



October 12, 2025

St. Rene Goupil

Catholic Community
Sterling Heights



28th Sunday

I N O R D I N A R Y T I M E

Jesus said in reply, "Ten were cleansed, were they not?
Where are the other nine? Has none but this foreigner
returned to give thanks to God?" - Lk 17:17-18

Notes from Fr. Steve

Over sixty years ago, the Catholic Church experienced one of the most important moments in its modern history; **The Second Vatican Council**, or **Vatican II** (1962-1965). Called by **Pope St. John XXIII**, the Council was not meant to change the faith, but to **renew the Church**—helping it bring the timeless truth of the Gospel to the modern world with fresh energy and understanding.

The Council sought what Pope John XXIII called *aggiornamento*—meaning “bringing up to date.” The goal was to open the windows of the Church so that the light of the Holy Spirit could refresh and renew her life and mission. Vatican II wanted the Church to engage the world, not withdraw from it—to read “the signs of the times” and proclaim Christ in ways that spoke to the hearts of people today.

Major Points of Vatican II

1. **The Church as the People of God:**

The Council emphasized that all the baptized share in the mission of the Church—not just the priests and religious. Every Christian is called to holiness and to serve others.

2. **Active Participation in the Liturgy:**

Vatican II encouraged the faithful to take part more fully in the Mass—praying, singing, and understanding the Scriptures and prayers in their own language.

3. **The Role of Scripture:**

The Bible was placed at the center of the Church’s life. Catholics were urged to read, study, and pray with Scripture.

4. **Ecumenism and Dialogue:**

The Council opened the door to respectful dialogue with other Christian denominations and with people of other faiths.

5. **The Church in the Modern World:**

Vatican II taught that the Church must engage with social, cultural, and moral issues—promoting peace, justice, and the dignity of every human person.

When Pope Francis says he wants the Church to be **synodal**, he is continuing the spirit of Vatican II. The word *synod* comes from Greek, meaning “Walking together.” A **synodal Church** is one where all the baptized—laity, clergy, and religious—**listen to one another, pray together, and discern the voice of the Holy Spirit** as one family of faith.

Pope Francis envisioned a Church that listens more than it lectures, that welcomes rather than excludes, and that journeys together in humility and hope. Synodality is not a new program—it is a way of being Church rooted in communion, participation, and mission.

Vatican II called the Church to renewal and dialogue with the world. Pope Francis was reminding us that this renewal is ongoing—that to be faithful to the Gospel today, we must walk together, listen to one another, and let the Holy Spirit guide our steps. I am writing about this today because the archbishop has begun a synodal dialogue on the restructuring of the Archdiocese of Detroit, and its parishes and resources. In the next few weeks, I will give you more information when I receive it as this “Spirit” driven process begins. The goal is to create a diocese and parishes that thrive in ministering to God’s people now and into the distant future. Please pray that the Holy Spirit guide us as we journey together in restructuring the archdiocese.

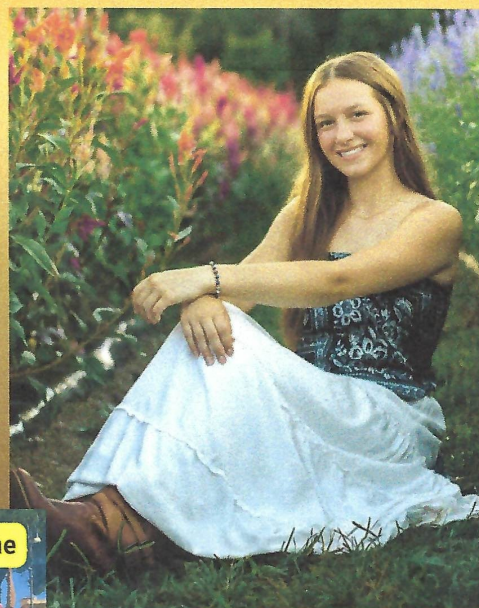
Please remember to pray for the parish, especially the sick and the suffering, your prayers bring them healing, comfort and peace! God bless you and those you love!

