

Blessed Sacrament

12:15PM

Sunday, July 20th

Cathedral Patio

Woodward Side

COMMUNITY

GRILL

Hosted by

Sacred Heart

of Auburn Hills

Knights of

Columbus

9844 Woodward Ave.

Detroit MI, 48202

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JESUS IS

HERE!

Join Our Family!

Visit our website and register online- Click 'Join our parish' on the landing page (staloyusdetroit.com) or use the QR code →

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Save the Date – Sunday, August 24

St. Aloysius Annual Block Party

11am-2pm

Details to Come!

July Events at St. Aloysius

Backpack Ministry volunteer after 10:00am Mass on Sundays. Help us pray and distribute food & essentials to our brothers and sisters in need in the area. See Michael after Mass to get involved. The team is typically back by 12:30pm.

Pop up Produce Station- Neighborhood Services Volunteer Opportunity, every Saturday, 9:00am-10:00am.

We distribute fresh produce and pantry staples to our neighbors on Washington Blvd. Join us at 8:45am in front of St. Al's. Questions? Reach out to Michael at schultz.michael@aod.org.

Monday, July 21st- Holy Hour 7pm-8pm in the church.

Monday, July 21st - Apartment Pizza Night- After our monthly evening adoration, walk over to Washington Park Apartments with us for some late-night pizza celebrating everyone who lives in downtown apartments!

Small Groups are currently meeting! Sign up here: [Grow in Faith at St. Aloysius Detroit \(staloyusdetroit.com\)](http://staloyusdetroit.com)

Have you moved ?

If so, mail me with your latest info, with new phone or email address. Go to daniłowicz.louise@staloyusdetroit.com

Weekend Mass Parking at Park Rite Garage

St Aloysius parishioners and guests who attend weekend Mass may park for free in the Park Rite Garage beneath the Detroit City Club Apts. on Washington Blvd. After Mass, ask one of the ushers for a scan pass, then use it at the gate or full validation. This courtesy extends only to Saturday or Sunday Mass, along with religious holidays, and parish related activities before or after Mass.

It **does not** extend to sporting events or other activities unrelated to St. Aloysius, even if someone attends Mass that same day.

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ST. ALOYSIUS

1234 Washington Blvd.

Detroit, MI 48226

EVERYBODY'S CHURCH IN DOWNTOWN DETROIT

As most of you know, I live at Old Saint Mary's in Greektown. More often than not, I will be walking up to the front of that beautiful church, heading to the rectory from my office in the Chancery, fairly worn out after a long day's work and I run into one or more of our brothers and sisters' unconscious on the church stairs. I will check to see if they are alright and carry on. I always feel rather empty after such an encounter. I am left to wonder what caused that individual – one of God's creations, to become addicted to alcohol or narcotics? I wonder what became of their parents, their siblings, and where their friends are. Yet, that is city life. In a few seconds you can realize great wealth, beauty, fun, and in the next second, misery and abject poverty. I love city life but sometimes I get sad about it. Looking at this Sunday's Gospel, I find myself asking "where are the Mary and Marthas in the lives of these people, laying on the streets of our city?"

I share my thoughts above as a side manner of throwing an ongoing compliment to our outreach program at St. Al's. I am truly proud of what we do for our community. Our beautiful church is nothing short of a respite and safe harbor amidst what can often be the most perilous of city storms. Alas, there is ever so much more to do and sometimes it sometimes seems like an impossible task, but we must always endeavor to help our sisters and brothers among us. After all, Christ tells us clearly in scripture what the final exam for getting into heaven, and in contrast, being sent to the other place, is: "I was hungry, did you feed me, I was naked ,did you clothe me, I was a foreigner, did you welcome me, I was unjustly in prison, did you visit me; that which you did to the least of my brothers, you did to me." This week...every week, let's keep the final exam question in mind.

See you at Mass.

Fr. John

PRAY FOR PEACE

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LIVE IN PEACE

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JULY 20, 2025

ST. ALOYSIUS
CATHOLIC CHURCH

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OUR MISSION STATEMENT
We, the spiritual family of St. Aloysius honor and value the diversity of our community. Through our worship of God, we joyfully commit ourselves to imitate the Good Shepherd. We serve our brothers and sisters when we comfort the lost, feed the hungry, clothe the naked, shelter the homeless, and welcome the stranger. Our service is rooted in our experience of God's love, which calls us to be the Good News of Jesus in the downtown Detroit community.

