



# SAINT JOSEPH SHRINE

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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)*

### PARISH 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.

### PARISH 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 Reflection** 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.

### RECTORY COMMUNITY SCHEDULE

**Weekdays** (*except on Wednesday*): 7:00 AM Lauds | 12:45 PM Sext | 6:00 PM Vespers & Adoration\*

**Wednesday:** 5:30 PM Vespers | **Saturday** 8:00 AM Lauds, 6:00 PM Vespers & Adoration

**Compline:** Monday | Thursday | Friday at 9:00 PM

Please note that our Offices are public but can be subject to unannounced exceptional changes.

\* Recitation of the Prayer to St. Joseph for the ongoing projects, prayers for the Institute and novena to Our Lady of Guadalupe.

**Secretarial Volunteer Staff:** **Mon:** 9am-3pm | **Tue:** 10am-4pm | **Wed:** 1:30pm-4pm | **Fri:** 10am-3:30pm

## Liturgical Calendar

### Sunday, April 28, Fourth Sunday after Easter

7AM Low Mass † Mazin Kammo, *requested by Sawsan Shayata*  
9AM Low Mass with Organ Theo Michael Nichols, *requested by The Rutilas*  
11AM High Mass Pro Populo  
6PM Solemn Vespers & Benediction

### Monday, April 29, Saint Peter of Verona, Martyr

8AM Low Mass †† Mr. & Mrs. D. Schroeder, *requested by Neil Schroeder*  
7PM Low Mass Douglas Murray, *requested by Christine Murray*

### Tuesday, April 30, Saint Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church

8AM Low Mass † Elizabeth Cuizon-Reyes, *requested by Ruzil Cuizon*  
7PM Low Mass John Schnur, *requested by Elisa Schnur*

### Wednesday, May 1, ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER, Spouse of the B.V.M., Confessor

8:AM Low Mass Wilbert Family, *requested by Jim & Nancy Wilbert*  
12PM Low Mass & Novena Devotions Saint Joseph Confraternity  
7:00PM High Mass Pro Populo

### Thrs., May 2, Saint Athanasius, Votive Mass of O.L.J.C. Eternal High Priest

8AM Low Mass †† Mr. & Mrs. Delmar Schroeder, *requested by Neil Schroeder*  
7PM Low Mass † Mark Conen, *requested by Switzer Family*

### Friday, May 3, FINDING OF THE HOLY CROSS

8AM Low Mass Monsignor Gilles Wach  
6PM High Mass, 5PM Holy Hour Shrine Groups

### Saturday, May 4, Saint Monica, Votive Mass of the Immaculate Heart

9AM High Mass & Novena Matthew Schnur, *requested by Elisa Schnur*

### Sunday, May 5, Fifth Sunday after Easter

7AM Low Mass † Sakura Elan Lantigua, *requested by Dang Family*  
9AM Low Mass with Organ Denise Mailloux, *requested by Michelle Mailloux*  
11AM High Mass Pro Populo  
6PM Solemn Vespers & Benediction

## Server Schedule

### Fourth after Easter, April 28

7AM Low Mass – candidates

9AM Low Mass w/organ

AC1: Maximilian Skinner

AC2: Patrick Skinner

11AM High Mass

MC: John Chisholm

Thur: John Sadowski

AC1: Owen Agustin

AC2: Christian Scott

Crucifer: Edward Shaw

### St. Joseph the Worker, May 1

8AM & 12PM Low Mass - candidates

7PM High Mass

MC: Robert Bishop

Thur: Lucas Dang

AC1: Timothy Stasa

AC2: Kolbe Dang

Crucifer: John Sadowski

### May 4, First Friday

(6PM High Mass)

May 5, First Saturday

(9AM High Mass)

