



# SAINT JOSEPH SHRINE

— ARCHDIOCESE OF DETROIT —

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## SHRINE CLERGY & STAFF

Rev. Canon Matthew Talarico, Provincial Superior

Rev. Canon Jean-Baptiste Commins, Rector

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](http://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 Holy Mass.

## 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](http://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](http://StJosephShrineD.org) for schedule.

**Secretarial Volunteer Staff: Mon & Tue: 10am-4pm | Wednesday: 1:30pm-4pm | Friday: 10am-3:30pm**

## Liturgical Calendar

### Sunday, February 25, Second Sunday of Lent

7AM Low Mass                      **Sander Cukaj & Family**, *requested by Mardalena Vukaj*  
9AM Low Mass with Organ        **Joe Maggio**, *requested by Peter & Leeta von Bülow*  
11AM High Mass                      **Pro Populo**

### Monday, February 26, Feria

8AM Low Mass                      **Knox Family**, *requested by Christine Murray*  
7PM Low Mass                      **Leonida Ang**, *requested by The Ang Family*

### Tuesday, February 27, Feria

8AM Low Mass                      **Brady Volmering**, *requested by The Grijalva's*  
7PM Low Mass                      **Paul Mailloux**, *requested by Michelle Mailloux*

### Wednesday, February 28, Feria

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

### Thursday, February 29, Feria

8AM Low Mass                      **Sally Artz**, *requested by Ken Artz*  
7PM Low Mass, 6:00PM Holy Hour        **Fr. E. Perrone**, *requested by O. Tortomose*

### Friday, March 1, Feria, Votive Mass of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

8AM Low Mass                      **Monsignor Gilles Wach**  
6PM High Mass, 5PM Stations                      **Shrine Groups**

### Saturday, March 2, Feria, Votive Mass of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

9AM High Mass & Novena        **Holy Souls in Purgatory**, *requested by J. Hanna*

### Sunday, March 3, Third Sunday of Lent

7AM Low Mass                      **†† Ryan & Jennifer Ambrosio**, *requested by Ban Francis*  
9AM Low Mass with Organ                      **Private Intention**, *requested by Pierre Caron*  
11AM High Mass                      **Pro Populo**  
6PM Solemn Vespers & Benediction

### FROM THE PASTOR, REV. CANON COMMINS

« *Lord it is good for us to be here* ». Indeed, Lord is it good for us to be here in your presence. Like the Apostles we rejoice in your presence, our faith teaches us that your Body, your Blood, your Soul and your Divinity are truly present in the host, lifted up every day by your priest's hands. Like the Apostles, we know that everything comes from You and shall return to You. We know that your Precious Blood is still running through the veins of your Church today, that one mass is enough to be a proof of your infinite love for us. But unfortunately, "*like the Apostles, we, also, have sinned like them*", continues Dom Gueranger, *we have neglected to profit of the help that was sent us from heaven; we have shut our eyes against the light; we have forgotten the fair vision that was granted us, and which made us so fervent and happy; and we fell.* We have not, then, been tempted above our strength [1 Cor. x. 13], *and it is indeed our own fault that we committed sin.*"

### Server Schedule

#### Sunday, February 25, Second Sunday of Lent

**7AM Low Mass – candidates**  
**9AM Low Mass**

AC1: Thomas Skinner  
AC2: Patrick Skinner

**11AM High Mass**  
MC: John Chisholm  
Thur: Juan Pablo Delgado  
AC1: Sebastian Smith  
AC2: Edward Shaw  
Crucifer: Kolbe Dang

#### March 1st, First Friday & March 2nd, First Saturday

*All Servers are encouraged to attend these High Masses.*

#### Sunday, March 3, Third of Lent

**7AM Low Mass – candidates**  
**9AM Low Mass**

AC1: Maximillian Skinner  
AC2: Anthony Skinner

**11AM High Mass**  
MC: Joshua Ferrante  
Thur: Xavier Agustin  
AC1: Lucas Dang  
AC2: Monroe Fisher  
Crucifer: Christian Scott

### Usher Schedule

#### Sunday, February 18, Second Sunday of Lent

**7AM Low Mass – Laabs**  
**9AM Low Mass**

- Don Sadowski  
- Patrick Laabs  
- Robert Maziarz  
- Jonathan Benefiel  
**11AM High Mass**  
- Ismael Lebron  
- Jon Hess  
- Anthony Russo  
- William Majkowski

#### Sunday, March 3, Third Sunday of Lent

**7AM Low Mass – Laabs**  
**9AM Low Mass**

- Don Sadowski  
- Matt Langenderfer  
- Jon Hess  
- Jonathan Benefiel  
**11AM High Mass**  
- Ismael Lebron  
- John Howting  
- Robert Capaldi  
- Robert Maziarz

## IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

### ST. JOSEPH LEGACY GALA THURSDAY, APRIL 25 AUCTION SPECIAL REQUEST

Dear faithful, our annual Gala will be held on April 25. We would like to encourage everyone to donate to this great fundraiser by **donating something of value to the auction**. You could donate a **professional service** (ex: *music class, landscaping day, tax preparation, free dentist/ doctor consultation, days of babysitting...*) or, **an item** for people to bid on (*jewelry, art work or any item of value however, bidding will commence at \$150 and the items donated should reflect that minimum value*).

We thank you in advance for your support of this great fundraising tradition here at St. Joseph Shrine.

