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# Sepol, lava MIS PECADOS

WATER HALL

January 12, 2025

### Weekend at Birney's



**Preparing for the Future:** Final Shepherd's Report I pray that you have appreciated

the time and energy that we have devoted in sharing with you the information from our Listening

Sessions these past few weekends, and prior to that, throughout the month of September. All of the information that was discussed and presented is our desire to be open with you about what we know regarding the future for the Archdiocese of Detroit, and specifically our Family of Parishes.

Our original plan was to send a pastoral letter to all of you, which will detail all the changes that will be forthcoming on January 13th. That has now changed. To assist with all the logistics of properly communicating this across four parishes, it has been decided to push back the timeline a month. So, this means the letter will not arrive in your mailbox until sometime in mid-February.

I apologize for this change, but as my parents have always told me, if it is worth doing, it is worth doing right. I appreciate your patience and cooperation. As I asked as we ended all the presentations, please remember to keep all of the parishioners and priests in your prayers as we anticipate these changes.

#### Baptism of the Lord

"Today we celebrate the feast of the Baptism of the Lord. In today's Gospel, as in the other Gospel accounts of Jesus' baptism, we hear John the Baptist address the confusion of the people who thought that John might be the Messiah. In response, John contrasts the baptism that he performs with the Baptism that Jesus will inaugurate. John the Baptist says that he has baptized with water, but that someone will come and baptize with the Holy Spirit. The type of baptism that John performed was not yet a Christian Baptism; it was a preparation for Christian Baptism through which sins are forgiven and the gift of the Holy Spirit is received.

The baptism of Jesus is reported in each of the three Synoptic Gospels—Matthew, Mark, and Luke. Clearly, it was an event of great significance for Jesus and for the early Christian community. The Evangelists Mark and Luke report the story from Jesus' perspective; the voice from heaven is addressed to Jesus. Compare this to Matthew's

Gospel in which the voice from heaven speaks to everyone. In Luke, however, the Holy Spirit descends upon Jesus during his time of prayer after his baptism. Through his Gospel, Luke will show Jesus to be a person of prayer who withdraws regularly from the crowds and his disciples to pray to his Father.

The baptism of Jesus is considered a manifestation of God in Jesus, another "epiphany." On this, the last day of the Christmas season, our Gospel reveals to us Jesus' relation to God: the son of Mary and Joseph is also God's own Son. In Luke's Gospel, all three members of the Trinity are manifested here: God the Father in the voice, the Holy Spirit descending, and Jesus the Son. At the beginning of his Gospel, Luke is communicating to us important information about the identity of Jesus. In the verses that follow, Luke lists the genealogy of Jesus, tracing Jesus' ancestry back to the first person, Adam, who is also identified as the son of God. We, the children of Adam and Eve, are again made children of God through Baptism." (loyolapress.com)

#### **Football Prediction**

Notre Dame 30 – Penn State 21 (it won't be the 'luck' of the Irish that wins this semi-final....but the 'fight' in the Irish)

Lions vs. Everybody (a much-deserved week off for the 1st place GRIT inspired Lions. Next stop...a date with destiny!)

#### **Quote for the Week**

"No one can begin a new life, unless he repent of the old." - St. Augustine

That's all for now, see you in Church, Fr. Tim Birney

### Fin de Semana en Birney's

#### Preparándose para el future: Informe final del pastor

Rezo para que hayan apreciado el tiempo y la energía que hemos dedicado a compartir con ustedes la información de nuestras Sesiones de Escucha estos últimos fines de semana, y antes de eso, durante todo el mes de septiembre. Toda la información que se discutió y presentó es nuestro deseo de ser abiertos con ustedes sobre lo que sabemos sobre el futuro de la Arquidiócesis de Detroit, y específicamente de nuestra Familia de Parroquias.

Nuestro plan original era enviar una carta pastoral a todos ustedes, en la que se detallarán todos los cambios que vendrán el 13 de enero. Ahora eso ha cambiado. Para ayudar con toda la logística de comunicar esto adecuadamente a través de cuatro parroquias, se ha decidido retrasar el cronograma un mes. Por lo tanto, esto significa que la carta no llegará a su buzón hasta mediados de febrero.

Pido disculpas por este cambio, pero como siempre me han dicho mis padres, si vale la pena hacerlo, vale la pena hacerlo bien. Agradezco su paciencia y cooperación. Como pregunté al terminar todas las presentaciones, por favor recuerden mantener a todos los feligreses y sacerdotes en sus oraciones mientras anticipamos estos cambios.

#### Bautismo del Señor

"Hoy celebramos la fiesta del Bautismo del Señor. En el Evangelio de hoy, como en los otros relatos evangélicos del bautismo de Jesús, escuchamos a Juan el Bautista dirigirse a la confusión de la gente que pensaba que Juan podría ser el Mesías. En respuesta, Juan contrasta el bautismo que realiza con el bautismo que Jesús inaugurará. Juan el Bautista dice que ha bautizado con agua, pero que alguien vendrá y bautizará con el Espíritu Santo. El tipo de bautismo que Juan llevó a cabo todavía no era un bautismo cristiano; era una preparación para el Bautismo Cristiano a través del cual se perdonan los pecados y se recibe el don del Espíritu Santo.

