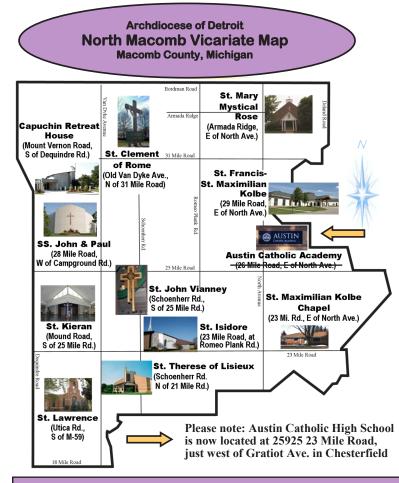
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WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULES

SATURDAY

4:30 p.m.

St. Isidore, St. Kieran, St. Lawrence, St. Therese of Lisieux, St. Mary Mystical Rose

5:00 p.m.

St. Clement of Rome, SS. John and Paul, St. John Vianney, St. Francis/St. Maximilian

SUNDAY

7:00 a.m. St. Clement of Rome

7:30 a.m. St. Isidore, St. John Vianney

8:00 a.m. SS. John and Paul, St. Kieran,

St. Lawrence St. Therese of Lisieux St. Francis/St. Maximilian

9:00 a.m. St. Clement of Rome

9:30 a.m.

SS. John and Paul, St. Kieran, St. Isidore, St. John Vianney, St. Mary Mystical Rose

9:45 a.m. St. Therese of Lisieux

10:00 a.m. St. Francis/St. Maximilian St. Lawrence

11:00 a.m. St. Clement of Rome

11:30 a.m. SS. John and Paul, St. Kieran, St. Isidore, St. John Vianney

11:45 p.m. St. Therese of Lisieux

12:00 p.m. St. Lawrence St. Francis/St. Maximilian (in Spanish)

5:30 p.m. St. Isidore

7:00 p.m. St. Clement of Rome (in Spanish)

Monday 8:00 a.m. St. Isidore St. Lawrence Capuchin Retreat

8:30 a.m. St. John Vianney

9:00 a.m. St. Francis/St. Maximilian St. Mary Mystical Rose

10:30 a.m. St. Therese of Lisieux (at Shelby Nursing Center)

7:00 p.m. SS. John and Paul St. Kieran

Tuesday 8:00 a.m. St. Isidore St. Lawrence Capuchin Retreat

St. Therese of Lisieux St. John Vianney

9:00 a.m. SS. John and Paul

St. Mary Mystical Rose St. Clement of Rome (Communion Service) St. Francis/St. Maximilian (at St. Maximilian Chapel)

11:00 a.m. St. Kieran

Capuchin Retreat

St. Therese of Lisieux

9:00 a.m. SS. John and Paul St. Mary Mystical Rose St. Clement of Rome St. Francis/St. Maximilian (at St. Maximilian Chapel)

9:30 a.m. St. Lawrence (on school days only)

Thursday 8:00 a.m. St. Isidore St. Lawrence Capuchin Retreat

8:30 a.m. St. Therese of Lisieux

9:00 a.m. St. Mary Mystical Rose St. Clement of Rome St. Kieran (Morning Prayer) St. Francis/St. Maximilian (at St. Maximilian Chapel)

11:15 a.m. Austin Catholic Academy Chapel (on School days only)

7:00 p.m. St. John Vianney

Friday 8:00 a.m. St. Isidore St. Lawrence Capuchin Retreat

8:30 a.m. St. Therese of Lisieux St. John Vianney

9:00 a.m.

St. Clement of Rome St. Kieran St. Mary Mystical Rose (First Fridays)

7:00 p.m. St. Francis/St. Maximilian (on First Fridays)

Saturday 8:00 a.m. Capuchin Retreat St. Isidore

Articles for the December issue are due November 16. Please e-mail your article to **nmvnews**@yahoo.com.

8:30 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES Wednesday 8:00 a.m. St. Isidore

8:30 a.m.

Agape Center

Agape Center Announcement

We at Agape Center are happy and excited to announce our new partnership with Community First Health Centers. Community First provides a variety of services to low income and homeless individuals and families. We will be joining forces with them to help provide dental and medical care to homeless individuals and families through their Homeless Healthcare Program. In addition, help will also be available for women, infants and children to eat better and to have a healthier future through their WIC (Women, Infants and Children) Program.

This partnership will kick off in November and, ideally, the WIC clinic will see clients once a week and the Homeless Healthcare Representative will be at the pantry once a month to educate and schedule dental and/or medical appointments for our pantry clients. For our purposes, "homeless" is defined as living with friends or relatives, living at a hotel or motel, in your vehicle, in a shelter or warming center or in a transitional or recovery home. These services are also available to those who are eligible and are NOT pantry clients. They will also provide transportation for appointments to and from their clinic in New Haven.

