

St. Vincent Ferrer Catholic Community

Madison Heights, MI www.stvincentferrer.net

NOVEMBER 12, 2023 † THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

From The Pastor

The goal of the Christian life is union with God. Ultimately, that goal is fulfilled in the glory of heaven. However, to attain this fulfillment of Divine glory, our union with God begins here and now. In the humility of our human existence due to the consequences of sin and human disorder, the glory of God and the evidence of God for many is hard to see. St. Paul makes the point that even for the nonbeliever, the wonder and beauty of creation itself is powerful evidence of the existence and glory of God as Creator.

How do we realize and open ourselves to the presence of the living God in meaningful and personal ways? Love is the answer. Those who know love and seek to actively live in love will come know the presence and action of God in their lives. The love of God has a thousand faces. It is personal in relationships. It is evident in creation. It is felt in human compassion, empathy, gratitude, and any Christian virtues that bond the human family as one.

As we come closer to the end of the Liturgical Year, we are blest with readings from the Book of Wisdom and gospel stories about end times. Both of today's readings open the mind and alert the heart to the work of God revealing Himself to us.

'Resplendent and unfading is wisdom, and she is readily perceived by those who love her and found by those who seek her.' This opening line from the first reading makes it clear that God is not trying to hide or be unknown. Wisdom is the feminine personification of God. Wisdom is Divine love perceived through our longings for God as we seek personal wholeness in love this side of heaven.

Wisdom draws us to itself with the enticement and yearning to mature as human beings in the image of our Creator. We do not think of it this way, but the human heart pines for the acceptance and belonging that only love can give. Only in love can we feel and realize our value and dignity as human persons in relationship with God through loving relationships with others.

Love is the wisdom of God that reveals and awakens the human heart to something more, something larger than itself. It calls a person to live for something larger than self alone. To feel or awaken to this love is the evidence, or proof that God is already present and active in a person. It is a beautiful thing that gives meaning, motivation, and animation to a human life. It gives each of us a deep sense of an interior identity beyond the countless

distractions and tensions of the world.

Wisdom does not appear to be a popular or very active grace these days. Why is that? Wisdom seems lost today in the social change the world is undergoing. Social, political, economic, and family structures today leave many ill at ease and uncertain of where to find firm footing for a sense of security. Many turn to heightened efforts for a sense of power, control over others to find security. Such anxieties create fear which is expressed in selfishness, lack of concern or basic empathy for others, if not active incivility.

In this social scenario, which we have all experienced, the fruit of wisdom is left by the wayside. This evidence is seen in today's parable of the ten virgins. It serves as an important reminder that God is ever-present. To live by faith is not determined by any circumstance, either positive or negative. We miss the evidence of God's presence when we are lost in selfish concerns or entitled efforts to depend on others for responsibilities that must be our own.

People complain that the ten with oil ought to share with those who are without. That is not the point of the story. The context is a wedding feast waiting for the Bridegroom to arrive. It is an image of the heavenly wedding banquet to which we are all invited. When the Bridegroom comes, we must be prepared to receive him. This preparation is personal. No one else can do it for you. You must use the oil of your own faith in active relationships of love to perceive the Lord when he comes.

The ten without oil were ill prepared when the Bridegroom arrived. Seeking to use the faith and good works of others will not serve as an entrance into the Kingdom. Your own love for the Lord, your own good works, your own virtues are needed to meet the Lord face to face. Blaming others for your lack will not suffice for an ill-prepared heart closed to the wisdom of love.

The first work is to surrender to the love of God in Christ and do your best to make that your deepest identity. Live by that love for the sake of your soul. Share that love in wisdom for the sake of others. The wisdom of this love will calm the fear and need for increased personal control in these changing times. God is unchanging and unconditional love. Challenging as times may be, that will never change.