*All servers are encouraged to attend.*

### Fifth after Easter, May 5

7AM Low Mass – candidates

9AM Low Mass w/organ

AC1: Anthony Sinner

AC2: Thomas Skinner

11AM High Mass

MC: Oliver Smith

Thur: Xavier Agustin

AC1: Paul Bacon

AC2: Edward Shaw

Crucifer: Kolbe Dang

## Usher Schedule

### St. Joseph the Worker, May 1

7AM Low Mass – as available

12PM Low Mass – as available

7PM High Mass

- Ismael Lebron

- John Howting

- William Majkowski

- Jon Hess

### Fifth after Easter, May 5

7AM Low Mass – Laabs

9AM Low Mass

- Don Sadowski

- Jon Hess

- Jonathan Benefiel

- Patrick Laabs

11AM High Mass

- Ismael Lebron

- John Howting

- Anthony Russo

- William Majkowski

- Brandon Brown

## FROM OUR PASTOR, REV. CANON COMMINS

One might wonder; is my prayer always answered? There is a merit attached to the prayer of the just (in the state of grace), because of the bond that unite him to God, according to his divine adoption. From this point of view, our prayer is vivified by the spirit of adoption, which makes us cry out, *Abba, Father*. This is a merit that implies a certain value not equal to the reward, our salvation, ultimate reward, but proportionate to it, according to a divine will and promise without which there would be no strict right on our end. This promise is truthful, because given by God: Ask, and the gift will come; seek, and you shall find; knock, and the door shall be opened to you. Everyone that asks, will receive; that seeks, will find; that knocks, will have the door opened to him.

## IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Institute Youth Summer Camps 2024

Join us for a week of pure fun and Catholic faith formation at our beautiful campsites in Wisconsin. Through edifying activities and games, daily Mass and prayer, and spiritual talks, campers grow in virtue, fellowship, and deeper love and understanding of their Catholic faith. Camps available for boys and girls ages 9-13 in July and young men and ladies ages 14-17 in August. For more information and to <https://form.jotform.com/icksp/institute-summer-camps-2024> register see or use the QR code. Questions? Email [camps@icksp.org](mailto:camps@icksp.org).



### National Sursum Corda Young Adult Retreat 2024

Young adults ages 18-35 are invited to attend the annual National Sursum Corda Retreat 2024 from July 5 - July 8 in Clarkston, Michigan. This year's theme: *Lex Orandi, Lex Credendi* - the law of prayer constitutes the law of belief. Withdraw from the world to strengthen your spiritual life and connect with Catholic young adults from around the nation while enjoying recreation like basketball, outdoor activities, and campfires. Register at <https://form.jotform.com/icksp/sursum-corda-annual-retreat-2024> or use the QR code. Questions? Email [camps@icksp.org](mailto:camps@icksp.org).



### TODAY!

The St. Joseph Shrine commandery of the Knights of St. John is seeking the next generation of men to guide the commandery, to support St. Joseph's and the faith, and to compliment the hard work of the faithful here at the Shrine. Join us today immediately following the 11AM High Mass in the social hall. Enjoy some after-Mass snacks, hear about what the Knights are, what they can be, and what the commandery is calling you to do as a brother! If you have any questions, please reach out to our secretary Ian Bailey at [ianbl66@gmail.com](mailto:ianbl66@gmail.com). We hope to see you there, and among our ranks!

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**TODAY - Sunday, April 28,** *Fourth after Easter,* 7:00AM Low Mass, 9:00AM Low Mass with organ, and 11:00AM High Mass followed by *Knights of Saint John meeting* in the Social Hall.

