

Genesis Vicariate Newsletter

~ SEPTEMBER 2011 EDITION ~

TOGETHER IN FAITH PHASE II - In September and October 2011, the TIF II Planning groups will meet to review and revise the Final Recommendations from the APC and CPPC. The APC will then review and submit plans to Archbishop Vigneron by the end of November. The Genesis Vicariate will meet on the 2nd and 4th Monday's of September and October (September 12th and 26th/October 10th and 24th) at Blessed Sacrament Cathedral. We will gather at 6 pm, the meetings begin promptly at 6:30 pm. An additional meeting in November will be scheduled if needed.

Once again, let me take this opportunity to thank each and every person in each planning group; to the pastors for their support, commitment, and involvement; to Bishop Hanchon and the Vicars for their continued support and encouragement; to the meeting recorders and facilitators who assure the flow of information and smooth flow of the process. I look forward to seeing you all soon.

Peace and blessings, Alton James, Central Region Coordinator



ST. PETER CLAVER DAY LUNCH ~ Sunday, September 11 at Blessed Sacrament Cathedral immediately following 11 am Mass. Celebrant for the Mass is The Most Reverend Allen H. Vigneron, Archbishop. The Mass will celebrate the Feast of St. Peter Claver. Tickets are \$15; please contact your Grand Knight or Grand Lady; also Lady Joyce Hall at (313) 468-5351 or Lady Dolores Mack at (313) 740-7980.

TRADITIONAL TRIDENTINE MASS ~ You are invited to join us to celebrate the traditional Tridentine Latin Mass at 1 pm, Sunday, September 25th at historic Saint Hyacinth Parish. The Main Celebrant for the Mass will be Father Louis Madey of Orchard Lake Seminary. A social hour with refreshments will follow in the school basement. For additional information call the rectory at (313) 922-1507 or Michael Smielgelski at (248) 561-8416.

ST. HYACINTH BANANA FESTIVAL ~ Saturday, October 1st, 2 pm - 6 pm and Sunday, October 2nd, Noon - 6 pm. Meatball Dinners on Saturday; Pork Chop or Amish Chicken Dinners on Sunday. Polka Mass on Sunday at 11 am with The Mystie Blues (Music on Sunday only). Games, Boutique and Rummage Room, Ice Cream Parlor & Bar. For details or more information, please call (313) 922-1507.

FOR WIDOWED MEN AND WOMEN LIVING WITH THE LOSS OF A SPOUSE ~ *Widowed Friends*, a "peer" support group in the AOD, will conduct a 6-week program for widows and widowers of all ages titled, "Grief Recovery", dealing with phases of grief, coping with loneliness and other related issues. Facilitated by a trained "peer member", these sessions will begin on Sunday, September 11th, 1 pm at St. Columban Parish, 1775 Melton (just N off 14 Mile between Woodward & Coolidge). A \$20 fee covers all materials. Contact Cheryl (586) 207-1622 for information or to register for this helpful series.

WEEKEND FOR THE WIDOWED & DIVORCED ~ A healing weekend designated for widowed, separated and divorced adults who wish to let go of the past and create a peace-filled future is offered by trained teams of people who have been there. A "Beginning Experience" weekend will be held November 11, 12, 13, 2011, all faiths are welcome. For details or more information, please call Dee at (313) 215-5165 or Laura at (586) 247-5032.

ST. HYACINTH PARISH PICNIC ~ September 11th at Kennedy Park in Eastpointe from Noon to 6 pm. \$2 for adults (18 and over), guests under 18 free. Hotdogs, pop and chips will be served courtesy of Saint Hyacinth, please bring a dish to share (if your last name begins with A thru M, please bring a salad or side dish; N thru Z, please bring a dessert). Games for children & adults, 50/50 raffles and fun to be had by all. For details or to volunteer, call Caroline Neville at (586) 777-2128.

SAVE THE DATES! Primary fundraising dates for St. Bartholomew-St. Rita Parish and School: Saturday, September 17th, Parish and School Bar-B-Q Social & Bake Sale; Sunday October 23rd – Annual Parish Dinner Social and Raffle. Details will be announced in future editions of the newsletter.

CONCERT SERIES AT MANRESA ~ Manresa opens its 2nd year of concerts performed in the Wernert Lounge. Metropolitan Opera District Finalist Dorothy Duensing, Mezzo Soprano, brings her superb talent to Detroit. She has performed with notable symphonies throughout an illustrious career. Ms. Duensing will be accompanied by Fr. Eduardo Perrone, himself an accomplished and noteworthy artist. October 9th, doors open at 2 pm; Concert begins at 3 pm. Refreshments to follow in our dining room and lounge. Ticket Price: \$25 or \$60 for the series of three concerts. Call the Manresa Office to purchase tickets at (248) 644-4933. The Retreat House is located at 1390 Quarton Rd., Bloomfield Hills, 48304.



