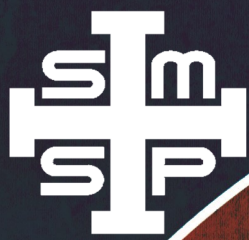
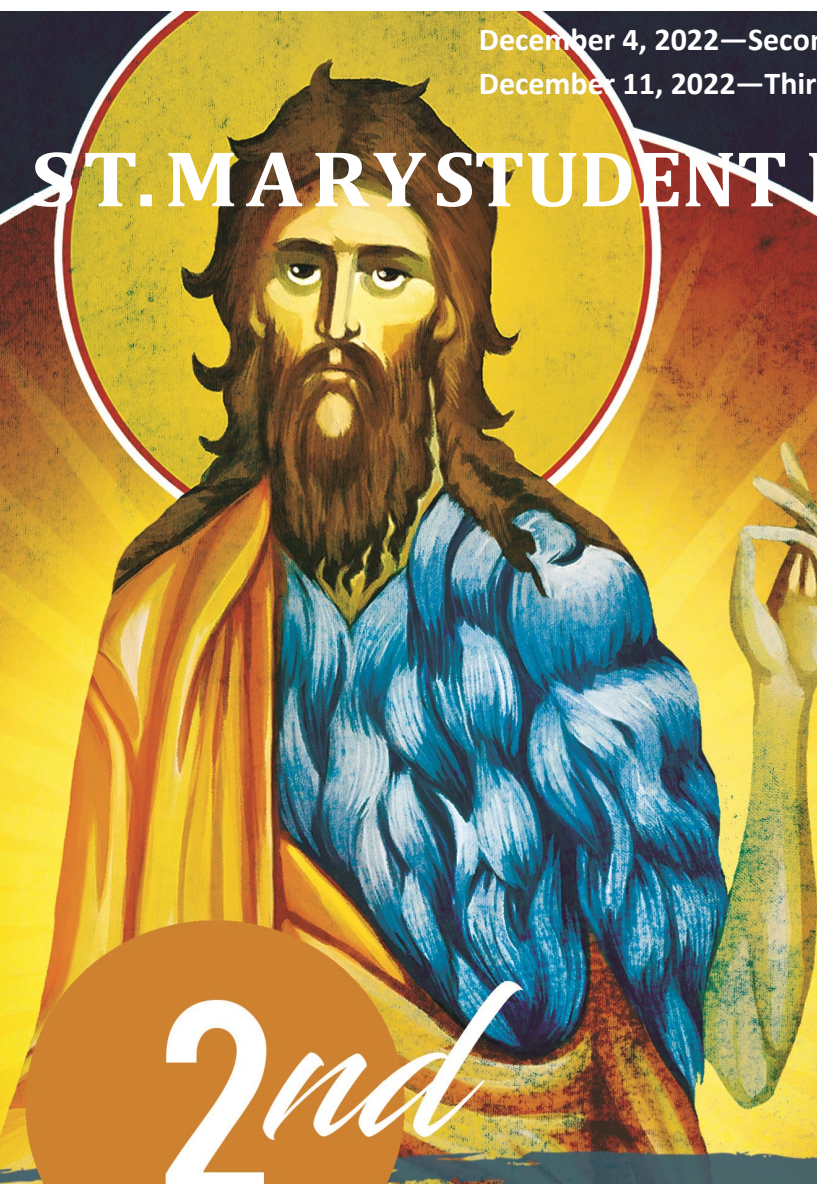


December 4, 2022—Second Sunday of Advent

December 11, 2022—Third Sunday of Advent



ST. MARY STUDENT PARISH



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SUNDAY OF ADVENT

John wore clothing made of camel's hair and had a leather belt around his waist. His food was locusts and wild honey. - Mt 3:4

Juan usaba una túnica de pelo de camello, ceñida con un cinturón de cuero, y se alimentaba de saltamontes y de miel silvestre. - Mt 3, 4

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Parish Insight

DECEMBER 12 : FEAST OF OUR LADY GUADALUPE

BY MARIBEL ROSAS, H/L SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION COORDINATOR

For the Mexican indigenous people, the apparition of the Virgin of Guadalupe that took place in 1531 on the Tepeyac hill, came to be a resurrection. A virgin whose face was that of a young girl barely out of adolescence, who was neither indigenous nor Spanish, but a Mexican mestiza, with brown skin and with whom they managed to identify.