**Wednesday, May 1,** *Feast of St. Joseph the Worker.* 8:00AM and Noon Low Mass, 7:00PM High Mass. *Renewal of parish consecration to St. Joseph.* Veneration of Relic after all Masses. *Plenary indulgence available under the usual conditions.*

### NO CATECHISM CLASS

**First Friday, May 3,** *Finding of the Holy Cross,* 5:00PM Holy Hour followed by 6:00 PM High Mass with Homily, *Sursum Corda Conference & Dinner* in the Social Hall. **Topic:** Origins of the Spiritual Life: Saint Benedict of Nursia

**First Saturday, May 4** *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 Presence of Mary in the Holy Scriptures: The New Rachel

**Sunday, May 5,** *Fifth after Easter,* 7:00AM Low Mass, 9:00AM Low Mass with organ, and 11:00AM High Mass with *First Communions,* followed by *May Crowning, Outdoor Rosary Procession, and reception for First Communicants.*

**Wednesday, May 8,** *Catechism classes meet in the Social Hall and Rectory Basement at 6:00PM.*

**Thursday, May 9,** *Ascension of Our Lord* 8:00AM Low Mass, 7:00PM High Mass.

**Sunday, May 12,** *Sunday after the Ascension & Mothers Day,* 7:00AM Low Mass, 9:00AM Low Mass with organ, and 11:00AM High Mass followed by *Lesson in Liturgy* in the Social Hall and *Confirmation Class* in the Rectory Basement classroom after the 11:00AM High Mass.

GROUPS AND CLASSES	SAVE THE DATE
<p align="center"><b>SURSUM CORDA</b>            FIRST FRIDAY, MAY 3RD            5:00 PM   Holy Hour 6:00 PM   High Mass            7:30 PM   Conference &amp; Dinner  <i>Origins of the Spiritual Life: St. Benedict of Nursia</i></p>	<p><b>Feast of St. Joseph the Worker</b>, Wednesday, May 1  <b>First Communions/ May Crowning</b>, Sunday, May 5  <b>Feast of the Ascension of Our Lord</b>, Thursday, May 9  <b>July 9: Episcopal Consecration</b> of Archbishop Allen Henry Vigneron in 1996. Ordained to the priesthood on July 26, 1975.</p>
<p align="center"><b>FIRST COMMUNION CEREMONY &amp; MAY CROWNING</b>  <b>FIRST COMMUNION   SUNDAY, MAY 5</b></p>	<p><b>Sursum Corda National Retreat</b>, July 5-8  <b>Summer Camps:</b>            Girls: July 14 - July 20            Boys: July 21 - July 27</p>
<p align="center"><b>CONFIRMATION CLASSES</b>  <i>NEXT CLASS</i>  <i>SUNDAY, MAY 12</i>  <b>CONFIRMATIONS   FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING</b></p>	<p><b>July 26: Saint Anne</b>, Mother of the BVM, Patroness of the Archdiocese and City of Detroit.  <b>Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Consolation, Ohio:</b> Saturday, August 17. <i>More details to be announced soon.</i></p>

“PUNCTUALITY IS THE POLITENESS OF KINGS.” *LOUIS XVIII OF FRANCE*

King Louis seems to suggest that one way a king can show respect for other people is to meet them at the appointed time. If this is true for kings, it certainly is true for us. If it is true regarding others, how much more true, important, and even obligatory is it when it comes to God and the Divine Mysteries celebrated in Church. Yes, we cannot control all that happens during our day, **but please make a particular effort to be on time for Sunday Mass.**

**BEARING IN CHURCH:**

Dear Parents, children are the joy of our Saint Joseph Shrine family, and your reward is great in heaven for generously accepting this gift of Divine Providence. When you have a crying child, particularly during the Sermon or the Canon of the Mass, you are kindly asked to make use of the vestibule in the back of the church. You are also requested to keep them from running around or banging on the pews. Keep in mind as well, that when your child requests that you take him/her out of the church for a necessity of nature, apart from a true emergency, it is important not to do so during the Canon of the Mass, and especially not at the moment of the Consecration.

The vestibule in the back of the church functions as a crying room during the Mass. Please feel free to make use of it when you have a crying child, exiting quietly down one of the side aisles.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation, and, above all, for your presence here at Saint Joseph Shrine.

**May God bless and keep you!**

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