

# The Vigil

St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church

**Mass Times:**

*(revised for Coronavirus accommodations)*

**St. Charles:**

Friday 11:00am

Sunday 11:30am

**Nativity:**

Sunday 9:30am



**"The Lord Be With You."**

**February 27, 2022**

*8<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*

## Today's Readings

**Sirach 27:4-7**

*(Revealing Speech)*

**Psalms 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16; 1**

*(Thanksgiving of the Just)*

**Corinthians 15:54-58**

*(Victory Through Christ)*

**Luke 6:39-45**

*(The Heart Speaks)*

## Pastor's Pen



**Good Morning, Parish Family!** Both Jesus and Isaiah preach to us about keeping our minds and hearts clean so that our words and actions. As we prepare for Lent, let's look clear-eyed into our minds and hearts to see what we need to keep out of our inner sanctuary.

**Mass.** This week, we will again have Mass on Fridays at 11 AM. Because the church will be used this Friday, we'll meet in the rectory for Mass. Other weekday Masses in our family of parishes: Tuesday at Sacred Heart at 5 PM; Wednesday at St. Augustine/St. Monica at 9 AM; Thursdays at St. Charles at 11 AM.

**Rosary.** We'll pray again in a few weeks as a parish. Let's keep the poor people of Ukraine in our prayers, in whatever way we can pray these days.

**Lent!** The name of this season comes from an old English word that means the season of the lengthening of the days. We take a tithe of days from the year to pray more, fast more and contribute more. Please take the next few days to pray and think about how you want to spend your Lent. A reminder that the Fridays of Lent are days that we abstain from meat. **Ash Wednesday is a day of fasting and abstinence** which means abstaining from meat, and only one full meal a day was taken with two smaller meals that does not equal the main one. These apply to those whose health allows them to follow them.

Grateful to Father Tim for being with us today.

With a prayer,

Father Dan

## 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*

Clara Boltman

Anne Borushko

Mary Canaday

Joey Coutu

Maureen Coutu

Frank Catania

Gus Cops, OFM, Cap.

Simone Eder

Vickie Figueroa

Edward Holley

David Laverty

William (Bill) Leto

Waletha McCrary

Charles Sheron

Pat Sprinkle

Anna Tyler

### **Archbishop Vigneron's statement on Pope Francis' Global Rules for Reporting Abuse:**

A new papal law requiring priests and religious to report sexual abuse and misconduct provides "clear directives for universal accountability in response to the horrors of clergy sexual abuse,"

Archbishop Vigneron has told Detroit Catholic. The law provides whistleblower protections for anyone making a report and requires all dioceses to have a system in place to receive the claims confidentially. And it outlines internal procedures for conducting preliminary investigations when the accused is a bishop, cardinal or religious superior. "I am deeply sorry to all those who have been injured and are enduring a lifetime of physical, emotional and spiritual suffering because of perverse actions by those in authority," the archbishop said. "No one is above civil law, and importantly, no one is above God's law." Pope Francis announced the new norms.

See [detroitcatholic.com](http://detroitcatholic.com) to learn more. Individuals with knowledge of sexual abuse by clergy or church representatives are urged to contact local law enforcement and the Michigan Attorney General's office. Individuals also may contact the Archdiocese of Detroit by visiting [protect.aod.org](http://protect.aod.org).

**BE  
BETTER  
THAN  
WHO  
YOU  
THINK  
YOU OUGHT  
TO BE**

### **Youth News!**

Michigan School & Government Credit Union <https://msguc.org> is offering Scholarships for teens for the 2022 year. The application can be downloaded on the site once you become a member. Teens will need to have an account to apply. The cost is \$5.00 to open an account, and Fr. Dan wants any teen in our parish to know that if they need assistance the parish will help with the cost. **The application has to be submitted by March 1st.**

### **Volunteers Needed for Study of Catholic Women Dealing with Infertility**

Boston College is looking for women between ages 18-65 who identify as Catholic and have experienced infertility or have used/considered using reproductive technologies to participate in a study examining how Catholics rely on faith to cope with infertility and make decisions about whether and how to treat infertility. Participants will be asked to participate in a 1-2 hour interview over the phone or video-chat. The interview will involve questions about one's experience of infertility, one's faith practices, and one's opinions on reproductive technologies. Participating in this study is completely voluntary and confidential and you are free to stop at any time. We hope to use the results of this research to contribute to scholarly research regarding how faith influences how women cope with infertility and discern treatment for it.