The Virgin on the "tilma", was an open book that they understood perfectly and achieved a joyful impact on the natives who welcomed her. Her symbols helped them establish the link between their beliefs and what Christian doctrine proposed.

Pregnant, the Virgin carries the God of the Universe in her womb. The brown-skinned virgin came to comfort the pain they were suffering, since barely 10 years had passed since the Spanish conquest. For Mexican migrants, especially among those who live in the United States, being Guadalupano means sharing a common trait that gives us identity. Carrying the image of the Virgin of Guadalupe seems to be a sign between us, reminding us "keep going compatriot, we are all in this together, we can make it", and when we feel that we cannot take it anymore, we turn to see her face

that seems to tell us, "do not fear, you are not alone, am I not here and am I not your Mother?"

To emigrate is to transform, it is to leave everything and "La Virgen morena" from El Tepeyac seems to comfort our mournings and bless our pilgrimage with her presence. It is said that she has chosen those who risk everything to go in search of better and safer living conditions, to give them special protection.

491 years have passed, and it is a fact that the image of the Virgin of Guadalupe is one of the strongest symbols of union and identity of the Mexican people who, in addition to uniting us, has transcended all borders.

The Virgin of Guadalupe, in addition to being the "Patroness of Mexico", is also the "Empress of the Americas", where she has a large number of faithful who attribute countless miracles to her. She continues to be one of the greatest symbols of faith in Hispanic-Latino religiosity. For the faithful she is an act of identity and culturally constitutes an axis around which believers and non-believers congregate.

DECEMBER 8: BEING THANKFUL TO MARIE

BY CONSTANCE HESKIA, OFFICE MANAGER & COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR

Each year when we get closer to December 8, I can't stop remembering my years in Lyon and how I can miss this city sometimes. Lyon is the third largest city in France, it's a beautiful city, and every year, on December 8, Marie is celebrated with a Festival of Lights.

A little bit of history: In 1643, the city was struck by plague so people from Lyon turned to Marie and begged her to stop the massacre. They promised her that if she agreed to help, they would honor her with a beautiful present. So, when the plague miraculously vanished, the "Lyonnais" organized a procession between the two biggest churches in Lyon (Cathedrale Saint Jean and Basilique Notre Dame de Fourviere). Originally, the thank-you-Marie festivities were on September 8, but two centuries later Catholics decided to celebrate it the same day as the Immaculate Conception.

The festivities have changed a lot since I was a little girl in France. In those days, every house placed candles along the outsides of all the windows to produce a spectacular effect throughout the

streets. It was magic to walk around and to see all these lights.

Today the same festivities happen but with a major addition, the festivities were prolonged to four days and internationally famous artists create over 50 creations with light, lasers, and projection mapping. The city has become a huge site for expression and creativity. "Merci Marie".



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St. Mary Student Parish



WOMEN OF THE HEART

Women of every age are invited to connect, be inspired, and celebrate our faith with one another. We gather monthly, mainly the 2nd Thursday of each month, from September through May, from 10:15 a.m. to 12:00 noon. Our Theme for this year:

“Affirming and Celebrating Women: Creativity, Gifts, and Charisms.”

Our next meeting is **Thursday, December 8** and you are warmly invited! If you would like to be added to the email list, contact Julie Mussio jmussio@smspnewman.org.

INFANT BAPTISM CLASS AT SMSP

Baptism preparation class is required to be taken for your first child. Upcoming classes are on Monday 6:30-7:30 PM on the following dates: **12/5 and 01/09**. Please pick up a baptism class packet from the Parish Office at least one week prior to the class. You will need to bring this to class. Please contact Carol ckonczal@umich.edu or 734-663-0557 ext. 0 to register for a class.

We also offer the class in Spanish at the same time in a different room. Contact Rosa Luz for more information on Spanish Baptisms rpostigo@smspnewman.org

ASSEMBLY FOR HUMAN DIGNITY

Pope Francis asks us to receive immigrants as our sisters and brothers. Catholics from all over Michigan are gathering in an ASSEMBLY FOR HUMAN DIGNITY in Detroit on **December 9th from 10 AM to 1 PM**.

