



## ST. ANDREW CATHOLIC CHURCH

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#### On The Journey

+WE WELCOME ARCHBISHOP ALLEN VIGNERON TO ST. ANDREW PARISH AS WE CELEBRATE THE DEDICATION OF OUR NEW BUILDING and bring our parish family together for our ANNUAL PARISH PICNIC!

+Today's Gospel, and particularly the parable of the prodigal son, reminds us of the merciful love that God the Father has for all of us, his children. Jesus depicts so poignantly the love found in the character of the father who runs out to greet his wayward son before he is even home – and who celebrates his son's safe return with the feast of the fatted calf.

We might wonder how a father can be so quickly and completely forgiving of a son who prematurely took a share of the father's wealth (to which he was not even entitled, because he was not the older son and heir), abandoned the family, and wasted the hard-earned money on immoral and reckless acts. But Jesus reminds us, as He did the Pharisees and scribes at the beginning of the Gospel, that God the Father himself is merciful, for Jesus was sent to encourage sinners to turn away from their sins and turn toward God.

These readings challenge us on many levels. If we are like the younger, prodigal son, it might be hard to imagine that God could forgive us for the wrongs we might have done, for the times that we turned away from God. But in the second reading, Paul reminds Timothy that God not only forgave him for his persecution of the Church, He called Paul to great glory as an Apostle. Paul describes himself as the foremost of sinners, who was mercifully treated, so that in me, as the foremost, Christ Jesus might display all his patience as an example for those who would come to believe in Him for everlasting life.

Through his mercy for this most zealous persecutor of the early Christians, Jesus gave Paul the grace to become one of his greatest advocates and one of the shining stars of the Church. If any of us feel that we have committed some wrong that can't be forgiven — or have strayed so long that we can't be welcomed back — we can take courage and comfort from these readings.

But, just as the readings encourage us to accept the mercy of God, they also challenge us to extend God's mercy to others. For we also know that the measure we give to others is what we shall receive. We are forgiven, as we forgive. And we have this Good News to share with anyone who needs to hear it: come home!

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Welcome Archbishop Allen Vigneron

# BUILDING DEDICATION AND PARISH PICNIC

THIS SUNDAY!

SEPTEMBER 15

12:00 Mass
1:30 PM—5:30 PM

See page 4 for details!



#### St. Andrew Staff Directory, Councils & Commissions

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Rochester, Michigan 48307

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Weekend Masses: Saturday 5:00 p.m.; Sunday 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m., 5:00 p.m.

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248.651.7486 www.standrewchurch.org **September 15, 2019** 



# Moving St. Andrew Catholic Community closer to Jesus Christ through growing in Faith, Service and Welcoming.

#### Parish Mission Statement

#### Welcome ...

If you have been attending Mass at St. Andrew and would like to become a member, please visit the Parish Office where you can register and discover all the wonderful ways to grow in faith through Christian Service and Outreach, Faith Formation and Youth Ministry, Parish Life, Stewardship and Worship. For more information call 248.651.7486. ¡Bienvenido!

#### On The Journey (continued from page 1)

So as we accept God's mercy, let us extend it to others and rejoice, constantly responding to the challenge to *Unleash the Gospel*, bringing those who are lost home.

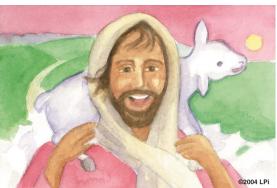
+We graciously welcome Archbishop Vigneron to our parish and thank him for taking the time to help us dedicate and bless our new building addition. There has been a lot of hard work, long hours, many discussions and much sacrificial giving and financial support that has gone into our building project. It stems back to part of the parish vision of 2007, and our more recent *Changing Lives Together* efforts of 2013. Now we can see this part of those dreams become reality – and for that, we give God thanks and praise! Our next steps will bring us into *Unleashing the Gospel* even more, and help us as we are *Sent on Mission* to bring people to Jesus.

+As our efforts are blessed, you will have this weekend an opportunity to view the space *from <u>inside</u>* (after the noon mass, and during the picnic). We will have some folks wandering around the space (plus, yours truly!) to explain the rooms and see where we stand on the project overall.