Father John Esper



DAILY MASS

8:00am Monday thru Thursday

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday - 4:00pm

Sunday - 9:00am

Church doors open 1/2 hour before Mass begins

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 3:00 - 3:45pm in Adoration Chapel

Only one person allowed in chapel at a time. Persons seeking Sacrament of Reconciliation will be allowed in church to line up at 3:00pm



Live Streaming of Mass Monday thru Thursday 8:00am and Sunday 9:00am

> **Adoration on Tuesdays** 8:45am to 10:00am

Livestream of Rosary on Thursday following Mass

Search for St. Vincent Ferrer Catholic Church (in Madison Heights) on youtube to find our channel or connect via our APP or website

ST VINCENT FERRER PARISH OFFICE

28353 Herbert St., Madison Heights, MI 48071 248-542-8720 Fax 248-542-8721 Website: www.stvincentferrer.net

PARISH OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

Monday through Thursday 9am to Noon - 1:00pm to 4:30pm, Friday 9-Noon Closed Saturday & Sunday

Parish Office Staff

Reverend John C. Esper, Priest in Solidum Deborah Tourville, Bus. Mgr/Adult Faith Formation Sheryl Brown, Parish Secretary/Bulletin Jim Balistreri, Music Coordinator

Mary Ann Przybysz, Evangelical Charity Coordinator/ Order of Christian Initiation of Adults(OCIA) Coordinator

Carl Copen, Facilities Supervisor Alex Mototolea, Maintenance

Faith Formation Office 248-398-1743

Matthew Zinser, Childhood Faith Formation Coordinator

For information on Baptisms, OCIA and Funerals contact the Parish Office 248-542-8720

MONDAY, November 13, 2023

8:00am Mass: James Palmert req. by Mary Jane Guc

TUESDAY, November 14, 2023

8:00am Mass: Christopher Hudy (Special Intention) reg. by Mom

WEDNESDAY, November 15, 2023 8:00am Mass: All Deceased Clergy

THURSDAY, November 16, 2023

8:00am Mass: Kathy Boguslawski† req. by Bill & Mary

INTENTIONS

Beth Hochstetler

SATURDAY, November 18, 2023

4:00pm Mass: Parishioners of St. Vincent Ferrer Robert Lebioda† (6th R.A.) req. by Kim Magri & Family Peter Conway (Special Intention) req. by Mom Ernest Szwarc†req. by Judith & William Marin

Barbara Merchel†req. by Family Intentions of Krystyna Higgins SUNDAY, November 19, 2023

9:00am Mass: Parishioners of St. Vincent Ferrer

Joseph Dong Kim Pham†req. by Family

Deceased Religious Sisters, Brothers, & Order Priests

Mike Kapolka† req. by Wife & Son Margaret Stack† req. by Linda Karolski James Palmer†req. by Paula Moran

Joseph & Maria Thuy†req. by Ryan Vu Family



November 12, 2023

Wis 6:12-16/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (2b)/ Sunday:

1Thes 4:13-18 or 4:13-14/Mt 25:1-13

Monday: Wis 1:1-7/Ps 139:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8, 9-10/

Lk 17:1-6

Tuesday: Wis 2:23—3:9/Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-

19/Lk 17:7-10

Wednesday: Wis 6:1-11/Ps 82:3-4, 6-7/Lk 17:11-19

Thursday: Wis 7:22b—8:1/Ps 119:89, 90, 91,

130, 135, 175/Lk 17:20-25

Friday: Wis 13:1-9/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5ab/Lk 17:26-

Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9/Ps 105:2-3, 36-Saturday:

37, 42-43/Lk 18:1-8

Next Sunday: Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31/Ps 128:1-

2, 3, 4-5 (see 1a)/1 Thes 5:1-6/ Mt 25:14-30 or 25:14-15, 19-21



Non-Perishable Food Collection - Nov. 4 - 19
FOOD ITEMS CAN BE REGULAR OR SUGAR FREE

Stuffing
Gravy
Rice
Applesauce
Cranberry Sauce
Pickles

Olives
Canned Vegetables
Yams
Soups
Canned Fruit
Cookies

Monetary donations can be make electronically at our website by clicking on line giving button (under the donations tab) and choosing Thanksgiving Baskets. Envelopes with monetary donations should be marked "Thanksgiving baskets" and left in collection baskets in church or brought to the Parish Office.

If you are aware of a struggling family that would appreciate a Thanksgiving food basket, please contact the parish office at 248-542-8720.

From Angela, our Parish Nurse

November is Diabetes Prevention month. November 14 is World Diabetes Day, Know your Risk-Know your Response. Look for information on BP Sunday November 12, 2023, on how to help delay or prevent Diabetes.