El bautismo de Jesús se relata en cada uno de los tres evangelios sinópticos: Mateo, Marcos y Lucas. Claramente, fue un evento de gran importancia para Jesús y para la comunidad cristiana primitiva. Los evangelistas Marcos y Lucas relatan la historia desde la perspectiva de Jesús; la voz del cielo se dirige a Jesús. Compárese esto con el Evangelio de Mateo, en el que la voz del cielo habla a todos. En Lucas, sin embargo, el Espíritu Santo desciende sobre Jesús durante su tiempo de oración después de su bautismo. A través de su Evangelio, Lucas mostrará a Jesús como una persona de oración que se retira regularmente de las multitudes y a sus discípulos para orar a su Padre.

El bautismo de Jesús es considerado una manifestación de Dios en Jesús, otra "epifanía". En este, el último día del tiempo de Navidad, nuestro Evangelio nos revela la relación de Jesús con Dios: el hijo de María y José es también el Hijo de Dios. En el Evangelio de Lucas, los tres miembros de la Trinidad se manifiestan aquí: Dios el Padre en la voz, el Espíritu Santo que desciende y Jesús el Hijo. Al comienzo de su Evangelio, Lucas nos comunica información importante sobre la identidad de Jesús. En los versículos que siguen, Lucas enumera la genealogía de Jesús, rastreando la ascendencia de Jesús hasta la primera persona, Adán, quien también se identifica como el hijo de Dios. Nosotros, los hijos de Adán y Eva, somos hechos de nuevo hijos de Dios por el Bautismo". (loyolapress.com)

#### Predicciones de fútbol

Notre Dame 30 – Penn State 21 (no será la "suerte" de los irlandeses la que gane esta semifinal... sino la "lucha" en los irlandeses)

Lions vs. Everybody (una semana de descanso muy merecida para el 1er lugar, GRIT inspiró a los Leones. Próxima parada... ¡Una cita con el destino!)

#### Frase de la semana

"Nadie puede comenzar una nueva vida, a menos que se arrepienta de la vieja." - San Agustín

Eso es todo por ahora, nos vemos en la Iglesia, Padre Tim Birney

#### **Mass Intentions** Intenciones De Las Misas

### Wednesday, January 15 | Miércoles Enero 15

†Eternal Rest of Agnes Novak

#### Friday, January 17 | Viernes Enero 17 9:00am

†Bonnie Lozier

#### Saturday, January 18 | Sábado Enero 18 4:00pm

†Rose Machowicz <sup>†</sup>Herbert Nichols

### Sunday, January 19 | Domingo Enero 19

People of the Parish

#### Sunday, January 19 | Domingo Enero 19 12:00am

†Eva Sanchez

Por Aaron y Jose Diaz en su cumpleaños

# Stewardship of Prayer Corresponsabilidad de Oracion

As we begin this New Year we also begin as the people of God, our Jubilee Celebration which takes place every 25 years! The theme for Jubilee 2025 is "Pilgrims of Hope" and it will be a year of hope for our suffering world! Our FOP has planned each month a special prayer service following a different theme set by the Vatican. Our first service will be held at St. Mary Magdalen on Friday, January 17 at 7 pm. We hope you will join us each month for prayer, reflection, song and fellowship!

¡Al comenzar este Año Nuevo también comenzamos como pueblo de Dios, nuestra Celebración de Jubileo que se lleva a cabo cada 25 años! ¡El tema del Jubileo 2025 es "Peregrinos de la esperanza" y será un año de esperanza para nuestro mundo que sufre! Nuestra Familia de Parroquias ha planificado cada mes un servicio especial de oración siguiendo un tema diferente establecido por el Vaticano. Nuestro primer servicio se llevará a cabo en St. Mary Magdalen el viernes 17 de enero a las 7 pm. ¡Esperamos que se una a nosotros cada mes para orar, reflexionar, cantar y tener compañerismo!

#### Stewardship of Treasure Corresponsabilidad de Tesoro

#### December 29, 2024

Envelope/Loose   Sobres/Dinero Suelto	\$4,245
Online Giving   Donaciones en Sínea	\$685
Total	\$4,930
Catholic Service Appeal 2024	

#### Llamado al Servicio Católico 2024 Goal | Objetivo......\$41,767

Paid to Date | Pagado Hasta la Fecha ......... (\$182,171) Parish Rebate | Reembolso Parroquial .............\$140,404

### Ministry Schedule

#### Saturday, January 18 | Sábado Enero 18

4:00pm

Lector Frank Lentine **Eucharistic Minister** Carol Knedgen **Altar Servers** Brittany Turner, Romina Orozco

Barbara Kotarsky, Alfred Kouri, **Ushers** 

Paul Pesta, Judy Persia

Sacristan Carol Knedgen

#### Sunday, January 19 | Domingo Enero 19

10:00am

Ushers

Lector Caige Kelly

**Eucharistic Minister Altar Servers** 

**Deacon Scott LaForest** Ann Muldoon, Sharon

Mitchell, David Odoemelam

Donna Gueli, Jim Gueli, William Kessler, Joseph

Scrimenti, Joe Ulicne

Sacristan Ron Neu

12:00pm

Lector Irma Hernandez

**Eucharistic Minister** Teresa de la Torre, Francisco

Sánchez, Lilia Sanchez

Monaguillos Cristobal Barba, Alex Diaz,

Nicole Alonzo

Ujieres Aaron y Jose Diaz, Jose Barba,

Adrian Muratalla, Andres

Garcia



#### Are you are Celebrating a Milestone Wedding Anniversary

#### (1,5,10,15, etc. and everyone

#### 50+ years anytime in the year 2025?)

Join us on Sunday, February 16, 2025 for the 10:00am (English) or 12:00pm (Spanish) Mass. You will receive a special recognition and a blessing.

To RSVP, call the parish office at 313-291-6464 or send an email to events@stalfredtaylor.org. by Friday, February 7th.

