

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
September 15, 2019



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*24<sup>th</sup> Sunday*

I N O R D I N A R Y T I M E

"There will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous people who have no need of repentance." - Lk 15:7b

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## September 14, Saturday – Sobota

### Feast of The Exultation of the Holy Cross

9:00AM LM For the Holy Souls in Purgatory ❖ For the Members of O. L. Mother of Mercy Secular Discalced Carmelites  
❖ For the Menard & Daniel Families  
❖ †Slewa & Amera Meyou

11:00AM \*Baptisms:

Marigold Therese Brabant & Emiliana Madeleine Lisette Ginther

2:00PM \*Baptism: Samuel Fulton Jeffrey Janke

5:30PM JN For the Holy Souls in Purgatory  
❖ For Josh & Abigail Center req. Whetstone Family  
❖ For David Schefke (B'Day) ❖ †Greg Manning  
❖ †Rev. Richard Polakowski, S.J. (Ann.) req. Shirley  
❖ †Charles & Theresa MacDonald req. Family

## September 15, 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time – Nedela

### Feast of our Lady of Sorrows

Ex 32:7-11, 13-14; 1 Tm 1:12-17; Lk 15:1-32 or 15:1-10 (132)

7:30AM JN For the Parishioners of St. Cyril's ❖ For Drane Shkreli  
❖ For Kate Morris (B'Day) ❖ For Carroll Schuller  
❖ For the Gammo & Gillo Families  
❖ †Joe Marine req. Pearl Purleski

10:00AM Bp *The Divine Liturgy of Our Holy Father John Chrysostom (Byzantine Liturgy)*  
For Christopher Halabu (B'Day) ❖ For John Fuller  
❖ For Franciszek Pivovarnik req. Family  
❖ For the Makarewicz Family ❖ †John Ozdych req. Toni  
❖ †Bernard Ivin req. Krajcovic Family

1:30PM LM For the Holy Souls in Purgatory  
❖ For Jim & Margaret Miller & Family  
❖ For Alaa Kajy & Family ❖ For Jillian Marie Haio  
❖ For Franco Kasneci & Family  
❖ †Fr. John Grennon O.C.D. req. Amy Perugi, O.C.D.S.

6:00PM PC *(Latin) - Tridentine:* †Joe Basirico

8:30PM PC In Thanksgiving req. Nash-Brown Family  
❖ For Francesk Vuktulaj ❖ For Paolo Persichetti  
❖ †Matthew Margiewicz  
❖ †Paul & Geri Buss ❖ †Zygmunt Linowski

## September 16, Monday – Pondelok

6:00AM LM For Jason Jarbo

9:00AM LM In Thanksgiving req. Aziz Family  
❖ †Arthur Orlowsky ❖ †Lul Vukaj ❖ †Donald Fritz Jr.

12:00PM JN,d In Thanksgiving req. Alia  
❖ For Benjamin Blondy req. Nash-Brown Family  
❖ For Michelle & †Michael Burke (Wed. Ann.)  
❖ †Ciriaco Ricaforte Ruiz

## September 17, Tuesday – Utorok

6:00AM JN For the Holy Souls in Purgatory  
❖ For Henry Parker req. Langlois Family  
❖ For Sara Funk req. Langlois Family  
❖ For John & Lisette Winowiecki (Wed. Ann.)

9:00AM LM †Oliver G. Nash (B'Day)

12:00PM VP †Lawrence & Christine Chominski

## September 15, 2019 - 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Jesus Christ, The High Priest

Fr. Libor Marek, Pastor • [lmarek@saintcyriils.church](mailto:lmarek@saintcyriils.church)  
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## September 18, Wednesday – Streda

6:00AM LM For Amer Sesi

9:00AM ML *(Latin)* For Christopher Watta (B'Day)  
❖ For Madelyn Weil (B'Day)  
❖ For Abraham & Nedhal Aziz ❖ †Natale Mangano

12:00PM VP For Cindy & Scott Lundberg ❖ For Matthew Pustelny  
❖ †Gentian Marku ❖ †Amira & Robbie Qasguargis & Fam.

## September 19, Thursday – Štvrtok

6:00AM LM †Janet Miller

9:00AM JN For Spencer Brady ❖ For Chaman Assfa  
❖ For Rosina Istl req. Tisch Family ❖ †Donald Fritz Jr.

