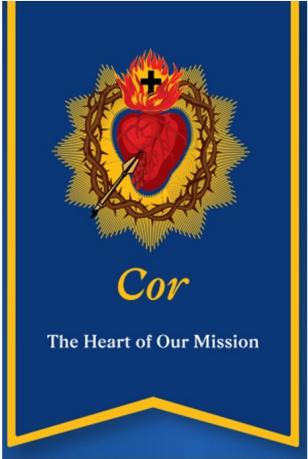


Heart of the Gospel Retreat

Full One-Day Retreat Saturday August 29th All Men Welcome!




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Questions: Michael Mandziuk: m.mandziuk@mikofc.org

JESUS IS
HERE!

Scam Alert!!!

Some parishioners have reported getting emails or texts from Fr Sal "asking for help for something when you have the time." Please be aware that Fr. Sal or any parish priest or staff member **would never** text or email you out of the blue to ask you to rescue us, buy things for us, or perform a secret task. **Just delete the request.**

In general, none of us should ever click on links given to us when we are not expecting them, especially ones that seem to be made to alarm us. If you notice that the sender's name doesn't match his or her email address when hovering over it with your cursor, that's a big clue that something's amiss.

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~Matthew 6:21






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Ask Father Anything!

Here is your opportunity to ask Fr. Sal about our faith or how it works in our day-to-day lives. Your questions will be featured in his monthly article! Email Fr. Sal at palazzolo.sal@aod.org or drop a note in the collection basket. It's a great way for us to know our faith and one another!

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EVERYBODY'S CHURCH IN DOWNTOWN DETROIT

Dear Saint Aloysius Family,

Thank you for your incredible generosity during our 2025 Catholic Services Appeal (CSA). Because of your sacrificial giving, our parish did not just meet its obligations, we shattered expectations and unlocked vital funding to fuel our parish. Last year, our parishioners stepped forward to make a real difference. Here is exactly how your stewardship added up: \$24,964.00 fulfilled our official 2025 CSA parish commitment. \$28,278.50 was raised above and beyond our required target. That means \$53,278.50 was the grand total received by our community.

Every single dollar of that extra \$28,278.50 stayed 100% here at Saint Aloysius. Even better, those surplus funds are completely tax-free from the Archdiocese and do not increase the goal set for us next year. This money directly funds our immediate parish needs, building upkeep, and programing costs.

Inspired by this, your immense dedication, we are setting a bold 2026 Self-Challenge Goal of \$55,941.93. That is a 5% increase. Achieving this new milestone does not mean our current donors need to give more. Instead, the 2026 strategy relies entirely on growing our circle of participation. A CSA gift of \$50 or \$100 from households that did not participate in this past fiscal year can make a big difference.

I am asking every parishioner to consider taking these three steps: 1) If you have never participated in the CSA before, please consider making a gift of any size this year. True success is measured by our unity as a parish family. ‘Where our treasure is, there our heart will be.’ 2) Talk to your fellow parishioners about how surplus CSA funds directly benefit Saint Aloysius. Your personal testimony is our best invitation. You might want to talk about how your CSA dollars have, for some time now, meant that St. Al’s gets a priest. At least as far back as Fr. Mario, most of our salaries and benefits come from our Chancery work, funded completely by the CSA. St. Aloysius only covers 25% of my cost of upkeep. By not having a rectory for me to live in, the parish saves even more by only needing to provide a small, fixed rental amount.

Please pray for the success of our 2026 appeal and that our community continues to grow in faith, fellowship, and stewardship. Thank you again to the 32 households who led the charge last year. We appreciate you, your generosity, and your sacrifice. Let us move into 2026 with joyful hearts, ready to see what God can accomplish when our entire parish family invests in our future!

Thank you and God give you back 10 times more in blessings!

Fr. Sal

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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
Sunday 10:00am
Pray the Rosary on Sunday at 9:35am

ST. ALOYSIUS WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE
Monday thru Friday 12:15pm
CHURCH OPEN Mon-Fri from 11:30am-1:00pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
Every Weekday before Mass 11:45am-12:10pm
Every third Tuesday of the month from 7:00-8:00pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Monday thru Friday - 11:45am-12:05pm
Sunday 9:15am-9:45am

OLD ST. MARY’S MASS SCHEDULE
Saturday Vigil Mass
5:00pm (Confession), 5:30pm (Mass)
Sunday Mass
8:30am, 11:30am
Daily Mass
(12 Noon -Confession) Tuesday & Friday at 12:15pm

OUR LADY of the ROSARY MASS SCHEDULE
There is no daily or Saturday Mass at OLR due to the summer recess. These Mass times will return in the fall.

Weekend Mass
Sunday at 5:30pm

	Weekly Budget	\$ 4,528
	July 19, 2026	\$ 3,664. ⁵⁵

Mailing Address for the Parish

Our parish office is 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 48244

Mass Intentions and Readings

Monday	July 27, 2026
12:15pm	Roman Sabuda <i>Requested by Beth Allison</i>
Readings	Jer 13:1-11/Mt 13:31-35
Tuesday	July 28, 2026
12:15pm	Bill Henderson <i>Requested by Beth Allison</i> +Hazel & Elmer Alkire <i>Requested by Mike & Karen Allison</i>
Readings	Jer 14:17-22/Mt 13:36-43
Wednesday	July 29, 2026
12:15pm	+Nancy Coles <i>Requested by Tom Coles</i>
Readings	Jer 15:10, 16-21/Jn 11:19-27
Thursday	July 30, 2026
12:15pm	+Glenn Allison <i>Requested by Mike & Karen Allison</i>
Readings	Jer 18:1-6/Mt 13:47-53
Friday	July 31, 2026
12:15pm	+John & Veronica Pyszynski <i>Requested by Mike & Karen Allison</i>
Readings	Jer 26:1-9/Mt 13:54-58
Saturday	August 1, 2026
NO MASS	(Jer 26:11-16, 24/Mt 14:1-12)
Sunday	August 2, 2026
10:00am	+Sadie Peck <i>Requested by the Allison family</i> Henry Henderson & Louise Henderson <i>Requested by Beth Allison</i>
Readings	Is 55:1-3/Rom 8:35, 37-39/Mt 14:13-21

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

Save the Date – Sunday, August 23
St. Aloysius
Annual Block Party
after Mass-11am-2pm
Volunteers needed!

Rounding out July at St. Aloysius

Backpack Ministry volunteer after 10:00am Mass on Sundays. Help us pray and distribute food and 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.

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

Join the St Aloysius Moms Group on WhatsApp!

This is an informal and welcoming group of moms with babies/kids at St Aloysius. Our goal is to offer support, share resources and advise, and connect to each other! If you are planning a trip to the park, the zoo, or just a get-together, and would like to have other moms join with their kids, this group is for you. If you have questions about parenting, babies, pregnancy, or prayer needs, we are here to help. Scan the QR code and join us!



Blessings upon all of our August Birthdays!

May the Lord bless you and keep you May He make his face to shine upon you, And be gracious to you, and give you His peace

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| 1 James Leszczynski | 18 Ellie McNeill |
| 2 Ray Brown, III | 18 Michael J. Thomas |
| 6 Glory Kozak | 18 Charles Harshfield |
| 7 Pete Rhoades | 22 Stephen Peck |
| 9 Sarah Kelly | 24 Patricia Hinojosa |
| 9 Jene Han | 25 Hannah Lynch |
| 12 Lucille Tracy | 25 Marie Colarusso |
| 13 Claire Kitz | 25 David Alvarez |
| 13 Matthew Naas | 29 Brian Kitz |

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