Estás celebrando un aniversario de bodas histórico (1, 5, 10, 15, etc. o más de 50 años) en algún momento del año 2025?

Te invitamos el domingo 16 de febrero a la Misa de las 10 am (inglés) o las 12 pm (español). Recibirás un reconocimiento y bendición especial.

Comunicate a la oficina parroquial al 313-291-6464 o envía un correo a events@stalfredtaylor.org y confirma tu asistencia antes del 7 de febrero.

#### Please Pray For • Por Favor Oremos Por

Giovanni Arcuri Dale Akers Jr Boni Chamberlin Jane Sobieraj Evans Mary Hepler Ramon Hernandez Ronda Jewell Ronald Jewell Magdalena Juarez Rafaela Juarez Suzanne Lakkis Patrick Maculewicz Chester Marculewicz Raleigh Minning Anne Mondro Judy Mondro **Harry Morris** Melvin Morris Libby Muszynski Geraldine O'Connor Lynne Patrick

Cheryl Pesta Luis Rodriguez

Edna Rodriguez

Fr. Leo Sabourin Chet Salewske Melissa Solano Nanette Tariao Patricia Taylor **Bob Whaley** Cyndy Williams

#### **Armed Forces Fuerzas Armadas:**

Daniel Bellman, USM Joshua Blevins, USMC Patrick J. Feys, USN Oscar F. Gutierrez, USMC Jonathan R. Martin, Army Ryan Myre, USN

Bradley J. Schleicher II, USN Charles A. Sseguya, USMC Patricia Nakanwagi, USMC

Contact the Parish Office to add names to our prayer list.

### This Week | Esta Semana

Monday, January 13 | Lunes, Enero 13

Misioneros de Jesus 6:30pm

Tuesday, January 14 | Martes, Enero 14

Ensayo del coro español 7:30pm

Wednesday, January 15 | Miércoles, Enero 15

Armada Blanca 6:00pm English Choir Rehearsal 7:00pm

Thursday, January 16 | Jueves, Enero 16

SVDP - San Vincente de Paúl 9:30am-11:30am Amigas de Jesus 10:00am

Friday, January 17 | Viernes, Enero 17

Coffee & Donuts - Café y donas - 9:30am God's Housekeeper Group 1 | Cuidado de la Casa de Dios Grupo 1

For more information about these parish events, please visit our website | Para obtener más información sobre estos eventos por.eventos, por favor vea nuestro sitio de web

### St. Alfred Parish

24175 Baske St. **Taylor, MI 48180** 

www.stalfredtaylor.org (313) 291-6464

#### Office Hours | Horario de Oficinas

Tuesday | Martes ......9:00am-8:00pm Wed-Thurs | Miércoles-Jueves ... 9:00am-4:00pm Friday | Viernes ......9:00am-12:00pm

#### Permanent Deacon | Diácono

**Deacon Scott LaForest** 

Dcnscott.laforest@stalfredtaylor.org

**Mission Direct Director of Music Ministry** Director del Ministerio de Música

**Matthew Engler** 

**Mission Support Parish Support Manager** Gerente de Apoyo a la Parroquia

Ana Juarez

Ana.juarez@stalfredtaylor.org | Ext. 3101

#### Administrative Support Asistente Administrativo

Michelle Ramos

office@stalfredtaylor.org | Ext. 3100

#### Worship Schedule | Horario de la Liturgia

Wednesday & Friday | Miércoles y Viernes English Mass | Misa en Ingles ...... 9:00am

Saturday | Sábado

English Mass | Misa en Ingles ......4:00pm

Sunday | Domingo

English Mass | Misa en Ingles ...... 10:00am Spanish Mass | Misa en Español ...... 12:00pm

Confessions at St. Frances Cabrini

Saturday ...... 3:00pm

All masses are livestreamed on Facebook, Web and YouTube. | Todas las Misas son transmitidas en vivo en Facebook, Web y YouTube.



For more information about the parish, donate online or to check out the latest activities, scan the QR code below. | Para obtener más información sobre la parroquia, para hacer una

donación en línea o para consultar las últimas actividades, escanee el código QR a continuación.

St. Alfred SVdP | Vicente de Paul de St. Alfred Thursdays | Jueves | 9:30am - 11:30am (313) 291-4888



### **Mass Intentions**

#### Saturday, January 18 | 6:30pm

†John & Janice Reiter by Family †Robert McNicholas by Family †Patricia Dawidko by Debbie Donia

#### Sunday, January 19 | 10:00am

†Patricia Dawidko by Family



# Lift Up Your Hearts

Today's feast celebrates the baptism of Jesus by John in the Jordan river. It was customary for John to baptize people as a sign of their conversion of heart. It was a turning point in life for people. The text of today's gospel says: After all the people had been baptized and Jesus also had been baptized....

"Heaven was opened, and the Holy Spirit descended upon Him...like a dove, and a Voice from Heaven: YOU ARE MY BELOVED SON: WITH YOU I AM WELL PLEASED." (Lk 13:21,22)

Jesus humbled Himself because He was like us in our human nature in all things except for sin.

This beautiful gift of baptism unites us with baptized people around the world. One of the beautiful privileges of the priesthood is to celebrate the baptisms of babies year-round and the special time at the Easter Vigil for adults. I have often seen tears of deep joy in parents as they have their babies baptized.

At the Easter Vigil each year we celebrate the baptism of adults who have made their choice of beginning to live a New Life in Christ through baptism.

