Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of
The Father,
and of
The Son,
and of
The Holy Spirit,
Teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you.
Mt. 28:19-20
**College retreat**

**Monday**
On Monday, June 17, the gym will be closed due to bleacher inspection.

**Thursday**
Monthly summer sessions of Becoming Catholic/RCIA begin Thursday, June 20 at 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm in the St. JP II rooms.

**This week at OLGC**

**Sunday**
It’s Father’s Day today! Pray for all our fathers today.

Sorry, no coffee & donuts today.

**Monday**
On Monday, June 17, the gym will be closed due to bleacher inspection.

**Friday**
Young Families Rosary & Game night, 6:30 pm to 9:30 pm in the Social Hall.

**Saturday**
VBS is June 24–28. Please be sure to sign up your children. Volunteers are still needed to make this a success. See details on page 14.

**Thursday to Saturday**
Forty hours of adoration conclude with Saturday morning Corpus Christi conference & final hour of adoration. See page 14 for details.

**Saturday**
No confessions.

Our Services
Parish Registration
Newcomers are always welcome. See olgcparish.net/join.

Hearing Assistance
Please see a Minister of Hospitality before Mass for hearing assistance.

24-Hour Chapel with Eucharistic Adoration
9 am Mondays through 3 pm Fridays (in the Day Chapel at Church). Come into the Parish Office for the Chapel entry code.

Latest media on Church crisis
https://www.olgcparish.net/response and protect.aod.org

Please see our website or contact the Parish Office for information regarding:
- Anointing of the Sick
- Baptism
- Communion to the Sick
- Mass Intentions
- Matrimony
- Reconciliation

Online Giving
Click GIVE on the upper right corner of our parish website home page for info, access, or to enroll.

View Abundant Life Online
www.OLGCParish.net or discovermass.com.

**Bulletin Articles**
Submit text & photos (no formatted or Word docs, please) no later than 9 am Thursday (10 days before). Email: bulletin@olgcparish.net

**Facilities Scheduling & Rental**
To schedule a Parish related event, contact Janet Rost at (734) 453-0326, ext. 229 or events@olgcparish.net.

**Parish Events Calendar**
http://calendar.olgcparish.net

**Father John’s Podcasts**
http://frjohnriccardo.libsyn.com
It's hard to know who to send a thank you to when a gift comes from an entire group of people and that group is no longer together in one place. And, so, as impersonal as this is, I would like to take a moment here to express my great gratitude to the 2019 graduating class of OLGC Parish School and their parents. Thank you all for the beautiful card and the very special gift from Rome of our Lady and Jesus, not to mention the inscription on the back. It means more than I can say!

What a joy it has been to serve at a parish with a school these past twelve years, to watch young people grow up, develop their personalities, mature, learn how to critically think, and become disciples of Jesus. I know when I first arrived I had much more time to hang out in school, at games, and various other events than I have the past few years. Life is much easier when you're new and nobody knows you! Those years of weekly answering questions students left in the question box in junior high, hanging out in a gym watching basketball games all morning and afternoon, downtown watching football games, at our own field watching lacrosse or soccer games, or making the trek over to watch the kids run cross country are wonderful memories for me. I regret I never made it out to watch our bowling team! And, of course, having our own gym these past few years, to see our kids play volleyball or hoops has been an unspeakable joy. The greatest joy for me these past two years has been celebrating Mass every Wednesday and Friday morning before school starts with the small, but growing, community that gathers in our school chapel. They have been among the most powerful and intimate Masses I have celebrated in my life as a priest. Under Mrs. Hunt's leadership, and together with an extraordinary team of teachers and faculty members, I am very eager to see all that the Lord has in store for our parish school in the years ahead! Be great!

Fr. Michael and I would like to invite everyone to a special time of prayer that is going to take place between the conclusion of the 5:00 Mass on June 30 and the 8:00 morning Mass on July 1. The last official act I will do as pastor of this amazing parish is to expose our Eucharistic Lord on the altar in the main church at the conclusion of the last Mass. I will celebrate here with everyone, Jesus will then be present on the altar all throughout the evening until roughly 7:50 a.m. Monday morning. Then, as the first official act as our new pastor, Fr. Michael will offer Benediction and celebrate his first Mass here as pastor. Together, we could think of no better way to finalize the transition from one friend and brother to another than to have Jesus in the Eucharist at the center of it.

