

Pentecost Sunday
May 24, 2026



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May 23, Saturday***7:00PM - Penetcost Vigil**

- For Poor Souls in Purgatory req. Honce Family
- For Mike & Beth Drozdowski (Wed. Ann.)
- For Kate Drozdowski (B'Day)
- For Daniel Giannone (Bap. Ann.) req. Family
- For Al & Ann Varchetti
- +Phyllis Gemellaro
- +Hank Parafinowicz

May 24, Sunday - Pentecost

7:30 AM

- For Tim Fuller
- For the Hanna Family
- For James Yates B'Day req. Family
- +Mary Emma Rickett req. Karen & Ralph Basile
- +Stefanie Bak
- +John Maciag req. Wife
- +Asberry Davis

9:30 AM

- For the Intentions of All Parishioners

11:30 AM

- For the Poor Souls in Purgatory
- For Kola Peter Gojcaj
- +John Chasney III req. Mazurkiewicz Family
- +Thomas J Ferenc req. Family
- +Elena Slamka req. Ivin Family
- +Marge Robine req. Family
- +Walter & Michael Couet req. Family

8:30 PM

- For John Paul Mansour
- For Samantha Kassab & Joseph
- For Jacqueline, Krystian & Emmanuel
- For Samantha & Adonis Sabbagh
- For Frank, Tarik, Malik & Roman
- +Vera Zelenak req. Chominski Family
- +Doda Mucli req. Marie, Dedee & Djela

May 25, Monday - Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9:00 AM

- For Magdalena Diccico Pacitto & Families
- +Salam Farjo
- +Nageba Razzoki
- +Stefania Bak

12:00 PM

- For Jonah Haio B'Day
- For Lorraine Drozdowski
- For Deceased Members of Drozdowski Family
- +Mary Aiello req. Family

May 26, Tuesday - Memorial of Saint Philip Neri, Priest

6:00 AM

- For Lainey Zabawa req. Langlois Family
- +Sarah Mangano
- +Baby Gammoo
- +Charles & Isabella Varchetti

12:00 PM

- For Fr. Philip Ching & All Priests and Deacons
- For Priestly Vocations
- For All Families
- +Francis Maiorana req. Family

May 27, Wednesday - Memorial of Saint Augustine

9:00 AM

- For the Krahala Family & Friends
- For Melissa Mazurkiewicz (B'Day) req. Family
- +Rosalyn Kettner
- +Charles Lesko

12:00 PM

- For Nardi Gjekaj
- For the Roddy & Gjonaj Families
- For Deceased Members of the North Family req. Terry North
- +Rebecca Pullis

May 28, Thursday

6:00AM

- For Carl & Maureen Varchetti
- For All Aborted Babies
- For John Mangano req. Ibitsam
- +George & Helen Emmendorfer

12:00PM

- For Tim & Victoria Roddy & Family
- For the Mansour Family
- For Ilean Hajto
- +Ndue Vacaj

7:00 PM LATIN

- For Zena Sarraf & Loyal Frangie (B'Day)
- +Dennis Lichocki
- +Sarah Mangano req. Vickie Babbie
- +Sabriya, Hanna & Iman Boutany & Family

May 29, Friday - Memorial of Saint Paul VI, Pope

6:00AM

- For Elizabeth Timmerman
- For Kola Peter Gojcaj
- +Salam Farjo
- +Mary & Anthony Kelly

12:00 PM

- For Tim & Victoria Roddy & Family
- For Lourdes & Bernadette
- For Annette Rudzewicz & Family
- +Caroline Kalisch

May 30, Saturday - Memorial of Blessed Virgin Mary

9:00 AM

- For Thomas Hanna (B'Day)
- For Ave Mansoor (B'Day)
- For Paul Varchetti & Family
- +Sarah Mangano req. Sharon Brown & Family

5:30 PM

- For the Poor Souls in Purgatory
- For the Intentions of the Members of the St. Monica Sodality
- For Sandi, John & Families
- For Living & Deceased Members of Drozdowski Family
- For Jacob Davenport & Katrina Plaskon req. Davenport Family
- For Annie & Casey Cain req. Mom
- +Gerald O'Neill Jr. req. Knights of Columbus

May 31, Sunday - Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

7:30 AM

- For Al & Ann Varchetti
- For Mark Varchetti
- For Selena & Alan Yousif
- For Irene & Antonio Wnek & Primo Wnek
- For Leonarda Abate
- +Michael Kolpacke
- +Mary Emma Rickett req. Karen & Ralph Basile

9:30 AM

*Baptism: Sofia Rosalina Palmer

- For the Poor Souls in Purgatory req. RMG
- For Debbie Konowalski req. Family
- For Rosa Banch Alicea req. Honce Family
- For Deceased Members of the North Family req. Terry North
- +Agatha Mangano (Ann.) req. Family
- +Marion McGrath (41st Ann.) req. Abate Family
- +Rafael Drensek req. Drensek Family

