



St. Mary Student Parish

Catholic Campus Ministry at the University of Michigan

331 Thompson Street
Ann Arbor, MI 48104
734-663-0557

Mass Schedule

Sunday Mass

8:30 AM
10:00 AM
12:00 Noon
2:00 PM (Spanish)
5:00 PM
9:00 PM

Daily Mass

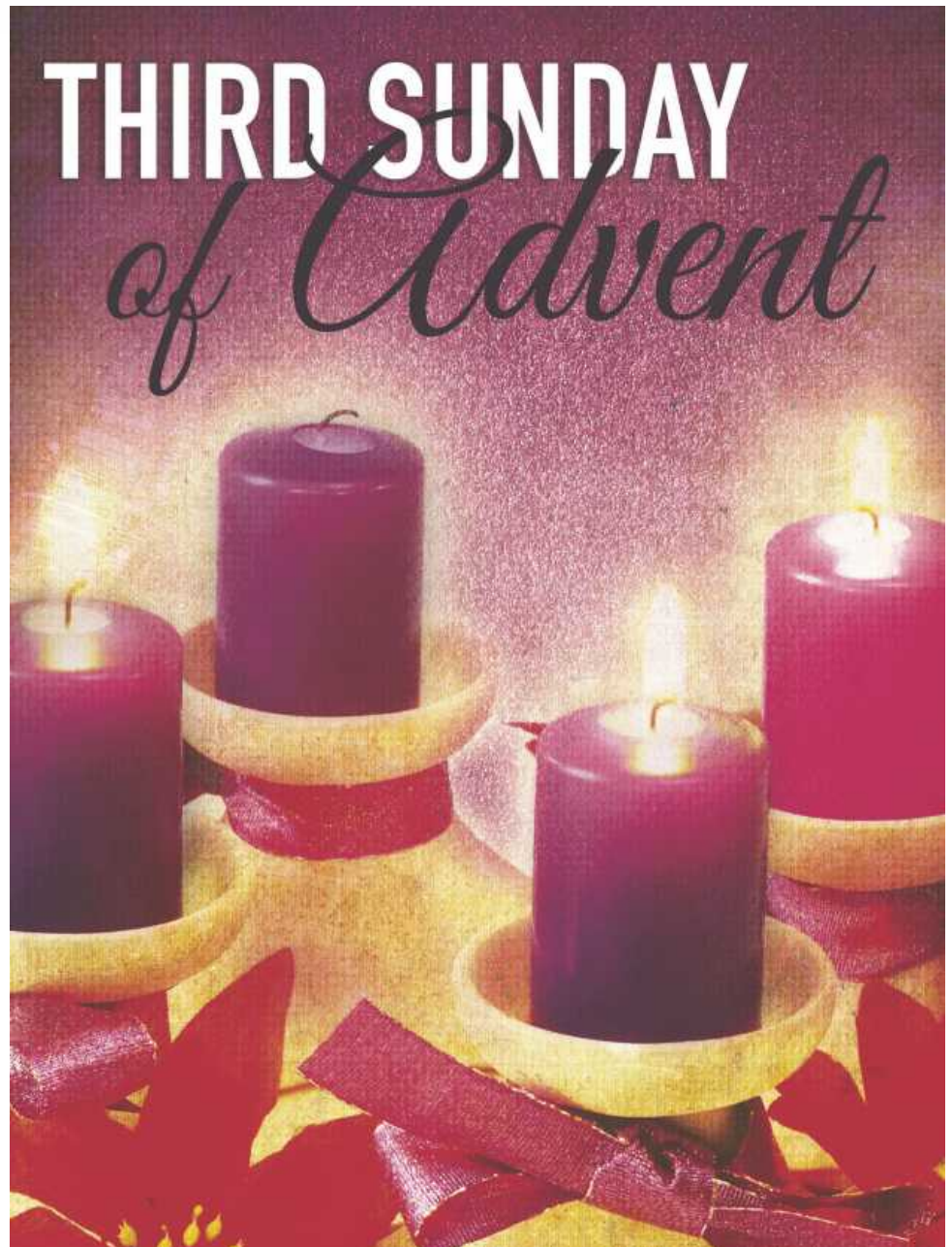
Mon-Thurs 5:10 PM
Tue Rosary after Mass
Wed Adoration 6-10 PM
Fri 12:10 PM

