

**Jesus Christ is Risen!!
Alleluia!! Alleluia!!**

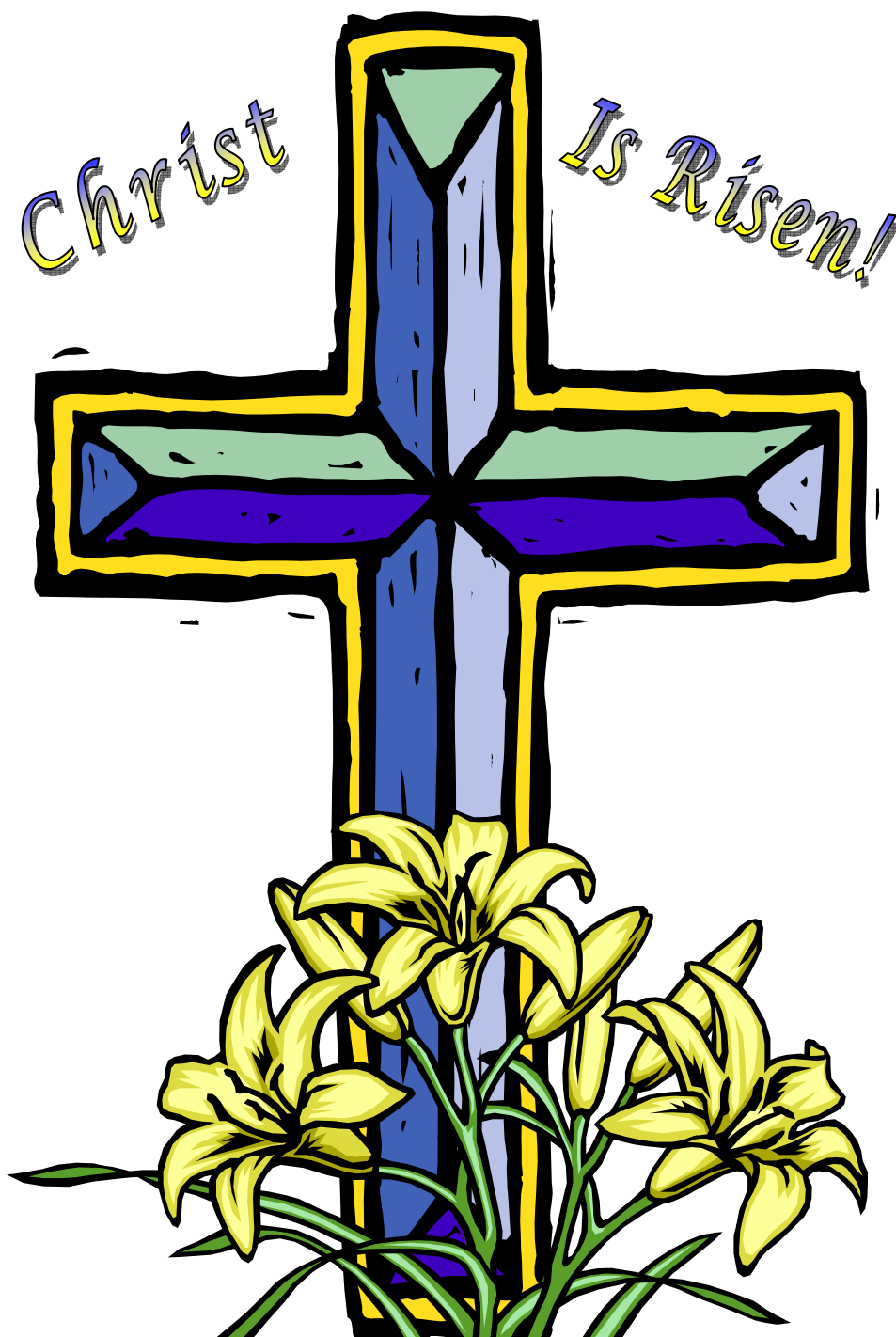


God the Father, the Source from which all life comes and in whom all humanity finds unity, has raised Jesus from the grave. Life, not death, gets the final word, when we are willing to entrust all to God.