Sadly, the west addition is <u>not complete</u>. Over these months of construction, you have heard the many stories and challenges that we have had to work through, so I will not bore you by repeating them. Most recently, and of major impact, was the delay in installing the new transformer by DTE. Now that we can use the new power source, we are able to move forward with many aspects of building that required the additional power. Some odd mistakes include installing the wrong carpeting in some of the rooms (it looked good, except, it's NOT what we ordered!) have pushed wrapping things up by, well, I'm not sure how many more weeks. Parking lots still need some finishing touches, and of course the landscape. We're struggling to get the plumbers back, since the landscapers cut the irrigation line in four places while installing the trees. Now you know why the color of my hair has been going from grey to white.... But overall, it's safe to say we are in the home stretch!

Your generosity has been wonderful with our 2019 CSA/Building effort. So far this year, we have donations/pledges totaling \$599,183, meaning we could have a potential refund (should all pledges be honored) of almost \$250K! My prayerful thanks for your sacrificial giving!

+With all the activity surrounding our dedication and picnic this weekend, we are celebrating Catechetical Sunday <u>next</u> weekend. This is such an important and fulfilling ministry and since we are still in need of a few more volunteers to help teach, I am asking that you consider giving of yourself to help share the faith with our young students. All lesson plans and support material are prepared for you – we just need YOU to help us bring the message to our students. Won't you please help us out?



+I hope everyone enjoys our festivities and the good times at the picnic! May we always be grateful to God for the bounty of gifts poured upon us all! I look forward to seeing you in church!

-Msgr. Mike (with thoughts from FAITH Catholic Publishing)



# St. Andrew Parish Picnic 2019



**Who:** All are invited to the parish picnic

**When:** Sunday, September 15, 2019 from 1:30 pm-5:30 pm.

Where: Parish grounds

# St. Andrew Church is excited to provide fun for the whole family. You can look forward to:

- Hamburgers
- Hotdogs
- Sausage
- Salads/Sides/Desserts
- 2 Live Bands
- Cold Stone Ice Cream
- Bingo

- Popcorn
- Beverages
- Petting Zoo Horseback Rides
- Family Games (for all ages)
- Face Painting
- Glitter & Henna Tattoos
- Boogie Headz



#### RCIA...Part of Being a Joyful Missionary in the Catholic Church

Has someone asked you about your faith, inquired about being baptized, or completing their Sacraments, or was baptized in another faith but would like to learn more about the Catholic Church? Do you know someone who has an interest in becoming a Catholic?

The decision to become a member of the Catholic faith is often fostered by invitation by a member of our faith community. This means you! By our Baptism we are all called into missionary discipleship, and therefore, are in a key position to invite others into our faith journey. This is how we "Unleash the Gospel"!

The process known as the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a process of prayer, learning, and joining with others who feel the Spirit of God nudging them to the Catholic Faith. Within the RCIA process are those adults who have never been baptized those who have been baptized in another faith, or Baptized Catholic but have not completed their initiation (have not celebrated First Eucharist or Confirmation).

The process of joining the Church is not as simple as filling out a "membership application". It starts with someone inviting an interested person to attend an RCIA session. Will you be that someone to extend an invitation? Will you be a joyful Missionary for Jesus?

If you are interested in any aspect of the RCIA process, or would like more information, you can contact me at the Parish Office at (248) 651–7486 ext. 105, or email at <a href="mailto:susank@standrewchurch.org">susank@standrewchurch.org</a>. You can also ask one of our RCIA volunteers, Lisa Juriga at jljuriga@comcast.net.

Susan Kowalski-RCIA Coordinator

# JOIN US for Coffee & Donuts



## after the 10 AM Mass next weekend!

Coffee Time Fellowship resumes next Sunday September 22!

## Prayer for the Next Phase of Unleash the Gospel

Heavenly Father, Thank you for the abundant graces of Synod 16: for awakening in us the vision and resolve to become again your Church on mission, eagerly working together to "make disciples of all nations," according to our commission from the Lord Jesus.

Pour out upon us your Holy Spirit, as a new Pentecost, to guide us in our next phase in our movement to Unleash the Gospel. By his power at work in us, transform our parishes into bands of joyful missionary disciples.