Office Hours

Sun 8:00 AM-9:00 PM
Mon 9:00 AM-9:00 PM
Tue 9:00 AM-9:00 PM
Wed 9:00 AM-9:00 PM
Thurs 9:00 AM-9:00 PM
Fri 9:00 AM-5:00 PM
Sat 12:00 PM-3:00 PM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Wednesday after the
5:10 PM Mass
Sunday at 7:30 PM
or by appointment



Peregrinar al Tepeyac

By Akemi Tsutsumi, Junior at U-M

Pronto volverá a ser 12 de diciembre, día de la Santísima Virgen de Guadalupe y como todos los años, más de 7 millones de peregrinos se preparan para visitarla en el cerro del Tepeyac. Pensar en las peregrinaciones me trae hermosos recuerdos de mi infancia; cuando anualmente junto con el R.P. Xavier Escalada S.J. y la Comunidad Católica Japonesa de México, mi familia y yo peregrinábamos entre cantos y oraciones a la Basílica de Guadalupe para honrar y venerar a la Virgen Morena y agradecerle los favores recibidos.

El peregrinar de los mexicanos a la Insigne Basílica de Guadalupe refleja la profundidad espiritual y el inmenso amor que México y muchos países de Latinoamérica profesan por la Virgen Morena. Ella es la Santa Patrona de México, la cual acompaña a sus hijos en sus labores diarias; a los obreros en las fábricas, a los estudiantes en sus labores escolares, y a los comerciantes en sus ventas diarias. Por tal motivo, para agradecer su profundo amor, los mexicanos caminan por horas o días hasta llegar a la Villa de Guadalupe para rendirle homenaje en el día considerado como su cumpleaños.

El 9 de diciembre de 1531, Juan Diego, un humilde y sencillo hombre caminaba a los pies del cerro del Tepeyac cuando escuchó en la cumbre el canto de muchos pájaros. Cuando el cantar de los pájaros se detuvo pudo oír una cálida voz que lo llamaba diciendo "Juanito, Juan Dieguito". Inmediatamente, se dirigió a la punta del cerro y para su asombro se encontró con la Virgen María, quien le pidió que erigieran ahí un templo en el cual pudiera mostrar y dar todo su amor, comprensión, auxilio y defensa a él y a todos sus hijos que la invocaran y confiaran en ella. Juan Diego siguió el mandato de la Virgen, pero la profunda incredulidad de las autoridades eclesíásticas obligó a Juan Diego a pedirle a la Virgen que diera una prueba para ellos. Fue así como el 12 de Diciembre del mismo año la Virgen María ordenó a Juan Diego cortar unas rosas del rosal que se encontraba en lo más alto del cerro y las llevara de su parte a Monseñor Zumárraga. Juan Diego sabía perfectamente que en ese cerrito no se daba ninguna clase de flores y mucho menos durante el invierno, pero se apresuró a la punta del monte. Para su sorpresa encontró un jardín florido, cortó las rosas, las colocó en su ayate y bajo a enseñárselas a la Virgen, quien las tomó en sus manos y las puso nuevamente en el ayate y lo mandó a ver al obispo. Al llegar ahí, Juan Diego extendió su manto, cayeron las rosas y apareció en la tilma la imagen de la Virgen Madre de Dios, misma que se conserva y se adora en la Basílica de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe.

Desde entonces, Guadalupanos de todas las naciones peregrinamos al Tepeyac para dar testimonio de nuestra fe, al mismo tiempo que agradecemos a la Virgen Morena por su inmensa gloria y por la ayuda y bendiciones recibidas; pidiendo fervientemente nos proteja e interceda por nosotros ante Dios nuestro señor.

Si algún día tienen la oportunidad de viajar a México, no duden en visitar a la Virgen en la Basílica de Guadalupe, yo les aseguro, que la alegría y amor que experimentarán al postrarse ante ella quedará grabado en su corazón como quedó grabado en el mío para siempre.

