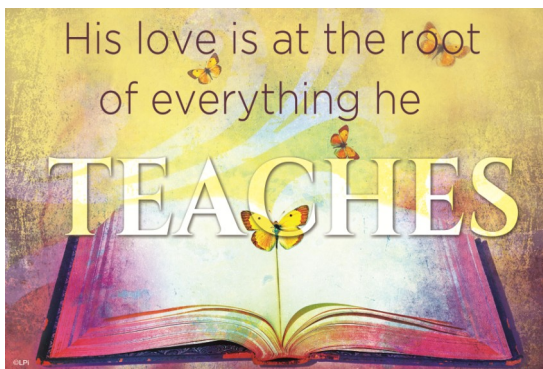


THE GOOD NEWS

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.

6th Sunday In Ordinary Time February 12, 2017



"Whoever obeys and teaches these commandments will be called greatest in the kingdom of heaven." Jesus presents two paths for us today: we can break his commandments or obey them. And the result corresponds to our choice. If we decide

not to follow God's guidelines, we will not enjoy the fullness of the kingdom of heaven. But if we choose otherwise, eternity will look much brighter for us!

Of course, it's easy to know in our minds what the right choice is. But putting this into practice is another matter. The commandments Jesus gives in today's Gospel are not easy to follow. He takes the ancient Ten Commandments to a deeper level of commitment. He says more than do not kill. Rather, do not even harbor anger in our hearts. He says more than do not commit adultery. Rather, do not even indulge in lustful thoughts. He says more than do not lie. Rather, do not even swear.

Undoubtedly, Jesus is asking us to chart a challenging course. But he would not expect us to follow these directives if it were impossible to do so. And it's important to bear in mind that Jesus doesn't set high standards to test or punish us. His love for us is at the root of everything he teaches us. Following these commandments, challenging though they may be, will *in fact* make us happier people, both now and in eternity! As with so many good things in life, committed effort on our part is necessary—whether it be maintaining good health, accomplishing a certain skill, or earning a sought-after award. So too with a soul that is truly free. We need to exercise a life of virtue by taking the advice of Jesus Christ, the best life coach we could ever hope to have.

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

Sunday, February 12

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sir 15:15-20

1 Cor 2:6-10

Mt 5:17-37 or

5:20-22a, 27-28, 33-34a, 37

Monday, February 13

Gn 4:1-15, 25

Mk 8:11-13

Tuesday, February 14

Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10

Mk 8:14-21

Wednesday, February 15

Gn 8:6-13, 20-22

Mk 8:22-26

Thursday, February 16

Gn 9:1-13

Mk 8:27-33

Friday, February 17

Gn 11:1-9

Mk 8:34-9:1

Saturday, February 18

Heb 11:1-7

Mk 9:2-13

Sunday, February 19

7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Lv 19:1-2, 17-18

1 Cor 3:16-23

Mt 5:38-48; 20-22a, 27-28, 33

WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Tuesday, February 14

Communion Service / 50 & Over 12:00 pm

Thursday, February 16

Bible Study 1:00 pm

Friday, February 17

Just For Christ 7:00 pm

Saturday, February 18

Sacramental Preparation 10:30 am

Religious Education 12:00 pm

Sunday, February 19

Prayer Gathering 10:45 am

Celebration of Mass 11:30 am

LADIES OF PETER CLAVER 40TH ANNIVERSARY

NEXT WEEK'S MASS INTENTION February 19, 2017

*In Honor of All
Living and Deceased Members of the
Knights of Peter Claver Ladies Auxiliary
Presentation Our Lady of Victory
Court 189
40th Anniversary*

NEXT WEEK'S MINISTERS

February 19, 2017

Lector

Carol Harris

Ministers of Holy Communion

Jennifer Dalley

Monika Uriel

Ushers

YOUTH USHERS

Coffee & Donuts for February

Usher's Ministry

Counters - Monday, February 20

Robert Danzy

WEEKLY COLLECTION

The weekend of February 5, 2017

we received a total of \$1,699.00

Thank you for your continued support!!!



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Saturday, February 18

@ 12:00 pm

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Saturday, February 18

@ 10:30 am

AND

Sunday, February 12 & 26

@ 10:00 am



YOUTH SUNDAY

February 19th

✠ GET YOUR COPY ✠

The Little Black Book for your
Lenten journey will soon be available.

