

# The Good News

Presentation Our Lady Of Victory Parish  
Detroit, Michigan

August 11, 2019

## READY TO RECEIVE



### 19<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Blessed are those servants whom the master finds vigilant on his arrival. Amen, I say to you, he will gird himself, have them recline at table, and proceed to wait on them." - Lk 12:37

Tickets booked, packing list double-checked, itinerary set – how do you know you're prepared for a trip? Being ready requires plenty of practical preparation. Do we give the same care to our spiritual preparedness? "Your Father is pleased to give you the kingdom," Jesus tells us. In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus reminds us to have the right attitude for the gifts and callings he wants to give us!

Clear out your clutter! "Where your treasure is, there also will your heart be." Jesus reminds the disciples that earthly standards of security and success will wear out in time. If our lives are structured around values that don't align with the kingdom of God, we'll miss opportunities to receive God. If we're so concerned with our child's success in sports that we miss Sunday Mass for their tournaments, we're missing out receiving the sacraments and building a consistent community of faith. If our quest for the promotion takes us away from family commitments, we won't be able to fully receive the love intended in our closest relationships.

Set faith-based priorities. "Blessed are those servants whom the master finds vigilant on his arrival." Our conflicting commitments can cause any routine to slip from time to time. All the more reason to make sure faith is a priority. Pray as a family before meals. Bring your children regularly to the sacrament of confession. Make room in the schedule for faith enrichment activities offered by your parish. Volunteer once a month. "At an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come." When will the call come to care for an ailing parent? To take on a new leadership position? God speaks to us through the circumstances of our lives. He calls each of us to greater love, sometimes in very concrete ways. This week, take some time to consider: Will you be ready?

*Presentation Our Lady of Victory Church is an urban parish that strives to proclaim the Good News of Christ and the beliefs of the Roman Catholic faith, focuses on increasing our love for God through worship; serves as stewards in the community and continues the ministry of Jesus Christ through prayer and evangelization.*

# THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

## Friday, August 16

Just For Christ (Convent) 7:00 pm

## Sunday, August 18

Prayer Gathering (Chapel) 10:45 am  
Celebration of Mass (Chapel) 11:30 am



# Liturgical Ministers

GLPI

## August 18, 2019

### Lector

Wanda Sanders

### Altar Servers

Devin Busby  
Isaac Propson  
Rhea Sanders

### Ministers of Holy Communion

Belinda Danzy  
Rolanda Heard

### Ushers

Otis Burdette  
Anthony Timbers

### Coffee & Donuts

Summer Volunteers

### Counters ~ August 19

Robert Danzy



# WEEKLY COLLECTION

The weekend of August 4, 2019

we received a total of **\$1,204.00**

*Thank you for your continued support!!!*

## NEXT WEEK'S MASS INTENTION

# Sunday, August 18

*Our hearts and prayers are  
with those grieving in*

**El Paso, Texas / Dayton, Ohio**



## **WE WELCOME YOU**

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worship on Sunday?

Would you like to know more about us?

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Sunday, August 11  
19th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Wis 18:6-9  
Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12  
Lk 12:32-48 or 2:35-40

Monday, August 12  
Dt 10:12-22  
Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday, August 13  
Dt 31:1-8  
Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday, August 14  
Dt 34:1-12  
Mt 18:15-20

Thursday, August 15  
The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin  
Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab  
1 Cor 15:20-27  
Lk 1:39-56

Friday, August 16  
Jos 24:1-13  
Mt 19:3-12

Saturday, August 17  
Jos 24:14-29  
Mt 19:13-15

Sunday, August 18  
20th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Jer 38:4-6, 8-10  
Heb 12:1-4  
Lk 12:49-53



AT HOME

*Lindsay Bond, Cynthia Carter,  
Donald & Barbara Carter, Theora Carter,  
Sarah & Thomas Diggs, Ruth Donaldson,  
Wesley Duggan, Emily McGhee, Doris Robinson,  
Deacon Sanders, Alexander Stubbs Jr., June Sutton,  
Larry Wegrzyn, Janice Wilson*

