



**St. Rene Goupil Catholic Community**  
**November 24, 2024**

**"EVERYONE WHO BELONGS TO THE TRUTH  
LISTENS TO MY VOICE." - JN 18:37**

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE



## Notes from Fr. Steve

As we approach Thanksgiving, I thought it might be helpful to ask everyone, to take a moment and to give thanks to God. Thanksgiving Day is a time when people across the United States come together to give thanks for blessings received over the past year. For Christians, it holds special significance as a day to celebrate God's abundance grace and goodness. Here's why Thanksgiving is particularly meaningful for joyful Christians:

- Christians see Thanksgiving as an opportunity to pause and express gratitude for God's provisions, guidance, and love.. Thanksgiving is not just a holiday but a continuation of the biblical call to "give thanks in all circumstances" (1 Thessalonians 5:18)
- Thanksgiving offers a special time for Christians to reflect on the blessings in their lives—family, friends, health, and even challenges that have led to growth. This reflection deepens their faith, helping them recognize the ways God has been faithful.
- A grateful heart is a joyful heart. As Christians thank God for His blessings, they cultivate a spirit of joy and contentment. This joy allows them to face life's ups and downs with hope, knowing they are never alone in their journey.
- Many Christians view Thanksgiving as a time to share their blessings with others. Acts of kindness, donating to those in need, or inviting others to the dinner table to reflect the love of Christ and demonstrate gratitude in action.
- Thanksgiving is often celebrated with family and friends, strengthening bonds with loved ones and allowing Christians to show appreciation those around them. This togetherness reflects the unity and love that Jesus taught.
- Christians celebrate Thanksgiving with the understanding that every good thing ultimately comes from God (James 1:17). By acknowledging Him as the source, they renew their trust in His provision for the future.

For joyful Christians, Thanksgiving is more than a feast or tradition; it's a day to worship God with a heart full of gratitude and celebrate the many blessings of faith, family, and community. Please give 30 minutes of Thanksgiving Day to the Lord by coming to the 9:30 am mass that morning.

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

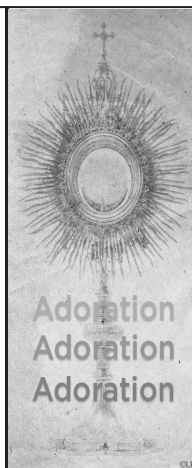


Thursday,  
November 28th  
9:30 a.m.

Fr. Steve



**The Parish Office  
Will be  
Closed on  
Thursday, November  
28th  
&  
Friday, November  
29th  
In celebration of the  
Thanksgiving Holiday**



In Celebration of the  
Thanksgiving Holiday,  
the Adoration Chapel  
will be closed on  
Thursday, November 28th  
and  
Friday, November 29th



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). 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!  
God Bless!



### Retirement Fund for Religious

Please give to those who have given a lifetime.



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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: 10/31/24**

#### National Religious Retirement Office Announces Annual Retirement Fund for Religious Collection

**DETROIT, Oct. 31, 2024** — The National Religious Retirement Office (NRRO) is announcing the annual Retirement Fund for Religious collection, scheduled in parishes throughout the Archdiocese of Detroit on the weekend of Dec. 7-8.

In 2023, parishioners contributed \$455,779.85 to the collection. From this collection, the Basilian Fathers received a total of \$94,928.65 in financial support made possible by the Retirement Fund for Religious.

Mr. John Knutsen, NRRO director, expresses gratitude for the "profound generosity" of U.S. Catholics, emphasizing the importance of ensuring the "comfort and dignity" of those who have served tirelessly. "As we prepare for this year's collection," Knutsen stated, "we invite all Catholics to join us in honoring the legacy of these dedicated women and men by contributing to their well-deserved care."

Escalating healthcare costs and a lack of traditional retirement plans have created financial challenges for many religious communities. The Retirement Fund for Religious addresses this need, supporting more than 20,000 religious over the age of 70. In 2023, the average annual cost for their care was roughly \$59,700 per person. With skilled nursing care, the average cost was \$90,700.

