

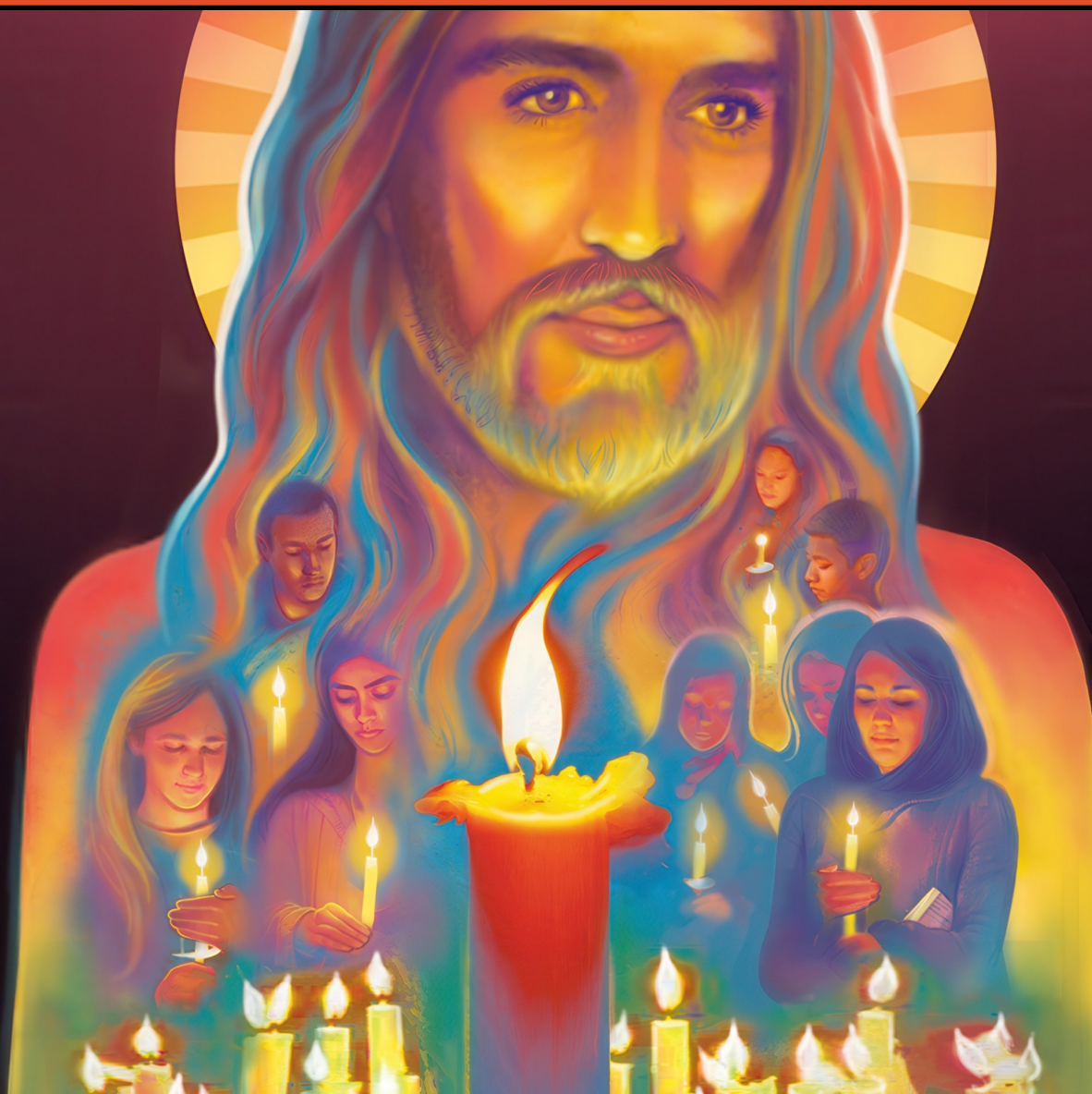
Our Lady of the Angels Catholic Church

6442 Pelham Road • Taylor, Michigan 48180

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Office Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday • 9:00 am to 3:00 pm