Fr. Steve

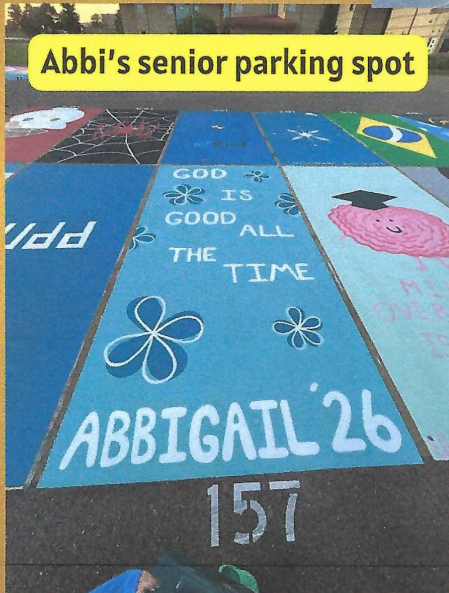
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Youth spotlight: Abbi Friedrich

Abbigail (Abbi) Friedrich is a senior at Dakota High School in Macomb, MI. She helped start a UNICEF club at her school that fundraises for the UNICEF organization. Their goal is to help children in third world countries receive food, water, and education. Each year, Abbi also participates in Vacation Bible School, sharing God's word with younger children. Abbi was part of the pilgrimage to Rome for World Youth Jubilee '25 this past summer. Upon returning, after our group had chanted "God is good, all the time" all throughout the streets of Italy, Abbi decided to paint her senior parking spot with that saying. What a statement of youth evangelization to her community!

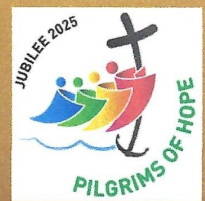


"He is the reason I am alive so I will live for Him."
-Abbi Friedrich



Abbi's senior parking spot

Abbi's quote from our YouTube World Youth Jubilee video: "I have learned to find the beauty and peace in uncomfortable situations. For example, when my feet would hurt from walking all day it would remind me of the pain that Jesus had suffered. Jesus suffered so that we could live and being able to feel anything at all means I am alive because of Him. He is the reason I am alive so I will live for Him. I have met lifelong friends on this trip and have experienced things I never thought I would. These memories will last forever."



PARISH MISSION OF MERCY

Parish Book Drive for Pediatric Hospitals



Our parish will begin now through the end of October to collect books for children who have Cancer and are receiving chemo therapy treatments. The children will be given books to read or to be read during their treatments. Only **NEW** books can be given to Children's Hospital Pediatric Center. Please donate a book to this most worthy cause. Your gifts for the children can be placed in the wooden bin at the entrance of the church. God bless you ahead of time for your generosity.

The Holy Rosary

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- MARY
- LOVE
- CORONATION
- ANGELS
- FATIMAPRAYER
- ROSAIRY
- DECADE
- APOSTLES CREED
- ASCENSION
- ASSUMPTION
- CROWN
- JOYFUL
- CRUCIFIX
- JESUS
- FAITH
- GLORYBE
- GLORIOUS
- PROMISE
- HOPE

October
The Month of the Rosary

Hail Mary full of gr____
The L____ is with y____
Blessed are you among w____
And blessed is the fr____
of your womb, J____.
Holy Mary, m____ of God
Pr____ for us sinners now
And at the hour of our death.
A____.

In O____ we
remember M____
and pr____ her
special prayer:
The H____ M____

WHAT IS THE MONTH OF THE ROSARY?

The rosary is a very important prayer tool. Each bead on the rosary represents different prayers. We say the Apostles' Creed, Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory Be to the Father and Hail Holy Queen as we pray the rosary.

Readings for the The Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading I *2 Kings 5:14-17*

Naaman went down and plunged into the Jordan seven times at the word of Elisha, the man of God. His flesh became again like the flesh of a little child, and he was clean of his leprosy. Naaman returned with his whole retinue to the man of God. On his arrival he stood before Elisha and said, "Now I know that there is no God in all the earth, except in Israel. Please accept a gift from your servant." Elisha replied, "As the LORD lives whom I serve, I will not take it"; and despite Naaman's urging, he still refused. Naaman said: "If you will not accept, please let me, your servant, have two mule-loads of earth, for I will no longer offer holocaust or sacrifice to any other god except to the LORD."

