

FR. RON'S ORDINATION

# Anniversary

1978 { 40 } 2018

*A note from Fr. Ron on his ordination (1978):*

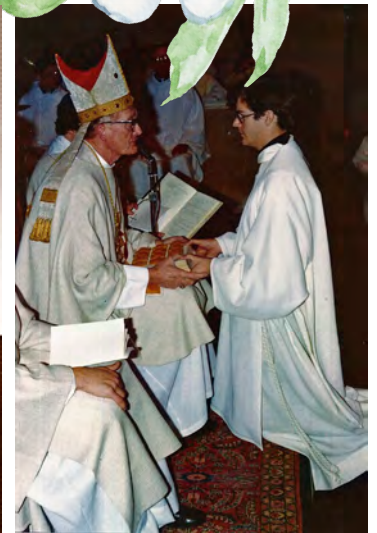
Ever since I entered Sacred Heart Seminary in September of 1965, a major dream of mine has been the ordination to the Priesthood. This weekend, with great joy for my family and me, this dream has come true. And I couldn't be happier. Yet, my ordination to the Priesthood is, for me just part of a much larger dream - a dream that belongs to each of us: to do all that we can to use the gifts God has given us to serve Him and His people. Through your great faith and love, you have brought me to believe ever more strongly in that dream.

By your example of faith and and your unequalled kindness, you have helped me to know God better and have done much to teach me what love of God and love of neighbor is all about.

I am most grateful. God is so good to us. He has been so good to me. He has given me the most loving parents and grand parents, and the best brothers and sisters, and the finest family in the world...Praise God!!!

I pray that, together, we may realize that the greatest dream of all: the dream of serving God, and God alone; and of loving each other as true brothers and sisters in Christ.

– Father Ron Victor  
April 8, 1978



Please join us to celebrate

Fr. Ron's 40th Anniversary of Ordination at  
a reception this weekend, after 11:30 Mass  
(Sunday, April 8th)





WHAT DO I  
HAVE TO  
SHARE  
WITH MY  
CHURCH  
COMMUNITY?

## OUR FOCUS



St. Isidore provides a safe, positive, and nurturing environment so that persons of every background feel included and engaged here.



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St. Isidore is a strong, passionate place of faith. Together we will build up our community and share it with those around us.

### connect with us

Be sure to like us on Facebook & check in when you come to Mass so if someone is searching for a church home, they know that there is a friendly face at St. Isidore.

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## FR. NOEL - THE PILGRIM'S CORNER frnoel@stisidore.church

### THE LANGUAGE OF MERCY

There's nothing that can boost that shadow weighing on our soul until we feel that seemingly perfect response. Whether it's the lyrics, or tune, or combination of both, the invigorating power of Christ's mercy is redemptive; Jesus' overflowing love that floods from his heart quiets our soul and refreshes our spirits!

As a child whenever I paint a heart symbol, it would always represent a shelter helping someone become free and loved. The person who is loved has to resonate that kindheartedness by giving it away, as well. Most of the time, the person has to find that power from the inside. Only then one will be able to sense the benefits that kindness has to offer personally to the other. This is Jesus Christ invitation in today's Feast of Divine Mercy: God's mercy has no limit, it's the language of the infinity paralleled to perfection and unimaginable possibilities

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“ THE WORD OF GOD BECAME FLESH AND MADE HIS DWELLING AMONG US; AND WE SAW HIS GLORY.

JN 1:14AB

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## WEEKLY CALENDAR

### SUNDAY, APRIL 8TH

7:30 am Mass CH  
9:30 am Mass with CLW CH  
11:30 am Mass CH  
12:30 pm Fr. Ron's 40th Anniversary (after 11:30 Mass) SH  
1:30 pm Divine Mercy Sacrament of Reconciliation and Adoration CH  
2:30 pm Divine Mercy Mass CH  
3:00 pm Pajama Project Sorting SH  
3:30 pm Chaplet of Divine Mercy Benediction CH  
6:00 pm MS Youth Group Meeting YR

### MONDAY, APRIL 9TH

8:00 am Mass CH  
8:45 am Armchair Aerobics RC  
4:30 pm Faith Formation CR  
6:15 pm Faith Formation CR  
7:00 pm Fellowship Committee Meeting ECR  
7:00 pm RCIA OS

### TUESDAY, APRIL 10TH

Confirmation Interviews  
7:00 am Holy Hour CH  
8:00 am Mass CH  
2:00 pm Lenten Giving Tree - Money Count ECR  
4:30 pm Faith Formation CR  
6:15 pm Faith Formation CR  
7:00 pm K of C 4th Degree Meeting RC  
7:00 pm Parish Council Meeting ECR