Come Holy Spirit: Set our hearts on fire to share the Good News of Jesus with all those who stumble in darkness, who hunger for hope, who thirst for eternal life. Above all, grant us the boldness and courage of the apostles to put the mission above all else, so that our community becomes the spark to ignite the fire of divine love that transforms this time and place into the Kingdom of Heaven.

We pray through the intercession of Our Lady, Star of the New Evangelization, and her mother, our Patron, St. Anne; and in the spirit of Blessed Solanus we thank you ahead of time for "accomplishing in us far more than all we ask or imagine."

We ask all of this in the all-powerful name of the Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns forever.

Amen.





#### **CHRISTIAN SERVICE**



# Petition Drive Sat. Sept. 14- Sun. Sept 15

After all Masses this weekend, our parish will be conducting a petition drive to End Dismemberment Abortions. Your participation will only take a moment, but the benefit to unborn babies is without measure. The process is simple, but instructions must be carefully followed.

Please stop by one of the three tables (2 in the gathering space and one in the east vestibule) to sign the petition and take a stand for Life.

If you are unable to stop by one of the tables today, but would still like to sign the petition, please stop by the parish office next week.

For more information please contact samj@standrewchurch.org or visit https://michiganvalueslife.org/.

#### **Petition instructions:**

It is crucial that each petition be filled out precisely as directed, so none will be rendered invalid and thrown out. Please keep the following guidelines in mind.

- 1. You may only sign once during this petition drive.
  - 2. You must be registered to vote in Michigan
    - 3. The signer must sign his/her FULL name.
- In the space provided, the signer should write his/her house number and street name or rural route. POST OFFICE BOX NUMBERS ARE INVALID.
- 5. The signer must write in the City or Township where he/she is registered to vote.
- 6. The signer must include the zip code in the space provided.
- 7. The signer must also write in the DATE when signing the petition, NOT A BIRTH DATE.
- 8. If you make a mistake, cross over your mistake and write above it or simply use a new line. Make certain that all sections have been completed.
- 9. Ditto marks are not acceptable (husband and wife both need to fill out their complete address).



#### Sat. Oct. 26, 2019 - Join us!

Bring your friends and family and join us for the Archdiocese of Detroit's **fourth annual Mercy in Action Day of Service on Sat. Oct 26th!** 

St. Andrew will be collaborating with St. Irenaeus and St. Mary of the Hills to provide a number of service opportunities for all ages!

We will begin with a prayer breakfast at St. Irenaeus, and then engage in service projects including delivering furniture with the Catholic Community Response Team, putting together refugee welcome kits, helping out at the St. Vincent De Paul store in Utica, and serving the homeless at Detroit Rescue Mission. Check the sign-up genius for more information and to sign-up!

http://bit.ly/MercyInAction2019

Please contact Sam Jennings at <a href="mailto:samj@standrewchurch.org">samj@standrewchurch.org</a> with any questions.



#### **HOPE Center Volunteers Needed**

Wed., Sept. 25 St. Andrew Parishioners will be preparing and serving a hamburger noodle bake at the HOPE Center in Pontiac.

Please email: mejalyl@yahoo.com or call 586-292-0172 Lori if you are able to contribute or volunteer to serve.

- 12 lbs Ground hamburger
   Browned and Bagged
- 8-10 lbs mostocolli noodles - Pre cooked and Bagged
- 1 lb butter sticks
- 1 canister grated parmesan cheese
- 4-6 med onions
- 1 large bunch celery
- 1 gal can whole tomatoes or tomato sauce
- 6 cans cream of mushroom soup
- 3 large (#10 size) cans vegetables (any)

- 1 large (#10 size) can mixed vegetables
- 3 cans Mandarin oranges (GFS item # 1178971)
- 100 dinner rolls
- dessert for 100
- 100 plastic drink cups
- small bowls for oranges
- 100 dinner plates
- 100 plastic spoons and forks
- 10 gal drink mix
- 100 napkins