Reading II *2 Timothy 2:8-13*

Beloved: Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, a descendant of David: such is my gospel, for which I am suffering, even to the point of chains, like a criminal. But the word of God is not chained. Therefore, I bear everything for the sake of those who are chosen, so that they too may obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus, together with eternal glory. This saying is trustworthy: If we have died with him we shall also live with him; if we persevere we shall also reign with him. But if we deny him he will deny us. If we are unfaithful he remains faithful, for he cannot deny himself.

Gospel *Luke 17:11-19*

As Jesus continued his journey to Jerusalem, he traveled through Samaria and Galilee. As he was entering a village, ten lepers met him. They stood at a distance from him and raised their voices, saying, "Jesus, Master! Have pity on us!" And when he saw them, he said, "Go show yourselves to the priests." As they were going they were cleansed. And one of them, realizing he had been healed, returned glorifying God in a loud voice; and he fell at the feet of Jesus and thanked him. He was a Samaritan. Jesus said in reply, "Ten were cleansed, were they not? Where are the other nine? Has not this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?" Then he said to him, "Stand up and go; your faith has saved you."

Readings for the Week

Sunday, October 12, 2025: 2 Kgs 5:14-17/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4 (see 2b)/2 Tm 2:8-13/Lk 17:11-19
Monday, October 13, 2025: Rom 1:1-7/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Lk 11:29-32
Tuesday, October 14, 2025: Rom 1:16-25/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Lk 11:37-41
Wednesday, October 15, 2025: Rom 2:1-11/Ps 62:2-3, 6-7, 9/Lk 11:42-46
Thursday, October 16, 2025: Rom 3:21-30/Ps 130:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab/Lk 11:47-54
Friday, October 17, 2025: Rom 4:1-8/Ps 32:1b-2, 5, 11/Lk 12:1-7
Saturday, October 18, 2025: 2 Tm 4:10-17b/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18/Lk 10:1-9
Sunday, October 19, 2025: Ex 17:8-13/Ps 121:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (see 2)/2 Tm 3:14—4:2/Lk 18:1-8

GOSPEL MEDITATION

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Luke 17:11-19

Dorothy Day, the great Catholic activist, doubted God’s existence. At least in her early adult years. But something changed when after giving birth to her daughter, she experienced an overwhelming gratitude. She later described how, as she held her daughter, the only appropriate response was a kind of unlimited gratitude. She had done nothing to deserve such a gift — this tiny, miraculous life — but there she was, flooded with gratitude, completely undone by the love of such a Giver.

Something similar occurs in Luke 17:19 when Jesus tells a healed leper, “**Stand up and go; your faith has saved you.**” This man had already received physical healing through his faith. But the moment of an even deeper transformation came when he turned back, fell at Jesus’ feet, and gave thanks. Like Dorothy, this man’s gratitude led him to encounter the Giver.

Isn’t that what we want, too? Gratitude to God has the power to break our chains of sadness, bitterness, and disenchantment. It empowers us to step out of the prison of self-pity and into the reality of God’s abundant love. It shifts our focus from what we lack to what we have received, from what wounds us to what heals us. Where do we learn this? The Mass. The priest prays: “It is truly right and just, our duty and our salvation, always and everywhere to give you thanks.” Always. Everywhere. Not just when life is easy. Not just when prayers are answered as we expect. Gratitude is not a passive feeling; it is an act of faith. In the eucharist, we remember that Christ himself has given everything for us. And in this act of gratitude, we are healed.

— *Father John Muir*



October And The Rosary

The Month Of The Holy Rosary

The month of October is dedicated to the Holy Rosary and this is a reminder of the promises for those who pray this contemplative prayer with Our Lady. It is a sign of predestination.

2025 - 2026



CATECHISM REGISTRATION IS NOW ONLINE.

Catechism that Rocks!

