

# ST. MARY MYSTICAL ROSE GUIDING LIGHT

We the faithful of St. Mary Mystical Rose Parish are a Catholic Community in the Archdiocese of Detroit. We serve God through His Begotten Son, Jesus Christ, with the empowerment and the strength of the Holy Spirit: to celebrate the Holy Sacraments and Worship, Christian Service and Faith Education, to evangelize and practice our faith in active stewardship—with the faith, spirit and humility of Mary, the Rose of God and our Patron Saint.



September 25, 2016— Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time



**26<sup>th</sup>** **SUNDAY** in Ordinary Time  
26° DOMINGO EN EL  
TIEMPO ORDINARIO

## THE PARABLE OF THE RICH MAN AND LAZARUS

*"If they will not listen to  
Moses and the prophets,  
neither will they be persuaded  
if someone should rise from  
the dead."*

Luke 16:31

## EL RICO Y LÁZARO

*"Si no escuchan a  
Moisés y a los profetas,  
aunque resucite uno  
de entre los muertos,  
no se convencerán."*

Lucas 16:31



# Liturgy & Prayer

## Mass Intentions for the Week

All weekday masses are cancelled through Thursday, September 29, 2016 due to Fr. George being away on vacation. Weekday mass is available at St. Francis/St. Maximilian Church as follows:

Mondays: 9:00 am at Church  
 Tuesdays: 9:00 am at the Chapel located on 23 Mile Road  
 Thursdays: 9:00 am at the Chapel located on 23 Mile Road  
 First Friday: 7:00 pm Mass and Adoration at Church  
 Holy Days: 9:00 am and 7:00 pm at Church

### AT ST. MARY MYSTICAL ROSE CHURCH:

#### Saturday, October 1, 2016

4:30 pm +Dorothy Mae Anthony  
 Requested by: Linda and David Nummer

#### Sunday, September 25, 2016

9:30 am +Anthony Judson  
 Requested by: Parish Staff

## Liturgical Ministers Schedule for October 1-2, 2016

Mass	4:30 pm	9:30 am
Servers	Philip	Zefi
Lectors	Pat Grudzinski	Denise Green Michel Flanigan
Eucharistic Ministers	Cathy Heisler Evelyn Girardot Mike Murphy	Carolee Stewart Heather Gerst Mel Campbell
Sacristan	As assigned	As assigned
Ushers	William Metzger Will Caron	Dan Green Roger Cunningham

## Remembering Those in the Military ...

Master Sgt. Julie Curtis  
 Adam S. Girardot  
 Cody Kelly  
 Evan Malkowicz  
 Phoebe Malkowicz  
 Andrew Richards  
 MC2 Jeffery Richardson

## Please Pray For ...

Bob Agius  
 Marge Brohl  
 Carl Easton  
 Suzanne Gauvreau  
 Patrick Goike  
 Bill Holloway  
 Dean Kaster  
 Yvonne Kaster  
 Karen Klapatch  
 Jackie Lualdi  
 Agnes Maa  
 Bonnie McNichol  
 Bernice Osborne  
 Sapi Patauave  
 Theresa Skwara  
 Michelle Schapman  
 Timothy Schrand  
 Victor Zarate  
 Baby Haskings (King)  
 Doug Wade

Please call the Parish Office at 586-784-5966 to add a loved one to the list. Please renew your request every 8 weeks. Requests not updated in a timely fashion will be deleted from the list. Also, please let us know if someone should be removed.

