

JULY 31 | 2022

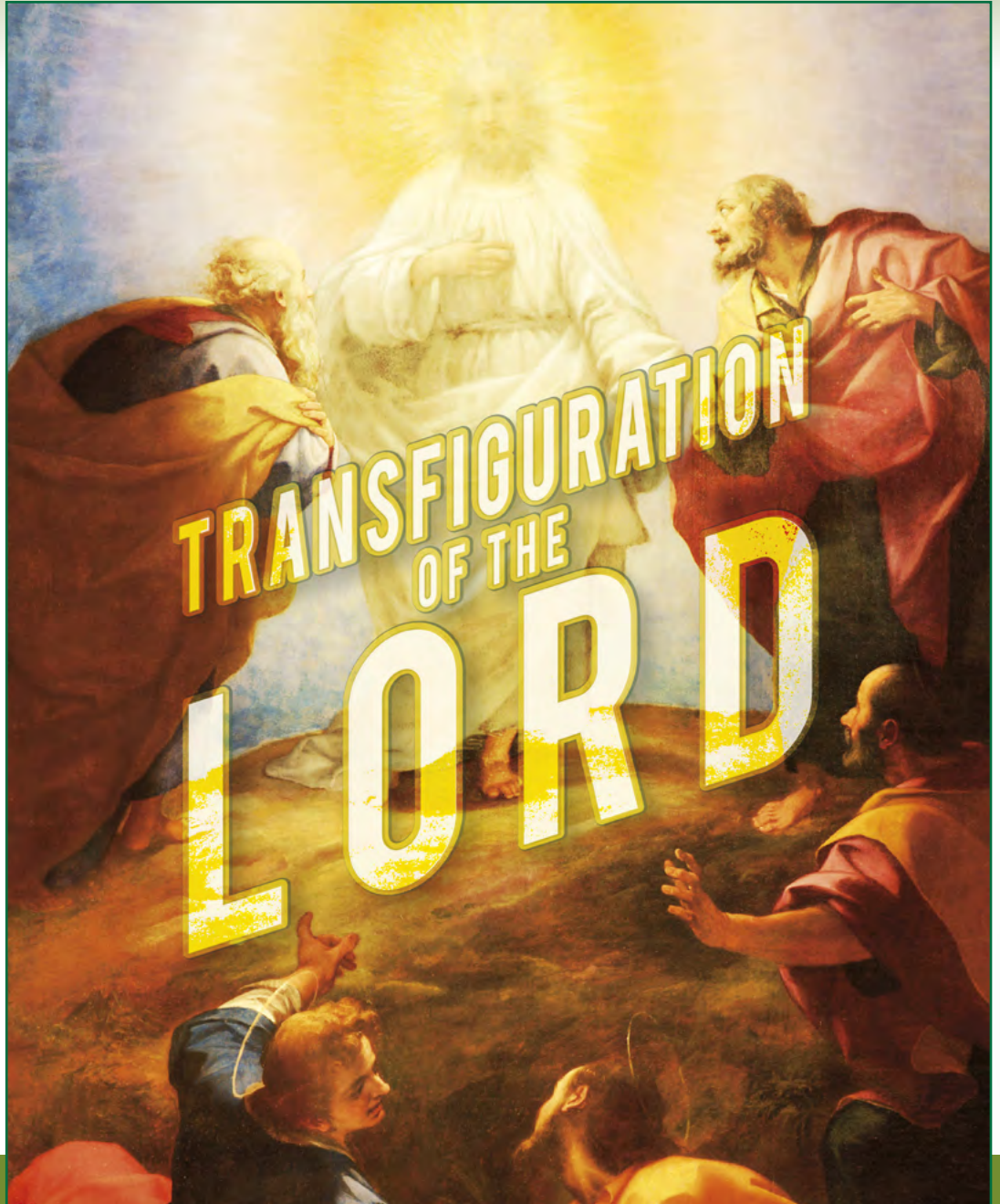
NOVI, MI

ST. James
CATHOLIC CHURCH

NEWS

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**"Take care to guard against all greed,
for though one may be rich,
one's life does not consist of possessions."**



