



## ST. ANDREW CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### On The Journey

+In our life of faith, we are often confronted by beliefs and views that contradict and challenge our Catholic Christian faith. In the Gospel this weekend, Jesus is confronted by the views of the Sadducees on the thorny issue of resurrection – what can we expect after death?

A priestly group within Judaism, the Sadducees were wealthy families who valued social and economic status over the piety and learning that was important to the Pharisees. Most relevant to this encounter with Jesus, they did not believe in or follow any scriptural precepts beyond the Torah – and thus, did not believe in the concepts of immortality of the soul or resurrection after death.

But rather than engage them in their rather exaggerated and silly scenario about the seven brothers and the one wife, Jesus instead compares the ways of this world to the ways of the kingdom of God. The God we worship is the God of the living, not of the dead. Those who belong to God and who serve Him in life are rightly described as *children of God* – heirs of the kingdom – who will rise to new life in the resurrection. The rest, those whom Jesus describes as the *children of this age*, have no hope within them. They are lost for they have nothing to trust in.

While we journey through this month of November, we often think of our deceased relatives and friends – those who have gone to the other side of life. It often brings about contemplation on our own ultimate destiny by we who remain in this world. In that meditation, let us use the words of Saint Paul and pray that the Lord will direct and encourage our hearts to his love and endurance, keeping us on that path to God's Kingdom.

May God keep us faithful and strengthen us to be on guard against the Evil One and all that would separate us from the very love – and life – of God for all eternity. So we can raise our voices: *May all the angels and saints of God pray for us!*

+What a wonderful and prayerful celebration last Monday evening for our annual Mass of Remembrance! It was the largest gathering that I can recall in the seven years I have been here for this celebration of life, this special time of prayer remembering those who had died and were buried from the parish over the past year. I thank everyone for their participation and attendance, and express my special

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### THIS WEEKEND

Please stop by the Narthex  
after Mass to purchase  
Christmas cards and other  
handmade products from  
**St. Andrew Needlework  
Ministry and Right to Life!**



### JOIN US

for Coffee & Donuts  
after the  
**10 AM Mass**  
**this weekend!**





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**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 3)

gratitude to those who helped coordinate this liturgy, especially Nikki, Stephan, our Bereavement Committee, the choir, and all those who filled in a liturgical ministry at Mass!

+This coming Friday, many of the staff will be attending a Parish Day of Renewal, sponsored by the Archdiocese at the Novi Town Center, followed by Saturday's offering of a similar day for parishioners from throughout the Archdiocese. Please keep us in prayer as we work further to deepen our faith and direct our efforts at *Unleashing the Gospel*!

+Work continues on the new building additions, including work starting on some of the "punch list" items that have been identified so far. The inspections have been moving along, with both the city inspector the fire chief beginning their reviews. As you can also see, the "merge points" of the chapel hallway and the addition have been worked on. Stephan's office on the south side is coming together. Outside work on parking lot and landscape lighting continues. With the old wooden Edison poles now gone, the last new light pole will go up (if not already done!) by the back corner of the school.

Your continued patience and generosity to our 2019 CSA is greatly appreciated! We have crept up to pledges/donations of \$671k against our target of \$352,457. God will certainly bless our many cheerful givers for their sacrifices!

+Our congratulations to all those who celebrated the sacrament of Confirmation this weekend with Bishop Don Hanchon! May the Holy Spirit be your companion and guide on the journey!

+Don't forget our "Meet the Saints" evening this coming Friday, November 15<sup>th</sup>! It was such a hit two years ago when we had our first such evening – a relaxing time for families and children to learn about different saints and grow in faith by modeling the life of our "holy guests". Why not join us for a couple hours of family, faith and fun?!

+This Monday, November 11<sup>th</sup> is Veterans Day here in our country. We give thanks for the dedicated service and sacrifices made by so many men and women over the years, and those, too, who are currently serving in our Armed Forces. Know of our special prayers for all our Service People; you will be remembered at Mass!

+May the cold of the season not prevent your hearts from being warmed by the love of Jesus Christ! Looking forward to seeing you all in church!

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



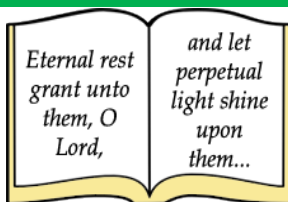
**FOR WIDOWED MEN AND WOMEN**  
**Dinner Club - Younger's Irish Tavern**  
**Wednesday, November 20th**

Widowed of all ages are invited to join us on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of every month for dinner.. We meet at 5 pm at Youngers this month. Located at 120 S Main St, Romeo, MI 48065 Please RSVP by November 15th to Sharry at 248 840-0063. No walk-ins.