The assembly is organized by Strangers No Longer (<https://strangersnolonger.org/>) a network of Catholics in Michigan trying to respond effectively to Pope Francis' exhortations to Welcome the Stranger. We will ratify a Platform of Issues (<https://tinyurl.com/yc6kkd8i>) developed in collaboration with immigrant women members of our Circles of Support. We will present this Platform to guests and invited officials from the Michigan Legislature, County Officials and others. Michigan Catholic Conference staff will be present to proclaim the Michigan bishops' support for immigrant-friendly legislation. A fellowship lunch will be provided. There is no cost to attend.

Location: Carpenters and Millwrights Training Center, 11687 American Ave, Detroit 48204, located 4 blocks West of St. Cecelia Parish (now St. Charles Lwanga).

To register: shorturl.at/DRTXZ

To join the carpool from Ann Arbor or for any additional information, please contact Amy Prociuk (amyprociuk@gmail.com) or Fr. Bobby Karle (bkarle@smspnewman.org).

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THE LIFE OF THE MIND:

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FEATURING NATIONALLY KNOWN SPEAKERS AND PROFESSORS

DECEMBER 9, SEMINAR: "GOODNESS" BY DOUG TREVOR
APPLICATION DEADLINE: DECEMBER 2

JANUARY 12, PUBLIC LECTURE: "HEAVEN AS A WAY OF THINKING: DANTE'S PARADISO" BY ALISON CORNISH

FEBRUARY 17, SEMINAR: "DESTRUCTIVE THINKING: ITS HISTORY AND HOW TO AVOID IT" BY HELEN TOMKO

MARCH 17, SEMINAR: "THINKING AFTER THE SUDDEN COLLAPSE OF YOUR CULTURE" BY SCOTT LYONS

APRIL 14, SEMINAR: "VIRTUE AND LAW" BY JENNIFER FREY

ALL SEMINAR APPLICATION DEADLINES ARE THE FRIDAY BEFORE THE SEMINAR DATE

FOR APPLICATION DEADLINES AND TO APPLY GO TO KATERIINSTITUTE.ORG



POTLUCK & FILM

ENCANTO

POTLUCK at 6pm
FILM at 7PM

Friday, December 9
Newman Hall

Sponsored by SMSP
Summer Film Series

All are welcome!

Potluck followed by
Brief Intro to film
Film Viewing
Discussion to follow

Michigan Theater
Popcorn Provided!!



St Mary Student Parish

OFFICE HOURS

Sunday 8:00 AM - 10:00 PM

Monday 9:00 AM - 10:00 PM

Tuesday 9:00 AM - 10:00 PM

Wednesday 9:00 AM - 10:00 PM

Thursday 9:00 AM - 10:00 PM

Friday 9:00 AM - 5:00PM

Saturday 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

MASS TIMES

SATURDAY VIGIL

5:00 PM

SUNDAY MASSES

8:30 AM

10:00 AM

**(FOLLOWING THE PROTOCOLS OF THE U-M,
MASKS ARE OPTIONAL)**

Watch live or anytime after the mass

<https://www.stmarystudentparish.org/category/live-mass/>

Noon

2:00 PM (Spanish)

Watch live or anytime after the mass

<https://www.stmarystudentparish.org/category/live-mass/>

5:00 PM & 8:00 PM

DAILY MASSES

Monday-Thursday 5:10 PM

Friday 12:10 PM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Wednesday 5:45 PM - 6:45 PM

Sunday 6:15 PM– 7:00 PM

or by appointment (734-663-0557)