Our Lady of Guadalupe

By Akemi Tsutsumi, Junior at U-M

Soon it will be December 12th, day of the Blessed Virgin of Guadalupe, and like every year, more than 7 million pilgrims prepare to visit her in the hill of Tepeyac. Thinking about pilgrimages brings me beautiful memories of my childhood; when, together with the Fr. Xavier Escalada S.J. and the Japanese Catholic Community of Mexico, my family and I traveled, surrounded by songs and prayers, to the Basilica of Guadalupe to honor, venerate, and thank the 'Virgin Morena' for all the favors we had received.

The pilgrimage of Mexicans to the Basilica of Guadalupe reflects the spiritual depth and the immense love that Mexico and many countries of Latin America profess for the 'Virgin Morena'. She is the Patron Saint of Mexico, who accompanies all her children in their daily work. For this reason, and to thank her for her love, Mexicans walk for hours or days until they reach the Villa de Guadalupe on the day considered to be her birthday.

On December 9, 1531, a humble man named Juan Diego, was walking by the hill of Tepeyac when he heard many birds singing on the summit of the hill. When the birds' song stopped, he heard a warm voice calling him "Juanito, Juan Dieguito." Immediately, he went to the top of the hill and to his astonishment he found the Virgin Mary, who asked him to construct a temple in which she could show and give all her love, understanding, help and defense to him and all her children, who invoke and trust in her. Juan Diego followed the Virgin's command, but the disbelief of the ecclesiastical authorities forced Juan Diego to ask the Virgin to give him a proof of her request. Therefore, on December 12th of that same year, the Virgin Mary ordered Juan Diego to cut some roses from the rose bush that was on top of the hill and take them to Monsignor Zumárraga. Juan Diego knew perfectly well that on that hill there were no flowers, especially during winter, but he hurried to the top of the mountain. To his surprise he found a garden full of roses so he cut the roses, placed them in his bag, and showed them to the Virgin, who took them in her hands, put them back in Juan Diego's bag and sent him to see the bishop. Upon arriving there, Juan Diego spread his mantle, and when the roses fell, the image of the Virgin appeared. This image is still preserved and worshiped in the Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

Since then, Guadalupanos of all nations have been making pilgrimages to Tepeyac to show our faith, and at the same time thank the Blessed Virgin for her immense glory and for the help and blessings she has given us. We also ask her to protect and intercede for us before God our Lord.

If one day you have the opportunity to travel to Mexico, do not hesitate to visit the Virgin in the Basilica of Guadalupe. I assure you that the joy and love that you will experience when you kneel before her will be engraved on your heart, as it has been engraved on mine.



GRAD/YP GROUP



Holiday Party

Monday, Dec 12 at 7:00pm

Join other grad students and young professionals at Arbor Brewing Company as we end the semester with an evening of food, drinks, and conversation in the spirit of the holidays.

For more information about the Grad/YP group or to be added to our email list, contact the Grad/YP lead team smsp.grads.lead@umich.edu or Fr. Joe at jwagner@smspnewman.org

Part-Time Math Teacher

St. Francis of Assisi Catholic School in Ann Arbor seeks a Part-Time Math Teacher effective immediately. Must have the required teaching certification for the state of Michigan. Must be a practicing Catholic in full communion with the Church. Must have a strong working knowledge of the Faith. Must pass a criminal background check and complete the Protecting God's Children program. If interested, please send a resume and cover letter to the principal, Julie Pritzel at jpitzel@stfrancisaa.org

December Grad Gifts

We will be handing out gifts for graduating seniors after all the masses on Dec 11 in the Upper Atrium

UNDERGRADS

Looking for a place to study for finals? We've got you covered!



Student Study Days

Sunday 12/11—Tuesday 12/20

Sunday-Thursday, 9 am-Midnight

Friday & Saturday, 9 am-9 pm

We will be open late for students to study for finals in the Loyola Room, Newman Lounge and Rectory Lounge. Snacks and beverages will be provided, as well as a quiet place to pray in the church during study breaks.



