The Vigil

St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church

Mass Times:

(revised for Coronavirus accommodations)

St. Charles:

Friday 11:00am Sunday 11:30am

Nativity:

Thursday 11:00am Sunday 9:30am

Pastor's Pen



"The Lord Be With You."



April 17, 2022

Easter Sunday

Today's Readings

Acts 10: 34a, 37-43 (Salvation in Christ)

Psalm 118: 1-2, 16-17, 22-23 (The Day of the Lord)

Colossians 3: 1-4 (Seek Heavenly Things)

> John 20: 1-9 (Renewed Faith)

Good Morning, Parish Family!

Jesus Christ is Risen Today – Death, where is thy sting? Grave, where is thy victory? He got up!

Today, we worship God as we are brought into the presence of Jesus rising from the dead. We get a sense of how to worship from the woman who brought Jesus the costly nard in Mark 14. Because it was so expensive, the disciples reproached her.

They were indignant with her.

But, Jesus said, Let her alone, why cause her trouble?

She has done a beautiful and good thing, a kalon ergon, for me.

As Jesus does something beautiful and good for us,

as He does a *kalon ergon* for us the days of the Passover Triduum,

we in turn do something beautiful and good for Him.

We give Him our worship back, as a gift, not as an investment, but as a gift.

We crack it open and pour out our worship, keeping nothing for ourselves.

Then, God can work new, beautiful, and good things in us.

I thank God for the baptisms of Kyrianna, Kayla, Tyree and Trevon Jackson and the receptions into the Church of Cynthia Bailey and Katherine Olivares at the Easter Vigil. Thanks also to Ms. Joni Scott who has prepared, prayed with and accompanied our new sisters and brother.

See you on Friday at Mass or next Sunday.

Happy Easter!

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 Gus Cops, OFM, Cap. Simone Eder Vickie Figueroa **Edward Holley David Laverty** William (Bill) Leto Waletha McCrary Charles Sheron Pat Sprankle Anna Tyler Rene VanZaelen

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 <u>detroitcatholic.com</u> 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*.

CSA 2022: FUEL THE MISSION

St. Paul wrote to the Colossians "Whatever you do, do from the heart." (Colossians 3:23).

As we face so many challenges in 2022, we are reminded of our call as missionary disciples to act out of the heart that God has formed in us. The CSA raises funds that make our work possible, including supporting more than 100 ministries, programs, and services. This includes helping the hungry and homeless, support for our parishes, priests and seminarians, and promoting the work of the Catholic schools, and so much more.

We ask you to help us Fuel the Mission by supporting the 2022 CSA. Please consider making a gift today.

The St. Charles goal amount has increased this year. We are asking that you prayerfully discern how you can support this required Archdiocese of Detroit fund raising campaign.

Please read Archbishop's Letter which is included in today's Vigil for information on the importance of this campaign to the Archdiocese of Detroit and our brothers and sisters in Christ.

Forever Upward

Rise.

Rise up.

Rise to the occasion.

Rise and shine.

Let it rise.

See the sun rise.

Pray under the moon rise.

Help others rise.

Whatever you do, rise.

Plants rise from sacred earth.

Children rise from nourished birth.

Healers rise to care for hurts.

These are the keys to peace on Earth.

Rise. Renew. Rebirth.

And when you falter:

Redo.

New you.

Whatever you do, rise.



Stewardship Minute: Live it!

"...He went about doing good and healing all those oppressed by the devil, for God was with him." (AcTS 10:38)

We can't give what we don't have. Open your heart to receive God's love, mercy and forgiveness. Then, show the same to others through your **Stewardship**. As God's adopted sons and daughters, we are made in His image and likeness. As Pope Benedict XVI says, "we are made for greatness." Let our lives reflect His light to others. Pray to live a grateful and generous life. Strive for greatness! We are made for more! We are made for God!

