

...**Baptism of Sacred Heart Babies** on Saturday March 30th at the 5 p.m. Mass. Please call Fr. Thomas to register. (313) 831-1356 ext. 110. Another Baptism will be on Saturday, April 20th at the Easter Vigil Mass at 5 p.m.

...**Youth Lock-In.** YFACT the Archdiocese of Detroit's Urban Youth Leadership Team will host a lockin on April 5th & 6th at the Romulus Recreation Center. The event cost \$15 and will be filled is prayer, praise, swimming, basketball and more. Cost is \$15 and you can register with Sonya Townsend or Ronald Sykes.

...**HAITI Bucket Brigade** is preparing now. Items being collected are non-perishable food (beans and rice), school supplies (no ink pens), and over the counter medicine. Buckets are being purchased or you can purchase your own. Shipment will be between April 22,2019 and May 3,2019. For more information call Jean Merrill 248-202-3118.

...**Recycling** continues today in the Activities Building. The Recycling Committee has begun a new process of recycling **PLASTICS ONLY** in every room of the Activities Building Only plastics will be put in these containers. This means plastic bottles and dessert containers primarily. **Forks, knives, spoons, are now considered trash. NO PLASTIC WRAP OR BAGS.** Everything else goes into the regular trash containers. Thank you for your cooperation. Let's tackle **ANOTHER HUGE polluter- -PLASTIC!**

...**WHAT ORGINIZATION WILL DO THE APRIL 21 (EASTER SUNDAY) FOOD SERVICE FOR US??**

...**What is asked of us during Lent?** No meat on Fridays of Lent. Fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Vegans and Vegetarians probably need to choose something else. All of us should set our own promises.



**Lenten Minute...** Once a kid wanted to throw me a curve and counted all the days on his calendar from Ash Wednesday to Holy Saturday and came up with 46 days. He asked if "we" were trying to trick him to give up chocolate for 6 more days (I laughed!)

Yes it is true that there are 46 days of Lent; but when we look at Sundays not being a part of "lent" it refers to fasting or abstaining from meat. On Sundays we celebrate the death and RESURRECTION of Jesus. So since Sunday is a "celebration" it is an option not to abstain from fasting or meat.

If we only look at our Lenten sacrifice as something that is timed and now experience the joy and sometimes the suffering it may bring then we loose sight of what its all about. Last week I said that, Jesus is calling is to be the best version of our self we can be. Because we are a made in the image of the Father we are at our best when we are like God, which is love.



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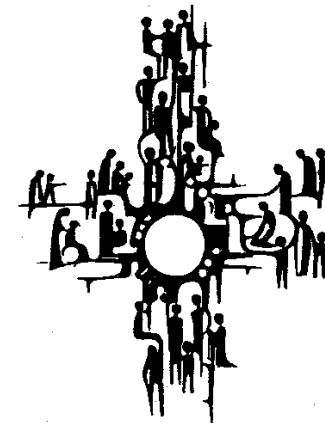
#### MASS SCHEDULE:

SUNDAY - 8:00 A.M. & 10:00 A.M. • TUESDAY - 6:00 P.M. • SATURDAY - 5:00 P.M.

**Saturday, March 9th & Sunday, March 10th, 2019**

*First Sunday of Lent*

*This Week's  
Mass Intentions*



**Saturday, March 9, 2019**

*Special Intention of Donna Colley Andrews (5 p.m.)*

**Sunday, March 10, 2019**

*Andrew Lancaster by Alice D. Lancaster (8 a.m.)*

*Marie Thomas by Family (10 a.m.)*

**Tuesday, March 12, 2019**

*Special Intention of Sharon Harper Lee (6 p.m.)*

**Saturday, March 16, 2019**

*Special Intention of Maurice Smith (5 p.m.)*

**Sunday, March 17, 2019**

*Sacred Heart Parish Family (8 a.m.)*

*Maceo Boocer Sr. by Douglas & Linda Lenox Merriman  
(10 a.m.)*

#### **PARISH MISSION STATEMENT:**

*Sacred Heart is a diverse parish rooted primarily in the Gospel of Jesus and in the heart of the community of Detroit. We strive to let our lives be an extension of our daily worship. We walk in the steps of Christ through love and concern for our brothers and sisters and continuously call upon the Holy Spirit for strength and power.*

# This Week's Readings



## Scripture for Saturday, March 9th & Sunday, March 10th...

- 1) Deuteronomy 26:4-10    2) Romans 10:8-13    3) Luke 4:1-13

## Scripture for Tuesday, March 5th...

- 1) Sirach 35:1-2    2) Mark 10:28-31

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## **SUNDAY FOOD SERVICE**

### March 10 - Altar Society

March 17 - Haiti Committee

March 24 - Ushers

April 7 - Haiti Committee

April 14 - Faithful Few

\*April 21 - NO FOOD SERVICE

April 28 - African Society

## **MEETINGS AND EVENTS THIS WEEK...**

### **Sunday, March 10th**

- \*St. Anne Court 10 a.m. Room #5
- \*Bible Study 12 noon Room #6
- \*First Communion 12 noon Rm. 1-2
- \***Teen** Confirmation 12-2 p.m. **Rm# 5**
- \*Haiti Committee 12 noon Room #8
- \*Jr. KPC #299 12 noon Rms. 3-4
- \*Play Rehearsal 12 noon (Parlor)
- \*W.A.R. (Women Against Relapse)  
1:30p.m. Rm #9
- \*A.A. 3 p.m. Rooms 1-4

### **Monday, March 11th**

- \*N.A. 6 p.m. Main Hall
- \*Ministers Spirituality Committee  
5:30-8 p.m. Room #8

### **Tuesday, March 12th**

- \*Yoga 5 p.m. Rooms 1-4
- \*Mass 6 p.m. Room #5
- \*Bible Study Room #7 7:15 p.m.

### **Wednesday, March 13th**

- \*SVDP 10 a.m.-12 noon
- \*Bible Study 10 a.m. Room #7
- \*Gratitude A.A. Meeting 11 a.m. Room #5
- \*Parish Council 6:30 Room #5

### **Thursday, March 14th**

- \*Valley A.A. Meeting 11 a.m. Room #5

### **Saturday, March 16th**

- \*Lenten Prayer Breakfast 9 a.m. (Parlor)
- \*Michigan Central Comm 9am-2 p.m.
- \*Isuthu 9:30 a.m. Room #9
- \*Adult Confirmation 1 p.m. Room # 5

## **NOTEWORTHY**

...**Parish Council Meeting** Wednesday March 13th at 6:30 p.m. Attention: Parish Council members. All interested parishioners are invited to come.

...**KPC Lenten Fish Fry.** Our Sacred Heart Knights of Peter Claver will host their annual Lenten Fish every Friday through Good Friday. The Kitchen will be open from 11:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Menu and prices are available on our website.

...**Stations of the Cross** Come walk the Way of the Cross every Friday at 12 noon in the church. **Please note that on the 15th the Stations will begin at 12:45 due to a funeral.**

...**Adult Confirmation Preparation.** Adults Sacrament of Confirmation Classes began Saturday, March 9th and will continue on Saturdays at 1p.m.

...**Lenten Prayer Breakfast** St. Anne's Court will present its annual Lenten Prayer Breakfast on Saturday, March 16 at 9:00 a.m. in the Main Hall. This years breakfast will feature Jacqui Taliaferro and the Sacred Heart Teen Choir. Tickets are \$20 and can be purchased from any member of St. Anne's Court #71

**Are you a Detroit Resident and need a recycle bin at Home?** Come to a 25 min workshop on Recycling on Sunday, March 17, 2019 @ 12 noon in the church For more information contact Gwendolyn Peoples 313-822-9407

...**The Sacred Heart HAITI Committee Presents Hustle 4 HAITI, March 23, 2019 at the Sacred Heart Activities Building.** 3451 Rivard St. Detroit MI. 48207. 6:30-11:30. DJ James O'Steen \$10 in advance and \$15 at the door. Food will be sold, door prizes and 50-50 raffle. For tickets and information contact Angela Brown Wilson at 313-623-4821, Jean Merrill at 248-202-3118 or any Haiti Committee member.

...**Sacred Heart Garden Club (NEW)** is ready to start along with the Stormwater Drainage Project which calls for ongoing plants, shrubs and flowers. If you want to join contact Alex Taylor at: ataylor41512@hotmail.com

...**The Conversation Continues** on Sunday, March 24th. Sacred Heart Young Adults ages 18-40 ONLY. Mass at 10 a.m., Fellowship & Refreshment after. Sponsored by Faces of Women.

...**Focus Life Retreat** for young adults at St. Mary's Retreat House at 775 West Dranher Road, Oxford MI April 5-7. Call Annette Howard 313-399-9351.

...**Easter Lilies** If you would like to donate a lily in your name or in memory of a loved one to decorate the church for Easter you can make that donation through our Altar Society members March 30th—April 7.