12:00PM VP For Fr. Luigi Gabris & All Preists  
❖ For all Sick People req. Alia ❖ For Catie & Family  
❖ For Kola Peter Gojcaj

7:00PM VP For Seminarian Patrick Blenman req. Grandparents  
❖ For Patrick Rooney (B'Day) ❖ For Dimoff Family  
❖ †Marian Carison

## September 20, Friday – Piatok

6:00AM PC †Paul Szwarc

9:00AM LM For Constance Beste ❖ For Maryam Sesi  
❖ For Beverly McDonald req. Dorothy Orlosky  
❖ †Ralph & Janet Reising & Family

12:00PM JN For Tino Casetti ❖ †Edward Schoener  
❖ †Arthur Orlowsky  
❖ †Donald Fritz Jr. req. Mary Rose Sary

## September 21, Saturday – Sobota

9:00AM JN For the Holy Souls in Purgatory  
❖ For Alex Warner req. Anne Haio  
❖ For Angie Smith & Baby Gabrielle  
❖ †Sue Scarchilli

1:00PM \*Wedding Holy Mass: Desirae Eck & Jeremy Langlois

5:30PM VP For Monir & Alia Korkis & Family  
❖ †Joanne Neil req. Son  
❖ †Cheryl Gasparski Keller  
❖ †Thomas Anthony Jerzewski  
❖ †Jeffrey Scuereb req. Book Club  
❖ †Barbara Prizgint req. Zonca Family

## September 22, 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time – Nedela

Am 8:4-7; 1 Tm 2:1-8; Lk 16:1-13 or 16:10-13 (135)

7:30AM LM For the Citizens for the United States of America  
❖ For President Trump & his Family  
❖ For Paolo Persichetti  
❖ †J.R. Chamness req. Barbara  
❖ †Kristian Gashaj ❖ †Joseph Marine

9:30AM Ab For Gina Colella (B'Day) req. Breanna  
❖ For Jim & Margaret Miller & Family  
❖ For the Dimoff Family  
❖ †Maria Cusumano req. Vitale Family  
❖ †Amelia Edwards ❖ †Evelyn Smith

11:30AM JN *(Slovak)* †Albert Balaz ❖ †Chester Bator req. Friends  
❖ †Albert Butlin req. Friends  
❖ †Emdad Thomas req. Cindy Zitny  
❖ †Bernard Ivin req. Anna Pendel  
❖ †Jozef Pivovarnik req. Family

1:30PM JN For the Intentions of the Members of the St. Monica Sodality ❖ For Angie Smith & Baby Gabriel  
❖ For the Gjonaj Family ❖ †James Zabawsi  
❖ †Lia Barracco Basirico req. Family  
❖ †Ciriaco Ricaforte Ruiz

6:00PM PC *(Latin) - Tridentine:* For the Intentions of All Parishioners

8:30PM PC For the Intentions of All Parishioners

### Mass Celebrant Legend:

Bishop Milan Lach – Bp, Archbishop Adolfo Tito Yllana – Ab  
Fr. Libor Marek – LM, Fr. Juraj Nuota – JN, Fr. Paul Czarnota – PC  
Fr. Michael Lenz, OFM-ML, Visiting Priest-VP, Deacon Preaching-d





## SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 10:00AM WELCOME BISHOP MILAN L'ACH, SJ Bishop of Parma, OH



### CATECHISM CORNER • Classes Begin This Wednesday • September 18

We will see all registered families this Wednesday, September 18. This first week tends to be a little hectic, so we will try to have additional volunteers to direct families to their teachers and classrooms. Class Lists with room locations are posted in the church vestibule and by the entry doors of the Activity Building. Please take a look at these lists prior to Wednesday so that you will know where to take your child this week. Catechism begins at 6:15PM and ends at 7:30PM, so please arrive promptly to drop off and pick up your child.



Please look for future updates or notifications regarding the Catechism Program in our parish bulletin. We will send notifications by email as well whenever possible.

#### Reminder:

- ◆ Grades K, 2nd, 8th, and Children with Special Needs meet in the Church meeting rooms.
- ◆ Grades 1st, 3rd – 7th grades, will meet at the Activity Center.
- ◆ Students meeting with tutors will receive calls advising them as to which building they will meet.