So, Fr. Michael and I would like to invite you to please come and take some time to pray during those hours before our Lord, thanking Him for all the graces He has so generously poured out on our parish family these 99+ years, and to thank Him ahead of time for the graces He is going to pour out on our parish family in the years to come. May those in Plymouth who do not yet know Jesus come to know Him and the difference He alone can make!

In His love,

Fr. John

As we behold the glory of the Lord with unveiled faces, that glory, which comes from the Lord who is the Spirit, transforms us all into His own likeness, from one degree of glory to another. 2 Cor 3:18

I am really looking forward to fixing our eyes together on Jesus as Fr. John hands to me the pastoral care of Our Lady of Good Counsel. My heart rejoices as I see all that our Lord Jesus has accomplished in your midst, and I recognize that all the good fruits flow from Fr. John and the entire parish and school staff doing such an amazing work of leading you constantly to Jesus, to that life-changing encounter! His glory, His power, His presence, His Spirit are what transforms us and leads us deeper into worship. Jesus is worthy of every beat of your heart and every breath you take! What better way for you to support me, to thank Jesus for all He has accomplished, to praise Him for all He is about to accomplish than by joining Fr. John and I in a vigil of adoration!

Fr. Michael Suhy
OLGCs incoming Pastor
To live fully as a disciple is to make disciples.  
(Unleash the Gospel, Marker 9.3: Witness)

WHAT? Making Jesus “known by our work and deed”—as Archbishop Allen H. Vigneron asks of us in his pastoral letter, Unleash the Gospel—is Opening Doors to Witness Christ, the theme of the 2019 Catholic Services Appeal.

WHY? The CSA gives us an opportunity to live out our discipleship in Christ through the many benefits our annual appeal provides. These ministries, programs, and services meet the spiritual and physical needs of parishes and countless people throughout the Archdiocese. Our support demonstrates our own Catholic faith as we strive to grow in our love of Jesus as His missionary disciples.

HOW? When we embrace the CSA for carrying out the Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy, we witness Christ, and in turn, we open doors so others may also develop a deeper relationship with Him. We also extend our personal involvement in our local Church beyond our home parishes.

The CSA enables Archbishop Vigneron, his auxiliary bishops, the clergy, religious men and women, and the lay faithful to carry out Christ’s ministry of mercy and love throughout southeast Michigan and beyond—works no one individual or parish could possibly do alone.

PLEASE HELP: Kindly take a moment to read the brochure you receive at Mass this weekend and learn how gifts to the Catholic Services Appeal are helping your brothers and sisters in Christ witness our Lord in southeast Michigan.

OLGC's CSA assessment this year is $532,049. We humbly ask your help in meeting this assessment.

Note that 100% of any CSA donations received in excess of our assessment stay with our parish!

HOW TO GIVE: Contributions may be made through use of the pink envelopes in your envelope packet, through online giving at www.olgcparish.net/give, or by using a blank envelope labelled CSA (please print your full name, address, and the amount enclosed on the outside of the envelope). Thank you for discerning how you can help us meet our CSA obligation to the Archdiocese of Detroit.

A CAUSE TO REJOICE: THE NEW HIRES FOR OUR OLGC TEAM!

Fr. John’s leadership and guidance has allowed the Lord to form an amazing Parish Team! I am so looking forward to joining arms with all of my brothers and sisters currently on staff and am committed to continuing Fr. John’s investment in building and allowing a healthy team culture to flourish! I present to you now, briefly, the fruits of a collaborative effort between me and the parish team to discern and welcome to the team the following new members:

**Anthony Feola will be OLGC’s Director of Evangelization and Discipleship.** Anthony is presently Director of Evangelization at St. Francis of Assisi Parish and Newman Center in Muncie, Indiana

**Karen Ervin will be OLGC’s Associate Director of Evangelization and Discipleship and High School Ministry.** Karen most recently served as the Principal of St. Catherine of Siena Academy in Wixom, Michigan

**Kylie Cooper will be OLGC’s Creative and Promotions Manager.** Kylie is presently lead graphic design specialist for American Axle & Manufacturing.