REGISTER TODAY

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October
dedicated to



The Holy Rosary



DONUT SUNDAY NEXT SUNDAY

Join us for
faith & fellowship
after the
10:30 am Mass
Sunday, October 19, 2025

It's that time of the year again! Halloween is just around the corner, and Sacred Heart Major Seminary needs your help. Each year the seminary community opens their doors and their hearts to over 2000 children from the surrounding Detroit neighborhood so that the kids can have a fun and a safe place to play games and trick-or-treat. But they need your help to make this year a success! They are asking for donations of Halloween candy that will then be passed out to the many kids. If you are willing to participate in this important ministry by donating bags of candy please drop them off in the wooden bin in the gathering area.



Please drop off bags of candy at the parish to help seminarians provide a safe trick-or-treating experience for kids!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

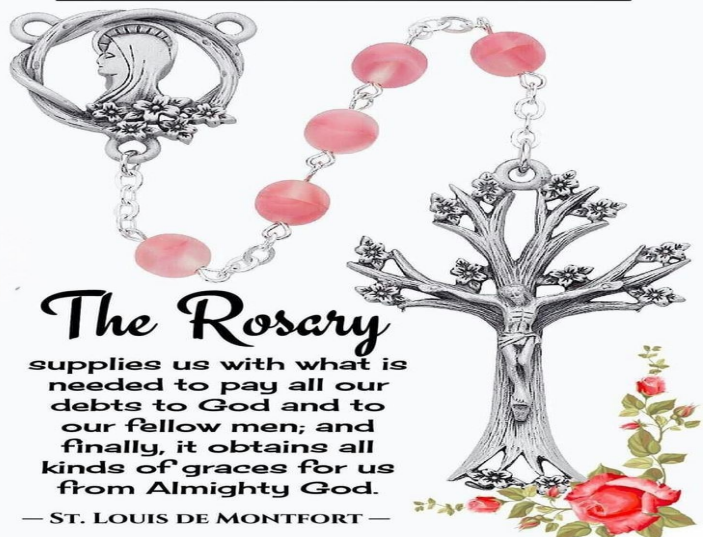
For more information contact Jonathan Ligenza ligenza.jonathan@shms.edu



St. Rene Goupil would like to welcome the newest members of our Parish family!

Mr. & Mrs. Robert Roselle
Mr. Nicolas Fooy

OCTOBER, MONTH OF THE ROSARY



Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

In today’s Scripture readings in the Second Book of Kings and St. Luke’s Gospel, we hear of the miraculous curing of those who have contracted leprosy. In Kings, Naaman is encouraged to seek out the prophet Elisha to cure his disease. After much uncertainty, he follows Elisha’s counsel and is healed. In gratitude, Naaman constructs an altar in his homeland to *no longer offer holocaust or sacrifice to any other god except to the Lord*. In the Gospel of St. Luke, the evangelist narrates the account of the 10 lepers who encounter Jesus en route to Jerusalem and are healed. Yet only one, a Samaritan, returns in gratitude to thank Jesus. As stewards on a faith journey, do we remember to thank our Lord for His abundant blessings, or do we take our gifts for granted? Have we adopted an “attitude of gratitude?” Thank the Lord daily for at least five blessings received.

(PRACTICING) CATHOLIC – BENEATH THE SURFACE

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

Mini reflection: I have enough faith to know that God can heal me. But do I have enough faith to embrace the purpose for which He heals me?

Your Faith Has Saved You

Your faith has saved you. These are the words I pray I will hear when my heart stops beating, when the last breath has left my lungs.

We hear Jesus say these words, or words like them, several times in the Gospels: to the woman bold enough to grasp for his cloak in a crowd, to the men who testify to their belief that he can restore their sight, to the leper kneeling before him in thanks.

These are some of my favorite passages in all of Scripture, because they illustrate so beautifully what salvific faith is — and what it is not.

It’s so easy to think that I have done all the necessary work by simply *believing*. Yes, Christ is my Savior. Yes, the Church is his bride. Yes, this doctrine is true, that dogma is infallible, so on and so forth.

I believe!

Well, so what? Satan believes, too. It doesn’t do him any good.

