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March 3, 2019

8th Sunday in Ordinary Time



WHEN HAS MY FOCUS ON THE SHORTCOMINGS OF OTHERS BLINDED ME TO



OUR FOCUS



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



Our doors are open. We reach out to those who are seeking God's grace and meet them where they are.





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

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FR. RON'S RAMBLINGS

Lent begins this Wednesday! It is a time for us to go ever deeper into our spiritual life and experience spiritual renewal as we prepare to renew our Baptismal promises on Easter Sunday.

Lent began as a season of proximate preparation for those who were to be baptized at the Easter Vigil and was a time of special prayer, fasting, and penitence as they readied themselves for the new birth of Christian Baptism. Lent eventually became a time for the entire community to pray and fast for those to be baptized, and to purify itself to receive new members. It then became a season to pray and fast also for members of the community to pray for themselves as they approached the celebration of new life at Easter.

As a community, our focus during Lent is on those who will be entering our community at the Easter Vigil through the celebration of the Easter Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and First Eucharist. As individuals, Lent is a season to prepare ourselves for the renewal of our Baptismal promises on Easter.



Pope Francis

@Pontifex



Lord, deliver us from the temptation to want to save ourselves, and our reputations; help us to acknowledge our guilt and to seek humble and concrete answers together, and in communion with all the People of God. **#PBC2019** Posted on February 22

FR. RON'S RAMBLINGS

At the 9:30 Mass this weekend we celebrate the "Rite of Sending" for our Catechumens and Candidates. We are sending them to Blessed Sacrament Cathedral, where next Saturday they will join hundreds of other Catechumens and Candidates from throughout the Archdiocese for the "Rite of Election," through which they will become official candidates for the Easter Sacraments. They will then enter into the next phase of the Catechumenate, known as the Enlightenment stage. Please keep our Catechumens and Candidates at the center of your prayer throughout the Season of Lent. During the Season of Lent, we will be celebrating other Rites with them at the 9:30 AM Mass on Sundays.

Our Catachumens are: Joseph Diatto, Ermalinda Gega, Solange Kwam, and Remy Lesinski.

Our Candidates for Full Communion are: Scott Diebert, Garrett Johnson, Dorianne Kwam, and Christopher Vo.

We hope you wlll be able to join us for Mardi Gras on Tuesday evening. Then please join us for our Ash Wednesday Masses or Scripture Services.

Blessings, Fr. Ron



CONNECTING POINT

When has my focus on the shortcomings of others blinded me to my own?

This is a difficult question to answer. If we are truly blind to our own shortcomings, how can we even answer it? Unfortunately, our realization of such times when we are blind is mostly in hindsight. Any time we focus on someone else's shortcomings, we are judging them as being flawed. We are placing ourselves in a superior place by comparison.

The Bible includes many reminders for us when we find ourselves in these dark places of judgment:

- Don't judge anyone by your human limitations. Only God's judgments are flawless. (JOHN 8:15-16)
- Don't be quick to condemn someone else's actions.
 God is patient, but He doesn't overlook anyone's disobedience, especially yours. (ROMANS 2:1-5)
- Don't attack each other. Try to be a good example so others won't copy your bad behavior. (ROMANS 14:13).
- Don't speak destructive things about others. Are you qualified to perfectly judge someone else? (JAMES 4:11-12)

When you find yourself in a place where you are about to judge someone, instead consider this prayer:

Dear Lord, Instead of focusing on the shortcomings of others, help me seek your grace and a greater sensitivity to others. Allow my interior life of prayer to define me and shape the true essence of my character as you would have me.

-Amy Righi

YOUTH MINISTRY



MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY:

INTERIM MSYM - MRS. JULIE RARICK

MARCH 10 - Destiny in the Bible I MARCH 24 - Destiny in the Bible II *March is bring your Bible Month!



HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY:

INTERIM HSYMs - MR. CHRIS KOZLOWSKI, MRS. ANN DE REY

MARCH 3 - Meeting in YR 6:30p MARCH 10 - Timothy Awards @ St. Thecla 3 PM

WEEKLY CALENDAR

SUN

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APPAREL STORE AFTER ALL MASSES // GC MASS 7:30 AM // CH MASS 9:30 AM // CH **GIVING TREE MEETING** 10:30 AM // ECR MASS 11:30 AM // CH **ALTAR SOCIETY CARD PARTY** 1:00 PM // SH MASS 5:30 PM // CH SITE HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MIN.

