

THE

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SAINT BENEDICT

SAINT SCHOLASTICA

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

AUGUST 12, 2018



St. Scholastica Parish
17320 Rosemont
Detroit, Michigan 48219
www.stscholasticachurch.org

Fr. John Paul Bolger, CC, Pastor
Fr. Charles T. Orchard, CC, Associate Pastor

MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday through Friday	8:00 a.m.
Saturday	8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.
Sunday	10:00 a.m.
Holydays	8:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

MARRIAGE

Parish priest must be contacted six months prior to date of intended marriage.

BAPTISMS

Contact Fr. John Paul Bolger, CC

CONFESSIONS

Tuesday - Saturday Mornings: Immediately Following Mass
Saturday Evening Mass: 3:45 p.m. until 4:15 p.m.
Sunday: 9:15 a.m. until 9:45 a.m.
All other times - Call Parish Office For Appointment

ROSARY

Sunday 9:30 a.m. in the Chapel

PHONE NUMBERS

Parish Office(313) 531-0140
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FR. JOHN PAUL BOLGER, CC



REFLECTING ON GOD’S WORD

The Passover bread that the Israelites made when leaving Egypt had no leaven in it so that it would not spoil and could continue to provide nourishment to them on the road. Thus it is sometimes called bread for the journey. Of course manna also sustained them on their journey through the desert. And so did the Torah. So deliciously nourishing is the Word of God that some young Jewish children begin learning the Hebrew alphabet by licking honey placed on each letter so that the Torah should always be “sweet on the tongue.”

The story of Elijah being nourished in the desert beautifully epitomizes the many ways in which God provides bread for the journey. For Christians, Jesus’ words, works, and life given for us are the bread we crave. He alone gives us the strength and courage to “be kind . . . [forgive] one another . . . and live in love” (Ephesians 4:32, 5:2). And, oddly enough, we can find this ample nourishment from the Eucharist when all we taste is a sip and a crumb.

—Virginia Stillwell
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LIVING GOD’S WORD

The nourishment Jesus gives is meant not to put us to sleep but to fuel us for action. The selection from Ephesians seems to refer to the perfumed chrism with which the baptized “were sealed for the day of redemption” (Ephesians 4:30). Will others smell the heavenly aroma of Christ’s love on us and be drawn to him?

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ALPHA

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Is there more to life than this? Who is Jesus? Why did Jesus die? Why and how should I read the Bible?

For answers to these questions and many more, attend “Alpha” at St. Scholastica Parish. Alpha begins on Tuesday, September 11 at 6:15 p.m. and continues until November 13th. Alpha is free and includes dinner.

To register, call the Parish Office at 313-531-0140 during regular business hours. EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

THE LITURGY OF THE DAY

This time of the year we may grow weary from the heat of summer, eager for any respite from our discomfort. Like Elijah despairing in the desert in the first reading, we become thirsty and hungry, We need food and drink to sustain us. Gathering this Sunday around the table of the Lord, we find sustenance from the One who reveals himself in today’s Gospel as the Bread of Life.

The Lord sustained Elijah on his journey to the desert, providing food and water when he was ready to give up. Elijah went on to walk through the desert for forty days, a way of expressing a very long time. In the Gospel, Jesus reveals himself to be the living bread from heaven, able to sustain us through our trials and difficulties, and ultimately on our journey to eternal life.

From Pastoral Patterns

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MARK YOUR CALENDAR



The 90th Gala , celebrating St. Scholastica’s 90th year as a parish, will be held on Saturday, October 27th. More information will be coming soon. Please plan to come and spread the word about this historical event.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK:

Can I identify times in which Jesus has sustained me in difficult situations? How can what I receive today sustain me throughout the week ahead?



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Tuesday, August 14, 2018

8:00 a.m. † Fr. John Colautti, OSB by Kathleen O’Flaherty

Wednesday, August 15, 2018

8:00 a. m. Special Intentions of Priscilla Ogbenna by Priscilla Ogbenna

Thursday, August 16, 2018

8:00 a.m. Special Intentions of Priscilla Ogbenna by Priscilla Ogbenna

Friday, August 17, 2018

8:00 a.m. Special Intentions of Priscilla Ogbenna by Priscilla Ogbenna

Saturday, August 18, 2018

8:00 a. m. Special Intentions of Priscilla Ogbenna by Priscilla Ogbenna
4:30 p. m. † Eleanore Vosburg by Kathleen O’Flaherty

