

## LOOK FOR AN OPPORTUNITY TO BE HUMBLE THIS WEEK AND TAKE IT.

### 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.

#### connect with us

Be sure to check in & like us on Facebook when you come to Mass, so that anyone searching for a church home knows there's a friendly face at St. Isidore.

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 [www.stisidore.church](http://www.stisidore.church)

### FR. RON'S REFLECTIONS

The observance of Labor Day this weekend reminds us of the "dignity of work," one of the major themes of Catholic social teaching. Far from being a "necessary evil," human labor is sacred. We live most fully in God's image when we answer the call to be "Co-Creators" with God through our work. It is in and through our work that we best contribute to the common good. Catholic Social Teaching sees our labor as subjective: we become most fully ourselves through our labor. It is often through our work that we form connections with others. (Just think of how many people whose labor went into the car you drive, the clothes you wear, the food you eat, the buildings you live, work, and worship in!)

The Church advocates for the rights of workers. All workers have a right to productive work, to decent and fair wages, and to safe working conditions. They have a right to working conditions which honor their dignity as human beings. We are aware that many workers, especially those in underdeveloped countries, work in conditions and for wages which are not in keeping with their human dignity. Each of us must be aware of how our buying habits may contribute to



**Pope Francis**

@Pontifex



**It takes more strength to repair than to build, to start anew than to begin, to be reconciled than to get along. This is the strength that God gives us.**

Posted on August 21

## FR. RON'S REFLECTIONS

this injustice. We must also work to improve the working conditions and pay of those in our own country who may be working under poor conditions and for insufficient pay, such as some farmworkers and some in service industries.

Please join us for Mass on Monday morning at 9:00 as we pray for "God's Blessing On the Work of Our Hands," for the unemployed and underemployed, and that the human dignity of every working person is respected and safeguarded.

For Catholics, Church is all about community! None of us loves, worships, or serves God on our own. We do so as the "Body of Christ" and the "Community of Saints." We look to each other for support in living Gospel values. One of the ways we connect with saints is through the veneration of their relics. There will be a display of over 150 Sacred Relics here at St. Isidore next Sunday, September 8, at 3:00 PM. We encourage you to join us for a presentation by Father Carlos Martins of the Companions of the Cross on these "Treasures of the Church." We thank the Evangelization Committee for sponsoring this event.

Blessings,  
Fr. Ron



***Look for an opportunity to be humble this week and take it.***

I write my Connecting Point reflections in the evening after taking about an hour to sit and pray with Jesus. For this reflection, I prayed for quite a few days and the quotation below kept entering my thoughts:

***"If you are humble nothing will touch you, neither praise nor disgrace, because you know what you are. If you are blamed you will not be discouraged. If they call you a saint you will not put yourself on a pedestal."***

MOTHER TERESA

I reflected on the changes in my life over the last year. Just over a year ago, I was working for a major insurance company, living everyday just to be "the man" at the company. Then through a lot of prayer and love/support from my family and friends, I made the decision to quit after 16 years and take an at home job. This move allowed me to focus more on my seminary studies and church ministry.

Since this decision, the blessings in my marriage, relationships, Church life and personal "call" have been endless. But funny enough, the move to work at home set off all kinds of jokes about "how I work from home."

Just last week, I was at a dinner and was asked what I do for a living now. After answering, there was a mixture of sly chatter and then an uncomfortable silence followed by "Church jokes." I think the old me would have snapped back or had some sarcastic response, but I smiled and simply thought "I'm focusing on serving everyone, not myself anymore."

Being humble is living in service to your fellow man, knowing the Lord loves you and that you don't have to base your identity on what others think.