AS ST. JAMES CATHOLIC COMMUNITY WE WELCOME AND SERVE ALL PEOPLE AS DISCIPLES WHO CELEBRATE AND LOVE AS JESUS TAUGHT

**THE ENTIRE EXPANDED BULLETIN IS AVAILABLE VIA FLOCKNOTE
AND AT STJAMESNOVI.ORG/BULLETINS**

mass times & information

SAT 4:00 pm
SUN 8:00 am,
 9:30 am, 11:30 am
MON 9:00 am
TUE 9:00 am
WED 7:00 pm
THU 9:00 am
FRI None

SUMMER HOURS

Memorial Day - Labor Day

SUN Closed
MON 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
TUE 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
WED 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
THU 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
FRI Closed
SAT Closed

BAPTISMS

By appointment. Parish membership and pre-registration for preparation class required.

RECONCILIATION

WED 6:00 pm
SAT 2:30 pm

ANOINTING OF THE SICK / MINISTRY TO THE SICK

Please call the parish office to arrange for anointing for someone who is seriously ill or preparing for surgery. If ill, homebound or hospitalized, we can visit upon request. There will also be an opportunity to receive the sacrament on the 2nd Saturday of every month after the 4pm mass.

MARRIAGE

Please contact the office to make an appointment with clergy.

FUNERALS

When planning a funeral at St. James, many details need attention and our staff is willing to assist you during this difficult time. Once you have contacted the funeral home, please call the parish office to plan the funeral Mass and other arrangements. The usual time for funerals is 10:30 am with visitation prior.

PARISH REGISTRATION

Registration forms are located on the credenza in the Narthex or on our website. Notify the Parish Office of address changes.



Can you make Balloon Animals? Can you Face Paint?

We are looking for volunteers with balloon animal creation experience and or face painting expertise for our Parishfest on September 11, following the 11:30 mass. If you are interesting in helping make this year's Parishfest the best ever, please contact Meredith Skowronski at mskowronski@sjnovi.net.



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 Novi, MI 48375
 (248) 349-8847
www.holyfamilynovi.org

St. Joseph
 830 S Lafayette St.
 South Lyon, MI 48178
 (248) 446-8700
www.stjcc.org

Religious Education Calendar

Sept. 11:

KidsWord Resumes

Adult and Youth Volunteers Needed.

Email mfitzpatrick@sjnovi.org for information.

Sept. 18, 12:30 pm

RE Volunteer Orientation

Sept. 25:

Religious Education Resumes

Register by August 31 at stjamesnovi.org

Gr. 1-5: Faithbuilders

Gr. 6: Encounter

Gr. 7-8: Ignite, a two-year Confirmation Program

Religious Education volunteers needed!

You will receive training, lessons plans and materials for our dynamic program, along with many blessings!

Email: mskowronski@sjnovi.net



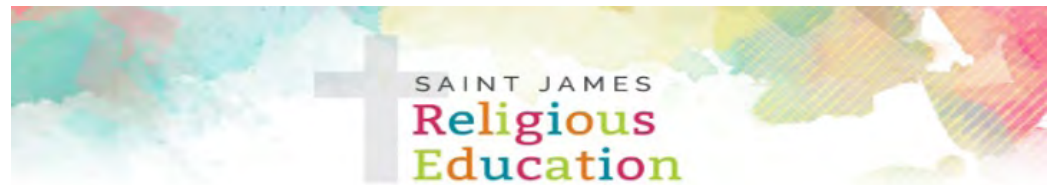
Kids Korner

Saint of the Day

St. Ignatius of Loyola

St. Ignatius was the youngest of 13 children, just like Fr. Ed! He became a soldier for the Spanish army in the early 1500s. He liked to read and learn but while recovering from an injury the only books available were about Jesus. As he read, He felt called to serve the Lord. He established 36 schools and an order of priests known as the Jesuits, today they serve all over the world.