## Readings for the Week of September 25, 2016

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Am 6:1a, 4-7; Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10; 1 Tm 6:11-16; Lk 16:19-31
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Saints Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs</b> Jb 1:6-22; Ps 17:1bcd, 2-3, 6-7; Lk 9:46-50
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Saint Vincent de Paul, Priest</b> Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23; Ps 88:2-3, 4-5, 6, 7-8; Lk 9:51-56
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Saint Wenceslaus, Martyr; Saint Lawrence Ruiz and Companions, Martyrs</b> Jb 9:1-12, 14-16; Ps 88:10bc-11, 12-13, 14-15; Lk 9:57-62
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Saints Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels</b> Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a; Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 4-5; Jn 1:47-51
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Saint Jerome, Priest and Doctor of the Church</b> Jb 38:1, 12-21, 40:3-5; Ps 139:1-3, 7-8, 9-10, 13-14ab; Lk 10:13-16
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Saint Thérèse of the Child Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church</b> Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17; Ps 119:66, 71, 75, 91, 125, 130; Lk 10:17-24
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Hb 1:2-3, 2:2-4--; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; 2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14; Lk 17:5-10



# Happenings in Our Parish

## Calendar of Events

**Monday, September 26, 2016**

7:00 pm Bible Study

**Tuesday, September 27, 2016**

6:30 pm Faith Formation K—6

**Wednesday, September 28, 2016**

11:00 am Fragrant Rose Prayer Group

6:30 pm AHG Meeting

**Thursday, September 29, 2016**

6:30 pm Faith Formation 7th/8th Grades

**Friday, September 30, 2016**

**Saturday, October 1, 2016**

4:00 pm Private Confession

4:30 pm Mass

**Sunday, October 2, 2016**

9:00 am Rosary

9:30 am Mass

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**Monday, October 3, 2016**

6:00 pm Food Pantry Distribution/Dinner

7:00 pm Bible Study

**Tuesday, October 4, 2016**

9:00 am Mass

6:30 pm Faith Formation K—6

**Wednesday, October 5, 2016**

9:00 am Mass

11:00 am Fragrant Rose Prayer Group

6:30 pm AHG Board Meeting

**Thursday, October 6, 2016**

9:00 am Mass

6:30 pm Faith Formation 7th/8th Grades

**Friday, October 7, 2016**

**Saturday, October 8, 2016**

4:30 pm Mass

**Sunday, October 9, 2016**

9:00 am Rosary

9:30 am AHG Pancake Breakfast

9:30 am Mass

9:30 am Jack VanDeSteene baptism

## RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

Have you been thinking of becoming Catholic, or completing your Sacraments and coming fully into the Catholic Church? Now is the time to take that first step...Call the Parish Office at [586-784-5966](tel:586-784-5966) and someone from the RCIA Team will get back to you within a day or two. Applications are now being accepted for the 2016-2017 year. If you know of someone who has expressed an interest in coming fully into the Catholic Church, please invite them to inquire. If you are Catholic and would simply like to learn more about your Faith, you are also welcome to join us.

## Following Pope Francis' directive to "Go and Make a Loud Noise for the Lord"



FAITH FORMATION

Our Faith Formation program has grown to serve 51 children in 31 families.

K—Mrs. **Elaine Dean** has 5 enthusiastic Kindergarten children who are learning about God and his creation.

1—Mrs. **Colleen Chunn** has 3 animated 1st grade students who are focusing their energy learning about Jesus.

2—Mrs. **Missy Darling** and Miss **Rachele Carrizales** are blessed with 11 2nd grade students who are eagerly seeking to meet Jesus in the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Eucharist.

3—Mrs. **Leanne Kook** is guiding 3 3rd graders to discover that "We Are the Church"

4—Mrs. **Saran Hernandez** (catechist 1 certification) is leading our 6 4th grade students to discover more about God's Law and Love for his children.

5—Mrs. **Mary Berger** is engaging her 6 5th grade students and bringing them to greater understanding of the Seven Sacraments of the Church and the Bible.

6—Mrs. **Denise Green** (advanced catechist certification) is directing 5 6th grade students to discover the people of the Bible and their place in Salvation History/

7—Ms. **Heather Gerst** and I also have the privilege of journeying with 5 amazing 7th graders as they Encounter God through the Bible.