We are so pleased to be able to provide more services to our neighbors through this new partnership with Community First Health! More information will be forth coming as we work out all the details. For more information please call 586-336-6842.

For pantry info, visit our website at agapenorthmacomb.org. This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

News from the North Macomb Vicariate

RECEIVE MY HEALING LOVE" Friday, January 11th at 6:30pm

North Macomb Healing Service with Fr. Patrick Gonyeau

St. Isidore Catholic Church • 18201 23 Mile Rd, Macomb, MI

Amidst these days of abundant grace in the Church of Detroit, the Lord is pouring out His Spirit in amazing ways, healing included! Come and enjoy a night of the healing love of Jesus and please, bring a friend in need of healing of heart, mind, soul or body. All are welcome to join us.

Confessions • Sacrament of Anointing • Prayer Ministry Adoration • Beautiful Praise • Healing & Freedom

St. Kieran

Reading Between the Lines Book Club

Classroom # 1 @ 10:00 AM

November 13, *Enchantress of Numbers*, by Jennifer Chiaverini

JESUS' BOOK CLUB a/k/a Bible Study Two Opportunities!

Monday—6:30-8:00pm or Wednesday—1:00-2:30pm Sessions meet every other week. For more information contact Nancy Rutkowski (586)781-6515 ext.128

St. Clement of Rome

MCREST Update

St. Clement will be hosting MCREST January 20 -27, 2018. Volunteer sign-up is available now on the St. Clement of Rome website, www.stclementromeo.org.

Capuchin Retreat

What are you searching for?

Come and meet other young adults ages 18-35 for a weekend retreat filled with spiritual topics that will anchor your searching in the foundation of Christ's vision for you! Join Fr. Tom Nguyen on Friday, November 9 thru Sunday, November 11, 2018. Please see our website www.capretreat.org for more info or contact us at 248 651-4286.



Are you a Martha or a Mary (a Peter or a John?)

Join us on Monday, November 19, 2018 from 9am to 2pm. The Scripture story of Jesus coming to the home of Mary and Martha (and Lazarus) is well-known to us. What is the message for us, women and men living in 2018 & 19? Through this Scripture passage, what is God saying to us about our lives?

A Lifetime of Transitions:

Living Well Through all Kinds of Losses.

Join us Tuesday, November 27, 2018 from 9am to 3pm. This sacred time is for you to reflect on your life and how you may have acknowledged the losses you have encountered over the years. Unique strategies and opportunities for healing will be offered as the grief journey is explored.

Fall Weekend Retreats

This year our retreat theme will be: **"Holiness is ...**" In Ephesians 1:4, we read "God chose us in [Christ] before the world began, to be holy and blameless in his sight, to be full of love." The documents of the Second Vatican Council reminded us that all are called to holiness. But "holiness" can be a big topic and we might think we don't really know what it is. And so on this retreat we will reflect on various meanings of that word and what it might mean for us as we respond to God's call. Visit our website (www.capretreat.org) to find out more about our fall weekend retreats for men and for women. Our weekend retreats include all meals, conferences, healing service, adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, and time for reconciliation, prayer and being silent with God.

Austin Catholic High School

Austin Alumni Memorial Mass

Saturday, November 3, 2018 – 4:00 p.m.

Please join us to celebrate Mass together, as we honor and remember those classmates that have passed on before us. Light refreshments to follow.

6th Annual Gala Dinner

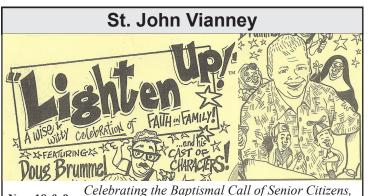
Friday, November 9, 2018 – 6:00 p.m. at Zuccaro Banquet Hall

Join us for a wonderful evening, which includes dinner, open bar, auctions, multiple raffles and entertainment. \$80.00 Reserve your table by Friday, November 2nd by calling 586-200-0143 or emailing lbrunsman@austincatholichighschool.org

Join the AUSTIN Community Book Club

Wednesday, November 14, 2018 Monthly – 7:00 p.m. at Austin Catholic High School **The Confessions** The Works of Saint Augustine: A Translation for the 21st Century, Vol. 1 by St. Augustine

The Confessions of Saint Augustine is a timeless classic that examines life, love, sin, faith, family, and self-reflection. It is an extended poetic, passionate, intimate prayer. Was his conversion genuine? What is the meaning of truth? Love? Come join us, as we examine this book that has captivated millions for over sixteen centuries. *For more information contact sschudt@austincatholichighschool.org or call 586-200-0143*.