Let us risk living by that Easter faith each day, each situation, and each relationship. Let us witness to a God of life and love in the midst of a world too prone to violence, prejudice, hurt, and hatred.

We are very thankful that we can be part of this parish and share in the mission and ministry of the risen Jesus. A Blessed Easter to you and your families from the SS. John and Paul Parish Staff

- Fr. David Buersmeyer, Pastor
- MaryAnn LaRaia, Parish Secretary
- Linda Bauer, Coordinator Faith Formation
- Karen Peters, Associate Coordinator Faith Formation & Youth Ministry
- JoAnne Owens, Pastoral Associate
- Al Eppens, Director of Liturgical Music
- Kathy Mollon, Christian Service Coordinator
- Paula Klozik, Business Manager
- Bob Lerczak, Maintenance
- Fr. Ron Sayes, Pastor Emeritus and Weekend Associate



Here's what's happening this week!

Monday, April 9:

- *Mass at 7:00 p.m.
- *NO RE
- *NO Adult Bells
- *Parish Offices Closed

Tuesday, April 10:

- *Mass at 9:00 a.m.
- *NO RE
- *NO Jr. Choir
- *Offices close at 4:30 p.m.

Wednesday, April 11:

- *9:00 a.m. Mass
- *Offices close at 4:30 p.m.

Thursday, April 12:

- *7:00 Choir

Saturday, April 714:

- *3:00 Confessions
- *3:00 Teen Bells

NB: Holiday Office Hours

The parish offices will be closed on Monday, April 9 and reopen on Tuesday, April 10, at 9:00 a.m. No evening office hours on Tuesday and Wednesday, April 10-11

Regular Parish Office Hours

Mon. - Wed .— 9 :00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.
Thursday — 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Friday — 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Saturday—12:00 to 3:00 p.m.
Sunday — 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Congratulations to our newest fully initiated members of SS. John & Paul



Catherine Hartkop



Terry Crabtree



Lisa Lulis



Eric Noyse

and to Eric who has been received into full communion with the Catholic Church

We are very proud to have them as part of our faith community.

Catholic Services Appeal 2007

As in the years past, we will be needing a number of volunteers to work on the CSA appeal. If you would like to help, please fill out the form below and return it as soon as possible. There is also a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the hallway to the Activities Center.

I am able to help with the CSA in the following way after mass on:

- May 5 — 5:00 p.m.
- May 6 — 8:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.
- May 6 — 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Help open and audit gifts/pledges
- May 12 — 5:00 p.m.
- May 13 — 8:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.
- May 13 — 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Help open and audit gifts/pledges

Name: _____

Phone: _____



Baptism

Congratulations to :
Lauren Adeline
Miller baptized
April 8, 2007.



**2006-2007
Religious
Formation
Program**

October-May

Early Childhood

(ages 3-4-5 years)

Sunday: 9:30 a.m.

Sessions: April 15, 22, 29

Grades 1-6

Monday: 4:45-6:00 p.m.

Tuesday: 4:45-6:00 p.m.

& 6:30-7:45 p.m.

NO sessions during

the month of April

G.R.A.C.E. only:

April 22, 24, 25, 27

Grades 7-8

Sunday: 6:30-8:30 p.m.

In weekly blocks of time

G.R.A.C.E.

All Are Welcome!

Sun., April 22 — 5:00-7:30 p.m.

Tues., April 24 — 6:00-8:30 p.m.

Wed., April 25 — 5:00-7:30 p.m.

Fri., April 27 — 6:00-8:30 p.m.

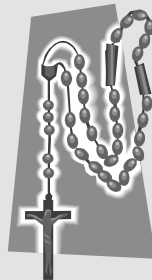
A Quiet Joy & Peace



On this Easter Day we still feel pain, our own pain and the pain of others. But something has happened. It doesn't remove the pain, but gives it a meaning, and lights it up with hope. All is different because Jesus is alive and speaks his words of peace to us. There is a quiet joy among us, and a deep sense of peace. Jesus has broken the power of death, and given us the hope of eternal life.

Lord, guard this hope with your grace, and bring it to fulfillment in the kingdom of heaven.