Ignatius is the patron saint of soldiers and teachers.



Luke 12:13-21

The Rich Fool

Do you have a junk drawer at home? Actually, I call it utility drawer. It sounds so much more useful! When I find a thingamajig, a gadget, or a whasit, I think, "I may need this someday." Into the drawer it goes. It contains picture hanging hooks and wire, scissors, super glue,

wrenches that came with Ikea furniture...so much stuff! But what do I do when the drawer is overflowing? Do I start a new drawer? Do I make a bigger space for it? Or do I sort through it, measuring its worth and getting rid of stuff?

In our Gospel story the rich man has done well for himself. He has everything he needs for years to come...but nowhere to store it. So, plans to build more storage barns! That sounds like a reasonable plan. But, wait! This is grain we're talking about, not tools and string. How long will it stay good in the barns? What would be a better use for that surplus grain?

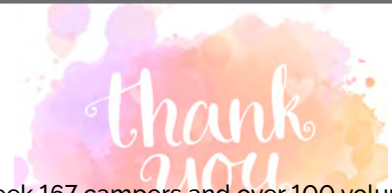
Jesus' message calls us to look at what we value. What treasures have you stored up for yourselves? Which are

heavenly treasures? Let's take time today to examine our treasures. I do not treasure the stuff in my utility drawer but I definitely treasure my family members and friends. I treasure my coworkers and fellow parishioners. I treasure the time spent in nature, enjoying the peacefulness of God's creation. Take a moment today to thank God for these treasures. Then, take time to let those people know how precious they are to us. Make a phone call, give a hug. Spend time with your heavenly treasures.

May God bless and strengthen your family!

Marge Fitzpatrick
mfitzpatrick@sjnovi.net

I can do all things through Christ who gives me strength. Phil. 4:13



This week 167 campers and over 100 volunteers explored the rainforest in search of treasure as we learned that we are God's treasure! I treasure all those who used their gifts to make this amazing week possible.

Thank you to Meredith Skowronski, Maureen O'Brien, Deanna Satti, and all of the St. James staff who offered their support and services throughout this process.

Thanks to the Garner and Gerwin families for the amazing decorations! Thank you to our snack chef Mindy Eichenberg our station leaders Patti Harpenau, Clare Fitzpatrick, Kara Steslicki, Dave King, Nuri Bye, Monica Hammerick, Maureen Lynch and Robbie Bentham. Thank you, to adult volunteers Adrienne Garner, Sandi Gerwin, Shannon Harvill and Pat McClatchey. Thank you to the Harvill family for the birthday bag donations!

We also had 78 youth volunteers who shined God's love as crew leaders and station assistants: Austin, Corinne, Noah, Thomas, Nico, Catelyn, Carlee, Cooper, Keira, Jenna, Dilah, Adrianna, Libby, Audrey, Marilyne, Donovan, Ethan, Lily, Alyssa, Hans, Ellie, Ally, Jessica, Brielle, Allie, Katie, Helen, Aidan, Rian, Alana, Cailin, Lauren, Ito, Cooper, Delaney, Madison, Grace, Ava, Brianna, Maureen, Isabella, Mia, Julia, Mallory, Nola, Stella, Bella, Isaac, Max, Luciano, Michael, Ivie, Sophie, Mackenzie, Sarah, Addison, Samantha, Logan, Lucy, Olivia, Sarah, Anna, MacKenzie, Karissa, Jackie, Roman, Malaina, Maddie, Camille, Raphael, Cami, Gianna, Casey, and Owen. May you continue to seek the treasures God has for you!