OTHER

*Wayne Bradley, Mary Elizabeth Robinson*

Please help us keep our information up-to-date  
by calling the Parish Office at  
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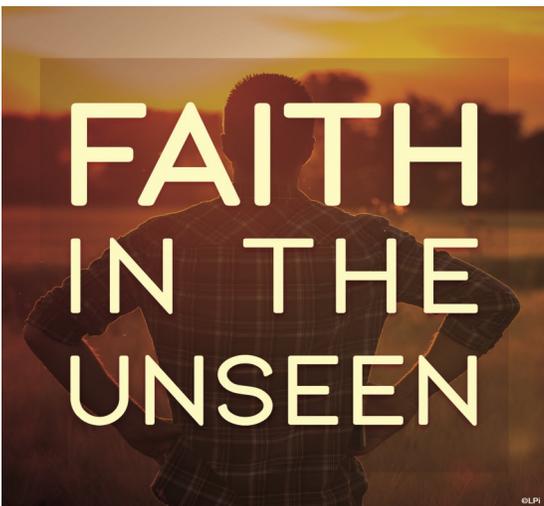


Target \$ 9,107.00

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Catholic Services Appeal.  
Thank you for your contribution!!*



Take the time to visit the Trinity Vicariate website

[www.trinityvicariatedetroit.org](http://www.trinityvicariatedetroit.org)



# Youth



**STARTING SOON**  
**Religious Ed &**  
**Sacramental Prep**  
**More information to**  
**come. Keep watching!**

## ASSUMPTION *of the blessed virgin Mary*

*Call on Mary,  
 for her name means  
 "Star of the sea,  
 The North Star which guides  
 the ships of our souls  
 during the voyage of  
 this life," and she will  
 guide you to the harbor  
 of eternal salvation.*

—ST. LOUIS GRIGNON DE MONTFORT

### The Assumption: A Sign of Hope

Is the resurrection a concept or reality? For many of us, the resurrection of the dead may be a stray idea recite in the Nicene Creed. Heaven we discuss. But resurrection? The feast of the Assumption is a reminder to us that heaven gets even better! We pray that the souls of the faithful departed would soon be united to God in heaven. The truth is, the separation between our souls and our bodies was not God's original plan for things. It's one of the results of the Fall, of original sin.

At the end of time and Jesus' second coming, our bodies and souls will be reunited. Lest we forget, Mary's Assumption is the reminder. Today, we celebrate that Mary is enjoying what we, too, hope to participate in - complete joy in heaven with our God, experienced body and soul. Today and every day, let's pray for those who have died and that we may meet them again in the heavenly kingdom.

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## JOIN US IN PRAYER

Every Sunday @ 10:45am

Everyone is invited and encouraged to gather with others from our parish as we pray for the mission of our Church. Just as we are seeing revitalization in our city, we seek to bring about rebirth of the Church in Detroit.

## 2019 MASS INTENTIONS

The 2019 Mass book is now available for you to reserve a Mass. Call soon to get your preferred date while many dates are open.

If you would like to request a date, please contact the Parish Office to request a date at 313.255.9000.

## CANONIZATION PRAYER

O God, I adore You. I give myself to You. May I be the person You want me to be, and May Your will be done in my life today. I thank You for the gifts You gave Father Solanus.

If it is Your Will, bless us with the Canonization of Father Solanus so that others may imitate and carry on his love for all the poor and suffering of our world.

As he joyfully accepted Your divine plans, I ask You, according to Your Will, to hear my prayer for... (your intention) through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
Amen.