Pastor • Fr. Dariusz Strzalkowski

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Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time • July 12th 2026



Our Mission Statement Reflects Our Spirit

"Our Lady of the Angels is a worshipping community dedicated to the education and spiritual growth of the whole parish family. With guidance from the Holy Spirit we extend our Christian love to the community we serve. We proclaim Jesus Christ as Lord with all our hearts and we welcome all to join us on our journey in following Him."

A Few Words From Fr. Dariusz.....



I hope we all are enjoying this beautiful summer time. It is a great time to relax and spend our time with our family members and neighbors.

I would like to thank our garden team for keeping the grounds beautiful. I

have received many wonderful comments how beautiful everything is.

When it comes to the readings for this weekend, in the first reading, we hear that God cares for the earthly by sending rain to make it fruitful. He cares for us by sending us His Word.

In the second reading, St. Paul, talks about the glory which awaits us in the next life far outweighs anything we could suffer in this life. He says that we groan within ourselves with the desire to have God in our lives, and with the desire to make God real in the lives of others. Paul uses the image of labor pains. Our whole being focuses on giving birth, birth to the Kingdom. As Christians, we want to make God's Kingdom a reality in the world. He gives us all that we need, the Word

The parable in the Gospel says that sometimes the Divine Sower's seed falls on the pathways through the fields. There is no union with the Word, it is simply there, and it is lost to the birds of the sky. Sometimes we refuse to make God's Word the guide of our lives. We refuse to look at what

God is calling us to do. Sometimes the seed falls on rocky ground. It doesn't develop roots. This part of the parable really cuts us to the core, because it says that the enthusiasm for the Word, the enthusiasm for the Lord, is not good enough. All those good feelings will die out with time, unless it is far more than feelings we search for.

Sometimes the seed falls among the thickets and thorns. God's word takes root, but other things take priority in our lives. All of us have many activities and obligations. What we seem to forget is that our primary responsibility is to Jesus Christ. We have been given the Word. We cannot allow the other concerns around us to choke off his Presence within us. We cannot allow ourselves to become deaf to His Call to rebuild His Church.

There are times when the seed falls on good soil. These are the people who care for the Presence of the Lord, who are more concerned with His Kingdom than their own emotional feelings of His Presence, these are the people who refuse to let anything the world throws at them choke off the mission they have been entrusted with by the Divine Sower.

We can be these people. We can be the people who throughout our lives are dedicated to the Kingdom of God. We can rebuild His Church.

God bless you all,

Fr. D

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday July 13th No Mass

Tuesday July 14th Mass 8:45 am

Wednesday July 15th No Mass

Thursday July 16th 8:45am

Friday July 17th Mass 8:45am

+Kathy Maniaci (Nina McEachern)

Saturday July 18th Mass 4:00pm

+Anthony & Mary Ann Giorgio (Anna Marie Fiscelli)

+Ralph & Caroline Klimbal (Goldsmith Family)

+Kathleen Bernath (Burgor Family)

Mary, Theresa, Stanley Waszak (Daughter Darlene)

Sunday July 19th Mass 9:30am

+Joseph & Helen Mac (Family)

+Amy Lee Collard (Parents)

+Bernard Zajac (Lorraine McFee)

Sunday July 12th Mass 11:30am

+Jeanie Browne (Browne Family)

+Tim Kerrigan (John & Carol Mauer)