You are treasured!

upcoming events

july

BACKPACK PROJECT UNDERWAY

30 Food Delivery

august

21 Backpack Donations Due

22-24 Food Packing

food pantry

immediate needs

- spaghetti
- manwich
- tuna
- tomato soup
- granola bars
- peanut butter
- beef stew
- soup

additional needs

- box potatoes
- hamburger helper
- tuna helper
- chicken helper
- ravioli (canned)

PLEASE - Do Not Leave ANY fresh or perishable food items!

Please be aware, expired items are not accepted and will be disposed of.

Thank you for supporting this ministry throughout the year.

Annual Backpack Project

The Annual Back-to School Backpack Project is Underway!

Our goal is to provide local children with a brand-new backpack, filled with the supplies needed to start their school year. Last year we distributed 183 backpacks! These children are from families that are included in our monthly food program or have received other assistance during the year. Their family budgets don't allow for extras such as backpacks and school supplies.

A list of needed school supplies is available through the SignUpGenius link on the parish website, www.stjamesnovi.org. In addition, a poster board with sticky notes for a few of the supplies is in the church narthex.

If you prefer to make a financial contribution to the Backpack Project instead of shopping,

your donation can be made through Online Giving by clicking on the Backpack Project donation button on our website, www.stjamesnovi.org.

Additionally, donations can be made by check, payable to St. James Catholic Church and sent to the church office, attention: Beth Bush. Please be sure to put Backpack Project on the memo line.

Note: Donations may be placed on the cart inside door #6 (this door is open 24 hours a day) or put in the blue bin in the narthex when attending mass. All donations are due by Sunday, August 21st.

Thank you for your generosity and kindness to those in need!



St. James Food Pantry

Every so often we like to give you a sample of the amounts needed each month to handle our monthly food distribution, as well as the emergency boxes we provide:

- 35 jars of peanut butter
- 35 jars of jelly
- 90 cans of tuna
- 120 cans of soup
- 90 cans of veggies
- 90 cans of fruit
- 35 rolls of paper towels
- 35 laundry detergents
- etc., etc.!

This is a condensed list to give you an idea of the quantities needed on a monthly basis. Your help in providing an item or two is greatly appreciated! We update the food list on page 4 weekly so you can watch the bulletin for items most needed. Thank you for helping to lessen the burden for those we assist!

Computer Paper Boxes Needed

Each month our Food Pantry uses approximately 100 boxes. If you have access to computer paper size boxes, please consider donating them.

We request this size only, due to the ease of handling and storage. If you are able to help with even one or two, please leave them by the Food Donation box in the narthex anytime the church is open. **Thank You!**



We Collect Year Round:

Eyeglasses, cell phones, hearing aids and travel size personal hygiene items!

Traveling this Summer?

Please assist with our year-round St. Aloysius homeless and senior citizen ministry. Our collection of travel size soap, shampoo, deodorant, and disposable razors enable St. Al's to continue distributing these personal hygiene essentials on a regular basis. Donations may be placed in the Food Donation box in the narthex when attending mass.

From Your Parish Nurse

Keep Your Eyes Healthy

There's a lot you can do to keep your eyes healthy and protect your vision.

Get a comprehensive dilated eye exam

Getting a dilated eye exam is simple and painless — and it's the single best thing you can do for your eye health!

Even if your eyes feel healthy, you could have a problem and not know it. That's because many eye diseases don't have any symptoms or warning signs.

A dilated eye exam is the only way to check for many eye diseases early on, when they're easier to treat.

Find out if you're at risk for eye diseases

Getting older increases your risk of some eye diseases. You might also have a higher risk of some eye diseases if you:

Are overweight or obese

Have a family history of eye disease

Are African American, Hispanic, or Native American

Other health conditions, like diabetes or high blood pressure, can also increase your risk of some eye diseases. For example, people with diabetes are at risk for diabetic retinopathy — an eye condition that can cause vision loss and blindness.

If you're worried you might be at risk for some eye diseases, talk to your doctor. You may be able to take steps to lower your risk.