Nov. 18 & 9 Teens, Empty Nesters, Young Adults, School kids & everyone in between. 6:47 PM to It's a 'one-man character-changing experience'... 8:15 PM

You have to see to believe

St. Isidore

Ten Great Ways to be an Evangelist



Each Sunday we are told "Go Forth, the Mass is ended". What are we to go forth and do? We are to share the Good News with others. This is evangelization. How often do we follow this call from Jesus to spread the Good News? We usually don't because we are not sure how to do it. Now you can learn the basic of evangelization and use these tips use

in your daily life.

Come and learn ten practical ways that you can begin to live out your part of God's amazing plan for your life and His people. The workshop is sponsored by St. Isidore Parish and is being led by St. Paul Street Evangelization, a grassroots, non-profit Catholic evangelization organization that has showed thousands of ordinary Catholics how to share their faith. Any questions, contact Ray Karam at evangelization@stisidore.com or call the Church office.

Tuesday, November 27th •7:30pm

St. Therese of Lisieux

Upcoming Masses

All Saints Day Masses: Thur., Nov. 1 at 8:30 AM and 7:00 PM All Souls Day Mass: Friday, November 2 at 8:30 AM Mass with Anointing of the Sick: Sat., Nov. 3 at 11:30 AM Thanksgiving Vigil Mass: Wed., November 21 at 7:00 PM

Market Days

On the weekend of November 10 and 11, the Little Way Rosary Makers and the Circle of Friends will be selling items in the Gathering Space. This is a perfect time to purchase or order a handmade rosary and handmade quilts

Hope for the Holidays Sunday, November 18 from 1-3pm

These two hours are devoted to helping those who are grieving the loss of a loved one. Topics include coping this holiday season, ideas for adding "hope" to the season, and how best to take care of yourself. This class is appropriate for those adults who have experienced the loss of a close relative or friend in the last few months or years. There is no charge for this class, but please call the Parish Office to register, 586.254.4433.

We welcome you and look forward to sharing "Hope" this holiday season.

St. Francis/St. Maximilian

ENCOUNTERING CHRIST

How good to celebrate our God in song; how sweet to give fitting praise. Sing to the Lord with thanksgiving; with the lyre celebrate our God. Psalm 147: 1, 7

Jesus proclaims a kingdom where God's holy presence comes to change us and our lives completely. There are many opportunities to stir your soul: the power of uplifting praise and worship music, adoration, silence, benediction, compelling testimonies, prayer partners, confession and fellowship. The Holy Spirit has a way of stirring people in many beautiful ways. Join us on Thursday, November 15, 7:00-8:30 pm. Guest speaker will be Deacon Rick Rhein. St. Francis-St. Maximilian Parish, 62811 New Haven Rd., Ray.

Upcoming Masses

All Saints Day Masses at 9:00 am and 7:00 pm. All Souls Day Memorial Mass at 7:00 pm. Thanksgiving Eve Mass on November 21st at 7:00 pm.

St. Lawrence

What is the "Catholic Schools Effect?"

The Wall Street Journal published an article on June 1, 2018 titled "The Catholic School Difference" in which a study was reported regarding the apparent effect of a Catholic education on the self-discipline demonstrated by students. The researchers felt that the self-discipline of Catholic School students would an asset for those students in their studies as well as later in their lives.

The study compared children in Catholic schools with those in public schools and other private schools, both religious and secular. The study found statistical evidence that students in Catholic schools exhibited less disruptive behavior than their counterparts in other schools. "Specifically, students in Catholic schools 'were more likely to control their temper, respect others' property, accept their fellow students' ideas, and handle peer pressure.' In other words, they exhibited more selfdiscipline."

The researchers went on to report a strong correlation "between the focus that Catholic schools put on self-discipline and better student behavior." The article also mentioned that "We also know that especially in urban areas, black and Latino students who attend Catholic schools show higher achievement, higher graduation rates and higher college enrollment than those at nearby public schools.³

The study's authors offered among their key judgments that we shouldn't "underestimate the power of religion to positively influence a child's behavior." Religion isn't the only way to foster self-discipline, the authors emphasize, but it's effective compared to most of the alternatives in channeling youthful energy into productive self-control.

The North Macomb Vicariate has two Catholic schools within its boundaries, St. Lawrence Elementary School and Austin **Catholic High School.** Perhaps it would be well-worth the time and effort for us all, based on the results of this study, to consider "The Catholic School Effect" when choosing a school for our children.

SS. John and Paul

Blood Drive

Sunday, November 4 from 8 AM - 2:00 PM Register online at www.redcrossblood.org Code: SSJPCH