Weekly Collection 04-03-2022

| Envelopes | \$ 1,254.58 |
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| Loose | \$ 240.00 |
| Maintenance | \$ 71.00 |
| Christmas | \$ 65.00 |
| Easter | \$ 50.00 |

TOTAL \$1,680.00

04/10/2022

| Envelopes | \$. | 4,181.58 |
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| Loose | \$ | 221.00 |
| Maintenance | \$ | 35.00 |
| Christmas | \$ | 65.00 |
| Easter | \$ | 110.00 |
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TOTAL \$4,612.58

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

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April Mass Intentions

Sunday, April 17, 2022 Jon Harvey Douglas Allen

Friday, April 22, 2022 Angela Dearing

Sunday, April 24, 2022 Greg McCaffrey Roger Sinclair

Friday, April 29, 2022

Angela McDonald

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon., Apr. 18: Acts 2: 14, 22-33; Psalm 16: 1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11; Matthew 28: 8-15

Tues., Apr. 19: Acts 3: 1-10; Psalm 105: 1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9; Luke 24: 13-35

Wed., Apr. 20: Acts 3: 1-10; Psalm 105: 1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9; Luke 24: 13-35

Thurs., Apr. 21: Acts 3: 11-26; Psalm 8: 2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9; Luke 24: 35-48

Fri., Apr. 22: Acts 4: 1-12; Psalm 118: 1-2 and 4, 22-24, 25-27a; John 21: 1-14

Sat., Apr. 23: Acts 4: 13-21; Psalm 118: 1 and 14-15ab, 16-18, 19-21; Mark 16: 9-15

Sun., Apr. 24: Acts 5: 12-16; Psalm 118: 2-4, 13-15, 22-24; Revelation 1: 9-11a, 12-13, 17-19; John 20:19-31

RISE UP!

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

We especially remember the dearly departed loved ones of those who generously donated to our Easter Lily Fund:

our Easter Lily Fund: Gary Abraham Elizabeth Adair Members of the Allen & King Family Curtis Allen Rodney Allen Carl Avoub Georgine Ayoub Michael Ayoub Beverly Bell Jackson Alma Bojanic Members of the Carson Family Carol Colombo Robert Colombo Larry Curry Robert Davison Sr. Trish Devine Christy Dugan James Flores Carmen Francis Russel and Connie Hartway Kathy Haynes Henry Haynes Members of the Howard Family Raymond Hughes Donald Hughes Jr. William F. Hyde Van Allan James Charles Klein Virginia LaChance David Leverette John Leverette Paul Leverette Angela McDonald Terrance Morant Sr. Vertis Park Jr. John Pilette Howard Ray Mary Ray Morgan Ray Ray and Mary Riha Doris Saganski Elizabeth Sullivan Joseph Sullivan Michael Tatti George Taylor Benjamin Villenueva Emerson Villenueva-Hay Gemmalyn Villnueva Bohdan Vujic L.C. Washington Joyce Washington Lawrence Washington Curtis Watt Delores Waugh

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Catholic Services Appeal 2022

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

The First Letter of Peter addresses persecuted Christians living in Asia Minor. St. Peter writes to these early followers of Jesus to prepare them for suffering in imitation of Christ. The core message is not just about enduring trials but also "indescribable joy." St. Peter shows that the Christian life is marked by suffering and, also, by a living hope and profound joy.

The Scripture verse for this year's Catholic Services Appeal comes from this letter: "As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace." (1 Peter 4:10). The passage in which we find this verse is about Christian Charity, a call for hospitality and service and to "let love for one another be intense."

It is timely for us, the Church in Detroit, to reflect on these themes. In the midst of ongoing distress and tribulation as our region and the entire world emerges from a global pandemic, we are called to witness the love of Christ to a suffering world. It is in the way we serve each other and in the way we love one another that we give effective witness to Christ.

We are called to this witness immersed in the reality of Christ's victory over death and the inexpressible joy of the new life we now have through our baptism. Joy, love, service, and hospitality are the hallmarks of Christ's followers and the gift we offer to the people in southeast Michigan.

Each year, the Catholic Services Appeal provides us an opportunity to celebrate the ways our Church in Detroit responds to the material and spiritual needs of individuals and families. One parish alone could not meet these many needs. It is through the sharing of our gifts and our service that we, together, can be the Church Christ wants us to be.

I am deeply grateful for the ways you have contributed to this work in the past. I ask that you prayerfully consider renewing your gift this year. Your generosity makes it possible for more than 170 ministries, services, and programs to love intensely and bring the indescribable joy found in Christ to our communities.

Entrusting you to the intercession of Our Lady of Lourdes, Blessed Solanus Casey, and St. Anne, our patroness, I remain,

The Most Reverend Allen H. Vigneron

ARCHBISHOP OF DETROIT

Sincerely yours in Christ,

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. 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 <u>made online</u>. (See below for <u>more</u> 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 <u>vac@aod.org</u>. 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 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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