\$2,000

### **CCRT - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

Are you looking for a volunteer opportunity -- one that provides an immediate impact to the lives and hearts of many, including yours? Then, the *Catholic Community* Response Team (CCRT) might be the perfect opportunity for just that! Volunteers are needed to work in our office in Pontiac. We need individuals to greet our clients, answer the phones, log the calls and set-up appointments. You can also become an intake specialist where we establish individuals as clients, capturing pertinent information about their family dynamic and their needs. We distribute food, clothing and personal hygiene products through this office from the generosity of so many in our farreaching community. Light computer skills are required. You can become a weekly volunteer - selecting a day of the week that works best for you. If you cannot commit to a weekly commitment, we always need individuals to fill-in when our weekly volunteers are away. If interested or if you have any other questions, please contact our office at 248-499-9621 or ccrt@ccrt-pontiac.org. It's a great chance to give back to others, but most volunteers feel that they themselves get more in return!

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## St. Andrew Tithing Report for August, 2019 Domestic:

St. Vincent de Paul Conference	\$2,500.00
Neighborhood House	\$2,000.00
Mary's Mantle	\$500
Matchan Nutrition Center	\$50
Cabrini Clinic	\$500
Annunciation House	\$500
Catholic Charities-Rio Grande Valley	\$1,000
Christ the King Service Corps	\$500
Christ the King School	\$1,000
St. Aloysius Neighborhood Services	<u>\$750</u>
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## **International:** Diocese of Meru

Catholic Relief Services	
Hurricane Dorian Emergency Fund	\$1,300
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## Did you know ... St. Andrew Parish is a Tithing Parish?

Since 1981, the St. Andrew Catholic Community has committed 10% of Sunday collections to various social service, advocacy, and educational, organizations that serve the poor and vulnerable.

This concrete and ongoing commitment to social justice distinguishes the St. Andrew Catholic Community and is an important part our mission as a parish.

By distributing resources, both locally and globally, we hope to build a world in which every person has what he or she needs to live a life of dignity and purpose.

Thanks to your generosity we have supported over 280 organizations over the last 38 years!



#### Mon., Sept. 30th

Flu shots & Pneumonia shots are available from 9 AM – 11 am, in the Parish Center (lower level), on Mon., Sept. 30th. Kroger Pharmacy will be here to administer the shots and answer any questions.

Please bring your insurance card and/or your Medicare card with I.D.

An pneumonia vaccine is also available.



#### **FAITH FORMATION**

#### Children's Liturgy of the Word



begins Sept. 22 during the 10am Mass for children in grades 1-5. ntact Barb Zonca at mzonca5270@aol.com

Contact Barb Zonca at mzonca5270@aol.com to become involved in this exciting minis-

# We will celebrate Catechetical Sunday



next Sunday, Sept. 22, with a blessing of catechists and religion teachers at the 10:00 Mass. Please join us!

# Catechists still needed! Is Jesus calling you?

Kindergarten – Sun 10am

Gr. 4—Mon at 6pm

Gr. 6 - Mon at 7:30pm

Gr. 7—Sun at 6:00

Don't want to lead a class? We also need adults and



teens to aide. Contact our Staff at 248-651-6571 to talk with us about the possibilities. Resources, support and prayers are provided!

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#### **CALLING ALL ACTORS!**

Did you miss your calling on Broadway? Do you enjoy the theater? Would you like to act in a production on the lives of

the Saints? Faith Formation Commission is looking for adults and kids (age10 and above) to act out the lives of the saints. We will have approximately 3 rehearsals leading up to the live presentation in November. If you are more of a "behind the scenes" person, we need your help too! Please watch future bulletins for specific details. THANK YOU!

# **Can I Geta Witness**

The stage-4 breast cancer she'd been battling for six years had decimated her body and progressed to the point that words were rare and almost impossible to understand. Taking earthly sustenance was nothing but a distant memory, leaving her throat muscles so atrophied that swallowing even a spoonful of water was discouraged. Despite the situation, whether to receive the Eucharist or not seemed like an easy decision.

From the hospital bed she hadn't left in three weeks, Diane opened her mouth just wide enough for a tiny sliver of Christ's body to provide the nourishment her soul longed for. She slowly raised her folded hands to her face as she consumed our Lord and lipped prayers to heaven. At that moment, I witnessed an indescribable peace wash over that amazing child of God...and got a glimpse of what angelic bliss must look like. I could almost hear Jesus saying, "Peace I leave with you, my peace I give to you." Although it didn't hit me until later, we had just celebrated communion together for the last time.