Sponsored by Widowed Friends, a "peer" support group. For further information about Widowed Friends, come visit our website at [www.widowedfriends.org](http://www.widowedfriends.org)



## WORSHIP



*For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor present things, nor future things, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus, our Lord.*

*Romans 8:38-39*

### Book of Remembrance

Parishioners are invited to write the names of their family members and friends who have passed away in the last year in our *Parish Book of Remembrance* during the month of November. All who are listed will be remembered in prayer. **Names that have previously been entered do not need to be entered again.**



**St. Frances Xavier Cabrini** (July 15, 1850 – December 22, 1917), also called Mother Cabrini, was an Italian-American Roman Catholic nun, who founded the Missionary Sisters of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, a Catholic religious institute that was a major support to the Italian immigrants to the United States. She was the first naturalized citizen of the United States to be canonized by the Roman Catholic Church, on July 7, 1946. For 28 years she worked in the U.S. and South America establishing some 67 institutions (schools, hospitals, and orphanages). Mother Cabrini is the patroness of immigrants and migrants. Her feast day is November 13.

### CENTERING PRAYER

Centering Prayer is a method of silent prayer that prepares us to receive the gift of contemplative prayer, prayer in which we experience God's presence within us, closer than breathing, closer than thinking, closer than consciousness itself.

**Every Saturday at 8:30 a.m.  
Next meeting is November 16  
Parish Center Upper Level**



### ATTENTION LECTORS

**Please have fall schedule requests for the months of December, January, and February to Anne Albertus by November 11. THANK YOU!**

### Calling Men, Women, Teens or Families

We are in need of Ushers for the 12:00PM and 5:00PM Sunday Mass. On the "job" training is provided for this ministry. If you are interested in serving, please contact Gary Putz at 248-652-2275.

### Low Gluten Hosts

St. Andrew Parish has low gluten hosts available for those with gluten intolerance or celiac disease. If you have need of these hosts, please see a mass coordinator before mass.

### Hearing Assist Devices

Did you know that St. Andrew has Hearing Assist Devices available for use during Mass? These devices amplify the sounds in the church enabling those using the devices to better hear the presider, the readings, and the music. They may be used even if you already have a hearing aid. If you would like to borrow one of the units while you are at Church, they are available in the East Sacristy. Please see one of the ushers or a Mass Coordinator to sign one out.





## November is Homeless Awareness Month!

As of January 2018, Michigan had an estimated 8,351 experiencing homelessness on any given day. Of that Total, 965 were family households, 693 were Veterans, 604 were unaccompanied young adults (aged 18-24), and 861 were individuals experiencing chronic homelessness.

"The Church, 'sharing the joy and hope, the grief and anguish of the people of our time, especially those who are poor or affected in any way,' feels it has a serious obligation to join with those who are working, without self-interest and with dedication, to find concrete and urgent solutions to the housing problem and to see that the homeless receive the necessary attention and concern on the part of public authorities."

--John Paul II

Learn how you can help end homelessness at <https://endhomelessness.org/help-end-homelessness/take-action/>



## Serve together at Hope Center Monday, November 25.

This month we will be preparing **Swedish meatballs over noodles** for the guests at Hope! If you are able to donate any of the items listed below or are interested in serving please contact Lori at [mejalyl@yahoo.com](mailto:mejalyl@yahoo.com) or (586) 292-0172. Thank you !

- 5 bags 1 oz size meatballs GFS item #4657611 \$13.99/bag
- 10 lbs Wide Egg Noodles or penne style noodles-prepared (pre-cooked when delivered) GFS item # 1081621 \$9.29
- 7 cans Swedish Style Sauce GFS item # 2191181 \$5.49/can
- 3 large cans Cut Green Beans GFS item # 2738561 \$3.99 each
- dessert for 80-100
- 3 trays Cornbread GFS item # 5797851 \$9.99 each
- Franks Hot Sauce GFS item # 2829441. \$12.49
  - 10 gallons of powdered drink mix
  - 100 dinner plates
  - 75-100 plastic forks and spoons
  - 100 napkins



Providing Help. Giving Hope.  
ccsem.org

Each year, more than 20,000 people receive help and hope through the services and programs of Catholic Charities of Southeast Michigan (CCSEM). This social justice arm of the Archdiocese of Detroit works to bring the love and mercy of Jesus Christ to those in need, regardless of their race or religion, culture or creed. In two weeks, our parish will take up a special collection for CCSEM. Please prayerfully consider contributing to help CCSEM care for the most vulnerable among us. For more information about CCSEM or to make a donation online, please visit [ccsem.org](http://ccsem.org).