We close with the prayer of the Church:

"ALMIGHTY, ETERNAL GOD, WHOSE SPIRIT DESCENDED UPON JESUS AND HIS BAPTISM IN THE JORDAN, YOU REVEALED HIM AS YOUR OWN BELOVED SON. KEEP US, YOUR CHILDREN BORN OF WATERR AND THE SPRIT, FAITHFUL TO OUR CALLING."

With love, Fr. Leo



### Ministry Schedule

#### Saturday, January 18 | 6:30 pm

Lectors Kimberly & Cris Mattoon
Eucharistic Minister Bernice Merchak
Mass Servers Michaelyn McLain

#### Sunday, January 19 | 10:00am

**Lectors** Chelsea Green & Linda Maich

Eucharistic Minister One Needed

Mass Servers One-Three Needed

Money Counters January 19

Team #1

Mass Servers & Ushers, for the months of January and February, please sign the volunteer sign-up sheet in the Vestibule.

### **Upcoming Events**

Women of Faith & Service | Music Trivia Night Friday, January 31, 6:00pm in the Parish Hall Open to All Pizza, Pop and Popcorn 50/50 Raffle and Cash Prizes \$10 per ticket

#### **Fellowship Weekend**

Saturday, February 8 after 6:30pm Mass Sunday, February 9 after 10:00am Mass

#### **Usher's Group Pancake Breakfast**

**Sunday, February 16 at 11:00am** in the Parish Hall

#### Women of Faith & Service | Pre St. Patrick's Day

Friday, February 28, 6:00pm in the Parish Hall Corned Beef Dinner

### **Upcoming Meetings**

#### Women of Faith & Service

Sunday, February 2, after 11:00am in the Parish Hall

#### **Usher's Meeting**

Sunday, February 2, after 11:00am in the Parish Hall

### Please Pray For

Julie Babik Sarah Ring Mary Brua **Helen Rogers** Joe Favazza Rick Roy Quinn Lauder **Dora Schindorff** Michele McCauley McKenley Tillery The Tillery Family Beverly Mytkowski **Shelby Parker** Tom Torongeau

Contact the Parish Office to add names to our prayer list.

# Giving Tree Thank You

Thanks to all who supported the Giving Tree this year!

I know St. Constance helped Our Lady of the Angels serve many families in our community who are less fortunate than us. Knowing that their Holiday season has been improved by your wonderful generosity is truly heartwarming and humbling. Thank you for all you've done to make the Giving Tree a success once again.

Please accept our sincerest wishes to you and your loved ones for a Healthy and Happy New Year!

# Weekly Meetings

#### **Alcoholics Anonymous**

Meets every Monday, at 8:00pm in the Parish Hall (New Time: 7:30pm, beginning January 5, 2025)

#### **Narcotics Anonymous**

Meets every Wednesday, at 7:30pm in the Parish Hall

#### **Monday Night Rosary Group**

Meets every Monday at 7:00pm in the Church

**Light of Christ Catholic Charismatic Prayer Group** Meets every Wednesday, 7:30pm in the Church

### St. Constance Parish

21333 Kinyon

Taylor, Michigan 48180

(313) 291-4050

www.st.constance.com

#### **Office Hours**

Monday—Thursday ...... 9:00am to 3:00pm **Closed Friday** 

#### **Mission Direct**

#### **Pastoral Minister**

Roseanna Rogers rrogers@stconstance.com

#### **Director of Music Ministry**

Sue Wrona

#### **Mission Support**

**Parish Support Manager** 

**Cheryl Twigg** 

ctwigg@stconstance.com

#### **Administrative Support**

**Kelly Robbins** 

krobbins@stconstance.com

#### **Parish Liturgy Schedule**

Saturday	. 6:30pm
Sunday	10:00am

#### Reconciliation

Saturday at St. Frances Cabrini ....... 3:00pm

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### Our Stewardship

#### January 5, 2024

Give online at: www.stconstance.com	
Total	\$3,004
Online Giving	
Envelopes/Loose	\$2,493

### **Catholic Service Appeal 2024**

Goal	\$36,439
Paid	
Amount Needed	

Any amount collected over the goal is our St. Constance fundraiser. Thank you!

### **Mass Intentions**

#### Monday, January 13 | 9:00am

Poor Souls in Purgatory

#### Tuesday, January 14 | 9:00am

†Gilbert Saenz

#### Saturday, January 18 | 4:30pm

†Gordon Birkett

†Joseph Talamonti

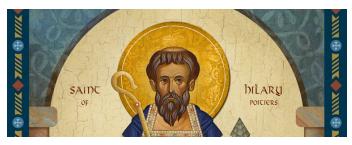
#### Sunday, January 19 | 10:00am

†Matthew Villalta

### Please Pray For

Alfredo Cresentini Maria Cresentini Heather Swantek For all those listed in the Book of Comfort & Healing

Contact the Parish Office to add names to our prayer list



### Saint Hilary

#### Saint of the Week-January 13

Born in Poitiers, France, whose populace would later elect him bishop, Hilary, married and a father, was converted from paganism to Christianity through his reading of scripture. The focus of his prayerful study was the Prologue to the Gospel according to John, which portrays Jesus as the divine Logos, eternally begotten of the Father.

As a result, Hilary became in the words of the biblical scholar Jerome, "the Latin Trumpet against the Arians," heretics who believed Jesus to be merely human, not divine. In defense of Christ's divinity, Hilary was not only eloquent in debate but utterly fearless in the face of relentless persecution and even exile. Thus by the witness of his own discipleship, Hilary taught that faith in Jesus as the divine Son of God has consequences. Reflecting on Jesus' challenge to his disciples, "You are the salt of the earth" (Matthew 5:13), Hilary notes that, as salt both preserves from corruption and adds savor to food, so must the faithful disciple bear a witness that, by word and example, leads others to immortality and virtuous living.

