

ST. MARY MYSTICAL ROSE GUIDING LIGHT



We the faithful of St. Mary Mystical Rose Parish are a Catholic Community in the Archdiocese of Detroit. We serve God through His Begotten Son, Jesus Christ, with the empowerment and the strength of the Holy Spirit: to celebrate the Holy Sacraments and Worship, Christian Service and Faith Education, to evangelize and practice our faith in active stewardship—with the faith, spirit and humility of Mary, the Rose of God and our Patron Saint.

July 10, 2016—Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

What must I do to attain eternal life? (Luke 10:15-37).

“Being told you have stage-four cancer changes your life. It was no joke what we were faced with.”

“Our family has a wilderness lodge in Alaska where I’ve worked as a guide for about twenty years. Basically, I keep people safe all summer while I show them big furry bears and whales bigger than our boat. Two years ago I was on the job when my doctor called.

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The survival rate is less than twenty percent. I prayed, “God how do I do this? You will lead me. You will direct me. You will guide me.”

My wife and kids rallied around me. We spent time in daily prayer and worship, and they prayed scripture over me. It was five months of chemo, six weeks of radiation on a daily basis and then a ten-hour surgery involving two specialists,” Jordan and Jennie Hess, Alaska.

How priceless for a father, mother, and children to center themselves in the Lord our God. Belief in God and faith in Him is the key to bear trials and tribulations in our lives. With the love of God and His loving care that carries us daily, we can tackle and accomplish the impossible. In addition is the support and prayers of families, friends, and the Church.

We must never give up and throw-in the towel when we are in trials and being challenged by the snare of the world.

We need to remain faithful and put our belief in God. He is our shelter and comfort during hardships and the burdens of life. Be steadfast and be firm in your faith. Safeguard the Commandments of God with your dear life. Never let it go by always insisting on living the truth, the way, the life that God continuously gives us. Prayers bring peace in joyful times as well as challenging times. Find time to pray, it is an intimate conversation you will have with Jesus.

When all else fails, the Lord has got your back!

The rich young man asked the ultimate question of what is more important to us as well: “Lord, what must I do to attain eternal life?” The young rich man understands and knows the

commandments well, but what is lacking for him is putting the commandments into action. He needs to get involved by showing that he does care and love.

YES – caring, loving, sharing, thoughtful, time, compassion are values that drive each and everyone to action. NOW, your Church and your Parish needs you to share and spend some of your time to serve the Lord with His ministries.

Let us pray for one another.

Please, fill in the forms and put it in the white box at the Narthex. Serve in a ministry or two of your Parish. God bless!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL – AUGUST 1st- 5th, 2016 – ANIMAL BARNYARD!!!

Armada Fair August 15th —21st



**Don't forget to sign up for a shift to
work at our Food Booth!**

**Sign up sheets are available in the
Narthex!**

George Patauave

Fr.

Liturgy & Prayer

Mass Intentions for the Week

Tuesday, July 12, 2016
 9:00 am †Anthony Judson
 Requested by: The Parish Staff

Wednesday, July 13, 2016
 9:00 am All St. Mary Mystical Rose Parishioners

Thursday, July 14, 2016
 9:00 am All St. Mary Mystical Rose Parishioners

Saturday, July 16, 2016
 4:30 pm †Danny Lee Klein
 Requested by: Edward Ochylski

Sunday, July 17, 2016
 9:30 am All St. Mary Mystical Rose Parishioners

Please Pray For ...

Marge Brohl
 Carl Easton
 Marie Eichbrecht
 Suzanne Gauvreau Patrick Goike
 Bill Holloway
 Dean Kaster
 Yvonne Kaster
 Karen Klapatch
 Agnes Maa
 Bonnie McNichol
 Bernice Osborne
 Sapi Patauave
 Josie Scaglione
 Michelle Schapman
 Timothy Schrand
 Victor Zarate
 Baby Haskings (King)
 Doug Wade

Please call the Parish Office at 586-784-5966 to add a loved one to the list. Please renew your request every 8 weeks. Requests not updated in a timely fashion will be deleted from the list. Also, please let us know if someone should be removed from the list.