That heavenly sight is forever seared into my memory. Diane experienced a peace only Jesus can provide and I received a lasting vision more beautiful than the day my best friend walked down the aisle to become my wife.

She was already a miracle - surprising the experts who predicted her imminent passing just days after her diagnosis and emergency surgery. But God had more to accomplish through his faithful disciple. Almost six years later, on one of the more difficult days of our journey, He was still doing miracles.

**Kevin Goethals** 

#### **Religious Education Registration**

Classes are filling up fast. Please include a second choice for class times when you register.

Classes begin the week of Sept. 29.





Put on then, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, heartfelt compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience, bearing with one another and forgiving one another, if one has a grievance against another; as the Lord has forgiven you, so must you also do. And over all these put on love, that is, the bond of perfection.

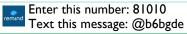
Colossíans 3:12-14

As we start a new year of school, we will encounter many people and experiences. These bible verses are helpful hints on how we should be acting toward others even if the other people are not. For example, when you wake up in the morning, one of the first things you do is put on your clothes. You don't put a shirt on halfway before leaving the house, do you? No, that would be silly, wouldn't it? Did you know as a child of God you are supposed to behave in loving ways? It's true. God wants you to "clothe" yourself in compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience. God wants you to put on compassion like you would a shirt and then practice being compassionate with your actions. He wants you to put on patience like you would a pair of socks and then practice being patient with your actions. Kindness, we often think about kindness in terms of a single "Act of Random Kindness" or "ARK", but instead it should be many small "arks" throughout the day. We are to be clothed in kindness, which goes far beyond just doing kind things for others every now and then. I hope this helps you as you encounter all kinds of people. Know that I'm here for you if you need anything. So, go out and brighten someone's day with compassion, kindness, be patient and above all show love as God loves you!

Enjoy your week!



Margaret Kozak MARGARETK@STANDREWCHURCH.ORG





#### EVENTS COMING UP

#### Contact me for more information



Come join the Fun! This weekend at the Church Picnic from 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm Let's see how many you can get..

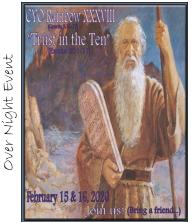


#### Come, Encounter Christ



6:00 pm to 8:00 pm at Guardían Angels Parísh in Clawson.

#### Rainbow 38 "Trust In The Ten"



February 15 & 16, 2020

St. Andrew Catholic Youth Group

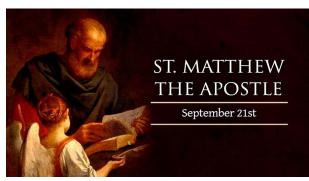
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Renaissance Center in Detroit



St. Andrew Ecumenical Awareness Committee invites you to
A Candlelight Prayer Service
Thursday, September 19, 2019
7:30-9:00 pm
St. Andrew Chapel

One of the best ways to deepen your faith is to take a little time to spiritually rest in God. The Candlelight prayer service done in the Taizé format is one way to satisfy our spiritual hunger and fortify us for the days to come. Set aside one hour to sing, pray through poetry, scripture, litany, intercession and contemplative silence. Allow your spirit to be nourished through just an hour of community prayer. Your Spirit will thank you. This is an ecumenical prayer service, <u>ALL</u> are welcome.



Saint Matthew, the first-century tax collector turned apostle who chronicled the life and ministry of Christ in his Gospel, is celebrated by the Church today, September 21. Although relatively little is known about the life of St. Matthew, the account he wrote of Christ's ministry – traditionally considered to be the first of the four Gospels - is of inestimable value to the Church, particularly in its verification of Jesus as the Messiah.

The Gospel accounts of Mark and Luke, like Matthew's own, describe the encounter between Jesus and Matthew under the surprising circumstances of Matthew's tax-collecting duties. In

Chapter 9 of his Gospel, Matthew tells a story about how Jesus called him to follow him and how the Jewish people felt about tax collectors. Matthew wrote his Gospel for Jewish people who had become followers of Christ. He wanted his audience to know that Jesus was the Messiah that God had promised to send to save all people. Matthew's Gospel makes clear that Jesus is the fulfillment of everything said by the prophets in the Old Testament.