***"For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many."***

MARK 10:45

- John Kovacic

# WEEKLY CALENDAR

**SUN**  
SEP 1  
MASS  
7:30 AM // CH  
MASS  
9:30 AM // CH  
MASS  
11:30 AM // CH  
MASS  
5:30 PM // CH

**WED**  
SEP 4  
MASS  
8:00 AM // CH  
SCRIPTURE GROUP  
9:30 AM // RC  
CATECHIST MAKE-UP MEETING  
6:00 PM // SH

**SAT**  
SEP 7  
MASS  
8:00 AM // CH  
BUCZEK/QATTROCCHI WEDDING  
6:00 PM // CH  
CONFESSIONS  
3:15 PM // CH  
FIRST SATURDAY ROSARY  
3:45 PM // CH  
MASS  
4:30 PM // CH

**MON**  
SEP 2  
MASS  
9:00 AM // CH  
OFFICE CLOSED

**THU**  
SEP 5  
MASS  
8:00 AM // CH  
YOUNG AT HEART  
11:00 AM  
CROCHET GROUP  
11:00 AM  
SVDP MEETING  
1:30 PM // ECR  
BUCZEK/QATTROCCHI REHEARSAL  
6:00 PM // CH  
ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING  
6:30 PM // SH

**SUN**  
SEP 8  
MASS  
7:30 AM // CH  
MASS  
9:30 AM // CH  
MASS  
11:30 AM // CH  
RELICS  
3:00 PM // CH  
MASS  
5:30 PM // CH

**TUE**  
SEP 3  
MEN'S BIBLE STUDY  
6:00 AM // ECR  
MASS  
8:00 AM // CH  
ADORATION WITH BENEDICTION  
AT 6:00PM  
8:30 AM // RC  
CHRISTIAN SERVICE COMMITTEE MTG.  
6:30 PM // FCR  
USHERS MEETING  
7:00 PM // RC

**FRI**  
SEP 6  
ADORATION  
7:00 AM // CH  
MASS  
8:00 AM // CH  
FRIDAY FELLOWSHIP  
8:45 AM // SH

## CALENDAR LOCATION KEY //

A-Atrium, CH-Church, CR-Classrooms,  
CY-Courtyard, ECR-Executive  
Conference Room, FCR-Front  
Conference Room FO-Front Office,  
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

## SUMMER PARISH OFFICE HOURS // 586-286-1700

**MONDAY - THURSDAY**  
8:30 AM - 7:00 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





# HAPPY LABOR DAY

JOIN US FOR MASS  
MONDAY // 9:00 AM

*Together with a culture of work,  
there must be a culture of leisure as gratification.  
To put it another way: people who work must take the time to relax,  
to be with their families, to enjoy themselves,  
read, listen to music, play a sport.*

POPE FRANCIS

## SATURDAY, AUGUST 31

4:30 PM

- † Stefano DeBellis
- † Stephen + Lottie Muzyk ANNIVERSARY
- † Louisa Ceccacci
- † Henry Kujawski
- † Camillo Pagano BIRTHDAY

## SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

7:30 AM

- Evelyn Edwards
- † Maria Thuan Hoang
- † Petrina Boyd
- Donald and Maryann Brohl 50TH ANNIV.

9:30 AM

11:30 AM

- † Kenneth P. Loewen 5TH ANNIVERSARY
- † Loretta and Chuck Archer

5:30 PM

- † Henry Graca 8TH ANNIVERSARY

## MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

LABOR DAY

## TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

- M/M Radall Patzer and Family
- † Kate DePonio BIRTHDAY
- † Roseanne Milton

## WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

## THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

- M/M Michael Herc and Family
- † Brian Williams
- Marah Pugh BIRTHDAY

## FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

- Menard + Daniel Family
- † Petrina Boyd 5TH ANNIVERSARY
- † Nick Bartkowicz

Elisa and John  
Family  
John Orsini  
Wife  
Family

Marylou and Ron Pratt  
Kelly Doan Family  
Family  
Family

Patricia Loewen  
Family

Wife, Mary & Son, Randy

Parent  
Family  
Daughter

Parent  
Sister  
Family

Claudette Menard  
Family  
Irene Maciag

## SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

4:30 PM

- † Maria DiNardo 68TH ANNIVERSARY
- † Robert Bronson
- † Albert "Bill" Hallaert
- Norbert + Virginia Craigo
- † Russell Henderson
- † Fran Dobson
- Debra Mousty
- Anthony and Maxine Buscemi 60TH ANN.

## SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

7:30 AM

- † Irene Knight
- † Anthony Lucido BIRTHDAY
- † John Viet Luy
- † Diane Lemanski

9:30 AM

- † Richard Palumbo
- † Bernard Lang
- † Bill Pullen
- † Paul Grzelewski 2ND ANNIVERSARY
- † Malvina DiFillippo 12TH ANNIVERSARY

11:30 AM

- † Joseph Poma
- † Esse + Grace Salamie 35TH ANNIVERSARY
- † Zaki Balo
- † Theresa Jacob

5:30 PM

Jon and Marilyn Henry  
Wife  
Wife, Leona  
Niece  
Wife  
Friend  
Virginia  
Family

Family  
Wife  
Kelly Doan Family  
Mom, Lisa, & Ed

Family  
Patrick + Michelle Lang  
Wife, Marge  
Family  
Family

Wife, Jennie  
Bill + Cheryl Cobert  
Tony, Rita, + Family  
Family

## POPE'S MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTION // SEPTEMBER

### The Protection of the Oceans

That politicians, scientists and economists work together to protect the world's seas and oceans.

## ST. ISIDORE ARTISTS

The Art and Environment ministry provides appropriate decoration for the church in keeping with the liturgical seasons. We seek active parishioners who have an artistic sense, creativity, interest and willingness to help as needed. Anyone with an interior design background, experience with window or other types of displays, carpentry, sewing or just a general interest in creating a beautiful environment is welcome. We would like 2 to 4 people augmented by others for the major feasts of Christmas and Easter. The time commitment is seasonal. A meeting or two is required for planning prior to each of the major liturgical seasons of Advent/Christmas and Lent/Holy Week/ Easter. Then time allotted for implementing the plan, which could be 2 hours to 4 hours depending on the season.

Why do we need this committee? The church should be decorated appropriate to the mysteries of salvation celebrated through the unfolding of the liturgical year. The word *Liturgy* means 'the work of the people' and thus it is appropriate that the proper role for this ministry lies with us, the laity; members of the parish assembly.

At St Isidore we strive to make each liturgy a rich and fulfilling experience. The Art and Environment Committee's goal is to create a setting conducive to meaningful worship.

- Amy Righi

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## AGAPE CENTER: SOCIAL MEDIA VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Agape Center needs volunteers in two important areas. First, someone is needed to handle social media communication for our food pantry. For the Agape Center to be successful in our mission, we must be visible within the communities we serve. Ideally, this visibility reaches those we hope to assist in addition to those who would like to support us in our mission. The Social Media Volunteer will work with the Coordinator and Board of Directors to develop and implement a social media strategy to increase the overall reach and brand awareness of the Agape Center.

We are looking for someone who is well versed in using key social media platforms (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram). Time commitment would be a flexible 1 – 2 hours per week. Secondly, we are also in need of someone with experience in fundraising/development. Responsibilities for this position may include organizing fundraisers, creating special events for donors, running special projects and working with the community to find ways to help offset the expenses of the day-to-day operation of our food pantry. Time commitment will vary, depending on current projects. If you have prior experience in marketing/public relations, organizing events, fundraising and/or and working with the public, this may be for you!

The volunteers for these positions will report to Kathy Mollon, Coordinator of Programs and Volunteers and will also interact with the Board of Directors. If you are interested in either of these positions or would like more information, please contact Kathy at [kmollonagape@gmail.com](mailto:kmollonagape@gmail.com).

For general information regarding Agape Center, please call 586-336-6842 or visit [www.agapenorthmacomb.org](http://www.agapenorthmacomb.org). This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

## ST. VINCENT de PAUL



On Monday we celebrate Labor Day. "Let's celebrate the Laborers that build up this great land from field to field to desk to desk; they built it hand in hand."

AUTHOR UNKNOWN

We are very lucky to have so many families here at St. Isidore who can work and pay it forward by helping the less fortunate in our community.

While shopping for your holiday celebration, could you please pick up some of the items below to help our St. Isidore families?