### St. Mary Magdalen Parish

19624 Wood Street Melvindale, Michigan 48122

(313) 381-8566 www.smmssab.com

#### Office Hours

Monday – Wednesday ......9:00am to 3:00pm

#### **Pastoral Minister**

Rev. Mr. Fred Guardiola, Permanent Deacon fguardiola@smmagdalen.org | Ext. 90751

#### **Mission Direct**

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#### Mission Support

Sally Ann Amadio, Admin Support samadio@smmagdalen.org | Ext. 90108

#### **Parish Liturgy Schedule**

Monday & Tuesday	9:00am
Saturday	4:30pm
Sunday	10:00am

#### **Reconciliation at St. Frances Cabrini**

Saturday......3:00pm

### Ministry Schedule

#### Saturday, January 18 | 4:30pm

Lector Donna Vaillancourt
Eucharistic Ministers David Hollobaugh
Linda Jackson

#### Sunday, January 19 | 10:00am

Lector Linda Mikus
Eucharistic Ministers Mayra Hernandez
Maria Quezada

### Our Stewardship

#### January 5, 2025

Envelope/Loose	\$3,006
Online Giving	\$576
Total	\$3,582

#### Give online at: www.smmssab.com

#### Catholic Service Appeal 2024

Goal	\$23,517
Paid	
Amount Needed	



### St. Mary Magdalen Monthly Mass of Life

#### WHAT IS THE MONTHLY MASS OF LIFE?

Through a offering made by parishioners or friends, a special mass intention will be offered on the first weekend of each month to honor both living and deceased members of our parish communities throughout the entire year. This mass in no way affects the individual intentions arranged for regular weekday masses or other Sunday masses. You may still request anniversary Masses or special intentions throughout the year.

#### WHAT IS THE REQUESTED OFFERING?

We request a yearly offering of \$75 for the intentions to be remembered at this monthly mass, to be celebrated the first weekend of each month.

#### Applications are in the Gathering Space.

Applications must be turned into the parish office by February 13, 2025.

#### ¿CUÁL ES LA MISA MENSUAL DE?

A través de una ofrenda especial hecha por feligreses o amigos de nuestras parroquia, se ofrecerá una misa de intención especial el primer fin de semana de cada mes para honrar a los miembros vivos y fallecidos de nuestras comunidades parroquiales durante todo el año. Esta misa de ninguna manera afecta las intenciones individuales dispuestas para misas regulares entre semana u otras misas dominicales. Todavía puede solicitar Misas de aniversario o intenciones especiales durante todo el año.

#### ¿CUÁL ES LA OFRENDA SOLICITADA?

Solicitamos una ofrenda anual de \$75 por las intenciones que se nombraran en esta misa mensual, a celebrarse el primer fin de semana de cada mes.

Las solicitudes para la Misa Mensual de Vida de Santa María Magdalena están en el espacio de reunion.

Las solicitudes deben entregarse en la oficina parroquial antes del 13 de febrero de 2025.

### Scripture Readings

#### For the Week of January 12, 2025

#### Sunday • Baptism of the Lord

Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 40:1-5, 9-11; Ps 29-1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 or Ps 104:1b-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29-30; Acts 10:34-38 or Ti 2:11 -14; 3:4-7; Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

#### Monday

Heb 1:1-6; Ps 97:1 and 2b, 6 and 7c, 9; Mk 1:14-20

#### **Tuesday**

Heb 2:5-12; Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6, 7, 8-9; Mk 1:21-28

#### Wednesday

Heb 2:14-18; Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9; Mk 1:29-39

#### **Thursday**

Heb 3:7-14; Ps 95:6-7c, 8-9, 10-11; Mk 1:40-45

#### Friday

Heb 4:1-5, 11; Ps 78:3 and 4bc, 6c-7, 8; Mk 2:1-12

#### Saturday

Heb 4:12-16; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15; Mk 2:13-17

**Sunday • Second Sunday in Ordinary Time** Is 62:1-5; Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10; 1 Cor 12:4-11; Jn 2:1-11

### Lecturas de las Escrituras

#### Para la Semana del 12 de Enero de 2025

#### Domingo • Fiesta del Bautismo del Señor

Is 42, 1-4. 6-7 o Is 40, 1-5. 9-11; Sal 28, 1a y 2. 3ac-4. 3b y 9b-10 o Sal 103, 1-2a. 2b-4. 24-25. 27-28. 29-30; Hch 10, 34-38 o Tt 2, 11-14; 3, 4-7; Lc 3, 15-16. 21-22

#### Lunes

Heb 1, 1-6; Sal 96, 1 y 2b. 6 y 7c. 9; Mc 1, 14-20

#### **Martes**

Heb 2, 5-12; Sal 8, 2ab y 5. 6-7. 8-9; Mc 1, 21-28

#### Miércoles

Heb 2, 14-18; Sal 104, 1-2. 3-4. 6-7. 8-9; Mc 1, 29-39

#### Jueves

Heb 3, 7-14; Sal 94, 6-7c. 8-9. 10-11; Mc 1, 40-45

#### **Viernes**

Heb 4, 1-5. 11; Sal 77, 3 y 4bc. 6c-7. 8; Mc 2, 1-12

#### Sábado

Heb 4, 12-16; Sal 18, 8. 9. 10. 15; Mc 2, 13-17

**Domingo • Segundo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario** Is 62, 1-5; Sal 95, 1-2a. 2b-3. 7-8a. 9-10a y c; 1 Cor 12, 4-11; Jn 2, 1-11

