

The Vigil

February 10, 2019
5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church

Mass Times:

St. Charles:

Wednesday 10:30am;
Sunday 8:15am AND 11:30am

Nativity:

Thursday 11am; Saturday 4pm;
Sunday 9:45am



Today's Readings

Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8
(Call of Isaiah)

Psalms 138:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 7-8
(Gratitude to God)

1 Corinthians 15:1-11
(Content of the Good News)

Luke 5:1-11
(Call of Peter)

Pastor's Pen



In honor of Black History Month, I'd like to highlight a few Saints each week:

St. Josephine Bakhita

St. Josephine Bakhita was born around 1869 in Sudan and raised in the Islamic faith. She was kidnapped at the age of seven by slave-traders who gave her the name, "Bakhita," which means "lucky one." She was sold to a number of owners until she was purchased at the age of twelve to the Italian Consul Calisto Legnani. He brought her to Italy and, while serving as a nanny, was sent to live with the Canossian sisters in Venice. There she was formally introduced to the faith, baptized Giuseppina, and eventually granted her freedom. In 1896 she joined the Canossian Daughters of Charity and for some fifty years served them as cook, seamstress, and portress of their houses in Venice, Verona and Schio. She was especially beloved by her students for her sweet nature and musical voice. After a long and painful illness, she died in 1947. Pope John Paul II canonized this first Sudanese Saint on October 1, 2000 as a witness to evangelical reconciliation and a model of freedom.

St. Martin de Porres

Martin was the son of a freed woman of Panama, probably black, but also possibly of indigenous stock, and a Spanish nobleman of Lima, Peru. His parents never married. Martin inherited the features and dark complexion of his mother, which irked his father, who finally acknowledged his son after eight years. After the birth of a sister, the father abandoned the family. Martin was reared in poverty, locked in low level of Lima's society.

When he was 12, Martin's mother apprenticed him to a barber/surgeon. There he learned how to cut hair and draw blood, care for wounds and administer medicines. After a few years in the medical apostolate, Martin applied to the Dominicans to be a "helper," not feeling worthy to be a religious brother. After nine years, the example of his prayer, penance, charity and humility, led the community to request him to make full religious profession. His days were filled with nursing the sick and caring for the poor. It was particularly impressive that he treated all people regardless of their color, race or status. When his Priory was in debt, he said, "I am a poor mulatto. I am property of the order. Sell me!" Martin is patron of mixed race persons, barbers, innkeepers, public health workers and many others. In the midst of so much racism these days, may Martin help us to have compassion for all people.

St. Charles Mission Statement

St. Charles Borromeo, a diverse urban parish of Detroit, is rooted in Christ's Gospel and Catholic tradition. We strive to build a community of faith through education, worship, and evangelization. We are called to carry on Christ's ministry to our brothers and sisters, especially the sick and their families, the elderly, youth, and the disabled. With Mary as our example of unconditional love, we strive to welcome everyone to share joyfully in the peace, love and salvation of Jesus Christ. We acknowledge that it is the Holy Spirit who calls and empowers us, who strengthens and renews us, and who gives us the will to continue our mission, until Jesus comes again in glory.

Community

Pray for the
Healing Presence

Bobby Allen
Paul Andrecovich
Marilyn Boomer
John Bozich
Shawn Burks
Liana Caruana
Ida Cherry
Gary Davila
Howard Dilworth
Kyle Duker
Heinrich Ericksen
Jill Forton
Doris Harris
John Huddleston
Addie Ingram
Earline Johnson
Ron Kirby
Tony Lababera
Vanessa Laco-Chambers
Dave Laverty
Catherine Lewis
Edward Malik
Tiana Marquez
Michael Martin
Mary Massaini
Dina Maynard
Leon McCoo
LaRonda Morant
Michael Nadeau
Gary Perzyk
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Robert Preuss
Celeste Rabaut
Patricia C. Randall
Elaine Rosen
Carol Santa Maria
Ben Saxon
Marvin Sims
John Smith
Len Stoehr
Thomas Sweeting
Mark Tamer
Rachel Thompson
Enza Trah
Anna Tyler
Sr Jolene Van Handel
Belinda Wilson
Shawn Wilson
Jenny White

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please.

