



The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ
June 14, 2020

SAINTS CYRIL AND
METHODIUS PARISH

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A Personal Parish Established To Serve The Slovak Catholic Community In The Archdiocese Of Detroit



THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST

“I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world.” - Jn 6:51

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MASS Intentions

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June 13, Saturday – Sobota - (Outdoor Mass)

- 5:30PM** For the Members of O. L. Mother of Mercy Secular Disclaled Carmelites
 ❖ For the Blue Army of Our Lady of Fatima
 ❖ For Vernon Davenport (B'Day)
 ❖ For Diana Langlois req. Langlois Family
 ❖ For Mark Varchetti
 ❖ For the Gammo & Gill Families
 ❖ †Fr. Francis Budovic (Ann.)
 ❖ †Edward Polakowski req. Wife, Shirley
 ❖ †Michael Couet

June 14, Corpus Christi- Nedela

Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a; 1 Cor 10:16-17, Jn 6:51-28 (167)

7:30AM **Mass Inside Church

- For Cecilia Fuller
 ❖ For Donna Lesko
 ❖ For Elma Manimtim
 ❖ For Glen & Amy Varchetti & Family
 ❖ For the Menard and Daniel Families
 ❖ †Domenica DiCicco req Mr. & Mrs. Sal DiCicco
 ❖ †Theodora Kochan

9:30AM *Outdoor Mass

- For all Priests, Religious, Deacons, and Seminarians
 ❖ For Paul, Linda & Family
 ❖ For Lou-Em Clan
 ❖ For Emma Avery (B'Day)
 ❖ For the Makarewicz Family
 ❖ For Tommy & Angela Kassab
 ❖ The Czach Family req. Fayad Family

11:30AM (Slovak) **Mass Inside Church

For the Intentions of all Parishioners

6:00PM (Tridentine) **Mass Inside Church

- ❖ †Luce Grishi & Family

8:30PM *Outdoor Mass

- For Rev. Pavol Reisel
 ❖ For Staff & Managers of MCICU at Troy Beaumont
 ❖ For Iveta & Simon Kopil (B'Days) req. Prusak Family
 ❖ For Ken & Maryanne Warner req. Frank & Bev Moran
 ❖ For Anansa Basko

June 15, Monday – Pondelok - (Outdoor Mass)

- 12:00PM** For Harry Doone Jr. (B'Day)
 ❖ For Marcus & Mary Pogasic req. Meteer Family
 ❖ For Nate & Theresa Robinson & Family
 ❖ For Emma Dzieciolowski (B'Day)
 ❖ †Anna Sutherland
 ❖ †Matthew Margiewicz

June 16, Tuesday – Utorok - (Outdoor Mass)

- 12:00PM** For the Holy Souls in Purgatory
 ❖ For Elizabeth Dessler (B'Day)
 ❖ For Emma Dzieciolowski (6th B'Day)
 ❖ For Marguerite Glantz (B'Day)
 ❖ For Carl & †Stephanie Varchetti & Family

June 17, Wednesday – Streda - (Outdoor Mass)

- 12:00PM** For Stephanie Korkis (B'Day)
 ❖ For Aaron Gott
 ❖ For the Deceased Members of the Vacaj Family
 ❖ For James and Greete Varchetti

June 18, Thursday – Štvrtok - (Outdoor Mass)

- 12:00PM** For Dcn. Phil McCown (B'Day)
 ❖ For the Deceased Members of the Hasaj Family
 ❖ †Albert Tisch (B'Day) - Gisela
 ❖ †Charles & Isabella Varchetti

June 19, Friday – Piatok - (Outdoor Mass)

* Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

- 12:00PM** For Fr. George & all priests
 ❖ For Benjamin Langlois req. Langlois Family
 ❖ For Desirae Langlois req. Langlois Family
 ❖ For George and Helen Emmendorfer
 ❖ For Luke Laconi
 ❖ For Julianna Siwa (B'Day)
 ❖ For Sam & Amy Shamoon
 ❖ For Paul, Linda & Family
 ❖ For Angie & Family
 ❖ For the Hanna Family
 ❖ For Tim & Victoria Roddy & Family

June 20, Saturday – Sobota - (Outdoor Mass)

- 5:30PM** For Renee Dzieciolowski
 ❖ For Al & Ann Varchetti
 ❖ For Charles & Theresa MacDonald by Family
 ❖ For the Czach Family req. the Fayad Family
 ❖ †Michael Couet

June 21, Sunday - Nedela (Father's Day)

Jer 20:10-13; Rom 5:12-15; Mt 10:26-33 (94)