Since its establishment in 1988, the collection has raised over \$1 billion, with nearly \$870 million distributed for direct care and over \$103.5 million allocated to self-help projects.

In 2023, the appeal raised \$29.3 million, providing financial assistance for the retirement needs of 286 U.S. religious communities. Beyond financial aid, the collection supports educational programs, empowering religious communities to plan for their long-term needs.

#### About the NRRO

The NRRO coordinates the annual national appeal for the Retirement Fund for Religious and distributes financial assistance to eligible religious communities. It is sponsored by the Conference of Major Superiors of Men, the Council of Major Superiors of Women Religious, the Leadership Conference of Women Religious and the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops.

For more information, visit [retiredreligious.org](http://retiredreligious.org), or contact Robin Cabral, Campaign Director, by phone at (508) 685-8899 or by email at [robincabral@retiredreligious.org](mailto:robincabral@retiredreligious.org).

### Christ the King

"Hail the King of the Jews." The kingship of Christ has always been different than the world expected. Many of Jesus' disciples hoped for an earthly Messiah who would overthrow the Romans. But, as Jesus says in today's Gospel, his kingdom is "not of this world." And yet it is a very real kingdom. Jesus is a very real Lord. And we are called to invite Jesus to be king of our lives. In the early 20th century, disillusionment with authority of all kinds was growing. Revolutions, atheistic thinkers, and World War I contributed to a rejection of faith. In 1925, Pope Pius XI called the Church and the world back to a sense of hope in Christ. He instituted the solemnity of Christ the King on the last Sunday before Advent. How is Jesus king of your life today?

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

## SOCK DRIVE



It's time again for our "Annual Sock Dive." We are collecting men's warm socks (**"NEW" socks only**) for the homeless. These socks will be distributed to the less fortunate to help keep their feet warm this winter. (**Long white tube socks are especially needed**).

There will be a container in the gathering area for the collections. The sock drive will run through the end of November.

Thank you in advance for your generosity.

God Bless!

### Everyday Stewardship

The ancient Greek dramatist, Euripides, wrote, "No one can confidently say that he will still be living tomorrow." We seldom focus on that reality and often act like we are confident of a tomorrow. However, we all know names of those who died suddenly, maybe in tragedy or simply in the quiet of sleep. Calling those names to mind will probably still not force most of us to contemplate our own mortality tonight before placing our head on the pillow, but perhaps it should.

We don't need to obsess about dying or fear the unknown, but realizing the gift of today and reflecting on the possibility that it may be our last day can cause us to act differently. We might forgive more easily, argue less, and embrace one another. Rather than procrastinate, we might act now. We could become more mindful of our surroundings, see the needs in people, and reach out to those who are lost.

I write these Everyday Stewardship reflections every Sunday. You might read them in your parish bulletin, on a website, or in social media every Sunday. Just in case this is the last Sunday you ever have a chance to read these reflections, what is God calling you to do now before it's too late. If you are still here next Sunday after taking all this seriously, you might wonder at what it was to live more fully and to give of yourself more freely. Don't let a single day pass you by without truly loving others and your God. One thing you can be confident about: This day will never come again.

--Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

### Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

For the Solemnity celebration of Christ the King, today's Scripture readings proclaim the Kingship of our Lord Jesus Christ. In St. John's Gospel, Jesus makes clear to Pilate that *His kingdom does not belong to this world*. In revelation, the Lord God proclaims that he is the *Alpha and Omega*—the "first and the last"—and will reign for eternity. The Prophet Daniel tells of his vision: *one like a Son of man coming, on the clouds of heaven* verifying Christ's dominion and glory. How should we venerate our Lord and King? As Christian stewards, we acknowledge Christ's true Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity, present in the Most Holy Eucharist. During Mass, we strive to partake of Him in a prayerful, reverent, and respectful manner. The Eucharist is the "source and summit" of our faith. Through consumption of the Eucharist, we encounter Jesus in a personal way. He heals and strengthens us to do His work, especially for our needy brothers and sisters. As we acknowledge our Lord and Savior as King of the universe, may His joy and peace reign in our hearts, and may that joy and peace overflow to everyone we meet. Please take time to attend the next Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction at your parish.