MASS INTENTIONS: DEC 3-DEC 18

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3

5:00 PM Mass for

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4

8:30 AM Mass for

10:00 AM Mass for People of the Parish
+Victoriano Go Sr & Anita Go

12:00 PM Mass for

2:00 PM Mass for +Aura Briceño

5:00 PM Mass for + Tom Boyle

8:00 PM Mass for

MONDAY, DECEMBER 5

5:10 PM Mass for

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6

5:10 PM Mass for

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7

5:10 PM Mass for

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8

12:10 PM Mass for

5:10 PM Mass for

7:00 PM Mass for

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9

12:10 PM Mass for

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10

5:00 PM Mass for

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11

8:30 AM Mass for Benefactors of SMSP

10:00 AM Mass for +Clarence Giloy

12:00 PM Mass for People of the Parish

2:00 PM Mass for

5:00 PM Mass for Joanna Eggleston

8:00 PM Mass for +Leslie Guinn

MONDAY, DECEMBER 12

5:10 PM Mass for + Orathai Charoenchart

7:00 PM Mass for Lady Guadalupe

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 13

5:10 PM Mass for +Sister Anita Chiappetta, OP

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14

5:10 PM Mass for +Geo Paul

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15

5:10 PM Mass for

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16

12:10 PM Mass for

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17

5:00 PM Mass for Zarain Ortiz Trejo

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18

8:30 AM Mass for

10:00 AM Mass for +Penny Wong

12:00 PM Mass for Burdette Banks

2:00 PM Mass for People of the Parish

5:00 PM Mass for

Meetings & Events

MEETINGS & EVENTS: DECEMBER 4- DECEMBER 17

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4

- 7:30 AM **Novena of Our Lady of Guadalupe**—Church
- 8:30 AM **FFF Sunday**—Donnelly Hall+
- 11:15 AM **FFF Sunday**—Donnelly Hall+
- 3:00 PM **Undergrad Retreat Team**—Rectory Dining Room, Lounge
- 3:00PM **H/L Sacramental Preparation** —Loyola Room+
- 3:15 PM **Teen Confirmation**—Donnelly Hall
- 6:00 PM **Intern Team Meeting**—Rectory Dining Room, Lounge
- 6:15 PM **Reconciliation**—Monteith Room

MONDAY, DECEMBER 5

- 6:30 AM **Rosary for Our Lady of Guadalupe**—Virtual
- 5:45 PM **Rosary for Peace**—Church
- 6:30 PM **Baptism Class**—Donnelly Hall, Monteith Room
- 6:30 PM **Grad/YP Mass & Dinner**—Church, Newman Hall
- 7:00 PM **Born for Joy**—Newman Room

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6

- 6:30 AM **Rosary for Our Lady of Guadalupe**—Virtual
- 7:00 PM **LGBT Outreach Ministry** —Rectory Dining Room, Lounge
- 7:00 PM **Undergrad Women's CONNECT Group**—Newman Room

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 7

- 6:30 AM **Rosary for Our Lady of Guadalupe**—Virtual
- 5:45 PM **Reconciliation**—Donnelly Hall, Monteith Room
- 5:45 PM **Eucharistic Adoration**—Church
- 6:00 PM **Rosary for Life (during Adoration)**—Church
- 7:00 PM **SCC Just Faith Group**—Newman Hall
- 7:00 PM **RCIA**—Donnelly Hall
- 8:00 PM **Praise and Worship (during Adoration)** —Church

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8

- 6:30 AM **Rosary for Our Lady of Guadalupe**—Virtual
- 8:00 AM **Santo Rosario**—Virtual
- 10:15 AM **Women of the Heart**—Donnelly Hall
- 5:10 PM **Ig.nite!**—Church, Newman Hall
- 7:30PM **Ignatian Spirituality & Yoga**—Donnelly Hall

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9

- 6:30 AM **Rosary for Our Lady of Guadalupe**—Virtual
- 6:00 PM **SMSP 2022 Film Series: Fractured Fairy Tales**—Newman Hall

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10

- 6:30 AM **Rosary for Our Lady of Guadalupe**—Virtual
- 9:00 AM **Into the Light** —Rectory Dining Room, Lounge, Virtual
- 11:00 PM **FFF 1st Reconciliation Service**—Church

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11

- 6:30 AM **Rosary for Our Lady of Guadalupe**—Virtual
- 9:00 AM **Student Study Days**—Newman Lounge
- 3:00 PM **Undergrad Retreat Team**—Rectory Dining Room, Lounge
- 3:00PM **H/L Sacramental Preparation** —Newman Hall +
- 3:15 PM **Teen Confirmation**—Donnelly Hall
- 6:00 PM **Intern Team Meeting**—Rectory Dining Room, Lounge
- 6:15 PM **Reconciliation**—Monteith Room