The lepers had faith — so they begged Jesus to heal them. They had faith — so they followed his instructions and went to the priests. Their faith was sufficient to motivate these actions, which led to their physical healing. But only one had faith strong enough to understand that physical healing doesn’t mean anything without spiritual results. Only one had enough faith to go back to the source of his healing and say, “Thank you. Now what?”

I have enough faith to know that God can heal me. But do I have enough faith to embrace the purpose for which He heals me?

If Jesus tells you that your faith has saved you, he isn’t talking about faith as merely an internally held belief. In each of these Gospel passages, he’s talking about faith as a conviction that is making itself seen. Heard. Felt. He’s talking about an arm that is reaching for the hem of a garment, a voice that says “I believe” or a knee that is bent in gratitude.

He’s talking about faith that is so strong it becomes action. This is the faith I hope I can have.



IMPORTANT BULLETIN UPDATE

With the cost of postage on the rise, if you have returned to Mass and no longer need the Church bulletin mailed to you, please call the parish office and let us know! We would appreciate it.

You can find our bulletin online each week at strene.org our parish website.



eucharisticrevival.org

Weekend Liturgy Schedule for October 18 & 19

	Saturday 4:00PM	Sunday 8:30 AM	Sunday 10:30 AM	Sunday 5:30 PM
Presider	Fr. Steve	Fr. Libor	Fr. Steve	Fr. Tim
Lector	Dorothy Arche	Wendi Lillie	Corina Sison	Ana Divina
Altar Servers	Paul Havern	Karin Nieto	Eli Wing-Na	Open
Eucharistic Ministers	L. Nosek K. Moravek	Open Open	T. Monteiro C. Sison	Open Open
Ushers	<u>Tom Pluta</u> Dave Hintz Todd Messineo Karen Messineo Nick Rieser Jim Moravek Omar Oszust Gary Novelli Don Sundstrom	<u>Tom Dutkiewicz</u> Luis Nieto Mike Kazyak Ed Stivers Sharon Olszewski Frank Iannotti Rom Beltran Vicki Beltran	<u>Terry Shaughnessy</u> Tom Fooy Ralph Fackler Wilmar Suan Joe Meli Chris Norris Elmor Monteiro	<u>Paul Hornung</u> Mike Galuszka Ofelia Fermil Fred Rossi
Sacristan	K. Moravek	K. Nieto	C. Sison	Open

Weekday Liturgy Schedule for October

Week	Tuesday, October 14, 2025	Thursday, October 16, 2025	Friday, October 17, 2025
Celebrant	Fr. Steve	Fr. Joy	Fr. Steve
Lector	B. Wyrwicz	D. Monterosso	L. Hance
Sacristan	K. Nieto	K. Nieto	K. Nieto
Eucharistic Minister	M. Peterson	M. Peterson	M. Peterson

Altar Care Team:
Friday, October 17th
Team 2

Roxann Klee
Karin Nieto
Antonina Notarantonio

Church Vacuuming :
Friday, October 17th
Jim Moravek

Altar Linen:
October:
Theresa Wilson



If you are looking for a volunteer opportunity at St. Rene look no further. We are looking for volunteers for becoming a Lector, Sacristan, (**Lectors & Sacristans for the 5:30 p.m. Mass**) Eucharistic Ministers, Altar Servers (**both Youth and Adults for the Saturday at 4:00 p.m., Sunday at 10:30 a.m. & 5:30 p.m. Mass**). We are also looking for Lectors, Sacristans for our weekday Masses. Volunteers to join the watering committee (watering the outdoor plants). Volunteers to help vacuum the Church on Friday's after Mass. If you're interested in any of the volunteer areas that are listed, please contact the parish office and we will gladly pass your information on to the person in charge of the assignments and have them contact you. Thank you in advance for volunteering!

STAY CONNECTED

I encourage you to sign up for this resource and make use of the Bible studies, faith formation opportunities, and Catholic movies available. Signing up only takes a few easy steps:

1. Visit www.formed.org and click “Sign up.”
2. Click “I belong to a Parish or Organization.”
3. Type “Faith at Home Detroit” in the center box under Create New Account. (You’ll see it populate from the drop-down menu.) Click “Next.”
4. Enter your first and last name as well as your email.
5. Now you’re registered! You can also download the app on you Smartphone. If you need further assistance, contact *Formed* at www.help.formed.org or toll-free at 844-367-6331.