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**SIGN UP
NOW!**

**APRIL
22, 24, 25, 27**

Theme: Mary

**Event: Rite of
May Crowning,
Honoring the
Blessed Mary;
Praying the
Rosary**

**Mail...
Drop Off...
Fax
586.781.7061
Registration
Forms as soon
as possible**

*Forms can be
found in racks in
back of church.*



**CELEBRATION OF THE
SACRAMENT OF
FIRST EUCHARIST**

The following children will be receiving their First Eucharist over the next two weeks. Please keep them and their families in prayer as they join us at the table of our Lord.

APRIL 15

9:30 a.m. — *Marco Gaglio and Jessica Lulis*

11:30 a.m. — *Samuel Delcourt and Chase Kopczyk*

APRIL 21

5:00 p.m. — *Bridget Bytner, Adam Migliore,
and Zachary Page*

APRIL 22

11:30 a.m. — *Danielle Covins, Steven Kaniuk,
Erin Labaere, Paul Labaere,
Sarah Ozella, Joseph Russo*

Visiting the Grave

On Easter morning the women went to the tomb to perform the task of embalming Jesus' body, but also to be near the one who had filled their lives.

We often do the same thing ourselves when someone we love dies. We feel we need to maintain a link with them and one of the ways we meet this need is by visits to the grave.

At the tomb the women met two angels who said to them, 'Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here, but has risen.' It was to these faithful women disciples that the Easter message was first given: Jesus is not dead; he is alive.

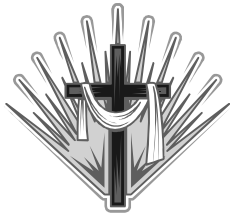
All of us have stood forlornly by the grave, where it speaks of death. Yet it was exactly the place where the resurrection was first announced.

Through the voice of the liturgy, the same message is given to us: Do not look for your loved one in the grave. He / she is not there. Jesus overcame death, not just for himself, but for all of us. He is the first to rise from the dead, but we will follow him. For a Christian, there is no such thing as death in the sense of final extinction. Our dead are not dead. They are alive and live a more real and beautiful life than ours. They are not far from us. They are no further from us than God, and God is very near. And if there is sadness, because of what happened on Easter morning, there is a quiet hope mingled with our sadness.



Alleluia...Alleluia, You are Risen!

“On the third day he rose again, in fulfillment of the scriptures...” The unconditional and overwhelming love of God for us made visible in the birth of Jesus does not fade or disappear with the death of Jesus on the cross. Rather the passionate love of God for is deepened in the death and entombment of Jesus. That love rises above the tomb in the resurrection of Jesus from the dead. The Church proclaims: “Jesus Christ broke the chains of death and rose triumphant from the grave!”



The chains of death are truly broken. Just as the divine nature took on our humanity in all things but sin, so too the resurrection of Jesus was accomplished in a real human body. The Risen Lord is not a ghost who returns to haunt the disciples. The resurrection of Jesus is a passing over from death into a new live, a new existence. It is a glorious mystery that deserves a hearty, “Alleluia” from every believer.

“Christ Jesus,
we are baptized with you
into your death.
You are risen,
now and forever!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

We are united with you
in the newness of life.
You are risen, now and forever!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

We believe that we shall
live with you always!
You are risen, now and forever!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!



- **Attention 8th Graders** — There is a meeting scheduled on April 17 at 7:00 p.m. for all the parents and future candidates for the Sacrament of Confirmation. If your teen has completed the two year preparation process and would like to learn more about the process of Confirmation, please make sure you attend this meeting. Any questions or concerns, please call Karen Peters at 586.781.9488.
- **G.R.A.C.E.** — The next G.R.A.C.E. session will be on April 22, from 5:00-7:30 p.m. This is for all teens! Seventh grade will meet separately and 8-12th grades will meet. Please make sure your family has a registration form completed for this night. It is very important that we know the number of people in attendance for the food count. Any questions, please call Karen Peters, 586.781.9488.
- **Thank you** — To the teens who helped with the 7-8th grade ice breakers on last Sunday. You all did a great job and I greatly appreciate your help. And thank you to all those teens who brought in items for the Agape Center and Samaritan House. Your generous gifts are greatly appreciated.