Lung Cancer Prevention Month, Promote lung health and cancer awareness. Lung cancer is the leading cause of cancer deaths in the US. Education is helping everyone understand that if you have lungs you can get lung cancer and the importance of screening-lung cancer caught in earlier stages has a higher survival rate. Look for educational materials on BP Sunday November 12th 2023.

Disposing of unused medications can be done by taking medications to Madison Heights Police Department and placing them in disposal box in their lobby. No sharps or liquids allowed. Place pills or patches in plastic bag without bottles. The Meijer on 13 Mile Road also takes unused medications and their disposal box is located by the pharmacy. If you can't find it ask at the pharmacy information desk.



Join us in celebrating
Fr. John's 40th Anniversary of Ordination
as a priest of the Archdiocese of Detroit.

Mass 4:00pm in church
Dinner 5:30pm in social hall

Menu: country baked chicken, breaded pork cutlets, mostaccioli, mashed potatoes, salad, rolls, veggies, hors d'oeuvres, dessert and beverages

Following dinner guests will be entertained by famed Catholic illusionist, Giancarlo Bernini, who appeared on Penn & Teller's "Fool Us". He has astounded international audiences with an incredible show experience and has appeared on multiple national television programs.

Tickets: \$35 per person No tickets available at the door.

Purchase tickets TODAY after Mass in back of church or at the Parish Office during the week.

You are invited to

Holvent Tea

Topic for Reflection:

Mary, The Perfect Christian

Sunday, December 3, 2023

2 pm to 4pm - Holministration Bldg.

It will be a prayerful, peaceful, relaxing atmosphere in which you can escape the hustle and bustle of the holiday season for a few hours. Join with friends to reflect upon Mary, the Mother of Our Lord, Jesus, the true reason for the season.

If you would like to host a table, or be a guest at someone's table, you will be able to sign up after Masses on November 11/12, 18/19 & 25/26 or you can call the Parish Office.

RSVP by November 27th.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF SOUTHEAST MICHIGAN **COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND**



ccsem.org

The annual collection for CCSEM will be next weekend. Envelopes for this collection are at the church entrances.

Please make checks payable to St. Vincent Ferrer Church.

EVANGELICAL SERVICE CORNER

St. Vincent De Paul Meeting

The St. Vincent de Paul Ministry will meet this Tuesday, November 14th at 6:30 pm in church.

PRAYER BLANKET & CARD MINISTRIES MEETING

The Prayer Blanket and Decorating Cards for Shut-Ins Ministries are meeting this Thursday, November 16, 2023 from 6-8 pm in the church social hall, due to upcoming Thanksgiving holiday. All are welcome to join us. You don't have to be artistic, just willing to give some of your time in service to others.

Pray for the Sick

Pray for...all government leaders to seek wisdom in finding a peaceful solution to world tensions.

...medical and humanitarian aid for those suffering from economic hardship due to catastrophic weather, fires. floods, earthquakes and disasters

...the safety of men and women dedicated to protecting lives and freedom.

...the homeless, the addicted and all who are suffering physically, spiritually, mentally, and emotionally ...all who are sick, homebound, undergoing or recovering from surgery, medical procedures, treatments or testing, and those who have made specific prayer requests

Lord Jesus.

You are the Divine Physician and Healer. To You, we lift up in prayer all who are lonely, homeless, sick or addicted; all who are unemployed or underemployed; all who are anxious or depressed and all who are suffering in any way spiritually, physically or emotionally. In their pain and brokenness, we ask that you bring them the comfort of your loving presence. In You, may they find strength for the day and hope for the journey. Amen



To be sure that Christmas donations are properly credited for Christmas, please do not submit them until after December 8th.

Seeking Wisdom

by Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

I think if any of us were asked the question, "Do you love wisdom? Do you seek wisdom?" we would, at first, be a little taken aback. And then we would answer quickly "Of course!" with absolutely no doubt in our minds.

But a different way of asking the question is this: "Are you making wise choices?" That's a question that would put a fair few of us on the back foot.

The virgins who went out to meet the bridegroom were all the same. They had the exact same intentions. They had the exact same stamina, or lack of it. They had the exact same knowledge of the night being dark and lamps being necessary.

What made five foolish, and five wise?

It was their choices. Only their choices set them apart.

We may rely upon the wisdom of another — the parent who reminds us to go to confession, the friend who demurs when we start speaking gossip, the priest who preaches boldly from the pulpit against an injustice we lack the courage to denounce ourselves. But even if we feel safeguarded by their good influence, their wisdom won't save us.