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11TH

Confirmation Interviews  
8:00 am Mass CH  
9:00 am Heaven Starts Now - Book Discussion  
9:30 am Scripture Group RC  
1:30 pm Divine Mercy RC  
4:30 pm Faith Formation CR  
5:30 pm Children's Choir Rehearsal MR  
6:15 pm Faith Formation CR  
7:00 pm Baptism Prep Class RCR  
7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal MR

### THURSDAY, APRIL 12TH

Confirmation Interviews  
8:00 am Mass CH  
9:00 am 33 Days to Morning Glory SH  
4:30 pm Faith Formation CR  
6:15 pm Faith Formation CR  
6:30 pm K of C Membership Meeting RC  
7:00 pm Teen Music Rehearsal MR

### FRIDAY, APRIL 13TH

7:00 am Holy Hour  
8:00 am Mass CH  
8:45 am Friday Fellowship SH

### SATURDAY, APRIL 14TH

8:00 am Mass CH  
8:00 am Boy Scout Training - Nick Butts CR  
3:00 pm Confessions CH  
4:30 pm Mass CH

### SUNDAY, APRIL 15TH

6:00 am Blood Drive SH  
7:30 am Mass CH  
9:30 am Mass with CLW CH  
11:30 am Mass CH

#### KEY TO CALENDAR LOCATIONS:

A-Atrium, CH-Church, CR-Classrooms,  
CY-Courtyard, ECR-Executive Conference  
Room, FCR-Front Conference Room,  
GS-Gathering Space, K-Social Hall  
Kitchen, MA-Maintenance Room, MR-  
Music Room, OS-Off Site, RC-Resource  
Center, REC-Rectory, SH-Social Hall,  
YR-Youth Room

## WEEKLY READINGS

### SUNDAY

*Second Sunday of Easter  
(Or Sunday of Divine Mercy)*  
ACTS 4:32-35;  
PS 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24;  
1 JN 5:1-6;  
JN 20:19-31;

### MONDAY

*Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord*  
IS 7:10-14; 8:10;  
PS 40:7-8A, 8B-9, 10, 11;  
HEB 10:4-10;  
LK 1:26-38;

### TUESDAY

*Tuesday of the Second Week of Easter*  
ACTS 4:32-37;  
PS 93:1AB, 1CD-2, 5;  
JN 3:7B-15;

### WEDNESDAY

*Memorial of Saint Stanislaus, Bishop and Martyr*  
ACTS 5:17-26;  
PS 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9;  
JN 3:16-21;

### THURSDAY

*Thursday of the Second Week of Easter*  
ACTS 5:27-33;  
PS 34:2 AND 9, 17-18, 19-20;  
JN 3:31-36;

### FRIDAY

*Friday of the Second Week of Easter*  
ACTS 5:34-42;  
PS 27:1, 4, 13-14;  
JN 6:1-15;

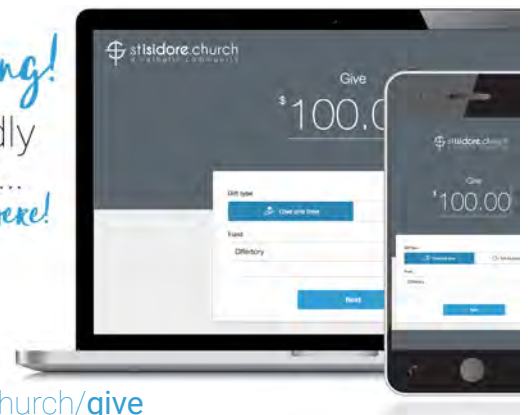
### SATURDAY

*Saturday of the Second Week of Easter*  
ACTS 6:1-7;  
PS 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19;  
JN 6:16-21;

### SUNDAY

*Third Sunday of Easter*  
ACTS 3:13-15, 17-19;  
PS 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9;  
1 JN 2:1-5A;  
LK 24:35-48;

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The overflowing rays in white, blue and red colors embody His DIVINE GRACE which embraces everything and everyone; going beyond culture, race, age and orientation inspiring a very welcoming environment, all encompassing and belongingness in God's divine compassion. Christ's face as the face of a merciful father never ever tires of forgiving us. Mercy and compassion are the best medicines we can offer to our sick society today: it transforms the world, changes everything, and makes the world less uncaring and more just. The comfort of mercy should reach everyone. Mercy takes us to the heart of the relationship between God and human beings; mercy is the name of God himself (Pope Francis).

With Jesus' death and resurrection, the definitive word had been proclaimed. God suddenly breaks in, upsets all the rules and offers new possibilities. God once more comes to meet us, to create and strengthen His promise present from the beginning; the mercy He promised from the start; our creation, our history, human life; this promise had always been about God's desire to redeem us by his merciful gift of self.

