

THE VOICE

30th SUNDAY *in ordinary time*

Jesus told him, "Go your way; your faith has saved you." Immediately he received his sight and followed him on the way. - Mk 10:52

Excerpt from the Lectionary for Mass #2061, 1990, 1993 CD2.

OCTOBER 28, 2018

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Monday thru Thursday
9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:30 a.m., 10:15 a.m.
and 12:00 Noon

WEEKDAYS

Monday, Tuesday, Friday:
9:15 a.m.
Thursday Evening: 7:00 p.m.

RITE OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays: 3:30 – 4:30 p.m.

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ANN VALASEK

MASS INTENTIONS
OCTOBER 29 - NOVEMBER 3

Monday 9:15 AM
Chubb and Barbara Stimac
Requested by Croitori Family

Tuesday 9:15 AM
Howard Petter
Requested by Diane Petter

Wednesday - No Mass

ALL SAINTS DAY
Thursday 9:15 AM
Edna and Frank Cannizzaro
Requested by Yolanda Fenech

Thursday 7:00 PM
Michael and Margaret Kasinec
Requested by Diane Petter

ALL SOULS DAY
Friday 9:15 AM
For All Our Parishioners

Friday 7:00 PM
Deceased Members of the Parish

Saturday 9:15 AM
Bob and Monica Koenig (Anniv.)
Requested by Family

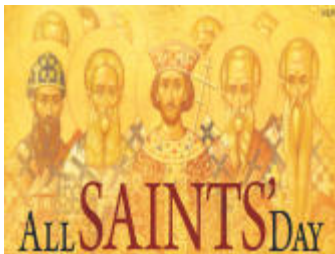
READINGS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY: EPH 4:32--5:8/PS 1:1-2, 3, 4 AND 6 [CF. EPH 5:1]/LK 13:10-17
TUESDAY: EPH 5:21-33 OR 5:2A, 25-32/PS 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 [1A]/LK 13:18-21
WEDNESDAY: EPH 6:1-9/PS 145:10-11, 12-13AB, 13CD-14/LK 13:22-30
THURSDAY: RV 7:2-4, 9-14/PS 24:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [CF. 6]/1 JN 3:1-3/MT 5:1-12A
FRIDAY: WIS 3:1-9/PS 23:1-3A, 3B-4, 5, 6 [1 OR 4AB]/ROM 5:5-11 OR ROM 6:3-9/JN 6:37-40
SATURDAY: PHIL 1:18B-26/PS 42:2, 3, 5CDEF/LK 14:1, 7-11
NEXT SUNDAY: DT 6:2-6/PS 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51 [2]/HEB 7:23-28/MK 12:28B-34

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(FOR A LIST OF DAILY READINGS: GO TO [HTTP://WWW.USCCB.ORG/NAB](http://www.usccb.org/nab))

Offertory Snapshot

Actual Offertory for Weekend of October 14 . .	\$ 6,756.00
Budget Offertory for Weekend of October 14 . .	\$ 9,096.00
Actual Offertory July 1 - October 14	\$145,095.00
Budget Offertory July 1 - October 14	\$145,536.00



The Mass schedule for
All Saints Day
(Holy Day of Obligation)
Thursday,
November 1st
9:15 AM and 7:00 PM

NOVEMBER 4, 2018
THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME

5:00 PM November 3 Fr. Kris		
For Bernice, Louis & Dennis Kaye Requested by Joe Pavco	Servers	Eli Gerhart Adrianna Gerhart
	Lector/ Ushers	Alice Sheehan 5:00A
8:30 AM November 4 Fr. Kris		
For AnnValasek Requested by Dennis & Sharon Weberlein	Servers	Servers Needed
	Lector/ Ushers	Jim Bergin 8:30B
10:15 AM November 4 Fr. Kris		
For All Our Parishioners	Servers	Servers Needed
	Lector/ Ushers	Nancy Stone 10:15A
12:00 PM November 4 Fr. Puzio		
For Dobbs, Kemp, Trayer, Robrecht & Goderman Families Requested by C. Kemp	Servers	Knights of Columbus
	Lector/ Ushers	Rick Stone 12:00B

Church Cleaning Schedule for Next Week
November 3 and November 4
Team B

Team #1 is scheduled for Botsford Commons Sunday, October 28 following the 8:30 AM Mass.

