



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



Simon said in reply, "Master, we have worked hard all night and have caught nothing, but at your command I will lower the nets." - Lk 5:5

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass @2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.



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| February | 5, First Saturday - Prva Sobota | 12:00PM | For the Marku Pepaj Family |
| 9:00AM | For the Holy Souls in Purgatory | 12.001 W | ❖ For Roeby & Beth Ledford & Family |
| 9.00AW | ❖ For the Intentions of the Rosary Society | | ♦†Roger & †Lois Farrier Sr. |
| | ❖ For the Krahala Family & Friends | February | 710, Thursday - Štvrtok |
| 5:30PM | (Vigil) For Monir & Alia Korkis & Family | 6:00AM | For the Holy Souls in Purgatory |
| 5.501 W | ❖For Maximilian Ghesquiere | 0.00AW | ❖ For Mark Varchetti ❖ † Charlene Femminineo |
| | ❖†Roland & †Gary Gasparski req. Wife | | req. Corinne Zgliczynski |
| | ❖†Bill Hurley ❖†David Chupa req. Wife | 12:00PM | For Aaron Bustillo (B'Day) req. Parents |
| | ❖†Agatha Mangano req. Family | 12.001 W | ❖†Shawn Atkinson req. Uncle Dan & Aunt Jan |
| | ❖†Mark and †Ryan Ledford | | ❖†Michael Beste req. Family |
| Fobruory | 6,5th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Nedel'a | 7:00PM | For David Sculthorpe & Family |
| - | 6:1-2a,3-8; 1 Cor 15:1-11; Luke 5:1-11 | 7.001 141 | ❖ For Roeby & Beth Ledford & Family |
| | | | ❖ For Hollya Asmar & Family |
| 7:30AM | For Fr. Ben For John Brady (B'Day) | February | 11, Friday - Piatok |
| | ❖ For Anthony & Nellie req. Grandma & Papa❖ For Carolina Mercy Long req. Mazurkiewicz | 6:00AM | For Roeby & Beth Ledford Family For Glen & |
| | Family For Roeby & Beth Ledford & Family | 0.00AW | Amy Varchetti & Family *†Anna Tymn |
| | *†Fr. Val Gattari *†Victoria Pheister | 12:00PM | In Thanksgiving Alia Korkis |
| 9:30AM | Forgotten Souls in Purgatory req. Maria Sinishtaj | 12.00FW | ❖ For Tim & Victoria Roddy & Family |
| 9.30AW | ❖ For Mark & Renee Dabrowski & Family | | *†Matthew Margiewicz req. Parents |
| | ❖ For Michael Drozdowski (B'Day) | Echmican | 7 12, Saturday - Sobota |
| | ❖ For Matthew Dailey (8th B'Day) req. Family | • | , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , |
| | Living & Deceased Member of Kalaj Family req. | 9:00AM | For the Members of O.L. Mother of Mercy Secular Discalced Carmelites |
| | Maria Sinishtaj *†Armando Dubon | | |
| | ❖†Beverly Sabotka req. Rochelle Rosenbaum | | For Roeby & Beth Ledford Family |
| 11:30AM | (Slovak) For the Poor Souls in Purgatory req. Plzak | 5:30PM | ❖†Henrietta & Norbert Ugorowski For the Intentions of All Parishioners |
| 11.507111 | Family * For Dominika Aliaj (B'Day) req. Mom & | | |