ST. ALOYSIUS WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE
Saturday 5:00pm & Sunday 10:00am
Rosary prayed on Sunday at 9:35am

ST. ALOYSIUS WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE
Monday thru Thursday 12:15pm
CHURCH OPEN MON-THURS from 11:15am-1:30pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
Every Thursday before Mass 11:45am-12:15pm
Every third Monday of the month from 7:00-8:00pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Monday thru Thursday - 12:00pm
Saturday 4:30pm Sunday 9:30am

OLD ST. MARY'S MASS SCHEDULE
Saturday Vigil Mass
5:00pm (Confession), 5:30pm (Mass)

Sunday Mass
8:30am, 11:30am
Daily Mass
Monday thru Thursday at 8:00am

OUR LADY of the ROSARY MASS SCHEDULE
Mass: Monday-Thursday, 5:30pm. Friday at 12:30pm

Note: There is NO Monday-Friday or Saturday Mass during the summer months

Saturday at 9am, Sunday at 5:30pm.
Confessions at 5:00pm

There is NO Adoration during the summer months

Weekly Budget	\$ 4,154
Total for July 6, 2025	\$ 5,930. ¹⁹
Total for July 13, 2025	\$ 3,485. ⁷⁵

New Mailing Address for the Parish

As many of you know, our parish office is now located at the Chancery at 12 State Street. We have a satellite office in the lower level of the church as well. To correspond with us by mail, our new address is:

St. Aloysius Church
PO Box 44350
Detroit, MI 48233

Mass Intentions and Readings

Monday	July 21, 2025
12:15pm	Martinez Family <i>Requested by Marilen Martinez</i>
Readings	Ex 14:5-18/Mt 12:38-42
Tuesday	July 22, 2025
12:15pm	†Frances McLeod Flannery <i>Requested by John Tulloch</i>
Readings	Sg 3:1-4b/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
Wednesday	July 23, 2025
12:15pm	Erza Griffin Faas <i>Requested by the Archdiocese of Detroit</i>
Readings	Ex 16:1-5, 9-15/Mt 13:1-9
Thursday	July 24, 2025
12:15pm	Rami Shams <i>Requested by the Suter family</i>
Readings	Ex 19:1-2,9-11, 16-20b/Mt 13:10-17
Friday	July 25, 2025
	NO MASS
Readings	2Cor 4:7-15/Mt 20:20-28

Seventeenth Week in Ordinary Time

Saturday	July 26, 2025 (Ex 24:3-8/Mt 13:24-30)
5:00pm	†Raymond Joswiak, Sr (30th anniversary of death) & †Gary Joswiak (6th anniversary of death) <i>Requested by family</i>
Readings	Gn 18:20-32/Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13
Sunday	July 27, 2025
10:00am	Fr. Mario <i>Requested by Margaret England</i>
	†Oscar Lopez <i>Requested by The Butalid family</i>
Readings	Gn 18:20-32/Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13

Pray for Our Friends		
Elena Centeio-Smith	Sylvia Baker	Andrea Pigott
Ricardo & Marietta Martinez	Robert McFadden	Anthony Bell
Kenny Butler	Tim Bowdell	John R Biffle
Sylvia Gonzalez	John Prior	Lilley Bates
Matt Gumbel	Marjorie Peake	Joe Littman
Alberta Mathis	Randolph Jackson	Angela Coel
Eric & Rachel Makarewicz	Cindy Ianni	Darroll Jenkins
Mallory & Ryan	Tony & Mervet Farida	Herman Jenkins
Timothy	Phillip King	Regina Roussell
Geraldine Biffle-Faulkner	Curtis Hogan, Jr	Antoinette Marshall
Jendayi Issa	Orlando Eigner	J eff Stephenson
Patrina Frierson	Wendy Price	Fred W.
Ron Joe	Ross Brandon	Rosalind (Ashford) Holmes
Helen Tillerson	Tom Schrems	Barbara I.
Carrie F.	Dennis Samoray	Arthur Page
Patricia Hayes	Robert Wray	Kathy S.
Julie Sherick	William Biffle	Raymond Biffle

NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICES
JUNE IMPACT HIGHLIGHTS



Over 1,125 meals served through street outreach, break-fasts, and bagged lunches

4,000+ lbs of produce and pantry essentials distributed through our weekly Pop-Up Produce Station

1200+ bottles of water served through outreach events
200+ pairs of socks distributed to neighbors, seniors, and those living on the streets

300 hygiene kits shared with neighbors to restore dignity and support daily living

400+ essentials given away, including clothing, toiletries, and seasonal supplies

15 pets supported through Dorney's Pet Pantry
250+ personal prayer moments offered during street outreach, breakfast ministry, and neighborhood Alpha

150+ guests served at OLGC sponsored pop-up BBQ with burgers, hot dogs, essentials, and cold water

S.H.A.R.E. Health Discussion impacted 25+ seniors, focusing on holistic health

\$2,000+ assistance for rent and DTE allocated from Serving Our Neighbors Fund

14 neighbors continue journeying through Alpha weekly to grow in faith and friendship
Hundreds reached through street outreach and community connections

To contribute to serving the souls in our downtown neighborhood visit staloysiusdetroit.com/neighborhood-services or reach out to Michael directly schultz.michael@aod.org



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