**Be a Shining Star for Someone & Unleash The  
Gospel of Love Help Others Have a Joy-filled  
Christmas From St. Andrew Parish**

## **GIVING TREE OUTREACH PROGRAM**

**Parish Volunteers Needed for:**

(Confirmation age and older please, for the following opportunities)

**Nov. 13 7 PM, Card Request Labeling, Parish Center lower level**

**Nov. 16 11 AM, Hanging Request Cards on the Church walls**

**Nov. 16- Dec. 1 Participate & Promote Buying Gifts for Our Giving Tree**

**Dec. 1 Return Giving Tree Gifts to Activities Building (stage)**

**Dec. 2 7 PM, Sorting Requested Gifts in Activities Building**

**Dec. 5 9 AM Adult Volunteers depart Activities Building to Shop  
for “missing gifts” at Meijer’s, return & Wrap.**



### **Support the St. Andrew Giving Tree Program!**

Buy your fresh tree or wreath at **Addison-Oaks Christmas Tree Farm**  
where \$5 of your purchase will be donated to the Giving Tree  
Program. Visit Frank & Cathy Rimi and sons at Addison-Oaks

Christmas Tree Farm on 355 Lake George Rd, **November 23rd – December 23rd!**

**Make sure to mention that you are from St. Andrew Catholic Church!**

You can reserve your tree or pre-order a fresh wreath / grave blanket now by calling

Cathy Rimi at (248) 814-0583

*COME HOLY SPIRIT  
Fill The Hearts of  
Your Faithful*

*Confirmation  
Candidates*

*November 9, 2019*

*Caroline Ahell  
Drew Barkeley  
Sophia Bartolotta  
Alayna Beloungea  
Allison Berent  
Marion Brumer  
Domenic Bruno  
Katherine Burgin  
Addisyn Calcamuggio  
Joseph Catenacci  
Lauren Clawson  
Nolan Curran  
Ava Dacchille  
Charles Emmons  
Salvatore Falzetta  
Jon Fogler  
Leo Gemelli  
Trevor Gergics  
Megan Graber  
Ashley Grifka  
Nicholas Hauberg  
Carolina Ibarra  
Marisa Kelley  
Joshua Loch  
Evan Lord  
Malayna Marcial  
Valentina Matteocci  
Marrin McAnelly  
Marris McAnelly  
Jenna McCarty  
Samuel McDermott  
Kaleigh Mellet  
Veronica Michel  
Marissa Mills*

*Andrew Mleczech  
Garrett Morelock  
Makenna Musser  
Katelyn Nehilla  
Emma Nguyen  
Sophia Nguyen  
Ava Noonan  
Justin Norden  
Antonio Nucum  
Ava Oates  
Jack Palus  
Owen Pardi  
Emilio  
Pastora Monterosso  
Nicholas Pattera  
Sage Patritto  
Margaret Peterman  
Anne Peters  
*Lilly Pope-Blessing**

*Rachel Poss  
Joanna Postrado  
Soniya Puthentharaayil  
Lucas Rais  
Gabriella Rea  
Eduardo Rengifo  
Cameron Reynolds  
Makenna Riggs  
Sydney Ripperger  
Alexandra Ris  
Sara Robinson  
Andrew Romanski  
Sydney Rottermond  
Diego Ruiz Ayala  
Peyton Rummler  
Mario Sanchez  
Antonina Saracino  
Angelina Scheidemantel  
Emily Schneider*

*Lola Schnepf  
Andrew Shizas  
Amanda Soldan  
Lily Solek  
Ava Stack  
Jack Stemmerich  
Ryan Stewart  
Robert Strümpel  
Jane Swanson  
Katherine Swanson  
Patrick Szalach  
Justin Taylor  
Andrew Terenzi  
Isabella Tersigni  
Madelyn Tonti  
Maria Trevino Nunez  
Emma Uhler  
Brad Varga  
Aedan Vermeulen  
Jennifer Villegas  
Joslyn Vince  
Abigail Vincler  
Lily Vitale  
Lucy Vitale  
Grace Wenaas  
Chadwyck West  
Grayson Whaley  
Matthew Whipple  
William Wright  
Megan Wurm  
Brett Wyckhuysen  
Konner Young*





### November: All About the Saints

Did you know that you may be a saint in the making? You don't have to be perfect to be considered for sainthood. Saints are ordinary people whose lives were made extraordinary by their commitment to God. Some saints were born saintly. Others were not.

Perhaps you've heard the saying, "All saints have a past, and all sinners have a future." Many saints started out behaving badly. St. Augustine led an unsavory life. His mother, St. Monica, prayed fervently for him, and he turned his life around. St. Matthew was a tax collector, a very unscrupulous occupation in his day. But he changed his life to follow Jesus. St. Paul persecuted Christians, yet God called him to spread his message.

