

THE HOLY TRINITY

OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA OLSOS.ORG

Father

ONE GOD
and Father of all,
who is over all
and through all
and in all.
Ephesians 4:6

Son

THE WORD
became flesh and
made his dwelling
among us, and we saw
his glory, the glory as
of the Father's only
Son, full of grace
and truth.
John 1:14

Holy Spirit

THE ADVOCATE,
the holy Spirit that
the Father will send
in my name ~ he will
teach you everything
and remind you of all
that I told you.
John 14:26

Half and Half from Msgr. Gary Smetanka

Last Sunday, on the Feast of Pentecost, Archbishop Vigneron announced that a renewed mission and direction for effective pastoral ministry serving the Archdiocese of Detroit and Southeast Michigan. After praying for the Holy Spirit and a "new Pentecost" for the Archdiocese of Detroit 6 years ago, we are at another threshold and direction to transform our parishes and schools on mission to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus in our life.

As you know, we were a pilot parish last year for what was called "Sent on Mission." We put forth our parish Missionary Strategic Plan, a process that was very positive and is still an important tool as we look forward. Then we experienced this health and economic crisis that is challenging every family and business to adjust to new realities. As Archbishop Vigneron says, "Even before the pandemic, we knew that the way we function in our parishes needed to change. In addition to the shortage of priests available to serve in our parishes and the shortage of vocations for future ordinations, the parish structures we inherited served our mission well in the past, but they needed to be renewed and aligned for mission."

One part of the reality is the age of our clergy and the fewer ordinations that are foreseen in the near future. In case you were wondering (maybe you weren't), I am just past the median age of our Archdiocesan priests. Half of our priests are over 65 years old. In ten years it is projected that we will have 100 less priests to serve the parishes.

Archbishop Vigneron has discerned that the Archdiocese will move in the next two years to a model called "Family of Parishes." A "family" will be, perhaps, 3-6 parishes that will be served by a group of clergy and lay staff for the entire family.

As of this point, no "families" have been formed. Not much has been decided. Three committees (governance, mission direct, and mission support) have been formed in order to guide the process during the next 6 months. At this time, it is anticipated that the first families of parishes would begin July 2021 and the other half of the Archdiocese will begin in July 2022.

This model is different than the "cluster of parishes" where it was two or three parishes that shared one pastor. That has proven to be too detrimental for the pastor. This family model is focused on a group of ministers leading a group of parishes or a family. It has been effective and a positive step in ministering to the needs of a diocese in places like Pittsburg and a few other dioceses in the US and Ontario.

That is about all I know since we are just starting the process to discern how this vision might be implemented in reality. You can go to the website www.familiesofparishes.org for more questions and answers. Certainly information will be passed along as we move forward.

I know that we can not stop praying to the Holy Spirit that has guided our Church, especially in the Archdiocese of Detroit and this parish. For the good and well being of all our parishes and the effecting spreading and unleashing the Gospel in our lives, we trust in the Spirit!



mass times & information

SAT 4:00 p.m. (Vigil)
SUN 8:00 a.m.
 9:30 a.m.
 11:30 a.m.
MON 7:30 a.m.
TUE 7:30 a.m.
WED 7:30 a.m.
THU 7:30 a.m.
FRI 7:30 a.m.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

beginning June 15th

MON 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
TUE 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
WED 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
THU 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
FRI 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
SAT Closed
SUN Closed
Holidays — Closed

BAPTISMS

Please call the parish office during the last months of pregnancy to arrange for Baptism classes and schedule the Sacrament. Everyone has a right to their own sacramental certificate. No one has the right to another person's certificate, except: the parent/guardian of a minor child. (Archdiocese of Detroit)

RECONCILIATION

SAT 3:00 p.m. until all have been heard and by appointment

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK/
 MINISTRY TO THE SICK**

The Church strongly encourages people to receive the Sacrament (Anointing) of the Sick at the early stages of serious sickness or before serious surgeries.

In emergency situations needing the prompt attention of a priest, please call the parish office.

MARRIAGE

Archdiocesan law requires advance notice of at least six months.

PARISH REGISTRATION

Newcomers to the parish may register in the Parish Office during regular office hours. Others, please notify the Parish Office of address changes.

