

The Vigil

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



July 28, 2019
17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today's Readings

Genesis 18:20-32
(Praying with Perseverance)

Psalms 138:1-2, 2-3, 6-7, 7-8
(The Lord's Help)

Colossians 2:12-14
(New Life from God)

Luke 11:1-13
(The Lord's Prayer)

Pastor's Pen



"The Lord Be With You."

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Didn't we have a wonderful time at Mass last Sunday with the children from Vacation Bible School leading us in song and prayer? Again, thank you to Joni Scott and all the volunteers from the kitchen staff preparing the meals to the teachers and teacher's aides to all who had any part in making these three weeks a grand experience for the children. I was able to see the crowd before they left for Cedar Point on Thursday and you could feel the excitement. It truly makes my day when I see the children having a great time. So, thanks to all who made it possible.

Today's Gospel shows Jesus teaching his disciples how to pray. The "Our Father" has become such a common prayer that sometimes we gloss over the words we are praying. A few weeks ago, our wonderful group preparing for baptism went over this prayer line by line with Sr. Judy. The part they and all of us decided was the hardest was the line, "and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us." It really is an indictment on how we forgive others. Yikes, it would be much easier to say, "Lord, help us to forgive as you have forgiven us." Forgive us as we forgive others reminds me of the scripture passage that says, "with the measure (of mercy) which you measure shall be measured back to you." I know the times I have been unforgiving and unmerciful and if that becomes the yardstick with which I am judged, I'm in big trouble!

The reminder today is that forgiveness is freedom and when we carry all kinds of resentments and bitterness within us, we hurt ourselves and make our lives miserable. I know when I see the Lord face to face, I will need a lot of forgiveness and mercy, so I don't have the luxury of holding back my forgiveness from those who have hurt me. I also know that forgiveness from deep hurts doesn't just happen because we want it, but those hurts are wounds that slowly heal when we tend to them. Maybe this week we can take a look at the pain and hurts that hamper us from forgiving and invite Christ into those sacred wounds. The "Our Father" is not just a prayer of praise to God in heaven but it is a challenge to our lives and our broken hearts. As we take each other's hands this week to pray this prayer, may we all hear the challenge to begin letting go of some bitterness and hurt that may have been festering in our hearts for many years. May God open our hearts to his love and forgiveness so that we might be able to bring forgiveness to the relationships of our lives!

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
Patricia Anderson
Paul Andreovich
Marilyn Boomer
John Bozich
Shawn Burks
Liana Caruana
Ida Cherry
Gary Davila
Julie Demonbreuen
Howard Dilworth
Kyle Duker
Heinrich Ericksen
Jill Forton
Karen Green
Doris Harris
Alexander Harvey
Addie Ingram
Eleanor Janutol
Ron Kirby
Alan Krupp
Tony Lababera
Vanessa Laco-Chambers
Dave Laverty
Catherine Lewis
Edward Malik
Tiana Marquez
Michael Martin
Mary Massaini
Leon McCoo
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Michael Nadeau
Shea O'Brien
Gary Perzyk
Robert Preuss
Celeste Rabaut
Elaine Rosen
Carol Santa Maria
Ben Saxon
Marvin Sims
Len Stoehr
Mark Tamer
Rachel Thompson
Enza Trah
Anna Tyler
Sr Jolene Van Handel
Mary Lou West
Belinda Wilson
Shawn Wilson
Rashad Whigham
Jenny White

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profit to peace
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ever dream of.**

A Mass for the Families in Detention Camps...

...will be held **Tuesday, July 30 at 6 PM** at Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church, 1050 Porter, Detroit MI 48226.

Intercessions: Prayers for the detained families; Gratitude to God for God's presence in the people; Prayers for courage that we will respond to Pope Francis' exhortations about immigrants as our brothers and sisters; Children's Procession of Flowers and Prayers to Our Lady of Guadalupe for children who have died in camps or along the Exodus from their countries; Interfaith and civic groups represented, with prayers received.

Delegations from parishes and organizations are encouraged to bring their parish banner (or a poster with name of their parish). The offering will be sent to the Diocese of El Paso (Bishop Mark Seitz) and the Diocese of Brownsville (Bishop Daniel Flores, former Aux. Bishop of Detroit).

Info: Strangers No Longer, 313-549-0421 (billobrien2018@gmail.com).
Mary Turner (313-753-2913;
Vic Venegas (Clem Kern Foundation) 313-682-1820

CSA Minutes: Young Adult Ministry & Catechesis

The Detroit Catholic Young Adult series, "Summer in Detroit," culminates its Unleash the Gospel initiative with a Tuesday evening series **adoration night** on **July 30**, the feast day of Blessed Solanus Casey, led by Father Mario Amore with prayer teams for healing, beautiful music, and confession.

