



ST. MARY STUDENT PARISH

CATHOLIC CAMPUS MINISTRY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

FEBRUARY 21, 2021

1st Sunday of Lent

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1^{ER} DOMINGO DE LA CUARESMA

After John had been arrested, Jesus came to Galilee
proclaiming the gospel of God. - Mk 1:14

Después de que arrestaron a Juan el Bautista, Jesús se fue a
Galilea para predicar el Evangelio de Dios. - Mc 1, 14

Pastoral Perspective

ALPHA HOUSE PERSPECTIVE

BY AMY PROCIUK, PARISHIONER AND VOLUNTEER

Alpha House, part of the Interfaith Hospitality Network (IHN), provides temporary shelter to families experiencing homelessness as well as assistance in securing permanent housing. For many years, St. Mary Student Parish has participated in the rotation of congregations providing volunteers, covering one week in the fall and one week in the spring. I first volunteered with IHN many years ago as an undergraduate student. As a young adult with little exposure to homelessness, I was surprised that many of the shelter guests were intact families with working parents and young children. I now volunteer with my own family, and we are humbled by the fortitude of so many guest families that we have encountered over the years at Alpha House. Once we were preparing to serve Saturday brunch, which was to begin at 9 AM. A guest entered the dining room shortly after 8 AM, shyly inquiring if he might be able to get breakfast before leaving for work. We paused our brunch preparations to fix him a hearty breakfast; later that morning, we met his wife – and their newborn baby. I remembered how sore, exhausted and anxious I felt after having my son, and tried to imagine what that would be like staying in a shelter, with an uncertain future. While volunteering does not change the economic realities faced by these families, offering hospitality by preparing meals and visiting with the guests helps them to feel less alone in their struggles. Playing with the children during activity time allows parents some rest after a hard day working and worrying about the future.

During the pandemic it is not possible to serve in person; but the need is as great as ever. The inequality in our society and the suffering of others has been brought into even sharper focus as a result of the pandemic, and so, too has our call to serve. This March we will be preparing a meal to drop off at Alpha House and we encourage other parishioners, especially families, to sign up as well. To make it more meaningful for your family, you might consider preparing a more elaborate meal for Alpha House and eating a simple meal with your family at home, or forgoing your own takeout night(s) and instead using the money to donate a restaurant meal to Alpha House. As you prepare the meal, talk with your children about the challenges homeless families face and join us in praying together for safe, permanent housing and hope for the future for families staying at Alpha House.

When you have done all you have been commanded, say, 'We are unprofitable servants; we have done what we were obliged to do. – Luke 17:10.



ALPHA HOUSE MEALS

MONDAY-SATURDAY,
MARCH 15-20

St. Mary Student Parish has been active in supporting Alpha House - an emergency family and children homeless shelter – throughout the year for many years now. Each

year, we host two separate weeks of meals for families. This year, we have agreed to help provide meals from Monday, March 15th through Saturday, March 20th. The Saturday meal will be a brunch while the weekdays will be a dinner. Options include ordering dinner through take-out to support a local restaurant or preparing a meal from home.

PLEASE SEE THE FOLLOWING LINKS FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Click here <https://tinyurl.com/ynwcpjxj> to see the current number of residents and to plan for food aversions/allergies.

Click here <https://tinyurl.com/5am69hk9> to see a list of recently served meals to get some ideas!

Sign-up to help and to view more details: <https://tinyurl.com/1ny9v2z0>

Many individuals, groups and teams are taking advantage of the pandemic to bless two entities when hosting a meal for Alpha House by ordering dinner for us through take-out or delivery of a local restaurant. Many others are still planning and preparing at home. Both are welcomed! We usually feed on average 20 people. Making some meals kid-friendly is a bonus. A protein, carb, and vegetable are the main components for the meals.

If you prefer to bring your donation inside their building, we ask that you place it inside our first set of doors, in our vestibule. Staff will then retrieve your donation from there.

