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SAINT BENEDICT

THE SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME FEBRUARY 24, 2019

SAINT
SCHOLASTICA



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

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

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REFLECTING ON GOD’S WORD

By the time Mary Ellen discovered her business manager’s thievery, he had charged ten thousand dollars of personal items on the corporate credit card. It was a slap in the face that left her feeling angry, deceived, betrayed. Knowing that Chuck’s extended family was in financial trouble only made things harder. Didn’t he know he could come to her for help? Rather than press criminal charges, Mary Ellen decided to ask for Chuck’s resignation and two hundred dollars per month until the “debt” was paid. She knew she’d made the right decision when Chuck sobbed, “I was wrong. I’m so sorry. I’ll pay back every cent.”

In our culture such mercy is considered foolish and stupid. From lawsuits to the death penalty, from violence in our schools to gang wars, revenge seems to be our operating principle. Not so in these scriptures. Instead they urge: “Love your enemies,” “Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful,” “Bear the image of the heavenly one”—Jesus. In short, we are to ask and to do what Jesus would do.

—Virginia Stillwell
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LIVING GOD’S WORD

Lent is fast approaching. Lent is a season for receiving more deeply the merciful love that God showed us in Jesus. It is a season for letting God’s mercy convert us more fully into the image of Christ who loved his enemies even on the cross.

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LITURGY OF THE WORD

Jesus teaches his disciples the Golden Rule in the passage we hear today: “Do to others as you would have them do to you.” But he goes on to require more: “Love your enemies and do good to them . . . Expecting nothing back.” Today let us listen for what God is calling us to do for the people in our lives, both those who treat us kindly in return and those who do not.

In today’s Gospel, Jesus instructs his disciples to love their enemies, to be merciful, to do good even to those who do not do so in return. Today’s first reading dramatizes these lessons. Given the opportunity to kill Saul, David spares his life even though Saul had tried to kill him when he had the chance. “The Lord is kind and merciful,” we sing in the psalm. We are called to be as well..

From Pastoral Patterns

THE WILD GOOSE IS LOOSE STUDY



DISCOVER A DEEPER RELATIONSHIP WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT

A seven week study “The Wild Goose is Loose” begins at St. Scholastica on Thursday, February 21st.

This adventure consists of Fr. Dave Pivonka speaking on an attribute of the Holy Spirit, a practical application on how to respond to the Holy Spirit . Discover the Holy Spirit who has been revealed by Jesus Christ and who leads us to our heavenly Father.

There is no charge to attend this study. Contact the Parish Office to register.

There is an afternoon session on Wednesday at 1:00 p. m. and an evening session on Thursday evenings at 6:30 p. m.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK:



How am I showing my mercy, my humanity to others? Am I witnessing to the God-given Spirit within me?

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Tuesday, February 26, 2019

8:00 a.m.

Wednesday, February 27, 2019

8:00 a.m. † Rita Farneti by Kathleen O’Flaherty

Thursday, February 28, 2019

8:00 a.m.

Friday, March 1, 2019

8:00 a.m.

Saturday, March 2, 2019

8:00 a. m Special Intentions of Nathan Nazareth
4:30 p. m. † Ruth Hubbard Celestin by Marion Hubbard

Sunday, March 3, 2019

10:00 a.m. For Parishioners

MASS ASSIGNMENTS

Saturday, March 2, 2019

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

Sunday, March 3, 2019

10:00 a.m. Lector: Jonathan Jackson
Evelyn Alesna
Body of Christ: Marianna Bailey
Blood of Christ: Robert Pavlik
Blood of Christ: Jay Fetizanan

Eucharistic Ministers



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, 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:



February 27, 2019

The Wild Goose is Loose Study
1:00 p. m. in the Convent

February 28, 2019

The Wild Goose is Loose Study
6:30 p. m. in the Convent

March 2, 2019

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

March 3, 2019

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

AROUND THE PARISH

SERVANTS OF THE CROSS NEWSLETTER

The latest Servants of the Cross “New Wine” newsletter is ready for you to enjoy! Pick up a copy and read how the Lord is working through them for the Kingdom of God. Please keep them in your prayers as they continue to spread the love of Christ to all His people.

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STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Stations of the Cross will be held on Friday Evenings during Lent. Stations will be held in the Chapel at 7:00 p.m. beginning on March 8th. Please make the Stations a part of your Lenten prayer.

SOUP AND BREAD SUPPERS

Soup and Bread Suppers are coming soon. Please come and taste the delicious soups that will be prepared by your fellow parishioners. The suppers will be held on Friday Evenings during Lent, beginning on Friday, March 8th. The soup is free and the fellowship is great!

SUNDAY COLLECTION

JANUARY, 2019

Collected: \$7,259.77



STEWARDSHIP

“Joyful Missionary Disciples: Unleashing Our Gifts,” a workshop on the spiritual and practical aspects of stewardship as a way of life, will be held on Thursday, March 7, at Sacred Heart Major Seminary in Detroit.

The daylong event will feature Edmundo Reyes, director of archdiocesan communications, and Michael Murphy, executive director of the International Catholic Stewardship Council. Archbishop Allen H. Vigneron will celebrate Mass for attendees.

Your gifts to the Catholic Services Appeal help the Archdiocese of Detroit provide guidance on Christian stewardship, as well as materials, including the award-winning stewardship education manual, *Called by Christ, Gifted by the Spirit*, and weekly Stewardship Thoughts for parish bulletins.

For information about CSA-funded ministries, programs, and services, go to aod.org.

CAMP SANCTA MARIA

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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: “All Are Welcome”	911	227
OFFERTORY: “We Have Been Told”	851	236
COMMUNION: “Pan De Vida”	675	
CLOSING HYMN: “City of God “	813	