6:30 PM // YR

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7:00 PM // CH

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MASS 8:00 AM // CH INTO THE DESERT REHEARSAL 10:00 AM // CH ALTAR SERVER TRAINING 1:00 PM // CH **CONFESSIONS** 3:15 PM // CH MASS 4:30 PM // CH **BAG DRIVE** 4:30 PM // GC K OF C MEMBERSHIP DRIVE 4:30 PM // GC

MON

MAR

MASS 8:00 AM // CH **ARMCHAIR AEROBICS** 8:45 AM // RC **DIVINE MERCY** 1:30 PM // RC **FAITH FORMATION** 4:30 PM // SH **FAITH FORMATION** 6:15 PM // SH FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE MTG. 6:30 PM // ECR **HEALTH MINISTRY MTG.** 7:00 PM // FCR

MASS 8:00 AM // CH YOUNG AT HEART 11:00 AM // RC **CROCHET GROUP** 11:00 AM // SH **SVDP MEETING** 1:30 PM // ECR **ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING** 6:30 PM // RC **LENTEN CHORAL CONCERT** 7:00 PM // CH **TEEN MUSIC REHEARSAL** 7:00 PM // MR

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BAG DRIVE & K OF C MEM. DRIVE AFTER ALL MASSES // GS MASS 7:30 AM // CH MASS 9:30 AM // CH **MASS** 11:30 AM // CH **MASS** 5:30 PM // CH **EDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL YG** 6:30 PM // YR

MAR

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY 6:00 AM // ECR MASS 8:00 AM // CH **ADORATION WITH BENEDICTION** AT 6:00PM 8:30 AM // RC **ROSARY MAKERS** 9:00 AM // ECR **MARDI GRAS DINNER** 6:00 PM // SH 8TH GRADE FAITH FORMATION 6:15 PM // CR-10 CHRISTIAN SERVICE COMMITTEE MTG. 6:30 PM // FCR **USHERS MEETING** 7:00 PM // RC

MAR

ADORATION 7:00 AM // CH **MASS** 8:00 AM // CH FRIDAY FELLOWSHIP 8:45 AM // SH K OF C FISH FRY 4:00 PM // SH STATIONS OF THE CROSS 7:00 PM // CH

CALENDAR LOCATION KEY //

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

PARISH OFFICE HOURS // 586-286-1700

MONDAY - THURSDAY 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM

FRIDAY 8:30 AM - 4:00 PM **LUNCH HOUR** 12:00 - 1:00 PM (M, W, Th, F) 12:00 - 1:30 PM (T)

SATURDAY 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM **SUNDAY** 8:30 AM - 1:00 PM

ST. VINCENT dePAUL



Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of the Season of Lent. It is a season of penance, reflection and fasting which prepares us for Christ's Resurrection on Easter Sunday. While preparing for our fasting why not use some of the food you will not be eating and donate it to our pantry for families in our community.

As we begin to prepare to pack for 40 families for Easter, the Pantry is in need of:

- \$25 Meijer & Kroger Cards
- Boxed Potatoes Scalloped, Au Gratin, Mashed
- Tuna & Canned Chicken
- Tuna & Chicken Helper
- Baked Beans
- · Pasta & Rice Sides
- Canned Fruit- especially Pineapple, Mandarin Oranges & Peaches
- Jelly
- Fruit Muffin Mix
- Peas
- Crackers Club & Saltine
- Cereal
- Pancake Mix & Syrup
- Cake Mix & Frosting
- · Cookies & Candy
- Manwich & Canned Chili
- · Pork & Beans
- Dish Soap
- · Women's Depends Large (Any Brand)

Come join the fun at the Mardi Gras. God Bless

PRAYER BLANKET MINISTRY



Prayer blankets & shawls are available at no cost in the St. Isidore church office.