#### Schedule:

Wednesday, September 18, 6:15PM: Class for All

Wednesday, September 25, 6:15PM: Class for All (Benediction for grades K-4)

Wednesday, October 2, 6:15PM: Class for All (Benediction for grades 5-8)

**\*\*REMINDER TO ALL FAMILIES:** If registration was overlooked, please contact us before the first class as no registrations will be taken the first night of class.

Thank you! Carroll & Paul Schuller, (586) 726-6911, ext. 112, or p\_schuller@yahoo.com

### Why go to Adoration?

I will start with a little story. I have a really hard time eating breakfast. I am not sure if I am just lazy or if something is going on physically. My energy levels are low. My stress level is high. Something as simple as eating breakfast affects both my physical and spiritual life. Skipping breakfast is not good as it is considered the most important meal of the day. This is also why adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is so important. When we neglect prayer before the Blessed Sacrament, it negatively affects not only our soul, but our body as well.

St. John Paul II said, *"The body... is capable of making visible what is invisible: the spiritual and the divine. It has been created to transfer into the visible reality of the world, the mystery hidden from eternity in God, and thus to be a sign of it"* (Theology of the Body, 19:4).

Here are a few things you should consider.

We make our lives so busy. We make life a priority but He is not the #1 priority in our life. Many times we think "I don't have time to go to adoration, because I am too busy". Being in His true presence in the Eucharist will bring focus to our lives if we let Him.

When we're with Him in His presence, we need only BE. We don't have to say the right things or have a certain way to pray. We just need to breathe and He will take care of the rest. *Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am meek and humble of heart; and you will find rest for yourselves. For my yoke is easy, and my burden light.* (Mt. 11:28-30)

When we seek healing we must RUN TO THE BLESSED SACRAMENT! Healing will happen all around -- in spiritual healing for ourselves, our families, friends, acquaintances and even our parishes. We need to take advantage of it. We need to take our children to it. We need to see that Adoration is a gift to the world.

When you truly see yourself, you see your sin. Since you are in His presence you become humbled and stronger in avoiding sin. When you are in Eucharistic adoration, not only do you see Jesus Christ— Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity, you are also seeing yourself, fully alive and present. When in Adoration, we are a part of Him and see the best version of ourselves. Who does not want that?

*"Every member of the Church must be vigilant in seeing that the sacrament of love shall be at the center of the life of the people of God so that through all the manifestations of worship due him shall be given back 'love for love' and truly become the life of our souls."* St. John Paul II

Thank you for reading, Jennifer Dopke, Adoration Coordinator

### REGULAR ADORATION HOURS: Sunday, 10:00PM - Saturday, 9:00AM

We are especially in need of Adorers on: Mondays: 2-3AM, 3-4AM or Wednesdays: 1-2AM, 2-3AM

If you can commit to one hour of Adoration with Our Lord or have any questions, please contact:

Jenn Dopke, 586-530-3674 or jdopke13@gmail.com

## Life Teen Kick-Off • Monday, September 16

### Check out Life Teen Youth Group

We look forward to seeing you at our Life Teen kick off Monday, September 16, at 7:00PM in the Fr. Mikus Parish Hall. If you've never attended a youth group before, come and see what we're all about. We'll have pizza, share more about our plans for the year, and look forward to hearing from you too. Feel free to invite and bring friends as well! You do not need to be a parishioner to attend.

### "Receive" – A Night about what God wants to give you

Monday, September 16 • 7:00PM - 8:45PM • Parish Hall

Join us on Monday, September 23, for a night about how God created you to give.

If you have any questions or to be added to the mailing list:

Alexandria Lewis, (586) 641-7672 or lifeteencyril912@gmail.com

## EDGE Middle School Youth Ministry

### Come experience EDGE Middle School Youth Group

All 6th, 7th and 8th graders are invited to our EDGE Night kick off Thursday, September 19, at 7:00PM in the Fr. Mikus (South) Parish Hall. We have an excited new Cor Team of parents and high school teens who are looking forward to sharing their faith journey with our middle schoolers. We'll have pizza, games, and look at how God calls us to community. Feel free to register friends and bring them with you. We will be in the main parish church halls most of the year, but please subscribe to the emails for the latest information by emailing Edgecyril678@gmail.com. You do not need to be a parishioner to attend EDGE.