Thursdays @ 5:10pm

Our undergraduate-led ministry draws its inspiration from Ignatius with a dual purpose: to welcome students into the parish, bringing them together as an undergraduate community through Celebration of Mass, the sharing of a meal, and allowing them to engage with faith as it interacts in their everyday lives as college students. We meet every Thursday of the academic year (except holidays).

Contact Jenny jljne@smspnewman.org

VOCATIONS NIGHT

IT'S MORE THAN A HABIT. IT'S A CALLING.



TUESDAY DEC 13TH FROM 8-9:30 PM

IF YOU'VE EVER BEEN CURIOUS ABOUT THE DIFFERENT RELIGIOUS VOCATIONS WITHIN THE CATHOLIC FAITH, COME JOIN US ON A TUESDAY AT THE BEGINNING OF EACH MONTH AT 8:00 PM TO HEAR A VOCATION STORY FROM SOMEONE LIVING OUT HIS/HER RELIGIOUS VOCATION. COME HEAR HOW GOD WORKED IN EACH OF OUR SPEAKERS' LIVES TO ULTIMATELY GUIDE THEM TO THEIR VOCATION, WHETHER IT BE PRIESTHOOD, SISTERHOOD, MARRIAGE, CONSECRATED VIRGINITY, CONSECRATED SECULAR LIVING, ETC. ALL YOU NEED TO BRING IS YOURSELF AND OPEN EARS AND HEART.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT ELISE HUBER (EHUBER@SMSPPNEWMAN.ORG) OR ABBIE SCHESKE (ABSCHESK@UMICH.EDU).



Parish Bible Study

Mondays at 7:00 pm

Our Catholic faith teaches that God is alive in the Scriptures. Come discover the Word with us. We practice scripture-based faith sharing in a small discussion group. Discussions are guided by church-approved commentaries, question guides, and the Catechism of the Catholic Church. We meet Mondays at 7 pm.

Contact *Kathy Ann Moilanen* 734.668.7437

Born for Joy

Mondays at 7 pm

A 12-step recovery group for men (ages 18+), who struggle with sexual acting out/pornography and are sincerely looking for hope and help in a community of fellow strugglers. Structured discussions are led by an experienced leader, offering times for listening and sharing. Discern, discover, and understand your struggles. Find God already helping you, and recover your joy. Primarily for students and young men. (Other men welcome as well.) Not for the curious, researchers, reporters. Please be courteous and stay away. Visit www.saa-recovery.org or contact Fr. Ben for more information.



OUTREACH

1st & 3rd Tuesday of the Month from 7-8:30

LGBT Outreach Ministry is a group sponsored by St. Mary Student Parish and meets monthly on the first and third Tuesday of the month. Meetings are private and confidential. As a diverse community of believers, we respect each person as a unique reflection of God's presence in our midst. We commit ourselves to being a community of care, support, formation, reconciliation, and witness to justice with and among gay and lesbian persons, their parents, family members, and friends.

We teach that all love comes from God and focus on helping people reconcile their faith with their orientation. We provide a safe space for discussion, healing, and prayer. Together we reflect on Scripture and listen to the lived experience of lesbian and gay persons and their allies. For more information, contact Mark at markthies@yahoo.com.



Historical Context of the Gospels

Sunday, Dec. 11 from 3:30-5 PM

Come explore the historical context of the Gospels and how events of the time affected the writers. All high school youth are welcome in the Loyola Room at 3:30pm on Sunday December 11th.

Contact Adam perryada@umich.edu



Gifts are due by December 18



The Children's Christmas Play lets our children tell the Biblical story of Christmas to the parishioners of St. Mary's with drama and song. St. Mary's will have our traditional Christmas Pageant at 3:00pm on Christmas Eve before the 3:30pm Family Mass. All children are welcome to participate as actors (ages 3-9), readers (ages 7-17), or singers (any age).

Rehearsal is 9am-noon on Saturday December 17, you must attend the rehearsal to participate. More information on the rehearsal will be emailed to you after the sign-up has closed.

To sign up please use this web address: [St Mary's Childrens Christmas Eve Pageant Sign Up](#)

If you have **any** problems **with the sign-up**, please contact Diane Mukkala at 810-964-4551 or dbmukkala@gmail.com

If you have general questions about the pageant please email Tish at pvl@umich.edu or call 734-994-6603.