New Parish Pastoral Council Members Needed

Nominations for Parish Council members are now open for four new members. Qualifications include being:

- Registered in the parish and 18 years of age or older
- Able to serve a three-year term
- Willing to work collegially in seeking consensus on issues

No election is held. Names of all nominees are placed in a basket and selected at mass through a drawing by hand. A youth representative, high school age, is also needed. A separate selection will take place. Please return the following form in the collection basket, by mail, or to the parish office during regular hours.

**Parish Pastoral Council
Member Nomination Form**

I would like to nominate the following person(s) to serve as a member of the Parish Pastoral Council. You may nominate yourself.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Name: _____ Phone: _____

High School Nominee:

Name: _____ Phone: _____



Soup Kitchen News

Thanks to everyone who participated and donated food in February. Once again, the soup kitchen volunteers outdid themselves. We served a delicious spaghetti lunch.

Our next meal will be served on Tuesday, April 17, 2007. We will serve a spaghetti lunch with salad and fresh fruit. Donated items should be delivered to the parish kitchen before April 16th. Please mark your bags SOUP KITCHEN. Please call Pat Sagert (586.781.7035) or Barbara Jarzembski (586.336.1450) to see what is needed.

The Soup Kitchen team meets at 8:30 AM SHARP the day of the lunch at SS. John & Paul and leaves via carpool to the Salvation Army Soup Kitchen at 8:45 AM. God bless you for your continued generosity.

Focus: HOPE Food Deliverers Needed

April 18th is SS. John & Paul's turn to deliver Focus: HOPE lunches to neighbors in our area. We need 3 – 4 people who would be willing to donate approximately two hours of their time to deliver these lunches. Drivers would report to Samaritan House at 10:00 AM Wednesday, April 18th to get instructions and food. If you would like to help out in this way, please call Kathy at the Parish Office at 781-9010

Alzheimer's Support Group to Meet

Caregivers of family members with Alzheimer's disease or other dementia are invited to attend a support group meeting on Monday, April 16, from 1:00-3:30 p.m. at A Friend's House Adult Day Services in Clinton Township, 15945 Canal Road (between Garfield and Hayes). For more info, please call 586.412.8494.



Team Leaders Needed

Planning for MCREST (Macomb County Rotating Emergency Shelter Team) is underway. The parish will be hosting 30 guests for one week (December 9 – 16, 2007) and many volunteers are needed. Several parish committees/groups have volunteered to assist during MCREST week. The Teens, Family Committee and the Knights of Columbus have agreed to each put on dinners during MCREST week. Several other churches have agreed to provide the remainder of the dinners for the week.

I am in the process of recruiting Team Leaders for MCREST. Team Leaders assist in planning and preparation of MCREST for their specific team. They are responsible for organizing and supervising the volunteers on their team during the MCREST week. Many parishioners have volunteered to be Team Leaders but more are needed to complete the Team Leadership for MCREST. I need volunteers to come forward now so that the planning can continue.

The following parishioners have volunteered to be Team Leaders:

- ◆ **Bakers** – Sharilyn Kaniuk
- ◆ **Breakfasts** – Cathy Radtke and Laurie Crabtree
- ◆ **Child Advocate** – Holly Anderson
- ◆ **Dinners** – Sue Keller and Pat Fields
- ◆ **Intake** – Mimi Gendreau
- ◆ **Laundry** – Mary Adkins
- ◆ **Lunches** – Connie Delcourt
- ◆ **Medications** – Peggy Benson
- ◆ **Pat Down** – Michael Bouthillet
- ◆ **Transportation** – Bill Huellmantel and Tom Klakulak
- ◆ **Telephone Team Leader** — Marilyn McDonell
- ◆ **Security/Night Supervisor** — Bill Conway
- ◆ **Sunday Break Down** — Jim and Suzanne Rielly

Team Leaders are needed for the following Teams:

- ◆ **Concierge/Counselor**
- ◆ **Customs/Sunday Search**
- ◆ **Housekeeping**
- ◆ **Maintenance**
- ◆ **Mentoring**
- ◆ **Security/Night Supervision** — Need another co-team leader
- ◆ **Shopping**
- ◆ **Showers**
- ◆ **Smoking**
- ◆ **Sunday Set Up**
- ◆ **Sunday Break Down** — Need another co-team leader
- ◆ **Volunteer Registration**

Please contact me at mgendreau@comcast.net or (248) 652-3799 to inquire about being a Team Leader and to discuss the responsibilities of each team. Many teams can use two (2) Co-Team Leaders so consider teaming up with a friend and volunteering to take on a team.

