



# ST. MARY STUDENT PARISH

CATHOLIC CAMPUS MINISTRY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

NOVEMBER 15, 2020

Thirty Third Sunday  
in Ordinary Time

# FAITHFUL



“Well done, my good and  
faithful servant.”

MATTHEW 25:21

“Te felicito, siervo  
bueno y fiel”.

MATEO 25, 21

## Pastoral Perspective

### ENTERING INTO THE SPIRIT OF THE HOLIDAY

BY FR. DENNIS DILLON,

SJ

Thanksgiving is a time to look back in gratitude to God for all our blessings -- great and small, like having a meal, a place at the family table and a roof under which to share that meal.



I look back over many Thanksgivings, many chances to enter into the spirit of the holiday, especially my most recent ones with St. Mary Student Parish.

And if you need a poem to remind you of what we celebrate, I suggest one by e. e. cummings.

*i thank You God for most this amazing day,  
for the leaping greenly spirits of trees  
and a blue true dream of sky; and for everything  
which is natural which is infinite which is yes*

*(i who have died am alive again today,  
and this is the sun's birthday; this is the birth  
day of life and of love and wings: and of the gay  
great happening illimitably earth)*

*how should tasting touching hearing seeing  
breathing any -- lifted from the no  
of all nothing -- human merely being  
doubt unimaginable You?*

*(now the ears of my ears awake and  
now the eyes of my eyes are opened)*

For those of you who'd like to reach Fr. Dennis, here is his new address: and email:

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Colombiere Conference and Retreat Center  
9075 Big Lake Rd.  
Clarkston, MI 48346  
[dtdillonsj@aol.com](mailto:dtdillonsj@aol.com)

## Crossroads of Michigan

### CROSSROADS THANKSGIVING MEAL

SUN, NOV 22 10:00 AM-3:00 PM

St. Mary Student Parish is hosting the Thanksgiving meal at Crossroads on Sunday, November 22.

Volunteers are needed to pick up supplies from Gordon Foods and deliver to Crossroads and prep on Saturday, November 21 as well as prep, cook and serve on Sunday, the 22nd.

If you can help please provide the following to [CrossroadsEaster@umich.edu](mailto:CrossroadsEaster@umich.edu).

1. name(s), please indicate age of anyone under 16
2. contact phone number
3. day/time you want to volunteer
4. task, if you have a preference

All volunteers must be healthy and wear a mask at all times.

Please plan to have groups from the same household work on the same task.

Saturday and Sunday mornings (and deliveries) will allow for distancing the easiest. We will do all that is possible to maintain safety and distance between non-family members.

All activities will be done at Crossroads 2424 West Grand Blvd Detroit, MI 48208

<https://crossroadsofmichigan.org/soup-kitchen/>

## CONNECT WITH US!

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[stmarystudentparish.org](http://stmarystudentparish.org) 331 Thompson Street Ann Arbor, MI 48104 734-663-0557 (f) 734-663-2756

## Undergraduate Students

### IN-PERSON IG.NITE MASS

THURS, NOV 19 | 5:10 PM

Undergrads are invited to attend in-person mass on Thursday. Please sign-up here:

<https://bit.ly/smsp-public-mass-reservation>

We will also continue to live-stream the mass on our website!



*Masks and social distancing are required.*

### VIRTUAL IG.NITE BROADCAST

THURS, NOV 19 | 6:30-7:30 PM

*BE SEEN, BE KNOWN, BE LOVED*

Recognizing *National Hunger and Homelessness Awareness Week November 15-22*, join us as we talk with a special guest speaker from the Ignatian Solidarity Project to talk about their ministry which provides retreats for those experiencing homelessness across the country.

It will be an a chance for all of us to reflect on how we can serve the needs of those on the margins, especially during this pandemic.