Remembering Those in the Military ...

Master Sgt. Julie Curtis
 Adam S. Girardot
 Cody Kelly
 Evan Malkowicz
 Phoebe Malkowicz
 Andrew Richards
 MC2 Jeffery Richardson

Widowed Friends

Widowed men and women are invited to attend dinner at Side Tracks Bar & Grill, 266 Lake Nepessing Rd., Lapeer 48446, on Wednesday, July 20th at 5:00 pm. Order off the menu, no walk-ins. Must RSVP by July 15th to Sharry at 248-840-0063.

Sponsored by Widowed Friends, a "peer" support group in the Archdiocese of Detroit. For further information about Widowed Friends www.widowedfriends.org.

Stewardship

Offering for the Week of July 2, 2016

Offertory\$3,039.50
 Envelopes Returned..... 83
 Thank you for your generosity and continued support!

2016 CSA

Goal.....\$40,576.00
 Pledges by June 15, 2015.....\$18,445.00
 Current shortfall\$22,131.00
 Contributing parishioners..... 74

Liturgical Ministers Schedule for July 16-17, 2016

Mass	4:30 pm	9:30 am
Servers	Tommy H.	Austin
Lectors	Karen Coulon	Michel Flanigan Stephanie Goubert
Eucharistic Ministers	Leona Leonard Rosemary Caron Mike Murphy	Carolee Stewart Mel Campbell Missy Darling
Sacristan	Cindy Sowinski	Annette Goike
Ushers	Will Caron Mike Murphy	Dan Green Kris Ostrowski

Readings for the Week of July 10, 2016

Sunday Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Dt 30:10-14; Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37;
 Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37

Monday Saint Benedict, Abbot
 Is 1:10-17; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, and 23;
 Mt 10:34—11:1

Tuesday Is 7:1-9; Ps 48:2-3a, 3b-4, 5-6, 7-8; Mt 11:20-24

Wednesday Saint Henry
 Is 10:5-7, 13b-16; Ps 94:5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 14-15;
 Mt 11:25-27

Thursday Saint Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin
 Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Ps 102:13-14ab, and 15,
 16-18, 19-21; Mt 11:28-30

Friday Saint Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
 Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Is 38:10, 11, 12abcd, 16;
 Mt 12:1-8

Saturday Our Lady of Mount Carmel
 Mi 2:1-5; Ps 10:1-2, 3-4, 7-8, 14; Mt 12:14-21

Sunday Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Gn 18:1-10a; Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 5; Col 1:24-28;
 Lk 10:38-42



Happenings in Our Parish

Calendar of Events

Monday, July 11, 2016

Tuesday, July 12, 2016

9:00 am Mass
7:00 pm Ushers' Meeting

Wednesday, July 13, 2016

9:00 am Mass
11:00 am Fragrant Rose Prayer Group

Thursday, July 14, 2016

9:00 am Mass
6:00 pm Baptism Preparation Class

Friday, July 15, 2016

Saturday, July 16, 2016

4:00 pm Private Confession
4:30 pm Mass

Sunday, July 17, 2016

9:00 am Rosary
9:30 am Mass

Monday, July 18, 2016

Tuesday, July 19, 2016

9:00 am Mass
1:00 pm Youth Group

Wednesday, July 20, 2016

9:00 am Mass
11:00 am Fragrant Rose Prayer Group

Thursday, July 21, 2016

9:00 am Mass

Friday, July 22, 2016

Saturday, July 23, 2016

4:30 pm Mass

Sunday, July 24, 2016

9:00 am Rosary
9:30 am Mass

Attention

ALL 7th and 8th Graders

ALL 9th-12th Graders

You are NEEDED and WANTED!!!

Are you looking for something FUN to do this summer?

Hanging out with friends?

Doing Community Service?

Looking to meet new people?

Do YOU HAVE IDEAS FOR THINGS TO DO?

Why not join the Youth Group at St. Mary Mystical Rose?