### Our Pantry needs are:

Dish Soap  
Laundry Soap  
Pump Hand Soap  
Chunky Soups  
Spaghettios  
Jelly  
Canned Vegetables - Any  
Canned Chicken  
Chicken Helper  
Boxed Pasta - Any  
Mac & Cheese  
Boxed Potatoes - Scalloped, AuGratin  
\$25 Kroger or Meijer Gift Cards  
Ladies Large Depends - Any Brand

God Bless our American workers.

## BABY PANTRY



Thank you to the many wonderful people who donated wipes and toddler snacks to our baby pantry. We are overwhelmed with your generosity! God Bless You.

Lord, teach me:

- to comfort those in tears,
- to give to the needy,
- to understand others,
- to listen to the voiceless.

### If possible, please donate:

- Baby Shampoo
- Baby Wash
- Baby Lotion

"It's time for Christians to astound the world with our generosity, kindness, patience, courage, thoughtfulness, and selfless care for the weak, poor, and forgotten."

MATTHEW KELLY

## PRAYER BLANKET MINISTRY



**Prayer blankets and shawls are available in the office.**

Prayer blankets and shawls are made by volunteers. We craft them with love from our hearts and care deeply about the recipients. We pray as we work and believe our work is guided by The Holy Spirit.

Our blankets and shawls are meant to be a blessing and a help in lightening the burdens and worries of those needing comfort.

"It is not a question of selecting those to whom I will dole out a few moments of compassion during the day. It is a matter of realizing that I need to become the neighbor who drops everything to attend to another's need. In fact, it is precisely on this that my final judgment will be based."

SR. KATHRYN JAMES HERMES, F.S.P.

Please get one of our prayer blankets or shawls – free of charge - in the St. Isidore office for a person you know who needs comfort because of a medical, emotional, or spiritual crisis in their life.

Pray for those who need comfort.

Thank you for your participation in this ministry.

"The Comfort Crafters"



## WHAT'S HAPPENING?



September 6-8

### WOMEN'S RETREAT

Join your fellow parishioners for a quiet weekend retreat at the beautiful Capuchin Retreat House in Washington Township.

This silent retreat hosted by the Capuchins includes opportunities for receiving the sacraments, several thoughtful talks and plenty of time to just enjoy the 90 acres of wooded pathways throughout the grounds. Private rooms are provided. The cost for the weekend is \$170. For more information, contact Nicolette Ellinghausen at 586-360-6332.



Wednesday, September 11 // 5:30 PM

### JOYFUL NOISE

Joyful Noise Children's Choir rehearsals begin September 11, 2019 and continue every Wednesday in the Choir room from 5:30-6:30 PM

All youth grades 1-8 are invited to sing.... all are welcome!

Contact: Claire Toupin  
claire@stisidore.church

### SACRED RELICS OF THE SAINTS

*Treasures of the Church*



Sunday, September 8 // 3:00 PM

### EXPOSITION OF SACRED RELICS

Presented by Father Carlos Martins of the Companions of the Cross

Sunday, September 8, 2019 @ 3:00 p.m.

A teaching & exposition of over 150 Sacred Relics

A piece of a veil which belonged to Our Lady & one of the largest remaining pieces of the True Cross.



September 12-13

### FALL RUMMAGE SALE

Looking for donations of items that are usable and in good condition. We accept appliances, furniture, gardening tools, dishes, glassware, pots, pans, pictures, frames, books and more. Not accepted: TVs over ten years old and encyclopedias.

#### DONATION DROP OFF DAYS

Sept. 9 & 10 - 9 AM to 5 PM

Sept. 11 - 9 AM to 1 PM

#### SALE DAYS

Thursday, Sept. 12 - 9 AM to 10 AM

Early Bird Admission of \$1.00

10 am - 5 pm - Regular Sale Hours

Friday, Sept. 13 - 9 AM to 1 PM - Bag Day (\$3.00/bag and ½ off larger items)



Tuesday, September 10 // 5:30 PM

### WORSHIP COMMISSION MTG.

Prayerful discussion and planning of our Worship experiences for the Sanctification of God's People and the glorification of God.