### Mass **Intentions**

#### Monday, January 13 | 8:30am

†Timothy Sanborn †Thomas Guertin †Carol Scalici

#### Tuesday, January 14 | 8:30am

†Louis Fucinari by Wife Maria †Iride Pavan For the Preservation of American Democracy

#### Wednesday, January 15 | 8:30am

†Barb Bernas by Mark Heidi †Marge Logelin by Loretta Willson

#### Thursday, January 16 | 8:30am

Special Intention The Asauas Family Special Intention Clyde McKee by Judith NG

#### Friday, January 17 | 8:30am

†Esther Tondreau by Vicky Theisen †Laura Gazdecki by Judith NG Special Intention Steven E. Jarczak

#### Saturday, January 18 | 5:00pm

†Giuseppe DiStefano by Betty & David Cox †Guilly Pasut by Family †Sylvia Astolfi by Loretta Willson & GeGe Special Intention Matt Wrona by Family

#### Sunday, January 19 8:00am

†Eleanor Scimeca by Family

†Rudolph Kish by Linda Lore

†Michael Serpetti by Pat & Bridget Nickels

†Merretta Giertz by The Lewandowski Family

#### 10:00am

†Clare Wilamowski by The Allen & Garcia Families

†Tom Houck by Delphine Kozlo

†Louis Fucinari by Daughter

†Patricia Speaks by Lillian Armelin

#### 12:00pm

For the Parishioners of St. Frances Cabrini



### Please Pray For

Lennon Allen Lyssa Marie Aromin **Shirley Bardallis** Erica Born Steven Born Mary Brua Chuck C. Martin Cain George Eskridge Janette Filarski

Barbara Fronczak Lyndee G.

Michael Gorski Casey Holewinski Ava Jabczenski Gerald Jaszcz Theresa Jean Geraldine McDonald Janet Nirva

Raymond Nowacki Rosemarie Nowacki Emily Rossman-Rodriquez

Paul Sander Jimmy Stecki

Contact the Parish Office to add names to our prayer



#### **May the Perpetual Light** Shine Upon the Souls of:

Susan Dunn James Kelly Amie Kramer Jim Shaw

### Our Stewardship

#### January 5, 2025

Envelopes/Loose	\$18,883
Online Giving	\$10,904
Total	
Give online at: www.cabriniparish.org	

#### **Catholic Service Appeal 2024**

Goal	\$149.213
Paid to Date	
Amount Needed	\$12.198

#### **Debt Reduction**

Starting Amount	\$4,313,894
AOD Credits	
Payments thru October 2024	(\$2,057,616)
Nov. Debt Reduction Envelopes (46)	(\$2,220)
Nov. Parish Payment	(\$18,564)
Balance as of 11/30/2024	\$1,635,494

\*The monthly payment towards our 12 year Michigan Catholic Conference (MCC) commitment to retire our debt is applied the first of each month. The final payment to be completed by 7/1/28.



### FORMED THE CATHOLIC FAITH.



### The Bible (Part 1) | What Catholics Believe

Join Dr. Mark Giszczak as he answers the Internet's most-asked question about the Bible.



Our parish has a FORMED subscription.

Visit formed.org/signup and select our parish.

Scan the QR code to download the FORMED app to your phone.

### An offering from the $\begin{center} egin{center} egin{$

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#### **Parish Liturgy Schedule**

Saturday		5:00 pm
Sunday	8:00 am,	10:00 am, 12:00 pm
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Reconciliation	Saturday .	3:00 pm

#### St. Frances Cabrini Schools

Grade School		(313)	928-6610
High School & Academy	<b>/</b>	(313)	774-2729
High School Athletic Of			

#### **Grade School, Academy, High School**

**Office Hours**......7:15 am—3:15 pm



# The Baptism of the Lord

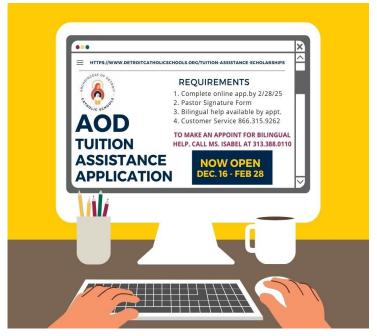
#### TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Merry Christmas! Share that cheerful greeting with some folks today. They may wonder if you have had any Elvis sightings lately, attended Star Trekkie conventions, or were Cleopatra in a previous lifetime. Despite the skeptics, today is solidly within the Christmas season. In fact, in some strands of the Christian tradition it represents the clearest manifestation of the mystery of the Incarnation. On Christmas Day, for example, the Gospel reading is the Prologue of John's Gospel, which reveals the glory of Christ shining through our humanity precisely in his baptism.

At any rate, this is an ancient feast, celebrated first in Egypt sixteen centuries ago. More than most other ancient people, the Egyptians understood the life giving properties of water. On this day, they drew water from the Nile, so central in the history of their people, and reserved it in honor. Many other places copied the custom, so that St. John Chrysostom wrote of people in Antioch gathering at midnight to collect flowing water into vessels they brought from home since "today there is a blessing on the water."

At home for dinner tonight, decorate the table with beautiful bowls of water and white candles, toast one another with goblets of sparkling water, and light a Christmas candle in the window one last time.

-James Field



Applications for Tuition Assistance through the Archdiocese of Detroit are NOW OPEN. Please complete by February 28, 2025, to be eligible for this and other scholarships and grants through Cabrini.