Know your family's health history. Talk with your family members to find out if they've had any eye problems. Some eye diseases and conditions run in families, like age-related macular degeneration or glaucoma. Be sure to tell your eye doctor if any eye diseases run in your family.

Take care of your health

Protecting your overall health can go a long way toward keeping your eyes healthy! It's important to make healthy choices and take good care of yourself.

Keep in mind that healthy habits like eating well and being active can lower your risk for diseases and conditions that can lead to eye or vision problems, like diabetes or high blood pressure. Follow these tips for healthy vision:

Eat healthy foods. Be sure to have plenty of dark, leafy greens like spinach, kale, and collard greens. Eating fish that are high in omega-3 fatty acids — like salmon, tuna, and halibut — is good for your eyes, too.

Get active. Being physically active helps you stay healthy. It can also lower your risk of health conditions that can cause eye health or vision problems — like diabetes, high blood pressure, and high cholesterol.

Quit smoking. Smoking isn't just bad for your lungs — it can hurt your eyes, too! Smoking increases your risk of diseases like macular degeneration and cataracts — and it can harm the optic nerve. If you're ready to quit, call 1-800-QUIT-NOW (1-800-784-8669) for

free support. You can also check out the resources on Smokefree.gov

Protect your eyes

Every day, you can take simple steps to keep your eyes healthy. Use these tips to protect your eyes from things that can harm them:

Wear sunglasses. Protect your eyes from the sun by wearing sunglasses — even on cloudy days! Be sure to look for sunglasses that block 99 to 100 percent of both UVA and UVB radiation.

Wear protective eyewear. Safety glasses and goggles are designed to protect your eyes during certain activities, like playing sports, doing construction work, or doing home repairs. You can buy them from most eye care providers and some sporting goods stores. Get tips to protect your kids' eyes when they play sports

Give your eyes a rest. Looking at a computer for a long time can tire out your eyes. Rest your eyes by taking a break every 20 minutes to look at something about 20 feet away for 20 seconds.

If you wear contacts, take steps to prevent eye infections. Always wash your hands before you put your contact lenses in or take them out. Be sure to disinfect your contact lenses and replace them regularly. Learn more about caring for contact lenses

<https://www.nei.nih.gov/learn-about-eye-health/healthy-vision/keep-your-eyes-healthy>



baptisms

Thomas Edmund
Johnson
July 31



wedding banns

II – Megan Gertley
& Trevor McGowan

II – Lauren Agnello
& Curtis Johnson

II – Sydnee Gaffney
& Kyle Klosko

scripture readings

WEEK OF JULY 31

SUNDAY

Ecc 1:2; 2:21-23; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 & 17; Col 3:1-5, 9-11; Lk 12:13-21

MONDAY

Jer 28:1-17; Ps 119:29, 43, 79, 80, 95,102; Mt 14:13-21

TUESDAY

Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 29 & 22-23; Mt 14:22-36

WEDNESDAY

Jer 31:1-7; Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13; Mt 15:21-28

THURSDAY

Jer 31:31-34; Ps51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mt 16:13-23

FRIDAY

Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7; Dt 32:35cd-36ab, 39abcd, 41; Mt16:24-28

SATURDAY

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Lk 9:28b-36

SUNDAY

Wis 18:6-9; Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22; Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or Heb 11:1-2, 8-12; Lk 12:32-48 or Lk 12:35-40

mass intentions

SATURDAY, JULY 30

4:00 PM

Robert Beers (Kathy McDonough)
Steven Benedetto (Family)
Mary Louise Albert (Family)
Leo Okonkowski
(Joe and Terry Lunn)

SUNDAY, JULY 31

8:00 AM

Donald Pinto
(St. James Parish Family)
Piro G. George

9:30 AM

Margaret Paulson & Nancy Royer
(Donna Nicholson)

11:30 AM

Carmine Chiarelli (Family)

MONDAY, AUGUST 1

9:00 AM

Margaret Paulson & Nancy Royer
(Donna Nicholson)