| | Dad * For Daniel Liptak (B'Day) req. Mom & Dad | _ | 13, Solemnity of Ss. Cyril & Methodius |
| | ❖ For Roeby & Beth Ledford & Family req. Plzak | | cts 13:46-49; Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Luke 10:1-9 |
| | Family *†Marge Robine req. Robine Family | 7:30AM | For Drew Manor req. Langlois Family |
| | ❖†Joseph Venglar req. Family❖†Margaret | | For the Menard & Daniel Families |
| | Ferkovic req. Milan & Eleanor Straka | | ❖ For Nate & Theresa Robinson & Family |
| 6:00PM | (Latin)-Tridentine: | | For Roeby & Beth Ledford & Family |
| 0.0011.1 | For the Intentions of All Parishioners | | ❖†Wasyl & Anna Tymchyshyn |
| 8:30PM | For Kola Peter Gojcaj ❖ For Paul & Julie Varchetti | | *†Charlene Femminineo req. |
| | ❖ For Amanda req. Family | | Corinne Zgliczynski |
| | ♦†Charlene Femminineo req. Corinne Zgliczynski | 0.20 4 1/4 | *†Cynthia Sherrit req. Walker Family |
| | ♦†Dod Nikoll Lulgjuraj req. Family | 9:30AM | Alan & Christine Gieleghem (12th Wed. Ann.) †Robert Klein req. Jimenez Family |
| | ❖†Isidoro (99 B'Day) & Francesca (100 B'Day) & | | <u> </u> |
| | Family req. Antonina ❖†Sadi Sharrak | | ❖†Mrs. Janiczewski ❖†Wayne Sunman ❖†Marion Chapman-Freemire |
| February | 7, Monday - Pondelok | | ♦†Mae Ann Noullet ♦†Ann Rudzewicz |
| 9:00AM | For Gavin Newsome req. Cindy Zitny | 11:30AM | (Slovak) |
| 3.0071111 | ❖ For Roeby & Beth Ledford Family | II.SUAW | For the Poor Souls in Purgatory req. Plzak Family |
| | ❖†Filippo Marrocco req. Family | | For Fr. Viktor Kuciak |
| 12:00PM | †Marion Chapman-Freemire | | ❖ For Roeby & Beth Ledford & Family req. Plzak |
| 12.00F W | ❖†Mark & Lena Pepaj reg. Family | | Family *†Geroge Rafaidus |
| | ❖ †Josephine and Bernard Patrona req. Family | | ❖†Linda Slamka req. Daniella Grisak |
| m-1 | | | ❖†Jarmila Mizigarova req. Plzak Family |
| - | 8, Tuesday - Utorok | | *†Marge Robine req. Family |
| 6:00AM | For Amy Shamoon For Mary Ghesquiere | 6:00PM | (Latin)-Tridentine: For Margaret Voland req. Sister |
| 10.00DB# | ❖ For Roeby & Beth Ledford & Family | 8:30PM | For Roeby & Beth Ledford & Family |
| 12:00PM | For Marisa Rosenbaum (B'Day) | 0.0011.1 | ❖ For Dalila Zeya & Family req. Noora |
| | *†Patricia Glass req. Minjeur Family | | ❖ For Jerjosa Family req. Noora |
| Eob | *†Mary Louise Christenson req. Sister | | ❖ For Nooria Yousif Family req. Noora |
| - | 9, Wednesday - Streda | | ❖ For Haidor, Fowad, Fadi & Forat Bachi req. Sister |
| 9:00AM | (Latin) For Margaret Voland req. Sister | | ❖ For Hikmat, Sarmad, Samir, Ray, Noor & Fams. |
| | ❖ For Luca DiCicco (B'Day)❖ † Donald, Marie & Molly Obriecht | | ❖†Pete Nikprelaj req. Greg Brock |
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5th Sunday in Ordinary Time • Sunday, February 6, 2022