Transportation

We are looking for auto dealerships or private companies to loan passenger vans for MCREST week to transport guests. If you have contact with a dealership/company that might consider loaning a van, please contact Transportation Team Leader Bill Huellmantel at (586) 786-9625 or bnbhuell@aol.com.

Mimi Gendreau, MCREST Coordinator

Pastor's Perspective

*Fr. John West's Anniversary

This coming Saturday, April 14th, we will remember Fr. John West at the 5 p.m. Mass on this second anniversary of his death. John's parents are members of the parish and John grew up in the area, attending St. Clement's in Romeo, prior to the formation of this parish. John was also a classmate of mine and part of my priest's support fraternity for 25 years. As I think about the Easter season John's death reminds me of the real blessings yet fragility of life. No matter the length of years, we are to trust in God as a God of life and live well and fully this life we have been given.

*G.R.A.C.E. II

We are still in need of a number of registrations from religious education families as well as parish members at large for our second G.R.A.C.E. session the week of April 22nd. The catechetical theme is the Catholic understanding of Mary. The event we are focusing on is the May Crowning prayer service with rosary on May 1st. But the main reason for G.R.A.C.E. (Growing and Responding as Catholics Everyday) is to introduce the new model for faith formation in the parish. It is a model that will be the core of faith formation next year: centered on the whole community (not just children) and intergenerational (adults and children come together for part of the evening, but have their own time as well).

The same session is offered on Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday evenings to provide for different schedules and needs. Please check the registration form for some restrictions on which nights can be signed up for and for starting times. A simple dinner is part of the evening. It is a way for parish members to interact and build community and to do a little focusing on the topic of the evening. The cost of the meal is \$3. We ask that adults cover that cost for themselves with a donation, if at all possible. No cost to the children (their yearly religious formation fee covers it).

At the end of the April sessions we will have a booklet on next year's G.R.A.C.E. sessions, as well as all the other components of religious formation

at SS. John and Paul, along with a registration form. People will be asked to sign up for a specific evening of the week and attend on that evening each month that G.R.A.C.E. meets. Changes in schedule for a given month can be accommodated, but we need to know basic numbers in order to plan for food and materials. I want to especially encourage adults without children, single adults in their 20s and 30s, and married couples to attend. Faith formation will no longer be on a school and child-centered model but on a community and life-long learning model.

Wouldn't it be wonderful for children who attend to always see many others, adults who are not their parents, who are actively interested in ongoing faith learning. We have to find a way to stop thinking that faith formation is done at 8th grade or at the end of high school or when the sacrament of Confirmation is received. The Catholic faith tradition is deep, rich, and meaningful. It is something that can be absorbed as a child and deepened as young adults and then adults. Join us for G.R.A.C.E. II.

*Parish Council Follow Up on the Building Planning Process

The next step for the parish council is to meet with the Archdiocesan building department supervisor to make sure we have covered all the preliminary steps. Then we can formally request permission from Cardinal Maida to form a building committee, work on the master plan, and hire an architect. We hope to meet with the building department in May and with Cardinal Maida in June. Then we will spend the next year developing the plans so that, before moving to any fund-raising stage, people can have a better understanding and image of what a permanent Activities Center would look like and where it would be located on the property.

*Catholic Services Appeal

Our 2007 Catholic Services Appeal (CSA) will take place on the first two weekends of May. You will soon be receiving a letter from me in the mail, along with a return envelope and CSA donation/pledge form.