Deadline to sign up is December 12th.

Area Daytime Warming Center Information

MONDAY-FRIDAY: *at the various locations below*

- ✠ **December 1-16**—Journey of Faith Church, 1900 Manchester Rd, Ann Arbor, MI 48104 (Stadium and Washtenaw) M-F 8am-4:30pm
- ✠ **December 19-30**—Trinity Lutheran Church, 1400 W Stadium Blvd, Ann Arbor, MI 48103 M-F 8am-5pm
- ✠ **January 2-31**—St. Mary Student Parish, 331 Thompson St, Ann Arbor, MI 48104 M-F 8am-4pm
- ✠ February 1-28 (note different locations depending on day)
 - * First Baptist: Tuesday and Thursday
517 E Washington St, Ann Arbor, MI 48104
 - * First Congregational: Monday, Wednesday, Friday
608 E William St, Ann Arbor, MI 48104
- ✠ March 1-31—Lord of Light Lutheran
801 S Forest Ave, Ann Arbor, MI 48104

SATURDAY & SUNDAY: 8AM-7PM (LUNCH AT 3PM) at the Robert J. Delonis Center: 312 W Huron St, Ann Arbor 48103



January Daytime Warming Center

MONDAY-FRIDAY 8AM-4PM JANUARY 2-31

During the month of January in Newman Hall, our parish community provides a welcoming, safe, and warm environment where people experiencing homelessness can find companionship, compassion, kindness, and respect. It creates the culture of encounter and inclusion that we need.

We provide food, coffee, a warm place of rest, the opportunity for conversation, and the building of relationships. Solidarity and mutual giving are the values that guide this ministry.

Volunteers Needed... Link to sign-up: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0449a5a728a7f49-january1>

Questions, please contact Bill Alt at walt@smspnewman.org

The Advent Wreath

*An explanation of the wreath
created by Fr. John Ferone, S.J.*

WEEK ONE: THE TOP QUADRANT: PURPLE

The week of the covenant, of promise and blessing.

The week of Abraham, our father, who began the journey, the pilgrimage of faith, He awaits the fulfillment of the promises, that all nations will find blessing in him, that all nations shall stream toward the mountain of God.

Symbolic plant: the wandering Jew

WEEK TWO: THE RIGHT QUADRANT: PURPLE

The week of the desert.

The week of John the Baptist, who proclaims that the Good News begins in the desert, the place of solitude, of silence. It is in the desert where one grows in longing and thirsting for the streams of living water.

It is in the desert where one waits and prepares a place for the Word of God who himself longs and thirsts to become flesh and dwell in us, who longs and thirsts to baptize us in the Holy Spirit setting our hearts on fire.

Symbolic plants: cacti, healing eucalyptus

WEEK THREE: THE BOTTOM QUADRANT: ROSE

The week of the desert that blooms with new life.

The week of Isaiah, the prophet of comfort and consolation, the quadrant of joy where the glory and splendor of God breaks forth in new creation.

It is the quadrant of hope where we are called to be patient and to place our trust in God who clothes the flowers with such splendor.

Symbolic plants: flowers of rose in bloom

WEEK FOUR: THE LEFT QUADRANT: PURPLE

The week of fulfillment, of visitation, of promises fulfilled.

The week of the Virgin who brings forth Emmanuel: God with us.

The quadrant of sign, of sacrament, of incarnation, of where God takes a human face in Jesus, in the humanity, the body of Christ.

Symbolic plants: Lilies- the Virgin Mary, the pomegranate- symbol of the fruitful Church coming into being, eucalyptus- the healing of the nations, the olive branch- the Prince of Peace



St. Mary's Discussion Group

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18

Join us at the December meeting of the St. Mary's Discussion Group on December 18 in Donnelly Hall. We will gather at 2:45 for cookies and conversation and plan to begin the meeting at 3pm. We will be meeting with Paige Graham, the new music coordinator for St. Mary's until 4pm. Then we hope to sing Christmas carols around the piano while continuing to enjoy the refreshments. We hope to see you there!