The Giving Tree is set up in the gathering area this weekend. The tags represent the various groups in need of our help. All gifts **MUST** be returned by Sunday, December 8th.

Please only take a tag if you are able to purchase the gift and return it by December 8th. This is necessary as the charities will be picking up the gifts on December 9th, so they can deliver them to the needy by Christmas.

NOTE: Due to the continued COVID concerns and the decline in attendance at all the masses, we will be having fewer tags on the tree this year again. If you do not attend mass, but still wish to help with the tree and do not want to shop, please feel free to purchase gift certificates to Walmart and drop them off in the parish office or you can send/drop off cash/checks (made out to St. Rene) in the office marked "Giving Tree Gifts". I will gladly do the shopping for you.

Thank you so much for your generosity, especially during this most trying year.  
May God bless you all.

Theresa Wilson, OFS  
Coordinator of Giving Tree Project

**New!**  
Check out the  
**ONLINE PUZZLE PAGE**



## Readings for Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

### Reading I

*Daniel 7:13-14*

As the visions during the night continued, I saw one like a Son of man coming, on the clouds of heaven; when he reached the Ancient One and was presented before him, the one like a Son of man received dominion, glory, and kingship; all peoples, nations, and languages serve him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion that shall not be taken away, his kingship shall not be destroyed.

### Reading II

*Revelation 1:5-8*

Jesus Christ is the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead and ruler of the kings of the earth. To him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by his blood, who has made us into a kingdom, priests for his God and Father, to him be glory and power forever and ever. Amen. Behold, he is coming amid the clouds, and every eye will see him, even those who pierced him. All the peoples of the earth will lament him. Yes. Amen. "I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, "the one who is and who was and who is to come, the almighty."

### Gospel

*John 18:33b-37*

Pilate said to Jesus, "Are you the King of the Jews?" Jesus answered, "Do you say this on your own or have others told you about me?" Pilate answered, "I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests handed you over to me. What have you done?" Jesus answered, "My kingdom does not belong to this world. If my kingdom did belong to this world, my attendants would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not here." So Pilate said to him, "Then you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say I am a king. For this I was born and for this I came into the world, to testify the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice."

## Readings for the Week

**Sunday, November 24, 2024:** Dn 7:13-14/Ps 91:1, 1-2, 5 (1a)/Rv 1:5-8/Jn 18:33b-37

**Monday, November 25, 2024:** Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 21:1-4

**Tuesday, November 26, 2024:** Rv 14:14-19/Ps 96:10, 11-12, 13/Lk 21:5-11

**Wednesday, November 27, 2024:** Rv 15:1-4/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 7-8, 9/Lk 21:12-19

**Thursday, November 28, 2024:** Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/Lk 21:20-28

**Friday, November 29, 2024:** Rv 20:1-4, 11—21:2/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a/Lk 21:29-33

**Saturday, November 30, 2024:** Rom 10:9-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Mt 4:18-22

**Sunday, December 1, 2024:** Jer 33:14-16/Ps 25:4-5, 8-9, 10, 14 (1b)/1 Thes 3:12—4:2/Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

# MASST INTENTIONS

**Tuesday, November 26, 2024**

**9:30 a.m.**

+Roberto Bastianelli  
+Kim Strawska Hackett  
+Barbara Montrose

**Thursday, November 28, 2024**

**9:30 a.m.**

+Joseph & Mary Schultz  
+John Wyrwicz  
Helen Strbenec  
+Mary Hackett  
+Priscilla Zielinski  
+Don Plotzka

**Friday, November 29, 2024**

**9:30 a.m.**

+Rolando Bonrostro

**Saturday, November 30, 2024**

**4:00 p.m.**

+Steven Herbert  
+Rosemarie Calmi  
+Edwin Wagner  
+Maybelle Koehler  
+Franklin Langenstein  
+Dee Mullaney  
+Mark Weatherwax  
Honora Bates (100th Birthday)