Justice and mercy meet most intimately on the Cross of Christ. The cross is God's judgment on all of us and on the whole world, and it is there above all that God's mercy is revealed, in an action that defends us despite our guilt. In God's mercy, forgiveness would never be a cheap grace because Christ asks something of us, and we are accountable to Him; God's justice is not cheapened or condensed superfluous in the ministry of Jesus through his expensive gift of self on the cross, and in his resurrection. For God, justice is not enough; justice won't offer us the kingdom, and that's what God desires to offer us: by going beyond justice with his mercy and forgiveness. God's justice is his mercy given to everyone. We can only pay it back by taking seriously our own task. We who have encountered God's mercy are also called to become channels of mercy in our proclamation, our witness, and by being transformed ourselves.

Today as we celebrate the Feast of Divine Mercy we also celebrate Fr. Ron's 40th Priesthood Anniversary. One of Fr. Ron's greatest gifts to St Isidore has been his being a great witness of the Gospel of Mercy in proclaiming it to his own life and ministry: to the Church, to the Archdiocese of Detroit, to the parishes where he served, to Retrouvaille, to the poor and the needy in the margins of the society, welcoming them all and letting them belong to our Christian community. He proclaims the Gospel and he lives it. Fr. Ron's gift of priesthood is his service as shepherd of God's Mercy of changing the world, of being viaduct of transformation of culture, and that "the world may have life in abundance" (John 10:10).

Lastly, like the Christian communities before, perhaps we will fail again and again in our efforts to proclaim and live that message with truthfulness, yet, we will never grow tired in

rediscovering for ourselves the mercy of God; His immense generosity, the free gift of himself in compassion, made concrete and tangible in the life of the church, as gift for the world.

A Blessed Feast Day of Divine Mercy and Happy 40th Priesthood Anniversary to Fr. Ron!

## ADORATION CHAPEL



The Adoration Chapel is now available for all parishioners on Wednesdays and Thursdays from 9 am - 4 pm. If you can commit one hour of your time for worship, please call the church office for more information at 586-286-1700.

## CSA MINUTE

The Cathedral Cultural Series presents "The Tallis Scholars: War and Peace," England's world-renowned early music choir commemorating the 100th anniversary of the end of World War I, at the Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Detroit next Saturday, April 14.

The music of Josquin, Guerrero, Pärt, Mouton, Lobo, Victoria, Tavener, and Palestrina loosely follows the form of the Mass, honoring all who passed in the First World War. A special veterans' commemoration will take place just before the program.

Sacred music is an important part of the New Evangelization. Your gifts to the Catholic Services Appeal fund music ministries throughout the Archdiocese, including the Cathedral Cultural Series and the Archdiocesan Chorus.

Tickets for the performance, which begins at 8 p.m., are \$30.

# MASS INTENTIONS

## SUNDAY, APRIL 8

7:30 AM

† Petrina Boyd  
 † Raymond Sadowski (wedding ann.)  
 Evelyn Edwards  
 † John Nguyen Viet Luy  
 † Joseph Tuan Hoang  
 † Helen Doan  
 All Souls in Purgatory  
 † Teresa Arduini  
 † Steven & Lottie Muzyk  
 † Brian Namee (birthday, 2nd ann.)

Family  
 Family  
 Mary Lou & Ron Pratt  
 Kelly Doan  
 Kelly Doan  
 Kelly Doan  
 Kelly Doan  
 Friend  
 Jeff Muzyk  
 Mom, Dad, Eric, Kyle

9:30 AM

† William Goike  
 † Margaret Homrocky (10th anniversary)  
 † Karen Marie Hellebuyck (31st anniversary)  
 † Paul Grzelewski (7 months)  
 † Cristian M. Remy  
 † Victore & Josephine Ventimiglia  
 † Frank Martino  
 † Rafaele Stabile  
 Eleanor Zizzi

Wife & Family  
 Daughter, Kathy  
 Family  
 Family  
 Wife, Dottie  
 Family  
 Family  
 Family  
 Family  
 Sal & Mafalda Stabile  
 Joanne Hacala

11:30 AM

People of the Parish  
 † Carl & Marian Schellschmidt  
 † Edward O'Donnell (2nd anniversary)  
 † Pietro Carlesimo  
 † Esse & Grace Salamie  
 † Robert Kebbe  
 † Susanne Edelmann  
 † Lisa & Antonio  
 † Dominica  
 † Edward Jackimowicz (2nd anniversary)

Rosalie Schellschmidt  
 Wife, Alice O'Donnell  
 Wife & Family  
 Cheryl & Bill Cobert  
 Family  
 Friend  
 Casali Family  
 Casali Family  
 Wife & Daughter