Our St. Rene St. Vincent de Paul conference is a small group, always looking for new members. The meetings are open to interested visitors on the 1st Wednesday of every month at 7PM at the parish. Please join us. We believe in the intrinsic value of every person – to serve and be served. Please join us in fostering the common bond of humanity to bring wholeness and healing for all. Contact George Downey at (586)904-5171 for information on how to attend the meeting or for more information.

Our conference helps with utility bills, clothing, household items, food and in certain cases evictions. If you know if anyone who needs help, please have them call (586)718-4523. They do not need to be parish members. All information is kept strictly confidential. **Pantry items needed: cooking oil, dish detergent, hand soap, laundry detergent, rice, pancake syrup, shampoo, toilet paper, stuffing mix and ketchup.**

Quick Beef Soup



- 1/2 lb. ground beef, browned and drained
- 1/2 pkg. dry onion soup mix
- 4 c. boiling water
- 10 oz. pkg. frozen mixed vegetables
- 16 oz. can tomatoes, chopped
- 8 oz. can tomato sauce
- 1 tsp. sugar
- 1 c. fine noodles or small Shell macaroni

Cook ingredients together for 1/2 hour. To make more soup, add 1 can of beef broth or beef consommé and 1 more package of vegetables. Add water to taste.



PLEASE REMEMBER ST. RENE GOUPIL PARISH IN YOUR WILL

You now can donate to St. Rene Goupil using your cell phone! Just take a picture of the QR code in the gathering space or in the bulletin; it will automatically link you to the St. Rene donation site. Enter the amount you wish to donate, card information and press the “Pay” button. It’s that simple! We thank you for your generosity.



SCAN CODE TO DONATE TO ST. RENE GOUPIL



Our Sunday Offering October 4 & 5 Thank you for your generous response. God Bless you!

WHERE TO FIND THE BULLETIN

If you wish to read the bulletin it can be found online at Parishesonline.com then search by zip code. You can go online to the aod.org/live masses to find Weekday and Weekend Masses that can be watched.



If you have borrowed a Pyx from the Church office and are no longer in need of using it, could you please return it to the office. Thank You!

“Where does St. Thérèse tuck her roses at night?”



“Into a flower bed.”



St. Thérèse loved flowers. She once stated that every person’s mission is like a flower in God’s garden, and that flowers both grand and humble were all beautiful to Him!



The names for the prayer list for the sick is now done by personal intercession. Please drop the names of those needing prayers for healing in the petition box in the gathering area. We are asking that you take 2 names from the basket and pray for those people by name every day for four weeks. If an emergency comes up please call the parish office and we will get members of the community to pray and offer intercessions for them at daily mass.

THE 12 PILGRIMAGE SITES IN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF DETROIT:

- Basilica of Ste. Anne, Detroit
- Blessed Solanus Casey Center, Detroit
- Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament, Detroit
- Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Southfield
- National Shrine of the Little Flower Basilica, Royal Oak
- Our Lady of Fatima Shrine, Riverview
- Our Lady of Hope Cemetery, Brownstown Township
- Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Chapel (Madonna University)
- Shrine of Jesus the Divine Mercy, Clinton Township
- Shrine of St. John Paul II, Orchard Lake
- St. Joseph Shrine, Detroit
- Shrine of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Pontiac



Please Pray for the Family Members of our Parishioners serving in the Military:

MSgt. Jason Bialy, Air Force
 Josey Blades (Air Force)
 Captain Curtis Bradley (Army)
 Airman 1st Julie M. Chervon
 Spc. Shaen Connery (Army)
 P.O. 1st Dale A. Foglyano
 Nicholas Foglyano (Army)
 P.O. 2nd Nicolas Fooy (Navy)
 Lt Col David Fries
 Maj. Laura Geldhof
 Joe Gill, Navy