**Robin Padula will be working part-time as the OLGC Parish Office Receptionist.** Robin is presently an OLGC parishioner active in volunteering at both the school and parish

**Julie Kavulich will be OLGC’s Hospitality Coordinator.** Julie is presently an OLGC parishioner active in volunteering at both the school and parish.

Please warmly welcome these new members to our OLGC team and support them and their families with your prayers in this time of transition!
An Invitation to OLGC Parishioners

Please join us in praying for Fr. John Riccardo and Fr. Prentice Tipton as they leave our OLGC family on June 30. At this time, we are inviting you to show your appreciation for Fr. John and Fr. Prentice by offering a Spiritual Bouquet. Cards are available near the main Church entrance to the right of the welcome desk. Please drop them in the box provided. If you would like to write your own card and deposit in there, please feel free to do so. These cards will be presented to them at the clergy and staff appreciation event after the noon Mass on Sunday, June 30 (see event details at right).

Happy Father’s Day to all our dads...both in heaven and on earth!

Enjoy these photos from recent Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Level II sessions:

Children in Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Level II True Vine Atrium—sharing their “Illumination Work” on the Crosses.

Children in Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Level II True Vine Atrium—sharing their Gifts of the Holy Spirit Pentecost Celebration.
Parish Prayer Ministry
For everyone who asks, receives; and the one who seeks, finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened...How much more will your heavenly Father give good things to those who ask him. *MT 7:8, 11

Archbishop Vigneron speaks about the importance of prayer in the preparation leading up to Synod 16 and the pastoral letter, “Unleash the Gospel.” This call to pray for ourselves, families, parishes, communities, the church and the world is an ongoing effort that we support at Our Lady of Good Counsel. We have a team of parish members who pray with expectant faith for you. Here is some information about each group.

OLGC Intercessors
If you feel called to intercessory prayer for the parish, contact us at OLGCintercessors@gmail.com.

Servants of Mercy, “Bringing God's Mercy to those in need”
To receive prayer or become an active prayer minister, please contact Sarah Zydeck at szydeck@aol.com.

Healing Prayer Ministry
To receive prayer look for us near the mosaic of Our Lady or contact us at annmhorvath@gmail.com.

Unbound Prayer, “Praying together for Freedom”
If you are feeling ready to receive the Love and Freedom of the Father, read more at olgcparish.net/unbound or email Carol Brewis at carolbrewis@hotmail.com or Brian Pickard at bk.pickard@yahoo.com.

Five First Saturdays Devotion:
During the current crisis in the Church, we invite you to make this devotion on five consecutive First Saturdays:
1. Make a good confession
2. Receive Holy Communion (at Mass)
3. Pray the Rosary
4. Keep our Lady company for fifteen minutes while meditating on the fifteen Rosary mysteries
5. During the devotion, make reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Mary for the sins of the world.
**June 22/23 Worship Ministry Schedule**

**Worship Ministers:** For the most up-to-date schedule, please visit our Ministry Scheduler soft-

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**How to meet Safe Environment requirements**

1. First of all, please visit: olgcparish.net/safe-environments/
2. Read all of the information, policies, and expectations found at that website.
3. Sign and date the Orientation Brochure agreeing you’ve read and concur with all policies.
4. Authorize a background check. Include a copy of your driver’s license. You’ll be asked to renew your background check every seven years.
5. Sign up for and attend a Protecting God’s Children Workshop.

Meeting these requirements is mandatory for all paid staff and for volunteers who have regular, ongoing contact with youth. Background checks are mandatory for volunteers who serve on Worship Commission committees, or those having regular, ongoing contact with the elderly and/or disabled.

**Every First Friday/First Saturday Reparation Vigil**

Begins at 9 am Mass on first Fridays, Mass at 7 pm, Confession 6:30 pm St. Genevieve-St. Maurice Parish, 29015 Jamison St., Livonia. Friday 9 am to 7 pm, Saturday 7:40 am rosary & 8 am Mass. All night adoration.
formed.org is your online platform to find great Catholic content including ebooks, movies, audio talks, and video-based studies. Visit olgparish.formed.org to create your FREE account. Click on the COMMUNITY tab to see the latest OLGC homilies and content that aligns with the liturgical calendar. Questions about signing up? Contact Kris at yankeeek@olgparish.net.