Application can be found at https://www.detroitcatholicschools.org/tuition-assistance-scholarships.

For more information contact the Admissions Office at 313.357.3266.

#### **2024 Contribution Statement**

If you would like a copy of your 2024 contribution statement, please fill out this form and return it to the Parish Office by dropping it off, mailing it in, or putting it in the collection basket. Allow time for processing.

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### **Christian Service**

#### Manna Meal

#### Monday, January 27, 6:15am—11:00am

We provide three volunteers to prepare and serve a simple bagged lunch. We will meet outside the Holy Family Hall. Transportation is provided. We currently have a group of six faithful volunteers. We need additional volunteers to fill in as needed or to join a month rotation. To volunteer call Joyce McCabe (313) 506-6154.

Needed items: monetary donations for the purchase of fresh fruit, Free and Clear laundry detergent, bleach, or Awesome or Fabulosa for the shower and laundry facilities, or by donating gently used men's clothing (seasonal only) and white underwear and socks. Drop donations off at the Parish Office.

### St. Christine Soup Kitchen Tuesday, January 14, 8:30am — 2:30pm

Volunteers are needed to help cook and serve the more than 250 men, women and children who depend on St. Christine's for a hot meal. If you would like to join us on this day, please call or text Jeannine Little at (313)268-5181 or email jandjlittle@hotmail.com. The group will meet in the Parish Office at 8:30am to carpool to St. Christine's and return 2:30pm.

Donations of juice boxes and individually wrapped desserts are needed for the children's bagged meal and monetary donations are always needed to help off-set the cost of the food served on this day. We also provide desserts to complement the meal. These special diners really enjoy brownies, cakes, pie, cheesecake, and cupcakes. If you would like to donate homemade or store-bought baked goods, please drop them off to the Parish Office by Monday, January 13 no later than 1pm. A cart will be left in the hallway outside the office door for drop off.

#### ChristNet Lunch Making Tuesday, January 28 at 9:00am

We will meet in the Holy Family Hall kitchen to pack the lunches and make sandwiches. They will be delivered on January 28, 29, 30 and 31. Volunteers are needed.

We are in need of several supplies to fill the lunches: juice boxes, fruit cups, individually wrapped cookies and chips. Monetary donations will help defray the costs of bread, lunch meat and cheese. Donations can be dropped off to the Parish Office.

We also cook and serve a hot meal the third Wednesday of each month from 9:30 am - 1:30 pm at the ChristNet Drop-in Center in Taylor. If you would like to assist call Ann Raiche at (313)433-9776.

Our next service date is Wednesday, January 15!



St. Frances Cabrini Catholic School
We Will See You Through

Preschool - 12th Grade

### **OPEN HOUSE**

Thursday, January 30, 2025

Preschool - 6th Gra<mark>de</mark> 5:30-7PM



7th - 12th Grade 6:30-8PM

Grade School 15300 Wick Rd. Allen Park MI 48101 313.928.6610 High School 15305 Wick Rd. Allen Park, MI 48101 313.388.0110

### Nursing Home Homebound Ministry

There is a growing number of parishioners who are unable to worship with us, but who long to stay connected to the parish through the Eucharist. To meet the requests we receive from the homebound and those in nursing homes, we are always in need of parishioners to join the parish team of lay ministers who bring Communion to their home or nursing facility.

Currently we are in need of a few ministers who would commit to a monthly visit to Optalis Health (corner of Wick and Allen Rd) to lead the rosary and a communion service on Wednesdays at 2pm for the residents. If you feel called to share your faith in these ways, please call Therese at the parish office at (313) 436-0201 or email ttardiff@cabriniparish.com.





Since the year 1300, and every 25 years thereafter, the people of God have celebrated a Jubilee Year as a special gift of grace. The theme for Jubilee 2025 is "Pilgrims of Hope," and it will be a year of hope for a world suffering the impacts of war, the ongoing effects of illness, and the climate crisis. The following calendar from the Vatican, will inform the focus of our parish commemorations throughout this Jubilee Year.

Come join our family the 3rd Friday of each month for an evening of prayer,
reflection and fellowship in celebration of the Jubilee Year!
Each month will feature a different prayer experience lead by one of our Family of Parish Priests.

January: Advocacy
World of Communications

**February:** Service

Armed Forces | Police | Security Officials

Artists

Permanent Deacons

March: Adoration

Voluntary Workers 24 Hours for the Lord Missionaries of Mercy

**April:** Mental Health

Sick and Health Care Workers Adolescents | Youth Persons with Disabilities

May: Relationships

Workers

Business | Entrepreneurship

Musical Bands Confraternities Children

Families | Grandparents | Elderly

**June:** Vocations

Church Movements | Associations New Communities Holy See Sports Government Staff Seminarians | Bishops | Priests Eastern Churches **July:** Evangelization Young People/Young Adults

**August:** Community

Parish Life

**September:** Justice

Consolation World of Justice Catechists

**October:** Missionary

Consecrated Life Marian Spirituality Missionary World World of Education

**November:** Dignity

The Poor Parish Choirs

**December:** Forgiveness

**Prisoners** 



For more information please visit: https://www.usccb.org/committees/jubilee-2025

# Knights of Columbus COR Corner

#### CLIP & SAVE

- January 13, 7:00pm, Rosary & Prayers, Our Lady of the Angels, St. Ann Room
- January 16, 6:30pm, Scriptural Rosary, St. Frances Cabrini, St. Hugh Chapel, Sorrowful Mysteries
- January 20, 7:00pm, Rosary & Prayers, Our Lady of the Angels, St. Ann Room
- January 23, 6:30pm, Scriptural Rosary, St. Frances Cabrini, St. Hugh Chapel, Glorious Mysteries
- January 27, 7:00pm, Rosary & Prayers, Our Lady of the Angels, St. Ann Room
- January 30, 6:30pm, Scriptural Rosary, St. Frances Cabrini, St. Hugh Chapel, Glorious Mysteries

Our weekly Rosary & Prayer Groups are open to all Catholics of any gender and any member of the Quo Vadis Domine Parish Family.