8—Mr. **Roger Cunningham** is working with our 6 8th graders as they explore the idea that God has Chosen them and invites them to enter into a deeper relationship with the Lord through the Sacrament of Confirmation.

We are also grateful for the assistance of **Mrs. Evelyn Girardot** and **Mrs. MaryLou Carizales** who keep all of our Tuesday night students on the right path.

Please remember our Faith Formation program and participants in your daily prayers.

Denise





# Stewardship – Time-Talent-Treasure

## Food Pantry Distribution for Families in Need

The Food Pantry Distribution dates for 2016 are as follows:

- Monday, October 3—6:00 pm
- Monday, November 7—6:00 pm
- Monday, November 21—6:00 pm (no dinner)
- Monday, December 12—6:00 pm

We also serve a hot meal to all of our pantry guests. In the event someone is in urgent need of food, please contact the Parish Office.



**FOR WIDOWED MEN AND WOMEN**  
**Breakfast @ Country Inn – New Baltimore**  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the Month  
 (Oct 13<sup>th</sup> at 9am)

Widowed persons of all ages are invited to join us on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of every month for breakfast and fellowship at Country Inn, 35229 23 Mile Rd, New Baltimore, 48047. RSVP not necessary. For more information, contact Lucy at 810-794-5607.

Sponsored by Widowed Friends, a “peer” support group in the Archdiocese of Detroit. For further information about Widowed Friends, come visit our website at [www.widowedfriends.org](http://www.widowedfriends.org)

## Stewardship

### Offering for the Week of September 18, 2016

Offertory .....	\$2815.33
Envelopes Returned.....	80
Thank you for your generosity and continued support!	
Budgeted Amount .....	\$5769.23

### 2016 CSA

Goal.....	\$40,576.00
Pledges by August 10, 2016.....	\$24,796.00
Current shortfall .....	\$15,780.00
Contributing parishioners .....	108

## Save the Date - October 8, 2016

**Ignite Youth Ministry** is planning a joint event with **Our Lady of Sorrows and St. Mary's Royal Oak Youth Ministry** groups for a **frighteningly good time** at **Blake's Haunted Big Apple**. This event is open to grades 7-12.

We will gather at SMMR at 6pm, join OLS & SMRO at Blake's for a trip to the Haunted Barn & the Haunted Hayride & return to SMMR for a hotdog & s'mores roast. Cost is \$22 per person. Friends are welcome, they don't have to be Catholic. Parent drivers are also needed.

RSVP to [smmr.youthministry@gmail.com](mailto:smmr.youthministry@gmail.com) ASAP. Money and permission slips due October 1.

More info needed?  
 Contact Mrs. G  
 586-784-5966 ext. 107  
 or email [smmr.youthministry@gmail.com](mailto:smmr.youthministry@gmail.com)

## 10th Annual Rosary Rally

Please join the Legion of Mary for this special Rosary Marathon at the cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament on Sunday, October 16. Rosary begins at 1:30 p.m. Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00 p.m. A Holy Mass with Fr. Gonyeau at 4:00 p.m. will follow with refreshments afterwards. See [Legionofmarymichigan.org](http://Legionofmarymichigan.org) website for detailed information.

## Back to our Parish Family Social Time

Starting on October 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> and every first full weekend of each month we will gather together and enjoy each other's company over soup and salad or breakfast. We will have soup and salad after Saturday Mass and breakfast after Sunday Mass.

## Folk Mass Schedule

- October 8 and 22
- November 5 and 19
- December 3, 17 and 24



## Mass Schedule

Saturday ..... 4:30pm  
 Sunday ..... 9:30am  
 Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday ..... 9:00am  
 First Fridays of the Month ..... 9:00am  
 Days of Obligation and Solemnity Feast Days ..... TBA

### Private Confession

1st and 3rd Saturday at 4:00 pm or by appointment.