TUESDAY, AUGUST 2

9:00 AM

Michael Dyc (Family)

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3

6:30 PM - Rosary Before Mass

7:00 PM

Margaret Paulson & Nancy Royer
(Donna Nicholson)

THURSDAY, AUGUST 4

9:00 AM

John Korona (Family)
Eric Tiu Ng (Enita Woo)

FRIDAY, AUGUST 5

NONE

SATURDAY, AUGUST 6

4:00 PM

Peppino Roperti
(Albino and Maria Cicerone)
John and Elizabeth Korona
(Family)

SUNDAY, JULY 7

8:00 AM

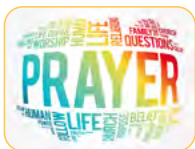
For the Intentions of
St. James Parish Family

9:30 AM

For the Intentions of
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11:30 AM

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St. James Parish Family



Please remember in your prayers the sick listed below:

Shari Antcliff
MaryAnn Balon
Pat Barney
Cathy Beal
Anna Marie Benedetto
Laurie Benedetto
Pat Bialek
Julie Boivin
John Boulton
Doreen Brant
Steve Brooks
Ashley Cairo
Diane Christopher
Jo Christopher
Rikki Cicirelli
Jean Collins
Angelito Cruz
John Cummings, Jr.
Emmenecker
Giulia DePalma
Laura Dean
Berni Di Marco
Erika DiMarco
Carol Dombrowski
Alexander Donovan
Gloria Downey
Mark DuFresne
Tom Dull
Don Durance
Morgan Elliot
Ruth Elwood
Ethan Elwood

Timothy Evans
Bill Farmer
Frank Fella
Karen Ferns
Malia Gadwell
George Gauchey
Dean Giachino
Cindy Gibson
Kathy Hartmus
Mike Heary
George Hlava
Karen Hryciuk
Mary Ellen Jackson
Jasper Jawanda
Gary Johnson
Christine Kalis
Candise Kemp
Joe Kirwan
Jean Korleski
Anne Koziara
Jameson Kunz
Silas Kurtz
Julie LaFata
Joan Letourneau
Al Letourneau
Jane Lockard
Laurie Lodeesen
Yolande Louis
Kevin Lutz
Michael Maguire
Carol Maiers
Margarete Mares

Dunstan Mascarenhas
Jan Mathison
Mary McBurney
Michael McCanne
Michael McCarthy
Kathy McDonough
Lindsay McKay
Greg Mendenhall
Alex Michaels
Sam Misuraca
Laurel Mitchell
Carmel Mizzi
Catherine Mizzi
Donna Monforton
Robert "Bob" Monk
Larry Moriarty
Amanda Nagy
Kenneth Nelson
Brenda O'Brien
Mary Lee O'Keefe
Bryan O'Leary
Estelle Oliansky
Phil Phillips
Steven Phillips
Ioana Podeanu
Glenn Porzadek
Cora Prater
Marie Rahilly
Anne Reilly Logue
Carol Rosochacki
Lori Rucinski
Jacquie Rundell

Ariano Russo
Claire Salyers
Shirley Sanborn
Denise Schebil
Lyn Schreengost
Susan Sherwood
Betty Shultz
Gil Shultz
Michael Skowronski
Charley Smith
Kimberly Smith
Jacob John Snow, Jr.
Jack Swanson
Kay Swanson
Lynn Tankersley
Claire Taylor
Dan Taylor
Rani Thangasamy
Betty Verkerke Gonda
Frank VonKoss
Zachary Waldo
Judy Ward
Ron Ward
Joan Warner
Bill Welser
Christine Wenner
Karen Wing
Alice Woods
Carol Zalek
Paul Zajac
Julie Ziegler-Maddocks

Pray for the Sick List: Please note that we regularly clear the "Pray for the Sick List" because the list grows beyond our space allocation and we don't always hear from people when they've gotten better. If you would like to add a person please call the Parish office at 248-347-7778, ext. 10 or send an email to parishsecretary@sjnovi.net.

parish groups



PrimeTimers

(for Parish Members 50+)

The PrimeTimers is a club for parish members, single or couples, who are 50 and up. Our goal is to provide for the spiritual, social and educational needs of our members and to give service to the broader community.