7:30AM **Mass Inside Church

- For Paul & Julie Varchetti & Family
 ❖ For Julita Valbuena
 ❖ For Rodolfo Valbuena Sr.
 ❖ For Rodolfo Valbuena Jr.
 ❖ For Violeta Valbuena
 ❖ †Theodora Kochan

9:30AM *Outdoor Mass

For the Intentions of all Fathers (Natural & Spiritual)
 (Slovak) **Mass Inside Church

11:30AM

Na úmysel všetkých otcov

6:00PM (Tridentine) **Mass Inside Church

For the Intentions of all Parishioners

8:30PM *Outdoor Mass

- In Thanksgiving req. Stephanie Fayad
 ❖ For Monir & Alia Korkis & Family
 ❖ †Paolo Persichetti req. Matthew LaPorte
 ❖ †Robert Nowak Sr. req Wife
 ❖ †Brian Czach req. Frank Scarchilli

*Outdoor Holy Masses:

*Please pre-register (www.saintcyriels.church)

This will assist in liturgical planning.

Please bring folding chair & hand sanitizer.

**Indoor Holy Masses:

**Registration REQUIRED (www.saintcyriels.church)

Limited # of people allowed at indoor Holy Masses.

Please wear face mask & bring hand sanitizer.

Arrive 20-30 minutes prior to Holy Mass.

~ IF YOU ARE SICK, PLEASE STAY HOME ~



ARCHDIOCESE OF DETROIT

May 31: Archbishop Vigneron Letter regarding Families of Parishes

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

I write today with gratitude for the many blessings God has granted the Archdiocese of Detroit during our missionary journey. Six years ago, we asked God to send his Holy Spirit upon us in a New Pentecost, to fill us with an unshakable inner conviction of the truth of the Gospel and a love that compels us to share the good news with those around us. Two years later, through Synod '16 we received clarity that God wanted us to reclaim our Church's missionary identity and we set out with a promise to trust and follow him.

We began in earnest the work of a generation, to unleash the Gospel in southeast Michigan and beyond. Last year, we announced the next phase of this missionary movement, a plan to transform our parishes and schools, making them places where individuals and families can encounter Jesus anew, grow as disciples, and be equipped as witnesses of the Risen Christ.

This continues to be our mission today, even now in the midst of a historic pandemic. The current health and economic crises have disrupted our lives and the life of the Church. This new reality has exacerbated some of the challenges we were already facing. Even before the pandemic, we knew that the way we function in our parishes needed to change. In addition to the shortage of priests available to serve in our parishes and the shortage of vocations for future ordinations, the parish structures we inherited served our mission well in the past, but they needed to be renewed and aligned for mission.

And so, in prayer and in consultation with others, I've discerned that now is the time to respond in faith to the challenges we face and to take the necessary steps to better equip our parish communities for mission. Over the next two years, parishes in the Archdiocese of Detroit will join together to form new groupings called "families of parishes." These groups – these families – of three to six parishes will work together and share human and material resources to further advance our shared mission. This new model will allow groups of priests, deacons, and lay staff to better share their gifts and talents with their entire parish families.

We are not the same diocese we were six years ago when we began this journey. God has been at work in us, in our communities, in our parishes, and in our schools. We have learned to be more docile to the Holy Spirit. We have learned to walk with apostolic boldness and confidence in God. We are committed to working in a spirit of innovation and collaboration. And most importantly, we have resolved to place Christ and his mission above all else.

Over the next several months, groups of clergy and lay faithful will help me discern the leadership and governance structure of the families of parishes and the ways in which this new structure will help all our parishes become vibrant posts of missionary activity. At Advent, my hope is to announce the groups of parishes that will form each family, with the first of them expected to begin to function as a family in July of 2021.

I invite you to visit the website www.familiesofparishes.org to learn more about this process and to sign up for updates. Please join me in praying for this very important step in the life and mission of our local Church. Let us give thanks to God ahead of time for the great work he is doing in our midst. God is with us. He has given us his Holy Spirit as the initiator, guide, and driving force of our mission.

Blessed Solanus Casey, Detroit's own priest, pray for us. Our Lady of Lourdes, protector of the sick, pray for us. And dear St. Anne, patron of our Archdiocese, pray for us.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
The Most Reverend Allen H. Vigneron
Archbishop of Detroit

For More Information:

Archdiocese of Detroit: <https://www.aod.org/>

Families of Parishes: <https://www.familiesofparishes.org/>

Sign up for Updates: <https://www.familiesofparishes.org/#subscribe>

Frequently Asked Questions: <https://www.familiesofparishes.org/faq/>

June Month of the Sacred Heart

Between the years 1673 - 1675, our Lord Jesus Christ appeared to St. Margaret Mary revealing to her the secret treasures of His Sacred Heart and His Divine Love.