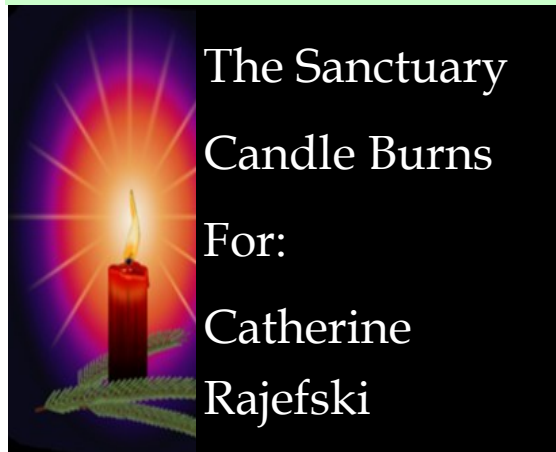


For July 18 and 19:

1st Reading: Wisdom 12:13, 16-19

2nd Reading: Romans 8:26-27

Gospel: Matthew 13:24-43



Prayer Request List

Dear God, We place our worries in Your hands. We place our sick under Your care and humbly ask that You restore Your servants to good health once more. .

Jack Amo	Lisa Menna
Pat Ankony	Vanessa Moats
Larry Barduca	William Norris
Bobbie Belknap	Michele Noris
Susan Bellant	Annie Pearson
Albert and Mary Brodbeck	Teddy Phillips
Maureen Byrne	Sister Angela Pikus
David Chavis	Cody Plough
Brenda Clemens	Juliana Radford
David Cooper	Janel Rea
Andrea Cosgrove	Cindy Resovsky
Jimmy Lee Edwards	Aline Rito
Doug England	Diane Rito
Amanda Semetko-Fecek	Anthony Roulo
Gary Felker	Larry Sabados
Sharon Ferrise	Andres Sabados
Matt Ferrante	Nancy Sabado
Ann Marie Fiscelli	Brian Shufeldt
Bruce Forest	Cosmo Sivak
Elena Fulgencio	Daniel Smith
Andre Gane	Patty Smolinski
Cole Giesin	Ginny Stack
Andrew Guignon	Gloria Tamoshunas
Marylynn Hamilton	Jerry Tenerowicz
Ernest Hensley	Michael Valle
Monalisa Hull	Scott Varga
Mary Hurst	Regina Venancio
Alex Johnson	Kadie Vigilanti
Karen Kimes	John Waszak
Mary Ann Kimes	Joan Weiss
Sara Kunch	John Waszak
Larry LaDuke	Thomas Yoder
Ron Lovasz	John Zaidel
Robert McLachlan	Caroline Zampini
Jerry McGrath	
Joe McGunagle	

Current Ministry Schedule

July 18th & July 19th 2026

Lector

4:00pm Darlene Szczepanski

9:30am Holly Evanoff

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11:30am Christine Birecki

Eucharistic Ministers

4:00pm Mike Humbles, Chris Mattoon, Margaret Click

9:30am Greg Smolinski, Ericka Filipowicz, Linda Curmi

11:30am Louise Fregonara, Gina Gibson, Cathy Elliot

Purificators & Finger Towel Laundry Cindy Resovsky



RACHEL'S VINEYARD IS A RETREAT WEEKEND FOR MEN AND WOMEN THAT CAN HELP YOU EXPERIENCE GOD'S LOVE AND COMPASSION ON A PROFOUND LEVEL IN A CONFIDENTIAL ENVIRONMENT OF EMOTIONAL AND SPIRITUAL SAFETY.

ANN ARBOR / DETROIT: JULY 17-19 & SEPTEMBER 11-13, 2026

BETH BAUER - EMAIL: TOHEAL4GIVE@OUTLOOK.COM

PHONE: 734-879-0427

LANSING: AUGUST 14-16, 2026

DELLA SEELEY - EMAIL: NLCRACHELSVINEYARD@GMAIL.COM

JON SEELEY - EMAIL: JONSEELEY2@GMAIL.COM

PHONE: 989-289-7872

Scan code or visit www.rachelsvineyard.org



Singles Late 50s And Above

Looking for a deeper relationship with God and a renewed sense of purpose for your journey through life's transitions? Connect with others and re-charge your spiritual batteries on a RENEW retreat! The next weekend is on August 21-23, 2026 at the St. Francis Retreat Center, DeWitt, MI (10 miles north of Lansing). Cost is \$255 for meals and a single room. For more info, go to www.RenewRetreats.org, e-mail renewretreat.mi@gmail.com, or call (586) 770-1772