God chooses ordinary people and transforms their weaknesses. We are given the gifts we need to follow God's plan for us. God doesn't call the "qualified," he qualifies the called. That means we have been made ready, through the gifts we have been given, to do God's work.

In the month of November, we ponder the lives of the saints. You may want to add a theater experience to your reflection. Consider attending "Meet the Saints" on November 15. (See ad on this page.) It will be a live performance by parish friends (and some staff members!) to highlight some favorite saints. Come learn about St. Francisco Marto, St. Gianna Molla, and St. Andrew, our parish namesake, to mention a few. Inserted into the middle of the presentation there will be a game show entitled "Who Wants to be a Saint?" which will outline the steps to sainthood. It is a night for the entire family. Refreshments will be served afterward.

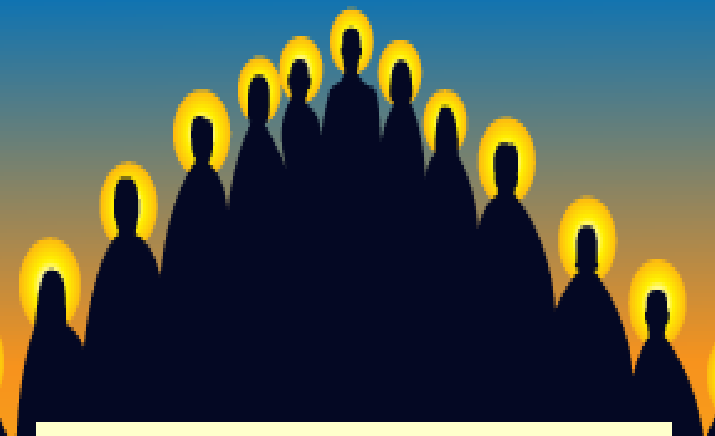
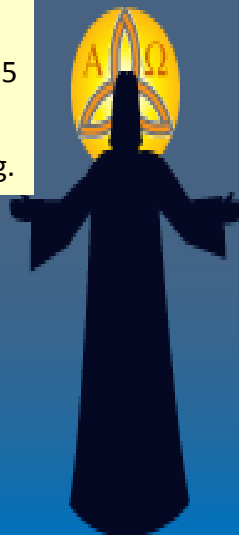
Pope Francis said, in a homily from 2014, "To be a saint is not a luxury. It is necessary for the salvation of the world." He is saying that we all must strive to pay attention to God's call, our Baptismal call, and answer it.

Blessings,  
Maureen Schreffler  
Director of faith Formation



#### MEET THE SAINTS

Friday, Nov. 15  
7pm in the  
Activities Bldg.



St. Andrew is the patron saint of our parish. But how much do you really know about him? Did you know there are teenaged saints, saints who were moms, and saints whose pasts were actually pretty wicked? Come **Meet the Saints** on Friday, Nov. 15 at 7pm. This is a live theatrical presentation that will be fun for the whole family. Kids are encouraged to come dressed as their favorite saint.

#### Religious Education Schedule

Nov. 10, 11, 12; Nov. 17, 18, 19; Nov. 24, 25, 26  
Sunday evening Middle School Sessions:  
Nov. 10, 24





# ST ANDREW YOUTH

## Count Your Blessings

*Johnson Oatman, Jr., pub. 1897*

When upon life's billows you are tempest-tossed,  
When you are discouraged, thinking all is lost,  
Count your many blessings, name them one by one,  
And it will surprise you what the Lord has done.

Count your blessings, name them one by one,  
Count your blessings, see what God has done!  
Count your blessings, name them one by one,  
Count your many blessings, see what God has done.

Are you ever burdened with a load of care?  
Does the cross seem heavy you are called to bear?  
Count your many blessings, every doubt will fly,  
And you will keep singing as the days go by.

When you look at others with their lands and gold,  
Think that Christ has promised you His wealth untold;  
Count your many blessings, money can never buy  
Your reward in heaven, nor your home on high.

So, amid the conflict whether great or small,  
Do not be discouraged, God is over all;  
Count your many blessings, angels will attend,  
Help and comfort give you to your journey's end.

## NOVEMBER THANKFUL CHALLENGE

Everyday you should be thankful for  
the things you have and the people you love.  
For the month of November take the thankful challenge  
and write down something you are thankful for everyday,  
leading up to Thanksgiving.

Through these days you will learn to appreciate life  
and the things you have more & more.

## Can you handle the Challenge?

Have a blessed week! Margaret Kozak

## "YOUTH NIGHT"

6 pm to 8 pm

In the Activities Building  
unless otherwise noted  
Friends are always Welcome!  
For more information  
please contact me.