This week, the first week of Lent, please help us bring the love of Jesus to those who feel lonely, helpless or abandoned. Your gift (one of our prayer blankets or prayer shawls) may bring happiness and healing to the heart of someone who needs comfort.

"The greatest blessing of giving is a sense of being honest with God. You are in a partnership with God, working with Him to reach the world for Jesus Christ." (BILLY GRAHAM)

Give one of our free-to-you blankets or shawls to a friend or relative to let them know St. Isidore parishioners care about and pray for them.

Thank you for your constant support. "The Comfort Crafters"

MASSAGE THERAPISTS NEEDED

The Parish Health Ministry is looking for parishioners who are massage therapists, or massage therapy students, willing to donate a couple of hours of their time and talent at our 14th Annual Ladies Tea on Monday, May 13. It's our 14th year, and the chair massage is ALWAYS a highlight to our evening. It's a great way to advertise for your business or practice, and build up your clientele! Please contact Heather in the Parish Office 586.286.1700 ext. 2123. Thank you!

BABY PANTRY



We wish all of you a peaceful, prayerful Ash Wednesday and Lent.

To everyone who has responded to our request for baby clothes, we are overwhelmed and wish you could see the smiles and tears you bring to the moms who do not have the resources to buy new clothes for their infants and toddlers. You have blessed many families. Thank you.

We currently really need:

- Size 4 diapers
- Warm clothes for girls size 12 months

"God loveth a cheerful giver." (2 CORINTHIANS 9:7)
May this Lent be your most rewarding.
God bless you!

ST. THERESE OF LISIEUX LUNCH AND LEARN

St. Therese's of Lisieux's Health Ministry is pleased to announce a series of educational presentations for our church community. The Health Ministry has planned education sessions on a monthly basis for our parishioners and neighboring communities. The presentations will take place on the first Thursday of each month, from 1100-1200, in the Social Hall at St. Therese of Lisieux.

The first session will be will be held on March 7, 2019 on the benefits of hospice. Reverence Hospice will discuss the benefits hospice offers to patients and families in end of life care. The goal of this presentation is to shift perceptions about hospice, and explain how hospice can complement the care you or your loved one receive from your primary provider. Any questions, concerns or fears you have about hospice, can be answered by our expert.

In addition to the presentation, a light lunch of pizza will be provided.

If you have any questions or to RSVP, please call Marilyn Cito RN, St. Therese of Lisieux Parish Nurse at 586-254-4433 ext. 320.

SATURDAY, MARCH 2

4:30 PM

† Robert Bronson Wife † Michael Majchrzak Wife Eleanor † Edward O'Donnell Wife

Jeff & Kathy

Kelly Doan Family

DeCock Family

Barbara & Family

Bill & Jean Zieran

Prima & Anthony Ballew

Bill & Cheryl Cobert

Wife

Wife

Family

Family

Family

Family

Family

Sister

Family

Mom & Dad

Sterkaj Family

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Sterkaj Family

Wife Margaret

† Stephen & Lottie Muzyk

† Casimer Green

† Henry VanHoorne 7TH ANNIVERSARY

SUNDAY, MARCH 3

† Vincenzo Avellino

7:30 AM

† Perrito Family Family † Chrissy Sloan 7TH ANNIVERSARY Father MaryLou & Ron Pratt

Evelyn Edwards † Maria Thuan Hoang † Petrina Boyd

† Hilaire & Mary DeCock

9:30 AM

† Salvator Orlando

† Andrew Turchanik 2 YEAR ANNIVERSARY † Guian Carlo Baylot Estupigan

† Maria Van Zaelen

† Maria Sancricca

11:30 AM

† Cynthia Johnson Vespa † Esse & Grace Salamie

† Leo Piccirilli 7TH ANNIVERSARY Gezim & Violette Sterkaj Fatjon & Anemona Sterkaj Age Sterkaj

5:30 PM

† Frank Grzech

MONDAY, MARCH 4

Mr. & Mrs. Michael Herc & Family Family

TUESDAY, MARCH 5

† Brian Williams Fred Manczyk

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6

(Ash Wednesday)