## MONDAY, APRIL 9

8:00 AM

† Tim & Victoria Roddy family  
 † Rita Lund

Irene Maciag

## TUESDAY, APRIL 10

8:00 AM

† Michael J. Kempisty  
 † Eugene Herc

Family  
 Wife

## WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11

8:00 AM

† Gaetano DiBella Sr.  
 † Karen & Bill Zaharoff  
 † Aleci Teresa

John & Elisa DiBella  
 Mary & Rob Lee  
 John & Elisa DiBella

## THURSDAY, APRIL 12

8:00 AM

† Margaret & Larry Homrocky  
 † Mr & Mrs Michael Rybinski & sons  
 † Victoria Bartkowicz  
 † Karen Hellebuyck

Daughter, Kathy  
 Daughter  
 Irene Maciag  
 Richard Koss family

## FRIDAY, APRIL 13

8:00 AM

All Catholic Priests  
 The Menard & Daniel Families  
 † Joseph Barone (birthday)

Claudette Menard  
 Family

## SATURDAY, APRIL 14

4:30 PM

People of the Parish  
 Michael Majchrzak  
 † William Goike  
 † Dorothy Gacki  
 † George Nikoriuk  
 † Duane Mousty  
 † Joan Sloan & Chrissy Sloan  
 † Irene Chmielewski (20th anniversary)  
 † Doug Esper  
 Joanna Angle  
 † Larry Prudhomme

Wife, Eleanor  
 Wife & Family  
 Joe & Anne Gacki  
 Wife, Carole  
 Wife, Virginia  
 Family  
 Family  
 Friend  
 Uncle, Tom  
 Wife, Sherrie

## SUNDAY, APRIL 15

7:30 AM

† Peter Cubba  
 † Josephine Buck  
 † Leo Silvestri

Linda Yaden  
 Linda Yaden  
 Family

9:30 AM

† William Goike  
 † Merrill Wajca - sister Stephanie  
 † Vincent Sancimino (4yr anniversary)  
 † Cristian M. Remy  
 † Victore & Josephine Ventimiglia  
 † Frank Martino  
 † Monajane Ruppert (anniversary)

Wife & Family  
 Family  
 Family  
 Family  
 Family  
 Family  
 Husband & Family

11:30 AM

† Dickerson - Dutton family  
 † Henry Gubler  
 † Joseph Sribniak  
 † Joseph Poma  
 † Pauline Poma  
 † Angelo Censoplano  
 † Dorothy Camarda  
 † Joe Wudyka Jr.

Family  
 Wife  
 Mom  
 Family  
 Family  
 Sister  
 Frank Granett  
 Liccardello



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Our next program is May 4-6

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ON THE ROAD AGAIN

If you are a Willie Nelson fan, this title may bring to mind the song "On the Road Again", a song about his music tours. If you are of my generation or a fan of "old" movies, images of Bob Hope and Bing Crosby in one of their "Road to ..." may come to mind. Either image expresses the idea behind this article. We quite often hear (may even use ourselves) the image of a "road" to describe "life". We journey down the road of life... The "road of life" is full of twists and turns, frequent forks, and some roads traveled more than others. And, closing out the season of Lent, we begin the Easter season, with a renewed energy. Lent was a time of slowing down; a time of reflection, now is the time to introduce a new freshness into our activities and attitudes in living as Baptized Christians.

Just as Spring sparks new life into old trees, brings back the lilies, the lilacs, the daffodils, irises, and crocuses, Springtime energizes our spirits. In Springtime we shed the cocoons of winter, the heavy coats and sweaters, the houses, the condos and apartments. Springtime brings back the bicycles, the golf clubs, and gardening tools. Springtime brings back the "snow-birds" and a certain level of energy in life that may go dormant during the long winter months. In every way I can think of, Spring and Easter bring about New Life.

Hopefully during Lent certain attitudes and/or behaviors were examined and found needing some adjusting to bring them back into alignment with the teachings of Christ and the Church. During the Easter Season of the Church, our Gospel Readings are taken from John's Gospel. John, as all the other Gospel writers, has a specific message contained in his Gospel. It appears that central to Matthew's Gospel is the understanding of "fulfillment"; in Mark's Gospel is the central idea of immediacy; and in Luke's Gospel the understanding of the all-inclusive love of God. The core of John's Gospel, seems to be a focus on Jesus' divine nature. The question asked by the Pharisees and Sadducees in the Synoptic Gospels (Matthew, Mark and Luke): "By whose authority...?" is answered in John's Gospel. The authority of Jesus rests in his divine nature. In the Synoptic Gospels, the Messiahship of Jesus is a "job description" in John's Gospel, the divinity of Jesus is a state of "Being". In all the Gospels, Jesus teaches, but in John's Gospel, the teaching are longer, more frequent and challenging.