11:30 AM

- For the Intentions of All Parishioners

8:30 PM

- For Samantha & Adonis Sabbagh
- For Peter & Gary Batche req. Shawn Batche
- For the Habib Family req. Dan & Jan
- For Kathleen & Duane McPherson
- +Rosario Urbano req. Laqui Family
- +Nestor Albuero req. Laqui Family
- +Doda Mucli req. Marie, Dedee & Djela

Welcome

SS. Cyril & Methodius Slovak Parish

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 Father Juraj Nuota, Priest in Solidum • jnuota@saintcyrils.church
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Regular Mass Schedule:

Saturdays:

9:00am & 5:30pm (Sunday's Vigil)

Sundays:

7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am (Slovak) & 8:30pm

Mondays & Wednesdays:

9:00am & 12:00pm

Tuesdays & Fridays:

6:00am & 12:00pm

Thursdays & First Fridays:

6:00am, 12:00pm & 7:00pm

Overnight Eucharistic Adoration

Thursdays–Fridays: 1:00pm–6:00am

First Fridays: extended until 7:00pm

Adoration is interrupted during the celebration of Mass.

Regular Confession Schedule

Mondays & Wednesdays:

8:30–9:00am & 11:30am–12:00pm

Tuesdays & Fridays:

5:30–6:00am & 11:30am–12:00pm

Thursdays & First Fridays:

5:30–6:00am & 11:30am–12:00pm & 6:30–7:00pm

Saturdays:

8:30–9:00am

Regular Office Hours

Mondays: 10:00am–5:00pm

Tuesdays, Thursdays & Fridays: 11:00am–5:00pm

Wednesdays: 11:00am–2:00pm

The office is closed during the celebration of Mass.

Dear Parishioners,



Our pilgrimage to Italy was extremely blessed and we're so thankful for you!

Our dream began as an idea placed prayerfully before God became something far greater than we could have imagined. Through your generosity, encouragement, sacrifices, and countless acts of service, our youth were given the opportunity to walk through the heart of our Catholic faith in a profound and unforgettable way. Thank you to every person who donated, organized, prayed, fundraised, chaperoned, and supported Now Youth Ministry throughout this journey. I want to also thank the parents who traveled with us: Brendan Newell, Heather Siekierski, Chris Delaney, Sheelagh Newell, and Fr. Libor.

This pilgrimage was never simply a trip. It became a living reminder that the Church is truly a family: the Body of Christ journeying together toward Him. In Rome, our teens encountered the beauty and universality of the Catholic Church in ways words can barely capture. We prayed where saints once prayed. We stood beneath the same skies where martyrs gave their lives for the Gospel. We celebrated the Eucharist surrounded by centuries of faith, sacrifice, and devotion. In those sacred moments, we were reminded that our faith is alive, ancient, and deeply connected across generations and nations. But perhaps even more beautiful was witnessing the transformation happening within our own group. Friendships deepened. Hearts softened. Prayer became more sincere. Laughter, vulnerability, wonder, and worship all intertwined as we journeyed together. We saw Christ in one another, even in tired mornings, long walks, shared meals, quiet prayers, and joyful moments that will remain with us for years to come. None of this would have been possible without you!

Your support did more than help students board a plane. You helped create encounters with Christ. You invested in the spiritual lives of young people. You helped plant seeds of faith that we trust God will continue to grow long after our return home.

As pilgrims, we learned that every journey ultimately leads us closer to Heaven. Rome reminded us that we do not walk this path alone. We walk beside the saints, beside the Church, and beside one another.

Please continue to pray for our youth, that the graces received during this pilgrimage would continue to bear fruit in their lives. Know that while we prayed in the churches, basilicas, and holy places of Rome, we carried all of you with us in our hearts and prayers.

From the bottom of our hearts — thank you for helping make this pilgrimage possible.

May God bless you abundantly, and may the Lord continue to guide all of us as pilgrims on the road to Him.

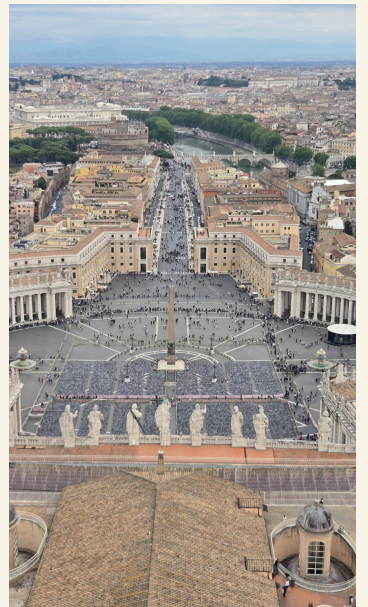
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PS. As a small thank you, we wanted to share a few images from our trip. For a little extra fun, some of the pictures include hidden Easter eggs for you to find!



NOW YOUTH MINISTRY PILGRIMAGE 2026







***Our Lady's Rosary Makers Meeting
Friday, June 5th**

Location: Meeting in Room #113 from 1:00-3:00PM

We welcome new members who would like to join our group. No experience is necessary. We also repair rosaries and accept donations of rosaries and rosary parts.