Marriage Coaching Help for Your Marriage

Couples who are experiencing struggles and challenges in their marriage can receive help through the

Archdiocese of Detroit sponsored Marriage Coaching Ministry. The Marriage Coaching program is a couple-to-couple mentoring program designed to assist couples to live out God's plan for their marriage.

Trained Coaching Couples will give the support and practical tools needed to help couples to restore and realize the fullness they desire and is intended for their Catholic marriage. The Marriage Coaching program consists of seven main coaching sessions and is strictly confidential and at no cost.

To learn more and get the help you need for your marriage contact: 313-237-4680 or go online at www.aod.org/marriagecoaching or familyministry@aod.org. All inquiries are strictly confidential. Sponsored by the Archdiocese of Detroit, Office for Marriage and Family.

CSA Minute: Evangelization

Mercy Nights throughout the Archdiocese are helping our faithful and friends they invite who may not attend Mass regularly to experience Christ in a less formal setting. Like the "Come, Encounter Christ!" events, Mercy Nights feature scripture and the presence of Jesus through adoration, reconciliation and music.

This program of the archdiocesan Office of Evangelization began last month, on various Friday evenings throughout the Archdiocese. Two Mercy Nights remain: at St. Thecla Parish in Clinton Township on February 15, and a Spanish version at the Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Detroit on February 22. Each begins at 7 p.m.

Your CSA gifts support the Evangelization Office's work of helping people encounter God in a new way, such as through Mercy Nights and Kerygma Nights.

For information about CSA-funded ministries, programs, and services, go to aod.org.

St. Paul Retreat Center Events

Celebrating Life's Special Moments?

St. Paul of the Cross Retreat Center welcomes you to come and browse through their gift shop and book store. Keep us in mind when you are celebrating life's special moments: Baptism, First Holy Communion, Confirmation, Weddings, Graduation. A major effort has been made to select an inventory of made in Michigan or the USA. The gift shop is open during regular business hours (M-F, 9am -4pm). For more information please email Mary Moret at mmoret@stpaulretreat.org or call 313.286.2806.

Capuchin Retreat Center Event

(62460 Mt. Vernon, Washington, Michigan 48094)

A Deeper Experience of God: A Personal Journey into Meditation and Contemplation, Wednesday, February 13, from 9am to 3pm -- Come to Capuchin Retreat and discover a deeper immersion in God and learn how to meditate and contemplate in a deeper manner. So often we stay so busy that when we are quiet with God we don't know how to use this time correctly. Fred Cavaiani, psychologist and Spiritual Director and staff member at Capuchin Retreat, has been conducting programs on meditation and contemplation for many years. Take time for this most inspiring and enlightening day on how to deepen your immersion in God. Breakfast and Lunch are included. \$45/person. Call now to make your reservation 248.651.4826 or register online at: www.capretreat.org

Upcoming Events / Meetings

Kerygma Nights - "Kerygma" is the apostolic proclamation of salvation through Jesus Christ. Join us for a night of answers to some of the big questions we all have, as we share the core of what the Gospel reveals through short talks, discussion and Q&A with others who are asking the same questions as you are.

- Feb. 11, 18, Sacred Heart, Dearborn, 7:00 - 8:30 (Mon.)

- Feb. 12, Shrine of the Little Flower, 7:00 - 8:30, (Tues.) Spanish

- Feb. 13, 20, 27, Jolly Pumpkin - Royal Oak, 7:00 - 8:30 (Wed.)

Mercy Nights - Come and receive life and heal wounds through the power of scripture and the presence of Jesus as we encounter him through adoration, reconciliation and music. All are welcome to join the Franciscan Friars of the Holy Spirit for an evening of life changing mercy and encounter with Jesus.

- Feb 15, St. Thecla, 7:00p- 9:00, Clinton Township

- Feb 22, MBS Cathedral, 7:00-9:00, Detroit (*Spanish*)

DID YOU KNOW that it is illegal to carry a firearm onto any property or facility owned or operated by a church, synagogue, mosque, temple, or other place of worship, unless the presiding official or officials allow concealed weapons?