Sign up: <https://event.webinarjam.com/channel/ignite2020>

### ALTERNATIVE SPRING BREAK APPS

Applications will be available starting Monday, November, 16th. Although the university is not having a Spring Break this year, we will be holding trips the week of May 2nd to May 9th. Our ASB program is an excellent opportunity to deepen your faith and go beyond your comfort zone with service and immersion. There is further information about ASB on our parish website and we are taking all possible precautions with COVID-19 to ensure the safety of our participants and the communities we visit. With this year looking so different from previous years, we will be tailoring our trips based on demonstrated interest, so if you are at all interested in participating in ASB this year, please consider applying! Applications will close midnight on December 21st.

If you have any questions at all please feel free to email our Alternative Spring Break Intern Will at [willover@umich.edu](mailto:willover@umich.edu).

### SUNDAY SNACK IS BACK!

Hooray! With the stay at home order being lifted, we're excited to bring Sunday Snack back! Between the 5 and 8 PM masses this evening (5:30-7:45ish), we'll have lots of yummy snacks and plenty of space to do homework or hang out with friends in Donnelly Hall. We hope you can join us to spend some time at SMSP!

## Graduate Students/Young Professionals

### VIRTUAL NIGHT PRAYER (COMPLINE)

THURSDAYS AT 10:00 PM

Take a break and end your week with a brief time of prayer shared with other young adults. We will host a virtual Night Prayer every Thursday at 10:00 PM on Zoom, beginning on September 17th. We will pray Night Prayer (Compline) from the Liturgy of the Hours, perhaps alternating with the Rosary, if the group chooses. No prior knowledge of either of these forms of prayer is needed, and each takes no more than about fifteen minutes.

*The Zoom link for Night Prayer can be found in the Grad/YP Newsletter\*.*

### VIRTUAL SPIRITUAL DIRECTION CATHOLIC TRIVIA NIGHT

MON, NOV 23 | 7:00 PM

Join the Grad/YP community in a virtual game of Catholic trivia! Grab a friend or play solo and register your team to compete for the title of *Patron Saint of Obscure Information\**.

Please register beforehand: [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/14d-Ulz1y45AmRtNeVZOvJo1rTNMYJnd-pMJeng\\_NXFI/](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/14d-Ulz1y45AmRtNeVZOvJo1rTNMYJnd-pMJeng_NXFI/).

*\*We don't actually have the power to do that.*

Contact Brendan [bdailey@umich.edu](mailto:bdailey@umich.edu) with any questions.

### VIRTUAL MASS & DINNER

MON, DEC 7 | 7:00 PM

All grad students and young professionals are welcome to join us for our monthly mass and dinner gathering—Covid style. We will stream mass on Monday at 7:00 PM. Shortly after mass, we will switch to a Zoom room for an opportunity to eat "together" and share both social and spiritual conversation.

*Links to both the streaming mass and the social afterward can be found in the Grad/YP Newsletter\*.*

*\*If you are a grad student or young professional, but are not receiving our Grad/YP Newsletter, please contact us at [smsp.grads.lead@umich.edu](mailto:smsp.grads.lead@umich.edu).*

## Parish Events

### MASS INTENTIONS: NOV 14-21

#### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14

5:00 PM Mass for Engaged Couples of SMSP

#### SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15

9:00 AM Mass for Greg & Serena Schwartz's 25th Anniversary

10:10 AM Mass for +Isabel Palma Galacia

2:00 PM Mass for People of the Parish

5:00 PM Mass for +Robert Mount

8:00 PM Mass for +Sally Groulx

#### TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 17

5:10 PM Mass for +Don Groulx

#### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19

5:10 PM Mass for Marianne Dickerson

#### FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20

12:10 PM Mass for John Staphes

#### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21

5:00 PM Mass for +Edward H. Vuylsteke

### VIRTUAL REALIGN RESOURCES FOR MISSION MEETING

TUES, NOV 24 | 7:00 PM

On 11/24/2020 at 7 PM the Diocese of Lansing Realign Resources for Mission Committee will host a virtual meeting with St. Mary staff and parishioners in an effort to explain the reason, rationale and methodology of the Realign Resources for Mission process and, most importantly, to listen to parishioners response of the process and how it could, potentially, impact upon our parish positively or negatively.