THURSDAY, MARCH 7

Mr. & Mrs. Eric Haglund & Family **Parents**

FRIDAY, MARCH 8

Menard & Daniel Family Claudette Menard † Valeria Filipek Irene Maciag John Maciag Family

SATURDAY, MARCH 9 4:30 PM

† Larry Prudhomme Wife † Michael Majchrzak BIRTHDAY Wife Eleanor † Dickerson-Dutton Family Family † Andrew Bolin 17TH ANNIVERSARY Wife & Sons † Ulpiano Camacho Antonio Family † Elizabeth Malburg BIRTHDAY Husband

† Mark Smogor Dave & Lois Gacki

Wife

SUNDAY, MARCH 10 7:30 AM

† Alfred Mengel

† Meril Wayka - Sr. Stephanie

Family † John Viet Luy Kelly Doan Family † Karen Grzenkowicz Rob & Mary Lee † Bill Zaharoff Rob & Mary Lee † Jim Tessmer Friend

9:30 AM

† Deacon Bill Schmitz Dcn. Pete & Kathy Lynch † William Goike Wife & Family † Guian Carlo Bayot Estupiagan Prima & Anthony Ballew Connie Mariani Gilin Family

11:30 AM

Wife † Henry Gubler † Joseph Sribniak Mother † Joseph Poma Wife Jennie † Zaki Balo Tony, Rita, & Family

5:30 PM

Diane Fraser Family † Alfredo Martino Wife & Family

POPE'S MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTION // MARCH

Recognition of the Right of Christian Communities

That Christian communities, especially those who are persecuted, feel that they are close to Christ and have their rights respected.

WHAT'S HAPPENING?



March 2-3 after all Masses

APPAREL STORE SALE!

SALE!

Take \$5 off all long-sleeved apparel for one weekend only! Also, check out our clearance table for up to 50% off select items.

This weekend only after all Masses!



Wednesday, March 6

ASH WEDNESDAY

Join us for one of our services or Masses on Ash Wednesday:

8:00 AM // MASS 12:15 PM // SCRIPTURE SERVICE 4:30 PM // SCRIPTURE SERVICE 7:00 PM // MASS

Note: Self-imposition of ashes will NOT be available.



Sunday, March 3 // 1:00 PM

LET THE GAMES BEGIN

The Altar Society is hosting an afternoon of games and cards with family and friends on Sunday, March 3 from 1PM to 5PM in the social hall.

Tickets are \$15 and will be available after all Masses on Feb. 23/24. The ticket includes delicious chicken dinner with all of the trimmings, "Famous Dessert Bar," and door prizes, and must be purchased no later than Monday 2/25.

For tickets and information, contact: Kathy Shipton (586)247-2864



Tuesday, March 5 // 5:30 PM

MARDI GRAS PARTY

Join us to celebrate this annual celebration of fun, food, fellowship and prayer. A lasagna dinner will be served at 6:00 PM and will be followed by some live comedy and will conclude with a short prayer service. Doors open at 5:30 PM. Free-will donations will be accepted.

RSVP online or by calling the office. www.stisidore.church/mardigras



Every Friday through Lent // 4-7 PM

K OF C FISH FRY

Drive Thru Lane & Carry Outs Available

THE MENU

- Fish (fried or baked) with tartar sauce
 \$10.00
- 2. Shrimp (breaded and fried) 8 pieces with cocktail sauce \$12.00
- 3. Pizza (cheese) 2 slices \$6.00

Prices include tax All meals served with redskin potatoes, coleslaw, mac-n-cheese, & roll/butter Sorry, no substitutions.



March 9-10 after all Masses

BOOK SALE

New and used

Sponsored by the Evangelization Committee

March 9 & 10, after each Mass

ST. ISIDORE CHURCH MACOMB, MICHIGAN 6



Sat., March 9 & Wed., March 13

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

New, Interested and Current Altar Servers (Grades 4 and up): We have two training dates for you to choose from:

- Saturday, March 9 // 1-3pm (with a pizza lunch)
- Wednesday, March 13 // 7-8:30pm (with a snack)

Check your calendars and attend a training session on the date that works best for you.

RSVP to the parish office or by email to amy@stisidore.church.