Our next regular meeting will be our picnic on September 12th. More information on this outing will follow. There will be no activities during the summer months of July and August.



Friday Night Euchre Group

Come to the classroom area in St. James (Meeting rooms 2A and 2B) on the second Friday of each month between 7 & 7:15 pm. Card games begin at 7:30 pm. Come alone or as a couple. (However, we do play cards with different partners throughout the evening.)

Remember to bring your own beverage, a small Covid-compliant snack to share, plus \$1.00 per person admission fee. Also, don't forget to bring a few dimes to cover those "euchres" when you and your partner don't make the bid. Then let the fun begin. For further information, call either John or Anna Marie at 248-347-3665.

**NEXT EUCHRE NIGHT:
August 12, 2022**

Body & Soul Classes

All Body and Soul classes and all Pickleball classes are closed for summer break.

We will be back September 6th .

Any questions contact
Sue Flanagan 248-895-6643

Evening Book Club

The evening book club will meet soon. Stay tuned for updates..

New members are welcome!

Contact Krystn at 248 305 5814 for more information.

Monday Night Bible Study

Join our Monday night Bible Study as we begin studying The Acts of the Apostles from Ignatius Press. We will meet on Monday evenings at 7 PM. Materials are available for purchase at <https://ignatius.com/the-acts-of-the-apostles-2nd-edition-22aap/>. For questions, contact Philip Dobias at (630) 363-1592 or philip.dobias@gmail.com.

St. James Mothers Group

St James Mothers Group, aka Moms Group, is a welcoming association of women. Moms of all ages can join us for community and support while giving back through service projects.

We meet the second Tuesday of the month 6:30-7:30 pm in Disciples Room and also offer a virtual meeting option. The dial in number will be provided by email. If little ones need care, we can arrange at some point. Please contact Sandy Jimenez at Sandy.Jimenez@outlook.com.



Join Today

Memorial Garden Dedication Ceremony Sunday July 17



The Remembrance Garden is coming soon! Bladerunners Landscaping will begin the installation in mid-July and it's not too late to purchase brick pavers and benches in honor of a special occasion or a loved one. The bricks and benches are our main source of fundraising, which allows individuals to participate in this project, and \$55,000 has already been raised thanks to your amazing generosity. Although we already have enough benches for the Remembrance Garden, placing additional benches around the property would certainly enhance our grounds.

Bricks and benches can be purchased through the order form on the Garden Ministry website: <https://stjamesnovi.org/remembrance-garden-project>

If you need assistance with placing an order, please email Paulette Alioa at: sjgardeningangels@gmail.com

Thank you for your continued support of the Remembrance Garden project and for supporting the Gardening Angels ministry.

MILO'S MEWS FERAL CAT RESCUE



ADOPT OR FOSTER A PURRY FRIEND

YOU CAN SAVE A LIFE AND PREVENT HOMELESSNESS

PLEASE CONSIDER EITHER FOSTERING OR ADOPTING ONE OF OUR CATS OR KITTENS. PLEASE CONTACT US FOR INFORMATION AND HELP US SAVE AS MANY AS WE CAN!

www.milosmews.com
248-396-9614

Currently Seeking Loving Foster Homes for a Local Cat Rescue

Milo's Mews was created by four neighbors living in a Novi subdivision with a large colony of feral cats. Other neighbors were overwhelmed by the number of cats, so we got to work trapping, socializing, and finding homes for these kittens and cats!

Currently, we desperately need good, patient people who are willing to foster these cats. Taking in a feral cat is not like going to the shelter and getting a socialized cat. These cats have not known human love or kindness and have often been made to fear humans because they are scorned and chased away.