Please pray for:

Doug Foley	Sofia Weiland	Kimberly Thompson
Tim O'Brien	Karen Hall	Erin Malloy
Beth Croitori	Jim Sockow	Wanda Reiner
Linda Malloy	Rose Hickey	Pat Fanilone
Ralph Wenski	Roberta Provenzano	Nancy Kolliker
Anna Iadipaolo	Genevieve Browne	Gerry Maxey
Joan Goniea	Yolanda Fenech	Pam Akey
Shel Levine		Thomas Jacques



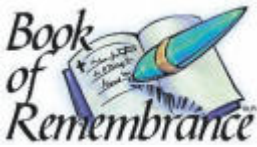
First Friday, November 2
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
following 9:15 AM Mass
until 3 PM with Benediction.
Scheduled Adorers Needed.
Sign-up sheets in narthex.

MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

Our Mass of Remembrance is coming up on Friday, November 2 at 7:00 PM. We will celebrate the Eucharistic Liturgy for all those who have died and especially those that were buried from our parish community during the past year. All are welcome! There will be a reception with light refreshments afterwards.



All Souls Day



In a special way, our Book of Remembrance is placed out for the month of November as a way to remember our loved ones as well. You may fill in names of your beloved dead. We pray that they enjoy the Heavenly Banquet Christ has prepared for them.

CALLED TO SERVE

Teens working with children in the church are asked to attend a *Called to Serve* workshop. St. Fabian will be hosting the *Called to Serve* workshop on Wednesday, November 14, from 6-9 PM in their social hall.

What is Called to Serve training?

Called to Serve is an interactive safe environment training program for teens in our Catholic High Schools and Parishes. Participants leave empowered to:

- Use talents to effectively and responsibly serve others
- Work with and be role models for children
- Communicate and partner with adult supervisors
- Interact appropriately with peers
- Recognize and respond to inappropriate behavior

Who is required to attend Called to Serve workshops?

- All tenth grade students in Catholic High Schools
- Teens grades 9-12 who are church and/or Catholic School employees
- Teens grades 9-12 who volunteer with children

All other teens in grades 9-12 are welcome and encouraged to attend. Contact Kimberly Kerwin, Youth Ministry Coordinator at St. Fabian Catholic School (248) 553-2750



Congratulations to our newly confirmed members of St. Gerald. We have seen you mature and develop in your faith and practice as Catholics. We look forward to having you take on roles as part of our parish family and are grateful for all you have done as you prepared. As Bishop Hanchon stated, this is more like an enlistment; a role of being sent, under the direction of the Holy Spirit, to be active members of our faith community. Go make a difference in the world and let your light shine boldly.

Thank you to those who helped make the ceremony and reception so lovely. It was a beautiful celebration on a beautiful day. A very special thank you goes to our devoted, Mary Taylor for her guidance and expertise in all she does for our Religious Education Program and our families. Thank you!

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Teen volunteers are needed for donut Sunday fellowship help at all Masses on November 4th. Sign up on the board at the main entrance of the church.

Teen Top Pick discussion group will meet on Monday, November 5th. Bring a friend!



**November 4th**

**ST. GERALD ONLINE GIVING UPDATE**

Our new program of Online Giving of Donations through Simplegive is now available. Please visit our Parish Website at [stgeraldparish.org](http://stgeraldparish.org) and click on [Online Giving](#) to get started or pick up the instruction sheets on the bookcase in the gathering space of the church. **If you need help with setting up your online giving or have any questions, please come to the social hall after Mass on November 3 and 4 as someone will be available to assist you and answer your questions about our new online giving program with Simplegive.** Thank you for your continued support of St. Gerald Parish.




Let us welcome our newest members, they are:

**Jeffrey & Dorota Antoun & Family**


**Nathan & Karen DeKett & Family**

Welcome to St. Gerald.  
We are glad you are here!

**WELCOME TO OUR PARISH!**



Those who wish to give to the **World Mission Sunday** collection through the online giving program, can do so now thru **October 28, 2018.**



Those who wish to give to **All Saints Day** through online giving, can do so starting **October 28** through **November 8.**

**If you have any questions, please contact the Parish Office.**

All



## FOOD DRIVE

HELP US FEED FAMILIES FOR  
THANKSGIVING AND CHRISTMAS IN 2018!!!

As we have in past years, we will be providing food to those  
in our community who can use assistance.