If you prefer contactless, please call Alpha House's front desk 734.822.0220 when you are a few minutes away from our building. The staff will put a service cart out front for you. Once you arrive, fill the cart. After you leave, the staff will retrieve your donation. Note! If you're calling and no one answers, it's likely our staff has been pulled away from the front desk attending to our families needs. Simply wait a few minutes and call back.

For any questions, please email bcerabona@smspnewman.org

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St. Mary Student Parish

IN-PERSON AND LIVE-STREAMED MASS SCHEDULE

IN-PERSON PUBLIC MASS RESERVATIONS

WEEKEND MASS:

SAT: 5:00 PM Vigil

SUN: 2:00 PM (Spanish)

5:00 PM

8:00 PM

DAILY MASS:

MON-THURS: 5:10 PM

FRI: 12:10 PM

Please note we added Daily

Masses on Mon & Wed

St. Mary is open to the public for mass per the schedule above. Our capacity is limited to 60 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.

PARISHIONERS AND STUDENTS CAN NOW SIT TOGETHER IN HOUSEHOLD GROUPS WHEN ATTENDING MASS HERE AT ST. MARY. Proper social distancing is still important so we ask everyone to please follow these instructions.

▪ Chairs are arranged in rows of 8 on each side of the main aisle with shorter rows on the sides of the altar.

▪ **SEATS ARE FIRST-COME, FIRST-SERVE. WHEN CHOOSING YOUR SEATS THERE MUST BE 4 EMPTY SEATS BETWEEN YOU AND ANYONE ELSE IN THE SAME ROW.**

▪ Mass will still end with Communion. Follow the celebrant's instructions for receiving Communion.

▪ Masks are required to be worn during the entire Mass and must cover both your nose and mouth.

▪ Reservations will be limited to registered parishioners and students.

▪ Since we do not have pews, seating will be 60 individual chairs.

▪ We strongly discourage those with compromised immune systems or families with small children from attending mass.

Masks and social distancing are required.

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.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Please note new hours

- SUNDAY: 1:30 PM - 5:00 PM
- **MONDAY: 11:00 AM-6:00 PM**
- TUESDAY: 11:00 AM-6:00 PM
- **WEDNESDAY: 11:00 AM-6:45 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.



IN-PERSON 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.

IN-PERSON CONFESSIONS

Please note time change

WEDNESDAYS | 5:45 PM - 6:45 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 downstairs in Donnelly Hall.

Masks and social distancing are required.

Faith Doing Justice and Hispanic/Latino Ministry



WAY OF THE CROSS:

WALKING WITH OUR IMMIGRANT FAMILY

St. Mary parishioners and students are invited to journey with us through Lent as we continue to learn more about immigration, listen to these stories of migration in our own community, and respond as a parish as we live a faith that does justice. Please see the events below:

LOVE HAS NO BORDERS: ZOOM CALL WITH HEIDI CERNEKA

THURS, FEB 25 | 7:00PM-8:00PM

<https://umich.zoom.us/j/94551115386>

All are welcome to join us on Zoom as we talk with Heidi Cerneka. Heidi is a Maryknoll lay missionary at the US-Mexico border in El Paso, Texas where she works as an immigration attorney for immigrants and asylum seekers. We will be hearing from Heidi about immigration laws and policies in the United States, followed by a Q&A session so be sure to bring your questions.

Contact Brian bcerabona@smspnewman.org

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: SOCIAL MEDIA CAMPAIGN

FEBRUARY 25-MARCH 10

Follow us on Instagram as we reflect on the stations of the cross and the journey of immigrants. We will post a station each day with a variety of prayer, scripture, and personal testimony.

LA MUJER ENCORVADA: A GOSPEL REFLECTION ON THE CRIPPLED WOMAN

THURSDAY, MARCH 11

Join us for a parish-wide prayerful reflection on the story from Luke's Gospel about the crippled woman. Parishioners from our Immigrant Women's group will share what cripples them, and invite each of us to reflect on what cripples us. We will reflect on how we are called to liberate each other from these burdens, as Jesus liberated the crippled woman. This event, hosted together with Strangers No Longer, will take place in primarily English via Zoom.