For more information,
call: Jo Ann (586) 979-1078



**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL:
June 22-26, 2026**

Daily Children's Mass: 9 am
Camp: 10 am - 1 pm

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"Are you ready?" Call/Text Mrs. Moe to register.

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1st Child in Family: \$55

Additional Children: \$45

Volunteer Meetings (7:00 pm - 9:00 pm):

Tuesday, May 5, (room 112) Wednesdays, May 13, 20, 27, June 3, 10

Mock VBS (7:00 pm-9:00 pm):Monday June 15 (hall)

Set-up begins after 9:30 am mass: Sunday June 21

Questions, please contact: Moe Jones (586)219-6678

**St. Monica Sodality Mass
May 30 at 5:30 PM**

May is dedicated to Our Lady, who beautifully models trust and obedience to God. Join us in thanking God for the gift of our Blessed Mother and praying for her intercession.

Please join us for the St. Monica Sodality Mass on Saturday, May 30 at 5:30 PM, followed by the Divine Mercy Chaplet and St. Monica prayers in the Chapel after Mass.

Please place completed petition slips in the St. Monica box before Mass so your loved ones may be included in prayer.

See the bulletin or St. Monica box for future dates. For more information, contact Anne Marie at (586) 873-2004.



Legion of Mary Spring Luncheon

For all Legionaries, Auxiliary Legionaries and Guests
Thursday, June 4, 2026

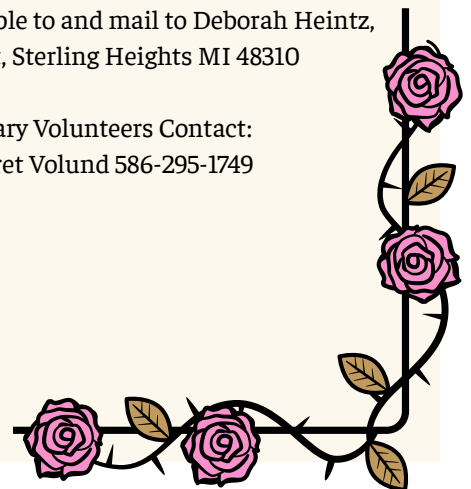
Gazebo Banquet Center: 31104 Mound Road, Warren MI

Time: 11:30AM

Cost: \$30.00

Make checks payable to and mail to Deborah Heintz,
40650 Kraft, Sterling Heights MI 48310

Legionary Volunteers Contact:
Margaret Volund 586-295-1749





Jesus Calls you
 BY NAME

Additional Adorers Needed

Ss. Cyril & Methodius Catholic Church Eucharistic Adoration takes place each Thursday from 1:00 PM until Friday at 12:00 PM (and until 7:00 PM on First Fridays).

We are in need of additional adorers for the following hours:

Thursdays: 3–4 PM, 4–5 PM, 11 PM–12 AM
 Fridays: 2–3 AM, 4–5 AM, 9–10 AM, 10–11 AM

Please consider spending one hour each week with Our Lord in Adoration. In the silence of Adoration, He speaks to us and draws us closer to His love. If you are interested, please contact Annette Rudzewicz at 586-247-7214

**Spiritual Adoption
 Month 7**

We are ending Month 7 and our baby is about 15 inches long and weighs about 2 pounds. Our baby is now using four senses: 1) eyelids open and close so the baby can look around, 2) taste, 3) touch, and 4) hearing and recognize its mother's voice. The baby can also cough, yawn and hiccup. The baby's grip is very strong, even stronger than it will be after birth. The hair on its head is growing longer and the downy hair covering the rest of the body is disappearing. The baby is receiving antibodies from the mom to provide immunity to many diseases.

Daily Prayer by: Archbishop Fulton Sheen

*Jesus, Mary and Joseph, I love you very much
 I beg you to spare the life of the unborn baby
 that I have spiritually adopted who is in danger
 of abortion.
 Amen*

Heart's Deepest Longing

One particular thing must always be on our minds at all times when doing about our day: Remember our last end. All life, the things we do, the people we encounter, our family, friends, co-workers, strangers, created material goods, are all placed here by God to help us to that end. To understand and practice this is called wisdom, a gift of the Holy Spirit. It focuses us in such a way that all things, events, circumstances, trials, joys, loss, etc., are meaningful and put into a right perspective. We must do all things with our end in mind: to get to heaven. Remind yourself how short this life on earth is in comparison with eternity. Understand the value of time. If we squander our time here on earth, becoming attached to the things of the world, we will realize at the time our life is asked of us that the time we should've spent cultivating or building up our treasures in heaven, would have been used foolishly in chasing the ways of the world. Time exceeds in value all the treasures of the world. With all the riches of earth, we cannot purchase a second of time; but, in time, everlasting treasures may be secured. Could only the dead return from eternity they would think they had misspent every moment! God, therefore, has given us this precious time on earth to remember the reason why He created us and thus use it to procure that very end. Ask Our Lady through her intercession and the Holy Spirit to grant you the grace of wisdom and then use it. You'll notice a change almost immediately if you do!

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