### "Relate" – A Night about being part of something greater in the Church

Thursday, September 19 • 7:00PM – 8:45PM • Parish Hall

### Registration for Life Teen and EDGE for Fall, 2019-2020

PARENTS – It is important for us to have your contact information. Please register your high school and middle school teen for the fall 2019-2020 at <https://tinyurl.com/cyrlparent>

## Junior Sarisan Folk Ensemble Auditions • September 17

Interested in our Children's Slovak Dance Group? The Junior Sarisan Slovak Folk Ensemble is holding their annual auditions, on Tuesday, September 17, at 6:00PM. Kids ages 7-17 interested are invited to join us in the South side of the Fr. Mikus Hall at Ss. Cyril & Methodius. Dance experience is not required by helpful. We welcome all dedicated new members interested in joining. Kids should dress accordingly (no jeans, boots or restrictive clothing).

For more information, please contact junior group director:

Daniela Grisak, (248) 659-8522 or Dana4me2000@yahoo.com



## Pancake Breakfast • Sunday, September 22

The Men's Club, with the assistance from the American Heritage Girls, will host another great Pancake Breakfast in the Fr. Mikus Hall on Sunday, September 22, after the 7:30AM, 9:30AM and 11:30AM Holy Masses. Invite your family and friends to join you for a delicious breakfast!

### Menu Includes:

homemade buttermilk pancakes, fresh scrambled eggs, baked red-skin potatoes, sausage links, toast, orange juice coffee!

### Prices:

Children (12 and under): \$4

Adults (over 12 years old): \$6

Family Max: \$25

## St. Monica Sodality Mass • Sunday, September 22

When we think of Jesus' suffering on the Cross many things may come to mind - one is how Jesus thirsted for our souls. May all people strive to grow in holiness and lead others to God. The next St. Monica Sodality Holy Mass takes place next Sunday, September 22, at 1:30PM. Please join us for Mass and prayers!

## Attention: 7-12th Grade Students • September 23

On September 23 from 6:00PM-7:00PM, LIFESPAN will hold a "Bus Trip Info Night" in Room #112. If you are interested in attending the March for Life 2020 in Washington D.C. and may want to travel with your friends and/or family with LIFESPAN, then come attend our Info Night for more information and have any questions you have answered! We will go through what we do on the trip, where we will go (Sneak Peek: A Tour of the Capitol!), and we'll also have registration papers available for anyone who decides to make the trip! (Parents are welcome, too!)

If you plan to attend, please RSVP to Lynn or Maria at oakmac@rtl-lifespan.org, or TEXT your name and the number of people coming to (810) 728-0909 (Maria's cell).

## American Red Cross Blood Drive • September 24

Our Fall Blood Drive takes place on Tuesday, September 24, from 1:00-6:45PM and we need you! Please sign-up online at [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) and enter sponsor code stcyril or sign up on the form in the vestibule.

Please remember that there is no substitute for blood. When a patient receives blood, it was given in advance by a generous blood donor. It's the blood already on the hospital shelves that helps in emergency situations. Every 2 seconds, someone in the country needs blood. Thank you for your life-giving generosity.

## Young Catholic Professionals • September 25

Young Catholic Professionals' Detroit Chapter is inviting all 20-39 year old adults both single and married to join us for an exciting evening at Ste. Anne de Detroit Church, 1000 St. Anne Street, Detroit, on Wednesday, September 25, starting at 7:00PM.

You will enjoy an evening of networking with other young professionals, complimentary food, beer, and wine followed by a very inspiring speaker, Matthew P. Cullen (Principal of Rock Ventures and CEO of JACK Entertainment) who will leave you feeling inspired and challenged as he shares his professional and spiritual faith journey.

For more information please visit our Facebook page at YCP Detroit or [www.ycpdetroit.org](http://www.ycpdetroit.org) or for additional questions: Francesca Montana, francesca.montana@ycpdetroit.org

## Little Flowers Girls Club • September 27

Are you interested in you daughter joining the Little Flowers Girls Club? The group is a mother/ daughter group for girls, ages 5 and up. We meet typically, on the 2nd Friday of the month from 6:00-8:00PM and learn about a different female saint and virtue each month—along with fun activities and crafts.

The first meeting and registration for the year will be on Friday, September 27, 6:00PM-8:00PM in Room #114.