Details to follow. Contact Amy Ketner for more information aketner@smspnewman.org

<https://tinyurl.com/3lvf72eg>

MEN'S OVERNIGHT ROTATING SHELTER

This year, the Men's Rotating Shelter will be held at Zion Lutheran Church during the month of March. They are looking for volunteers to help with the daytime shelter, meals, and staying overnight! Please see the sign-up genius below if you are interested in volunteering and helping out! <https://tinyurl.com/ya4sdcha>. Their address is 1501 West Liberty Street, Ann Arbor, MI 48103

Contact James Rivard at jerivard@gmail.com or 734-846-5694 with any questions or last minute changes to your shift. Thank you!

RACIAL JUSTICE ADVOCACY

William Overland and Cecilia Rivet, two of our student interns, are taking the initiative to get our community involved with advocacy efforts this semester. This month we are inviting parishioners and students to advocate for racial justice in our local Ann Arbor community.

Currently, there are racially restrictive covenants within the housing contracts in Ann Arbor. Join us in upholding the human dignity of all by advocating to Ann Arbor City Council to *remove the racially restrictive sections in housing contracts*.

Please read this document for details and action steps: <https://tinyurl.com/m4vlda0r>



FOOD DRIVE FOR HOPE CLINIC FOOD PANTRY

SAT, MAR 13 | 11:00 AM-3:00 PM

Once again, St. Mary and St. Thomas are co-hosting a "contactless" food drive. All donations will be going to Hope Clinic Food Pantry in Ypsilanti. Sign-up to schedule a drop-off time on the sign-up genius or to help drive the donations to Hope Clinic. The food drive will take place at the St. Thomas parking lot.

Shopping List: <https://tinyurl.com/mlzxcpm>

For more details, please see the sign-up genius <https://tinyurl.com/1rghofnv> or contact Brian Cerabona bcerabona@smspnewman.org

Faith Doing Justice and Hispanic/Latino Ministry



ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

If you speak English and are interested in an

opportunity to volunteer, please consider being an English as Second Language tutor! For one hour per week you will meet virtually with a student who is learning English to practice speaking and get to know each other. This is a fun, easy, and engaging way to plug into the St Mary community and beyond. The times are flexible.

Please email efalahee@umich.edu if you are interested - we appreciate your help!

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.

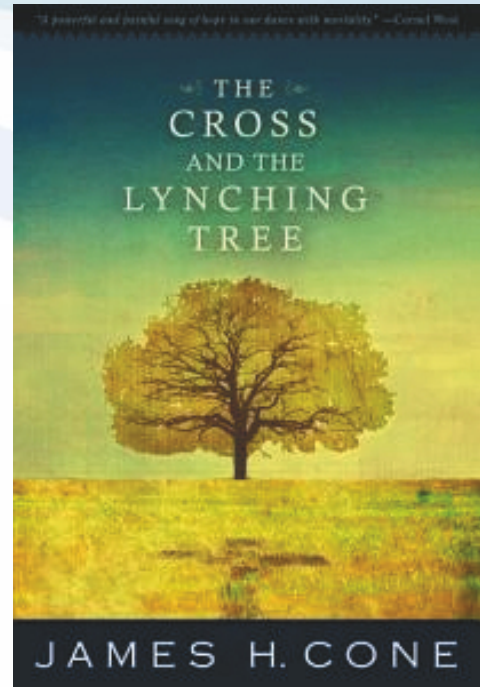
For more information or to sign up, email Emily ewrobel@umich.edu or Ellie efalahee@umich.edu

IMMIGRATION SUPPORT

Rooted in Christ's call to recognize Him in one another, St. Mary loves and welcomes our immigrant brothers and sisters. We serve as a safe home and dynamic resource for our immigrant and non-immigrant communities by providing pastoral care, education, and advocacy opportunities all based in mutual companionship.

We invite you to "welcome the stranger" as Jesus has called us to do. Volunteers are needed to tutor at our English as a Second Language (ESL) conversation hours, accompany immigrant parishioners to court or ICE check-ins, and serve on our immigration team to plan educational events, advocacy campaigns, prayer opportunities and more.