Al Kresta to coordinate farewell for Heart to Heart Apostolate in Ann Arbor

For twenty years, this group has provided remarkable speakers for faith-seeking adults. The final session will be on Thursday, July 11 at Christ the King Catholic Church (4000 Avé Maria Drive) at 6:30 pm. Please RSVP if you will be coming to hearttoheartapostolate@gmail.com or leave a message at (734) 930-7497.

MONTHLY SUMMER SESSIONS
BEGINS THURSDAY, JUNE 20
IN THE ST. JP II ROOMS

New Leaven is a study option for Grow Groups and helps transform the daily life of Catholic disciples. It’s for taking important steps that disentangle us from the ways of the world. Important topics of discussion include: family, work, time, money, relationships, body, and mission.

Learn more at NewLeaven.org

Questions? Contact Alan Wegienka at alan@wegienka.com
**Upcoming events**

**Prayer and Pancakes:** join us at the 8 am Mass on the First Saturday of each month, then we’ll enjoy breakfast together in DTP.

**Ladies Group** Contact Lize at sljaramillo90@gmail.com.

**Mens Group** Contact Ben at ben.kreucher@gmail.com.

For the following small groups, contact Paul at graff.paul.s@gmail.com.

**Monday small group** (The Bible according to Mark), 7 pm at the Parish House.

**Wednesday small group** (The Acts of the Apostles).

For more information on our events, please email us at ya@olgcparish.net.

**Young Catholic Professionals, Detroit events** (see ycpdetroit.org)

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**Senior Life Ministry**

**Wednesday, June 26: Detroit Churches** (St. Joseph Oratory, Old St. Mary’s with Mass, & St. Anne de Detroit) bus tour and lunch at Pegasus. Cost is $45; leave OLGC 9 am; return 5 pm. If interested in the trip, contact Mary at (734) 560-4676 or Joe at (734) 447-7277 or joe_hehir@yahoo.com.

Make sure you are signed up for our announcements by sending your full name, address, phone, and email address to joe_hehir@yahoo.com.

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**FAMILY ROSARY & GAME NIGHT**

**FRIDAY, 6/21**

Join other families for a tabletop game night!

- Family Rosary at 6:30 pm | Social Hall
- Gaming will follow (bring your favorite board/card/dice game, etc.)
- Games should be family-friendly and appropriate for the church. Parents must stay and play with their children.
The school office is now closed for the summer and will re-open on Monday, August 12. If you need to contact the school, please call (734) 453-3053 and leave a message. Phone messages will be monitored and you will be contacted as soon as possible. Have a wonderful, restful, and blessed summer!

At the last All-School Mass on Thursday, June 6, the School Students and Staff honored Fr. John in a beautiful and moving presentation. Fr. John sat among the students as he was thanked for “changing us for the good.”

OLGC School is hiring teachers!
To see the details, visit: olgcparish.net/careers.
We encourage you to take notes as you listen to this weekend's homily.
Change a Life, Save a Family

‘Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you something to drink? When did we see you a stranger and invite you in, or needing clothes and clothe you? When did we see you sick or in prison and go to visit you?’

Mt 25: 31-39

On February 27, we had the opportunity to visit the people of St. Kizito in the slums of Kampala, Uganda. It was an experience we will hold forever dear in our hearts. We were greeted with open arms and warm hearts. We were excited to meet our two sponsored children, Richard and Agnes. Diana (coordinator for sponsored school children) and Emmanuel (church laity minister) explained the itinerary for the next two days. We were to see all of the parish grounds which included a medical clinic, church, elementary school, and preschool.

Steve & Jasmin Walker
OLGC Parishioners

Graduates of 2019!

You are welcome to wear your cap, gown, cording and sit with your family amongst the congregation. Father will ask the graduates to stand and be acknowledged during Mass. The sign up also has space for write up about your experiences and for you to upload a photo.