New members interested in attending, please email amy@stisidore.church or call (586)286-1700 ext. 2109



September 13-15

### MEN'S RETREAT

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For more information, contact Vince Mariani at 586-677-2607 or Dave Bisdorf at 586-202-7000.





Thursday, September 12 // 7:00 PM  
**TEEN ENSEMBLE REHEARSAL**

Teen vocalists and instrumentalists are invited to rehearse together on Thursday evenings at 7:00 pm in the music room to prepare music for weekend Mass (monthly at various times). Fall Mass schedule will be available at the first rehearsal. All area high school and local college students are invited to come and share their time and talents with our St Isidore Community. For more information, contact amy@stisidore.church or call (586)286-1700 ext. 2109.



September 21-22  
**ELECTRONIC WASTE EVENT**

In honor of National Cleanup Day, St. Isidore's Green Team along with our high school SITE group is sponsoring an Electronic Waste event in union with the 'We are Here Foundation.' Drop-offs can be made before and after all Masses the weekend of September 21 & 22, 2019. Acceptable items are residential and business office electronics. Please, no tube televisions or appliances.

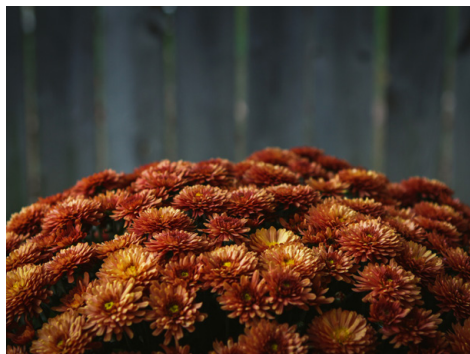


Mon. Sept 16 & Wed. Sept. 18  
**OPEN MIC SESSIONS**

Anyone can sing! Yes, anyone... even you! Many think that you need training or the ability to read music, but that is not true. Open Mic Sessions give you a chance to explore the different options of music involvement at St. Isidore .

Join us at one of our Open Mic Sessions on September 16 or 18 at 7PM in the music room and then stick around for some cider and donuts! If you don't feel that it is right for you after that, no worries!

If you are interested or have questions, contact Matt (matt@stisidore.church)

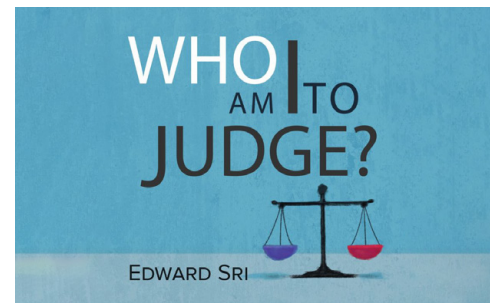


September 21/22  
**SITE MUM SALE**

It's hard to believe Fall is just around the corner!

To help ensure your house has great Fall curb appeal the SITE Teen's are holding their annual Fall Mum Sale. Not only will your house look great, but the proceeds will be used to assist the SITE Teens attend two retreats along with supporting a local charity. Please visit the sales tables after Mass and support two great causes with one purchase.

Cost: \$10/plant



Wednesday, September 18 // 9:00 AM  
**SMALL GROUP STUDY PROGRAM**

What is "right" and "wrong?" Is what's right for you right for me? Is there a right and wrong for everyone, all the time?

Join us for this 8-week small group study program featuring Edward Sri. We'll explore the classical view of morality and find that it's not merely a set of guiding principles for theoretical situations—it is an entire way of life. Sessions will be on Wednesdays from 9-10:30 AM beginning September 18. Call the office or email evangelization@stisidore.church to register or for questions.



Sunday, September 22 // 8:30 AM  
**PANCAKE BREAKFAST**

Includes pancakes, sausage links, applesauce, coffee, milk, and orange juice at the low cost of \$6. Stop by after any of the morning Masses.

Proceeds to benefit charitable efforts of the K of C Council 7200.

## WHAT'S HAPPENING? (CONT'D)



September 25-27

### WIDOWS RETREAT

One of the challenges at a later stage of life's journey may be traveling alone. This retreat will have many opportunities to explore your personal and faith journeys and includes a social, prayer services, reflective conferences, healing service, Adoration, and more. Registration begins Wednesday at 5:30 PM.