If you need to use a pyx to deliver the eucharist to the homebound, please see:

**Kim Hughey at Saturday 4 pm mass
Vic Alabastro at Sunday 9:30 am mass
Jane Dewald at Sunday 11:30 am mass
to sign out a pyx.**



Fr. Saylor Knights of Columbus Council 3774

17113 Champaign, Allen Park — <https://www.kofc3774.org/>

Upcoming Events:

Every Tuesday • Euchre 630 pm sign in starts— cards 7 to 930 pm

Saturday, July 18 • Family Fun Day

Wednesday, July 29 • Steak Night -- Lounge 5 pm to 8 pm

Wednesday, August 5 • Knights and Ladies' Auxiliary General Meetings 7 pm

Contact Joe Lalli, 313-779-0568 FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO JOIN THE KNIGHTS



Our Prayer Garden

The garden is enjoyed by many that walk through it and admire all the different aspects that make it such an attractive part of our Church grounds. It honors many of the founding members as well as numerous current parishioners, their friends and families.

To buy a brick, you can fill out the form in the Parish Office. We take orders for bricks all year long. The cost is \$125 with 3 lines of inscription. Each line accommodates 14 characters including the spaces. Symbols can be inscribed on the bricks at a cost of \$5.00 each. The office has a list of the different symbols that can be put on a brick.

**Ice Cream
And
Baked Goods
Social
July 25 and 26
After All Masses**



PLUS Basket Raffles!

**Proceeds to benefit
St. Vincent de Paul and
Camp Ozanam**

**Baked goods donations can
be dropped off at the parish
center before all masses.**



**CELEBRATE YOUR MARRIAGE
AND YOUR FAITH!**

**2026 Worldwide Marriage Encounter
Experiences:**

July 24-26 Petoskey

Aug. 7-9 Detroit

Oct. 2-4 Petoskey

Oct. 16-18 Ann Arbor

Apply today at wwme.org!



FOOD PANTRY

**Partners with MEIJER this
Summer 2026**

With more members of our community are turning to Our Lady of the Angels food pantry for help with food insecurity, Our Lady of the Angels Pantry has again joined forces with the Meijer Simply Give Hunger Relief program to help fill that void for our local families.

OLA Food Pantry has been selected to participate with Meijer on their upcoming campaign which begins **Jun 28th, 2025 through Sep 26th, 2026.**

Meijer will also offer **Double Match Days at the Taylor Meijer on Pardee on Sat, Aug 15th and Sat, Sep 12th.**

On these days, your \$10 donation match by Meijer will be doubled, making the value of your contribution \$30. The \$10 Donations cards are available at the Taylor Meijer as well as in the Narthex or Parish office. We will also distribute them in the church bulletin prior to Double Match days. **Please turn them in at the Meijer check-out any time you shop Jun 28 – Sep 26th, 2026.**

Thank you to all of you who support the Pantry with food or monetary donations. We are very grateful for your generosity. Your contributions have been a tremendous help keeping the pantry supplied so that we can continue to help those less fortunate than ourselves.

Penney Cummer, Pantry Director

EVENTS

MEN'S PRAYER GROUP
EVERY MONDAY 7PM
ST. ANNE ROOM

WOMEN OF PRAYER
SECOND AND FOURTH FRIDAY OF THE MONTH
ST. ANNE ROOM 9:30 AM

USHERS' MEETING
SECOND TUESDAY OF THE MONTH
7 pm

BLOOD DRIVE
SUNDAY, JULY 12
9 AM TO 1 PM

WALK INS WELCOME BUT REGISTRATION SUGGESTED



During the upcoming months, help is still needed with watering the berm and Jackson Street as well as weeding, pruning and deadheading everywhere. Please give us a call if you can help at any time, even if just once or twice!
Co-Chairpersons, Roberta Kulpa 313-399-8851 or Mary Ferguson 313-318-4024 Thank you!