Meeting: Tuesday, July 19, 2016@ 1:00pm - 3:00 pm

FOR MORE INFORMATION: CONTACT THERESA SKWARA

EMAIL: tmskwara@wowway.com

or at

586-784-5966 ext.106

Faith Formation 2016-2017

Registration for the 2016-2017 School Year is underway
Registration forms are available on line , in the lower narthex or
at the parish office.

All registration forms are due by August 28, 2016

Classes begin :

Tuesday, September 12—Grades K—6

Thursday, September 14—Grades 7 and 8

Catechist and Aids needed

The 2016/17 Faith Formation Schol Year is fast approaching!!
We are looking for Catechist and Aids to come and assist us with
our Faith Formation Program. No experience necessary!! Please
pray on this and ask the Holy Spirit to guide and inspire us to
share our faith with the children.

If you have any questions, contact Theresa Skwara at (586) 784-
5966 or tmskwara@wowway.com.

St. Mary Mystical Rose Vacation Bible School

Coming August 1—5, 2016

10:00 am—12:30 pm

Your assistance and help is NEEDED!!

Anyone who is age 12 or older can volunteer to help.

We need crew leaders, station leaders, assistance
with set-up and tear-down!!

This is a great way for students to come and volunteer and get
service hours and get to know others in the community!!

If you have any questions or would like more information please
do no hesitate to contact me ... my door is always open for ideas,
concerns and suggestions!

Email: tmskwara@wowway.com

Cost is \$20.00 per child

God Bless,
Theresa Skwara

From the Garden Club

Thanks to everyone who participated in the Jusko's Fundraiser.
We were able to raise money to keep our grounds looking nice.

Our church grounds are in desperate need of mulch. We are
looking for monetary donations to offset the cost so we can add
mulch to our flowerbeds. We want the outside to stay looking as
good as the inside of church.

The Armada Fair August 15-21, 2016

There are only 6 weekends until the Fair starts! There are many slots awaiting your signature to work at our Food Booth. It takes our entire parish family to work side by side in order for this huge fund raiser to be successful. Please stop downstairs and sign up for a shift or however many you are able to work. Each shift is 4 hours. You will receive a ticket to enter the Fair gates, to get in to work your shifts. Bring your friends and family to work with you! It is an exciting and busy week!

Catholic Services Appeal

“Natural Family Planning. Love, Mercy, Life. Opening the Heart of Marriage” is the theme of National Natural Family Planning (NFP) Awareness Week 2016, held this July 24 to 30. The campaign of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops celebrates God’s design for married love and the gift of life and raises awareness of NFP methods. Gifts to the Catholic Services Appeal allow the archdiocesan Office for Natural Family Planning, which is part of the Department of Evangelization, Catechesis and Schools, to offer classes in and presentations about NFP methods. To celebrate NFP Awareness Week, the Office for Natural Family Planning is hosting a family picnic with the Couple to Couple League at VFW Park in Royal Oak on Sunday, July 24. Anyone living, supportive of, or interested in NFP is welcome.

For more information about NFP Awareness Week or RSVPing to the family picnic, or about other CSA-funded ministries, programs, and services, go to www.AOD.org.

Seminary Day for Altar Boys August 5, 2016

As a family we can assist our children in remaining disciples of Christ by encouraging them to hear and answer God’s call in their lives. If your son is an altar boy and has finished 7th grade invite and encourage him to attend the Seminary Day for Altar Boys hosted by the Office of Priestly Vocations held at Sacred Heart Major Seminary. For young men who have completed 7th grade to High School senior. Registration and information may be found on our website: www.detroitpriest.com.

A Minute with Synod 16

Did you know that you have a role in Synod '16? A Synod is an occasion for a select group of people from throughout the local Church to advise the Archbishop on an important matter of the faith. Synod 16 will help Archbishop Vigneron lead the diocese in the efforts of evangelization. But when the Synod members from the Archdiocese of Detroit gather in the fall, they will be privy to input from tens of thousands of Catholics from our parishes. This input will come from the Parish Dialogue Gatherings. Many parishes are hosting these gatherings, and Catholics are welcome to attend any gathering that is open to the faithful. So if you haven't already, share your thoughts at a Parish Dialogue Gathering at your parish or in your area. Visit www.aod.org/dialogue for more details.

