

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 12, 2021



SAINTS CYRIL AND
METHODIUS PARISH

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



24th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“**W**hoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me.”

Mk 8:34b

MASS Intentions

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September 11, Saturday - Sobota

- 9:00AM For the Members of O.L. Mother of Mercy Secular
Disalced Carmelites ❖ For James Wilkins (B'Day)
❖ †Robert Nowak Jr. req. Mom
- 5:30PM *(Vigil)*
For the Victims of 911 and their families req. Shirley
Polakowski ❖ For Monir & Alia Korkis & Family
❖ For Dino Hinds req. Langlois Family
❖ For Alexa Lysik (B'Day) req. Family
❖ †David Chupa
❖ †Angeline Funk req. Langlois Family
❖ †Thomas Langlois req. Langlois Family

September 12, 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Nedela

Is 50:5-9a ; Jas 2:14-18 ; Mk 8:27-35

- 7:30AM For Fr. Ben Kosnac ❖ For Karen Miller (B'Day)
❖ For Chris & Courtney DePerro (Wed. Ann.)
❖ †Stella Sabo ❖ †John Maciag req. Wife
❖ †Adelbert & Mildred Novotny req. Miller Family
❖ †William & Esther Norris req. Daughter
- 9:30AM For the Holy Souls in Purgatory
❖ For Renee Dzieciolowski
❖ For Nikoleta & Family req. Maria
❖ For Paul & Julie Varchetti & Family
❖ †Dave Witzel ❖ †Theodora (Teddy) Kochan
❖ †Dolores Follis req. Natalie & Toni
- 11:30AM *(Slovak)*
For the Intentions of All Parishioners
- 6:00PM *(Latin)-Tridentine:*
For the Meldrum Family
- 8:30PM For the Holy Souls in Purgatory
❖ For Ashur Akrawi ❖ For Luban & Rani
❖ For Rochelle Rosenbaum req. Husband
❖ †Phil Perrone ❖ †Eleanor Burley
❖ †Natale Mangano req. Family

September 13, Monday - Pondelok

- 9:00AM For the Holy Souls in Purgatory
❖ For Valentin & Dad req. Maria
❖ For Glen & Amy Varchetti & Family
- 12:00PM For the Blue Army of Fatima
❖ For Peter, Josie, Vu & Nguyen Family
❖ †Helene Maciag

September 14, Tuesday - Utorok

- 6:00AM For Nate & Theresa Robinson & Family
❖ †Kathy Wojas ❖ †George Gates
- 12:00PM For Holy Souls in Purgatory ❖ For Amy Shamoon
❖ †Rev. Richard Polakowski S.J. req. Shirley

September 15, Wednesday - Streda

- 9:00AM *(Latin)*
For Christopher Halabu(B'Day) req. Family
❖ For Franko Kasneci ❖ For Maria req. Gjok
- 12:00PM For the Holy Souls in Purgatory
❖ For John Fuller ❖ †Matthew Margiewicz

September 16, Thursday - Štvrtok

- 6:00AM For the Holy Souls in Purgatory
❖ For Carl & †Stephanie Varchetti & Family
❖ For James & Greete Varchetti

- 12:00PM For Ashur Akrawi
❖ †Mike Foley req. Family
❖ †Helene Maciag
- 7:00PM For Seminarian Patrick Blenman req. Grandparents
❖ For Bob & Barbara Flood
❖ †Gjergj Hasa req. Maria

September 17, Friday - Piatok

- 6:00AM For Henry Parker req. Langlois Family
❖ For Sara Funk req. Langlois Family
❖ For Katie Giannone (Bap. Ann.)
- 12:00PM For John & Lissette Winowiecki (10th Wed. Ann.)
❖ †Lawrence & Christine Chominski req. Family
❖ †Oliver Nash

September 18, Saturday - Sobota

- 9:00AM †Charles & Isabella Varchetti
❖ †Charles Noullet req. Cesar Dubon
❖ †Matthew Fontana
- 5:30PM *(Vigil)*
For Bob & Barbara Flood
❖ †Catherine Balowski req. Rayles Family
❖ †Mary Jo Chenevert ❖ †Rejeanne Buckley
❖ †Augustine Wolfe req. Miller Family
❖ †Stella Caddy req. Mary Ann
❖ †Kathleen Wojas req. Frank & Bev Moran
❖ †Annansa Bakko req. Mother