Our Scripture Studies are specifically designed for men. The K of C COR men's ministry is open and welcoming to all men of our QVD Family of Parishes.



Help and encouragement after the death of a loved one.

Tuesday's | 6:30pm – 8:30pm January 14 – April 8 (13 weeks) St. Frances Cabrini – Mother Cabrini Room 15310 Wick Rd.

Register by calling (313) 436-0201 or email ttardiff@cabriniparish.com
Cost \$25.00 (workbook).

You can join this support group at any time during the 13 weeks.

Help and encouragement after the death of a spouse, child, family member, or friend. GriefShare is a special weekly seminar and support group designed to help you rebuild your life after losing a loved one. Our group is led by caring people who have experienced grief and want to help you through the difficult days ahead. We know it hurts, and we want to help!

## New Monthly Service Opportunity

#### Pope Francis Center | Bridge House

Finding the right opportunities to fulfill the call to service and support those in need can be challenging. We're excited to share a wonderful opportunity to engage our parishioners and serve in faith.

We have a chance to become involved at the Bridge Housing Campus, part of the Pope Francis Center, as a Meal Team providing regular support preparing and serving meals alongside their talented chef. The location is near the former St. Leo's soup kitchen near I-96 and Warren.

Meal Teams of four will cover the lunch shift from 11:00 am-2:00 pm on the 3rd Thursday each month with our next opportunity on Thursday, January 16. We'll meet outside the Parish Office at 10:20 am on the designated date. All food is provided. Transportation as well will be provided.

If you're interested in joining us or would like more information call Barb Engler at (313)407-9511 or email at bpengler621@gmail.com.

Many thanks in advance for your consideration in being a part of the critical team preparing and serving meals. We look forward to working with you!



Con música cantada de: Flor y Canto

SERIES FORMATIVAS DE OCP

Taller de Capacitación para el Ministerio de Coros Parroquiales

FUNDAMENTOS DE LA LITURGIA



Presentador:

Jaime Cortez

Salvadoreño, compositor, arreolista e intérprete.

Patrocinador:

Sábado, 1 de Febrero, 2025 8:30 a.m — 3:00 p.m.

Parroquia de San Alfred | 24175 Baske St, Taylor, MI 48180

\$20 personal / \$40 por familia (desayuno ligero y almuerzo incluido) Tendremos cuidado de niños.







#### Senior Group 55 + for Men & Women

Join us each month for a themed luncheon and other activities for enjoyment and socialization for active seniors. We meet every 3rd Tuesday of the month from 12:00—2:00 p.m. All those in our Family of Parishes are invited to join us each month. We look forward to meeting you and sharing in some fun events and activities. Cost for each event is \$15 per person.

Healthy Living in the New Year!
Tuesday, January 21st
Mother Cabrini Room (Enter through door on Wick)

Enjoy a fresh green salad topped with your choice of meats, cheese, and vegetables. Add some rolls and butter, soft drinks, and follow it up with dessert.

We have invited a Health & Wellness instructor to lead us through simple exercises and offering tips on Alzheimer's Prevention, Regulating Blood Sugar and brain health!

RSVP: Rsurma@surmaco.com or ttardiff@cabriniparish.com or call (313)436-0201 by January 17.

# Moms on Mission

Open to all Parishes Tuesday, January 21 | 9:30-11:00am St. John Paul II Room of the Holy Family Hall at St. Frances Cabrini



This is the first meeting of this group to discuss the formation of a bi-monthly meeting for mothers.

This group will be founded to strengthen our bond to one another and our bond to Christ through the vocation of motherhood.

You will feel the love and compassion of Christ through the group discussion on relevant topics, prayer, scripture and fellowship with others.

Mothers of all ages are welcome! No registration required.

If you have questions, please contact Katie at 864-979-2291

### Quo Vadis Domine Parish Clergy & Staff

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Fr. Johnson Pradeep, Priest *In Solidum* jpradeep@qvdomine.org | (313) 436-0200

Fr. Ryan Walters, Priest *In Solidum* rwalters@qvdomine.org | (248) 468-4795

Fr. Leo Sabourin, Priest in Residence St. Constance

Fr. John Sullivan, Priest in Residence St. Mary Magdalen

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#### **Mission Direct**

Armando Bravo abravo@cabriniparish.com | (313) 437-8505

### Sibling Parishes

#### St. Andre Bessette

Fr. Cornelius Okeke, Priest *In Solidum* 4250 W. Jefferson Avenue, Ecorse Michigan (313) 383-8514 | www.standreparish.org

#### **Mass Times**

Saturday, 4:00pm Sunday, 9:30am | 11:30am (bilingual) Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, 9:00am

#### **Our Lady of Angels**

Fr. Dariusz Strzalkowski, Priest *In Solidum* 6442 Pelham Road, Taylor Michigan (313) 381-3000 | www.loacc.org

#### **Mass Times**

Saturday, 4:00pm Sunday, 9:30am | 11:30am Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, 8:45am