Food Pantry Distribution for Families in Need

The Food Pantry Distribution dates for 2016 are as follows:

Monday, August 1 - 6:00 pm
Tuesday, September 6—6:00 pm
Monday, October 3—6:00 pm
Monday, November 7—6:00 pm
Monday, November 21-6:00 pm (no dinner)
Monday, December 12—6:00 pm

We also serve a hot meal to all of our pantry guests. In the event someone is in urgent need of food, please contact the Parish Office.

St. Mary Mystical Rose Food Drive

We’re collecting food for the needy. Can you help?

Some ideas of what we need are:

Canned yams
Canned meats

Cereal
Jell-O (gelatin and pudding)

Jelly
Paper Products
Pasta

Pasta Sauce
Peanut Butter
Toilet Paper
Toiletries
Tuna

Any NON-EXPIRED canned and boxed food items are welcome.

Mercy in Action Service Day

In this Year of Mercy, Pope Francis encourages us to serve those who need help. “Whenever we do something together, something good, something beautiful, everyone changes. All of us change in some way and this does us good.” —Pope Francis Catholic Charities of Southeast Michigan (CCSEM) is collaborating with parishes, schools, and others to coordinate a regional Day of Service on Saturday, October 1 to organize a multitude of local service projects like helping those in need with chores and tidying up around the house, stocking food pantries, cleaning up neighborhood parks, and other efforts. Learn more about service projects in your area and register to help! We are the hands, feet, and heart needed to lift burdens from another! Get involved by calling Joyce Hyttinen at 248-537-3304 or email: hyttinenj@ccsem.org.

Ushers Needed

Your parish is in need of volunteers to serve as ushers. A meeting will be held on Tuesday, July 12 at 7:00 pm in the Narthex for anyone who is interested in assisting with this vital ministry.



Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:30pm
 Sunday..... 9:30am
 Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 9:00am
 First Fridays of the Month 9:00am
 Days of Obligation and Solemnity Feast Days TBA

Private Confession

1st and 3rd Saturday at 4:00 pm or by appointment.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP: We joyfully welcome new members to our parish. Please register at the parish office during business hours. We also ask that you let us know if you plan to move from the parish.

INFANT BAPTISM: Parents must be registered and regularly attending the Sunday Eucharist to begin Baptism preparation. Baptismal Preparation is held quarterly. Call the parish office to for next scheduled date. The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on the first and third Sunday of every month.

MARRIAGE: If one of the engaged couple (or their parents) is registered at St. Mary's arrangements may be made personally by the couple at least six months in advance. 8-10 months is preferred.

SICK CALLS: We are happy to visit the sick and bring Communion to them. Please notify the parish office.

ANNULMENT PROCESS: If you are contemplating filing for an annulment; know that it is a healing process. It takes up to 18 months for the Tribunal to complete each case, so please take that into consideration. Call the parish office for more information.

Bulletin Deadlines:

Bulletin Date	Articles must be emailed by
July 17	July 11
July 24	July 18th

Please submit materials in Microsoft Word format or Rich Text format to: bulletinSMMR@gmail.com

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

Have you been thinking of becoming Catholic, or completing your Sacraments and coming fully into the Catholic Church? Now is the time to take that first step...Call the Parish Office at [586-784-5966](tel:586-784-5966) and someone from the RCIA Team will get back to you within a day or two. Applications are now being accepted for the 2016-2017 year. The classes will be held on Tuesdays, starting on September 6th from 7-8:30 pm. If you know of someone who has expressed an interest in coming fully into the Catholic Church, please invite them to inquire. If you are Catholic and would simply like to learn more about your Faith, you are also welcome to join us.

Parish Directory

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Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday
 9:00am-3:30pm

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