September 19 - 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Nedela

Nm 11:25-29; Jas 5:1-6; Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

- 7:30AM For Fr. Luigi & All Priests, Religious, & Seminarians
❖ For Catie & Family
❖ For Spencer Brady (B'Day)
❖ For the O'Connor Family
❖ †Anthony Bustamante req. Wife
❖ †John Maciag req. Wife
❖ †William & Esther Norris req. daughter
- 9:30AM For Maria & Family
❖ For Tom Jacobs & Family
❖ †Dolores Follis req. Natalie & Toni
❖ †Anna Tymn ❖ †Paolo Persichetti
❖ †Betty Showler ❖ †Theodora 'Teddy' Kochan
- 11:30AM *(Slovak)*
For the Holy Souls in Purgatory
❖ †Marge Robine req. Anna Magusin
❖ †Paul Szwarc ❖ †Olga Piatek
❖ †Anna Cnota ❖ †Peter Piatek
❖ †Joseph Szwarc
- 6:00PM *(Latin)-Tridentine:*
For the Intention of All Parishioners
- 8:30PM For the Shaina Family
❖ For Amal Shamoon
❖ For Jindar Yalda
❖ For Ilean
❖ For Carolin & Napoleon
❖ For Kristina

Wedding Banns!

September 18, 2021: Kateri Rybicki & Curt Silverthorn


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Jesus Christ, The High Priest

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HOLY MASS SCHEDULE:
SATURDAYS: 9AM & 5:30PM
SUNDAYS: 7:30AM, 9:30AM, 11:30AM (Slovak), 6:00PM (Latin Tridentine) & 8:30PM
(The 9:30AM Holy Mass is livestreamed on the 1st Sunday of each month. Next livestream is October 3.)
MONDAYS & WEDNESDAYS: 9:00AM & 12:00PM
TUESDAYS & FRIDAYS: 6:00AM & 12:00PM
THURSDAYS & FIRST FRIDAYS: 6:00AM, 12:00PM & 7:00PM
CONFESSION SCHEDULE:
MONDAYS & WEDNESDAYS: 8:30AM - 9:00AM & 11:30AM - 12:00PM
TUESDAYS & FRIDAYS: 5:30AM - 6:00AM & 11:30AM - 12:00PM
THURSDAYS & FIRST FRIDAYS: 5:30AM - 6:00AM, 11:30AM - 12:00PM & 6:30PM - 7:00PM
SATURDAYS: 8:30AM - 9:00AM
***WEEKDAY OFFICE SCHEDULE:**
MONDAYS & WEDNESDAYS: 10:00AM - 2:00PM
TUESDAYS & FRIDAYS: 11:00AM - 2:00PM
THURSDAYS: 11:00AM - 5:00PM

*Office is closed during 12:00PM Holy Mass

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: EVERY THURSDAY: 1:00PM - 7:00PM

September 13th—Fifth Apparition of Our Lady of Fatima
Monday, September 13—Marian Procession & Devotions after the Noon Holy Mass

During World War I, Pope Benedict XV made repeated but forlorn pleas for peace, and finally in May 1917, made a direct appeal to the Blessed Mother to intercede for peace in the world. Soon, Our Lady began to appear at Fatima, Portugal to three shepherd children, Lucia dos Santos, age 10, and her cousins, Francisco and Jacinta Marto, ages 9 and 7.

Fatima was a small village about 70 miles north of Lisbon.

September 13, 1917

On September 13, very large crowds began to converge on Fatima from all directions. Around noon the children arrived. After the customary flash of light they saw Mary on the holm oak tree. She spoke to Lucia: "Continue to pray the Rosary in order to obtain the end of the war. In October Our Lord will come, as well as Our Lady of Dolours and Our Lady of Carmel. Saint Joseph will appear with the Child Jesus to bless the world. God is pleased with your sacrifices. He does not want you to sleep with the rope on, but only to wear it during the daytime."

Lucia then began to put forward the petitions for cures, to be told: "Yes, I will cure some, but not others. In October I will perform a miracle so that all may believe." Then Our Lady began to rise as usual and disappeared.





RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21
1:00 - 6:45PM

**DONORS
DESPERATELY
NEEDED**

As you know, donating blood products is essential to community health and the need for blood products is constant. If your last donation took place prior to July 27, 2021, you should be eligible to donate at our upcoming Blood Drive that takes place on Tuesday, September 21. All donors will receive a Red Cross t-shirt.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

To donate: <https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/donation-time>

More details or questions: <http://www.redcross.org> or call 1-800-RED-CROSS (1-800-733-2767)

Thank you for your generosity!