Contact Amy aketner@smspnewman.org



"BIG READ" BOOKS AVAILABLE IN THE OFFICE

The 2021 St. Mary Big Read begins this Lent. Copies of this year's book, *The Cross and the Lynching Tree*, by James Cone, are currently available in the parish office for a donation. We purchased the books for \$27 from Black Stone Book Store in Ypsilanti.

To sign up to receive a weekly email update, including links to the reading schedule, reflections from parishioners, and additional resources on antiracism, please submit this Google form: <https://tinyurl.com/aj3gob3w>

Donations can be paid for by check or cash in the office, or through the ParishSoft portal on the SMSP website under the category "Big Read 2021."

VIRTUAL "BIG READ" OPENING LITURGY

FEB 27 | 7:00 PM

We invite you to the opening liturgy of the SMSP Big Read as we begin our reflection on James Cone's book *The Cross and the Lynching Tree*. We will gather over Zoom to reflect on scripture, examine our consciences, and pray for healing from the sin of racism.

Zoom link: <https://umich.zoom.us/j/93779489242>

Grads & Young Professionals

VIRTUAL SPIRITUAL DIRECTIONS: DISCERNING TOWARD RESTORATIVE GRACE

MON, FEB 22 | 7:00 PM

Our monthly Spiritual Directions evening is an opportunity to gather for socializing, conversation, and to hear a speaker or share in some form of prayer. Currently, these gatherings will take place virtually, with our next event on Monday, February 22nd, at 7:00pm. Our speaker this month is St. Mary parishioner Jon MacDonagh-Dumler who will lead a presentation and discussion of Pope Francis's encyclical "Fratelli Tutti". Jon's talk is titled "Discerning Toward Restorative Grace."

We find ourselves in the midst of a "winter of peril" with many challenges and uncertainties. Grace to restore us is sorely needed. The goal of our discussions will be: Discerning toward Restorative Grace. Pope Francis' encyclical letter: Fratelli Tutti: On Fraternity and Social Friendship will provide spiritual wisdom for addressing societal challenges and opportunities. The current context for this will be guided by a discussion on selected themes from President Biden's Inaugural Speech (Jan 20, 2021).

*For more details on Jon's talk, and for the Zoom link to join us, please see the Grad/YP Newsletter.**

VIRTUAL MASS & DINNER

MON, MAR 8 | 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 at 7:00pm. 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.*

VIRTUAL WINTER RETREAT

SAT, MAR 6 | 7:00PM-9:00PM

SUN, MAR 7 | 10:30AM-12:30PM

All graduate students and young professionals are invited to join us for our Winter Virtual retreat titled "Wonders of Lent: Seeking and Listening to God's Call." This year's retreat will be led by Rita Dollard O'Malley, D.Min, who serves as the Midwest Jesuit Provincial's Assistant for Ignatian Spirituality.

This year's retreat will run Saturday evening (7:00pm-9:00pm) through Sunday morning (10:30am-12:30pm), March 6-7, 2021, via Zoom.

All are encouraged to take some time and space to join us for this opportunity for Lenten prayer and reflection. There is no cost to taking part, and no sign-up required.

For more details on the retreat, and for the Zoom link to join us, please see the Grad/YP Newsletter. If you are a grad student or young professional, but are not receiving our newsletter, please contact us at smsp.grads.lead@umich.edu.

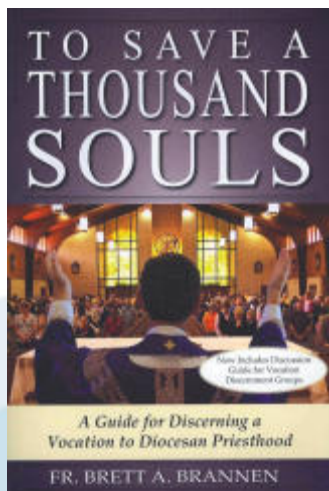
VIRTUAL NIGHT PRAYER (COMPLINE)

THURSDAYS AT 10:00 PM

Take a break and end your week with a brief time of prayer shared with other young adults. We host a virtual Night Prayer every Thursday at 10:00 PM on Zoom, praying Compline from the Liturgy of the Hours. The prayer lasts about 15 minutes, and no prior knowledge of this form of prayer is needed.