**Please note that grocery bags are available for your use  
with the below lists attached. It is our hope that you can  
fill a grocery bag. Bags are due back by November 11.**

### Items Requested this year:

- ◆ **\$10 or \$20** Grocery Gift Cards for Turkey/meat from Kroger, Meijer, Busch's or Aldi's
- ◆ Cereal/Oatmeal/Cocoa
- ◆ Cranberry Sauce
- ◆ Tuna/Tuna Helper
- ◆ Macaroni and Cheese
- ◆ Crackers
- ◆ Pancake Mix/Syrup
- ◆ Canned Yams
- ◆ Peanut Butter and Jelly
- ◆ Spaghetti Sauce and Pasta
- ◆ Canned Vegetables and Canned Fruit
- ◆ Cream of Mushroom Soup
- ◆ Cornbread Mix

QUESTIONS, PLEASE CALL  
Christian Service at 248-476-7677, ext. 204

# WANTED



## MEN WOMEN YOUTH

Training provided

[www.stgeraldworship@gmail.com](mailto:www.stgeraldworship@gmail.com) or  
248-476-7677, ext. 202



**Thank You  
to our Pastor  
Fr. Kris!**

## A WEEK AHEAD

### Monday, October 29

8:40 AM Rosary  
9:15 AM Mass  
9:45 AM Divine Mercy  
5:30 PM Elementary Religious Formation

### Tuesday, October 30

8:40 AM Rosary  
9:15 AM Mass  
9:45 AM Mother of Perpetual Help/Divine Mercy  
5:00 PM Elementary Religious Formation

### Wednesday, October 31

7:30 PM Choir Practice  
No Mass



### Thursday, November 1

#### All Saints Day (Holy Day of Obligation)

9:15 AM Mass  
No Pinochle  
7:00 PM Mass



### Friday, November 2

#### All Souls Day

#### First Friday Eucharistic Adoration until 3 PM

8:40 AM Rosary  
9:15 AM Mass  
9:45 AM Divine Mercy  
7:00 PM Mass of Remembrance  
8:00 PM AA Meeting



### Saturday, November 3

#### First Saturday

9:15 AM Mass  
3:30 PM Confessions  
5:00 PM Mass

### Sunday, November 4

#### Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### Fellowship Sunday

8:30 AM Mass  
10:15 AM Mass  
10:15 AM Children's Liturgy of the Word  
12:00 PM Mass  
1:00 PM Baptism



### MERCY DAY IN ACTION THANK YOU!

On behalf of the Christian Service Commission and myself, thank you to all who were able to take time out of their Saturday and be a part of the Mercy in Action day. It was a great success with a very good representation of our parish. With your help, we were able to clean the grounds over at C.A.R.E.S, send cards to veterans, and provide candy bags for the children at St. Christine's Soup Kitchen. It is because of you that we were able to show the community that we care for everyone and I am so very grateful that we were able to represent our parish so well. God bless! Matt



If you have any pictures of activities/events at St. Gerald and are willing to share them, please send them to [www.stgeraldpictures@aol.com](mailto:www.stgeraldpictures@aol.com). Any questions call Worship at 248-477-7677 ext. 202 Smiles and Thank You!

# Confirmation

—CLASS OF—  
**2018**



St. Gerald 2018 Confirmation Class with Bishop Donald Hanchon and Fr. Kris. Congratulations!



**We would like to give a special thank you to all the volunteers who helped at the Confirmation Mass and worked at the reception and to Sunflour Bakehaus for the donation of the beautiful cake! We are truly blessed!**



What happened to summer? It certainly looks like we are in fall!

**Needed:** You wonderful, generous providers of brown lawn waste bags...our box is empty and yard needs are great now that the parking lot work is complete {and beautiful}!

Look ahead and mark your calendars for the annual Fall Clean-up, scheduled November 10th. Don't pack away your rakes, pruners, trowels, shovels and gloves.

Watch the Voice for further updates. God Bless our workers!

## MAKING A REPORT OF 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](mailto: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, 8 AM to 5 PM) or by email at [aginvestigations@michigan.gov](mailto:aginvestigations@michigan.gov). More information about the Archdiocese's efforts to address *abuse may be found at* [protect.aod.org](http://protect.aod.org).





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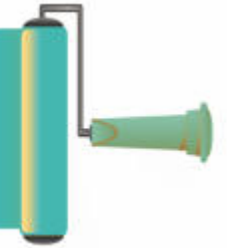
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