2016 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

By now, you should have received your statement for the contributions you made to Presentation Our Lady of Victory during the 2016 year.

If for some reason you have not received yours, please call the Parish Office at 313.255.9000 to request yours be sent again.

Thank you in advance for the contributions you make in 2017!!! They will help us in continuing the mission of our Church.

ADVERTISE WITH US

Do you know someone who owns a business, sews, teaches piano, cleans homes, has a transportation service, etc?

If so, the GOOD NEWS bulletin is a great place to promote their services. Have them call the Parish Office for more information and pricing at 313.255.9000.

Please Pray for our family & friends

ATHOME

*Lorraine Aldridge, Mitchell Audain, Lindsay Bond,
Theora Carter, Sarah & Thomas Diggs,
Ruth Donaldson, Gwendolyn Hendricks,
Novella Lampkin, Christine Leinonen,
Angela Little, Mr. McClory,
Emily McGhee, Doris Robinson, Deacon Sanders,
Helen Smith, Carolyn Solomon, Dorothy Squalls,
June Sutton, Chester Towns, Lucy Zalewa*

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*Gwendolyn Johnson-Worthy, Kathleen Hooker,
Daryl Robinson, Mary Elizabeth Robinson,
Odis Solomon, Marilyn Wordy*

Please help us keep updated information.
Call the Parish Office at 313.255.9000 or
jmurphy@presentationourladyofvictory.org



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.

*"For where two or three gather together
in My name, there am I with them."*

Dear Parish Family,

Thanks so very much for the
planter and your overwhelming
loving support. With prayerful gratitude.

Monsignor McClory and the Family of Ann C. McClory



ST VINCENT DEPAUL ASSISTANCE

The Society of St. Vincent De Paul is accepting application for
the 2016-2017 Michigan Energy Assistance Program
(MEAP). Applicants who need help with their light and gas
bills and meet the following qualification can apply.

- 1) Applicant have to be at least 18 years of age.
- 2) Applicant needs a past due notice
- 3) Applicants must be a US citizen or qualified alien.
- 4) Total income in the household is at or below 150% of the
federal poverty.
- 5) Clients enrolled in the LSP program with DTE, the CARE
program with Consumers Energy or the MAP program with
SEMCO are not eligible for the MEAP.
- 6) Applicants must have paid at least \$450 for a combined gas
and electric or \$225 for one utility bill during the last six
months.

Potential applicants can call the POLOV parish office at
313.255.9000 for an appointment.

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL

Your Gift Makes A Difference

Metropolitan Tribunal

Sacramental registers are among the most historical legacies the
Catholic Church generates, and parishes must handle them properly.
Three record keeping workshops, for those in parishes responsible for
maintaining sacramental records, will be held this month.

Archbishop Allen Vigneron promulgated a revised and expanded
"Reference Guide to Sacramental Records: Preservation and Policies"
in 2010. At the workshops, staff from the Metropolitan Tribunal and
Archives Office will cover the care of registers and Sacraments of
Initiation, and changes to registers and notations. New record updates
will also be available.

The workshops will take place from 1-3 p.m. at St. Alfred Parish,
Taylor, on Wednesday, February 15; at St. Hugo of the Hills Parish in
Bloomfield Hills, on Thursday, February 23; and at Sacred Heart Ma-
jor Seminary in Detroit on Friday, February 24. Thanks to your CSA
gifts, attending a workshop costs only \$5 a person.

For more information about CSA-funded ministries, programs,
and services, please go to www.AOD.org.

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.

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www.trinityvicariate.org

PRESENTATION OUR LADY OF VICTORY PARISH**Monsignor Robert McClory, Pastor****Reverend Mr. Hubert Sanders, Pastoral Administrator****PARISH OFFICE**

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Telephone: 313.255.9000 / jmurphy@presentationourladyofvictory.org**EMERGENCY CONTACT: 586.596.2089 or 313.330.1332****OFFICE LOCATION:** 17305 Ashton (located in Convent)**MAILING ADDRESS:** 17320 Rosemont ~ Detroit, MI 48219**CHURCH/CHAPEL LOCATION:** 8201 W. Outer DriveParish 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**

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

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

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

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† 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