**PARISH MEMBERSHIP:** We joyfully welcome new members to our parish. Please register at the parish office during business hours. We also ask that you let us know if you plan to move from the parish.

**INFANT BAPTISM:** Parents must be registered and regularly attending the Sunday Eucharist to begin Baptism preparation. Baptismal Preparation is held quarterly. Call the parish office to for next scheduled date. The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on the first and third Sunday of every month.

**MARRIAGE:** If one of the engaged couple (or their parents) is registered at St. Mary's arrangements may be made personally by the couple at least six months in advance. 8-10 months is preferred.

**SICK CALLS:** We are happy to visit the sick and bring Communion to them. Please notify the parish office.

**ANNULMENT PROCESS:** If you are contemplating filing for an annulment; know that it is a healing process. It takes up to 18 months for the Tribunal to complete each case, so please take that into consideration. Call the parish office for more information.

### Bulletin Deadlines:

Bulletin Date	Articles must be emailed by
October 2	September 26
October 9	October 3

Please submit materials in Microsoft Word format or Rich Text format to: [bulletinSMMR@gmail.com](mailto:bulletinSMMR@gmail.com)

## Caring for the Caregiver Workshop

Know someone who cares for a memory-impaired loved one? Catholic Charities of Southeast Michigan is offering a free support workshop just for them - Caring for the Caregiver - on Wednesday evening, September 28 in Warren. Learn more by calling Trista Johnson at 248-559-1147 ext. 3941 or email: [johnsont@ccsem.org](mailto:johnsont@ccsem.org)

## Christian Service Coordinators Association Fall Assembly

Learn about the transformative experiences of doing the works of mercy from Msgr. Charles Kosanke at Sacred Heart Major Seminary on Wednesday, September 28. The annual fall assembly starts with Mass at 9:30 am, includes lunch, and concludes at 3:00 pm. Register online at: [www.2016fallassembly.eventbrite.com](http://www.2016fallassembly.eventbrite.com). Learn more by contacting Joyce Hyttinen by calling 248-537-3304 or email: [hyttinenj@ccsem.org](mailto:hyttinenj@ccsem.org)

## Parish Directory

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 Emergency calls ..... (586) 784-5966 (x502)  
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### Parish Office Hours

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday  
 9:00am-3:30pm

Pastor ..... Rev. George Patau'ave (x101)  
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 Changing Lives Together Representative ..Fr. George Patau'ave  
 Bible Study Coordinator ..... Ed Stelzer

## Parish Council/Commissions

Parish Council Chairperson ..... Laura Nikkel  
 Parish Council Vice-Chairperson ..... Paul Abraham  
 Parish Council Secretary ..... Missy Darling  
 Members at Large ..... Ed Schrand, Mary Ann Westfall,  
 Vicariate Representatives ..... Karen Klapatch, Mary Berger  
 Christian Service Commission Chprson ..... Annette Goike  
 Finance Council Chairperson ..... David Stelzer  
 Worship Com./Rel. Ed ..... Karen Klapatch, Theresa Skwara  
 Usher Coordinator ..... Mr. Paul Abraham  
 Lector Coordinator ..... Mrs. Stephanie Goubert  
 EME Coordinator:  
 Sacristan Coordinator ..... Mrs. Cindy Sowinski  
 Altar Server Coordinator ..... Miss Heather Gerst  
 Knights of Columbus ..... Ken C. (ArmadaKofc@gmail.com)  
 Am. Her. Girls ..... Janine Gilchrist (Janine.ahg@gmail.com)  
 AHG Parish Rep ..... Laura Nikkel  
 Boy/Cub Scouts ..... Cindy Malburg  
 Prayer Shawl Ministry ..... Pat Grudzinski  
 Fragrant Rose Prayer Group ..... Marge Stelzer  
 Food Pantry ..... Roger Cunningham (nasllc@hotmail.com)  
 Hospitality ..... Pat Grudzinski  
 ..... patgrud6@yahoo.com