**Sunday, December 1, 2024**

**8:30 a.m.**

+Sharon Murawski  
+John D. Liwo  
+Jeffrey Lopinski

**10:30 a.m.**

+Christine Laubach  
Jennifer Austria Bessen (Birthday)  
+James Quirk  
Marlo Vital  
Africa Vital  
Librada Vital  
+Michael Buffmyer

**5:30 p.m.**

Dylan Ventimiglia (Healing)



## GOSPEL MEDITATION

### Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

When I was a young boy in Burlington, Vermont, my dad had a good friend named Phil who owned a sporting goods store. I loved sports, so meandering the treasure-filled aisles was an unmitigated joy. One afternoon, we were shopping for a baseball glove. Dad said to me, "Hey Johnny, see that man who just walked into the store? *That's* Phil." I remember being fascinated and a little terrified. I recall thinking, "That man right there is in charge of *everything* in this store!" He reigned over every ball, sneaker, jersey, and sweatshirt. Phil became a family friend. And he was a good owner. The store flourished, and I found myself even more at peace every time I went there. I felt a new hope and even responsibility for the store to flourish.

To say that Christ is the King of the Universe means that Jesus has absolute authority over everything in it. It should fill us with awe and fascination. He is in charge. The world and everything in it are finally his. Knowing that he knows and loves us should make us also feel a deep peace at being a part of his universe. This leads us to want his kingdom to flourish, to play some responsible role in it.

We advance his kingdom by promoting the truth. **"Everyone who is of the truth hears my voice,"** Christ the King proclaims. In Phil's store, it was about the truth of athletics. In our world, it's all about the truth of all creation, especially the dignity of the human person, made by and for our loving God. Let's rejoice that we know the true king and commit to the flourishing of his kingdom.

— *Father John Muir*

BLESSED  
**THANKSGIVING**  
TO YOU AND YOURS!



### Prayer for Thanksgiving

Dear Lord,  
We raise our thanks to You,  
the giver of every good gift.  
Thank You for the ways  
You have blessed, guarded,  
and guided us this past year  
and always.  
Keep us in Your hands,  
and close to Your heart.  
Amen.

## Weekend Liturgy Schedule for November 30 & December 1

	<b>Saturday 4:00PM</b>	<b>Sunday 8:30 AM</b>	<b>Sunday 10:30 AM</b>	<b>Sunday 5:30 PM</b>
<b>Presider</b>	Fr. Steve	Fr. Juraj	Fr. Steve	Fr. Tim
<b>Lector</b>	Ricky Yulo	Alex Sitchon	Dorothy Arche	Louis Youkhana
<b>Altar Servers</b>		Karin Nieto	Paul Havern	
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	K. Moravek G. Labinski	Open Open	F. Sitchon A. Sitchon	Open Open
<b>Ushers</b>	Tom Pluta Dave Hintz Todd Messineo Karen Messineo Nick Rieser Jim Moravek Omar Oszust Gary Novelli Don Sundstrom	Tom Dutkiewicz Luis Nieto Al Gyenese Mike Kazyak Ed Stivers Sharon Olszewski Frank Iannotti	Terry Shaughnessy Tom Fooy Ralph Fackler Wilmar Suan Joe Meli Chrisie Fish Chris Norris Elmor Monteiro	Paul Hornung Mike Galuszka Ofelia Fermil Fred Rossi
<b>Sacristan</b>	K. Moravek	K. Nieto	M. Buffmyer	V. Jennings

### Altar Care Team:

Friday, November  
29th  
Team 1

Bibiane Gagnon  
Joyce Fackler

### Altar Linen:

December:

Denise Link



St. Rene St. Vincent de Paul helps with utility bills, clothing, household items, food and in certain cases evictions. If you know of 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.