If you have questions or might be interested in participating, contact:

Emma McDonald, Principal Investigator  
Doctoral Student in Theological Ethics, Boston College  
[Emma.mcdonald@bc.edu](mailto:Emma.mcdonald@bc.edu), 410-456-1682

**Stewardship Minute:**  
*Fruitfulness*

*"A good tree does not bear rotten fruit,  
nor does a rotten tree bear good fruit."  
(LUKE 6:43)*

Are you living **Stewardship** by using your gifts in the way God intended? Have you asked God how He would like you to use them? Do you compare yourself to others and complain about what you don't have instead of being thankful for what you do have?

God gives each of us unique gifts and a unique plan. Listen to how God is calling you to use your gifts, to bear good fruit, for the glory of His name.

**Ash Wednesday Mass Schedule**

**St. Charles:** Vigil Mass on Tuesday, March 1st at 6 PM

**St. Augustine/St Monica:** Morning Mass on Ash Wednesday (March 2, 2022) at 9 AM

**Nativity of Our Lord:** Mass on Ash Wednesday (March 2, 2022) at 11 AM

**Rectory Hours: Mon and Tues, 10a to 3p  
Wed, Thurs, Fri, 10a to 4p**

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**Pastoral Team**

Fr. Dan Trapp, Pastor  
Joni Scott, Director of Religious Education  
Gayle Koyton, Boulevard Ministry

**Council Members**

Steven Dearing	Diane Simpkins
Rhonda Gilbert	Linda Simpkins
Dan Hurley	Alonda Walker
Joyce Hurley	Paco Williams

**February / March  
Mass Intentions**

Sunday, February 27, 2022  
**Flora Sinclair  
Pete Telang**

Sunday, March 6, 2022  
**Victor and Suzanne  
Fileccia**

Friday, March 11, 2022  
**Ida Cherry**

Sunday, March 13, 2022  
**Casimir Buczak  
Michael Ayoub  
Mary Cunningham**

Friday, March 18, 2022  
**Joy Holbert**

Sunday, March 20, 2022  
**Patrick Buczak  
Gerald Miller**

Friday, March 25, 2022  
**Alexander Harvey**

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Mon., Feb. 28: 1 Peter 1:3-9;  
Psalm 111:1-2, 5-6, 9 AND  
10c; Mark 10:17-27

Tues., Mar. 01: 1 Peter 1:10-16;  
Psalm 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4;  
Mark 10:28-31

Wed., Mar. 02: Joel 2:12-18;  
Psalms 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 12-13, 14 AND 17; 2  
Corinthians 5:20-6:2;  
Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18

Thurs., Mar. 03:  
Deuteronomy 30:15-20;  
Psalm 1:1-2, 3, 4 AND 6;  
Luke 9:22-25

Fri., Mar. 04: Isaiah 58:1-9a;  
Psalm 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 18-19;  
Matthew 9:14-15

Sat., Mar. 05: Isaiah 58:9b-14;  
Psalm 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6;  
Luke 5:27-32

Sun., Mar. 06: Deuteronomy 26:4-10;  
Psalm 91:1-2, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15; Romans 10:8-13;  
Luke 4:1-13

The immigration hearing for Luz Ramos & her family is on March 14. Please keep them in your prayers.

**2022 Envelopes**

*If you requested envelopes, please be sure to pick them up from the back pew.*

*If you want envelopes, please let Rhonda Gilbert know.*

**Weekly Collection**

**02/13/2022 and 02/20/2022**

Envelopes	\$3,101.16
Loose	\$ 663.00
Christmas	\$ 50.00
Maintenance	\$ 171.00

**TOTAL \$3,985.16**

**Free At-home COVID-19 Tests**

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<https://www.covidtests.gov/>

*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?*



# The Latest Podcasts and Videos from the Archdiocese of Detroit

## **LISTEN: Open Door Policy Podcast Episode 81: Alex Lynch**

Fr. Patrick and Emily welcome guest Alex Lynch to the podcast, mom, parish leader, and owner of the local Scramblers restaurant franchise. She discusses her upbringing in the Catholic faith, as well as her involvement leading the mom's group ministry at St. Paul which also includes a book club. Alex talks about the most recent book the group read, *Divine Mercy for Moms*.



**SCAN TO LISTEN**

## **LISTEN: Detroit Stories Episode 24: 'Pretty Brown Girl Club'**

Mercy High School alumna Sheri Crawley created a club exclusively for girls of color to give them an empowering place to call their own. Sheri creates a line of brown and black dolls, offering an alternative to the European standard of beauty in magazines and toy stores. The idea is met with overwhelming interest.



**SCAN TO LISTEN**

## **WATCH: Video: Why Catholic Schools Are Central To Our Mission To Unleash The Gospel**

When you support Catholic Schools, you are answering God's call to make disciples of all nations. You are bringing hope and light to southeast Michigan. And most of all, you are helping our youth to know Christ, to love Christ, and to go out into the world prepared to unleash the joy of the Gospel.