Our Lady's Rosary Makers

The Rosary Makers are in need of a few good people who are willing and able to take over the responsibilities required to maintain its operations.

If you are interested, please contact the Parish Office, (586) 726-6911, with your name and contact information.

Thank you. *Jo Ann Traczynski*

Deaconate Vocation Information Night • September 14

The Permanent Diaconate Office of the Archdiocese of Detroit will be hosting an in-person Vocation Awareness Information Night at Sacred Heart Major Seminary, 2701 Chicago Blvd., Detroit, on Tuesday, September 14, from 7:00PM - 8:30PM for all who are discerning a call to the Diaconate. Wives are highly encouraged to attend. Inquiries: please contact:

Permanent Diaconate Office, (313) 596-7149, or email
Erin Dewimille, Dewimille.erin@aod.org.

Natural Family Planning (NFP) Course

CCL's Natural Family Planning Course: An NFP course that will help you plan your family naturally, safely, and in accordance to the Church's teachings will be held at The Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament. This is a three-class series.

The dates are September 18, October 9, and November 20 from 9:00AM to 12:00 Noon. Childcare provided on-site.

Sign up for the course at: <https://bit.ly/3qB3ZVI> or at ccli.org If you would like to talk to someone about the course or NFP in general, you can call *Michelle* at (313) 801-7924. *Michelle* will be teaching the course with her husband, *Stephen*.

Catholic Services Appeal Update

CSA GOAL: \$160,134

PLEGGED-TO-DATE: \$89,302

SHORTFALL: \$70,832

PLEGGES RECEIVED: 193

Questions, please contact:

Rob Avery, business@saintcyrils.org, (586) 726-6911

National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Babies

September 18

Let us honor the abandoned victims of abortion. Services are held at the graves of children killed by abortion in Michigan. All gravesites and memorial markers in Michigan are listed at: <https://nationaldayofremembrance.org/sites>.

11:00AM: Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, 25800 W. 10 Mile Road, Southfield. Holy Innocents Section 71S. Special Guest Speaker: *Claire Culwell*, Abortion Survivor

1:00PM: White Chapel Cemetery, 621 W. Long Lake Rd., Troy. Right Side of Garden of the Last Supper Section (The babies buried here were found tossed in an alley near an abortion clinic in Oakland County)

1:30PM: Assumption Grotto Parish Cemetery, 13770 Gratiot Avenue, Detroit. Special Guest Speakers: *Claire Culwell*, Abortion Survivor and *Monica Migliorino Miller*, National Abortion Leader

~ Veni Sancte ~

Invocation of the Gifts of the Holy Spirit

On Sunday, September 19,

the 9:30AM Holy Mass

will include this Special Intention:

God gave us the gift of reason to explore and understand reality. In order to be assisted in our quest, He illuminates our mind and intellect.

As we begin the new school year, we want to ask the Holy Spirit for His seven-fold gifts and assistance for all our students and teachers.

We also recognize our parents, grandparents, and guardians in their important role in teaching the faith. The parish community is encouraged to pray for all catechists who dedicate themselves to the mission of helping those they teach to encounter Jesus and grow in their love for Him.



Do you Like to Sing? Play a Musical Instrument? Choir Rehearsals begin Thursday, September 23

Our parish is abundantly blessed with musical talent. Please consider this a personal invitation to YOU. Please consider trying out one of our choirs at Ss. Cyril and Methodius this fall. No musical training is necessary, and singers of all backgrounds and skill levels are welcome. As COVID related restrictions have lifted, we would love for this fall to be a new dawn for our choirs.

We sing a variety of styles of sacred music, from traditional to modern. All we sing is dedicated to God's Glory and is appropriate for the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.

The 7:30AM choir has traditionally sung for Sundays throughout the year at our Sunday daybreak Mass. We're trying to gauge interest for the 7:30AM choir on Sundays. This has been a crucial group of singers for our parish and I would love for this choir to continue singing for Holy Mass. Rehearsals will be at 6:00PM on Thursdays, with warmup at 7:00AM on Sunday prior to Mass.