A witness to Christ's resurrection after death, as well as his ascension into heaven and the events of Pentecost, Matthew also recorded Jesus' instruction for the apostles to "go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you."

After Jesus' Ascension, Matthew preached the Gospel, as Jesus asked his disciples to do. It is believed that he established Christian communities in Ethiopia and other sections of the continent of Africa. Tradition tells us that he died as a martyr.

The symbol for Matthew's Gospel is a man with wings. Matthew wrote about Jesus' Incarnation and his Gospel makes clear that Jesus was true God and true man. Matthew is the patron saint of accountants, bankers, bookkeepers and tax collectors.

Sources: RCL Benziger; Catholic News Agency



#### Blessing of Pets

Saturday, October 5 11:30 AM

**Activity Building Patio** 



#### **Praying the Chaplet of Divine Mercy**

You are invited to join with other parishioners after morning Mass to pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy in the Church. All are welcome to join in on this brief service of prayer. When school or funeral masses (and their associated set-ups) conflict for use of the church, the chaplet prayer gathering may be moved to the Cry Room.



St Andrew Catholic Church

# "Unleash" Youth Praise Band Auditions

Let's pave the way for the next generation of church musicians. Introducing and training them in the latest professional tools in music technology currently being used around the world.

Looking for spiritual catholic individuals who feel a need to use their God given talent in a New and Modern Praise and Worship Band. Looking for individuals already studying in

Guitar, Bass, Drums, Singing, Piano, or Percussion

Also those interested in Sound Engineering, and Video Productions

Must be willing to learn and experience a professional band setting, for the purpose of bimonthly live performances at St Andrew Catholic Church.

#### STARTING AUDITIONS

You must be between the grades of 7-9, Catholic, and serious about practicing and developing your musical skills. Earbuds, IPad or IPhone with internet access required.

Call St Andrew Music Dept. at 248-651-8466 or email your inquiries to stephanp@standrewchurch.org

St Andrew Catholic Church—1400 Inglewood—Rochester— Michigan— 48307

Minister of Music: Stephan Pawl



St Andrew Music Department #248-651-8466

email: stephanp@standrewchurch.org

## St. Andrew

# Adult Choir Ice Cream

OUTTE

Many life time relationships have been formed through the membership of the St. Andrew Adult Choir.

Social

Many Husbands and Wives share this ministry together.

Some members have been in the choir over 20 years.

Every year the choir picks up new members. Maybe this is your year?

Only a small commitment of one rehearsal a week on Wednesday Nights, and a commitment to Sunday 10am Mass are needed. I had a Dream, and it included YOU:



Date Change: Wednesday September 18th

Time: 7:00pm Location: Parish Center Lower Level

Purpose: To answer all questions of those

interested in possibly joining the Adult Choir.







## **Holy Family Regional School**



#### JESUS CHRIST IS THE REASON FOR HOLY FAMILY REGIONAL SCHOOL

ACCREDITED BY THE MICHIGAN ASSOCIATION OF NON-PUBLIC SCHOOLS www.holyfam.org





#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY MARY!

Miss Krol's students made beautiful cards to honor Mary, our Blessed Mother, for her birthday last Sunday.

#### WELCOME KINDERBUGS

Mrs. Smyczynski's Kinderbugs look adorable wearing the "Very Hungry Caterpillar" hats they made the first week of school. It has been a great start to the school year!



## CYO WINTER SPORTS ONLINE REGISTRATION



Basketball ● Bowling ● Cheerleading

Basketball & Cheer open to Grades 5-8 - Bowling open to Grades 4-8 Registration closes Sept. 27th.

Late registration will not be accepted Register online at www.holyfam.org





Go Wildcats!