*For more information, contact Sherry Warden at
sswarden@umich.edu.*

Baptism Class 12/19 at 7:00 PM

YOU NEED ONLY TO ATTEND ONE CLASS

We offer an infant baptism class in both English and Spanish once a month on a Monday night from 7-8 PM. Information packets are available in the Parish Office and should be picked up at least a week prior to the class date.

Contact Carol for more information at ckonczal@umich.edu

Christmas Stocking Stuffers!

We have some SMSP items available in the parish office for purchase. They will make great Christmas gifts.

Ig.nite Cookbooks for \$20 and Michigan Catholics t-shirts for \$10.



Centering Prayer

Mondays at 6:30 pm

Centering Prayer is a silent practice of prayer that rests on the faith that Christ is present within by his Holy Spirit. It is an excellent preparation for contemplative prayer, which is a grace or gift bestowed by God. Centering Prayer is an intentional openness to, or practice of "waiting" on God, encouraging the building of a more intimate relationship with Jesus and the movement of the Holy Spirit. It is rooted in centuries-old monastic prayer. The book, *Open Mind, Open Heart* by Father Thomas Keating, OCSO, is a good introduction. The first Monday of each month we listen to an introduction to centering prayer and then pray for 20 minutes. Otherwise, we typically sit and pray for two 20-minute sessions with a short meditative walk in between. All are welcome.

Contact Serena serena68@comcast.net

Advent Penance Services

All services start at 7:00 PM

You are invited to participate in the Sacrament of Reconciliation as we prepare for the coming of our Savior at Christmas.

Monday, December 12	St. Thomas the Apostle
Tuesday, December 13	St. Mary Student Parish
Wednesday, December 14	Old St. Patrick Church
Thursday, December 15	St. Francis of Assisi

No confessions at St. Mary's on Wednesday, 12/14



Into the Light

Dec 17 @ 7:45 AM

Into the Light is a faith-sharing group that meets each Saturday in Advent at St. Mary's from 7:45-9:30 AM. We share a communion service, a potluck breakfast, and reflections on the Sunday readings. Students have been known to come this early, too.



FEED THE A2 HOMELESS

Sundays @ 5:00PM

St Mary's Social Justice Ministry is seeking volunteers to help feed the homeless in Ann Arbor. We are committed to providing a Sunday meal quarterly for the former Camp Take Notice (CTN) residents that meet weekly at Mercy House for dinner.

Meal format is set and sign-up is done electronically.

Meal opportunities are scheduled for 12/18/16, and 2/26/17.

How to Volunteer:

1. Provide a specific food donation such as an entree or dessert
2. Provide staple donations such as napkins, water bottles, etc.
3. Provide Monetary support for the purchase of needed items
4. Provide transportation and/or serve food on the given day
5. Provide help in coordination of the donations

www.SignUpGenius.com/go/60B0A4CA8AE2E5-sunday2

Please contact Erin at 5Telemaco@comcast.net

Delonis Center Community Meal

SIGN UP ONLINE

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0449a5a728a7f49-stmary1>

Contact Bill at walt@smspnewman.org

Christmas Mass Schedule

Christmas Eve Mass 12/24

3:00 PM Children's Pageant & Mass

5:30 PM Mass

7:00 PM Mass

11:30 PM Lessons and Carols

12:00 PM Midnight Mass

Christmas Mass 12/25

10:00 AM Mass

12:00 PM Mass

2:00 PM Spanish Mass



“See that you also excel
in this grace of giving.”

HELP US REACH OUR GOAL!

Grand total
as of October 18 is

\$63,498.28

which is approximately

86.3 % of our goal

WE STILL NEED \$9,969.72!

Thank you to everyone who has shared the many blessings they have received, with your generous gift to our Diocesan Services Appeal. Our gifts to DSA will support adoption services, counseling services, services for the aging and the blind and sight impaired... programs for those who are deaf and hard of hearing... programs for those who are struggling in their marriage - as well as exciting programs like our Diocesan Youth Leadership Camp, training teens in our diocese to serve as Disciples of Christ. These are but a few of the more than 100 ministries in our diocese that are made possible by our contributions to DSA.