The Catholic Services Appeal is the most important financial way that the

Church in the Archdiocese of Detroit is able to continue the mission and ministry of Jesus Christ on the widest scale: ministry to prisoners, refugees, homeless, women looking for alternatives to abortion, hospitalized Catholics, deaf Catholics, young adults at college campuses, supporting Catholic schools, religious education formation, helping divorced Catholics seek help with prior marriages, supporting Sacred Heart Seminary in its training of men for priesthood and lay men and women for ministry in the Church, specific ministries that help poorer parishes, and much more.

I don't know how to stress this strongly enough. **The CSA makes a huge and positive difference in the lives of thousands of people. You can be proud that you help make such ministry possible.** The Catholic Services Appeal money is pre-designated for certain ministries. The budget is pre-set and all money collected goes to fund those ministries or is returned to the parishes for their own use.

Before the end of April you will be receiving from me the usual CSA letter, pledge form and return envelope. Please do your best to contribute generously to the CSA. All monies over and above our parish target (we are still waiting for that target but I will list it in the letter to you) are returned to the parish for its own use, with no taxation. In other words, 100% of your CSA contribution helps the parish directly. It helps us reach the mandatory target (which we have to pay to the diocese no matter what) and then comes back to the parish for its own use, once that target is reached. This past year about \$60,000 has been returned to the parish for its own use, tax-free from the diocese, from CSA 2006.

Each of us is different in what we are able to contribute. Once again I am asking that people try to pledge/contribute at least \$300 to the CSA. Some can afford to do much more. Some cannot afford to do that much. Please be generous and do your best and help make this year's Catholic Services Appeal a success. Thank you.

May you have a very blessed, happy and safe Easter.

Fr. Buersmeyer

Easter Flower Memorials

Mary A. & Thomas J. Rielly	Mr. & Mrs. Robert Stavenow	Larry DeNio	Deceased members of Bruszewski Family & Deceased members of Formanczyk Family
Mary Ellen & Jack F. Smith	Mr. & Mrs. Dominic Blues	Mr. & Mrs. Leo Bruszewski	
	Mr. Alfred Baston II	Mr. & Mrs. Stanley Podolski	
	Mr. Alfred Baston III	Mr. & Mrs. Roman Kuplicki	
Fred & Anne Mehlick	Jerome Hojnacki	Carol Ann Kabel	Dorothy & Tim Cronenwett
Eldon & Lois Gregory	Anna Horeski	Bill K. Chadwick	Pat Buckles
Pasquale Cocco	Regina Dutz	Gary David Fiorani	Louis Ranelli
Pasqua Rea	June Newlin	Catherine Fiorani	Mary Mahac
Deceased members of Darga & Martino Families	Don Newlin	Thomas Rollinger	James & Maureen O'Donnell Family
Don Demmers	Giulio Perazza	Rudy Keller	Veronic & Henry Maher Family
Delores Ringel	Tara Grant	Helen Keller	
Hilda Monteleon	Elizabeth Groth	Helen & Mike Miles	
Mike Guzman	Melvin Groth		Norman VanDenBrouck
	Nicholas Bucherri		Bernadine Pallas
	Nancy Bucherri		Edmund J. Olejniczak, Sr.
Silvio Lanza	Farley C. Shelton		Nicholas T. Korzeniewski
Fr. David Amo	Sam & Bertha Parisi	Esther Greenway	
Sherry Denning		John MacDonald	Jerome Hojnacki
Haley Urbin	Deceased members of the Hackett & Hunsucker Families	Margaret & John Larsen	Anna Horeski
Stephanie Ziebron		Jerome Friedrich	Joesphine Wiegand
Stadwick Family	Milton & Rosemary Jaissle	Elizabeth Orczykowski	Martin Kaput
Duhaime Family	Avellino Bettin	Michael & Emilia Bem, Sr.	Irene Kucway
Ruth Zuehlk	Sylvia Gurgul	Michael Bem, Jr.	Maria Sant
Frank Preny	Edwin & Pauline Otto	Al Dobbs Family	James J. Dushane
Emelia, Alfred & Shirley Hebert	Theresa Sinila	Stanley Scheff Family	Carlo Ghidoli
Ray & Rose Lassone	Esther Schima	Lorraine Kolaski	Julie Light
Kathryn Rose	Katherine Richardson	Helen Sinda	Forrest A. Bernia
Albert Puffpaff	Evelyn Schima		Edmund N. Jarzembski
Frederick Winn	Richard Antkiewicz	Maria & Vincenzo Guidi	Delores Larsen
Blaise Pewinski	Ken Nurmi	Luigi & Marianna DePalma	Dorothy Dawood
Marge Courtney	Leone Pyke	Anna & Michael Calabrese	Edna Sharp
Bruno Norkus	Mary Sowkin	Antonio & Adelina Marcantonio	Rod Blonde
Vincent Norkus	Edward, Victoria & Robert Gray	Giuseppe & Lucia Valente	Tom Schultz
Emil Petty	Don LaRose	Karen Valente	Willard Korth
Beatrice Rohland	Vito & Anna Floreno	Michael & Rosa Mestdagh	Gerald E. Hatcher
Charles Finn	Edward Marcinko	Andrew VanDamme & Sons	Judith Taylor
Dan Finn	Mr. & Mrs. Walter Zimmer	Dorothy Dawood	John Kosimik
Catherine Esser	Franz & Katharine Rauschmaier	Mr. & Mrs. Nick Rokich	Bernardino DiCicco
Jean M. Kastruba	Karl Koelsch	Lucy & Michale Tortorelli	Julie Radtke
Leo & Mary Kastruba	William Cammarata	Anna & John Szopjak	Jacqueline Ann Goolsby
Giuseppe & Guiseppina Samartano	William Cammarata, Jr.	Gertrude & Richard Shoobridge	Izabele Pusdesris
Saveria Palazzolo	Ann Bialkowski	Rudi & Johann Dietrich	Fr. John West
	Jason Smith	Emil & Anna Ruppe	Flo Poli
		Frank & Theresa Trupiano	John W. Mathie
		John & Mary Schweninger	Laura Payne
		Henry & Luciulle Patalon	Gerald Vanderbeke
			Giuseppe Pittiglio
			Joseph Staller