MARGARETK@STANDREWCHURCH.ORG

OR

Text this message @b6bgde  
to number 81010

## November "Youth Nights"

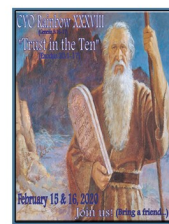
Dinner & Activities

- 10<sup>th</sup>: Relax~Taking care of you
- 17<sup>th</sup>: Rainbow permission slips due  
Banner Design & Talk on  
"Trust In The Ten"
- 24<sup>th</sup>: Thankfulness

## FEBRUARY

15<sup>TH</sup> & 16<sup>TH</sup> 2020

Rainbow 38 "Trust In The Ten"



Permission slips & Money due  
November 17th

## APRIL 4<sup>TH</sup> MIDDLE SCHOOL EVENT



# **“Healing: Bringing God’s Gift of Mercy to the World”**

with **Dr. Mary Healy**



**Join us as we explore the following topics:**

**Is Jesus still healing people today?**

**Are these healings real and do they last?**

**How can we pray for healing?**

**Can my broken heart be healed as well as my body?**

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**Monday, November 25, 2019, 7:00—8:30 pm**  
**in the Parish Activities Building**

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**Dr. Mary Healy is professor of Sacred Scripture at Sacred Heart Major Seminary in Detroit and an international speaker on topics related to Scripture, evangelization, healing, and the spiritual life.**

**If you have questions regarding this event please contact the Parish Office (248) 651-7846**

**St. Anne**

**An Evening of Reflection for Women**

**Thursday, November 21**

In the business of life it's nice to look forward to an evening that is designed to help you stop, take a breath and anticipate the joys of the Advent season. Plan to join us for a wonderful evening of fellowship as we enjoy a reflection to draw us into the season presented by Danielle Center. Danielle works for the Archdiocese evangelization team, she has a heart for peace and justice and enjoys the beauty of sacred art. She will share her knowledge through sacred art and history of St Anne. Our evening will begin with prayer and reflection, followed by the opportunity to enjoy delicious deserts and joyful fellowship and sharing. You may want to be a hostess for a table or you may choose to join us as a guest and meet some new friends. Either way it is a wonderful way to begin the Advent ~ Christmas season.

For more information and to make reservations please contact.

Linda Martens [lmartens@standrewchurch.org](mailto:lmartens@standrewchurch.org) 248-651-6571







### **55 PLUS FELLOWSHIP CHRISTMAS PARTY!**

It's that time of the year again! Our annual Christmas Party and lunch is coming soon.

Mark your calendars for **Thursday December 12<sup>th</sup>** at **The River Crest** on Avon Road.

Any parishioners over the age of 55 are welcome to join us!

We will gather at 12 noon and will begin lunch at 12:30 PM.

Besides a delicious buffet lunch, we will have favors, free raffles and entertainment.

The cost is \$25 per person.

Please make reservations with Joe Kassmann at 248-375-1581.

Mail your check payable to St. Andrew 55 Plus Party to:

Joe Kassmann at 3380 Innsbrook Ct., Rochester Hills, MI 48309 by Friday, November 29<sup>th</sup>.

Party-goers are asked to bring a donation (s) of a new book (s) for children ages 1 – 18 for Neighborhood House.



## ***Make this the Next Step on your Faith Journey***



St. Andrew Catholic Church invites you to:

### **WHO AM I TO JUDGE?**

**by Dr. Edward Sri**

*Responding to Relativism with Love and Logic*

*Each evening will include dinner, a video presentation, and small group discussion.*

*Sessions do not build upon each other, so if you miss one you can still attend the next scheduled session.*

*(Free will offerings are welcome.)*

### *Scheduled Gatherings:*

**Wednesday, November 20, 2019**

**Wednesday, December 11, 2019**

**Wednesday, January 8, 2020**

**Wednesday, January 29, 2020**

**Wednesday, February 12, 2020**

**Wednesday, March 4, 2020**

**Wednesday, March 25, 2020**

**6:30-8:30pm**

**Multi Purpose Room**



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**Contact Ann Sliney at 248-703-8402 or [amcsly@aol.com](mailto:amcsly@aol.com) to register.**



# Holy Family Regional School



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

ACCREDITED BY THE MICHIGAN ASSOCIATION OF NON-PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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## CELEBRATING THE SAINTS

We honored the saints at the All Saints Day Mass. Sixth grade students were dressed like saints and processed into Mass. All Saints Day is a day to reflect on the lives of ordinary people who had extraordinary relationships with God. We are all capable of being saints, we need to be holy people, followers of Jesus, and do His work. The students at North Campus read reports about a saint they researched. All of the students did a wonderful job!



## THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

Thank you to our generous school community for the donations to our annual Lighthouse of Oakland County Thanksgiving Food Drive. Items were collected last week and will help provide a Thanksgiving meal for local families in need. We are proud of the Corporal Works of Mercy our students are learning and living out.



## HALLOWEEN FUN

After a long year of putting up with the church construction staff members at Holy Family decided to dress up as construction workers. Msgr. Mike did a double take when he realized Principal Myers was dressed up as him! The students more fun than the adults celebrating with class parties and a costume parade.

## Y5/K MEETING THIS WEEK



Calling All Future Wildcats

**YOUNG 5 & KINDERGARTEN ENROLLMENT**

**2020**



**JOIN US FOR A PARENT INFORMATION MEETING**

Wednesday, November 13th @ 6:30 pm

Holy Family North Campus MPR

Classrooms open from 6:30 - 7:00 pm

Meeting starts @ 7:00 pm

Have Enrollment Questions?

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**248-218-4554**

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### **Welcome to Prayer Corner!**

These pages will be filled each week with not only needs and requests for prayer, but articles for us to grow in our prayer lives.

We desire to be known as a church that prays and we encourage you to pray since you are the Church!

We are all at different stages in life, and in our prayer life, as well.

Let's journey together to pray as God desires us to pray. In relationship with Him.

We are aiming to learn together and support each other in prayer.

Our church is more than a community, we are a family that grows spiritually together.

We currently have approximately 70 people who receive weekly email and pray for the needs of the Church.

We are hoping to grow that list, and would more like ideas for opportunities to pray more together, to learn more about prayer, and how we can support each other in prayer.

We are holding a brief meeting on November 19th at 7:00 PM in the Chapel. Please join us, or give us your input on how St. Andrew Church can come together and be known as a church that prays by contacting Mike Carr at [MikeC@oexusa.com](mailto:MikeC@oexusa.com) or Susan Kowalski at [susank@standrewchurch.org](mailto:susank@standrewchurch.org).

### **Campus Ministry**

Globally recognized speaker and bestselling author Matt Fradd will speak to college students about pornography, a prevalent issue in today's culture, at Wayne State University's Newman Catholic Center in Detroit on Wednesday, November 20.

The presentation will expose what the author of *The Porn Myth* believes are seven of the most common myths about porn. He will back up his arguments with statistics, real life stories, and the solid wisdom of the Church's teachings on human sexuality.

Through CSA funding of the Office of Young Adults and Campus Ministry, the Archdiocese of Detroit is able to sponsor activities and programs on area college campuses. While this talk is designed for college students, it is open to everyone.

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



### **VETERANS DAY BREAKFAST**

Monday, November 11, 2019

7:00 AM - 9:00 AM



The Rochester American Legion Auxiliary #172 invites Veterans and the public to attend a very special free breakfast.

Come and share good times and stories with local Veterans at  
**Rochester Community House**  
**816 Ludlow**

Sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary #172 and the Rochester Community House

Open to the Public

# 14 PRAYER REQUESTS AND READINGS

## Prayer Requests

All men & women in the military  
& family members  
Therese Tyll  
Norine Brum  
Patty Miller  
Paul & Tracy Jacque  
Elizabeth Jary  
David Koss  
Barbara Gunn  
Jim Belloli  
Gerrie Raymo  
Jimmy Kaufeld  
Cap Steyer  
Louise Carlson  
Mary Kralik  
Carla Robinson  
Mike Helms  
Jack Hretz  
Joe Koss  
Nicholas Gauthier  
Scott Holland  
Matthew Payne  
Victor Zanolli  
Patrick Beattie  
Donna Christie  
Joe Bosca  
David Bowen  
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 Gieselmann  
Dave Felicelli  
Kristen Velez  
Delbert Mills



**Wieslaw Zaydel, 79**  
Died on  
**October 29, 2019**  
Buried from St. Andrew on  
**November 2, 2019**



## Reporting Sexual Abuse

To inform the Archdiocese of Detroit regarding the sexual abuse of minors by priests, deacons, and other church personnel and/or to speak to the Victim Assistance Coordinator, contact 866-343-8055. A caller will be requested to provide his or her name and telephone number. All calls regarding complaints of sexual abuse will be returned in a timely manner. This toll-free telephone number has been established as part of an effort by the Detroit archdiocese to protect children, young people, and other vulnerable people in our schools, parishes, and ministries. This line is for reporting suspected sexual misconduct or child abuse within archdiocesan institutions and ministries only. Persons with complaints not involving clergy or church personnel should refer to the archdiocesan web site at [www.aod.org](http://www.aod.org) for contact information for civil authorities.