The meeting will start with a presentation on behalf of the Realign Resource for Mission Committee; discussion will follow with feedback from parishioners on your hopes and fears for the process; what you love or feel needs to be known about your parish; and any specific suggestions you may have for the future of your parish or the future of the diocese.

All are most welcome.

Here is the link for the meeting: <https://umich.zoom.us/j/94961479712>

For more information please visit: <https://www.dioceseoflansing.org/realign-resources-for-mission>

### VIRTUAL HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP

SUN, NOV 15 | 6:30 PM

Join other high school students for our virtual High School Youth Group gatherings in November. These gatherings help teens stay connected to each other, and to their faith, during these unusual, and sometimes trying days.

Please email Rita for the meeting link: [rzyber@smspnewman.org](mailto:rzyber@smspnewman.org)

### RETREATING & ROASTING--THANK YOU!

On October 31 St. Mary held its undergraduate Fall Retreat in virtual format. About 40 students participated in this opportunity for inspiring talks, prayer and fellowship. A special thanks to all the parishioners and alumni who prayed for us!

25 students joined us for our annual "Fire & Flannel" event on Friday, November 6. It featured a bonfire in our Courtyard, with students partaking in S'mores, and enjoying some socially-distanced outdoor game. The unseasonably warm weather made it especially nice!

As always, thank you for your support of St. Mary's Campus Ministry, which continues despite the many challenges of this time!

### THANK YOU TOM THOMPSON & NORTON'S FLOWERS

The beautiful flower arrangements you have seen in our Church over the last many years were provided by Tom Thompson Florist. Unfortunately the florist shop could not survive during covid and has closed permanently. We are grateful for the beautiful work Tom Thompson did for us for so many years and offer prayers for them as they move on from the years of work they did in our community.

You will notice that we once again have beautiful floral arrangements in the Church which are now being provided by Norton's Flowers & Gifts, another great florist in Ann Arbor. We are grateful for the opportunity to now work with Tim Galea, the owner and an SMSP parish member.

### VIRTUAL ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

Despite the pandemic, our English as a Second Language Program (ESL) continues (virtually).

Whether you are an English-learner or want to help someone improve their language skills, we welcome you!

Tutors and learners meet individually or in small groups each week for 45-60 minutes over zoom. Meetings can be at a time that is convenient for you.

For tutors, no language or teaching experience is required - just an interest in helping others practice English! All levels of English learners are welcome, and the program is free.

For more information or to sign up, email Emily [ewrobel@umich.edu](mailto:ewrobel@umich.edu) or Ellie [efalahee@umich.edu](mailto:efalahee@umich.edu)

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

- SUNDAY: 1:30 PM - 5:00 PM
- MONDAY: CLOSED
- TUESDAY: 11:00 AM–6:00 PM
- WEDNESDAY: 11:00 AM–6:00 PM
- THURSDAY: 11:00 AM–6:00 PM
- FRIDAY: 11:00 AM–2:00 PM
- SATURDAY: CLOSED

During our office hours, the office will be staffed to assist with scheduling, questions, donations, etc. You may also enter the church for individual prayer. Please enter through the main doors on Thompson Street.

*Masks and social distancing are required.*

## COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

SUNDAYS | 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM

Communion will be distributed on Sundays from 11:30 AM-12:00 PM. If you arrive early, please wait in your car. The parish will remain locked until 11:30 AM. Enter through the William Street doors unless you require handicap accessibility through the Thompson side.

*Masks and social distancing are required.*

## CONFESSIONS

WEDNESDAYS | 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

No reservation is required. Please enter through the main doors on Thompson Street and follow the signs.

Confessions will be offered both in the church and outside in the courtyard, weather permitting, or in Donnelly Hall.

## VIRTUAL LIVE-STREAMED MASS

We continue to live-stream masses as follows:

### SUNDAYS:

- 9:00 AM (English)
- 10:10 AM (Spanish)

### THURSDAYS:

- 5:10 PM Student-Led Ig.nite Mass

Masses can be watched live on our website:

<https://www.stmarystudentparish.org/>. You may also watch a recording of mass anytime after the mass has finished.