#### PRAYER REQUESTS AND READINGS

#### **Prayer Requests**

All men & women in the military & family members Carla Robinson Mike Helms Jack Hretz Joe Koss Nicholas Gauthier John Benczik Scott Holland Matthew Payne Nicholas Hevron Wes Zaydel

> Victor Zanolli Patricia Beattie Donna Christie Joe Bosca David Bowen

Mary Ames

**Robert Clemens** Alyssa Courtright Sandra Brogger

Ava Elezaj Dan Mortier Lynn Mele

James Brown Karen Potts

Gary Kurmas

Kit Wojcik Dana Mason

Tommy Schomaker

Roy Konieczny Helen Stachetski

Gary J. Rogers Jim Koerber

John Brunner

Walter Gieselman

**Dolores Burr** Dave Felicelli

Kristen Velez

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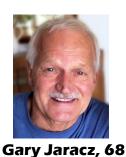
Ernest Pizzimenti

David Paurazas

Stanley Paurazas **August Olivier** 

David Campbell Mary Kralik

**Dolores Burr, 82** Died on September 3, 2019 Buried from St. Andrew on September 9, 2019



Died on September 5, 2019 Buried from St. Andrew on **September 10, 2019** 



Carol Kramarich, 68 Died on September 6, 2019 Buried from St. Andrew on September 11, 2019

#### Readings for the Week of September 16

September 16 SS Cornelius & Cyprian 1 Timothy 2:1-8 Luke 7:1-10

September 17 St Robert Bellarmine 1 Timothy 3:1-13 Luke 7:11-17

September 18 1 Timothy 3:14-16 Luke 7:31-35

September 19 St Januarius 1 Timothy 4:12-16 Luke 7:36-50

September 20 SS Andrew Kim Tae-gon & Paul Chong Ha-sang & Companions 1 Timothy 6:2c-12 Luke 8:1-3

September 21 St Matthew Ephesians 4:1-7, 11-13 Matthew 9:9-13

September 22 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time Amos 8:4-7 Psalm 113 1 Timothy 2:1-8 Luke 16:1-13



#### **EVENTS AND MASS INTENTIONS**



#### SUNDAY, September 15, 2019

Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 12:00 pm 8:00/ 10:00 am / 12:00 pm Mass (Church) 1:30 pm Parish Picnic

5:00 pm NOAK Mass (Church)

#### MONDAY, September 16, 2019

Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 7:30 pm 7:45 am Rosary (Church) 8:15 am Mass (Church) 6:30 pm Alpha (AB) 7:00 pm Lesson Planning (MPR)

#### TUESDAY, September 17, 2019

Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 7:30 pm
7:45 am Rosary (Chapel) 8:15 am Mass (Chapel)
7:00 pm Lesson Planning (MPR)
7:30 pm Devotion Committee (PCLL)

#### WEDNESDAY, September 18, 2019

Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 7:30 pm
7:45 am Rosary (Chapel) 8:15 am Mass (Chapel)
7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal (Chapel)
7:00 pm Lesson Planning (MPR)
7:30 pm Evangelization Committee (PCLL)

#### THURSDAY, September 19, 2019

Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 7:30 pm
7:45 am Rosary (Chapel) 8:15 am Mass (Chapel)
9:30 am 55+ Board Meeting (PCLL)
7:00 pm Bible Study (PCLL)
7:30 pm RCIA (MPR)
7:30 pm Candlelight Prayer Service (Church)

#### FRIDAY, September 20, 2019

Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 5:00 pm 7:45 am Rosary (Chapel) 8:15 am Mass (Chapel)

#### SATURDAY, September 21, 2019

Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 3:00 pm 8:30 am Centering Prayer (Chapel) 9:30 am Baptism Prep (MPR) 10:00 am Needlework Ministry (PCLL) 3:30 pm Reconciliation (Church) 5:00 pm Mass (Church)

#### SUNDAY, September 22, 2019

Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 12:00 pm 8:00/ 10:00 am / 12:00 pm Mass (Church) 1:30 pm Baptisms (Church) 5:00 pm NOAK Mass (Church) 6:00 pm St Andrew Youth Night (AB)



#### SUNDAY September 15, 2019

8:00 am For the People of St. Andrew

10:00 am → Michael (Brother of Anna Barrett) req.

Sally Kabodian

♦ Nick Ruzinsky req. Paul & Linda Ruzinsky

♦ Anthony Ferrara req. Family

> → Dick Koerber req. Deacon Tom & Ann Sliney Kyle & Stephanie Shankin req. Parents

5:00 pm For the People of the Pontiac Area Vicariate

#### MONDAY September 16, 2019

8:15 am 

→ Joseph Marheineke req. June Marheineke

→ Elizabeth Rockwood req. Becky Reynolds

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#### TUESDAY September 17, 2019

8:15 am For the People of St Andrew

#### WEDNESDAY September 18, 2019

8:15 am → Andrew R. Pollack req. Veronica Pollack

★ Eugenia & Andrew F. Pollack req.