We may possess a little wisdom ourselves — we may know well that a dark night is hard to navigate, and that we need the assistance of a lamp. We may go to Mass once in a while, read the Bible when we have time and serve others when it's convenient.

But a lamp needs oil to burn in the darkness, just as wisdom requires action to be brought forth into the world.

We may love God just as much as we should — our flesh may pine, our soul may thirst. But a parched field never brought rain on itself just by being dry.

We must make the choice.

"Thus will I bless you while I live; lifting up my hands, I will call upon your name." — Psalm 63:4

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32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday: St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin Monday: St. Albert the Great, Bishop and Wednesday:

Doctor of the Church

Thursday: St. Margaret of Scotland; St.

Gertrude, Virgin

Friday: St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious The Dedication of the Basilicas of Saturday:

Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles; St. Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin

Next Sunday: 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR THANKSGIVING BASKET PREPARATIONS

If you are able to assist in preparing Thanksgiving Baskets for families who will receive them this year, please contact Mary Ann at the parish office. We will be assembling the non-perishable items on Sunday morning, Nov. 19, 2023 beginning after the 9:00 am Mass.

WHY DO WE DO THAT? CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED

LIGHTING CANDLES IN CHURCH

Question: Why do Catholics light candles in church?

Answer: Candles have been part of the Church's worship from the earliest times. In the days before electricity, candles and oil lamps were the ways that people lighted buildings. Even today, we often still depend on candles during power outages, relying on their flickering flames to bring light into the dark.

Like our ancestors, we also light candles on special occasions. Think about a festive family meal or a romantic dinner for two — there will often be candles on the table, special objects for a special event. We light candles on birthday cakes and carry them in processions. We also place candles at makeshift memorials that appear when there has been an accident or act of violence. In these moments, their light casts aside a different kind of darkness — the darkness of grief, fear, and death.

The custom of the early Christians lighting candles and lamps at the tombs of the martyrs gave way to the practice of having candles at Mass, honoring the sacredness of the celebration.

As Christians decorated their worship spaces with statues and icons, they would burn candles in front of sacred images and the relics of the saints, basically "shining a light" on what they held to be sacred. When pilgrims would visit these shrines, they would often bring candles to light before the image or relic. These candles came to be a symbol of the person, and their prayer and the burning these candles came to be understood as an extension and continuation of the prayer that was offered. What began as a practical way to provide light has come to be a symbol of the hopes, desires, loves, losses, fears, and faith of everyday Christians offering their prayers to God and his saints.

St. Vincent Ferrer Catholic Community



extends its deepest sympathy and support to the family and friends of

Paul Morello Glenn Magill

Please remember them and the souls of all the faithful departed in your prayers.

May all the deceased be welcomed into paradise!



Begins Dec. 3rd

Families and individuals are needed to light the Advent Wreath Candles.

Please sign up at the table outside the chapel by the Herbert St. entrance.

On Sunday, November 5, 2023 Reverend John Esper Administered the Sacrament of Baptism to

Logan John Frederick

We welcome him into Christ's family. May he grow strong in his faith.

May God bless our newly baptized and his family.

Ministry Schedule

November 18/19, 2023

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Mass	4:00pm	9:00am		
Sacristan	T Riley	T Karolski		
Reader #1	M Simmons	P Allen		
Reader #2	T Riley	T Karolski		
EME	R Pasiak	L Yolkiewicz		
	P Miles	C McCarthy		
	D Tourvile	M Black		
Greeters	R Bertolini	M Bessler		
	L Collins	B Gutowski		
	R Pasiak	N Oparka		
	T Pasiak	T Oparka		

Traveling Chalice Host beginning week of November 18/19
Rorie Grant

Women's Sacred Journey

SATURDAY, NOV. 18 - 9:00AM

FAITH FORMATION OFFICE SVF SCHOOL BLDG.



All women in our Family of Parishes are invited to join other women to pray and reflect on Scripture passages. The gathering is every other Saturday. No registration or fee required.

GETTING TO KNOW OUR SAINTS...



St. Frances Xavier Cabrini FEAST DAY NOVEMBER 13

You may recognize the name St. Frances Xavier Cabrini (1850 - 1917) as the first United States citizen to become a saint. Known for her deep trust in God, she was a courageous woman doing the work of Christ.