## Readings for the Week of November 11

### November 11

*St Martin of Tours*  
Wisdom 1:1-7  
Luke 17:1-6

### November 12

*St Josephat*  
Wisdom 2:23 - 3:9  
Luke 17:7-10

### November 13

*St Frances Xavier Cabrini*  
Wisdom 6:1-11  
Luke 17:11-19

### November 14

Wisdom 7:22b - 8:1  
Luke 17:20-25

### November 15

*At Albert the Great*  
Wisdom 13:1-9  
Luke 17:26-37

### November 16

*St Margaret of Scotland*  
Wisdom 18:14-16; 19:6-9  
Luke 18:1-8

### November 17

*33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
Malachi 3:19-20a  
Psalm 98  
2 Thessalonians 3:7-12  
Luke 21:5-19



**SUNDAY, November 10, 2019**

*Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 12:00 pm*  
 8:00/ 10:00 am / 12:00 pm Mass (Church)  
 10:00 am Pre K / K Religious Education  
 5:00 pm NOAK Mass (Church)  
 6:00 pm St Andrew Youth Night (AB)  
 6:00 pm Middle School Religious Education

**MONDAY, November 11, 2019**

*Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 7:30 pm*  
 7:45 am Rosary (Chapel) 8:15 am Mass (Chapel)  
 4:30 / 6 / 7:30 pm Religious Education  
 6:30 pm Alpha (AB)

**TUESDAY, November 12, 2019**

*Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 7:30 pm*  
 7:45 am Rosary (Chapel) 8:15 am Mass (Chapel)  
 9:30 am Bible Study (MPR)  
 4:30 / 6 / 7:30 pm Religious Education  
 6:00 pm Tithing Meeting (POCR)  
 7:30 pm Commission Meetings (AB)

**WEDNESDAY, November 13, 2019**

*Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 7:30 pm*  
 7:45 am Rosary (Chapel) 8:15 am Mass (Chapel)  
 8:45 am Holy Hour (Chapel)  
 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal (Chapel)  
 7:00 pm Meet the Saints Rehearsal (AB)  
 7:00 pm Giving Tree Prep (PCLL)

**THURSDAY, November 14, 2019**

*Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 7:30 pm*  
 7:45 am Rosary (Chapel) 8:15 am Mass (Chapel)  
 1:00 pm St Vincent de Paul Mtg (PCLL)  
 7:00 pm Bible Study (PCLL)  
 7:30 pm RCIA (MPR)

**FRIDAY, November 15, 2019**

*Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 5:00 pm*  
 7:45 am Rosary (Chapel) 8:15 am Mass (Chapel)  
 7:00 pm Meet the Saints (AB)

**SATURDAY, November 16, 2019**

*Parish Office Hours 9:00 am - 3:00 pm*  
 8:30 am Centering Prayer (PCUL)  
 9:30 am Baptism Prep (MPR)  
 10:00 am Needlework Ministry (PCLL)  
 11:00 am Hanging of Giving Tree (Church)  
 3:30 pm Reconciliation (Church)  
 5:00 pm Mass (Church)

**SUNDAY, November 17, 2019**

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

**SUNDAY**

8:00 am ♦ Aldo Terenzi req. Wife, Tina  
 ♦ Helen Marie Evanoff req. Finn Family  
 10:00 am ♦ Gary Jaracz req. Bernadette Mikowski  
 ♦ Nick Ruzinsky req. Paul & Linda Ruzinsky  
 ♦ Melvin & Ann Hite req. Francis Hite & Family

12:00 pm For the People of St. Andrew

5:00 pm ♦ Michael Miller req. Paul Reaume  
 ♦ Agnes Ruzinsky req. Paul & Linda Ruzinsky  
 ♦ John & Elizabeth Rebey req. David, Barbara, & Ryan Stewart

**MONDAY**

8:15 am ♦ Joseph Marheineke req. June Marheineke  
 ♦ Leonard Kaczor req. Lucy Schweder  
 ♦ Carols Pastora req. Family

**TUESDAY**

8:15 am ♦ Edward Herman req. Elaine Herman  
 ♦ Irene & Gerald Speck req. Mary & Gary Robinson  
 ♦ Martin Stonehouse req. Michele Stonehouse

**WEDNESDAY**

8:15 am ♦ Rose, Tony, & Robert Babiarz req. Conat Family  
 ♦ Jack & John Burr req. Family

**THURSDAY**

8:15 am ♦ All Souls of Our Ancestors req. Amy Nguyen  
 ♦ Flo Sampson req. Tom Sampson  
 ♦ Patty Lindille req. Dan & Sheila Argue

**FRIDAY**

8:15 am ♦ Amanda LaBrecque req. The Molteni Family  
 Pauline Jacobs req. Maureen Haverty  
 Josephine Campbell req. Daughter