Veronica Pollack

Matthew Wencley req. Becky Reynolds

#### THURSDAY September 19, 2019

8:15 am → All Souls of our Ancestors req. Amy Nguyen

#### FRIDAY September 20, 2019

8:15 am For the People of St Andrew

#### SATURDAY September 21, 2019

5:00 pm → Anne Whedon req. Family

★ Edna & John Wunder req. Dave & Liz Andrzejak Fr. Tom Wilisowski req. Dave & Patrice Tay

#### SUNDAY September 22, 2019

8:00 am For the People of St. Andrew

10:00 am 

◆ C. Michael Hite req. Francis Hite & Family
Fr. Tom Wilisowski req. Dave & Patrice Tay
Family of Michael Gage req. Dave & Sue McCoy

12:00 pm → William Baker req. Eugene & Alberta Kutcher Forrest & Candace Becker req. Parents Sr Mary Christina of the Holy Eucharist req.

Parents

5:00 pm → Frank & Jerry Andrzejak reg. Dave & Liz Andrzejak



Saturday 5:00 PM Mass	Sunday 8:00 AM Mass	Sunday 10:00 AM Mass
September 21, 2019	September 22, 2019	September 22, 2019
Priest: Msgr. Michael Hrydziuszko Deacon: Tom Sliney	Priest: Msgr. Michael Hrydziuszko Deacon: Tom Sliney	Priest: Fr. Tom Wilisowski Deacon:
Lectors: J. Knaus P. Tank Reader: R. Knaus	Lectors: C. Gildner M. Thalmann Reader: G. Birg	Lectors: L. Halushka A. O'Donoghue Reader: T. Fazio
Altar Servers:  J. Aguilar I. Brook G. Brook	Altar Servers:  A. Monterosso L. Monterosso	Altar Servers:  A. Halushka M. Halushka I. Pipas N. Palus
Musician: Lisa Paradowski Cantor:	Musician: Stephan Pawl Cantor: Marianne Steinmetz	Musician: Stephan Pawl Cantor: Adult Choir
<b>Greeters</b> to sign up, please visit: www.tinyurl.com/andrewgreet	Greeters to sign up, please visit: www.tinyurl.com/andrewgreet	Greeters to sign up, please visit: www.tinyurl.com/andrewgreet
Mass Coordinator: B. Chundrlik L. Chundrlik	Mass Coordinator: D. Dear L. Szydlowski	Mass Coordinator: V. Serio T. Wojcik
Ushers  D. Koss, Capt. C. Oskoian  D. Modryck, Co-Capt J. Nolan  V. Adragna S. Pinelli	Ushers D. Courtright, Capt. D. Gimbutis R. Begeny, Co-Capt. M. Lovell R. Goralewski	Ushers F. Fayle, Capt A. DiMercurio T. Lafata R. Kaschalk T. Serio
<b>Sunday 12:00 PM Mass</b> September 22, 2019		Sunday 5:00 PM Mass September 22, 2019
Priest: Fr. Tom Wilisowski Deacon:		Priest: Fr. Leon Olszamowski
Lectors: K. Weier C. Machak Reader: A. Albertus		Lectors: C. MacLean P. Ruzinsky Reader: S. Fulkerson
Altar Servers:  K. Morfin A. Palazzolo M. Morfin T. Palazzolo		Altar Servers:  T. Keehn S. Sangalang T. Sangalang
<b>Musician:</b> Jim Balistreri Reflections of Grace		Musician: Cat Menzies
<b>Greeters</b> to sign up, please visit: www.tinyurl.com/andrewgreet		Greeters to sign up, please visit: www.tinyurl.com/andrewgreet
Mass Coordinator: C. Hornung M. Sturdavent		Mass Coordinator:
Ushers D. Dehn M. Estrellado D. Iudiciani, Capt. M. Zahm G. Stefani		Ushers M. Byszkowski

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