Her life of service began when she was first refused admission to the religious order which had educated her to be a teacher. Not one to take things face value, she instead

focused her charitable work at the House of Providence Orphanage in Cadogno, Italy, and in 1877, professed vows there and took the religious habit.

When the bishop closed the orphanage in 1880, he named St. Frances Xavier Cabrini prioress of the Missionary Sisters of the Sacred Heart. However, she had a dream she was determined to fulfill. Since her early childhood, she had dreamed of being a missionary in China. Pope Leo XIII, however, urged her to see the need in the west. She traveled with six of her fellow religious sisters to New York City, where they worked with the thousands of Italian immigrants residing there.

Although she experienced many disappointments during this time, she persevered. When she arrived in New York, the house intended to be her first orphanage in the United States was not available. Rather than come back to Italy and the order she oversaw, she instead found a way to establish that orphanage elsewhere plus a few more. Throughout her life, she is known for founding 67 institutions dedicated to caring for the poor. the abandoned, the uneducated, and the sick. She died of malaria in her own Columbus Hospital in Chicago in 1917.

St. Elizabeth of Hungary **Feast Day November 17**



Although her life was short, St. Elizabeth of Hungary (1207 - 1231) is recognized for her love of the poor and suffering, and as patroness of Catholic charities and the Secular Franciscan Order. The daughter of the King of Hungary, she chose a life of penance instead of leisure, which made an impact on the "commoners" she served.

St. Elizabeth married Louis of Thuringia when she was 14. Deeply in love, they had

three children. Despite their wealth, she led a life of prayer, sacrifice, and service to the poor and sick under the spiritual direction of a Franciscan friar.

After six years of marriage, her husband died in the Crusades, and St. Elizabeth was grief-stricken. Her husband's family did not look kindly upon her and mistreated her before finally throwing her out of the palace. However, the return of her husband's allies from the Crusades resulted in her being reinstated, since her son was legal heir to the throne.

St. Elizabeth joined the Secular Franciscan Order in 1228 where she cared for the poor in a hospital she founded in honor of St. Francis of Assisi. She died in 1231, but her great popularity resulted in her being named a saint only four years later.

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Lately I've been enjoying the deep meaning of Eastern icons. I love how they express a tapestry of meaning in a way that can surpass the written or spoken word. Today's parable of the ten virgins from Jesus is a good example. Try googling "wise and foolish virgins icon" and you'll see an image of how our Christ meets our heart's deepest needs if we attend to him with the proper attitude.

I'm serious. Take a moment to google and look at it. See how it depicts the risen Jesus behind a closed door with the five wise virgins with lighted lamps. He gazes with them toward the five foolish and lamp-less virgins, symbolizing the outward looking of divine love for the lost. Moreover, the wedding feast is no ordinary one. It takes place in a walled city and garden, indicating it's a new Jerusalem and a return to Eden. The table isn't typical, either. It's a Eucharistic feast. Now we see that the door in Jesus' parable is the way into the church, where Christ is the new light burning amidst the dark midnight of this world.

The richness continues. We notice, too, that the foolish virgins look exactly the same as the wise ones in their clothes, hair, and expressions. The only difference is they departed to buy oil and now they are sadly excluded. We often act like consumers in the marketplace to fulfill our need for love and mercy. We'll always end up disappointed if we shop around. Jesus sums up the moral of the story this way: "Watch therefore, for you know neither the day nor the hour." Watch, remain, don't spiritually shop. It is always better to quietly remain close to the Eucharistic community of the Church, even if we feel like our oil has run out. This week let's consider placing the icon of the wise and foolish virgins on our phone lock screen or computer desktop to help us remember to stay close to him, especially when life feels dark. -Father John Muir ©LPi

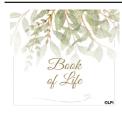
Saint Margaret of Scotland-November 16

Saint Margaret was born in exile around 1045, in what is now Hungary. She is the daughter of Princess Agatha of Hungary and Edward the Atheling the Anglo-Saxon heir to MARGARET Edward the Atheling the Anglo-Gazon heli to scort Anglo-Gazon heli to England, but Edward died soon after their arrival, making Margaret's brother Edgar the

presumptive heir. However, the Norman Conquest would turn their world upside down. Agatha and her children fled the country. They likely intended to go back to Hungary, but they were shipwrecked off the coast of Scotland.