If you have not yet made a gift or a pledge, I invite you to join the faithful of our parish community who have taken an active role in the mission of the Church. Your gift to our Diocesan Services Appeal will enable our diocese to continue providing the vital services and ministries that help bring the love of God to those who face hardships.

If you are still prayerfully discerning your 2016 DSA gift, we invite you to make your gift over the next few weeks by giving online at stmarystudentparish.org/give or by simply dropping off a check with 2016 DSA noted in the memo. We need your help to reach our goal. Thank you for your unwavering support of our parish and diocese.

Called and Gifted Workshop

God is calling you to a unique purpose in life, a work of love that only you can do. The **Called and Gifted Workshop** will teach participants about the charisms given to you by the Holy Spirit at Baptism and start you on a process of lifelong discernment.

The 10 hour workshop is offered on Friday evening (7:00 pm – 9:30 pm) and Saturday (8:00 am – 4:00 pm) at the following locations:

January 13-14 – Most Holy Trinity, Fowler

January 20-21 - St John the Evangelist, Fenton

January 27-28 – Immaculate Heart of Mary, Lansing

February 3-4 - St John the Evangelist, Jackson

February 10-11 - St Thomas the Apostle, Ann Arbor

See <http://www.dioceseoflansing.org/evangelization-lay-formation> for specific details and for more information.

Grief Support Workshop

Grieving with Great HOPE is a weekend grief support workshop that offers a prayerful, practical and personal approach for anyone who is mourning the loss of a loved one. If you have lost a spouse, a child (including pregnancy loss), a grandchild, a parent, another family member or a friend, you are encouraged to attend. Presenters will include, Fr. James Conlon, as well John and Sandy O'Shaughnessy from Good Mourning Ministry, a Catholic bereavement organization.

January 13, 7-9:00pm (church) and January 14, 10-4pm (Activity Center)

at St. Francis of Assisi, 2250 East Stadium Blvd, Ann Arbor

With support from Nie Family Funeral Homes

Seating is limited. Registration is \$20.

Contact Kelly Hernandez at 734-821-2122 for registration information or visit www.goodmourningministry.net.

Weekly Offering Report as of December 4, 2016

Weekly Budget Goal \$19,400.00

Sunday 12/04/2016 (Week 23) \$26,832.12

Above (Below) Weekly Goal \$7,432.12

Special and Holy Day Collections:

Christmas Flowers \$1,233.45

Annual Budget Goal \$1,000,000.00

Fiscal Year-to-Date Goal \$431,600.00

Amount Collected YTD \$415,945.12

Above (**Below**) YTD Goal (\$15,654.88)

MEETINGS & EVENTS: DEC 11-17

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11 – Third Sunday in Advent

1,000 Cranes for Iraq	8:30 AM	Atrium
Student Study Days	9:00 AM	Newman Lounge+
Children's Liturgy	10:15 AM	Newman Hall+
Catechesis/ Good Shepherd	11:00 AM	Rectory Lounge
ESL	12:45 PM	Newman Hall
Spanish Choir Practice	1:00 PM	Music Room
Hispanic Children's Liturgy	2:00 PM	Donnelly Hall
Hispanic Sacramental Prep	3:15 PM	Most Rooms
Confirmation Class	3:15 PM	Donnelly Hall
Youth Group	3:30 PM	Loyola Room
Ig.nite Lead Team	6:00 PM	Newman Room
Special Events Lead Team	6:30 PM	Rectory Lounge
Intern Alums	7:00 PM	Rectory Dining & Lounge
Reconciliation	7:30 PM	Church

MONDAY, DECEMBER 12

Student Study Days	9:00 AM	Newman Lounge+
Centering Prayer	6:30 PM	Richard Room
Bible Study	7:00 PM	Newman Room
SOUL FOOD	7:00 PM	Off-site
Born for Joy	7:00 PM	Monteith Room
Our Lady of Guadalupe Mass	7:00 PM	Church
Reception after Mass	8:00 PM	Newman Hall