URGENT! Changes to Meijer Community Rewards

Effective May 1, 2007, Meijers will change the way Community Rewards are earned. Rewards will **only** be earned by purchases made with a **Meijer credit card** or **cash**. Rewards will not be earned for purchases paid by personal check, debit or non-Meijer credit cards, as was allowed since the program began. Anyone that is currently enrolled in this program will have to re-enroll before May 1st if they are interested in earning Meijer Community Rewards under their new guidelines.

Please know that we are not expecting or encouraging anyone to apply for a credit card in order for the parish to receive rewards.

We are grateful for your support of this program these past three years. Over six thousand dollars has been raised through this program and these funds will be used to offset the cost of the new sign on 28 Mile Road. Thank you for your support of the parish

North Macomb Vicariate Newsletter

News from parishes in our North Macomb Vicariate is available online at www.NMVonline.org. The newsletter also lists the mass time for every parish in our vicariate. For the current issue and archives of past issues of the newsletter, check out the page entitled "View the North Macomb News". You can also use Yahoo! or Google's search engine by putting in the search line: North Macomb Vicariate or North Macomb Vicariate News.

Pray for our sick



Mary Angelosante, Rita Bayer, Suzanne Bawol, Mary Burcar, Bill Cauley, Vivette Clark, Ralph Cleary, Deborah Conn, Chris Del Pappa, Lauren DeNio, Art Donovan, Antoinette Errante, Alojzy Filipowicz, Krystyna Green, Mark Hansen, Lora Hardin, Ronnie Housewright, Jerry Hyvonen, Janet Johnson, Krissi Kehrig, Hayden Kroll, John LaCroix, Mrs. Fred LaRose, Jacob Main, Bernice Mayer, Agnes Mehlick, Bob Mehlick, Trudy Mehlick, Adele Miller, Larry Newsom, Denise Olejniczak, John Pakledinaz, Dorothy Puffpaff, Hank Roman, Mary Ruppert, Albert Sabbe, Alice Sabbe, Camille Smith, Michelle Smith, Tommasina Smith, Cecelia Smith, Mary Sorrow, Ken Stempien, Barbara Supina, Duane VanPamel, Elvire VanPamel, Nathan Walper, Richard Waluk

