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FR. JOHN PAUL BOLGER, CC
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St. Scholastica Parish
17320 Rosemont
Detroit, Michigan 48219
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Fr. John Paul Bolger, CC , 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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REFLECTING ON GOD’S WORD

Going to the school of Jesus was not always easy for the disciples. Beginning with this event, Jesus begins to educate them about what it means to be his disciple. He starts with the basics: Who he is. Like a good teacher, he engages them in a discussion, asking two questions, going from the easier one to the more demanding one: Who do others say I am? Who do you say I am?

The first question gets a quick answer, but the second one gets only Peter’s response. By saying “You are the Christ” (Mark 8:29), Peter was naming Jesus as the long-awaited Anointed One, the one who would come to restore Israel’s political kingdom and overthrow the Romans. But this was not to be. Jesus counters Peter by speaking of himself as the Son of Man who must suffer, be rejected, be killed, and then rise after three days.

Peter is aghast at this and places himself in front of Jesus so that Jesus has to tell him to get behind him. Peter is blocking his way, like an obstacle, a stumbling block, an adversary (Satan), preventing Jesus from going in the direction he is heading. Peter had learned about a Messiah of power and prestige and Jesus was talking about a Man of pain and punishment. Peter wanted a political Messiah, not a suffering one. Peter saw the disciples taking part in the pomp and pageantry of a new age, and Jesus was speaking of denying oneself and picking up a cross.

But graduating from the school of Jesus means moving out of our comfort zone into a distressful district: a place where we take up the cross of self-denial and self-sacrifice. Of course, it all depends on how we answer his question: Who do you say that I am?

—James A. Wallace, C.Ss.R.
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LIVING GOD’S WORD

We pray that we come to know who Jesus is and how he is calling us to enter into his ministry to bring life to our world. We pray that we might better understand what we need to die to, so that God’s reign might become more present in our world.

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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!

LITURGY OF THE DAY

Our faith is a consolation, but it is also a challenge. We know this intuitively, but sometimes we’re not conscious of it. Our faith demands that we stand up for what we believe, and sometimes that is difficult. Our faith demands that we reach out to those in need. Our faith demands that we make sacrifices. Our faith demands that we take up our cross. Every Sunday when we walk in here we make the sign of the cross. May it remind us of what Jesus asks us to do.

Today’s readings are challenging. Isaiah accepts God’s call to prophecy, but he suffers terribly at the hands of his persecutors. Saint James insists that Christians are obligated to put their faith into action, clothing and feeding the needy. In the Gospel, Jesus tells his disciples, “Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me.” As we listen to the readings, let us reflect on how we take up our cross and put our faith into action..

From Pastoral Patterns

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SENIOR TRIP

St. Scholastica Parish Senior Trip to the Detroit Institute of Arts (DIA) on Thursday, October 4, 2018 from 12:15 until 3:00 p. m. A minimum of 25 people is needed. Marianna Bailey will sign people up at the Saturday and Sunday Masses for the next few weekends.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK:



How am I denying myself? What is the cross I am bearing at this point in my life? With the grace of God, am I willing to carry it?

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Tuesday, September 18, 2018

8:00 a.m. Special Intentions of Tabitha Noronhc

Wednesday, September 19, 2018

8:00 a. m. † Nellie and Oscar Waling by Kathleen O’Flaherty

Thursday, September 20, 2018

8:00 a.m.

Friday, September 21, 2018

8:00 a.m.

Saturday, September 22, 2018

8:00 a. m.

4:30 p. m. † E. Napoleon Burton by Helen Burton

Sunday, September 23, 2018

10:00 a.m. For Parishioners

MASS ASSIGNMENTS

Saturday, September 22, 2018

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

Sunday, September 23, 2018

10:00 a.m. Lector: Jonathan Jackson
Maria Fetizanan
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, 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:



September 22, 2018

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

September 23, 2018

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

ST. CHRISTINE FOOD KITCHEN

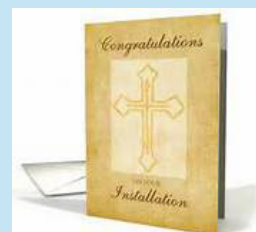
St. Christine Food Kitchen is looking for volunteers to assist with serving on Tuesday, October 2nd and Tuesday, December 11th. The time for both days is from 1:30 p.m. until 4:30 p. m. You may call the parish office at 313-31-0140if you are available to assist.

SUNDAY COLLECTION



August , 2018

Collected: \$5,436.00





STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS

In today’s Scripture readings, those called forth to accomplish God’s work experience difficulty completing their mission. God directs the prophet Amos, *a shepherd and a dresser of sycamore trees*, to prophesy to the Israelites in spite of the priest Amaziah’s opposition. In St. Mark’s Gospel, Jesus sends forth the Twelve Apostles, in the spirit of evangelization, to preach repentance, cure the sick, and drive out demons. He forewarns that they will encounter resistance and even rejection. St. Paul reminds us of the Father *Who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavens! ... and through Christ Jesus to be His adopted heirs*. As faithful stewards, we know the cost and sacrifice of discipleship. Our efforts to do God’s will may be resisted or rejected. However, the Lord’s gift of grace strengthens us to carry out His work regardless of the obstacles we may face. To help discover God’s will, set aside a few minutes of quiet time each day to listen to the Lord.

**YOUNG MARRIEDS SWEETEST DAY
DINNER DATE NIGHT**

“The Not So Newlywed Game”
6:00 PM – 9:30 PM, \$50/couple
St. Fabian Parish, Farmington Hills, MI

https://youngmarrieds_oct20.eventbrite.com

Come and treat each other to a fun-filled and relaxing dinner date night out with your fellow young married peers. You will have a hilarious time playing “The Not So Newlywed Game” and may even learn something new about your spouse. The date night will include a gourmet dinner, open bar, live entertainment, and dancing to cap off the evening. Don’t miss out ...reserve your spot today!

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TODAY’S HYMNS ARE FOUND IN THE
“WE CELEBRATE HYMNAL” AND THE “SEASONAL
MISSALETTE”

	<u>WC</u>	<u>SM</u>
OPENING HYMN: “All Are Welcome”	911	241
OFFERTORY: “We are Called”	817	223
COMMUNION: “Now We Remain “	678	238
CLOSING HYMN: “Lead Me Guide Me”	816	