Stewardship Reflection: Good Stewardship

*"Ask and you will receive; seek and you will find;
knock and the door will be opened to you." LUKE 11:9*

Jesus assures us that if we ask, God will take care of what we need. The problem is that our culture often confuses what we really need with what we simply want. Many people *need* very little. However, we usually *want* so much more. A good **Steward** only asks God for what he needs.

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- 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.

ONLINE GIVING: To be sure that your online donation is included in your contribution amounts, we **MUST** have your email address. Please either call the rectory, send an email to the parish (stcharlesborromeodetroit@yahoo.com) or drop a note in the collection basket with your email address. Without the email address, your online contributions will not be added to your collection data or included in your year-end statement.

Upcoming Events / Meetings

Catholic Night at Comerica Park — Tuesday, September 10, 6:45pm.

On Tuesday, September 10th, the Tigers will take on the Yankees at 6:45pm and The Archdiocese of Detroit would love to see you there. All parishes & parishioners in the archdiocese and beyond are invited for a night of fun and fellowship. Each ticket purchased includes a donation to Catholic Charities of Southeast Michigan and also a limited-edition Detroit Tigers + Unleash the Gospel hat. Don't miss this great event, get your tickets today at mlb.com/tigers/tickets/specials/catholic-night

NEED SUGGESTIONS FOR SUMMER VACATION ACTIVITIES??

Teach the kids to barbecue.

Visit a nature center.

Join a bicycle tour.

Make juice pops.

Go to the DIA (it's free!)

Go to the Historical Museum.

Wander a craft store.

Write.

Draw.

Paint.

Sing!

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

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July/August Mass Intentions

Sunday, July 28, 2019

**Donnabelle Rennpage
Carol Beth Koerner**

Wednesday, July 31, 2019

**Ron Williams
Leslie Kirby, Sr.**

Sunday, August 4, 2019

Paul Laverette

Wednesday, August 7, 2019

Mary Harvey

Sunday, August 11, 2019

Bohdan Vujic

Wednesday, August 14, 2019

Ruth Weaver

Sunday, August 18, 2019

Tony Gilbert

Wednesday, August 21, 2019

Sue Wenrick

Sunday, August 25, 2019

Stanley Zaborney, Jr.

Wednesday, August 28, 2019

Ben Canaday

Denny Tito

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon., July 29: Exodus 32:15-24, 30-34; Psalm 106:19-20, 21-22, 23; John 11:19-27

Tues., July 30: Exodus 33:7-11, 34:5b-9, 28; Psalm 103:6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13; Matthew 13:36-43

Wed., July 31: Exodus 34:29-35; Psalm 99:5, 6, 7, 9; Matthew 13:44-46

Thurs., Aug. 01: Exodus 40:16-21, 34-38; Psalm 84:3, 4, 5-6a & 8a, 11; Matthew 13:47-53

Fri., Aug. 02: Leviticus 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37; Psalm 81:3-4, 5-6, 10-11ab; Matthew 13:54-58

Sat., Aug. 03: Leviticus 25:1, 8-17; Psalm 67:2-3, 5, 7-8; Matthew 14:1-12

Sun., Aug. 04: Ecclesiastes 1:2, 2:21-23; Psalm 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 & 17; Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11; Luke 12:13-21

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Help Needed: Volunteer at the Capuchin Services Center... We need volunteers to sort clothing donations we receive at the Capuchin Services Center. Volunteers are needed Monday through Friday, between 9 am and 4 pm. The Capuchin Services Center is located at 6333 Medbury St., Detroit, MI 48211 (Located near I-94 and Mt. Elliott St.). We encourage volunteers to come regularly as their schedule permits. Volunteers can choose to come in the morning from 9 am until Noon (or longer) or in the afternoon from Noon until 4 pm. To schedule a time to volunteer please email or call Candice Wroblewski, Volunteer Coordinator, at cwroblewski@cskdetroit.org, 313-925-1370, ext. 206.

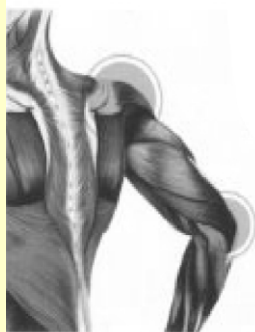
Volunteer at the Solanus Casey Center... There is something truly peaceful and holy about the Solanus Casey Center. Would you like to spend more time here? Would you like to help share Bl. Solanus' story? With an influx of visitors to the Solanus Casey Center, there is a need for additional docents to guide tour groups through the Center and share Bl. Solanus' charisms. Contact Sally McCuen to find out more: 313.579.2100 ext. 149 or smccuen@thecapuchins.org

Weekly Collection

07/21/19

Envelopes	\$ 1,772.50
Loose	\$ 546.74
Maintenance	\$ 55.00
TOTAL	\$ 2,374.24

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?



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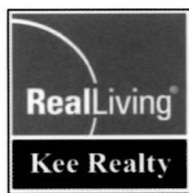
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Making a Report of Sexual Abuse

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.