Pray for our military



Noel & Greg Ales, Nick Bassett, Augie Biache III, Mike Boback, Andrew Eppens, Eric Eppens, Tony Gentilia, David Krzycki, Jonathon Krusinski, Chris Krusinski, Paul McGowan, David Newberry, Ryan Ribant, Thomas Schmidt, Chris Staniszewski, Vincent Titeriga, Daniel Trendell, Hunter Taylor

Stewardship Report

March 31-April 1, 2007

Weekly budget\$11,600.00
 Offertory.....\$14,068.78
 No. Sunday envelopes used.....412
Total offertory\$14,068.78

Other Monies / (# Envelopes)

Debt Reduction / (23).....\$452.00
 Children's Env. / (12).....\$31.21
 CRS (7).....\$210.00
 Church in Europe (2).....\$10.00

YTD Offertory.....\$454,744.78
 YTD Budget.....\$496,000.00
 Shortage/Surplus-\$41,255.22

When our spring days are spent practicing to be better stewards of God's gifts, Easter brings newness of life and is filled with joy. "See, I make all things new!" says the Lord (Rev. 21:5). May this season of grace find us made new and may our discipleship bloom with good stewardship.

Readings for the Week of April 8, 2007

Sunday, April 8:

Acts 10:34a, 37-43; Ps 118; Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8; Jn 20:1-9; or Lk 24:1-12

Monday, April 9:

Acts 2:14, 22-33; Ps 16; Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday, April 10:

Acts 2:36-41; Ps 33; Jn 20:11-18

Wednesday, April 11:

Act 3:1-10; Ps 105; Lk 24:13-35

Thursday, April 12:

Acts 3:11-26; Ps 8; Lk 24:35-48

Friday, April 13:

Acts 4:1-12; Ps 118; Jn 21:1-14

Saturday, April 14:

Acts 4:13-21; Ps 118; Mk 16:9-15

Sunday, April 15:

Acts 5:12-16; Ps 118; Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19; Jn 20:19-31

Sponsor of the week

L & M Decorative Painting



**Eucharistic
Prayer
Requests**

Saturday and Sunday

April 7-8, 2007

For all living and deceased relatives
of SS. John & Paul parishioners

Monday, April 9, 2007

Kayte Fournier by Witgen Family

Tuesday, April 10, 2007

Geri Dale by Boileau Family

Wednesday, April 11, 2007

Andrew VanDamme by E. VanDamme

Saturday and Sunday

April 14-15, 2007

Frank Martino by J. Martino
Dorothy Dawood by Family
Geri Dale by E. MacDougall
Gerald Hatcher by Wife
Clemente Truden by A. Truden
Olga Recchia & Anna Catenacci
by V. Recchia
Fr. John West by Family

Liturgical appointments for April 14-15, 2007				
	5:00 p.m.	8:00 a.m.	9:30 a.m.	11:30 a.m.
Celebrant	Fr. Sayes	Fr. Sayes	Fr. Buersmeyer	Fr. Buersmeyer
Lectors	G. Pagliarella N. Peters	J. Giffin P. Dobbs	K. Brunner P. Quayhackx	M. Catalano S. Brunet
Eucharistic Ministers *Captain	D. Peters* D. Peters A. Peters K. Peters I. Stavenow	T. Dobbs* G. Bawol M. Capp C. Klein R. Schultz	B. Brunner M. Adkins S. Pospiech J. Sabina J. Sabina J. Witek B. Quayhackx	D. Jiannuzzi* M.A. Klakulak E. Goble K. O'Neill J. Loebis
Altar Servers	M. Campbell	E. Sova	T. Anderson	F. Avolio A. Stirzinger
Greeters	D. Picklo O. Picklo	L. Weathers M. Weathers	B. Brunner D. Bernia	C. Winde
Ushers	Team #2 M. LaRaia M. Hendershot J. Krieg M. Macha	Team #4 R. Giffin K. Grunewald B. Huellmantel H. Susalla	Team #6 B. Burcar B. Cammarata J. Pospiech B. Schulz J. Gerds	Team #8 L. LePage C. Klavec R. Kopera J. Kretchman K. McBride J. Pyke D. Waligore
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