



SAINT JOSEPH SHRINE

ARCHDIOCESE OF DETROIT

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Rev. Canon Stephen Sharpe, Vice-Rector

Mr. Michael Semaan, Music Director, Organist

Mr. Harold Rutila, Schola Director

Welcome to St. Joseph Shrine, a personal parish of the Archdiocese of Detroit, serving Christ's Faithful by way of the 1962 Missale Romanum and complementary liturgies, under the care of the Canons of the Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest (visit: icksp.org)

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sundays 7:00 AM Low Mass, 9:00 AM Low Mass, 11:00 AM High Mass, 6:00 PM Vespers & Benediction.

Weekdays 8:00 AM Low Mass & 7:00 PM Low Mass *except Wednesdays*.

Wednesday 12:00 PM Low Mass w/Organ and Motets & Perpetual Novena to St. Joseph.

Friday 6:00 PM Holy Hour.

Saturday 9:00 AM Low Mass & Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help.

Confessions 30 minutes before every weekday Mass; Sundays 6-6:50 AM, 8-8:50 AM & 10-10:50 AM.

MONTHLY SCHEDULE

First Friday: 5:00 PM Holy Hour. Sung **Votive Mass of the Sacred Heart** at 6:00 PM with themed homily.

Also on First Friday: Sursum Corda (18-35 single/couples) young adult event. Conference at 7:30 PM in Social Hall followed by shared dinner and fellowship. See: StJosephShrineD.org for schedule.

First Saturday: High Mass at 9:00 AM followed by **Morning of Recollection** including catered breakfast (\$5). Conference followed by Rosary and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

3rd Friday of the Month: Getting Acquainted with Aquinas in Social Hall after 5:00 PM Holy Hour & 6:00 PM Mass in the Church, followed by catered buffet dinner (\$5). See: StJosephShrineD.org for schedule.

Liturgical Calendar

Sunday, December 31, Sunday in the Octave of Christmas

7AM Low Mass † **Edgar Quimpo**, requested Janice Rogers
9AM Low Mass with Organ **Monica Redmond**, requested Sheila Ang
11AM High Mass **Pro Populo**
6PM Adoration with *Te Deum* in Thanksgiving

Monday, January 1, Circumcision of Our Lord

8AM Low Mass **Elizabeth Dang**, requested by the Dang Family
12PM Low Mass **Julia Coates**, requested by Lucy Coates
7PM High Mass **Pro Populo**

Tuesday, January 2, Holy Name of Jesus

8AM Low Mass **Jesús Ridley**, requested by Jesús Ridley
7PM Low Mass **Regina Cooper**, requested by Agatha Cooper

Wednesday, January 3, Christmas Feria, Votive Mass of Saint Joseph

12PM Low Mass & Novena Devotions **Saint Joseph Confraternity**

Thursday, January 4, Christmas Feria, Votive Mass of OLJC Eternal High Priest

8AM Low Mass † **Dolores A. Ziegler**, requested by the Zieger Family
7PM Low Mass **Anne Mailloux**, requested by Michelle Mailloux

Friday, January 5, Christmas Feria, Votive Mass of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

8AM Low Mass & Water Blessing **Msgr. Gilles Wach**
5PM Holy Hour, 6PM High Mass **Shrine Groups**

Saturday, January 6, Epiphany of Our Lord

9AM Solemn High Mass **Margie Laabs**, requested by Ed and Margie Laabs

Sunday, January 7, Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

7AM Low Mass **Robert Winston Hughes**, requested by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Howling
9AM Low Mass with Organ **Julie Parthum**, requested by the Grijalva Family
11AM High Mass **Pro Populo**

Exceptionally NO Vespers

FROM OUR PASTOR, REV. CANON COMMINS

Thank you dear faithful and friends for your many gifts, generous donations, Christmas cards, and kind wishes. I am proud to admit with you all that the Shrine remains a haven of prayer and a beacon of hope in these most troubled times, thanks to your many prayers and sacrifices. There are today, few places like our Shrine. Our online presence continues to pique the interest and curiosity of thousands of souls worldwide, thanks to stunning photos of this timeless liturgy, thanks to an amazing music program with few equals today in the U.S., thanks to the growing number of young families, and the generous support of all of you whether spiritual or financial. And so, with much gratitude and humbled by your dedication, with my confreres, Canon Sharpe, Abbe William and the candidates, we wish to THANK YOU!