## PUBLIC MASS RESERVATIONS

### WEEKEND MASS: DAILY MASS:

SAT: 5:00 PM Vigil TUE: 5:10 PM  
SUN: 2:00 PM (Spanish) FRI: 12:10 PM  
5:00 PM  
8:00 PM

St. Mary is open to the public for mass per the schedule above. **Our capacity is limited to 50 seats.** Reservations are required. Click here to reserve your seat:

<https://bit.ly/smsp-public-mass-reservation>

*Please note, there are tabs at the top of the webpage for Sunday mass and daily mass.*

To protect the health and safety of everyone at the mass, please note the following:

- Reservations will be limited to registered parishioners and students.
- Since we do not have pews, seating will be 50 individual chairs.
- If you make a reservation for more than one seat, you will be sitting alone and you may not be sitting near anybody else on your reservation.
- The moving of chairs will not be permitted.
- We strongly discourage those with compromised immune systems or families with small children from attending mass.

*Masks and social distancing are required.*

## IN-PERSON ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT



TUESDAYS | 6:00 PM

Everyone is invited to Eucharistic Adoration every Tuesday after daily Mass until 8:00 pm. The third Tuesday of every month adoration will include the **Divine Chaplet**.

There will be an instrumental

**Praise and Worship** session during Adoration on **November 10**. Through Praise and Worship we find another way of glorifying God and deepening our connection with him. Come spend as much time as you wish. All are welcome. Please allow mass-goers to leave the church before entering.

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# Faith Doing Justice & Hispanic Ministry

## HUNGER AND HOMELESSNESS AWARENESS WEEK: THROUGH THE EYES OF THE SAINTS

NOVEMBER 15TH-22ND

Follow us on social media via St. Mary's YouTube and Instagram as we listen to current students and parishioners in a week-long video series reflecting on the lives of the saints.

November 15-22 is Hunger and Homelessness Awareness week and we will reflect on how the saints responded to the needs of the hungry and homeless.

Contact Brian Cerabona, Campus Minister with any questions or further information at [bceraabona@smspnewman.org](mailto:bceraabona@smspnewman.org).

## PARISH-WIDE MARIAN CELEBRATION CELEBRATING OUR PARISH FEAST DAY

DECEMBER 4TH-12TH

Join us in uniting our St. Mary family together as we honor our patron Mary through several opportunities for community, prayer, and service together!

More information to come next week!

## Commemorating the UCA Martyrs of El Salvador, 31st anniversary of their deaths ...and... launching the "Vamos a la Milpa" project



Above: Joe Mulligan, S.J.  
Below: "Padre Melo" S.J.



UNIVERSITY OF  
**DETROIT  
MERCY**  
Build A Boundless Future.

**Zoom Webinar on Mon. Nov. 16, 2020**  
**7 p.m. ETZ: Joe Mulligan on the Martyrs**  
**8 p.m. ETZ: Padre Melo and others**

REGISTER BY CLICKING ON THE LINK:  
[https://udmercy-edu.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_mOB3Su8YSmmmnC\\_pyzkAuw](https://udmercy-edu.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_mOB3Su8YSmmmnC_pyzkAuw)

Our two featured speakers are Joseph Mulligan, SJ from Nicaragua (who will speak on the significance of the recent convictions in Spain of the Jesuits' killers) and "Padre Melo" Ismael Moreno, SJ of Honduras (who will speak on his new social justice project "Vamos a la Milpa"). Other guests will be Amy Argenal, who teaches Global Migration, Human Rights, and Critical Diversity Studies at University of San Francisco, and Jose Artiga, Director of SHARE El Salvador. We will also have a dramatic reading of the words of the UCA Martyrs, prepared by Mary Anne Perrone and performed by University of Detroit Mercy community members.