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www.GenesisVPC.org

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Blessed Sacrament Cathedral
(313) 865-6300
LeFevre.Mike@aod.org

Regional Moderator – Msgr. Donald Hanchon
(313) 842-3450

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Assumption Grotto) Parish

Pastor, Rev. Eduard P. Perrone
13770 Gratiot Avenue, Detroit, MI 48205
(313) 372-0762 ~ FAX (313) 372-2064
grottoectory@ameritech.net
www.assumptiongrotto.com
Saturday ~ 7:30 am (Latin), 4:00 pm
Sunday ~ 6:30 am, 9:30 am (Latin), 12 pm

Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament

Pastor, Msgr. Michael C LeFevre
9844 Woodward, Detroit, MI 48202
(313) 865-6300 ~ FAX (313) 867-4613
cathedral@aod.org
Saturday ~ 8:00 am
Sunday ~ 11:00 am

Church of the Madonna Parish

Administrator, Msgr. Michael C LeFevre
1125 Oakman Blvd, Detroit, MI 48238
(313) 868-4308 ~ FAX (313) 868-9771
office@madonnachurch.org
www.madonnachurch.org
Sunday ~ 9:00 am

Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish

Pastor, Rev. Robert J Kotlarz
17142 Rowe, Detroit, MI 48205
(313) 372-1698 ~ FAX (313) 372-1121
OLGCParish@sbcglobal.net
Saturday ~ 4:30 pm
Sunday ~ 9:30 am

Our Lady Queen of Apostles Parish

Pastor, Rev. Bogdan Milosz
3851 Prescott, Hamtramck, MI 48212
(313) 891-1520 ~ FAX (313) 891-3552
qofaparish@aol.com
Saturday ~ 4:00 pm
Sunday ~ 8:30 am, 10 am (Polish)

Our Lady Queen of Heaven Parish

Pastor, Rev. Robert J. Kotlarz
8200 Rolyat, Detroit, MI 48234
(313) 891-4553 ~ FAX (313) 891-5782
oladyq@netzero.net
Saturday ~ 4:00 pm
Sunday ~ 9:00 am, 11:30 am

St. Bartholomew ~ St. Rita Parish

Pastor, Rev. Ronald A Borg, CSB
2291 E. Outer Drive, Detroit, MI 48234
(313) 892-1446 FAX (313) 892-1149
stbart_strita@yahoo.com
Saturday ~ 4:00 p.m.
Sunday ~ 9:00 a.m.

St. Benedict Parish

Pastor, Msgr. Michael C LeFevre
60 Church St, Highland Park, MI 48203
(313) 868-3876 ~ FAX (313) 868-0110
paulfdomin@yahoo.com
Sunday ~ 9:30 am

St. Florian Parish

Pastor, Rev. Miroslaw Frankowski, SCH
2626 Poland, Hamtramck, MI 48212
(313) 871-2778 ~ FAX (313) 871-5947
office@stflorianparish.org
www.stflorianparish.org
Saturday ~ 8:00 am (Polish), 4:00 p.m.
Sunday ~ 10:00 am (Polish), 12 pm, 6:30 pm (Polish)

St. Gregory the Great Parish

Pastor, Msgr. Michael C LeFevre
15031 Dexter Ave, Detroit, MI 48238

St. Gregory the Great Parish (cont'd)

(313) 861-0363 ~ FAX (313) 862-6805
tgreggreat@att.net
Sunday ~ 11:00 am

St. Hyacinth Parish

Pastor, Rev. Janusz Iwan
3151 Farnsworth, Detroit, MI 48211
(313) 922-1507 ~ FAX (313) 922-2459
Saturday ~ 4 pm (English)
Sunday ~ 9:00 am (Polish), 11:00 am

St. Ladislaus Parish

Pastor, Rev. Andrew Wesley
2730 Caniff Avenue, Hamtramck, MI 48212
(313) 872-0709 ~ FAX (313) 872-5906
frandy01@yahoo.com
Sunday ~ 11:00 am (Polish)

St. Louis the King Parish

Pastor, Rev. Boleslaus Krol
18891 St Louis Ave, Detroit, MI 48234
(313) 891-1766 ~ FAX: (313) 891-7959
stlouistheking@att.net
Sunday ~ 9:30 am, 11:00 am (Polish)

St. Raymond Parish

Pastor, Rev. Robert J Kotlarz
20103 Joann Ave, Detroit, MI 48205
(313) 527-0525 ~ FAX (313) 527-9776
info@saintraymond.com
www.saintraymond.com
Saturday ~ 4:30 pm
Sunday ~ 11:00 am

Transfiguration-OLHC Parish

Pastor, Rev. Andrew Wesley
5830 Simon K, Detroit, MI 48212
(313) 892-1310 ~ FAX (313) 893-2478
frandy01@yahoo.com
www.transfiguration-parish.org
Sunday ~ 9:00 am (Polish), 10:30 am

St. Bartholomew School is

Our Vicariate's Catholic School

20001 Wexford, Detroit, MI
Phone: (313) 366-3140
Fax: (313) 366-0257
www.StBartSchool.org
stbartholomew@sbcglobal.net

To submit an article or event, please use the form on the "Current Events" page of the website - www.GenesisVPC.org - and email to Monica at the address above.

You can also mail articles or detailed event information to:

Monica Archibald
Genesis VPC Secretary
4853 Crandall Rd.
Howell, MI 48855
(517) 552-6492

2011 Newsletter Submission Deadlines

October 21st
November 16th (Wednesday)
December 23rd

Please be sure to have your event information submitted by these dates to ensure placement in the Newsletter and, in the meantime, if you have any questions, or upcoming events, please call the Newsletter Editor at (517) 552-6492.

Please note: All Genesis Vicariate parishes receive preferred placement in the newsletter and if there is room, we will include postings from local and religious organizations (i.e. Right-to-Life, Class Reunions, Widowed Friends, parishes outside our Vicariate, etc.)

Thank you for your support!

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