

October 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 11:30am.

Sunday, October 12th- *Coffee and Donuts* to welcome our new pastor, Fr. Sal Palazzolo after 10:00am Mass. Also, Happy Dedication Day to our 1930s church! The current church we worship in was dedicated on October 12, 1930.

No Daily Mass Monday, October 13th- Friday, October 17th. Pray for the priests in the Archdiocese who will be at the Priest Convocation!

Saturday, October 18th- 10:00am *Backpack Ministry*. Help us pray and distribute food & essentials to our brothers and sisters in need in the area. Meet *in the church*. No signup required! Contact Michael with any questions schultz.michael@aod.org.

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Saturday, October 18th- Blessing for Marathon Runners at 5:00pm Vigil Mass.

Sunday, October 19th- Join us at 8:00am to cheer on the Marathon Runners! No sandwich-making after Mass.

***If you are running in the Marathon or Half-Marathon, let us know! We would love to make you a poster.**
Email allison.beth@aod.org.

Monday, October 20th- *Holy Hour* 7:00pm-8:00pm in the church. Fellowship to follow.

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

Neighborhood volunteer opportunities:
staloyusdetroit.com/outreach



  CATHOLIC FUNERAL & CEMETERY SERVICES
A MINISTRY SERVING THE ARCHDIOCESE OF DETROIT

MASS WITH PRAYERS FOR

Pregnancy and Infant Loss Month

**Sunday
Oct. 26, 2025
11 a.m.**

Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament

Learn more and RSVP at: aod.org/oct-26-mass



**WE LOVE YOU,
DETROIT!**
Come pray with us!

Join our Liturgical Ministry Team!

Our parish community thrives when everyone shares their gifts in service to the Church. We invite you to consider serving in one of our liturgical ministries!

Whether you have a friendly smile to welcome others as an usher, a deep love for the Eucharist as an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion (EMHC), a calling to proclaim God's Word as a lector, or a heart for reverent preparation as a sacristan, your service makes a difference. We also need acolytes to assist at Mass and tour guides to host visitors to share the story of our unique and historic church.

We will provide training and pair you with a veteran server for as long as you need. Join us in making our worship more beautiful and welcoming. Your parish family needs you!
Contact Jimmy for more info at 313-309-1263.



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EVERYBODY'S CHURCH IN DOWNTOWN DETROIT

Welcome Fr. Sal to St. Aloysius!

Dear St. Al's Family,

I am very happy to be a part of this faith community. God always has a way of working things out!

When Fr. John found out that he was not getting an associate priest, as had been planned, he was asking me what he was supposed to do. I said, "Give me St. Al's!" We forwarded the suggestion to Archbishop Weisenburger and he happily blessed the suggested solution. This means we both have a full time Chancery job, and both have a parish to care for now.



Fr. John and I have been friends since canon law studies. We lived together at St. Peter's in Mt. Clemens and we will both live in the rectory at OSM when the renovation is complete. Our mass times are set so that we can cover the weekend masses for one another when the other is away.

I have been doing daily mass at St. Aloysius on Wednesdays for around three years now. The staff and parishioners who are daily mass goers have been wonderful to be with, and I look forward to sharing time in prayer and outreach with all

of you. Please pray for me as I will be praying for all of you!

My thoughts and prayers,

Fr. Sal

Remember, our daily Mass schedule now includes Fridays at 12:15pm.

Also, Confessions are now:

Mon.-Fri. 11:45am-12:05pm

Sat. 4:30pm-4:50pm

Sunday 9:30am-9:50am

See you there!

PRAY FOR PEACE ✝ LIVE IN PEACE

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 5, 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
Pray the Rosary on Sunday at 9:35am

ST. ALOYSIUS WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE
Monday thru Friday 12:15pm
CHURCH OPEN MON-FRI 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 Friday - 11:45am-12:05pm
Saturday 4:30-4:50pm Sunday 9:30am-9:50am

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
Daily Mass
Monday-Thursday, 5:30pm Friday at 12:30pm
Confession Monday-Thursday 5:00pm-5:20pm
Adoration Monday -Thursday 4:30pm-5:30pm

Weekend Mass
Saturday at 9am, Sunday at 5:30pm
Confessions on Sunday at 5:00pm

Weekly Budget	\$ 4,154
Total for September 28, 2025	\$ 3,546. ⁸⁵ 😞

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 October 6, 2025
12:15pm †Raymond Ashe, Jr, 1st anniversary of death
Requested by Fran & Jerry Ashe
Readings Jon 1:1—2:2,11/Lk10:25-37
Tuesday October 7, 2025
12:15pm †Valarie Pyszynski
Requested by Mike & Karen Allison
Readings Jon 3:1-10/Lk 10:38-42
Wednesday October 8, 2025
12:15pm †Deceased Members of the Marshall, Lanzon, & Borg families
Requested by Antoinette Marshall & Heather Jones
Readings Jon 4:1-11/Lk 11:1-4
Thursday October 9, 2025
12:15pm †Stella Joswiak & †Cecelia Joswiak
Requested by family
Readings Mal 3:13-20b/Lk 11:5-13
Friday October 10, 2025
†Gail Caccavaro
Requested by the Centeio-Smith family
Readings Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2/Lk 11:15-26

Twenty-eighth Week in Ordinary Time

Saturday October 11, 2025
(Jl 4:12-21/Lk 11:27-28)
5:00pm †Zola Edwards, 48th anniversary of death
Requested by Fran & Jerry Ashe
Readings 2Kgs 5:14-17/2Tm 2:8-13/Lk 17:11-19
Sunday October 12, 2025
10:00am †Gus Vandenboom
Requested by the Allison family
And also requested by Suzanne Wallace, Micheal Cole, & Sharon Bell
Readings 2Kgs 5:14-17/2Tm 2:8-13/Lk 17:11-19

Pray for Our Friends

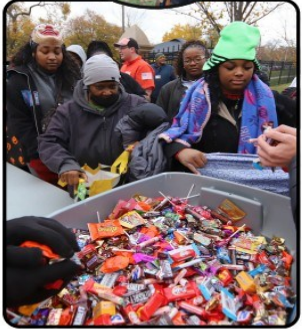
Elena Centeio-Snrith	Ann Disser	Brain Kitz
Ricardo & Marietta Martinez	Sylvia Baker	Anthony Bell
Kenny Butler	Tim Bowdell	John R Biffle
Sylvia Gonzalez	John Prior	Lilley Bates
Matt Gumbel	Marjorie Peake	Joe Littman
Alberta Mathis	Randolph Jackson	Angela Coel
Eric & Rachel Makarewicz	Cindy Ianni	Darroll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

SUNDAY OCTOBER 5 11:30AM CAPITOL PARK DOG PARK

ST. ALOYSIUS
CATHOLIC CHURCH
PET
BLESSING
HAVE YOUR PET BLESSED BY FR. SAL
FOR THE FEAST OF ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI
EVERYONE IS WELCOME!



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

It's that time of the year again! Halloween is just around the corner, and Sacred Heart Major Seminary needs your help. Each year they open their doors and their hearts to over 2000 children from the surrounding Detroit neighborhood so that kids can have a fun and safe place to play games and trick-or-treat. SHMS is asking for donations of Halloween candy that will be passed out to the many kids. If you are willing to participate in this important ministry by donating bags of candy please bring them to church at Mass or during business hours. Thank you!