If you are interested in being a foster and are local to the Novi area, please contact us at 248-396-9614 and we will give you more details on what it involves. This is a great volunteer job for cat lovers who are retired, work part-time, stay at home or just really really want to make a difference!

Additionally, we have many socialized kittens and cats for adoption! Please visit our website at MilosMews.com to fill out an adoption application and follow the Petfinder link to see our cats looking for forever homes!

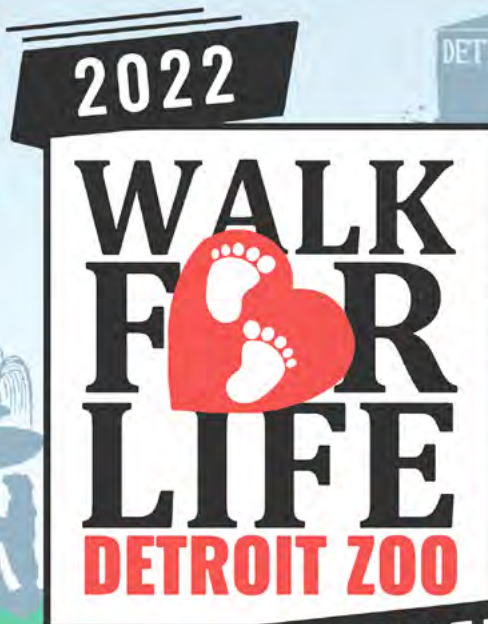
YOU'RE INVITED!
AUGUST 6, 2022

Join us to Walk For Life with family & friends! We would love to have you walk with us or donate in support of the life-affirming services offered at Another Way Pregnancy Center.

Help us to continue to share the truth of God's Word with those who are struggling to see the value of their own lives as well as that of their unborn children.



Get your tickets and donate today at awpcfriends.org/events



BRING YOUR FAMILY!

CHAMPION LIFE!

Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat

Lyrics by
Tim Rice

Music by
Andrew Lloyd Weber



August 4-7, 2022
FGRHS.org

The Father Gabriel Richard Dramalums present the 2022 annual summer show of Joseph & the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat. Join our alumni & current FGR students through Andrew Lloyd Webber's musical romp of the Biblical story of Joseph! Packed with humor and show-stopping numbers this is a production to delight the whole family. Performances are August 4-7, 2022 at Whitmore Lake High School. Please see www.fgrhs.org for more information and to purchase online tickets.



If you are struggling with anxiety,
grief, stress or illness

LET US PRAY WITH YOU!

*We are trained prayer ministers and will
confidentially pray with you for
your personal, physical or spiritual needs.*

**CALL: 248-320-4206
OR EMAIL:
prayerline@hfnovi.com**

ST. MARY

SUMMER FAIR

August 5, 6, 7

Food • Live Music
Beer Tent
Vegas Tent
Bounce Houses
\$5,000 Raffle Prize
Rummage Sale
Silent Auction
& MORE!

SCAN ME

1955 E. Commerce Rd., Milford, MI

Trunk Sale

SEPTEMBER 17, 9 AM – 1 PM

ST. JOSEPH PARISH,
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For a registration form or more information,
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**WE MAY NEED TO CLOSE EARLY ON OUR MORNING SHIFT IF THE DONATIONS ARE OVERWHELMING
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(Please be patient with our Closet workers, they are volunteers)**

All items are given to low income clients in the community at no cost!

We accept the following items:

- Gently used Current Fashion Clothing for men, women, and children (no stains, rips/tears), casual shoes, purses, and accessories
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- Linens such as sheets, blankets, towels, current style curtains (no stains or wear and tear)
- Sets of dishes, cutlery, pots and pans, bakeware (no scratches or wear marks) and other kitchen items
- Small electronic appliances such as coffeepots, toasters, small table lamps, etc. (must be in working order)
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- Computer/TVs, or other large electronics
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