Staff Sgt. Nicole R. Grenon
 Christopher Grubby (Navy)
 Pfc. Kevin Heath
 Lt. Christopher Kerr
 Pfc. Paul Koss (Marines)
 Lt. Joseph Kraft
 Sgt. Joseph Kucharek (Army)
 Sgt. Chris Libecki
 Mark Locricchio (Army)
 Sgt. Sean McDowell (Army)
 LCPL Miguel Menzer
 SPC Matthew Muellenhagen

Maj. Eric Olson
 Chief Daniel Przybylinski (Navy)
 Justin Quinn (Marines)
 Anthony Roszko (Army)
 Lt. Greg Siuta
 Maj. Allison Stewart
 Sgt Tomas R. Studholme, Jr.
 ISG Robert Sutton
 Sgt. Matthew Sweetman
 Joel Vasquez, (Navy Seal)

Prayer for Those Serving in the Military

Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for their selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need.



Adoration Chapel

In the documents of the Second Vatican Council, the Church Fathers describe the Eucharist as: "The source and summit of the Christian life. The term "Eucharist" originates in the Greek word Eucharistia, meaning thanksgiving.

"Take; this is my body" Mark 14:22

1. The real presence of Christ in the Eucharist is real, true and substantial.
2. "It is called the Eucharist because it is an action of thanksgiving to God." (CCC. No. 1328)
3. "Jesus awaits us in the sacrament of love." (St. John Paul II, Dominicae cene, no. 3)
4. Eucharist makes the one present sacrifice of Christ the Savior." (CCC, no. 1330)

If you would like to take the opportunity to be still and listen to God (without worldly interruptions), we have a need for almost every hour to have a second adorer, thereby making less the need for a substitute. It is a sacrifice being Catholic in our world today, you need contemplation and the grace to make you holy. Please call Mary Peterson to sign up at (586)979-1469 or (586)738-1154.

Uncommitted Hours
Thursday @ 1:00 p.m.
TAKE TIME FOR PRAYER!

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Catholic Church**

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Office Hours
Monday - Thursday
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Closed 12 Noon—1:00 p.m. Lunch
Friday 9:00 a.m. - Noon

Pastoral Staff

Rev. Steven Koehler, Pastor
Rev. Joy Chakian, Associate
Rev. Mr. John Ball, Deacon Emeritus
Rev. Mr. Kevin Tietz, Deacon
Michael Novak,
Director of Evangelization & Education
Alexander Sunga
Director of Worship & Music

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(586) 556-2122

Weekend Liturgy Schedule

Saturday 4:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:30 a.m.
10:30 a.m.
5:30 p.m.

Weekday Mass

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9:30 a.m.

Confessions

3:00 p.m. every Saturday

WELCOME

If you have attended Mass at St. Rene and would like to become a member, please visit our parish office where you can register and discuss all of the wonderful ways to grow in faith through Christian Service, Worship, Youth Ministry, Outreach, Faith Formation, and in our Adoration Chapel. For more information call 586-939-7500.

St. Rene Mission Statement

St. Rene Goupil Parish is a Catholic Community, dedicated to strengthening the faith and love of its people. Our mission is to proclaim that Jesus is Lord, to celebrate His Presence, and to reach out to others in His name.

Parish Registration:

Welcome to all new families/individuals. Please register as soon as possible. Membership is a condition for the reception of the Sacraments of Baptism, Reconciliation, First Eucharist, Confirmation and Marriage. Registration is also required before the parish can issue a sponsorship certificate for those asked to be a sacramental sponsor. Registration forms are available in the Parish Office.

Baptism:

Baptisms are celebrated the third Sunday of the month at 12:00 p.m. A parent preparation class is mandatory. Classes are held on the fourth Saturday of each month at 10:00 a.m. Call the Parish Office during weekday office hours to register for a class.

Penance: Saturday 3:00 p.m. Special schedules for Advent and Lent.

Marriage:

Arrangements must be made through the Parish Office at least six months prior to the desired wedding date. One person of the couple must be an active, registered member of St. Rene Goupil Parish for six months.

Anointing of the Sick:

On request or by appointment through the Parish Office.

Remember in Your Prayers

ALL THOSE AFFECTED BY THE CORONAVIRUS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD

