



# SAINT JOSEPH SHRINE

ARCHDIOCESE OF DETROIT

*Living the Truth in Charity*

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## ABOUT ST. JOSEPH SHRINE

A magnificent Victorian Gothic edifice completed in 1873 and noted as of national architectural significance, St. Joseph Shrine is a landmark center of Catholic Faith, culture, and community in Detroit's historic Eastern Market district. Since October 2016, the Canons of the Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest have served and led the local faithful by bringing daily Masses, regular devotions, liturgical instruction, and an active parish life. As a result, the parish community at St. Joseph Shrine continues to grow, enriching both young and old, individuals and families from all backgrounds and neighborhoods.

In July 2013, St. Joseph was merged with two nearby parishes. Then in October 2016, St. Joseph became its own parish under the spiritual and pastoral care of the Institute of Christ the King. **In March 2020, the Parish was granted the designation of Archdiocesan Shrine** in recognition of its vibrant spiritual growth and daily life.

## SHRINE CLERGY & STAFF

Msgr. R. Michael Schmitz STD, JCD, Vicar General

Rev. Canon Matthew Talarico, Provincial Superior

Rev. Canon Jean-Baptiste Commins, Rector

Mr. Michael Semaan, Music Director, Organist

Mr. Harold Rutila, Schola Director

## Regular Schedule

**Sundays** 7:00 AM Low Mass, 9:00 AM Low Mass,  
11:00 AM High Mass, 6:00 PM Vespers & Benediction

**Weekdays** 8:00 AM Low Mass & 7:00 PM Low  
Mass *except Wednesdays*

**Wednesday** 12:00 PM Low Mass w/Organ and Motets  
& Perpetual Novena to St. Joseph

**Friday** 6:00 PM Holy Hour

**First Friday** 7:00 PM High Mass

**Saturday** 9:00 AM Low Mass & Novena to Our Lady  
of Perpetual Help

**Confessions** 30 minutes before every weekday Mass;  
Sundays 6-6:50 AM, 8-8:50 AM & 10-10:50 AM

## *Liturgical Calendar*

### **Sunday, October 31, Feast of Christ the King**

7AM Low Mass **Julian Bryant**, *requested by the Coyros*  
9AM Low Mass w/organ **Pro Populo**  
11AM High Mass **Pro Confirmantis**  
6PM Vespers & Benediction

### **Monday, November 1, All Saints, Holy Day of Obligation**

8AM Low Mass † **Olindo Mastroni**, *requested by the Allens*  
7PM High Mass **Pro Populo**

### **Tuesday, November 2, All Souls**

8AM Requiem Low Mass (1<sup>st</sup>) **Souls in Purgatory**, *requested by Donna Jazowski*  
8:30AM Requiem Low Mass (2<sup>nd</sup>) **Souls in Purgatory**  
7PM Requiem High Mass (1<sup>st</sup>) **Souls in Purgatory**

### **Wednesday, November 3, Requiem Mass for Institute Members**

12 Noon Requiem High Mass & SJ Novena Devotions †† **ICRSS Members**

### **First Thursday, November 4, Votive Mass of Jesus Christ Sovereign Priest**

8AM Low Mass † **Joseph Keys**, *requested by Marion Shanle*  
7PM Low Mass **St. Joseph Confraternity**

### **First Friday, November 5, Votive Mass of the Sacred Heart of Jesus**

8AM Low Mass **Monsignor Gilles Wach**  
7PM High Mass **Shrine Groups**

### **First Saturday, November 6, Votive Mass of the Immaculate Heart of Our Lady**

9AM High Mass & Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help  
† **Brian Davies**, *requested by William Tolsma II*

### **Sunday, November 7, Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost**

7AM Low Mass † **David Philippart**, *requested by Jeff Philippart*  
9AM Low Mass w/organ **The Marzynskis**, *requested by Celeste Coyro*  
11AM High Mass **Pro Populo**  
6PM Vespers & Benediction

#### FROM THE RECTOR, CANON COMMINS

My dear flock,

On the Feast of Christ the King, Holy Mother Church grants a plenary indulgence, under the usual conditions, to all faithful attending mass in a church or oratory placed under the care of the Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest.

*He must reign in our minds, which should assent with perfect submission and firm belief to revealed truths and to the doctrines of Christ. He must reign in our wills, which should obey the laws and precepts of God. He must reign in our hearts, which should spurn natural desires and love God above all things, and cleave to him alone. Pius XI, Quas Primas*

## *Server Schedule*

**Monday, November 1, All Saints Day**

**Tuesday, November 2, All Souls Day**

**Wednesday, November 3, Deceased of ICSKP**

*see separate sheet*

**Sunday, November 7, 24th after Pentecost**

**7AM Low Mass**

*as available*

**9AM Low Mass w/organ**

AC1: Maximillian Skinner

AC2: Patrick Skinner

**11AM High Mass**

MC: Nicholas Alvarez

Thur: Juan Pablo Delgado

AC1: Aaron Marshall

AC2: Sebastian Smith

Crucifer: Paul Bacon

## *Usher Schedule*

**Monday, November 1, All Saints Day**

**Tuesday, November 2, All Souls Day**

**Wednesday, November 3, Deceased of ICSKP**

*see separate sheet*

**Sunday, November 7, 24th after Pentecost**

**7AM Low Mass – Laabs & Kyle Gregory**

**9AM Low Mass w/organ**

- Eric Restuccia

- Brian Carey

- Matt Langenderfer

- Joe Allen

- John Howting

**11AM High Mass**

- Ismael Lebron

- Don Sadowski

- Anthony Russo

- Jonathan Benefiel

- Richard Lewandowski, Jr.

Please note that a funeral Mass for Bob Kujawa will be on **Friday, Nov. 5 at 3pm** followed by a reception in the Social Hall.

### Plenary Indulgence

Exceptionally this year, a plenary indulgence is granted to Catholics who visit a cemetery to pray for the dead on any day in the month of November

The conditions for obtaining a plenary indulgence are Sacramental Confession within about a week's time, reception of Holy Communion, and reciting some prayers (at least one Our Father and one Hail Mary) for the intentions of the Holy Father. This is different from praying for the Holy Father himself, as we do at Mass.

#### **What, precisely, does it mean to pray for the intentions of the Sovereign Pontiff?**

According to the Church's official decree on indulgences, the Pope's intention always includes the following objects: 1. The progress of the Faith and triumph of the Church. 2. Peace and union among Christian Princes and Rulers. 3. The conversion of sinners. 4. The uprooting of heresy. It is good for you to have these specific intentions in mind when you pray for the Holy Father's intentions. Even if you do not think of them specifically, however, your prayer is still valid, as they are included in the intention of Holy Mother Church. Of course the Pope may have other personal intentions, and these can form part of your prayer as well, but this is not necessary.

### **ALL SAINTS PARTY**

#### **Saturday, November 6, 1PM.**

How it works: In the St. Joseph Social Hall participants 16 and under dress like a saint of their choice and give a brief presentation allowing the audience to guess who they are. The costume, presentation, and attention to detail will be noted and a prize awarded to the best boy saint and the best girl saint. When voting, remember parents cannot vote for their own child. Please email [sjdetroit@icksp.org](mailto:sjdetroit@icksp.org) to contribute a simple saint-themed game or prizes (holy cards, candy, etc.) to the party. Bring a dish to share: salad, sandwich/plate, or dessert. Thank you for making this fun and edifying event possible through your generous sense of the family spirit that should reign.

### *Calendar of Events*

**TODAY! October 31, FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING**, Sacrament of Confirmation conferred by Archbishop Allen Vigneron at the Shrine at 11AM. REMINDER: A second collection will be taken up for the Seminary of the Institute of Christ the King.

**Monday, November 1, ALL SAINTS DAY**, Low Mass at 8am, High Mass at 7pm.

**Tuesday, November 2, ALL SOULS DAY**, Requiem Low Masses at 8am and 8:30am, Requiem High Mass at 7pm.

**Wednesday, November 3, Requiem Mass** for all members of the Institute at 12 Noon.

**Saturday, November 6, First Saturday of Recollection** after 9AM High Mass. Conference in the Social Hall on **Our Lady and the Souls of Purgatory** followed by Rosary and Benediction.

**ALSO on Saturday, November 6, ALL SAINTS PARTY** in Social Hall at 1PM. Details in left column.

#### **Rotation of Sunday Devotions at the Shrine**

**1st Sunday of the Month:** Men of Saint Joseph. Devotions to their patron at his Side Altar.

**2nd Sunday of the Month:** Holy Name Society Devotions. Pledge made after Mass at Main Altar.

**3rd Sunday of the Month:** Helpers of the Holy Family. Devotions at the Altar of Our Lady.

#### **SAINT PHILIP NERI HOMESCHOOL GROUP**

The Saint Philip Neri Homeschool Group has started its third year at St. Joseph Shrine! Classes for 2021-2022 are on Wednesdays after the noon Mass, and include art, nature studies, music, and math. To be added to the email list, please email [sjdetroit@icksp.org](mailto:sjdetroit@icksp.org).

## TAKE NOTE OF OUR SOCIAL MEDIA ADDRESSES!

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### Welcome to St. Joseph Shrine!

*What's available at the Shrine:*

First Friday: Sung **Votive Mass of the Sacred Heart** at 7PM with themed homily.

First Saturday: **High Mass, Morning of Recollection** - Conference followed by Rosary and Benediction.

2nd Saturday of the Month: **Sursum Corda** young adult event. Conference at Noon in Social Hall followed by outing or service activity. See: StJosephShrineD.org for schedule.

3rd Friday of the Month: **Getting Acquainted with Aquinas** in Social Hall after 6pm Holy Hour & 7pm Mass in the Church, followed by buffet dinner. See: StJosephShrineD.org for schedule.

Sundays on rotation: **Sacramental Catechism classes** for *First Communion* and *Confirmation* in Rectory basement classroom, & *Lessons in the Liturgy* for all in the Social Hall.

Wednesdays on rotation: **Catechism classes** for *Teenagers* (1st & 3rd) and *Children* (2nd & 4th) at 7PM in Social Hall or Rectory basement classroom.

- **Men of St. Joseph Volunteer Group**
- **Helpers of the Holy Family Volunteer Group**
- **Gardening Angels Volunteer Group**
- **Altar Boys, Schola, Cappella, Ushers**
- **Food Pantry**
- **Patrons Book Club**

### St Vincent de Paul Society St. Joseph Food Pantry

Every Wednesday from 10am to Noon we distribute groceries to almost 100 local households in need. We operate out of the parish's second house on Antietam (albeit in need of numerous repairs). Your generosity, whether by donations, food drop-offs, house improvements, or volunteer hours, enables us to increase our service multiple times a month. To help, please contact Eric Restuccia at (734) 417-1583.

### NOVENA TO CHRIST THE KING

*The Novena prayer will be said after every Mass  
(Oct23-31)*

**O** Divine Infant Jesus, I have recourse to Thee. Please, through Thy Blessed Mother, assist me in this necessity (*mention intention here*), because I firmly believe that Thy Divinity can help me. I hope with confidence to obtain Thy holy grace. I love Thee with all my heart and with all the strength of my soul. I repent sincerely of my sins and I beg Thee, O Good Jesus, to grant me the strength to triumph over them. I resolve never more to offend Thee and I come to offer myself to Thee with the intention of enduring everything rather than to displease Thee. Henceforth, I desire to serve Thee with fidelity and, for the love of Thee, O Divine Infant, I will love my neighbor as myself. All powerful Infant, O Jesus, I implore Thee again, assist me in this need. Grant me the grace of possessing Thee eternally with Mary and Joseph and of adoring Thee with the angels in the heavenly court. Amen.

## St. Joseph Shrine Sacrament Information:

**Infant Baptism:** Parents requesting Baptism must be active registered members of the Shrine.

**First Communion and Confirmation:** Children must attend the sacramental catechism classes at the Shrine.

**Holy Matrimony:** Couples planning to marry at the Shrine must call the Rectory for the proper instructions.

**Anointing of the Sick:** Members facing surgery, serious illness, or even death may call (313) 784-9152. *Never wait, never hesitate... remember: physical healing can also be an effect of the sacrament. Don't deprive a loved one of God's help.*