Server Schedule

Monday, January 1st, Octave Day of Christmas

8AM Low Mass any available servers
12PM Low Mass any available servers

7PM High Mass
MC: Oliver Smith
Thur: Sebastian Smith
AC1: Owen Agustin
AC2: Edward Shaw
Crucifer: Xavier Agustin

First Friday, January 5

6PM High Mass
All servers are encouraged to attend

Saturday, January 6, Epiphany of Our Lord

9AM Solemn High Mass
MC: John Chisholm
Thur: Lucas Dang
AC1: James Chisholm
AC2: Elijah Kukla
Crucifer: Kolbe Dang

Sunday, January 7, Holy Family

7AM Low Mass – Abbé de Penguern
9AM Low Mass w/organ

AC1: John Sadowski
AC2: Thomas Skinner

11AM High Mass
MC: Isaac Smith
Thur: Paul Bacon
AC1: Timothy Stasa
AC2: Thomas Shaw
Crucifer: Lucas Scott

Usher Schedule

Dec. 31st, Sunday in the Octave

7AM Low Mass – Laabs
9AM Low Mass w/organ

- Don Sadowski
- Joe Allen
- William Majkowski
- Tony Rodriguez
- John Nellis

11AM High Mass
- Ismael Lebron
- Richard Lewandowski, Jr.
- Patrick Laabs
- Robert Maziarz

Monday, January 1, Octave Day of Christmas

8AM Low Mass as available
12PM Low Mass as available
7PM High Mass as available

Saturday, January 6, Epiphany of Our Lord
9AM Solemn Mass as available

Sunday, January 7, Holy Family

7AM Low Mass – Laabs
9AM Low Mass w/organ

- Don Sadowski
- Joe Allen
- Jon Hess
- Jonathan Benefiel
11AM High Mass
- Ismael Lebron
- Robert Capaldi
- Robert Maziarz
- William Majkowski

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

REGARDING WATER FOR THE VIGIL OF THE EPIPHANY

Please note that several very large water containers will be blessed by the priest on the Vigil of the Epiphany. Once blessed you are welcome to fill up your personal **small** water containers (be mindful of your neighbor...) Due to the increasing number of faithful and the length on the ceremony we kindly ask that you **DO NOT** bring your personal water (personal water bottles will **NOT** be blessed). You are welcome to bring chalk and incense. Thank you for your understanding.

ITEMS TO BE BLESSED

To avoid further difficulties with items disappearing we kindly ask that all items to be blessed be dropped off on Sundays, at the communion rail by the St. Joseph Altar (Large basket). Items will be kept in the sacristy during the week and once blessed, deposited on the communion rail for pickup the following Sunday. Thank you for your understanding.

JOINING OUR CHANT SCHOLA

The Chant Schola will be hosting auditions throughout January 2024. Men ages 16 and older are welcome to audition. Auditions will be scheduled by appointment. If you are interested, please send an email to Ian Bailey, the schola's Assistant Director of Communications, at ianbl66@gmail.com with "**Schola Audition**" in the subject line.

THANK YOU FROM THE FOOD PANTRY!

Thank you St. Philip Neri Homeschool Group (parents and children) for preparing the Christmas Giving Tree as well as parishioners for your wonderful response. As the need continues to increase, Saint Joseph (our patron saint of fathers, families, and workers) continues to provide! Thank you all again and God bless

FIRST COMMUNION CLASSES

NEXT CLASS: SUNDAY, JANUARY 21

FIRST COMMUNIONS | SUNDAY, MAY 5TH

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

TODAY, Sunday, December 31, *Sunday in the Octave of the Nativity* 7:00AM Low Mass, 9:00AM Low Mass w/ Organ, 11:00AM High Mass. 6:00PM Adoration with *Te Deum* in Thanksgiving for the year followed by Prosecco Party in the Social Hall at 7PM.

Monday, January 1, *Circumcision of the Lord*. 8:00AM Low Mass, Noon Low Mass, 7:00PM High Mass. *Veni Creator* sung before each Mass to begin the New Year. A plenary indulgence can be obtained.

Tuesday, January 2, *Holy Name of Jesus*, 8:00AM & 7:00PM Low Mass.