*"Blessed be God in all His Designs."*

### Tolton Prayer

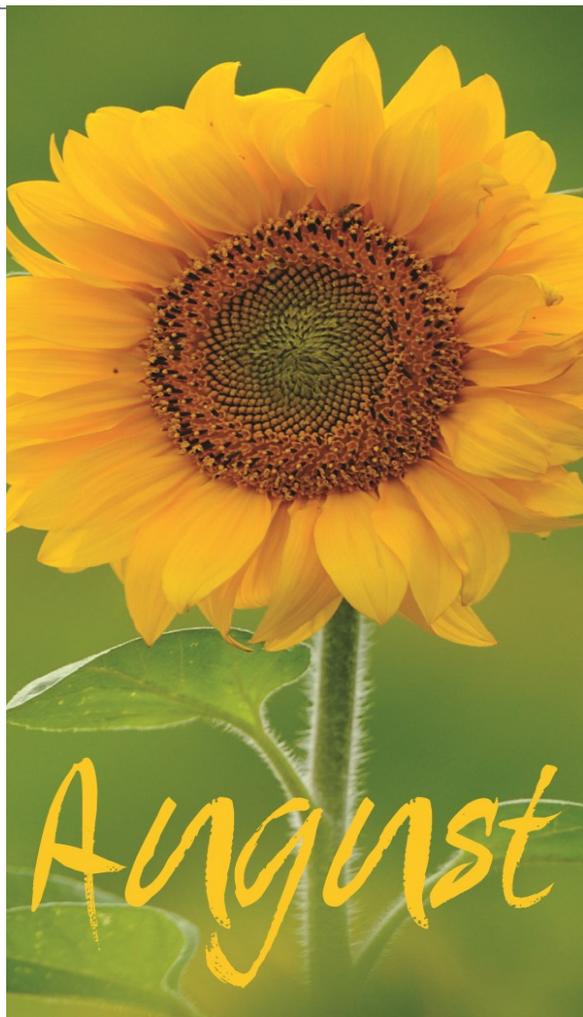
*God, \* we give you thanks for your servant and priest, Father Augustus Tolton, \* who labored among us in times of contradiction, \* times that were both beautiful and paradoxical. \* His ministry helped lay the foundation for a truly Catholic gathering in faith in our time.*

*\* We stand in the shadow of his ministry. \* May his life continue to inspire us \* and imbue us with that confidence and hope \* that will forge a new evangelization for the Church we love.*

*Father in heaven, \* Father Tolton's suffering service sheds light upon our sorrows; \* we see them through the prism of your Son's passion and death. \* If it be your Will, O God, \* glorify your servant, Father Tolton,*

*\* by granting the favor I now request through his intercession \* (mention your request) \* so that all may know the goodness of this priest \* whose memory looms large in the Church he loved.*

*Complete what you have begun in us \* that we might work for the fulfillment of your kingdom. \* Not to us the glory, \* but glory to you O God, through Jesus Christ, your Son \* and our Lord; \* Father, Son and Holy Spirit, \* you are our God, living and reigning forever and ever. Amen*



### MAKING A REPORT OF SEXUAL ABUSE

The Archdiocese of Detroit encourages individuals to report clergy sexual abuse of minors and others – no matter when the abuse occurred. Individuals may contact local law enforcement authorities and/or they may report to the Archdiocese of Detroit by calling the Victim Assistance Coordinator at (866) 343-8055 or by emailing [vac@aod.org](mailto:vac@aod.org). In addition, the Michigan Attorney General's Office can be contacted at its toll-free reporting hotline at (844) 324-3374 (Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.) or by email [ataginvestigations@michigan.gov](mailto:ataginvestigations@michigan.gov). More information about the Archdiocese's efforts to address abuse may be found at [protect.aod.org](http://protect.aod.org).

Join Msgr. Daniel Trapp & Fr. Stephen Burr  
on Pilgrimage

## IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF CHRIST THROUGH THE HOLY LAND June 22 ~ July 1, 2020

### ITINERARY

Monday, June 22 •

Departure from USA

Tuesday, June 23 •

Arrival in Israel | Galilee | Tiberias

Wednesday, June 24 •

Mount of Transfiguration | Cana | Tiberias

Thursday, June 25 •

Mount of Beatitudes | Tabgha | Tiberias

Friday, June 26 •

Sea of Galilee | Capernaum | Jerusalem

Saturday, June 27 •

Bethlehem | Jerusalem

Sunday, June 28 •

Via Dolorosa | Calvary | Mt. Zion | Jerusalem

Monday, June 29 •

Gethsemane | Western Wall | Jerusalem

Tuesday, June 30 • Free Day

Optional Dead Sea Excursion | Jerusalem

See Fr. Burr for more information or to get a



*Helping every soul within our reach to attain eternal life in Jesus Christ.*

Powered by prayer and the Holy Spirit, with roots dating back to 1701, the Archdiocese of Detroit forms disciples and builds Catholic community in southeast Michigan. We administer Roman Catholic parishes and schools within the city of Detroit as well as Wayne, Oakland, Macomb, St. Clair, Monroe and Lapeer counties. We serve with a spirit of gratitude and joy, going forth with apostolic boldness to *Unleash the Gospel*.



The archdiocese is under the care of the Most Reverend Allen H. Vigneron, Archbishop of Detroit.