If you are interested in learning more about the group please contact:

Sheri Kanan, pkanan@live.com or (248) 659-8227





### Back-to-School Dance • September 27

On Friday, September 27, there will be a Back-to-School Dance from 7:00PM-11:00PM for 14-19 year olds. Cost: \$7 per person. Modest dress code is strictly enforced: NO short dresses or shorts, tank tops, spandex or low-cut revealing tops. Chaperones are needed.

If you have questions or would like to chaperone, please call: *Mary Hale*, (586) 773-8261

### Women of Grace Study Program • September 27

The Women of Grace® Study Program leads women on an exciting journey to discover the gift of authentic femininity™, holiness of life, and woman's purpose and mission in the world today. Taking the Blessed Virgin Mary as their exemplar and spiritual mother as well as examining some of the saints, participants grow in the feminine virtues and the secrets of true fulfillment. The program takes a multi-faceted approach by exploring all aspects of the feminine person.

The Women of Grace® Foundational Study Series is presented using DVD lessons taught by Johnnette Benkovic, the book being studied, and its accompanying study guide. The study group itself becomes a "teaching dynamic" of faith-building, renewal, and conversion of heart. A sacred sisterhood is often formed within the group that leads to true, holy, and lasting friendships among the women.

Study dates: September 27, October 4, 11, 18, November 1, 8, 15 and 22. Order your books as soon as possible at Amazon.com ISBN: 9761533-5-1 and 9780892839605 (2 books required).

Questions and to RSVP (by September 20), please contact:

*Marie Potemski*, (248) 259-9201, [potemskifamily@gmail.com](mailto:potemskifamily@gmail.com)

### Upcoming Classical Music Benefit Concert • October 5

On Saturday, October 5, at 7:00PM in the Fr. Mikus Hall, there will be a Classical Music Benefit Concert to benefit Holy Family Parish, our Sister Parish in Tanzania, featuring Alexandra Schultheis, soprano, and Ann Konopinski, flute. Suggested minimum admission fee: \$5 per individual, \$10 per family.

For more information, please visit:

[www.livemusicperformances.com](http://www.livemusicperformances.com) and/or call:

*Michael Semaan*, (248) 250-6005

### Kingdom of Happiness Study Program

In the first session of "The Kingdom of Happiness", Father Jeffrey Kirby covered the first of the Beatitudes in becoming "poor in spirit." He indicated that it involves being materially poor to a degree, but it is more a reflection of our interior life. At its core, having poverty of spirit begins with our acknowledgment that we need God. The seed of this realization will bring about the blossoming of a holy exterior life so that we can begin to practice habits of detachment and temperance.

If you weren't able to attend the first "Kingdom of Happiness" class, feel free to join this week's class on either Monday, September 16, at 6:30PM, or Tuesday, September 17, at 10:00AM. Questions:

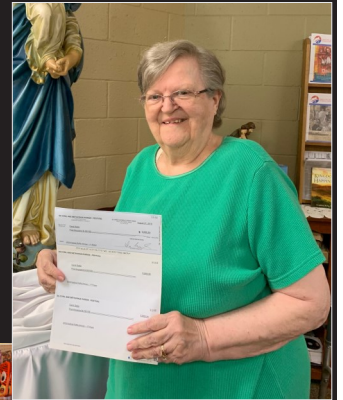
*Mary Bann*, (248) 459-8965 or *Marge Lewandowski*, (586) 822-7902



#### PLEASE NOTE:

The front parking lot will be closed until 5:00PM on Tuesday, September 17, for repairs. Please use back lots & Activity Center lot. Thank you! Sorry for the inconvenience.

## FUN AT THE FESTIVAL



Above:  
Grand Prize Winner  
Carol Sabo



### 32nd Annual Life Chain \* Sunday, October 6

It is that time of year again, where Ss. Cyril & Methodius hosts the annual Life Chain event with the support of Right to Life-LIFESPAN. Every year, people all over the nation gather together on the first Sunday of October at about the same time to peacefully protest against abortion. Wherever people drive by, we aim to be there on the grass with our signs, praying, singing, and witnessing so that their hearts may be turned to the truth. So please come with your whole family, with your friends, or even by yourself. Be a witness that human life is a gift, a reminder that adoption is an option, and a beacon of hope for a holier generation.