Last chance to submit your info is Monday, June 17!
Monday, June 17
Wage peace

Jesus’ call to nonviolence is often misinterpreted as passivity and weakness. Far from it! In the words of Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI, nonviolence does not mean surrendering to evil, but actively and courageously responding to it with good, “and thus breaking the chain of injustice.” It means being someone “who is convinced of God’s love and power, who is not afraid to confront evil with the weapons of love and truth alone.”

Join what the Holy Father called the “Christian revolution” of loving your enemy and start waging peace.

Today’s readings:
- Roman 12:18-21; Matthew 5:38-42.

“When someone strikes you on your right cheek, turn the other one to him as well.”

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Tuesday, June 18
It rains on everybody

Jesus asks us to love people who've been hateful and pray for those who hurt us. Why should we do such a thing? Because it makes us more like God—and after all, we are the children of God. God brings rain down on everybody indiscriminately, and sunshine, too. God does not withhold divine blessings from bad people and give them to good people, though you'd have a hard time getting some folks to believe that. Perfect human justice is merely even-steven. Divine justice, bounded by mercy, goes way beyond just deserts.

Today’s readings:

“But I say to you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you.”

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Wednesday, June 19
MEMORIAL OF ROMUALD, ABBOT
Get some expert advice

Saint Romuald lived from the first millennium into the second. He likewise bridged the world of monastic prayer and the rest of the world by showing that ordinary experiences are examples of how to relate to God. He said, for example, “Sit in your cell as in paradise. Put the whole world behind you and forget it”—perhaps anticipating today’s “turn off your cell phone and television.” He said, “Watch your thoughts like a good fisherman watching for fish,” suggesting that if you know how to fish—be silent, still, and wait for the fish to make themselves known—then you know how to pray. A great saint can point us to holiness in simple, commonplace ways.

Today’s readings:

“Your Father who sees what is hidden will repay you.”

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Thursday, June 20
Needs need testing

Perhaps you’ve heard the saying: “God doesn’t need our prayers—we do.” God knows what we need even before we ask. Truth be told, often enough we don’t really know what we need, only what we want. They aren’t always the same thing, as another popular saying reminds us: “Be careful what you pray for, you just might get it!” So we pray for what we want, and God sees to it that we get what we really need, and later, we realize God was right, again—thank God!

Today’s readings:

“Your Father knows what you need before you ask him.”

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Friday, June 21
MEMORIAL OF ALOYSIUS GONZAGA, RELIGIOUS
Earthen treasures

Young Aloysius Gonzaga intentionally walked away from his family’s wealth and power, choosing to join the Society of Jesus, the Jesuits. Gonzaga lived such an extreme life of prayer and self-denial that his superiors told him to eat more and spend increased time with friends. While studying theology in Rome when a plague broke out, he volunteered to care for the sick in a Jesuit hospital. That sacrifice eventually claimed his life at the tender age of 23. Give thanks for the friends who stand by you and renew you in times of joy and of struggle—the real treasure in your life.

Today’s readings:
- 2 Corinthians 11:18, 21-30; Matthew 6:19-23.

“Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and decay destroy . . . but store up treasures in heaven.”

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Saturday, June 22
MEMORIALS OF JOHN FISHER, BISHOP, AND THOMAS MORE, MARTYRS
Be a believer for all seasons

Fisher and More, who were friends, were executed (in 1535) within 15 days of one another over their opposition to King Henry VIII’s divorce of Catherine of Aragon and his plans to take over the church in England. On the scaffold More described himself as the “king’s good servant—but God’s first.” The film version of More’s life, A Man for All Seasons, won six Oscars, including Best Picture.

Watch the movie and give some thought to how you can put God first in your life.

Today’s readings:
- 2 Corinthians 12:1-10; Matthew 6:24-34.

“Is not life more than food and the body more than clothing?”