Sponsored by the Carney Latin American Solidarity Archive (CLASA), co-sponsored by the Office of Mission Integration, Dept. of Language and Cultural Training, the International Student Office and the Latin America Caucus of Interfaith Council for Peace & Justice. For more information contact CLASA director Gail Presbey at [presbegm@udmercy.edu](mailto:presbegm@udmercy.edu) or 313-993-1124. Check the CLASA website for more info at <https://udmercy.edu/clasa> and <http://www.share-el-salvador.org/vamos-a-la-milpa.html>



Amy Argenal



[+1 Engagement and Learning Event]  
Emerging Leaders Program

An event in observance of  
International Education Week

Above artwork: Jesuit Martyrs,  
Artist: Mary Pimmel



José Artiga

## 31ST ANNIVERSARY OF THE DEATHS OF THE UCA MARTYRS OF EL SALVADOR, AND LAUNCHING OF "VAMOS A LA MILPA"

In honor of the 31st anniversary of the death of the Jesuit Martyrs, their housekeeper and her daughter who were killed at the University of Central America in El Salvador on Nov. 16, 1989, the University of Detroit Mercy is hosting a Webinar event on Nov. 16, 2020 from 7 to 9 pm. Our two featured speakers are Joseph Mulligan, SJ from Nicaragua (who will speak on the significance of the recent convictions in Spain of the Jesuits' killers) and Padre Melo, SJ of Honduras (who will speak on his new social justice project "Vamos a la Milpa"). Other guests will be Amy Argenal, who teaches Global Migration, Human Rights, and Critical Diversity Studies at University of San Francisco, and Jose Artiga, Director of SHARE El Salvador.

We will also have a dramatic reading of the words of the UCA Martyrs, prepared by **Mary Anne Perrone** (SMSP parishioner) and performed by University of Detroit Mercy community members.

Sign-up link: [https://udmercy-edu.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_mOB3Su8YSmmmnC\\_pyzkAuw](https://udmercy-edu.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_mOB3Su8YSmmmnC_pyzkAuw)

# All Saints' Day, All Souls' Day, and Día de los Muertos

## IN MEMORY OF

Paul McAlindon  
Harold Paul McAlindon  
Mary McAlindon  
Howard (Jack) Ketner  
Teresa Schaffer  
Janusz, Maria, Anatol & George Prociuk  
Gregory Kascewicz, Sr.  
Richard Sidorowicz  
Lois & Neil Keith  
Edward Provost  
John F. Keane  
Helen Pashup  
Elizabeth & Chester Rozga  
Eugene Joseph Schwartz  
Larry Baldwin  
Margaret & William Vanderveer  
Catherine & Frank Baldwin  
Thomas & Helen Wenthe  
Margaret Wenthe  
Patrick, Mark & Elisa Savageau  
Paul Trame, Sr.  
Jane Trame  
Francis Howard  
Loren Howard  
Bob Howard  
Larry Trame  
Mary Trame  
Nell Madden  
Edward Hertel  
Don & Sally Groulx  
Antonio & Rosa Mele  
Dearly Departed of the Montalbo Family  
Dorothy & Jack Simms  
Constance & William McCracken  
Gladys & Joe Zanetti  
James Harshfield, USN  
Rod Cartone, USN  
John F. Dillon, USN  
Richard Miller, Sr.  
Cecelia Miller  
Roberta Miller  
Gerry Keener  
Antonio Jesus Osorio Cruz  
Thomas Van Meter  
Lehman & Betty Clevel  
Bill Clevel  
Ronnie Clevel  
Chester & Edith Keating  
Jacqueline Pilarski