Adults over 21 need to be registered as an individual member to be considered a Catholic in Good Standing.

Hearing devices are available for use during Mass. Please ask an usher for assistance.

** Congratulations to all of our graduates! Some are graduating from graduate school, college, high school or middle and elementary school. I especially congratulate our the 8th grade grads from Our Lady Star of the Sea School. Another excellent class very well prepared for their high school and beyond. Thanks to their family members and our exceptional faculty and staff who lead and accompanied them along the way. May God bless all of you for your accomplishments and in your pursuit of future dreams! May our Blessed Mother continue to bring to closer to the Lord Jesus!

** Welcome our new Music Minister, James Renfer. He is obviously very talented, and young! I am sure he will share more about his life and experience in the weeks ahead.

Have a blessed week and let us continue to pray for peace in our communities and good health for all.

Msgr. Gary

Congratulations
8th Grade Graduation Class

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| Sofie Ancona | Lea Paluzzi |
| Kate Bania | Elle Quinlan |
| Matthew Blazejewski | Panayiota Roustemis |
| Gisele Bourbeau | Audrey Schena |
| Lorenzo Cavaliere | Luke Schena |
| Grace Cleary | William Seymour |
| Ella Dobbs | Lauren Shipe |
| Joseph Drawbaugh | Maria Siciliano |
| John Francis | Sophia Sparkman |
| Emily Giffer | Amelia Streberger |
| Chloe McFarlane | Anna Takach |
| Mallory McKeown | Eleanor Takach |
| Gabriella Miller | Cristian Talamantes |
| Joseph Olejniczak | Sarah Tomas |





Congratulations and Welcome!!

While our RCIA elect and candidates would normally enter the Catholic Church or complete their sacraments at the Easter Vigil, like many other special events, we were unable to do that due to the COVID pandemic. But the Feast of Pentecost was a wonderful day to bring them into the Church and complete their sacraments with the outpouring of the Holy Spirit. It was a beautiful Mass celebrated with family and friends.

Please welcome and continue to pray for:

The Hamolli Family – Andi, Melissa, Parker and Isabella who entered the Church through Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist.

Jonathan and Adrianna Lulgjuraj who were Confirmed and received Eucharist.

Scott Turnbull who made a Profession of Faith, was Confirmed and received Eucharist in the Church.



Mass Intentions

Monday, June 8

7:30 a.m. +Frank & Josephine
M. Colombo

Tuesday, June 9

7:30 a.m. The Sick

Wednesday, June 10

7:30 a.m. Mr. & Mrs. Robert
and Angeline
Trupiano

Thursday, June 11

7:30 a.m. +Charles David
+Joseph E. Lucas
+Philip Joseph
Mannone

Friday, June 12

7:30 a.m. OLSOS Parishioners

Saturday, June 13

4:00 p.m. +Gertrude Robert
+Paul & Monna
Hanna
+Richard & Irene
Spryszak

Sunday, June 14

8:00 a.m. +Thomas Burns

9:30 a.m. +Catherine Jabaro
OLSOS Parishioners

11:30 a.m. +Virginia Mushenski
+Hazel & Ed Metry, Sr.
+Edmund Ahee, Sr.
+William Cusenza

Scripture Readings

WEEK OF JUNE 7

SUNDAY

Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9

Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56

2 Cor 13:11-13

Jn 3:16-18

MONDAY

1 Kgs 17:1-6

Ps 121:1bc-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8

Mt 5:1-12

TUESDAY

Saint Ephrem, Deacon and Doctor of the Church

1 Kgs 17:7-16

Ps 4:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8

Mt 5:13-16

WEDNESDAY

1 Kgs 18:20-39

Ps 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab and 8, 11

Mt 5:17-19

THURSDAY

Memorial of Saint Barnabas, Apostle

Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3

Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6

Mt 5:20-26

FRIDAY

1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16

Ps 27:7-8a, 8b-9abc, 13-14

Mt 5:27-32

SATURDAY

Memorial of Saint Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church

1 Kgs 19:19-21

Ps 16:1b-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10

Mt 5:33-37

SUNDAY

Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a

Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20

1 Cor 10:16-17

Jn 6:51-58

PRAYER FOR AN END TO THE CORONAVIRUS CRISIS

Loving God, we come before you in our time of need.