MONDAY, DECEMBER 12

- 9:00 AM **Student Study Days**—Newman Lounge
- 5:45 PM **Rosary for Peace**—Church
- 7:00 PM **Guadalupe Mass**—Church
- 7:00 PM **Born for Joy**—Newman Room
- 8:00 PM **Guadalupe Reception**—Newman Hall

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 13

- 9:00 AM **Student Study Days**—Newman Lounge
- 7:00 PM **Catholic Thinker's Book Club** —Loyola Room

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14

- 9:00 AM **Student Study Days**—Newman Lounge
- 5:45 PM **Reconciliation**—Donnelly Hall, Monteith Room
- 5:45 PM **Eucharistic Adoration**—Church
- 6:00 PM **Rosary for Life (during Adoration)**—Church
- 8:00 PM **Praise and Worship (during Adoration)** —Church

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15

- 8:00 AM **Santo Rosario**—Virtual

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17

- 9:00 AM **Into the Light** —Rectory Dining Room, Lounge, Virtual
- 9:00 AM **Children's Pageant Rehearsal**—Newman Hall, Church

Advent

FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 8

✠ Holy Day of Obligation

✠ Mass at 12:10, 5:10 & 7:00 PM (bilingual)

NOVENA Y LAS MANANITAS

DECEMBER 4 (IN PERSON) | 7:00 AM

DECEMBER 5-11 (VIRTUALLY) | 6:30 AM

All are welcome to join us in a Novena to pray to Our Lady of Guadalupe.

We will meet virtually every morning from 6:30 Dec 5 through Dec 11 for an hour of songs, prayers and a rosary.

<https://umich.zoom.us/j/93319002499>

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

MONDAY, DECEMBER 12

In the morning, at 6am, we will have "Novena y Mananitas" in the Church.

In the evening we will have a bilingual mass at 7 pm. After the mass, all are welcome to join us for a reception with food.

ADVENT GIVING TREE

Advent Giving Tree gift tags are available November 27 in the baskets located in the atrium and at the back of church. We invite you to take a gift tag and purchase the requested gift to brighten the holiday season for someone in need. Below is the list of this year's participating organizations. God bless you for your generosity!

Please note ... All gifts are to be returned **by Sunday 12/18**. Contact Fr. Bobby with any questions bkarle@smspnewman.org.

ArborWoman : ArborWoman supports women in the greater Ann Arbor area who are facing unexpected pregnancies.

Delonis Shelter : The Shelter Association of Washtenaw County (SAWC) offers those experiencing homelessness in our county a wide array of services in one central location, all year long.

Dr. Sister Priscilla and Holy Family Virika Catholic Hospital in Uganda : Doctor Sister Priscilla Busingye, friend of St. Mary's, is one of the few obstetricians working in rural western Uganda.

Equal Justice Initiative (EJI): The Equal Justice Initiative (EJI) is committed to ending mass incarceration and excessive punishment in the US, to challenging racial and economic injustice, and to protecting basic human rights.

Hope Clinic : Hope Clinic provides compassionate and practical help to those in need.

Washtenaw Interfaith Coalition for Immigrant Rights : The WICIR is an ever-expanding organization that aims to walk with our immigrant brothers and sisters and defend immigrant rights.

Ignatian Spirituality Project (ISP) : We offer men and women who are homeless and in recovery from addiction the opportunity to change their lives.

Nurturing Families Washtenaw : Nurturing Families Washtenaw is a program of Catholic Charities continues to provide expanded and specialized services for young parents.

Interfaith Hospitality Network (IHN) @Alpha House: Alpha House is an emergency shelter for children and their families experiencing homelessness.

MISSION/Mercy House: Mercy House is a St. Mary parishioner's home that has opened its doors to the homeless.

St. Luke's N.E.W. Life Center, Flint : N.E.W. provides a 3-year program of life change for women who are parenting alone.

Shelter of Flint : Shelter of Flint manages hundreds of properties in Flint and offers a full range of programs that support families in need.

