

THE

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THE TWENTY FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SAINT BENEDICT

SEPTEMBER 19, 2021

SAINT SCHOLASTICA



St. Scholastica Parish
17320 Rosemont
Detroit, Michigan 48219
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Fr. James W. Lowe CC, Administrator

MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday through Friday	8:00 a.m.
Saturday	8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.
Sunday	10:00 a.m.
Holydays	8:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

MARRIAGE

Parish priest must be contacted six months prior to date of intended marriage.

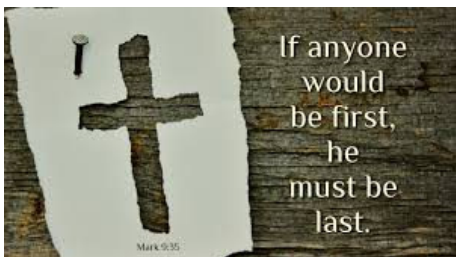
BAPTISMS
Contact Fr. James W. Lowe, CC

CONFESSIONS
Tuesday-Saturday Mornings: Immediately Following Mass
Saturday Evening Mass: 3:45 p.m. until 4:15 p.m.
Sunday: 9:15 a.m. until 9:45 a.m.
All other times - Call Parish Office For Appointment

ROSARY
Sunday 9:30 a.m. in the Chapel

PHONE NUMBERS
Parish Office(313) 531-0140
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REFLECTING ON GOD’S WORD



The disciples may have been a bit slow to understand how Jesus was re-defining the Messiah he was going to be, but they were not stupid on all accounts. They picked up on the reaction Peter got when he rebuked Jesus for talking about suffering rejection and death. So, when Jesus brought up the subject for a second time in today’s Gospel, they just listened politely, then dropped back out of earshot and changed the subject to a more pleasant one—themselves, and who was the greatest.

Things must have gotten quite animated because when they got home, Jesus asked about it. Their silence surely disappointed him, since he could surmise what had engaged them. But like a good teacher, he tries another way to make his point. There must have been a child nearby, because he calls her over and places his arms protectively around her, and says to them, “If you want to be first, then be last. If you want to be in charge, then serve. When you take in the least, you take in not only me but my Father.” Class dismissed.

It has proved a hard lesson to learn. Or maybe few of us really want to learn it. When you look out at the world, most seem to want to be first, the greatest, the one with the most and best toys, a wielder of power and influence and authority. Choosing to serve the least doesn’t make the top ten on most people’s “to do” list.

—James A. Wallace, C.Ss.R.
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LIVING GOD’S WORD

Lord, help us to follow your call by serving the “little ones,” especially those more likely to be subject to the cruelty and indifference of the world. Sustain us in this work with the assurance that when we receive them, we receive not only you but the One who sent you.

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STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS

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(SEPTEMBER 18-19 , 2021)

In today’s reading from the Book of Wisdom, the wicked plot the death of the “just one”. They wanted to see if God will take care of Him. This passage prefigures Christ’s suffering, mocking, and death, as Jesus tells His disciples in St. Mark’s Gospel. The Scripture readings from St. James and St. Mark warn against false ambition and seeking rank instead of looking to serve the Lord. These attitudes cause division among Christ’s followers. With humility, Jesus explains that true discipleship requires the first to be last and servants of all. As Christian stewards, how is the Lord asking us to serve Him? To answer this question, spend some quiet time daily to open your heart and clear your mind to listen to what the Lord asks of you.

...From the AOD Bulletin Inserts

TODAY’S SCRIPTURE READINGS



Wisdom 2:12, 17-20
 Psalm 54:3-4, 5, 6, & 8
 James 3:16-4:3
 Mark 9:30-37



Check here each week for a St. Scholastica history question. The answer will be given in the next week’s bulletin.

WHAT WAS BENEDICTINE’S SCHOOL EMBLEM? A CLUE WAS GIVEN LAST WEEK..

ANSWER: A RAVEN

WHEN WAS ST. SCHOLASTICA FOUNDED?