The "Christus Regnat" choir sings at 9:30AM on Sundays at Holy Mass, as well as for special liturgies throughout the year. We rehearse during the week immediately following the 7:00PM Mass on Thursdays (about 7:45PM) and also at 9:00AM Sunday immediately before Mass (especially for those are not able to attend the evening rehearsals during the week). Please do not let scheduling for evening rehearsals be a barrier to participation, and talk to me if you have any questions.

The Children's Choir sings at the 9:30AM Mass on the second Sunday of the month, and rehearses following the 9:30AM Mass on Sundays. I am still looking for volunteer (or volunteers) to coordinate this group – this would be a great opportunity for some of our young adults who are interested in music to take a leadership role, but by no means does this need to be a young person.

Rehearsals will begin for the adult choirs on September 23, so now is the perfect time to prayerfully decide if this ministry might be a good fit for you! We also have opportunities for individuals to volunteer to assist with maintaining our music libraries.

Thank you for all you do to make music at Ss. Cyrils beautiful.

If you are interested in joining us, please contact either the:

Parish Office, at (586) 586-726-6911 or *Joe Long*, our Music Minister, at (810) 882-1806, jlong@saintcyrils.church

Young Catholic Professionals • September 29

Young Catholic Professionals (YCP) Detroit invites you to join us for an evening on Wednesday, September 29, with Ray Scott, President and CEO of Lear corporation. We welcome all young adults in the area for faith, food and fellowship.

The event takes place at Church of the Divine Child, 1055 Silvery Lane, Dearborn. Mass (optional) begins at 6:30PM, networking, complimentary food & beverages beginning at 7:15PM, keynote speaker begins at 8:15PM. (Confession is available.)

For more information on the evening, please visit:

Our website: YCPDetroit.org

34th Annual Life Chain • Sunday, October 3

Ss. Cyril & Methodius will host the annual Life Chain event with the support of Right to Life-Lifespan. Every year people all over the nation gather at the same time to peacefully protest against abortion. When people drive by, we will be there with our signs: praying, singing, and witnessing to help turn their hearts towards the truth. Please bring your whole family and friends and be a witness that human life is a Gift, and adoption is an option.

The Life Chain will take place on Sunday, October 3, from 2:00PM– 3:30PM on 18 Mile and Ryan on the front lawn of the church. Approved Lifespan signs will be available from volunteers for you to use. Come and join the rest of the nation!

God bless you! *Betty Abate*, L.I.F.E. Ministry

Historic Churches Pilgrimage • October 7 & 8

On Thursday, October 7, to Friday, October 8, and to commemorate the Feast Day of Our Lady of the Most Holy Rosary, please join Prayer Pilgrimages as we travel to Ohio and Indiana to visit the following churches with daily Holy Mass: Toledo's Our Lady Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Cathedral, St. Joseph Church, & Historic St. Patrick Church. We then will proceed with a visit to Carey's Basilica and National Shrine of Our Lady of Consolation. Next we travel to Indianapolis for an overnight stay. On Friday, we will visit & tour Ss. Peter and Paul Cathedral, Holy Rosary Church, Sacred Heart Church, St. Mary's Church, & St. John the Evangelist Church with downtown free time. Scheduled deluxe motorcoach local pickups from Ss. Cyril & Methodius Parish Activity Center in Sterling Heights (7 AM departure, 9:30 PM return) and other locations in Dearborn and Detroit.

Total cost per person, including Wyndham hotel lodging, is \$195 (single), \$155 (double), \$140 (triple), \$130 (quad).

To reserve and/or more information, please contact:

Michael Semaan, (248) 250-6005 or www.prayerpilgrimages.com

Morning Reflection



October 2 ~ 9:00AM

A Morning of Reflection will take place on Saturday, October 2. The morning begins with 9:00AM Holy Mass followed by talks in the Fr. Mikus Hall by:

FATHER LIBOR MAREK

Topic: "Mary in the Scriptures"

DR. ROBERT FASTIGGI

Topic: "Marian Dogmas: What, Where and Why"

Coffee & Donuts will be available. Free-will donations.



Catechism Update

Classes Begin This Wednesday, September 15

Catechism begins this Wednesday, September 15, at 6:15PM. All registered children attending Religious Education at Ss. Cyril & Methodius should have received letters in the mail with this year's calendar, teacher's assignment, and other information.