*The Zoom link for Night Prayer 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 smsp.grads.lead@umich.edu.*



MEN'S DISCERNMENT GROUP

Any adult man over the age of 18 from the Diocese of Lansing who has graduated from high school and desires to join a group of men who are not afraid to talk about priesthood and be open to God's call - whatever it is. Peer support and prayer are the main focus of the group, along with diving into topics surrounding priestly discernment and Catholic identity.

All meetings are centered around a discussion about the chapter of the day from the book *To Save a Thousand Souls*. Books will be mailed to you. The Group meets virtually Saturdays from 11 am-12 noon on March 6, and April 3.

Contact Fr. Whitlock jwhitlock@dioceseoflansing.org.



"Never tire of working for a more just world, marked by greater solidarity."
POPE FRANCIS

IN-PERSON IG.NITE MASS

THURSDAYS | 5:10 PM

Undergrads are invited to attend in-person mass on Thursday. We will also continue to live-stream the mass on our website!

Reservations are required. Please sign-up here:

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

Masks and social distancing are required.

VIRTUAL

INTERNSHIP PROGRAM INFORMATION SESSION

SUN, FEB 28 | 7:00 PM

Looking for an opportunity to serve our parish and grow in your faith? Rising Juniors and Seniors are invited to join us via zoom to learn more about the Internship Program at St. Mary! The information session will include a brief presentation followed by time to meet the current interns and here about their experience serving our parish community.

For more information, please contact Brian Cerabona at bcerabona@smspnewman.org

<https://umich.zoom.us/j/99832630020>

SUNDAY SNACK

Join us in Donnelly Hall for Sunday Snack, an opportunity to gather safely with friends to catch up and do homework together. Sunday Snack will be offered from 6:30-7:45 PM each Sunday evening.

We will have plenty of open tables for you to hang out and lots of yummy snacks to keep you fueled for your studying!

As always, please make sure to wear proper protective gear to the church and stay home if you have been in contact with anyone who has COVID-19.

We look forward to seeing you!



UNDERGRADUATE WOMEN'S RETREAT

FRIDAY EVE-SATURDAY,
FEBRUARY 26-27

Undergraduate Women! Take a break before mid-terms by attending the Undergraduate Women's Retreat, "Authentically

Called As Daughters of Christ," on February 26-27. The retreat will be offered both in-person and virtually. The retreat begins on Friday evening, February 26 from 6:30 pm-9:00 pm, and continues on Saturday, February 27, from 10:00 am-4:00 pm. It will be held at St. Mary, with students returning home on Friday night and returning Saturday morning.

Space is limited. Register <https://forms.gle/yizDPA15zZX7QnAj7>.

Virtual attendees will receive the Zoom link prior to the retreat

Contact Felicia fehinoj@umich.edu with any questions.

BLANKETS FOR MERCY HOUSE

SUN, FEB 28 | 6:30-7:30PM

Undergrads are invited to join us in Newman Hall immediately after the 5:00 pm Mass to help make blankets for Mercy House. Mercy House is a Catholic Worker House in Ann Arbor that serves meals to those experiencing homelessness in our community. Because of COVID19, Mercy House activities have moved outdoors and blankets will help keep them warm! This is great way to respond to the needs in our community. This event will be masked and social distant.

Please make sure to invite undergrads immediately after the 5:00pm mass to come and make blankets!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS-MARCH 21

STUDENT INTERN MASS | 5:00-6:00 PM

Come to this student intern-led mass as we pray with our interns for courage and strength as they share their Sacred Stories with our parish community after mass.

SACRED STORIES | 6:30-8:00 PM

Join us virtually on zoom to listen to our current student interns as they share their faith story with our parish. They will share with us about how they have seen the life of Jesus reflected in their own life. It is the life of Christ that links all of our lives together as the Body of Christ. Be ready to be moved by their stories of transformation and filled with hope!