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 13

Student Study Days	9:00 AM	Newman Lounge+
SCC– RCIA	4:30 PM	Rectory Lounge
Pray the Rosary	5:45 PM	Church
Catechist Dinner	6:00 PM	Newman Hall
Advent Penance Service	7:00 PM	Church
Vocations Night	8:00 PM	Donnelly Hall
SCC– RESTORE	8:30 PM	Rectory Lounge

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14

Student Study Days	9:00 AM	Newman Lounge+
SCC– Advent	9:15 AM	Rectory Lounge
Eucharistic Adoration	6:00 PM	Church
Outreach Team Meeting	7:00 PM	Rectory Lounge

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15

Student Study Days	9:00 AM	Newman Lounge+
Ig.nite "Grab & Go"	5:10 PM	Church & Newman Hall
Student Study Movie Break	6:15 PM	Loyola Room
SCC- Restore	7:30 PM	Rectory Lounge
Choir Rehearsal	7:30 PM	Church

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16

Student Study Days	9:00 AM	Newman Lounge+
Student Study Movie Break	3:00 PM	Loyola Room

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17

Into the Light	7:45 AM	Newman Hall
Christmas Play Rehearsal	9:00 AM	Newman Hall & Church
Student Study Days	9:00 AM	Newman Lounge+
Student Study Movie Break	7:00 PM	Loyola Room

MASS INTENTIONS: DEC 11-18

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11 – Third Sunday of Advent

8:30 AM	Mass for	People of the Parish
10:00 AM	Mass for	+ Victoriano and + Anita Go
12:00 PM	Mass for	Carlos and Clara Quintanilla
2:00 PM	Mass for	+ Tony Porras
5:00 PM	Mass for	+ Frank Colombano
9:00 PM	Mass for	+Hannah Powers-Bailey

MONDAY, DECEMBER 12

5:10 PM	Mass for	Alicia Patterson
7:00 PM	Mass for	+ Vicente Castillo

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 13

5:10 PM	Mass for	+Victor Meyer
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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14

5:10 PM	Mass for	+Victor Meyer
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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15

5:10 PM	Mass for	Joan & Scott Alexander and Family
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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16

12:10 PM	Mass for	Leslie Esperanza
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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18 – Fourth Sunday of Advent

8:30 AM	Mass for	+Louise Dubritsky
10:00 AM	Mass for	+Becky Hilger
12:00 PM	Mass for	Romulo & Necitas Aquinos
2:00 PM	Mass for	+Jonathan Silvera Batista
5:00 PM	Mass for	+Leo LeBlanc
9:00 PM	Mass for	People of the Parish

Catholic Thinkers Book Club



December 20 from 7-8:30 PM

All members of the parish are invited to meet from 7-8:30pm in the Rectory Lounge to read and discuss the book:

The Life You Save May be Your Own

(second half) by Paul Elie

Next Semester's Reading List:

1. JANUARY 24, *Quarantine* by Jim Crace
2. FEBRUARY 21, *The Lost Apostle: Search for the Truth About Junia* by Rena Pederson
3. MARCH 28, *No Man is an Island* by Thomas Merton
4. APRIL 25, *Walk in a Relaxed Manner: Life Lessons from the Camino* by Joyce Rupp

For more information, please contact
Andy Hoffman at ajhoff@umich.edu or 734.763.9455

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DECEMBER 11 THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Reading I	Isaiah	35:1-6a, 10
Psalms	Psalms	146:6-10
Reading II	James	5:7-10
Gospel	Matthew	11:2-11

In the person of Jesus, God has come to heal and save us. Patiently, yet joyfully, we await the fulfillment of his advent.

DECEMBER 18 FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Reading I	Isaiah	7:10-14
Psalms	Psalms	24: 1-6 (7c, 10b)
Reading II	Romans	1:1-7
Gospel	Matthew	1:18-24

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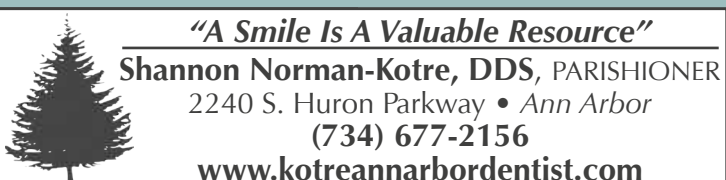
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