Christmas Holiday Schedule

SUNDAY DEC 18

No Mass at 8:00 PM Close at 8:00 PM

MONDAY DEC 19

5:10 PM Mass Close at 9:00 PM

TUESDAY DEC 20 THROUGH THURSDAY DEC 22

5:10 PM Mass Close at 6:00 PM

FRIDAY, DEC 23

12:10 AM Mass Close at 1:00 PM

SATURDAY, DEC 24 – CHRISTMAS EVE

Office open 3:30 – 7:00 PM

- 4:00 PM— Church and Donnelly Hall
- 5:30 PM— Church
- 7:00 PM—Church
- 12:00 AM—Church

SUNDAY, DEC 25—CHRISTMAS DAY

- 10:00 AM & 12:00 PM Church—Office closed
- 2:00 PM Church (Spanish)—Office closed

MONDAY, DEC 26 THROUGH FRIDAY, DEC 30

Church and office closed. No Masses or confessions.

SATURDAY DECEMBER 31

5:00 PM Mass—Office closed

SUNDAY JANUARY 1—NEW YEAR'S DAY

8:30, 10:00, 12:00, 2:00 (Spanish). Office closed

MONDAY JANUARY 2

Church and office closed. No Masses or confessions.



SEEK JUSTICE THIS ADVENT SEASON

The Ignatian Solidarity Network is offering two ways to make the season of Advent more meaningful this year. Sign up for the Advent Simplicity Challenge and receive reminder emails and an Advent Calendar to explore ways to live more simply and reduce consumption.

Sign up at www.igsol.net/advent

The ISN and the Kino Border Initiative has also created a virtual Posadas celebration from December 16 to 24. Sign up at www.igsol.net/posadas

Other justice-related events:

Sign up now for the 21-Day Equity Challenge - 2023 Edition, at <https://www.uwwashenaw.org/21-day-equity-challenge>

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS EVE PAGEANT

The Children's Christmas Pageant gives our children a wonderful opportunity to tell the Biblical story of Christmas to the parishioners of St. Mary with drama and song. We will once again have our traditional Christmas Pageant at 3:30pm on Christmas Eve before the 4:00pm Family Mass. All children are welcome to participate as actors (ages 3-9), readers, singers or musicians (ages 7-17) and a variety of other roles. Many parents are also needed to help.

The Pageant Rehearsal is the morning of Saturday, December 17th, 2022 from 9:00 AM- to approx. 1:00 PM.

You must attend the Rehearsal to participate. Information about the specific time you will need to be at the rehearsal will be emailed to you after the sign up has closed on Dec 11th.

To sign up click on the following link or scan the QR code.

<https://bit.ly/2022SMSPChristmasPageant>



If you have **any problems with the sign-up** or have general questions, please contact Karen at 734-663-0557 ext. 247 or at kfoster@smspnewman.org

Deadline to sign up is December 11, 2022 at 6:00 PM.



INTO THE LIGHT

SATURDAYS AT 9AM: DEC 10 AND 17

Into the Light is a fellowship group, a warm welcoming community, that has been meeting on Saturday mornings during Advent and Lent since the 1970's.

Ours is a "Road to Emmaus" style of gathering --a prayer service using the Sunday's readings and then break a potluck breakfast, and round-the-table we each share brief reflections of what stood out in the readings. We share our spiritual and life journeys towards the celebration of Christmas through prayer and companionship. All are welcome. We will be meeting in person and have a zoom option this Advent season.

Contact Rainey rlamey@umich.edu for further information.

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SEASON TO
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ADVENT SIMPLICITY
CHALLENGE

2022

igsol.net/advent

ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE @ SMSP

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14 FROM 7:00 TO 8:30 PM

There will also be a Service at **Saint Thomas The Apostle Church on Friday, December 9 at 7:00 PM** and at **Saint Francis of Assisi Church on Thursday, December 15 at 7:00 PM.**

All Saints, All Souls, and Día de los Muertos

Throughout the month of November, St. Mary Student Parish has been praying along with you and the Communion of Saints for your loved ones:

IN MEMORY OF

✠ Robert Donze
✠ Virginia Donze
✠ Gini & Jerry Adams
✠ Mary Vielhaber
✠ Nicolina Jones
✠ Myron Ennest
✠ Rita Ann Ponke
✠ Thomas M. Baines
✠ Edward V and Dorothy F. Somers
✠ Robert J. Fix
✠ Richard D. Lawrence
✠ John and Dolores Fuchs
✠ Edward and Mary Somers
✠ Harry and Marie Fuchs
✠ Nancy P. Somers
✠ Gilbert and Nancy Pelino
✠ William and Virginia Kelleher
✠ George and Joan Fuchs
✠ Harry and Alice Fuchs
✠ Mark Auty
✠ Elizabeth An Ehr
✠ Joanne Trame
✠ Helen R. Ziegler
✠ Lionel Postigo Mendoza
✠ Ruby Dong and June Hebert
✠ Frank & Esther Nefske
✠ Deceased members of Lewis and Compagnone Families
✠ Steven Gillman
✠ Daniel & Margie Galant

✠ Sandra Frontczak
✠ Neal Laurance
✠ Elizabeth and David Laurance
✠ Carl and Monica Waldmann
✠ John and Lucille Horvath
✠ Richard & Ann Kennedy
✠ Jim & Mary Grau
✠ Brendan & Helen Higgins
✠ Jim & Elizabeth Higgins
✠ Leo & Cissy Ells
✠ John & Licia Splaine
✠ Edward & Arlene Mc Dermott
✠ LaVerne & Kay Bovair
✠ Stan & Sophie Boris
✠ Kenny Boris
✠ James Boris
✠ Patty Plunk
✠ Julianne Augustine
✠ Al Bailey
✠ Biersack, Przybysz Families & Friends
✠ Sid Heyman
✠ Joe Carter
✠ Marge Carter
✠ Jim Clary
✠ William Hendriksen
✠ Donald and Caroline Maize
✠ Dorothy & Jack Simms
✠ Constance & William McCracken
✠ Mary Ann Loewer
✠ Ned Vargo
✠ Joe & Cele Trizna
✠ J. Christopher Norman

✠ Leo Robert Scheckel
✠ Joe Zgurzynski
✠ Tom Guenn
✠ Sophia & Michael Patrick
✠ John Jeremiah Turcotte
✠ Jerry Wiecek
✠ Zig Biernacki
✠ Mary Beth Mason
✠ Jed Kurtzman
✠ Joe & Beth Murphy
✠ Joe & Norma Myers
✠ Anthony and Irene Miller
✠ Hans Larsen

SPECIAL INTENTIONS

The family of Mark Auty
Norman Miller
Marie Plecha
Joanne Trame
Donald and Susan Nefske
Eleanor Homiak
Norma Clarke Powell
Thomas & Nora Hilt
Camilla
Arthur Hurley & Family
Steve & Jill Buckley
Anka Ivanov and Jasna Dujela
Maria Mejia
Tomlinson Family

St Mary Student Parish Financials

DONATION OPTIONS FOR GIVING AT SMSP



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If you have any questions please contact [Kristen Gowman](#)

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These can be sent in our offertory envelopes or in another envelope with a note for allocation, such as offertory, Sunday mass, etc.

These can be sent to our mailing address:

St. Mary Student Parish, 331 Thompson Street, Ann Arbor, MI 48104

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Fiscal Year 2022/2023

Year-to-Date Sunday Offering Report as of 11/27/2022



Sunday Offerings Budget Goal	\$1,050,000
Year-to-Date (YTD) Goal	\$401,000
Amount Collected YTD	\$427,791
Above (Below) YTD Goal	\$26,791

Sunday Offering Report as of 11/27/2022

November Sunday Offerings Weekly Budget Goal	\$18,000
Sunday 11/27/2022 (Week 22)	\$17,765
Above (Below) Weekly Goal	(\$235)

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Sunday Readings

DECEMBER 4 — Second Sunday of Advent

Reading I Is 11:1-10
Psalm Ps 72:1-2,7-8,12-13,17
Reading II Rom 15:4-9
Gospel Mt 3:1-12

Reform your lives; live in God's peace so that justice may flourish.

DECEMBER 11 — Third Sunday of Advent

Reading I Is 35:1-6a,10
Psalm Ps 146:6-10
Reading II Jas 5:7-10
Gospel Mt 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.

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