"My Divine Heart is so passionately in love with men that it can no longer contain within Itself the flames of its ardent charity. It must pour them out by thy means, and manifest itself to them to enrich them with its precious treasures, which contain all the graces of which they need to be saved from perdition. I have chosen you as an abyss of unworthiness and ignorance to accomplish so great a design, so that all may be done by Me."

Jesus desires devotion to His Sacred heart from all mankind. We can teach even the youngest of children about offering sacrifices and making amends to the wounded heart of Jesus through prayer, and about His great love for us!

Devotion to the Jesus' Sacred Heart includes:

- Receiving Holy Communion frequently.
- Going to confession and receiving Holy Communion on the First Fridays of each month for nine consecutive months.
- One hour of Eucharistic Adoration on Thursdays, responding to Jesus' call: "Could you not watch one hour with me?"
- Celebrating the Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. (June 19, 2020)

Jesus told St. Margaret Mary that He had chosen her to spread devotion to His most Sacred Heart, and made twelve specific promises to those who would practice this devotion, responding to the pleading of His Heart and making an effort to return His love.

1. I will give them all the graces necessary in their state of life.
2. I will establish peace in their homes.
3. I will comfort them in all their afflictions.
4. I will be their secure refuge during life, and above all, in death.
5. I will bestow abundant blessings upon all their undertakings.
6. Sinners will find in My Heart the source and infinite ocean of mercy.
7. Lukewarm souls shall become fervent.
8. Fervent souls shall quickly mount to high perfection.
9. I will bless every place in which an image of My Heart is exposed and honored.
10. I will give to priests the gift of touching the most hardened hearts.
11. Those who shall promote this devotion shall have their names written in My Heart.
12. I promise you in the excessive mercy of My Heart that My all powerful love will grant to all those who receive Holy Communion on the First Fridays in nine consecutive months the grace of final perseverance; they shall not die in My disgrace, nor without receiving their sacraments. My divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in this last moment.

"Blessed are your eyes, because they see, and your ears, because they hear . . .

*"This Is
My Body"*

~ Mark 14:22



*"Behold the
Lamb of God"*

~ John 1:29

*... Amen, I say to you, many prophets and righteous people
longed to see what you see but did not see it,
and to hear what you hear but did not hear it." ~ Matthew 13:16-17*

First Holy Communion

May God bless all the students who received their First Holy Communion at our parish on Saturday, June 13. As they begin their newfound personal relationship with Our Lord, we pray that they will always receive the Holy Eucharist with great faith, love, reverence, and devotion!

We extend our gratitude to their teachers for their patience, diligence, and handwork in preparing each and every student to receive not only Our Lord's Body & Blood but also His grace and forgiveness through the Sacrament of Penance. On behalf of the Communicants' parents and parish family, we would like thank their teachers: McKenzie Whetstone, Marcy Lamerson, Kimberly Ambrosio, Kristyn Moury, Emily Chudy, Julia Giroux, Thalia Lamerson, and Ava Lamerson for their dedication to our Faith.

Those who received the sacrament include:

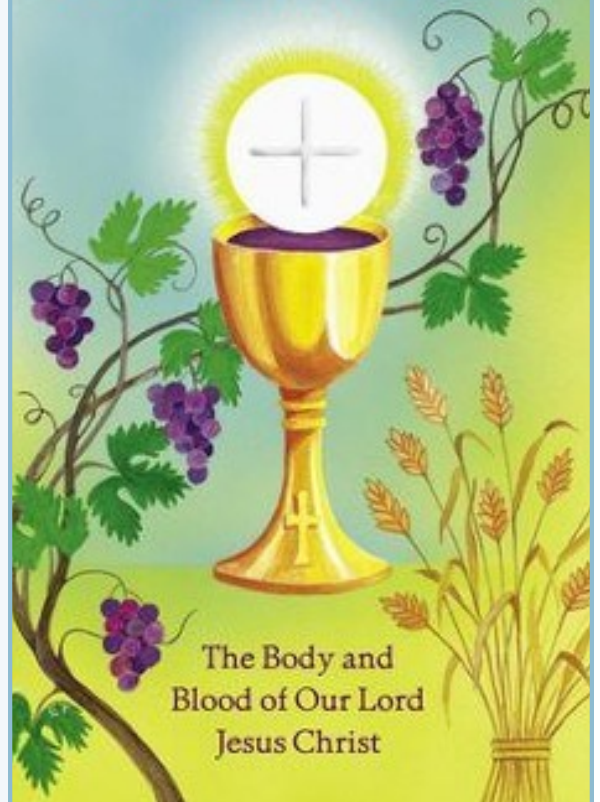
Anthony Agustin, Caleb Arkwright, Lucy Avery, Alyssa Brink
Grace Candela, Hannah Christopher, Giuseppe DeSimone
Natalia Dudek, Ambrose Ginther, Stephen Jaynes

Jeremy Jones, Paxton Kramer, Meredith Lawler, Lisa Marie Moenig
Genevieve Schaub, Hope Simon and Alexander Szczerba

There are another 38 First Communicants that will celebrate their First Holy Communions later in June.