<https://umich.zoom.us/j/98477877340>

St. Mary Student Parish

MASS INTENTIONS: FEBRUARY 20-27

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20

5:00 PM Mass for

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21

9:00 AM Mass for +Recently deceased Adrian Dominican Sisters

10:10 AM Mass for

2:00 PM Mass for Hernandez Family

5:00 PM Mass for People of the Parish

8:00 PM Mass for

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22

5:10 PM Mass for +Paul Trapani

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23

5:10 PM Mass for Jose Antonio Hernandez

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24

5:10 PM Mass for

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25

5:10 PM Mass for Waas Family

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26

12:10 PM Mass for Christopher Barnes

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27

5:00 PM Mass for +Edward H. Vuylsteke



IN-PERSON EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

TUESDAYS | 6:00 PM

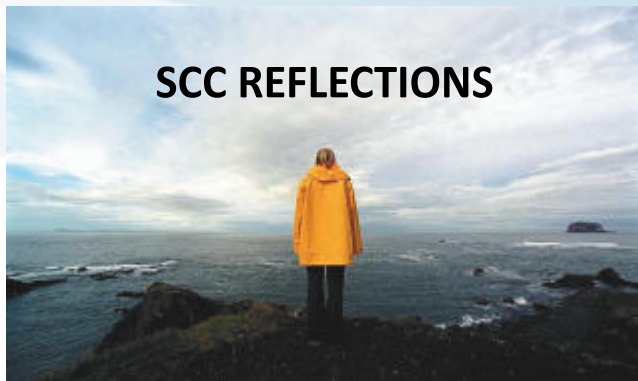
We are offering Eucharistic Adoration in the Church from 6-8pm on Tuesday evenings.

We need one student and one parishioner for each half hour to be an adorer.

If you would like to sign-up to be an adorer, please click this link: <http://bit.ly/SMSPadoration>

Masks and social distancing are required.

SCC REFLECTIONS



Letting Go

The Spirit drove Jesus out into the desert, and he remained in the desert for forty days, tempted by Satan. He was among wild beasts, and the angels ministered to him. Mark 1: 12-13

Jesus showed us the importance of retreating for prayer, fasting and getting in touch with the Father. It's no wonder that the Church, at the start of every Lenten season, provides this story of Jesus being strengthened in the desert (the opposite of worldly clutter). We too, can let go of the things that keep us from God, and we can trust that the angels will minister to us – there will always be heavenly assistance as we face our demons and temptations.

Here's another thought from Fr. Richard Rohr, on what he calls the "Spirituality of Subtraction:"

Letting go is not in anybody's program for happiness, and yet all mature spirituality, in one sense or another, is about letting go and unlearning. You can take that as an absolute. As German mystic-philosopher Meister Eckhart said, the spiritual life has much more to do with subtraction than it does with addition. (From *Breathing Under Water, Spirituality and the Twelve Steps*, Franciscan Media)

What can I let go of this Lent to make more space for God?

To see more reflections on the Sunday readings, you can access the study materials used by our Small Church Communities for Lent. Visit our parish website at <https://www.stmarystudentparish.org/parish-life/scc/>

St. Mary Student Parish & Financial Update

VIRTUAL INTO THE LIGHT

SATURDAYS DURING LENT | 9:00-10:30 AM

Into the Light is a fellowship group that has been meeting on Saturday mornings during Advent and Lent since the 1970's. Ours is a prayer service using Sunday's prayers & readings. We then break fast with a potluck, and round-the-table we each share brief reflections of what stood out in the readings. We share our spiritual & life journeys towards the celebration of Easter through prayer, the Eucharist, and companionship. All are welcome. We have adapted for the pandemic and virtual meetings.

We will meet this Lent at 9:00AM via Zoom on the following Saturdays: February 20, February 27, March 6, March 13, March 20, and March 27.

To receive the Zoom link, please contact Rainey Lamey at rlamey@umich.edu.