Sunday, August 19, 2018

10:00 a.m. For Parishioners

MASS ASSIGNMENTS

Saturday, August 18, 2018

4:30 p. m. Lector: Antoinette McDermott
Blood of Christ: Gubbie Bey



Sunday, August 19, 2018

10:00 a.m. Lector: Evelyn Alesna
Jonathan Jackson
Body of Christ: Jay Fetizanan
Blood of Christ: Cheryl Sanders
Blood of Christ: Mary P. McDougall



We continue to pray for our sick and homebound parish members, Bruce Henderson, Elma Thorpe, Annie Laurie Shannan, Courtney Atlas, Eileen Clark, Sandra Moulton, Christopher Staff, Mary Madigan, Margaret Porath, Drew Lund, Roland Martin, Marian Hubbard, Willie Beale, Jean Geran, Betty Kell, Gloria Seacord, Fermon Sanders, Diverna Stephenson, E. Napoleon Burton, William Walker, Albert Jackson, Daisy Allen, Victoria Crowe, Dennis Lund, Gertrude Strale, Matthew Onwudingo, Irma Gisstennar, Justin Doucette, Ellen Casey, Denise Goodine, Jonathan Jackson, Gwendolyn Dickerson, and Yolanda Stephens.

Parish Calendar:

August 15, 2018

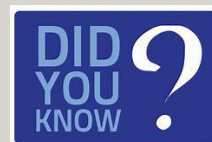
Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Mass— 8:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

August 18, 2018

Men’s Group—6:30 a. m.—Chapel
Mass 8:00 a.m. Followed by Adoration
Mass—4:30 p. m.

August 19, 2018

Rosary—9:30 a. m.
Mass— 10:00 a. m. – Church



That the first Parish Bulletin was launched on June 5, 1938?

That the Ushers were organized as a ministry at St. Scholastica in 1938?

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

Sunday, September 16, 2018, Fr. John Paul Bolger will be installed as the pastor of St. Scholastica Parish at the 10:00 a. m. Mass. Please join Bishop Hanchon and Fr. John Paul in celebrating this special occasion.

SUNDAY COLLECTION



July, 2018

Collected: \$6,510.00



STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS

In today's passage from the First Book of Kings, God sustains His tired and distressed prophet Elijah with food and drink to fortify him for his journey to God's mountain, Mt. Horeb. In St. John's Gospel, Jesus professes He is the spiritual "Bread of Life" and those who partake of this Bread will live forever. When we consume the Lord's consecrated Body and Blood in Holy Communion, we unify as one spirit in discipleship with Christ. St. Paul instructs the Ephesian Christian community, and us, to follow the way of love through Christ. Through our Lord's love and our participation in the Eucharist, Jesus directs us to proclaim His Word to all in a spirit of evangelization, and to welcome our brothers and sisters to a personal relationship with Him. Be open to attending Alpha or another evangelization process in your parish that brings Christ personally into your life.

CCSEM MERCY IN ACTION DAY

The third annual Mercy in Action Day is set for Saturday, October 20, 2018. Sponsored by Catholic Charities of Southeast Michigan (CCSEM), the event involves parishes throughout the six-county region of the Archdiocese of Detroit organizing service projects to help their local communities. Please join us again this year to answer our universal calling to serve those in need. For more information about getting involved, see the roster of regional contacts on the CCSEM website [here](#), or contact Joyce Hyttinen at CCSEM at 568-416-2300 ext. 4032 or hyttinenj@ccsem.org.

THE HISPANIC & NEWCOMER OUTREACH TUTORING PROGRAM OF CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF SOUTHEAST MICHIGAN

The Hispanic & Newcomer Outreach Tutoring Program of Catholic Charities of Southeast Michigan NEEDS VOLUNTEERS to work with children from Hispanic families in first-fifth grades at five elementary schools in Pontiac, two days a week from 3:00-5:00 p.m. You don't need a background in Spanish to help! The students speak English and need help with their homework and other academic activities to improve their performance in multiple subject areas. This volunteer tutoring program is a good fit for high school and college students, as well as retirees or others who have afternoons free. CCSEM staff coordinate the program and offer support to volunteer tutors. For more information, call Aidee Benavides at 248-338-4250 ext. 3235 or benavidesm@ccsem.org.



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IN THIS SPACE ARE THE HYMN SELECTIONS FOR THE DAY. PLEASE LIFT YOUR VOICES AND JOIN IN THE CELEBRATION OF THE MASS.

TODAY'S HYMNS ARE FOUND IN THE "WE CELEBRATE HYMNAL" AND THE "SEASONAL MISSALETTE"

	<u>WC</u>	<u>SM</u>
OPENING HYMN: "Alleluia, Sing to Jesus"	746	315
OFFERTORY: "Taste and See"	690	222
COMMUNION: "I Received the Living God"	676	287
CLOSING HYMN: "Let All Things Now Living"	984	