Jesus Christ, The High Priest

Fr. Libor Marek, Pastor • Imarek@saintcvrils.church Fr. Juraj Nuota, Associate Pastor • jnuota@saintcyrils.church Deacon Phil McCown • wadephil@yahoo.com Deacon Gerald Smigell • vgsmigell@gmail.com Parish Office • parishoffice@saintcyrils.church

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 and Holy Days. The next livestream is March 6.) 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

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

Total Consecration to Jesus thru Mary

33-Day Preparation Begins: February 20 • Consecration on March 25, Feast of the Annunciation of Our Lord

St. Louis de Montfort (1673 – 1716) had a profound and deep devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary and wrote extensively on the virtues of Our Lady, what true devotion to her consists of, and how the faithful need to turn to her as the way to her Son, Jesus Christ. He recommends that the faithful formally consecrate themselves to the Blessed Mother. For this end he developed a specific 33-day program consisting of various prayers and readings to help the faithful detach themselves from the world and bond themselves more closely with Christ through the example and intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary. St. Louis de Montfort stands in a long tradition of saints completely devoted to Our Lady, and his work has been influential in the lives of many other saints, one of the most famous among them is Pope St. John Paul II, who took his papal motto, "Totus Tuus" (Totally Yours) from de Montfort.

This "Total Consecration to Jesus through Mary" consists of an initial 12-day preparation followed by a period of three consecutive weeks, each week focusing on a different theme. It is recommended that the consecration be done on a major feast day of Our Lady,

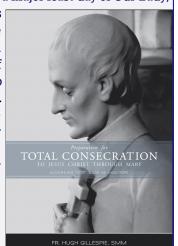
meaning that the preparation would begin 33 days prior. That is, after the 33-day program is completed, the formal Act of Consecration is made on a Marian feast day. Once you make the consecration, it is for life. It can then be renewed annually. Keep in mind that this is a formal consecration to Our Lady, like a vow. Through this 33-day program you are giving Mary ALL of yourself - your heart, your mind, and your soul - in order to bring you closer and help you be more faithful to her Son, Jesus Christ. Also, that she may use you as a holy instrument in her battle with Satan - i.e. this consecration allows her the free reign in your life to make you holy (she assists you, through the Holy Spirit, to conform to her virtues) and to use your prayers, sacrifices, and sufferings for the greater glory of God.

The next preparation begins on Sunday, February 20, for all who wish to make, or renew their Consecration on Friday, March 25, the Feast of the Annunciation of Our Lord.

"Preparation for Total Consecration" books are available in the parish office for \$10.

Questions or to register to make (or renew) your Total Consecration, please contact:

the Parish Office: (586) 726-6911





Our Lady of Lourdes Feast Day Pilgrimage of Prayer

Assumption Grotto Church, 13770 Gratiot Ave., along with welcoming members of the North American Lourdes Volunteers, will host an all-day pilgrimage of prayer on Friday, February 11, the Feast Day of Our Lady of Lourdes, from 7:00AM-9:00PM. A plenary indulgence, as granted by Pope Leo XIII, can be obtained by all participants. Day highlights include Holy Masses at 7:30AM & 7:00PM each followed by Veneration of St. Bernadette Relic & Holy Rosary, 5:00PM Lourdes Virtual Experience with Candlelight Procession to Outdoor Grotto and an opportunity to obtain Lourdes Water, Noon Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament & Anointing of the Sick, 3:00PM Stations of the Cross followed by the Divine Mercy Chaplet & Holy Rosary. Private Confession available a half hour before each Mass and upon request. Luncheon bar of vegetarian chili, soups, salads, potluck items available from 12:30PM - 5:00PM. For more information, including a complete day schedule of events:

www.assumptiongrotto.com or (313) 372-0762

Diaconate Vocation Awareness Night • February 15

The Archdiocese of Detroit is hosting a Diaconate Vocation Awareness Night for those in the Archdiocese who are considering a call to the permanent diaconate. They and their wives are invited to attend the evening from 7:00PM - 8:30PM on Tuesday, February 15, at Sacred Heart Major Seminary, 2701 Chicago Blvd., Detroit.

If you know of anyone who is discerning the call or would like to learn more about the Diaconate Vocation, please have them RSVP for the event to:

Erin Dewimille at Dewimille.erin@aod.org

Catholic Young Adult Singles • February 18 Let's Get Trivial - "Trivia with a Twist"

Do you like trivia and minute-to-win-it games? Come hang with us and other Catholic young adult singles on Friday, February 18, as we put a twist on trivia night.

Catholic Church of the Holy Family (Activity Center)

24505 Meadowbrook Road, Novi Check-in + Social - 6:30PM Trivia - 7:00PM—9:00PM RSVP with name + email + age Email: hhcyagroup@gmail.com

Instagram: @hot_and_holy Facebook: @HHCYAGroup

Catechism Corner

With the rise in COVID cases, please remember to keep your children home if they have any signs of illness or have been exposed to anyone with COVID. This is also cold and flu



season so please keep an eye out for those symptoms as well. Thank you! Your support and cooperation is much appreciated!

Class Schedule

Wednesday, February 9, at 6:15PM: Class Wednesday, February 16, at 6:15PM:

Class & Benediction for All

Wednesday, February 23: NO CLASS—Mid-Winter Break Wednesday, March 2: NO CLASS—Ash Wednesday

Wednesday, March 9, at 6:15PM:

Class & Benediction for All

Saturday, March 12, at 10:00AM: 7th & 8th Grade Confirmation Retreat

Ouestions about Catechism:

Paul or Carroll Schuller, Directors of Religious Education cschuller@saintcyrils.church or (586) 726-6911 or (586) 254-9212

Life Teen Ministry • Monday, February 14

TOPIC: Back to the Garden -How to be a Holy Friends and What Friendship Looks Like 6:45PM—8:45PM

All high school teens are welcome to Life Teen. Life Nights are dynamic youth gatherings including snacks, games, small group discussions, and an opportunity for teens to learn more about the Catholic faith with their peers.