VIRTUAL WOMEN OF THE HEART

"WOMEN - BEARERS OF HOPE"

THURS, MAR 11 | 10:15 AM

Women of every age are invited to connect, be inspired, and celebrate our faith with one another. Using a virtual format, we will gather the second Thursday of each month, from September through May, from 10:15 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

Given the state of our world at this time, and also because we had to abruptly bring last spring's program to a halt because of Covid-19, we will return to last year's theme entitled, "Continuing the Journey in Hope."

We will devote the winter/spring semester to exploring the theme: "Women - Bearers of Hope," using Sister Barbara Reid's book, "Wisdom's Feast: An Invitation to Feminist Interpretation of the Scriptures." Sister Carol Johannes, O.P. and Nancy Bordley will be facilitating these gatherings.

Come and join us for what promises to be a rich and rewarding experience. We will be gathering via Zoom on the following dates: March 11, April 8, and May 13. Please feel free to join us for as many sessions as your schedule allows. Please direct any questions to Julie Mussio at jmussio@smspnewman.org. Julie will be coordinating the Zoom gatherings so please forward to her your email address if you are new to Women of the Heart or have an updated email address.

INFANT BAPTISM AT SMSP

Those wishing to have their children baptized at St. Mary Student Parish should be registered members here for at least three months and active, contributing members of the parish. To arrange a baptism and to begin the preparation, please contact the parish office.

Currently, baptisms are held privately due to Covid.

If you are able, we ask that you pick up a baptism preparation packet from the Parish Office at least one week prior to the class. The packet contains articles and discussion questions for parents and godparents.

The class is required to be taken only once. It does not need to be repeated for additional children.



REST IN PEACE FR. CHARLIE

Father Charles E. Irvin, age 88, of DeWitt, passed into eternal life on Feb. 11, 2021. He spent 11 years as the pastor of St. Mary Student Parish where he was a driving force in campus ministry. He was a perfect choice as pastor since he was a dyed-in-the-wool Wolverine.

For more information on Fr Charlie's amazing life, click here for his obituary

<https://tinyurl.com/z2mopyy6>

Fiscal Year 2020/2021	
Year-to-Date Sunday Offering Report as of 02/14/2021	
Sunday Offerings Budget Goal	\$969,000
Year-to-Date (YTD) Goal	\$621,000
Amount Collected YTD	\$641,195
Above (Below) YTD Goal	\$20,195
Sunday Offering Report as of 02/7/2021	
February Sunday Offerings Weekly Budget Goal	\$18,500
Sunday 02/7/2021 (Week 32)	\$21,006
Above (Below) Weekly Goal	\$2,506

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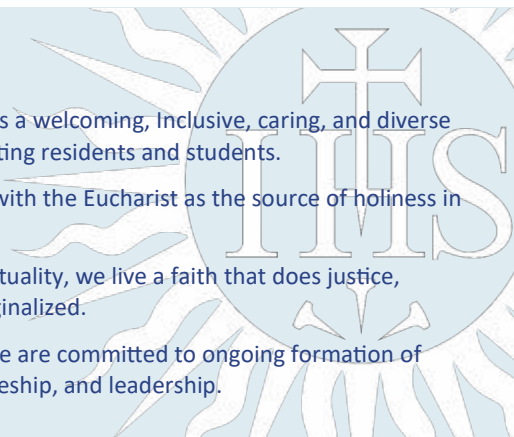
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Sunday Readings

FEBRUARY 21

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

Reading I	Gen	9:8-15
Psalms	Ps	25
Reading II	1 Pet	3:18-22
Gospel	Mark	1:12-15

God's covenant with Noah when he was delivered from the flood. The water of the flood prefigured baptism, which saves you now. Jesus was tempted by Satan, and the angels ministered to him.

FEBRUARY 28

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

Reading I	Gen	22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18
Psalms	Ps	116:10, 15-19
Reading II	Rom	8:31b-34
Gospel	Mark	9:2-10

Abraham offers the ultimate sacrifice of thanksgiving, the gift of his very son. This sacrifice prefigures the sacrifice of Jesus who dies for all. In his transfiguration, Jesus discloses a suffering messiahship.

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