I know that for myself, I can at times become confused about my role as a deacon or even a Christian. As a deacon in the Church, I have some specific defined roles to fulfill. There are areas that I am allowed to function and others that are specifically excluded by their nature to priesthood. But being a deacon is larger than a set of functions, being a deacon is also recognizing and accepting the challenge of "being" a deacon. Being a Christian is more than a systematic sequence of activities, being a Christian is, at its core, a way of seeing and responding to the world around us. On this road, for the Christian, Jesus is the Way, the Truth and the Life (Jn 14:6).





## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

We again thank you for helping us restock our Pantry after our Easter Distribution. As we continue our work of feeding the poor of our parish, please keep in mind the following items as you shop this week:

- OATMEAL
- BAKED BEANS
- PORK & BEANS
- CANNED FRUIT
- CHILI
- MANWICH

There are many people of all nations who strive daily to feed their families; please keep them in your prayers.

The Altar Society Rummage Sale is coming up in May. Start gathering items you wish to donate. The Altar Society has been very generous to our St. Vincent de Paul Conference.

## BABY PANTRY



ST. ISIDORE PARISHIONERS ARE INCREDIBLY GENEROUS!

We are grateful to those who donate. God Bless All of You! The needs in our area are many. We are trying to put the Gospel into action in our lives.

We are grateful for your donations and are glad to be of service to needy families.

Real generosity is doing something for someone who will never find out about it!

### Our current pantry needs are:

- Pull-ups size 2T-3T
- Diapers – size NB (newborn)
- Fruit pouches & baby snacks
- Sensitive skin baby wash
- New clothes and onesies – sizes 12 or 18 months

MESSAGE FROM JESUS: "...love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another..."  
God bless you for your prayers and donations!

~ Pat Schmeiser ~

## ARMCHAIR AEROBICS

Want to stay in shape?  
Join the Armchair Aerobics!

This is a FREE exercise program and is offered to anyone that would like to come. Join us every Monday from 8:45 am to 9:45 a in the Resource Center. Presented by the Parish Health Ministry Team.



### OUR SPRING BLOOD DRIVE IS COMING

April 15th. As always, there is a critical blood shortage in Southeastern Michigan. Please, if you can donate, go on line to [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) or call the office and leave your name, phone number, and approximate time you wish to donate.

Times are from 8:00 am – 1:45 PM.

We also need two volunteers to fill (3) 2 hr. shifts each at 8:00 am, 10:00 am, and Noon. Please call if you can help.

Peace,  
Tony

## SECULAR ORDER OF DISCALCED CARMELITES

### AN INVITATION TO JOIN US

Do you feel that you would like to strengthen your spiritual life? The Secular Order of Discalced Carmelites may provide just what you are seeking. We are a community of practicing Roman Catholics, both men and women, married and single (as well as priests and deacons) who desire a more intimate relationship with God. We pray the Liturgy of the Hours, wear the brown scapular of Our Lady, spend time in mental prayer, and study the works of the Carmelite Saints. The spiritual benefits are very rewarding! We meet the fourth Sunday of each month at St Hubert's in Harrison Township. "Come and See!" Inquiry Meeting on May 20, 2018 at 12:30 P.M. Please call in advance. Contact Margaret (586) 764-5128 or Judy (586) 222-6872.

## EUCCHARISTIC CARE MINISTERS

The Spiritual Care Dept. at Henry Ford Macomb Hosp. located at 19 mile and Garfield is in need of Eucharistic Ministers to volunteer to distribute Communion to Catholic patients. Those who are interested please contact Volunteer Services at 586-263- 2360.

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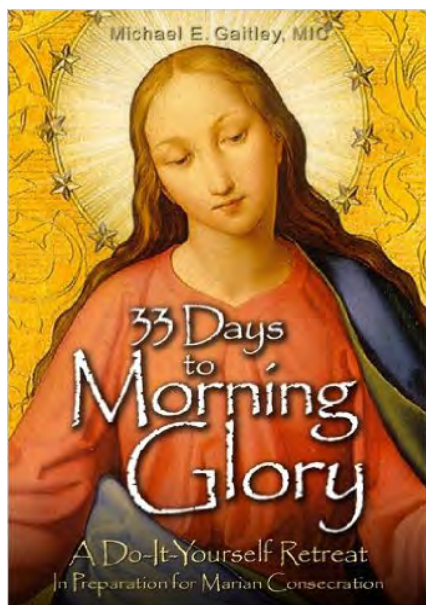
# PASTA DINNER FOR VOCATIONS



Adults - \$10 | Children (5 and under) - \$5  
Pasta, Salad, Bread, Dessert and Beverage  
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**Sat. April 21st 6:00-8:00 pm  
at St. Isidore Parish Social Hall**

## Consecration to Jesus through Our Blessed Mother 33 Days That Will Change Your Life! April 10 – May 13, 2018 (Mother's Day)



We are all called to be saints. St. Louis De Montfort taught that this consecration is the quickest and easiest way to start. Parents, you can do this together as a family. It is an easy and meaningful way for you and your children to grow in the Catholic Faith.