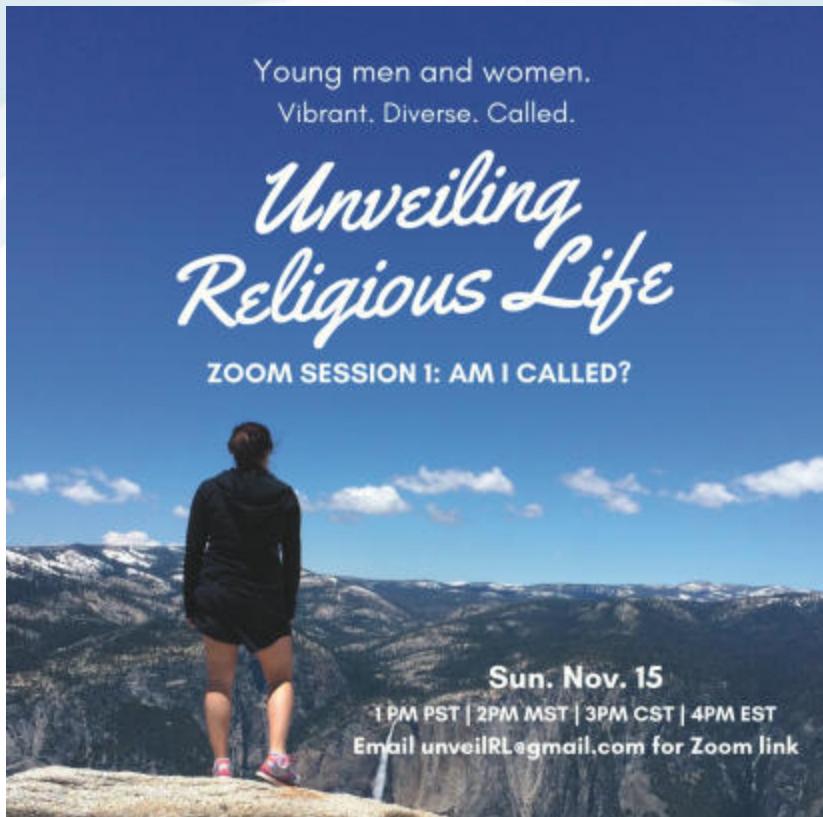
Edward & Dorothy Somers  
Edward & Nancy Somers  
Thomas Baines  
Helen Konopka & Burdette Banks  
John Banks  
Maureen Quick Banks  
Tom Wilson  
James Palmer, Jr.  
COVID-19 victims  
Marlene Talley  
deceased members of Precious Blood & St. Peter Claver Catholic communities in Detroit;  
Arthur "Crutchy" Fillbrunn  
deceased members of Ann Arbor's homeless community;  
Liz Daniels  
all my deceased coworkers  
Simon & Josephine Bury  
Anthony Rosinski  
Kelly Fish  
Betty Morgan  
Bridget Hannock  
S&ra Frontczak  
Cat Bordhi  
Michael Gallagher  
Michael Enright  
Ron Karczewski  
Earl Roy  
Rita Weigate  
Fran McCauley  
Trizna family  
Branchaw family  
Vargo family  
Harriet & James Sedgwick  
John & Ludnmilla Kinney  
Sue de Blois  
Connie Harwood  
Olga Nelson  
Charlie Spiegel  
Joan & Roman Huber  
Walter & Adeline Elser  
Robert Schwall  
Marie Von Koss  
all who have died and have no one to pray for them  
Sue A. Gendernalik  
Robert Lewis Sr.  
our parents (Herstein)  
Daniel James White, LSA '70  
Keith Buhler  
Ron Karchevski  
Fran McCauley  
Joseph Gmerek  
Dolores Gmerek  
Edward Gmerek  
Jerry Wiecek  
Ruth & Anthony Alexander  
Robert Alexander  
Raymond Marchetti Sr.  
Marie Marchetti  
Steven Gillman  
Joseph & Norma Myers  
Beth Murphy  
Thomas Imse  
Paul Imse  
James Imse  
Margaret Irene Heban  
Anna Gertrude Zollner  
Karl J. Zollner  
Carlene Zollner  
Colonel Patrick Heban  
Jack & James Burke  
Andre D'Ambrosio  
Camillus & Mary Grace O'Connell  
Linda O'Connell  
Mary Patricia O'Connell-Meyers  
The Cahill family  
Ronald Monroe  
Henry Blain  
Edna Blain  
Ed Conklin  
John Conklin  
Elizabeth Higgins  
James Higgins  
Helen Higgins  
James Grau  
Brendan Higgins  
David Leighty  
Mark V. Klosterman  
Julie Lyons  
Adelina Marie Solitro Steinman  
Filippo Minaudo  
Marcella Hellebuyck  
Julianne Augustine  
Jean M. McCarthy  
Slattery family  
Konop family  
McCarthy family  
Robinson family  
Johnson family  
Slattery family  
Pedro Nunez  
Juan Santos  
Juana Contreras  
Vicente Contreras