### Youth Ministry

New — or newer — youth ministers interested in receiving more information about youth ministry resources and programming will gather for a Youth Ministry Orientation at Sacred Heart Major Seminary on Saturday, August 17.

The Youth Ministry Office will provide an overview of its suggested materials for evangelizing and accompanying teens, tips for starting youth ministry programming, and a summary of essential youth ministry documents.

Your CSA gifts help fund the work of the Youth Ministry Office, allowing it to offer events like these at a very low cost to parishes. The Youth Ministry Orientation is \$20 and includes breakfast and lunch for attendees. Registration is required by August 9.

*For information about CSA-funded ministries, programs, and services, please go to [aod.org](http://aod.org).*

### Catholic Night at Comerica Park

Come join us for a relaxing night of faith, fun and fellowship at the ballpark!  
The Archdiocese of Detroit is hosting a Catholic Night at Comerica Park and all are welcome.

### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH

the Tigers will take on the Yankees at 6:45pm and we'd love to see you there.  
All parishes & parishioners in the archdiocese and beyond are invited for a night of fun and fellowship.  
Each ticket purchased includes a donation to Catholic Charities of Southeast Michigan and also a limited-edition Detroit Tigers + Unleash the Gospel hat.  
Don't miss this great event, get your tickets today at [mlb.com/tigers/tickets/specials/catholic-night](http://mlb.com/tigers/tickets/specials/catholic-night)

### National Collections

Gifts to the Catholic Services Appeal fund our local Church's annual contribution to six national collections of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops.

The bishops in the United States created national collections so dioceses could combine resources and more effectively carry out our mission as Catholics. Each collection represents our community of faith at work in our country and around the world.

CSA gifts are given to the collections for the Catholic University of America, Catholic Communication Campaign, Holy Land, Church in Latin America, Catholic Home Missions Appeal, and Black and Indian Missions. For more information about CSA-funded ministries, programs, and services, go to [aod.org](http://aod.org).

### Making a Report of Sexual Abuse

To inform the Archdiocese of Detroit regarding the sexual abuse of minors by priests, deacons and other Church personnel and/or to speak to the Victim Assistance Coordinator contact: (866) 343-8055. A caller will be requested to provide his or her name and telephone number. All calls regarding complaints of sexual abuse will be returned in a timely manner. This toll-free number has been established as part of an effort by the Detroit archdiocese to protect children, young people and other vulnerable people in our schools, parishes and ministries. This line is for reporting suspected sexual misconduct or child abuse within archdiocesan institutions and ministries only. Persons with such complaints are also encouraged to directly contact law enforcement authorities.

**PRESENTATION OUR LADY OF VICTORY PARISH****Reverend Stephen Burr, Pastor****Reverend Mr. Hubert Sanders, Pastoral Administrator****PARISH OFFICE**

Ms. Jeanine Murphy, Business Manager

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**OFFICE HOURS:** Monday & Tuesday 10am - 4pm, Wednesday - Closed, Thursday 10am - 4pm, Friday 12pm - 6pm**EMERGENCY CONTACT: 586.596.2089 or 313.330.1332****OFFICE LOCATION AND NEW MAILING ADDRESS** 17305 Ashton Avenue † Detroit MI 48219 (located on North East side of Convent)**CHURCH/CHAPEL LOCATION:** 8201 W. Outer Drive Parish Website: [www.presentationourladyofvictory.org](http://www.presentationourladyofvictory.org)**COORDINATOR CONTACTS****Sacristan:** Ms. Mary Maurant**Music Minister:** Mr. Brown W. Leonard**Religious Education:** Mrs. Wanda Sanders**Adult Formation:** Reverend Mr. Hubert Sanders**Minister of Service:** Mrs. Gail Bond, Mr. Michael Heard, Mr. Bob Thomas**Ushers Ministry:** Mr. Anthony Timbers**Worship:** Ms. Pamela Heard**St. Vincent de Paul Society:** Ms. Monika Uriel**50 & Over Group:** Mrs. Gail Bond/Mrs. Wesley Duggan**Knights of Peter Claver Ladies Auxiliary, Court #189:** Ms. Monika Uriel**PARISH COUNCIL**

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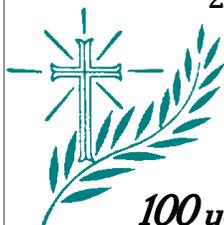
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