We lay before you our concerns and fears over the spread of the coronavirus.

We know that you are mightier than all our fears and that the name of Jesus is the name above all other names.

We ask, in the name of Jesus, that you stop the spread of the coronavirus.

In your mercy, heal those who are sick and lead those who have died into your heavenly kingdom.

We ask this in the mighty name of Jesus.

Amen.

Outdoor Rosary (weather permitting)

Every Thursday

7:30 pm

In the Rosary Garden

Bring your own lawn chair and mask



OFFICE HOURS

Please note due to the extended Stay-at-Home order the parish Office will remain closed, but will be available for phone calls and emails. We hope to reopen on Monday, June 15th. We thank you for your cooperation and understanding during this time.

In memoriam

6/8/1967 *Anna Padelt*
6/8/1976 *Mary E. Noelke*
6/8/1977 *Charlotte Taggart*
6/8/1978 *Sandra Shikany*
6/8/1984 *Milton Halkides*
6/8/1985 *Marjorie Gibbs Sloan*
6/8/1988 *George S. Knowlton*
6/8/1994 *Audrey Beatty*
6/8/2008 *Onofre Llana*
6/8/2010 *Fr. Albert Lombardi*
6/9/1959 *Leta Keifer*
6/9/1962 *Lester Fischer*
6/9/1964 *Richard Howell*
6/9/1968 *Edward Baumann*
6/9/1969 *James Doyle*
6/9/1981 *Elizabeth Peak*
6/9/1984 *Emilio Baratta*
6/9/1990 *Helen D. Kwiatkowski*
6/9/2010 *Leona Spezia*
6/9/2011 *Sam Zeidan*
6/10/1967 *Nino Ugval*
6/10/1973 *Josephine Piscopo*
6/10/2002 *Werner Schmidt*
6/10/2009 *Charles Farrar*
6/11/1960 *Wynn Murphy*
6/11/1960 *Frances Tasiemski*
6/11/1979 *Cameel Hanna*
6/11/1988 *Helen Werenski*
6/11/1989 *Harold E. Haddas*
6/11/1992 *Wayne Long*
6/11/1997 *Bernard F. Myslinski*
6/11/2003 *Onorio Filangi*
6/12/2001 *Anne Manning*
6/12/2004 *Veronica Recor*
6/12/2010 *Albert Couvreur*
6/12/2015 *Barbara Molloy*
6/12/2016 *Robert Hellrung, Jr.*
6/13/1977 *Alyce McCormick*
6/13/1982 *Charles McInerney*
6/13/1985 *James Shields*
6/13/1987 *Sighild Rist*
6/14/1964 *Vivian B. Roehl*
6/14/1969 *Susan Reynolds*
6/14/1971 *Charles Shepherd*
6/14/1988 *Leone T. Nosek*
6/14/1996 *Patricia Pienzi*
6/14/2004 *Harry Lodholz*

Please pray for

the sick

Angela Agrusa
Daniel Ament
Jim Amori
Bruce Belcoure
Lisa Belcoure
Marie Brady
Rod Brown
Robert Caldwell
Cassidy Christie
Dr. William Collins
Sharon De Long
Virg Ditty
Joseph Drader
Dave Galbenski
Peter John Hanna
Linda Keschl
Steve Kocsis
Lynn Land
Luke Lleshaj
Phyllis Marek
Rev. Timothy Mazur
Mary Ann Montpetit

Kristina Mulder
Laura Murphy
Dan Murphy
Sue Nelson
Don Nelson
Marilyn O'Bryan
Sylvia Panicara
Jim Panicara
Lilian Rogers
Joe Ross
Terry Ryba
Josh Simon
Joseph Simon
Carmela Veneri
Charlotte Weekes
Fr. Francis Weingartz

those in the military

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Kyle Cone
Emily de Brun
Jason T. Erbecker
Ramon Lopez Garcia

Dylan Goitz
Kevin Hanley
Matt Helm
Matt Hoffman
Matthew Johnston
Justin Kelly
Paul Koss
Matt Lacy
Kyle Lechner
Thomas Miller
Joseph Misuraca
Michael Mott
Vincent Scalabrino
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Robert Skowronski
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