Please join the parish-wide "Consecration to Jesus through Mary" to participate in one of the four ways listed:

- Register for 6 classes for group discussion of the video & book "33 Days to Morning Glory" by Fr. Michael Gaitley (free book provided to those attending the group session). Classes will be at 9:00 a.m. in the Social Hall. Dates: Thurs, April 5; Thurs, April 12; Wed, April 18; Wed, April 25; Wed, May 2; and Wed, May 9.
- Reading Fr. Michael Gaitley's "33 Days to Morning Glory" book on your own.
- Individually watching the DVD at home on the FORMED app. ([formed.org/register](http://formed.org/register). Access code: ZGR3FR. Video found under the STUDY- FAITH FORMATION section.)
- Simply saying the daily prayers in the prayer folders (found in the pews).

We will say the Consecration Prayer together at all the masses on Mother's Day weekend – which is also Our Lady of Fatima Feast Day.





**Round Trip Transportation** - via deluxe highway motorcoach. Restroom equipped and reclining seats.

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Presented by:  
**St. Isidore's Fellowship Committee**

Tour date:  
**Wednesday, May 23, 2018**

Departs 9:00AM - Returns 5:00PM

For reservations and information please contact:  
**St. Isidore's Church Office**  
**(586) 286-1700**

**Citizenship**

This tour will be going into Canada. US and Canadian passengers are required to present proof of citizenship. The following forms are acceptable:

- 1 - PASSPORT - Must be a valid passport.
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APRIL 8 & 22

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P: 586-286-1700 ext:2116



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**HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH  
MINISTRY:**

SUNDAY APRIL 8  
Pj project take down

FRIDAY APRIL 13-15  
Subiaco Retreat

SUNDAY APRIL 29  
Timothy Awards

SUNDAY MAY 6  
WWJD Awards w/dinner



## STEWARDSHIP

Offertory Collection (As of March 25, 2018)

Budgeted	\$	1,006,250.00
Weekly Collection	\$	1,064,763.00
Over / (- Under)	\$	58,513.00
Electronic Giving Feb:	\$	10,439.00
# Envelopes Returned		960
# Registered Families		3,392
# Registered Member		9,616

## THE POPE'S MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTION

### APRIL

For those who have Responsibility in Economic Matters  
That economists may have the courage to reject any economy of exclusion and know how to open new paths.

### WE PRAY FOR THOSE SERVING IN THE MILITARY

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform in our time of need, and give us peace. Amen

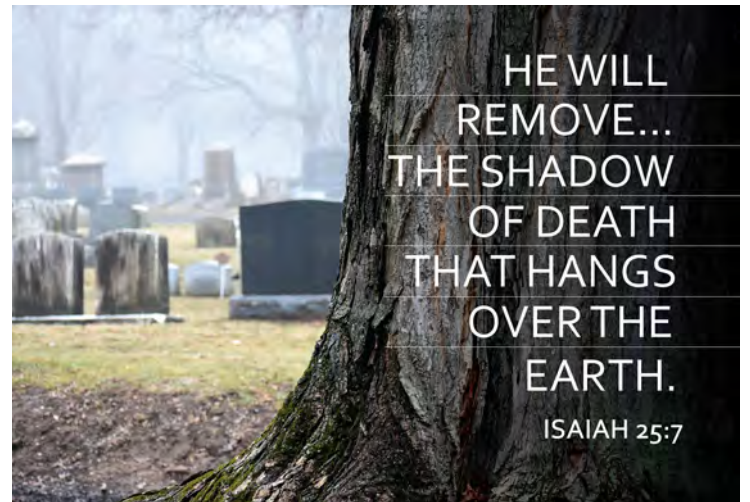
PFC Tanner Adkins	Army	Afghanistan
WO1 Jeremy Bentley	Army	Iraq
Pvt. Troy Ciaramella	Army	USA
Sgt. Sean Collins	Marines	
Sgt. Tyler Dean	Army	Kuwait
PFC Anthony Difatta	Army	Afghanistan
PFC Brian Domzalski	Marines	
PFC E3 Jeffrey Frame	Army	
WO2 Jason Gaboury	Army	
Capt. Wade Gaboury	Air Force	Qatar
Sgt. James Galowski, Jr.	Army	Middle East
PFC John Gellert III	Army	
Michael Giacalone	Coast Guard	Afghanistan
Aaron Griffin	Navy Seal	Afghanistan
Lt. David R. Grzywacz	Navy	
LCpl David Horton	Marines	Afghanistan
Maj. Jeffrey Jablonski	Army	Michigan
Cpl Logan Jabouri	Marines	
J. Jackson	Navy	
Staff Sgt. Ethan Jensen	Air Force	Afghanistan
Sgt. Edward Kujawa	Marines	
Jason Kurpiewski	Navy	Afghanistan
SeaBee UT2 Brian Louwers	Navy	
Spec. Michael Manning	Army	Afghanistan
Tristan Newton	Navy	
Courtney Osborne	Navy	Afghanistan
PFC Matt Piotke	Army	Iraq
MC2 Jeffrey Richardson	Navy	Afghanistan
Sr. Airman Justin Santiago	Air Force	Jordan
Joel Sebastian	Army	
Chief John C. Sbraccia	Navy	Kuwait
Sr. Airman Jeremy Spanski	Air Force	Afghanistan
Cpl. Jeremiah Stewart	Army	Afghanistan
PFC Anne Vassas	Marines	California
Gjelosh Vata	Army	
PFC. Nicholas York	Marines	Maryland
PFC Blake Doetsch	Marines	
PVT. John Deapen	Army	Afghanistan
Christian Bobbish	Navy	
CPL. Griffin Kozak	Marines	California