### **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](http://strene.org) our parish website.



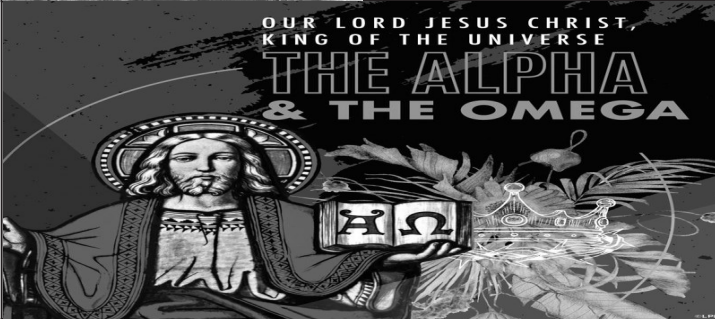
## STAY CONNECTED

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](http://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](http://www.help.formed.org) or toll-free at 844-367-6331.



**PLEASE  
REMEMBER  
ST. RENE  
GOUPIL  
PARISH  
IN YOUR WILL**

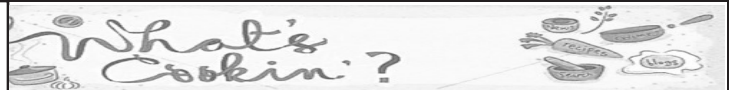


**Our Sunday Offering  
November 16 & 17  
Thank you for your  
generous response.**



**God Bless you!**

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



## **Pumpkin Cheesecake**

### **CRUST:**

- 1 c. ground pecans
- 1/2 c. ground gingersnaps
- 1/4 c. sugar
- 1/4 c. butter

Mix ingredients. Spray springform pan with Pam. Press ingredients into pan and refrigerate.

### **FILLING:**

- 4 (8 oz.) pkgs. Cream cheese
- 1 1/2 c. sugar
- 6 eggs
- 3 tbsp. flour
- 2 tsp. cinnamon
- 1 tsp. cloves
- 1 tsp. ginger
- 1/2 tsp. nutmeg
- 16 oz. can pumpkin
- 1 c. heavy cream
- 2 tsp. vanilla

Beat cream cheese until fluffy. Add sugar and beat until smooth. Add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each addition. In a small bowl, mix the flour, cinnamon, cloves, ginger, nutmeg, pumpkin, heavy cream and vanilla. Gradually add to cream cheese and beat until smooth. Pour into pie crust. Bake 15 minutes in a 425 F oven, then reduce heat to 300 F and bake an additional 90 to 105 minutes. Turn off oven and leave in until cool, 30 to 60 minutes.

### **TOPPING:**

- 1 c. heavy cream
- 1/4 c. powdered sugar
- 1/4 to 1/2 tsp. pumpkin pie spice
- 1/2 tsp. vanilla

Combine all ingredients and spread on cheesecake.

### **CHRIST THE KING**







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.



**We are in need of Sacristans and Eucharistic Ministers. If anyone is interested, please contact the parish office at (586)939-7500.**

**We are in need of Ushers at the 8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Masses. If you are interested in Ushering, please see one of the Ushers.**

#### **Altar Servers**

**We are in need of Altar servers, young or adult who would like to serve, please contact the parish office at (586)939-7500. Please come serve at the Altar!**

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

MSgt. Jason Bialy, Air Force  
Josey Blades (Air Force)  
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 Libeck  
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.  
Amen.



### **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  
Friday 4pm  
TAKE TIME FOR PRAYER!**

## SAINT RENE GOUPIL 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

### ORGANIZATIONS & SERVICES

**Legion of Mary**  
*Mary Peterson (586) 979-1469*  
**Divine Mercy**  
*Karin Nieto (586) 447-6927*  
**Ushers**  
*Al Gyenese (586) 808-3128*  
**Perpetual Adoration**  
*Mary Peterson (586) 979-1469*  
**Catholic Social Services  
of Macomb**  
*Clinton Twp. (586) 416-2300*  
**St. Vincent de Paul (Poverty Help)**  
*(586) 718-4523*  
**Joseph White, Grand Knight, K of C**  
*(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