King Malcolm Canmore III took the exiles under his wing, and he fell in love with the beautiful and gracious Margaret. Although she initially rebuffed his proposals, the couple were married in 1070 at castle of Dunfermline. Margaret and Malcolm had eight children, six sons and two daughters. Margaret brought culture to the Scottish court and used her influence to soften her rough husband. The saint led a life of austerity, aiding Church reform, promoting Easter communion, and founding churches and monasteries. She instituted the Queen's Ferry to the shrine of St. Andrew and founded pilgrimage hostels.

Saint Margaret, Queen of Scotland, died on November 16,1093, four days after her husband and eldest son were killed in the battle of Alnwick. She was canonized by Pope Innocent IV in 1250 and named patron of Scotland in 1673.



During the month of November, the Book of Life, remembering our beloved deceased will be displayed in church. In it, you will find the names of the deceased of our parish and those whose funerals were celebrated at St.

Vincent Ferrer this past year.

You are invited to write in the names of your deceased loved ones for our remembrance.

RELICS OF ST. PADRE PIO TO VISIT ARCHDIOCESE OF DETROIT

Sunday, November 19, 2023: St. Pio of Pietrelcina Church, located at 18720 13 Mile Rd., Roseville, MI 48066

Starting/Ending: 12:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M. Mass in honor of Padre Pio at 6:00 P.M. Please, contact the parish at (586) 777-9116 or via email at stpiobusiness@gmail.com for additional information.

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK FOR REFLECTION

First Reading: Wis 6:12-16

Wisdom is presented as a virtue seeking to be found. How might you search for wisdom this week?

Second Reading: 1 Thes 4:13-18 or 4:13-14

Paul encourages the Thessalonians to be comforted in the belief that believers will be raised from the dead and live eternally with the Lord Jesus. What family members, friends, or co-workers need to hear these words of comfort?

Gospel: Mt 25:1-13

In the parable of the ten virgins, Jesus is teaching about the importance of being prepared for his Second Coming. In what ways is this directive from Jesus a challenge for you? ©LPi

Traveling Vocations Chalice

Individuals and families are needed to host the Traveling Vocations Chalice for a one week commitment to pray for vocations to the priesthood.

Advent is just around the corner and Lent begins February 14. Sign up to pray with the chalice as part of these seasonal practices. Sign up sheets are at the table outside the chapel wall near the Herbert door entrance.



MASS SCHEDULES

National Shrine of the Little Flower Basilica

2100 W. 12 Mile, Royal Oak, 48073

SATURDAY- 8:30am and 4:30pm (livestreamed)

SUNDAY-7:30am, 9:30am (livestreamed), 11:30am 4:00pm (Spanish-livestreamed), and 6:00pm

WEEKDAYS (Monday - Friday) 6:30am (livestreamed), 8:30am

St. Justin, St. Mary Magdalen

1631 E. Elza Hazel Park, 48030 (St J) 50 E Annabelle Ave. Hazel Park, 48030 (St MM) SATURDAY - 4:00pm - St. Justin SUNDAY - 9:00am & 11:00am - St. Mary Magdalen MON-WED & FRI- 9:00am - St. Justin

St. Mary

730 S. Lafayette, Royal Oak, 48067 SATURDAY - 4:30pm SUNDAY - 9:00am, 11 am MON, TUES, THURS, FRI - 7:30am WED - 12:10pm

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP GIVING - WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 4/5

Fiscal Year 7-1-23 to 6-30-24	Budgeted	Actual	Over/Under	YTD
Offertory Env. Used & e-fund participants	245	107		
Offertory (including loose cash)	\$ 5,293.00	\$ 6,282.70	989.70	(2,001.30)
Energy	289.00	\$568.00	279.00	(686.08)
Other: Coffee & Donuts, Flowers, Memorial Trees, Candles	\$ 1,115.39	83.00	(1,032.39)	(18,132.77)
Mass Intentions	n/a	170.00		1,940.00
AOD Collections: Priest Retirement	n/a	20.00		1,207.00
AOD Collections: Mission		25.00		1,367.00
Holy Days: All Saints & All Souls (Current)	n/a	1,103.00		2,459.00
Budget deficit donations		67.00		1,627.37