First Friday, January 5, *Vigil of Epiphany*, 8:00AM Low Mass followed by *Epiphany Water blessing*. Bring chalk, salt and incense. 5:00PM Holy Hour and 6:00PM High Mass.

ALSO on First Friday, *Sursum Corda Conference & Dinner in the Social Hall*. **Topic:** *History of Spirituality*

First Saturday, January 6, *Epiphany of Our Lord*, 9:00AM Solemn High Mass. **No** morning of recollection.

Wednesday, January 10, 6:00PM, Catechism classes in Social Hall

Saturday, January 13, *Baptism of Our Lord*, Low Mass at 9:00AM

Sunday, January 14, *Second Sunday after Epiphany*. Parish Christmas Party after 11:00 AM High Mass

Wednesday, January 17, 6:00PM, Catechism classes in Social Hall

MUSIC PROGRAM AT THE SHRINE

Christmas Eve, December 24-25, 11PM

Music Prelude: *Christmas Selections from Messiah* – G. F. Handel (choral selections: #4 *And The Glory Of The Lord*, #7 *And He Shall Purify*, #9 *O Thou That Tellest Good Tidings To Zion*, #12 *For Unto Us A Child Is Born*); *Stille Nacht* - arr. George Beverst

12AM Midnight Mass: *Mass in G (Kyrie, Gloria, Credo, Sanctus & Benedictus, Agnus Dei)* - Franz Schubert; *Hodie Christus natus est* - Jan Pieters Sweelinck; *Ave Verum* - William Byrd; *O Magnum Mysterium* – Tomás Luis de Victoria; *Hallelujah Chorus (from Messiah)* - G. F. Handel (Postlude)

St. Vincent de Paul Society/St. Joseph Food Pantry

Every Wednesday from 10am to Noon we distribute groceries to almost 100 local households in need. We operate out of the parish's second house on Antietam (albeit in need of numerous repairs). Your generosity, whether by donations, food drop-offs, house improvements, or volunteer hours, enables us to increase our service multiple times a month. To help, please contact: FoodPantry@stjosephshrined.org

SURSUM CORDA

Young Adult Event. (18-35 single/couples)

FIRST FRIDAY, JANUARY 5

5:00 PM | Holy Hour 6:00 PM | High Mass with Homily 7:30 PM | Sursum Corda Conference & Dinner

HISTORY OF SPIRITUALITY

Conference #4

Members should gather by the communion rail and pray together:

1st Sunday of the Month: Men of Saint Joseph. Devotions to their patron at his Side Altar.

2nd Sunday of the Month: Holy Name Society Devotions. Pledge made after Mass at Main Altar.

3rd Sunday of the Month: Helpers of the Holy Family. Devotions at the Altar of Our Lady.

SAVE THE DATE

Saint Joseph Day | Tuesday, March 19

Annual Gala | Save the Date | Thursday, April 25

First Communions/ May Crowning | Sunday, May 5

*** NEW ***

SKI RETREAT

Whether single, married, with friends or family!

February 21 - 24

Canaan Valley Resort State Park, WV

Daily Mass & Conference | Skiing | Tubing | Ice skating

<https://form.jotform.com/icksk/ski-retreat-2024>

END OF YEAR GIVING

In this giving season please remember that our Historic Renewal Campaign continues. With our hearts and minds turned to the coming of Our Lord, your Christmas generosity will allow us to move forward with our restoration projects.

PLANNED GIVING


Please remember St. Joseph Shrine in your Will or Living Trust. An appropriate Will or Trust provision would be: "I, (full name), give _____ to St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church, Archdiocesan Shrine (1828 Jay Street, Detroit MI), for the Shrine's use."

HISTORICAL DOCUMENTARY FILM

To mark the 150th anniversary of the dedication of the St. Joseph Shrine church, we're producing a first-class feature length documentary to chronicle the rich and largely unknown history of this "pearl of the diocese." From its earliest days, the St. Joseph parish was a diverse congregation and its pews were filled weekly with everyone from factory workers and farmers to renowned doctors and Detroit aldermen. Their legacy lives on in all those who pass through the doors of St. Joseph Shrine and, with this film, we hope to preserve their memory.

Please join us in bringing this important project to reality!

LivingStonesFilm.com

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