Grades Kindergarten through 3rd grade and Special Needs will take place in the church building from 6:15PM–7:15PM to allow parents time to pick up their children and proceed to the Activity Center to pick up their older children (grades 4th–8th) for their 7:30PM dismissal.

Parents – Please remember to follow the directions of the Knights of Columbus in the Parking Lot. They are giving of their time to see that all volunteers, students and their families are safe each and every Wednesday Night. These selfless gentlemen have done this for more years than I can count and come with the experience and know-how that we have come to rely on tremendously.

September's Calendar: Class on September 15, 22 and 29

We look forward to seeing you and your child(ren) on the first day of class,
THIS WEDNESDAY, September 15, at 6:15PM (until 7:30PM).

Questions, please contact Directors of Religious Education:

Paul and Carroll Schuller, (586) 254-9212 cschuller@saintcyrils.church -or- p_schuller@yahoo.com

YOUTH MINISTRIES



Registration Open for Life Teen and EDGE Youth Groups for Fall 2021

Life Teen is Ss. Cyril's high school youth group and EDGE is Ss. Cyril's middle school youth group. Life Teen and EDGE are open to all teens, from any parish. Our goal is to create a friendly Catholic community where teens can encounter Christ.

Parents: Register your high school and middle school teen now for fall 2021-2022 at <https://tinyurl.com/edgelifeteen>

Life Teen Youth Ministry – NEEDS WOMEN VOLUNTEERS

The COR(inthian) Team is a group of committed adults who walk the faith journey with teens by hosting youth Nights, developing mentoring relationships, and growing in knowledge and practice of the Catholic faith with teens. The commitment is most Monday evenings in September through May. Life Night Cor members must be practicing Catholics over 21 years of age. Life Teen **Cor Teams need 2 more committed women Cor Members** before the first Nights to make the Life Teen ministry possible. Please prayerfully discern if God is calling you to this mission field right here.

EDGE Youth Group KICK-OFF THIS Thursday, September 16

EDGE Youth Group Kick Off takes place this Thursday, September 16, at 6:45PM. Please register your middle school teen now for fall 2021-2022 at: <https://tinyurl.com/edgelifeteen>.

Life Teen Kick-Off • Monday, September 20

Life Teen Kick Off takes place on Monday, September 20, at 6:45PM. Please register your middle school teen now for fall 2021-2022 at: <https://tinyurl.com/edgelifeteen>.

For details and more information, email:

Alexandria Collins at lifeteen@saintcyrils.church or call (586) 641-7672



† Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (R.C.I.A.) †
Classes Begin THIS Thursday, September 16

**DO YOU KNOW ANYONE WHO HAS NEVER BEEN BAPTIZED?
 DO YOU KNOW ANYONE WHO HAS NEVER BEEN CONFIRMED?
 DO YOU KNOW ANYONE WHO HAS NOT RECEIVED 1st HOLY COMMUNION?
 WANT TO KNOW MORE ABOUT WHAT THE CATHOLIC CHURCH TEACHES?**

**If you have never been Baptized, Confirmed, received First Holy Communion, and want to;
 or if you have, but just want to know more about what the Catholic Church teaches, now is your time to act!**

We are currently accepting registration for the upcoming RCIA (*Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults*) classes for the 2021-2022 Season. This Class will teach you the Catholic Faith in order to prepare you for receiving these Sacraments which will be offered at the Easter Vigil on April 16, 2022.

The course provides a glimpse into the truths of Catholicism, is hands-on and teaches the beauty of the Catholic Faith. It is open to anyone who feels the Lord calling them into full communion with the Catholic Church, the un-baptized who have heeded God's call to convert to the Christian religion through Christ's Church, and to those who are already baptized and Confirmed Catholics but who desire to know the Catholic Faith more in-depth and thoroughly.

Classes will be held every Thursday, beginning THIS Thursday, September 16, from 7:00PM - 9:00PM in Room 112.

For more information or to register, please contact:
Steven Piskorowski,
 (586) 883-3093 or: stevenpiskorowski@yahoo.com

SS. CYRIL & METHODIUS KEEPSAKES
 In the Parish Office

Cookbook - \$15



Clear or Blue Bead Rosary \$25



**4 1/2" x 7 1/4"
 Wooden Church Replica \$20**



Eucharistic Adoration

EVERY THURSDAY

1:00PM - 7:00PM



If you have questions
 or would like to sign up to
 become a committed adorer,
 please contact:
Jenn Dopke
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 (586) 530-3674