We invite our parishioners to call the parish office to provide us with the names of men and women from our parish who are presently serving in the armed services. Let us know when our brave men and women return from harm's way.

## COMING SOON...



RETHINKING HOW WE SUPPORT *Our* CHURCH



### WE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Unless expressly requested by the family, usually the name of the sick person will be taken off the list after three months. In the instance of an ongoing serious, critical, or terminal status that is known to us, that policy will not apply.

Bob Agius	Eric Fredlund	Nicole Nicholas
Mary Agius	Mike Guaresimo	Sal Monso
Stephen Barraco	Patty Guaresimo	Andy Nicosia
Jonathan Bisdorf	Patricia Haight	Marge Nizzio
Christian Bobbish	Lucia Iacovetta	Ann Pandori
Christine Bourcier	Margaret Joye	Joe Pandori
Rita Bova	Jenny Kasselmann	Natalie Perini
James Bruinsma	Timothy Kellstrom	Louisa Pietrowsky
Rose Burtnyk	William Kellstrom	Stanley Pluszczynski
Sybil Campernel	Joseph Klinghammer	Eric Racette
Silvio Caringi	Jeri Knofs	Carole Scharweber
Mary Collar	Dan Kosek	Bob Shaw
Jerry Lou Colzani	Roger Krzeminski	Carla Silvestri
Sabrina Conforti	Frank Maccagnone	Breanne Talmadge
Pamela DeClercq	Tim McGrath	Marie Thuan
Kathryn Dickinson	Diana Malachoski	Anthony Tancredii
Mary Domsic	Maria Marano	Albert Toccaceli
Thomas Domsic Sr.	Mary Marcath	Linda Walkowiak
Isaiah Ford	Ronald Mattei	Curtis Wellhausen



# WEEKEND LITURGY SCHEDULE

APRIL 14 & 15, 2018

Liturgical Color	Saturday, April 14 4:30 PM	Sunday, April 15 7:30 AM	Sunday, April 15 9:30 AM	Sunday, April 15 11:30 AM
Lectors	Kaitlyn Proffitt Penny Proffitt	Kathy Banas Dan Banas	Mark Paoletti Ada Paoletti	Sheryl Chu Suzanne Markwood
Lead	Karen Bisdorf Dave Bisdorf	Debbie Eckhout Maryanne Brohl	Mark Paoletti Ada Paoletti	Gerri Koszewski John Righi
Altar Servers	Caroline Peters Sierra Papa Jessica Palmer	Gwen & Grace Russell	Joe Rose & Sophie Paoletti	Maria & Ellie Dunn
Music Ministers	Amy Righi	Amy Righi	Choir	Praise Team 3

## PARISH STAFF

Pastor	Rev. Ronald Victor
Associate Pastor	Rev. Noel Cornelio
Deacons	Rev. Mr. Tom Carter Rev. Mr. Bill Stimpson
Pastoral Minister	Tony Kendzierski
Business Manager	Chris Kozlowski
Procurement Agent	Ron Pakizer
Office Manager	Debbie Rak
Music & Creative Director	Matt Kush
Creative Marketing Designer	Mei Markel
Liturgy & Music Director	Amy Righi
Parish Nurse	Heather Herbst, RN, BSN
Faith Formation Director	Ann De Rey
Catechist Coordinator Gr. 1-4	Dawn Ormsby
Catechist Coordinator Gr. 5-8	Margaret Topor
Youth Minister	Matthew Hunt
Children's Choir	Claire Toupin
Administrative Support	Kathy Homrocky Dawn Kehoe Marilyn Lis Helen Pugh Rachel Rarick
Maintenance	John Hilt Edward Kotulski Ron Ryan Paolo Vitale

