

The Good News

Presentation Our Lady Of Victory Parish
Detroit, Michigan

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.

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 28, 2018



“Son of David, have pity on me!” Has the cry of Bartimaeus ever escaped your lips? Today’s Gospel tells the story of a blind man with a difficult lot in life. He made a living

by begging coins off passing travelers. When word reaches him that Jesus will be passing by, this is when he begins to shout for mercy. Jesus hears Bartimaeus’ cry and beckons him forward.

“What do you want me to do for you?” Last week, Jesus asked a similar question to James and John. Their response was a clutch for fame. Bartimaeus’ response is much humbler. “Lord, I want to see.” How strange this interaction must have seemed to the onlookers. The man is blind! Of course he wants to see! But Jesus is always teaching us. By asking us what we want, Jesus reveals the dispositions of our hearts. God already knows them, but do we? By asking James and John to name their ambition, their selfishness is exposed to them and to the other disciples. By asking Bartimaeus to name his longing, his faith is exposed to the entire crowd. Jesus invites participation in our own redemption. He doesn’t save us without us!

Take some time in silent prayer today. Place yourself in this story of Bartimaeus. Imagine yourself there on the dusty, crowded roadside. Jesus is calling you! When you stand before him, his focus is on you and you alone. “What do you want me to do for you?” he asks. Search your heart. How would you respond? What part of your heart is Jesus asking you to expose? He has come to heal and to restore. May we, too, be sent! “Go ... your faith has saved you.”

W E E K L Y R E A D I N G S

Sunday, October 28
30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jer 31:7-9
Heb 5:1-6
Mk 10:46-52

Monday, October 29

Eph 4:32—5:8
Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday, October 30

Eph 5:21-33 or 5:2a, 25-32
Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday, October 31

Eph 6:1-9
Lk 13:22-30

Thursday, November 1

All Saints’ Day

Rv 7:2-4, 9-14
1 Jn 3:1-3
Mt 5:1-12a

Friday, November 2

All Souls’ Day

Wis 3:1-9
Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9
Jn 6:37-40

Saturday, November 3

Phil 1:18b-26
Lk 14:1, 7-11

Sunday, November 4

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dt 6:2-6
Heb 7:23-28
Mk 12:28b-34

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Tuesday, October 30

Communion Service (Chapel) 12:00 pm
50 & Over meet following

Thursday, November 1

All Saints' Day (Holy Day of Obligation)

Mass @ 8:00 am & 7:00 pm

Bible Study (Convent) 1:00 pm

Friday, November 2

All Souls' Day

Just For Christ (Convent) 7:00 pm

Saturday, November 3

Sacramental Preparation 10:30 am

Religious Education 12:00 pm

Sunday, November 4

SVDP Meeting (Chapel Kitchen) 10:30 am

Prayer Gathering (Chapel) 10:45 am

MEMORIAL MASS (Chapel) 11:30 am



Liturgical Ministers

November 4, 2018

Lector

Wanda Robinson

Altar Servers

Devin Busby

Isaac Propson

Rhea Sanders

Ministers of Holy Communion

Belinda Danzy

Rolanda Heard

Ushers

Rita Dick

Deborah Shelly

Counters ~ Monday, November 5

Robert Danzy

Coffee & Donuts

Ladies of Peter Claver

WEEKLY COLLECTION

The weekend of October 21, 2018

we received a total of \$1,315.00

Thank you for your continued support!!!

"SOCK IT TO US"

sock drive



October 1 ~ 31, 2018

Donate NEW socks

Any size ~ Any color ~ Any style

We especially need children's socks

in addition to socks for

men and women.

Hosted by the POLOV Fifty & Over Group

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. 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. More information about the Archdiocese's efforts to address abuse may be found at pro-rect.aod.org.

† IN APPRECIATION †



A special thank you to the Usher's Ministry for hosting Coffee & Donuts during the month of October.

If you enjoy a donut, coffee and conversation every Sunday, please consider helping Santa's Elves when they host the month of December.

Please Pray for our Family & Friends

AT HOME

*Cynthia Carter, Theora Carter,
Sarah & Thomas Diggs, Ruth Donaldson,
Wesley Duggan, Emily McGhee, Verita Morris,
Doris Robinson, Deacon Sanders, Dorothy Squalls,
June Sutton, Anthony Timbers, Janice Wilson*

OTHER

Mary Elizabeth Robinson, Odis Solomon



Please help us keep our information up-to-date 313.255.9000

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

2019 MASS INTENTIONS

There are still a few Masses left for your 2018 Mass intention. The 2019 Mass book is also available for you to reserve a Mass. Call now will 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.

MEMORIAL MASS

Sunday, November 4th

IN LOVING MEMORY

John Robert Diamond, Jr.

John Michael Conway

Helen Louise Smith

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Sat, Nov 3rd & 10th @ 10:30 am

Sun, Nov 11th & 25th @ 10am

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Sat, Nov 3rd & 10th @ 10:30 am

YOUTH SUNDAY

November 18th

Youth Servers, Lector, Cantor/Choir

See Mrs. Sanders for more information



SAVE THE DATE

Sunday, December 16th

@ 3:00 pm

The Youth of Presentation Our Lady of Victory

will present the Christmas story

"LIGHT OF THE WORLD"

This is a story you won't want to miss!

A TIME TO PRAY

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.



Take the time to visit the Trinity Vicariate website

www.trinityvicariatedetroit.org



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

Ms. Jeanine Murphy, Business Manager

Telephone: 313.255.9000 / jmurphy@presentationourladyofvictory.org**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**COORDINATOR CONTACTS****Sacristan:** Ms. Mary Maurant**Music Minister:** Mr. Brown W. Leonard**Religious Education:** Mrs. Wanda Sanders**Adult Formation:** Mr. Reverend 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:** Mrs. Jerree Martin**PARISH COUNCIL**

Gail Bond, Chairperson ~ Robert Thomas, Secretary

Stacey Dick, Jesse Goodwin, Belinda Danzy, Thomas Digggs, Monika Uriel

FINANCE COUNCIL

Jonathan Sanders, Chairperson, Thomas Digggs, Anthony Timbers, Michael Vincent

ORGANIZATIONS

Ushers, Adult Choir, 50 & Over Club, F.I.T.T. Ministry,

Youth Ministry, St. Vincent DePaul, Junior Daughters, Knights & Ladies of Peter Claver

SACRAMENTS**Reconciliation:** One half hour before Sunday Mass or by appointment**Baptism:** Please contact the Parish Office **Marriage:** Weddings must be arranged at least six months in advance**JAMES H. COLE FUNERAL HOME****Main Chapel**

2624 West Grand Blvd

313.873.0771

Northwest Chapel

16100 Schaefer

313.835.3997

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CATHOLIC RESOURCES

† Ave Maria Radio - 990 am

† Catholic Connection—Teresa Tomeo
Monday-Friday 8am-10am† Christ is the Answer-Fr. John Riccardo
Monday-Friday 11am† Kresta in the Afternoon-Al Kresta
Monday-Friday 4pm-6pm† EWTN Global Catholic Radio Open Line
Monday-Friday 3pm† Catholic Answers
Monday-Friday 6pm-8pm
990 am / 130 Sirius XM Satellite Radio