If you did not have the opportunity to pick up your Grand Raffle Tickets, please stop by the table in the narthex for your envelope. Extra tickets are available in the parish office. If you do not find your envelope, please stop by the office.



17th
Annual

**SUMMER
SIZZLER**

License No. R85934

Drawing is Saturday, July 18, 2026, at 4pm
at Fr Saylor Council #3774 Park
during the Family Fun Picnic

\$7,500
GRAND PRIZE

9 Other chances to Win, 2nd Prize \$1,000
Tickets are \$50. Only 500 tickets available!!

See Bob Cooper in the narthex this weekend!

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS!

Summer is approaching and children will be home from school. Travel or BBQ's may be on our minds, but many families are still struggling to keep food on their tables. When you shop and take advantage of the BOGO or "multi-purchase item discounts", please consider donating a few of these items. We currently need instant potatoes, pasta sides, peanut butter, jelly, tuna or can chicken, shampoo and bar soap.

Monetary donations are also gratefully accepted to purchase fresh goods like milk, eggs, meat, cheese and bread. We are happy to do the shopping for you. All donations should be brought to the Parish Office -weekdays 9:00-3:00(except Wednesdays). Checks should be made out to Our Lady of the Angels Food Pantry or consider donating one-time or monthly directly through our Church Website www.loacc.org. Select the Pantry fund using the Online Giving link.

Thank you all who support the Pantry! We are very grateful for your generosity as it is always a tremendous help with filling the shelves so that we can continue to help those less fortunate than ourselves. God Bless!

Penney Cummer, Pantry Director

Sacraments

Order of Masses

Saturday4:00pm

Sunday9:30am, 11:30am

Tuesday8:45am

Thursday, Friday8:45am

Wednesday

No Mass or Prayer Service

Holy Days

As Announced

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday3:00 pm

Baptism

Infants and young children are baptized once a month throughout the year. Parents and Godparents must attend a Baptism Preparation Class at St. Frances Cabrini prior to Baptism. Please call the office.

Marriage

Couples who wish to be married at OLOA will meet with Fr. Dariusz to discuss their plans and set their **marriage** date. Prior to the wedding, the couple attends an

engaged couples workshop. Please contact Fr. Dariusz to schedule your pre-marriage appointment at least 8 months in advance of your wedding date.

New Parishioners

Register at Parish Office

Change of Address or Contact Information

Notify Parish Office

Calling Post

Text 'ANGELS' to 24251

Follow us on Facebook

<http://www.facebook.com/ladyoftheangels>

Sanctuary Candle

We would like to offer weekly dedications for the Sanctuary candles to burn in honor of your special intention. Donations are \$5.00 and requests can be made by calling or coming into the Parish Office at 313-381-3000.

For Shut-Ins • Mass on TV

Sunday Mass

Comcast Channel 393 • 8:00am, 12:00pm

Weekday Mass

Comcast Channel 1668 • 8:00am, 12:00pm
Comcast Channel 398 • 8:00am, 12:30pm, 7:00pm, and 9:30pm

OUR STEWARDSHIP:

Week Ending:

June 28nd 2026

Collection\$7881.00

Envelopes175

Online\$2076.40

Total.....\$9957.40

Due to the holiday, stewardship offerings for July 5th and July 12th will be published in the July 19th bulletin.



Have you thought about giving on-line? It is a safe way to regularly support Our Lady of the Angels. Go to our website (www.loacc.org) and click on the "Give" link at the bottom of the 1st page.