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Tuesday, September 21, 2021

8:00 a.m. Special Intentions of Joshua Grandmaison by Ms. Penny

Wednesday, September 22, 2021

8:00 a.m. No Intention

Thursday, September 23, 2021

8:00 a.m. Special Intentions of Marion Hubbard by Marianna Bailey

Friday, September 24, 2021

8:00 a.m. No Intention

Saturday, September 25, 2021

8:00 a.m. Special Intentions of John Paul Orozco by Ms. Penny

4:30 p.m. Special Intentions of Suzanne Fitzgerald (Birthday) by Trudy Fitzgerald

LECTOR SCHEDULE



September 18, 2021
Helen Burton

September 19, 2021
Maria Fetizanan
Jason Smith

September 25, 2021
Helen Burton

September 26, 2021
James Torres
Antoinette McDermott

October 2, 2021
Patricia Smith
Connie Borg

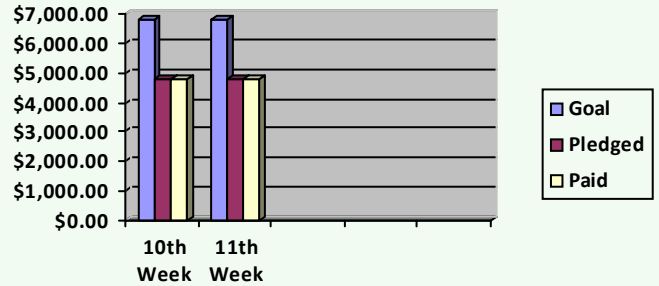
October 3, 2021
Jonathan Jackson
Evelyn Alesna

October 9, 2021
Connie Borg

October 10, 2021
Jason Smith
Maria Fetizanan

CSA 2021-22

Follow the Parish CSA Progress Here



Each week CSA donations will be updated in the bulletin. Please consider making your donation soon, All donations received in excess of our goal will be returned to the Parish. Your gift will be greatly appreciated. If you did not receive your pledge card by mail, they are available in the Parish Office. You may contact the office at 313-531-0140.

FAITH IN THE FIRE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT RETREAT

**OCTOBER 1ST AND OCTOBER 2ND
ST. SCHOLASTICA PARISH**

Come invest in a time of prayer for a personal encounter with the risen Jesus and a new anointing of the Holy Spirit!

Objective:

To guide participants towards a personal encounter and relationship with the Risen Jesus and receiving a new anointing of the Holy Spirit.



WE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR OUR SICK AND HOMEBOUND PARISH MEMBERS:

Bruce Henderson, Elma Thorpe, Annie Laurie Shannan, Courtney Atlas, Eileen Clark, Sandra Moulton, Christopher Staff, Margaret Porath, Drew Lund, Roland Martin, Marian Hubbard, Jean Geran, Betty Kell, Gloria Seacord, Fermon Sanders, Diverna Stephenson, William Walker, Albert Jackson, Daisy Allen, Victoria Crowe, Dennis Lund, Matthew Onwudingo, Irma Gistennar, Justin Doucette, Denise Goodine, Jonathan Jackson, Gwendolyn Dickerson, Yolanda Stephens, Suzanne Ross, Thomas Norfolk, Bennie Bailey, Julie Hacker, Michele Mooney, Robert Weed, Jerome Bies, Annie Stacherski, William Moulton, Stella Blair, and Colleen Darjean.

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL



Saint Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do you, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into Hell Satan and the other evil spirits who wander through the world seeking the ruin of souls.

Amen



FAMILIES OF PARISHES PRAYER

Father in Heaven, renew your wonders in our time, as though by a New Pentecost.

Holy Spirit, increase your gifts in us to move boldly into Families of Parishes with confidence.

Deepen our desire for every person to encounter Jesus anew, grow daily as his disciples and give witness to his love and mercy.

This is our mission! And we embrace it anew.

Grant that your Holy Church in Detroit, praying perseveringly and insisently with one mind, together with Mary, the mother of Jesus, and guided by St. Joseph, St. Anne and Bl. Solanus Casey, may increase the reign of the Divine Savior, the reign of truth and justice, the reign of love and peace.

We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen



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PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL



Trusting in the Lord, we bring Him our needs, the needs of our community, and the needs of the whole world.

That the Church may continue to spread the message of hope to every corner of the world, we pray to the Lord...

That those who minister in the Church may be blessed with the wisdom to lead God's people to the kingdom of heaven, we pray to the Lord...

That national and local leaders may seek the counsel of the Holy Spirit as they make their decisions for the common good, we pray to the Lord...

That Christians will work together to assist those who are poor and needy, we pray to the Lord...

We pray that we all will make courageous choices for a simple environmentally sustainable lifestyle, rejoicing in our young people who are resolutely committed to this, we pray to the Lord

For all those who welcome the call of the Lord to serve Him as priests deacons, sisters and brothers, that they will be strengthened in their vocations as servants of all with the simplicity of children of God, we pray to the Lord.

That those who have died may share fully in the joy of the saints in heaven, we pray to the Lord...

For the Intentions of this Mass, we pray to the Lord . . .