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Sunday, June 23
SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)
Institution of the Holy Eucharist

How would Paul have known about the Last Supper in today’s second reading? Paul tells us in verse 23: “For I received from the Lord...” Paul received his knowledge about the Institution of the Eucharist directly from Our Lord! Even though we see no change in the bread or wine after the words of consecration are spoken by the priest, our Faith reveals to us that the substances of bread and wine actually become the Body and Blood of Jesus. A change-over of substance occurs, a transsubstantiation. We know this because Jesus said, “This is My body” and “This is My blood.” Jesus declares the “This,” the objects in Jesus’ hand, the substances of bread and wine, become identical with His Body and Blood, a fact that could not possibly be true unless a change of substance took place. Who are we to doubt Jesus Christ?

The Sunday Gospel reflections are written by Tom Meagher, sundaybulletinarticles@gmail.com.
Saturday, June 22, 2019
With Fr. Patrick Gonyeau

**SCHEDULE**

8am    Holy Mass – Fr. John Riccardo, Celebrant
9am    Continental Breakfast
9:30am  Talk 1: *The Greatest Love Story Ever*
10:50am Talk 2: *Fuel for the Fire*
11:45am **Eucharistic Adoration** –
          Closing with a Special Hour of Power

**LOCATION**

Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church
47650 North Territorial Road  Plymouth, MI 48170
$10 – registration is required: OLGCParish.net/register

Limited child care is available, registration required:
OLGCParish.net/child-care  Questions: Sarah (734) 658-4704

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**Prayer for the next phase of Unleash the Gospel**

Heavenly Father,

thank you for the abundant graces of Synod 16: for awakening in us the vision and resolve to become again your Church on mission, eagerly working together to “make disciples of all nations,” according to our commission from the Lord Jesus. Pour out upon us your Holy Spirit, as a new Pentecost, to guide us in our next phase in our movement to Unleash the Gospel. By his power at work in us, transform our parishes into bands of joyful missionary disciples.

**Come Holy Spirit:**

Set our hearts on fire to share the Good News of Jesus with all those who stumble in darkness, who hunger for hope, who thirst for eternal life. Above all, grant us the boldness and courage of the apostles to put the mission above all else, so that our community becomes the spark to ignite the fire of divine love that transforms this time and this place into the Kingdom of Heaven.

We pray through the intercession of Our Lady, Star of the New Evangelization, and her mother, our Patron, St. Anne, and in the spirit of Blessed Solanus we thank you ahead of time for “accomplishing in us far more than we ask or imagine.”

We ask all of this in the all-powerful name of the Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns forever. Amen.
Friday morning Bible Study
Mass at 8:30 am, Study 9:30 am
Summer sessions on the Old Testament are June 14, July 12, & August 9;
Held at Resurrection parish, 48755 Warren Rd. in Canton. Email plpardi@aol.com with questions. No charge; bring a friend.

Summer camps
Robotics camp at Catholic Central
For boys & girls in grades 6-8 (fall) and held from July 15 to 19, 8 am to noon, this camp gives hands-on experience in engineering fields. Limited space; cost is $215. Register at www.catholiccentral.net/summercamps.

St. Catherine of Siena for girls
See saintcatherineacademy.org (then click Summer Camps) for the extensive list of camps for middle school girls. There is something for everyone! Register before June 7.

Camp Sancta Maria in Gaylord
See www.campsantamaria.org or call (248) 822-8199. For details on boys’, girls’, horse camps, adventure camp, and parent/child weekends.

Final night for Heart to Heart Group
Thurs., July 11 in Ann Arbor
Heart to Heart Apostolate has met for twenty years and will have their final gathering to reminisce & celebrate. Held at 6:30 pm at Christ the King (4000 Ave Maria Dr.). Please RSVP to (734) 930-7497 or to hearttoheartpostulate@gmail.com.

Pro-Life help needed at Art Fair
July 18 to July 21 in Ann Arbor
A pro-life booth will be at the Ann Arbor Art Fair (Liberty between 5th & Division). For info, email plan2pray@gmail.com.

Spiritual Direction Training
On Tuesday evenings in Ann Arbor
Sessions begin in September and are held weekly at Christ the King. Visit heartsfromsirsthirdirect.com or contact Jean Jobarbacone@gmail.com.

Locating a Catholic Church
Discovermass.com

Catholic Charities of SE Michigan
Visit www.ccssem.org to see available services

Post-abortion healing
Call confidentially
1-877-HOPE-4-ME
1-877-467-3463
See RachelsVineyard.org.