Week of May 6-10

RUMMAGE SALE

Annual Spring Rummage Sale coming soon!

Week of May 6-10, 2019 **Drop off days:** Mon/Tues/Wed **Sale:** Thurs/Friday

K of C Membership Drive



The Knights of Columbus of St. Isidore Parish will be hosting a membership recruitment drive the weekend of March 9-10.

2019 before and after all Masses. K of C members will be available to provide information and answers to questions you may have about the Knights and how to join. Men of the parish, 18 years and older, are asked to take a few moments of their valuable time to learn more about membership in the world's largest Catholic, Family, Fraternal and Service organization and of the good works being done by the Knights in the Parish and your community. In our 2018 Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity, under the single category of community activities alone we had 903 hours of service and dispersed \$21,472 to 102 being supported.

Lenten Giving Tree

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This year Ash Wednesday is March 6th, which also begins another St. Isidore Lenten Giving Tree Program. During Lent we spread God's Word through our good works around the world. As in past years, the St. Isidore parish family is sponsoring several charities and supporting God's people from around the world who are in desperate need. In future articles the Lenten Giving Tree committee will introduce you to the organizations and the charities for 2019.

Two of the three Lenten Giving Trees will be set up in the large gathering space with envelopes hanging from their branches, and the third tree will be set up by the Romeo Plank handicap accessible entrance. The envelopes will have instructions for you to choose the charity that you would like your donation to help. There is an informational flyer placed in each envelope for easy reference to each charity. The trees will be set up from March 6th, Ash Wednesday, through Sunday, April 7th. Envelopes will be collected through Palm Sunday, April 14th. Volunteers will be stationed at all three church entrances to collect your donations. If you are donating by check, please make the check payable to St. Isidore and on the memo line indicate which charity you would like to sponsor. Donations are tax-deductible and 100% of the contribution goes for services directly involving God's people we are sponsoring.

Whoever welcomes one of these little children in my name welcomes Me; and whoever welcomes Me does not only welcome Me, but the One who sent Me.

Mark 9:36-38

Respectfully in God's Love, Jenny L. Racette LGT - Chairperson

READINGS

SUNDAY

SIR 27:4-7; PS 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16; 1 COR 15:54-58; LK 6:39-45

MONDAY

SIR 17:20-24; PS 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7; MK 10:17-27

TUESDAY

SIR 35:1-12; PS 50:5-6, 7-8, 14 AND 23; MK 10:28-31

WEDNESDAY

JL 2:12-18: PS 51:3-4, 5-6AB, 12-13, 14 AND 17: 2 COR 5:20-6:2; MT 6:1-6, 16-18

THURSDAY

DT 30:15-20; PS 1:1-2, 3, 4 AND 6; LK 9:22-25

FRIDAY

IS 58:1-9A; PS 51:3-4, 5-6AB, 18-19; MT 9:14-15

SATURDAY

IS 58:9B-14; PS 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; LK 5:27-32

SUNDAY

DT 26:4-10; PS 91:1-2, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15; ROM 10:8-13; LK 4:1-13

WE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Margaret Abraham Mary Agius Tommy Angle Val Barnes Nina Beauian Jonathan Bisdorf Dawn Donovan **Bobchick** Marion Bruck Thomas Buback Nancy Campbell Rosa Caprara Marlene Caramagno Stanley Plieuinski Jerry Lou Colozani Pam DeClercq Mary Domsic Baby Emily Julie Falletta Isaiah Ford Diane Fraser Mark Gathof Kaylee Gwyn Patty Guaresimo Patty Haberkamp Hanson Family Michael Holland Ethan Kammer Shervyn Karthanal Jenny Kasselmann Lynne Klann Joseph Klingkammer Dan Kosek Daryl Laethem Thomsa Maccagne Marie Marcath

Phyllis Marek

Kathy Marsack

Janet McDonald Tim McGrath Karen Melton Al Melwing Debbie McCarthy Michels Family Andy Nicosia Baby Paige Natalie Perini Denise Peterson Lloyd Peterson Louisa Pietrowsky A. J. Reider Cindy Reider Dennis Rivard Alena Robinson Mary Sansome Joan Seger Marie Slominski Patricia Styf Blanche Szatkowski Breanne Talmadge John Terry Albert Toccaceli Irene Walczak Curtis Wellhausen Rosaline Wolschlager