Genaro Contreras  
Maria Santos  
Santiago Carmen  
Jack Butler  
Ignacio Gonzelez  
Santos Trinidad  
Maria Trinidad  
Felipa Trinidad  
Secondino Nunez  
Nefske family  
Mary Farrell  
Gerald Farrell  
Mary Toca  
Gwendolyn Cole  
William Barnds

## SPECIAL INTENTION FOR

The Schwartz & Larson Family  
Edward & Catharine Baldwin  
William Vanderveer  
Families of the deceased -  
Thomas & Helen Wenthe,  
Margaret Wenthe, Patrick,  
Mark & Elisa Savageau  
Ricardo Montalbo Young  
Patricia Tenthorey, battling cancer  
For healing and resolution of family relationships.  
Walter Pilarski  
That the 2020 election turn out well with the respect for both the poor and science being restored  
My family and all families challenged by our troubling times.  
Please, dear God, have mercy on us and save us from another four years of chaos.  
Peace in the World  
Georgia & Stephen Hannock  
Andrea Wills  
friends with serious illnesses  
our children & grandchildren (Herstein)  
Cure for cancer  
Sarah Doolittle  
Nefske family  
Taylor Eagle  
Alyssa Baker  
Mary Keating  
Debbie Dill  
Peace for Dick Schultz family  
Our country

## Around The Diocese



### EVER WONDERED HOW DEACONS ARE FORMED?

The National Directory for the Formation, Ministry, and Life of Permanent Deacons in the United States (USCCB 2004) has an incredibly detailed description of the qualities a man should possess when ordained a permanent deacon: 23 pages worth!

However, it has extraordinarily little to say about how to instill and develop these qualities during diaconal formation. All it says is that the process is to be determined by the local ordinary, in our case, Bishop Boyea.

This makes sense. The formation paths around the world will vary widely based on geography, culture, and available resources. The local bishop knows his diocese and as such is positioned to guide the formation of his deacons.

In the Diocese of Lansing there are two components to a man's journey to the permanent diaconate. The first is educational and the second is formational.

The educational component requires obtaining the equivalent of a bachelor or master's degree in systematic theology. This represents from 36-42 college credit hours. Its purpose is to ensure that a man has a dogmatically sound, deep theological knowledge base to draw upon in diaconal service.

The formation component lasts four years. It involves a wide range of activities in the parish, at the diocese and in the marketplace directed at forming a man in four ways; humanly, spiritually, intellectually, and pastorally, to prepare him for the complexities of diaconal service.

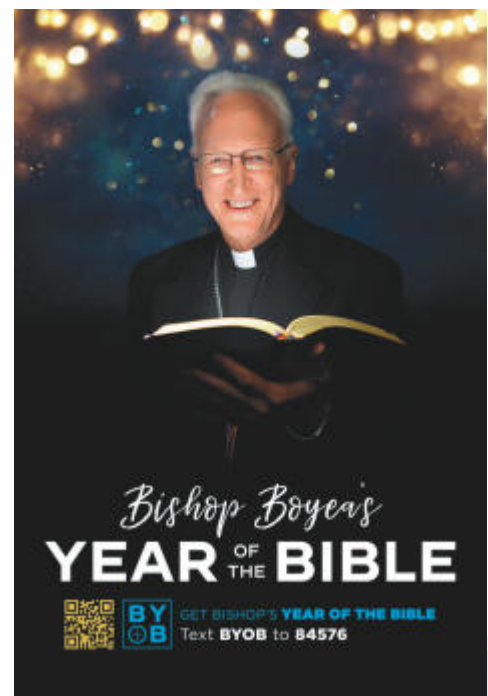
Consider that when next you see a deacon from the Diocese of Lansing, you are looking at a man who has invested 7-8 years preparing for diaconal ministry.