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday	8:30 am - 8:00 pm
Friday	8:30 am - 4:00 pm
Closed for Lunch (M-F)	12:00 pm - 1:00 pm
Closed for Staff Prayer (Tues.)	1:00 pm - 1:45 pm
Saturday	9:00 am - 1:00 pm
Sunday	8:30 am - 1:00 pm

## MASS SCHEDULE

<b>Daily:</b>	
Monday - Saturday	8:00 am
Holy Hour (Tuesday & Friday)	7:00 am
<b>Weekends:</b>	
Saturday	4:30 pm
Sunday	7:30 am 9:30 am 11:30 am

## SACRAMENTS

Baptism	By arrangement with the parish office
Reconciliation	Saturday at 3:15 pm
Marriage	By arrangement with the parish office, at least six months prior.
RCIA	Call for schedule

## PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Chair	Michael Fontana
Vice Chair	Todd Grzelewski
Secretary	Susan Decker
Members at Large	
David Bisdorf	Rita Nichter
John Kovacik	Mary Sheahan
Ron Mattei	Ascanio Terraciano
Jeffrey Muzyk	

Registration : Forms are available on-line, at the parish office, and in the gathering space kiosks.



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### HAVE A QUESTION OR CONCERN ABOUT THE BULLETIN?

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What did Thomas say?

Use the Morse code to fill in the blanks.

A B C D E F G H I J K L M  
 N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

“ \_\_\_\_\_ ”



Now Thomas ... was not with the disciples when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, “We have seen the Lord!” What did Thomas say?

Unscramble the words to fill in the blanks below.

- 1) ARSMK = \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) NADSH = \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) SINAL = \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) EISD = \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) VLBEIEE = \_\_\_\_\_



“Unless I see the nail \_\_\_\_\_ in His \_\_\_\_\_ and put my finger where the \_\_\_\_\_ were, and put my hand into His \_\_\_\_\_, I will not \_\_\_\_\_ it.”

# Children's Worship Bulletin™

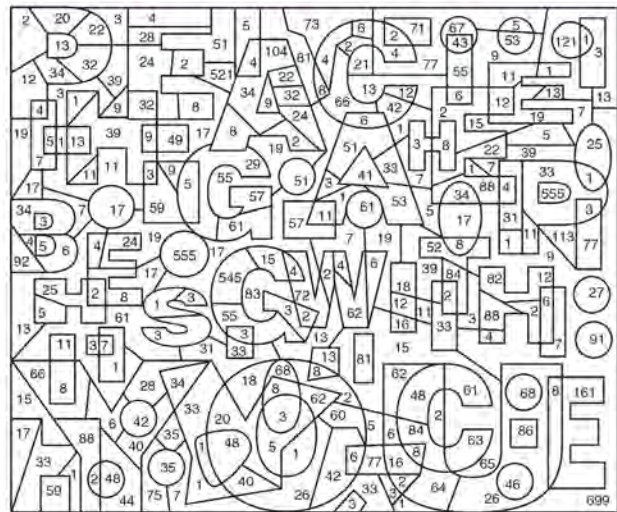
Ages 7-12

April 8, 2018 • John 20:19-31

## Jesus Is the Son of God

On the evening of the first day of the week (the first Easter), when the disciples were together with the doors locked ..., Jesus came and stood among them. What did He say?

Shade in all the shapes with an even number.



A week later Jesus' disciples were in the house again, and Thomas was with them. Though the doors were locked, Jesus came and stood among them. What did He say?



Do the math and then match the numbers with the words to fill in the blanks.

- BELIEVE = 8 - 2 = \_\_\_\_\_
- PEACE = 6 + 6 = \_\_\_\_\_
- DOUBTING = 2 + 8 = \_\_\_\_\_
- YOUR = 7 - 3 = \_\_\_\_\_
- REACH = 6 + 5 = \_\_\_\_\_
- MY = 11 - 6 = \_\_\_\_\_
- HERE = 2 + 5 = \_\_\_\_\_
- BE = 8 + 6 = \_\_\_\_\_
- SIDE = 10 - 1 = \_\_\_\_\_
- WITH = 1 + 2 = \_\_\_\_\_
- YOU = 7 + 6 = \_\_\_\_\_
- PUT = 2 - 1 = \_\_\_\_\_
- HANDS = 4 + 4 = \_\_\_\_\_
- FINGER = 6 - 4 = \_\_\_\_\_
- HAND = 7 + 8 = \_\_\_\_\_

“ \_\_\_\_\_ ”

Then He said to Thomas, “ \_\_\_\_\_ ; see \_\_\_\_\_ out \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ it into \_\_\_\_\_ . Stop \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ ”