishioner**

> 248-348-7200 JameyKramer.com

Ranked Top 1% USA REMAN







Brick Patios | Pool Decks Boulder | Ledgerock | Brick **Retaining Walls**

Complete Landscaping for New Homes

> Vince Stempien Parishioner 248-939-3600



Your neighborhood tavern for a relaxed atmosphere with great

248-349-1715

burgers and beers!

157 E Main St., Northville



NOW HIRING!!

Purchasing • Sales & Customer Service Battery Pack Assembly Entry Level Electronic Engineer

248-912-1200

MARIO SAID, Parishioner msaid@stortronics.com

ERMEULEN-SAJEWSKI FUNERAL CREMATION

HOMES * SERVICES 46401 Ann Arbor Rd. West Plymouth

734-459-2250

980 N. Newburgh Rd. Westland 734-326-1300

reat Cli

any regularly priced haircut GOOD AT PLYMOUTH LOCATION CODE: OLV

15167 Sheldon Rd Plymouth

734-855-6973

14949 Sheldon Rd. Plymouth, MI 734-453-2500 www.jeannotte.com



PARISH MEMBER Serving the Community Since 1976

The ONE store for your perfect floor. Carpet • Hardwood • Vinyl • Tile

Home of the Beautiful Guarantee INDEPENDENT (CARPET ONE : www.independentcarpetone.com/westland

1400 North Wayne Road, Westland 734-729-6200

Visit our Facebook page: www.facebook.com/Independentcarpetone

10% OFF LABOR plus 1% donated back to the churc