The LIFE CHAIN takes place on Sunday, October 6, from 2:30PM-4:00PM on 18 Mile and Ryan, on the front lawn of Ss. Cyril & Methodius Church. Approved LIFE CHAIN signs will be provided by LIFESPAN for you to use. When you arrive and park, you can get signs from volunteers who are giving them out. We hope you'll come and join us and the rest of the nation!

God bless you all! *Maria Vitale & Lynn Gura*, L.I.F.E. Ministry

### Trail Life Participates in Life Chain & Holy Mass

Sunday, October 6

Begin with Holy Mass 1:30 to 2:30PM

Followed by Life Chain 2:30PM to 4:00PM

Signage will be Available—See Above Article for Details  
Trailmen and Parents: Arrive no later than 1:15 PM to insure seating all together as a Troop. Uniform is Class A.

For more information, please contact:

*Lynn Gura*, (248) 816-1546 or *Tom D'Alio*, (586) 925-1451





### Harvest Dinner Dance Saturday, October 12 6:00PM

The Junior Sarisan Slovak Folk Ensemble invites you to a Harvest Dinner Dance on Saturday, October 12, starting at 6:00PM in the Father Mikuš Hall.

The evening features a delicious homemade Slovak Dinner:

Breaded Pork Tenderloin (rezeň), Baked Chicken (kurča), Stuffed Cabbage (holúbky), potatoes, green beans, salad, rolls, butter, and pastries with coffee.

#### Ticket Prices:

Adults: \$25

Children 17 years & under: \$15

Children 4 years and under: FREE

Get your tickets today to celebrate the 25th Anniversary of the Junior Sarisan Slovak Folk Ensemble at the Harvest Dinner Dance.

#### To Purchase Tickets:

Daniela Grisak, (586) 795-4246

Renata Zelenak, (248) 884-3984

Parish Office, (586) 726-6911



### Annual Salad Luncheon TICKETS AVAILABLE

Sunday, October 20, 3:00 - 6:00PM

The popular Salad Luncheon tickets are now available. The Salad Luncheon is a fun-filled annual event organized by the Rosary Society and is open to all ladies 16 years and older.

The Luncheon takes place on Sunday, October 20, from 3:00PM—6:00PM in the Fr. Mikuš Hall. It is a great afternoon of fun socializing with family and friends, eating a variety of salads and participating in raffles for spectacular Showcase Baskets, afghans, a 50/50 cash prize and our Grand Prize of a beautiful hand-made quilt! This year we were blessed with a donation of MANY handmade quilts ... more fun for everyone!

**Admission Tickets** are available in the Parish Office:

\$10 each or \$80 for table of eight.

**Raffle Tickets** are also now available in the Parish Office:

\$1 each or 6 tickets for \$5.

Questions regarding the Salad Luncheon, please contact:

Karen Bove, (248) 709-9055, kbove1@msn.com or



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Tuesday, Oct. 1, 2019**

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### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

**SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 29 ✦ 3:00PM**

**MONDAY SEPTEMBER 30 ✦ 6:30PM**

**TUESDAY OCTOBER 1 ✦ 6:30PM**

### TOPICS INCLUDE

(topics vary nightly)

- ✦ Divine Mercy and the Mass
- ✦ A Walk Through of the Mass Explaining All Things That You May Not Know!
- ✦ The Power of Prayer

**Free Admission**

*For More Information Contact  
Parish Office at 586-726-6911  
or see [www.thedivinemercy.org/events](http://www.thedivinemercy.org/events)*



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**Fr. Chris M. Alar, MIC**  
**"Father Joseph" — Director of the**  
**Association of Marian Helpers**

Father Chris Alar, MIC, is a priest with the Marian Fathers of the Immaculate Conception. Fr. Chris wrote and produced the popular "Divine Mercy 101" DVD and is the author of the book *After Suicide: There's Hope for Them and for You*. He is a regular host and guest on EWTN.

He also hosts the online "Divine Mercy Matters" series at [DivineMercyMatters.org](http://DivineMercyMatters.org). Currently he serves as "Fr. Joseph, MIC," the director of the Association of Marian Helpers, and is the head of Marian Press, located on the grounds of the National Shrine of The Divine Mercy in Stockbridge, Massachusetts.

**Fr. Chris will preach at the weekend Masses**



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