Suggested offering is \$150 which includes all meals. Make reservations early as there are limited rooms available. Call 248-651-4826, or visit [capretreat.org](http://capretreat.org).



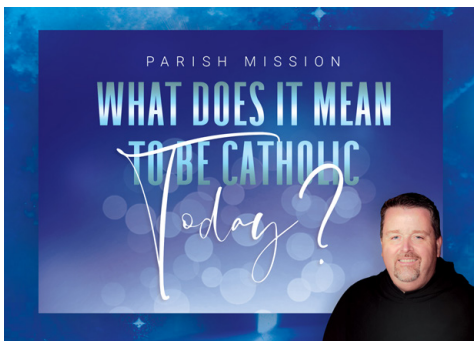
Saturday, October 5 // 6:00 PM

### DINNER + COMEDY SHOW

Join us for an evening of fun and laughs with comedian, Shawn Reynolds. Tickets are \$15 and include dinner and the comedy show. Dinner includes: Pizza, salad, dessert, coffee, tea and two complimentary drink tickets for pop or beer with each event ticket. Additional drink tickets are \$1.00 each. (Drink tickets provided at event only.)

Event tickets available at Parish Office (586-286-1700) or by going to

[stisidore.church/comedy](http://stisidore.church/comedy)



September 30 – October 2

### PARISH MISSION

#### *What does it mean to be Catholic Today?*

During these challenging times, we can all benefit from reminders and inspiration to stay strong in the beauty and richness of our Catholic Faith. Join us for a three-night mission presented by Fr. Tom McCarthy. Each night begins with Coffeehouse Worship at 6:30 in the Gathering Space.

#### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

7:00 PM Talk by Fr. Tom:

*The Saints: How are they the heroes of our faith?*

#### TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1

7:00 PM Talk by Fr. Tom:

*Prayer: Is it worth it? Does God listen to me?*

8:15 PM Individual Confessions Available

#### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2

7:00pm Celebration of Mass



Friday, October 4 // 6:30 PM

### EUCHRE TOURNAMENT

The Altar Society is once again hosting the Euchre Tournament.

Sign-in is at 6:30 PM

Tournament will begin at 7:00 PM

Tickets: \$15.00/person (includes cash prizes, snacks, and dessert bar)

For ticket information, contact:

Janet Stark (586) 749-9423

Sue Schwark (586) 949-6970



Thursday, October 24 // 9:00 AM

### ALTAR SOCIETY DAY OF REFLECTION

All are welcome for this Day of Reflection! The St. Isidore Altar Society is sponsoring a Day of Reflection, offered at the Capuchin Retreat house in Washington, MI. The retreat runs from 9:00 am till 2:00 pm – Registration at 8:45 am.

Donation of \$25 (includes Lunch) can be dropped off at the church office starting September 16. Deadline to sign up is Thursday, October 17.

Contact Joanne Chalut for additional information: (586) 690-8735



## READINGS

### SUNDAY

SIR 3:17-18, 20, 28-29;  
PS 68:4-5, 6-7, 10-11;  
HEB 12:18-19, 22-24A;  
LK 14:1, 7-14

### MONDAY

1 THES 4:13-18;  
PS 96:1 AND 3, 4-5, 11-12, 13;  
LK 4:16-30

### TUESDAY

1 THES 5:1-6, 9-11;  
PS 27:1, 4, 13-14;  
LK 4:31-37

### WEDNESDAY

COL 1:1-8;  
PS 52:10, 11;  
LK 4:38-44

### THURSDAY

COL 1:9-14;  
PS 98:2-3AB, 3CD-4, 5-6;  
LK 5:1-11

### FRIDAY

COL 1:15-20;  
PS 100:1B-2, 3, 4, 5;  
LK 5:33-39

### SATURDAY

COL 1:21-23;  
PS 54:3-4, 6 AND 8;  
LK 6:1-5

### SUNDAY

WIS 9:13-18B;  
PS 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 AND 17;  
PHMN 9-10, 12-17;  
LK 14:25-33

