

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.

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time November 19, 2017



“But the man who received one went off and dug a hole in the ground and buried his master’s money.” This servant was scared. He didn’t want to take any risks and just wanted to play everything safe. As

he confesses to his master, *“Out of fear I went off and buried your talent in the ground.”* And the master was not pleased. The other servants who invested the money he gave them were richly rewarded for their efforts to produce more. But this servant was punished for letting his fear rule the day.

What factors are keeping us from making a return on God’s investment in us? He has given us all life, and each of us also has a special collection of *“talents”* to make use of. We have certain gifts, skills, experiences, resources, and abilities that (though we may not often think about it) come from God. He calls us to make the most of these things, not just to take them for granted or bury them in the ground, so to speak. Our gifts are meant not just for our own enjoyment, but to help others, to spread truth and goodness and beauty to the world around us.

Sometimes, however, we fail to really capitalize on our potential. Laziness, distraction, or self-pity can get in the way if we are unwilling to put in the hard work to improve our natural gifts, if we allow ourselves to zone out with entertainment or frivolous pastimes instead of making good use of the time entrusted to us, or if we wallow in negativity by focusing on what we *don’t* have instead of embracing what we do.

Each moment is a gift from God. May we seize every opportunity to multiply the investment God has made in us so that we may be worthy to hear God tell us, *“Well done, my good and faithful servant.”*

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Sunday, November 19

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31

1 Thes 5:1-6

Mt 25:14-30 or 25:14-15, 19-21

Monday, November 20

1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63

Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday, November 21

2 Mc 6:18-31

Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday, November 22

2 Mc 7:1, 20-31

Lk 19:11-28

Thursday, November 23

1 Mc 2:15-29

Lk 19:41-44

Friday, November 24

1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59

Lk 19:45-48

Saturday, November 25

1 Mc 6:1-13

Lk 20:27-40

Sunday, November 26

Feast of Christ the King

Ez 34:11-12, 15-17

1 Cor 15:20-26, 28

Mt 25:31-46

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Tuesday, November 21

Communion Service/50 & Over 12:00 pm

Thursday, November 23

HAPPY THANKSGIVING

Friday, November 24

Just For Christ 7:00 pm

Sunday, November 26

Sacramental Preparation 10:00 am

Ladies of Peter Claver Meeting 10:00 am

Parish Prayer Time 10:45 am

Celebration of Mass 11:30 am

"SOCK IT TO US"

Thank you for the show of support!



The 50 & Over Group

NEXT WEEK'S MINISTERS

November 26, 2017

Lector

Rita Dick

Altar Servers

Devin Busby

Isaac Propson

Rhea Sanders

Ministers of Holy Communion

Belinda Danzy

Marsha Price

Ushers

Stacey Dick

Gwendolyn Gray

Counters - Monday, November 27

Robert Danzy

Coffee & Donuts

Ladies of Peter Claver

WEEKLY COLLECTION

The weekend of November 12, 2017

we received a total of \$1,404.00

Thank you for your continued support!!!

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Saturday, December 2 & 16

@ 10:30 am

Sunday, November 26 & December 10

@ 10:00 am



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Saturday, December 2 & 16

@ 12:00 pm

YOUTH SUNDAY

November 19 & December 17

See Mrs. Sanders for more information.

ST. VINCENT DEPAUL

SVDP Detroit has been awarded \$2,410,000 for the 2017-2018 fiscal year to help with electricity and heating bills. Applications are now being accepted for the Michigan Energy Assistance Program (MEAP). The requirements for applicants are as follows.

1. An applicant cannot be on the Low Income Self-Sufficiency Plan (LSP).
2. Applicant must meet the 2018 Federal Poverty Guidelines.
3. A current past due bill or shut of notice is required. Bring copy of the DTE bill. The bill should be in the applicant's name.
4. Not accepting applications for energy bills that are in collection or have illegal usage.
5. Applicant must be 18 years of age or older.
6. Applicant must show current Michigan state ID or driver license.
7. Applicant must bring their social security card and the social security numbers for all members living in their household.
8. Applicant must bring proof of income for all members living in their household. Example of proof of income can be pay stubs, award letters for state or federal government benefits, statements for pension and investment funds, child support, etc. Self-employed individuals must bring their tax statements.

Please Pray for our family & friends

AT HOME

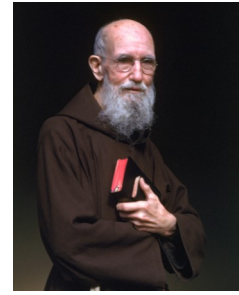
*Cynthia Carter, Theora Carter,
Sarah & Thomas Diggs, Ruth Donaldson,
Gwendolyn Hendricks, Emily McGhee,
Doris Robinson, Mary Elizabeth Robinson, Deacon
Sanders, Helen Smith, Dorothy Squalls,
June Sutton, Janice Wilson*

OTHER

Wesley Duggan, Daryl Robinson, Odis Solomon

Please help us keep updated information.
Call the Parish Office 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.

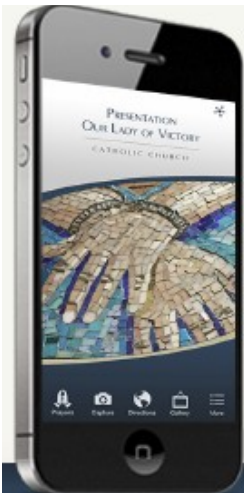
I thank You for the gifts You gave Father Solanus.
If it is Your Will, bless us with the Canonization of
Father Solanus so that others may imitate
and carry on his love for all the poor
and suffering of our world.

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."

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Presentation Our Lady of Victory App



It's been a year since the release of our parish Mobile App. This app is available for download in the Android and Apple Stores. The App is a new and effective way for the parish to communicate with you and for you to stay connected with us. The App is PACKED with prayer resources including Liturgy of the Hours, Daily Mass Readings, the Order of the Mass, Sunday Reading Reflections, the Bible, the Catechism, The Michigan Catholic, a digital rosary and on and on. It is also packed with educational resources, parish events, mass schedules, photo capture tools and more.

You can download the app in the following ways:

Search for it in the app store

Click the link on the home page of our website or go:

<http://www.parishsolutionsco.com/polv.html>

RECRUITING SANTA ELVES

Help is needed with Coffee & Donuts during the month of December. If you are available to help on December 3rd, 10th, 17th or 31st, please see Belinda Danzy following Mass.



WE WELCOME YOU

Are you looking for a new place to worship on Sunday?
Would you like to know more about us?

Do you want to become a member, or need contribution envelopes?

Whatever your needs, we are here to assist you.

Please complete the attached form and drop in the collection basket, mail it to the Parish Office, or call 313.255.9000.

I would like more information about POLOV

Name _____

Phone _____

Please contact me about (check all that apply)

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Everyone is encouraged to visit the newly developed Trinity Vicariate web site:



www.trinityvicariate.org

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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

COORDINATOR CONTACTS

Sacristan: Ms. Mary Maurant

Music Minister: Mr. Brown W. Leonard

Religious Education: Mrs. Jeanine Gaskin

Adult Formation: Mr. Hubert Sanders Jr.

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. 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 Diggs, Monika Uriel

FINANCE COUNCIL

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

ORGANIZATIONS

Ushers, Adult Choir, Men of Victory, 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

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