Events at St. Paul of the Cross
A retreat & conference center “in our own backyard”. View stpaulretreat.org for info on upcoming events: Call (313) 286-2800 for info or to register.

Events for widowed persons
Many opportunities exist
Visit widowedfriends.org for details on upcoming events.

Events at Solanus Casey Center
solanuscenter.org/events
See above website for events including weekly bible study, Theology on Tap, learning about Fr. Solanus Casey, confessions, and more.

Discern a Call to Priesthood
Various sessions are scheduled at Sacred Heart Major Seminary in Detroit for men from ages 14-55. For more information or to register, visit www.detroitpriest.com

Caregiver Support Group Canton
Second Thursdays, 7 pm to 9 pm
Held at Summit on the Park (4600 Summit Parkway), this group helps people address issues, cope with feelings by sharing, care for self, and learn how to become better caregivers. No cost. For info, contact Tom at (313) 618-7212 or email, thomassal@peoplepc.com.

Daily phone contact for seniors
From Catholic Charities, SE Michigan
Phone reassurance program for those living alone, are lonely, or need a daily contact check. Call Tricia Johnson at (248) 537-3300 ext. 3945 or vanhaverbeke@gmail.com.

Save a marriage!
Retrouvaille weekend programs
This Christian peer ministry focuses on hurting couples who long for renewal and hope. For info or to register, see their website helpourmarriage.org, or call (800) 470-2230.

For those in urgent need
Please contact the
St. Vincent de Paul Society through the Parish Office.

Signed Mass for the Deaf online
Sundays at 11:30 am, EST
See the Deaf Catholic Community facebook page to view this Mass: facebook.com/deafmass. You need not have a facebook page to participate! Please share this info.

Safe Delivery Hotline
Legal, safe, & anonymous
Parents may surrender newborn child (under 72 hours old) to any inside, on-duty employee of a fire or police station by calling 911. Newborn is released for placement with an adoptive family.

Reporting of Sexual Abuse within the AOD
Ongoing. The Archdiocese of Detroit encourages individuals to report clergy sexual abuse of minors and others, no matter when the abuse occurred. Individuals may contact local law enforcement authorities and/or they may report to the Archdiocese of Detroit by calling the Victim Assistance Coordinator at (866) 343-8055 or by emailing vac@aod.org. The Michigan Attorney General’s Office reporting hotline is (844) 324-3374 (M-F, 8 am to 5 pm) or at aginvestigations@michigan.gov. More info from .protect.aod.org.

Monthly Healing Mass
First Tuesdays at noon
St. Anne de Detroit (1000 Ste. Anne St., Detroit) is the location of the monthly healing Mass during 2017. Info at (313) 496-1701 or danielle.center@steannedetroit.org.

NFP Support Series in Detroit
Monthly, Tuesdays, 7 pm to 9 pm
Held at Sacred Heart Major Seminary (2701 Chicago Blvd.), this series is for couples using the natural family planning (NFP) method. Contact Nicole at (734) 420-1278 or finkebe25@gmail.com for info or registration. Cost is $75.

Couple to Couple League
Classes for engaged and married couples of all ages. Register online at www.ccli.org. Course fee is $140 plus S & H; financial assistance available. CCLDetroit@gmail.com all (313) 451-4637.

Grief Support
Through various workshops
Visit goodmourningministry.net to find out about area grief workshops.

At Schrader Howell Funeral Home
Group meets on the fourth Monday, 6:30 pm to 8 pm at 280 S. Main St. in Plymouth. Led by Bridgid Lynch, MA, LPC; call (248) 330-2474 for info.

Marriage Encounter Weekends
Upcoming date:
June 21-23 (Troy) & Sept 27-29 (Troy). Designed to be a weekend that married couples can focus on each other and their relationship. Application fee is $75; call (888) 322-9963 or see encounterdetroit.org.

Natural Family Planning
Creighton Method
Schedule an introductory session with a Fertility Care Practitioner or for more info, email nfp.creighton@gmail.com.

Sympto-Thermal Method
Classes at St. Kenneth. Contact Nicole at (734) 420-1278 or finkebe25@gmail.com for info or registration. Cost is $75.

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