### BISHOP BOYEYEA'S YEAR OF THE BIBLE

You are invited to join Bishop Boyea in reading through the Holy Bible starting this Advent and continuing through the next 12 months. Each day, the Bishop will text or email a chapter of Sacred Scripture. Together with the Bishop – and all those taking part – you will then read it and meditate upon it. Over the weeks, Bishop Boyea will also text you invitations to events; share video reflections with you; and let you know about other Year of the Bible updates. To sign up, simply text BYOB, which stands for Bishop's Year of the Bible to 84576.


Or, visit

<https://www.dioceseoflansing.org/byob>





# Financial Update

Fiscal Year 2020/2021	
Year-to-Date Sunday Offering Report as of 11/8/2020	
	\$0      \$250,000      \$500,000      \$750,000      \$1,000,000
	
Sunday Offerings Budget Goal	\$969,000
Year-to-Date (YTD) Goal	\$347,000
Amount Collected YTD	\$335,806
Above (Below) YTD Goal	(\$11,194)
Sunday Offering Report as of 11/8/2020	
November Sunday Offerings Weekly Budget Goal	\$16,000
Sunday 11/8/2020 (Week 19)	\$13,607
Above (Below) Weekly Goal	(\$2,393)

## ONLINE GIVING

Many of you have signed up for online giving, which is a great help to us. Thank you. Some of you may be open to doing so. We recently introduced a new "online giving portal" through ParishSoft. This will eventually be the only online giving program that we will use. You can sign up and allocate gifts to particular funds here:

<https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/smsp>.

Contact Kristen Gowman with any questions about the new online portal  
[kgowman@smspnewman.org](mailto:kgowman@smspnewman.org).

## DONATE USING VENMO

Give like students give - straight from their smartphone. Venmo is a secure platform designed to allow you to make payments, transfer money, and donate quickly and easily to friends, groups, and businesses. Link your bank account (or debit card), choose the recipient of your choice, and hit pay. It's that easy! Our Venmo username is @SMSPumich.



## THERE'S STILL TIME TO SUPPORT OUR ANNUAL 2020 DIOCESAN SERVICES APPEAL

Thank you to everyone who has made a gift or pledge commitment to our Diocesan Services Appeal. Our gifts to DSA enable our diocese to provide services crucial to our parish. The programs and services funded by DSA offer direct assistance to individuals and families, and to parishes, schools, and Catholic Charities agencies. "Every good work" of the Church occurs through dozens of ongoing ministries made possible by our contributions to DSA.

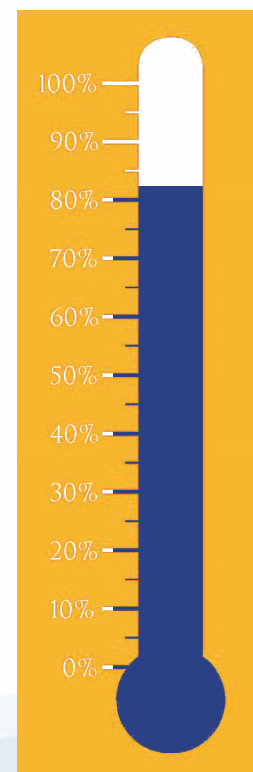
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## NOVEMBER 15, 2020

33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Reading I Prov 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31  
 Psalm Ps 128  
 Reading II 1 Thess 5:1-6  
 Gospel Mt 25:14-30

She works with loving hands. Let the day of the Lord not overtake you like a thief. Since you were faithful in small matters, come, share your master's joy.

## NOVEMBER 22, 2020

33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Reading I Ezek 34:11-12, 15-17  
 Psalm Ps 23  
 Reading II 1 Cor 15:20-26, 28  
 Gospel Mt 25:31-46

As for you my flock, I will judge between one sheep and another ; Christ will hand over the kingdom to his Goth and Father so that God may be all in all. The Son of Man will sit upon his glorious throne and he will separate them one from another.

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