Contact our office for more info:

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### LENTEN MUSIC CONCERT

Thursday, March 21, 2024 at 6:00 PM in the Church

*featuring*

#### STABAT MATER

Giovanni Battista Pergolesi

Brittany Woodcock, Soprano

Stephanie Weil, Alto

Michael Semaan, organ

*Free Admission*

7:00 PM Patronal Feast Day Solemn High Mass in Honor of St. Benedict, Confessor, to immediately follow

### ANNUAL SHRINE TALENT SHOW

Saturday, March 9 from Noon to 5:00PM

St. Mary Catholic School, Wayne, MI

### SAINT JOSEPH CONFRATERNITY ENROLLMENT

Enroll your loved ones in the *Saint Joseph Confraternity* for Masses said at 12 noon every Wednesday. All intentions submitted now will be enrolled for 52 Masses beginning with the Mass for the Feast of St. Joseph on March 19, 2024. Enrollment forms are available online and in the vestibule.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**TODAY, FEBRUARY 25, SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT** 7:00 AM Low Mass, 9:00 AM Low Mass w/ Organ, 11:00 AM High Mass

**Wednesday, February 28**, *Catechism Classes* meet in the Social Hall and Rectory Basement Classrooms at 6:00PM.

**Thursday, February 29**, 8:00AM Low Mass, 6:00 PM Holy Hour (*Lenten Schedule*), 7:00 PM Low Mass

**First Friday, March 1** *Votive Mass of the Sacred Heart of Jesus*, 5:00 PM Stations of the Cross (*Lenten Schedule*), 6:00 PM High Mass with Homily, *Sursum Corda Conference & Dinner* in the Social Hall. **Topic:** *Sources of Monastic Life Origins of a Spiritual Life*

**First Saturday, March 2** *Votive Mass of the Immaculate Heart of Mary*, 9:00AM High Mass followed by Morning of Recollection. Catered Breakfast (\$5) and talk in Social Hall, followed by Rosary and Benediction in Church. **Topic:** *The Perpetual Virgin The Presence of Mary in the Holy Scriptures*

**Wednesday, March 6**, *Catechism Classes* meet in the Social Hall and Rectory Basement Classrooms at 6:00PM.

**First Thursday, March 7**, *Feast of Saint Thomas Aquinas, Confessor, Patron of the Institute of Christ the King, Plenary indulgence available under the usual conditions.* 8:00AM Low Mass, 6:00PM Public Holy Hour (*Lenten Schedule*), 7:00PM High Mass.

**Friday, March 8**, 8:00AM Low Mass, 6:00 PM Stations of the Cross (*Lenten Schedule*), 7:00 PM High Mass

<p align="center"><b>GROUPS AND CLASSES</b></p>	<p align="center"><b>SAVE THE DATE   MARCH 19   ST. JOSEPH DAY</b></p>
<p align="center"><b>FIRST COMMUNION CLASSES</b>  <i>NEXT CLASS: SUNDAY, MARCH 17</i>  <b>FIRST COMMUNIONS   SUNDAY, MAY 5TH</b></p>	<p align="center">7:00 AM Lauds (Morning Prayer)  7:30 AM Confessions  8:00 AM Low Mass with Organ  9:00 AM Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament  10:30 AM Rosary and Litany of Our Lady  11:15 AM St. Joseph Novena Prayer  11:30 AM Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament  11:45 AM Blessing of St. Joseph Day Bread  12:00 PM Solemn High Mass sung by Cappella Choir  1:45 PM St. Joseph Public Procession to Eastern Market (Shed 5, indoor) with Novena Devotions and Veneration of St. Joseph Relic  2:45 PM St. Joseph Italian Dinner at Eastern Market (Shed 5, indoor). Dinner tickets available at the Shrine before and on March 19 (\$20 adult, \$10 under 16).  4:30 PM St. Joseph Cappella choir &amp; Magnificat Children Choir Concert in the Church  5:15 PM Solemn Vespers with Chant  6:00 PM Solemn High Mass sung by St. Joseph Cappella &amp; Chant Schola, followed by Dessert Reception in the Social Hall</p> <p align="center">* * *</p>
<p align="center"><b>CONFIRMATION CLASSES</b>  <i>NEXT CLASS: SUNDAY, MARCH 10</i>  <b>CONFIRMATIONS   FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING</b></p>	
<p align="center"><b>SURSUM CORDA</b>  FIRST FRIDAY, MARCH 1ST  5:00 PM   Holy Hour 6:00 PM   High Mass  7:30 PM   Conference &amp; Dinner  <i>Origins of the Spiritual Life: Sources of Monastic Life</i></p>	
<p><b>Feast of St. Thomas Aquinas</b>, Patron of the Institute of Christ the King, Thursday, March 7  <b>Saint Joseph Day</b>   Tuesday, March 19  <b>Feast of St. Benedict</b>, Patron of the Institute of Christ the King, Thursday, March 21  <b>Easter Sunday</b>, Sunday, March 31  <b>Annual Gala</b>, Thursday, April 25  <b>First Communion/ May Crowning</b>   Sunday, May 5</p>	



**SAVE THE DATE**  
FOR ST. JOSEPH SHRINE'S 8<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL  
*St. Joseph Legacy Gala*  
**Thursday, April 25, 2024**  
**ST. MARY'S CULTURAL CENTER**  
18100 Merriman Rd, Livonia, MI 48152  
MORE DETAILS TO FOLLOW



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