May God continue to bless each and every one of these students,
Paul & Carroll Schuller, Directors of Religious Education
Ss. Cyril & Methodius Catechism Program

FIRST HOLY Communion



The Body and
Blood of Our Lord
Jesus Christ



American Red Cross Blood Drive • July 23

Donating blood products is essential to community health and the need for blood products is constant.

As part of our nation's critical infrastructure, healthy individuals can still donate in areas that have issued shelter in place declarations. The Red Cross follows the highest standards of safety and infection control, and volunteer donors are the only source of blood for those in need.

Continuous blood and platelet donations are needed for the regular blood supply and in a fight against coronavirus. In times of crisis, the Red Cross is fortunate to witness the best of humanity as people roll up a sleeve to help those in need.

Please schedule an appointment to donate blood today! Whole Blood donations can be made every 56 days, Power Red donations every 112 days, Platelet donations every 7 days and AB Elite Plasma donations every 28 days.

If you wish to be a Whole Blood donor at our Blood Drive on July 23, between 1:00PM - 6:45PM, please sign up to donate blood. Thank you for your generosity!

www.redcross.org or call 1-800-RED-CROSS (1-800-733-2767)

Free Mental Health Support Line Available through Catholic Charities of Southeast Michigan

Mental Health Support Line (888) 271-2350

Daily: 8:00AM – 8:00PM ♦ This service is at no cost!

Outbreaks can be stressful-

We are here to provide help and give hope!

The outbreak of coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) may be stressful for people. Fear and anxiety about a disease can be overwhelming and cause strong emotions in adults and children. Coping with stress will make you, the people you care about, and your community stronger.

Stress during an infectious disease outbreak can include:

- Fear and worry about your own health and the health of your loved ones
- Changes in sleep or eating patterns
- Difficulty sleeping or concentrating
- Worsening of chronic health problems
- Worsening of mental health conditions
- Increased use of alcohol, tobacco, or other drugs

Everyone reacts differently to stressful situations

How you respond to the outbreak can depend on your background, the things that make you different from other people, and the community you live in.

People who may respond more strongly to the stress of a crisis include:

- Older people and people with chronic diseases who are at higher risk for severe illness from COVID-19
- Children and teens
- People who are helping with the response to COVID-19, like doctors, other health care providers, and first responders
- People who have mental health conditions including problems with substance use

Our qualified mental health professionals are here to listen! Call us at (888) 271-2350. Our FREE hot line is open from 8:00AM to 8:00PM daily.

*<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/daily-life-coping/managing-stress-anxiety.html>

Knights of Columbus Baby Bottle Project Update Collection July 11 & 12

We are planning to collect your filled baby **bottles** the weekend of July 11-12. Please continue to fill your bottles in the meantime. We will announce details on our collection process at a later date. Please stay safe and keep the faith in these trying times.

We thank you in advance for your patience and support of this vital project.

Any questions please email:

Ken Pullis, Right to Life Chair for Council 7011



We All Need Prayers

Evangelization Prayers During This Pandemic: Our Parish Evangelization Group knows that many parishioners are hurting in many ways during this pandemic and is offering to take special prayer requests during these difficult times.

If you have any prayer intentions - general or specific- please send me a brief email and write in the Subject Line: Pandemic Prayer Intentions. Send your intentions and I will share them with our members - on a confidential basis – and we will pray for them for the next 30 days.

*"For where two or three are gathered together in my name,
I am in the midst of them."*

God bless and stay safe, *Ken Pullis*, email: kpullis@gmail.com

Bilingual Rosary Prayer Requests: During the pandemic, the Monthly Bilingual Rosary has still taken place. The June Bilingual Rosary was recorded last week and can be found on our website: www.saintcyrils.church, go to the "Resource" tab and then "Media".

If you have prayer intentions that you would like included in our next Bilingual Rosary, (which will also be included in a private rosary for the month of June), please either email them to: 100rosary@gmail.com or call or text: (586) 413-4050.