Some of the topics we'll be covering this semester include being a holy friend, the issue of pornography, making Lent a priority and what our purpose is.

To be added to the email list, please contact: *Alexandria Collins*, (586) 641-7672 or lifeteen@saintcyrils.church

EDGE Youth Group • Thursday, February 10

TOPIC: Heroic Virtue - What is Virtue? 7:00PM—8:45PM

All middle school teens (6th, 7th and 8th grade) are welcome to our Edge Nights. Edge Nights are dynamic youth gatherings including snacks, games, small group discussions, and an opportunity for teens to learn more about the Catholic faith at a middle school level. Some of the themes we'll be covering this semester are what is virtue, the virtue of prudence and how to avoid distractions during prayer.

If you have any questions, please contact: *Alexandria Collins*, (586) 641-7672 or edge@saintcyrils.church

Registration for Life Teen and EDGE

Parents – register your high school and middle school teen at https://tinyurl.com/lifeteenedge

It's important for us to have your contact information!

VBS 2022 June 20 - 24, 2022

Solemnity of the Patrons of the Parish, Ss. Cyril & Methodius Monday, February 14 • Masses Celebrated February 12 - 14

The Slovaks who started to gather in the early 20th century in the eastside of Detroit with the purpose of having a place for the community, for living their faith, and for instructing their children in their mother tongue chose Saints Cyril and Methodius, the apostles of the Slavs, as patrons of the new church.

Now, more than 100 years later, Saints Cyril and Methodius are still venerated as the patrons of the Parish which is home to many Slovak Catholics and many Catholics of all ethnic backgrounds.

The Feast Day of Ss. Cyril & Methodius is Monday, February 14, and will be celebrated as a Solemnity in our Church next weekend:

- Saturday, February 12, 5:30PM
- Sunday, February 13, at 7:30AM, 9:30AM, 11:30AM (in Slovak), and 8:30PM and on
- Monday, February 14, at 9:00AM and 12:00PM.

Attend one or more of these Masses to celebrate in thanksgiving for the patrons of our beautiful Parish. Readings for the Solemnity are below:



First Reading: Acts 13:46-49

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles:

Paul and Barnabas spoke out boldly and said, "It was necessary that the word of God be spoken to you first, but since you reject it and condemn yourselves as unworthy of eternal life, we now turn to the Gentiles. For so the Lord has commanded us, *I have made you a light to the Gentiles, that you may be an instrument of salvation to the ends of the earth.*"

The Gentiles were delighted when they heard this and glorified the word of the Lord. All who were destined for eternal life came to believe, and the word of the Lord continued to spread through the whole region.

The Word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm: 117:1bc, 2

R. Go out to all the world and tell the Good News.

Praise the LORD, all you nations; glorify him, all you peoples!

R. Go out to all the world and tell the Good News.

For steadfast is his kindness toward us, and the fidelity of the LORD endures forever.

R. Go out to all the world and tell the Good News.

Second Reading: Eph 4:1-7,11-13

A reading from the Letter of Saint Paul to the Ephesians:

Brothers and sisters, I, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you to live in a manner worthy of the call you have received, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another through love, striving to preserve the unity of the spirit through the bond of peace: one Body and one Spirit, as you were also called to the one hope of your call; one Lord, one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all.

But grace was given to each of us according to the measure of Christ's gift.

And he gave some as Apostles, others as prophets, others as evangelists, others as pastors and teachers, to equip the holy ones for the work of ministry, for building up the Body of Christ, until we all attain to the unity of faith and knowledge of the Son of God, to mature manhood, to the extent of the full stature of Christ.

The Word of the Lord.

Alleluia: Luke 4:18

R. Alleluia, alleluia. The Lord sent me to bring glad tidings to the poor and to proclaim liberty to captives.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel: Luke 10:1-9

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Luke:

The Lord Jesus appointed seventy-two other disciples whom he sent ahead of him in pairs to every town and place he intended to visit. He said to them, "The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few; so ask the master of the harvest to send out laborers for his harvest. Go on your way; behold, I am sending you like lambs among wolves. Carry no money bag, no sack, no sandals; and greet no one along the way. Into whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace to this household.' If a peaceful person lives there, your peace will rest on him; but if not, it will return to you. Stay in the same house and eat and drink what is offered to you, for the laborer deserves his payment. Do not move about from one house to another. Whatever town you enter and they welcome you, eat what is set before you, cure the sick in it and say to them, 'The Kingdom of God is at hand for you.'"