MILITARY LIST

We Pray for those serving in the military

PFC Tanner Adkins, Army – Afghanistan WO1 Jeremy Bentley, Army - Iraq Pvt. Troy Ciaramella, Army - USA GySgt. Sean Collins, Marines - Middle East Hannah Cook, Marines - USA Sgt. Tyler Dean, Army - Kuwait PFC Anthony Difatta, Army - Afghanistan Christian Bobbish, Navy LCpl Blake Doetsch, Marines CPL Brian Domzalski, Marines PFC E3 Jeffrey Frame, Army Justin Francis, Army WO4 Jason Gaboury, Army - Kuwait Capt. Wade Gaboury, Air Force - USA Sgt. James Galowski Jr., Army - Middle East PFC John Gellert III, Army Michael Giacalone, Coast Guard -Afghanistan Lt. David R. Grzywacz, Navy Pvt. Alexander Hendzell, Marines LCpl David Horton, Marines – Afghanistan Maj. Jeffrey Jablonsk, i Army - Michigan Cpl Logan Jabouri, Marines J. Jackson, Navy Staff Sqt. Ethan Jensen, Air Force -Afghanistan PFC Sean R. Kellogg, Marines California Sqt. Griffin Kozakf, Marines - California Sgt. Edward Kujawa, Marines Jason Kurpiewski, Navy – Afghanistan 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 - Guam 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 Pt. Andre Ventmiglia, Army - USA PFC. Nicholas York, Marines - New York

BAPTISMS FEB 23/24

WILLIAM JAMES HALLENDY

Son of Christopher and Shannon

CHASE RYAN GEHRES Son of Brandon and Jennifer

Son of Brandon and Jennifer

JAXON THOMAS GEHRES

EVELYN ADELINE HAAG

Daughter of Christopher and Jessica

FINLEIGH SUSAN HALEY Daughter of Steven and Christine

NATALIE MARIE HANSON

Daughter of Michael and Emily

MCKENNA RILEY MICHAEL Daughter of Ryan and Karrie

NICOLO SANTINO SERRA Son of Vito and Samantha

ANISTON GEORGIA TOMASELLI

Daughter of Bryan and Kelly

REST IN PEACE

FELICIDAD ANDRIANOS

Entered eternal life on February 15

CATHERINE D'AMICO

Entered eternal life on February 22

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Budget update as of: February 24, 2019 \$ 24,519.23 \$ 22,614.28 Weekly Budgeted Amount: Actual Amount Received: Comparison to budget: (\$1,904.95)

July 1, 2018 to February 24, 2019 Fiscal Year to Date: \$ 858,173.05 \$ 817,547.62 Budgeted Amount: Amount Received: Comparison to Budget Target: (\$40,625.43)

This week:

Envelopes Returned: 570 Online Gifts: 83 19% Percentage of people making contributions: CSA as of December 16, 2018

\$ 184,093.00 \$ 245,753.62 CSA 2018 Goal CSA 2018 Pledges \$ 229,093.62 CSA 2018 Payment on pledges *Monies returned to the parish \$ 61,660.62

*If pledges are paid in full, this money will be returned to the parish in full. Additionally, this money will not be part of future CSA calculations, nor will it be part of the AOD assessment.

YOUNG ADULT & CAMPUS MINISTRY

Auxiliary Bishop Gerard Battersby is the featured speaker for March's Theology on Tap, to be held at Royal Oak Taphouse from 7-8:30 p.m. on Fat Tuesday, March 5.

Gifts to the Catholic Services Appeal help fund these fellowship evenings, which give young adults in our Archdiocese the opportunity to reflect on their faith in a fun and relaxed setting. Each Theology on Tap gathering features a speaker on topics relating to religion and theology.

The Young Adult and Campus Ministry Office coordinates activities for young adults ages 18 to 35, so they may grow in their faith through evangelization, catechesis, spiritual growth, liturgical formation, social events, and service.

For more information about CSA-funded ministries, programs, and services, please go to aod.org.



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