**SCAN TO LISTEN**

## **WATCH: Video: Why Do The Sacraments Matter?**

The seven sacraments are outward signs given to us by Christ to give us grace, Fr. Mario Amore explains. This grace is necessary for us to live the life of holiness God calls us to. Learn the meaning of Reconciliation, Holy Eucharist, and the bigger picture of God's grace in our lives.



**SCAN TO WATCH**

[unleashthegospel.org/podcast](http://unleashthegospel.org/podcast)

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PLEASE SEE BOTTOM FOR ADDITIONAL DATES WHEN SERVICES WILL BE AVAILABLE!

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- Primary Care Physician Referrals
- Patient Education
- Immunizations
- COVID-19 Vaccines
- COVID-19 PCR Molecular Testing
- Flu Shots (Fall 2021)

### **PATIENT REQUIREMENTS:**

- No Appointment Needed
- ID not Required\*
- Insurance not Required\*
  - *\*Collected if available. Patient will not receive a co-pay*
- COVID-19 Testing 3+ Years Old
- COVID-19 Vaccine (Pfizer) 12+ Years Old
- HIV Screening 13+ Years Old
- Blood Work Screening 18+ Years Old

More dates: 1/28, 2/18, 3/11, 3/31, 4/22, 5/13, 6/3, 6/24, 7/15, 8/5, 8/26, 9/16, 10/7, 10/27, 11/18, 12/9, 12/29 from 2:30—6:30 pm

## **The Archdiocese of Detroit encourages individuals to report clergy sexual abuse of minors and others directly to law enforcement – no matter when the abuse occurred.**

Individuals may also contact the Archdiocese of Detroit. We place no deadlines or time limits on those who wish to come forward for help; be it five, 15, or 50 years later, our diocese accepts and responds to all reports.

The Archdiocese of Detroit reports every complaint it receives, regardless of its source or the date of the alleged activity, to civil authorities. No complaints are held back, pre-screened or disregarded. This is done in accordance with voluntary agreements signed in the spring of 2002 by the archdiocese and prosecutors from all six counties within its boundaries. As a result of the agreements, the archdiocese shared case files of priests accused of sexual misconduct in previous years and committed to turning over all complaints in the future.

### **How to Report Sexual Abuse**

#### **Emergencies**

If you suspect someone is in immediate danger, call **911**

#### **Law enforcement**

Individuals who suspect clergy sexual abuse of children or vulnerable adults are encouraged to contact the Michigan Attorney General's Office by calling its toll-free reporting hotline at (844) 324-3374 (Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.) or by emailing [aginvestigations@michigan.gov](mailto:aginvestigations@michigan.gov). Individuals also may contact their local police department.

#### **Mandated reporting**

Mandated reporters in Michigan must make an immediate verbal report to the CPS Centralized Intake for Abuse & Neglect at (855) 444-3911, followed by a written report within 72 hours. Reports also can be [made online](#). (See below for [more information](#) on mandated reporters.)

#### **Archdiocese of Detroit**

The Archdiocese of Detroit's Victim Assistance Coordinator, Tony Latarski, can be reached at **(313) 237-6060** or toll-free at **(866) 343-8055**. Individuals also may email [vac@aod.org](mailto:vac@aod.org). Mr. Latarski has an extensive background in law enforcement and works to receive and respond to all complaints. All calls and messages regarding complaints of sexual abuse will be returned in a timely manner. Callers will be asked to provide their name and telephone number.

This contact information is shared as part of an effort by the archdiocese to protect children, young people and other vulnerable people in our schools, parishes and ministries. They are for reporting suspected sexual misconduct or child abuse within archdiocesan institutions and ministries only.

More information about the reporting process from *Detroit Catholic*: **For archdiocese's victim assistance coordinator, helping survivors is a ministry of compassion.**

Please note that this article references Mr. Latarski's predecessor, who retired after serving for many years in the role of Victim Assistance Coordinator for the Archdiocese of Detroit.

#### **Reporting a bishop**

The **Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service (CBAR)** has been established to receive reports of sexual abuse and related misconduct by bishops and to relay those reports to proper Church authorities for investigation. To make a report, visit [ReportBishopAbuse.org](http://ReportBishopAbuse.org) or phone (800) 276-1562. When a report includes a crime, such as the sexual abuse of a minor, it will also be reported to civil authorities. Otherwise, reports will be kept confidential.

Reports of sexual misconduct by other Church personnel — priests, deacons, laypersons — should be reported-in using the means described in the above sections.



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