The Gospel of the Lord.



BLOOD CRISIS! Calling All Blood Donors!

The American Red Cross is facing a national blood crisis – its worst blood shortage in over a decade, posing a concerning risk to patient care. Doctors have been forced to make difficult decisions about who receives blood transfusions and who will need to wait until more products become available. Blood and platelet donations

are critically needed to help prevent further delays in vital medical treatments. Please schedule your blood donation today.

What is Causing the Blood Shortage Crisis?

- 10% overall blood donation decline since March 2020.
- 62% drop in college and high school blood drives due to the pandemic. Student donors accounted for approximately 25% of donors in 2019 accounted for just approximately 10% during the pandemic.
- Ongoing blood drive cancellations due to illness, weather-related closures and staffing limitations.
- Additional factors like a surge of COVID-19 cases and an active flu season may compound the already bad situation

At a time when many businesses and organizations across the country are experiencing pandemic challenges, the Red Cross is no different. We are all learning how to live in this new environment, how we spend our time, where we work, how we give back, how we make a difference in the lives of others – donating blood must continue to be part of it.

Supply of Critical Blood Types

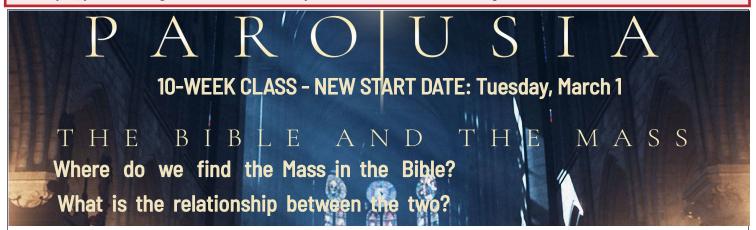
The Red Cross, which supplies 40% of the nation's blood supply, has had to limit blood product distributions to hospitals as a result of the shortage. In fact, some hospitals may not receive 1 in 4 blood products they need.

Blood cannot be manufactured or stockpiled and can only be made available through the kindness of volunteer donors. Less than a one-day supply of critical blood types in recent weeks.

Please consider booking additional appointments further out due to the fact that while availability of drives may be impacted, the need for blood remains constant.

Make your Blood Donation Appointment Today: www.redcross.org/give.html/find-drive OR 1-800-RED-CROSS

Mark your Calendar: Ss. Cyril & Methodius will host a Blood Drive on Tuesday, April 12. If you make a whole blood donation by February 15., you will be eligible to donate at the Ss. Cyril & Methodius Blood Drive on April 12.



In ten beautifully produced lessons, **Parousia**: *The Bible and the Mass* answers these questions and more. The class will be held on TUESDAY mornings in Room 112 at 10:00AM for ten weeks beginning Tuesday, March 1.

Host *Scott Hahn* uncovers how and why all of God's action, in creation and redemption, is ordered to the Mass. Cost for the workbook is \$25 payable on the first day of class. Thank you for your interest.

To register for the class so the proper number of workbooks can be ordered, please call:

Marge Lewandowski, (586) 822-7902

Reporting Sexual Abuse

The Archdiocese of Detroit encourages individuals to report clergy sexual abuse of minors and others – no matter when the abuse occurred. Individuals may contact local law enforcement authorities and/or they may report to the Archdiocese of Detroit by calling the Victim Assistance Coordinator at (866) 343-8055 or by emailing: vac@aod.org. In addition the Michigan Attorney General's Office can be contacted at its toll-free reporting hotline at (844) 324-3374 (Monday through Friday from 8:00AM-5:00PM) or by email at: aginvestigations@michigan.gov. More information about the AOD's efforts to address abuse may be found at protect.aod.org.

Detroitská Arcidiecéza povzbudzuje jednotl ivcov, ktorí by vedeli o prípadoch sexuálneho obťažovania mladistvých zo strany kléru, aby ich ohlásili bez ohľadu na to, kedy sa tieto prípady vyskytli. Jednotlivci môžu kontaktovať orgány činné v trestnom konaní, alebo upovedomiť Detroitskú Arcidiecézu prostredníctvom koordinátora pre pomoc obetiam na tel. čísle 866-343-8055, alebo emailom vac@aod.org. Úrad generálneho prokurátora v Michigane možno kontaktovať na bezplatnom telefónnom čísle 844-324-3374 (od pondelka do piatku, od 8:00 do 17:00), alebo emailom aginvestigations@michigan.gov.