Organized by: *Maria Lamerova* and *Cindy & Dennis Zitny*

Tools for Growing in Faith * FORMED

As a community, we all now have UNLIMITED access to the best Catholic faith formation materials on the market, all in one easy location: www.FORMED.org. FORMED has resources for all ages. There are in-depth faith formation programs, Bible study programs, Lighthouse Catholic Media audio talks, full length movies, children's audio programs and e-books!

All you have to do to gain access is log onto: www.FORMED.org. Scroll down and enter our parish code: **90c575**. You will then be prompted to set up your own personal account so that you can have full access to all of the amazing faith formation materials available through FORMED.

FORMED is an excellent way to continue to grow in our faith!



CATECHISM REGISTRATION for the 2020-2021 School Year

\$50 per student • \$150 Family maximum • \$20 Home School Fee (during Sacrament Years)

- ♦ Unfortunately, due to limited room availability, only registered parishioners can enroll.
- ♦ Packets were mailed in April to families enrolled in the 2019-2020 School Year. If you did not receive your packet or were not in the program last year, please go to the Parish website and print the catechism registration documents or contact Paul or Carroll Schuller at (586) 726-6911. Complete the information requested and mail to **Ss. Cyril & Methodius Parish Office, Attn: Carroll Schuller, 41233 Ryan Road, Sterling Heights, MI 48314.**
- ♦ The ideal method of payment is online through the parish's electronic method of payment, **PushPay**; please be sure to select the drop down for Religious Education and include the date, receipt number and authorization code on your registration form in the upper **LEFT hand corner**. Don't forget to include the medical and media forms with registration in your envelope.
- ♦ If necessary, tuition may be paid by check (payable to Ss. Cyril & Methodius) and mailed with all registration, media, and medical forms to the church address: Ss. Cyril & Methodius Parish Office, Attn: Carroll Schuller, 41233 Ryan Rd, Sterling Hgts, MI, 48314.

Homeschool Program

- ♦ **Only those who are homeschooled for other academics may homeschool for Religious Education.**
- ♦ Homeschool students making the Sacrament of Communion in 2021 must enroll at this time.
- ♦ Homeschool students making the Sacrament of Confirmation in 2021 (8th grade) and 2022 (7th grade) must enroll at this time. The Confirmation Program is a two-year program. You must be enrolled both years to be eligible.
- ♦ **Kindergartners** are free tuition but must be age of five by December 1st, 2020.
- ♦ Students with **Special Needs** do not have to be registered parishioners.

Registration Directions

- ♦ When completing the forms, keep in mind that you need to **note the grade of your child for the next school year (2020-2021).**
 1. **Print clearly all family information or review all information if your form came preprinted.**
 2. **Fill out Media Form and list all your students under Name – example John, Mary & Ann Smith**
 3. **Fill out Medical Form in its entirety and if possible include copy of medical card.**

Please assist us by registering your student no later than July 1st, so we can begin securing teachers, books and classrooms.
If tuition assistance is needed, please contact Paul or Carroll Schuller at (586) 254-9212, otherwise payment is expected at time of registration.

WEEKEND HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

† Due to limited space available, confirmed registration is required for Indoor Holy Masses.

† Pre-registration requested for Outdoor Weekend Holy Masses. *(For Liturgical Planning)*

† Registration begins on Wednesday each week at: www.saintcyrls.church

† Please wear face masks and bring hand sanitizer if possible to Indoor Holy Masses

† For Outdoor Holy Masses: please bring a folding chair and dress appropriately in case of inclement weather.

† Always check the website before you come to Mass for any last-minutes changes or cancellations.

SATURDAY HOLY MASS: 5:30PM (Vigil) – OUTDOOR

SUNDAY HOLY MASSES:

7:30AM † 9:30AM † 11:30AM (Slovak) † 6:00PM (Latin Tridentine) † 8:30PM

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WEEKDAY HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY - FRIDAY: 12:00PM – OUTDOOR (Weekday Holy Masses pre-registration not necessary)

CONFESSION SCHEDULE: (Registration Required)

Monday, Wednesday & Friday: 10:30AM - 11:30AM † Tuesday & Thursday: 6:00PM - 7:00PM

Registration Forms for Confession are Available on the Parish Website: www.saintcyrls.church
Confessions are outdoors by the Slovak cross and by the garage behind the church building.



Welcome to Ss. Cyril & Methodius Slovak Catholic Church

If you would like general information on:

- ♦ Sacraments (Baptisms & Weddings)
- ♦ Catechism
- ♦ Joining the Parish

Leave a Message at the Parish Office: 586-726-6911