## WE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Bob Aguis  
Kristen Battaglia  
Jonathan Bisdorf  
Mark Bischoff  
Ann Byarski  
Charles Byarski  
Nancy Campbell  
Carol Chianese  
Pam DeClercq  
Isaiah Ford  
Diane Fraser  
Jason Gaca  
Patty Haberkamp  
Dale Heath  
Tracy Hood  
Jenny Kasselmann  
Pat Kush  
Marilyn LaPorte  
Janet McDonald  
Kenneth Meerschaert  
Mario Monacelli  
Andy Nicosia  
Michels family  
Beverly Niewolak  
Jeri Nofs  
Stanley Nowak  
Natalie Perini  
Michael Peterson  
Louisa Pietrowsky  
Jerry Pukala  
Stanley Puszczynski  
Eric Racette  
Suzane Romano  
Umberto Romano  
Carolyn Sands  
Conrad Sands

Joyce Scott  
Jerry Schmeiser  
Don Schmitt  
Lynn Stultz  
Mary Szczerbinski  
Breanne Talmadge  
Anthony Tancredi  
John Terry  
Albert Toccaceli  
Bob VanEenoo  
Maurice (Moe) Wiseman

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## MILITARY LIST

PFC Tanner Adkins, Army – Afghanistan  
WO1 Jeremy Bentley, Army – Iraq  
Christian Bobbish, Navy  
Pvt. Troy Ciaramella, Army – USA  
GySgt. Sean Collins, Marines – USA  
Hannah Cook, Marines – USA  
Sgt. Tyler Dean, Army – Kuwait  
PFC Anthony Difatta, Army – Afghanistan  
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 Jablonski, Army – Michigan  
Sgt. Logan Jabouri, Marines  
J. Jackson, Navy  
Staff Sgt. Ethan Jensen, Air Force – Afghanistan  
PFC Sean R. Kellogg, Marines California  
Sgt. Griffin Kozakf, Marines – California  
Sgt. Edward Kujawa, Marines  
Jason Kurpiewski, Navy – Afghanistan  
Audrey Lynch, Marines – California  
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  
Gjelosh Vata, Army  
Pvt Andre Ventmiglia, Army – USA  
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## REST IN PEACE

### STANLEY PLUSZCZYNSKI

Entered eternal life on August 21



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## STEWARDSHIP

Budget update as of: August 25, 2019  
Weekly Budgeted Amount: \$ 24,519.23  
Actual Amount Received: \$ 23,112.76  
Comparison to budget: (\$1,406.47)

Fiscal Year to Date: July 1, 2019 to August 25, 2019  
Budgeted Amount: \$ 220,673.07  
Amount Received: \$ 196,470.23  
Comparison to Budget Target: (\$24,202.84)

This week:  
Envelopes Returned: 651  
Online Gifts: 130  
Registered Households: 3263  
Percentage of people making contributions: 24%

CSA as of August 25, 2019  
CSA 2019 Goal \$ 192,588.00  
CSA 2019 Pledges \$ 248,364.94  
CSA 2019 Payment on pledges \$ 176,577.73  
Monies returned to the parish\* \$ 55,776.94

*\*If pledges are paid in full, this money will be returned to the parish in full.  
As a reminder, monies received through CSA are not assessed by the  
Archdiocese (7%) nor are they part of future CSA calculations (14.5%).*

## CSA MINUTE

### YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

"What's Your Story?" is the theme of the upcoming  
Engaging the Young Church Conference, to be held  
September 27 and 28 for those who minister to youth and  
young adults in the Archdiocese of Detroit.

Your CSA gifts help fund this two-day conference, which  
provides priests, deacons, parish catechetical leaders,  
volunteers, and youth, young adult, and junior high  
ministers with the latest ministry tools and resources,  
encouragement, and inspiration for this ministry. Keynote  
presentations will focus on figuring out one's own story,  
sharing God's love with others, helping families and youth  
grow as disciples, and witnessing the faith.

The Engaging the Young Church Conference will be  
held at St. Anastasia Parish in Troy, and will feature 14  
workshops. Registration is required by September 14.

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