Rectory Hours: Mon-Thurs, 10a to 3p

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February Mass Intentions

Sunday, February 10, 2019

William Allen Hintz

Wednesday, February 13, 2019

Dominic Maniscalco

Sunday, February 17, 2019

Carolyn Alexander

Darryl Johnson

Evelyn Seyboldt

Wednesday, February 20, 2019

Victoria Wilson

Sunday, February 24, 2019

Tierra Smith

Tia Simpkins

Wednesday, February 27, 2019

Antonio Catenacci, Sr.

**“One kind word
doesn’t lessen the
sting of 50 sharp
cuts.”**

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon., Feb. 11: Genesis 1:1-19; Psalm 104:1-2a, 5-6, 10 & 12, 24 & 35c; Mark 6:53-56

Tues., Feb. 12: Genesis 1:20 – 2:4a; Psalm 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Mark 7:1-13

Wed., Feb. 13: Genesis 2:4b-9, 15-17; Psalm 104:1-2a, 27-28, 29bc-30; Mark 7:14-23

Thurs., Feb. 14: Genesis 2:18-25; Psalm 128:1-2, 3, 4-5; Mark 7:24-30

Fri., Feb. 15: Genesis 3:1-8; Psalm 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7; Mark 7:31-37

Sat., Feb. 16: Genesis 3:9-24; Psalm 90:2, 3-4abc, 5-6, 12-13; Mark 8:1-10

Sun., Feb. 17: Jeremiah 17:5-8; Psalm 1:1-2, 3, 4 & 6; 1 Corinthians 15:12, 16-20; Luke 6:17, 20-26

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Did You Know... one of the longest running fund raisers for St. Charles is participating in the Kroger Community Rewards program? You can support this fund raiser by registering your Kroger Loyalty card and shop as usual. The best part???? It doesn't cost you anything extra!

Ready to go? Then go to: www.krogercommunityrewards.com

Click "Enroll", Enter the required information, then click Enroll again

On the next page, scroll to the bottom and click on "Community Rewards"

Enter your contact information and click "Save"

On the next page enter **QB361** or St. Charles Church and hit Enter

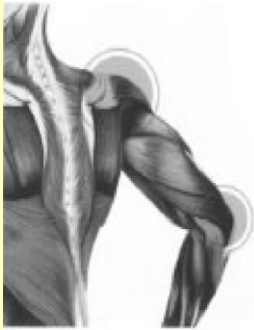
Choose the correct organization, then click Enroll. You are now enrolled! (If you are having an issue with your password and or email address please call 1-800-KROGERS, press 5 for customer service, press 5 to speak to a customer service representative.)

As we remember the historic beatification of Blessed Solanus Casey that took place one year ago at Ford Field, a new book, *Blessed Solanus Casey* by Patricia Montemurri, is available in bookstores and online, including the Solanus Casey Center Gift Shop. The book includes exclusive photos of the beatification Mass, the first-ever Feast Day, as well as archival photography of the life and ministry of Blessed Solanus Casey – all to help enrich your devotion to the humble porter of St. Bonaventure. In the words of Father Solanus: "Blessed be God in all His designs!"

Weekly Collection

02/03/19

Envelopes	\$ 1,765.50
Loose	\$ 637.00
Maintenance	\$ 162.00
TOTAL	\$ 2,564.50



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Making a Report of 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 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 such complaints are also encouraged to directly contact law enforcement authorities. The Archdiocese of Detroit stands with the brave survivors who seek to bring the crime of child sexual abuse by clergy and other Church representatives into the light, where those who sinned are confronted and those who were harmed can find healing. To those harmed by the actions and inaction of Church leaders: It is inexcusable, and we are sorry. **In an effort to consolidate our resources and respond to the faithful's questions about clergy sexual abuse, the Archdiocese of Detroit has created a new "mini" website at protect.aod.org.** This site highlights information about reporting abuse, victim assistance, investigations, training for clergy and lay employees and volunteers, and provides additional resources, including messages from Archbishop Vigneron. Our goal is to make this important information – already available on aod.org – more visible, transparent and clear.



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