**SATURDAY**

5:00 pm ♦ Dorothy Dettloff req. Family  
 ♦ Marion Stanczak req. Christine Corona & Family  
 ♦ Margaret Russell req. Family

**SUNDAY**

8:00 am ♦ Joanne Stange req. Jim & Betty Nolan  
 ♦ Jack & Mary Turchan req. Family  
 ♦ Donald Klosterman req. Family  
 10:00 am ♦ John Benczik req. M/M Tony Wojcik  
 ♦ Joanne Stange req. Barbara Plante  
 ♦ Parents of Paul Ruzinsky req. Paul & Linda Ruzinsky

12:00 pm For the People of St. Andrew

5:00 pm Jonas Kubina req. Family  
 ♦ Parents of Linda Ruzinsky req. Paul & Linda Ruzinsky  
 ♦ Fr. Timothy Babcock req. Patricia Grein

Saturday 5:00 PM Mass November 16, 2019	Sunday 8:00 AM Mass November 17, 2019	Sunday 10:00 AM Mass November 17, 2019
<b>Priest:</b> Msgr. Michael Hrydziusko <b>Deacon:</b> Tom Sliney	<b>Priest:</b> Msgr. Michael Hrydziusko <b>Deacon:</b> Tom Sliney	<b>Priest:</b> Fr. Tom Wilisowski <b>Deacon:</b>
<b>Lectors:</b> R. Duprey P. Tank <b>Reader:</b> M. Mowle	<b>Lectors:</b> J. Bourgoin J. Bante <b>Reader:</b> P. deSteiger	<b>Lectors:</b> S. Munaco C. Sidor <b>Reader:</b> B. Paurazas
<b>Altar Servers:</b> T. Belej C. Belej	<b>Altar Servers:</b> N. Godfrey A. McNurlen C. McNurlen	<b>Altar Servers:</b> N. Palus I. Pipas C. Pope M. Smolenski
<b>Musician:</b> Stephan Pawl <b>Cantor:</b>	<b>Musician:</b> Stephan Pawl <b>Cantor:</b> Rick Wyrembelski	<b>Musician:</b> Stephan Pawl <b>Cantor:</b> Spirit Song
<b>Greeters</b> to sign up, please visit: <a href="http://www.tinyurl.com/andrewgreet">www.tinyurl.com/andrewgreet</a>	<b>Greeters</b> to sign up, please visit: <a href="http://www.tinyurl.com/andrewgreet">www.tinyurl.com/andrewgreet</a>	<b>Greeters</b> to sign up, please visit: <a href="http://www.tinyurl.com/andrewgreet">www.tinyurl.com/andrewgreet</a>
<b>Mass Coordinator:</b> B. Chundrlik L. Chundrlik	<b>Mass Coordinator:</b> M. Thalmann R. Thalmann	<b>Mass Coordinator:</b> V. Serio T. Wojcik
<b>Ushers</b> D. Koss, Capt. C. Oskoian D. Modryck, Co-Capt J. Nolan V. Adragna S. Pinelli	<b>Ushers</b> D. Courtright, Capt. D. Gimbutis R. Begeny, Co-Capt. M. Lovell R. Goralewski	<b>Ushers</b> F. Fayle, Capt A. DiMercurio T. Lafata R. Kaschalk T. Serio
Sunday 12:00 PM Mass November 17, 2019		Sunday 5:00 PM Mass November 17, 2019
<b>Priest:</b> Fr. Tom Wilisowski <b>Deacon:</b>		<b>Priest:</b> Fr. Brian Chabala
<b>Lectors:</b> A. Albertus P. ryan <b>Reader:</b> H. Ryan		<b>Lectors:</b> S. Young P. Ruzinsky <b>Reader:</b> M. Mozal
<b>Altar Servers:</b> A. Palazzolo T. Palazzolo D. Halushka M. Halushka		<b>Altar Servers:</b> J. Aguilar S. Sangalang T. Sangalang
<b>Musician:</b> Jim Balistreri Reflections of Grace		<b>Musician:</b> Stephan Pawl
<b>Greeters</b> to sign up, please visit: <a href="http://www.tinyurl.com/andrewgreet">www.tinyurl.com/andrewgreet</a>		<b>Greeters</b> to sign up, please visit: <a href="http://www.tinyurl.com/andrewgreet">www.tinyurl.com/andrewgreet</a>
<b>Mass Coordinator:</b> C. Hornung M. Sturdavent		<b>Mass Coordinator:</b>
<b>Ushers</b> D. Dehn M. Estrellado D. Iudiciani, Capt. M. Zahm G. Stefani		<b>Ushers</b>