

Our Lady of the Angels Catholic Church

6442 Pelham Road • Taylor, Michigan 48180
313-381-3000 • www.loacc.org

Office Hours

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



Blessed are the poor in spirit;
the kingdom of heaven is theirs!

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FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME February 1ST.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 would like to thank ChristNet members and volunteers who cooked and delivered meals to the homeless. Thank you for your great act of charity and love, in recognizing Christ in the poor and homeless.

This event could bring us to the heart of this Sunday's readings, the beatitudes. One of the beatitudes talks about the poor in spirit versus the proud. The poor in spirit, the common or simple person, is not one who became poor as a result of business failure or personal bankruptcy. Rather it is because he finds how poor he is in the presence of the Lord.

To be meek means the same as to be "lowly." These meek ones are persons who are unable to be aggressive. Those who hunger and thirst for righteousness are the ones who maintain a daily personal relationship with the Lord. Submitted to the Divine Will, they see the injustice around them and pray for God's intervention. The merciful are the ones who are willing to forgive others. They are being sanctified by the power of the Holy Spirit. The pure in heart are the ones who see God in the sense that they will know God. In their knowledge of God, they will enjoy a relationship with God. The peacemakers are those who reconcile quarrels or disagreements. There must be

more said about those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the Kingdom of Heaven. Here, the Gospel speaks of two kinds of persecution. The first kind in Matthew's Gospel consists of being persecuted for what is right. An example would be defending the underdog, the black sheep of the family, the minorities. The second kind of persecution that is mentioned in Matthew's Gospel has to do with spreading and defending the Words of God in fidelity to the Holy Catholic Church. As some of us may recall from previous readings, some of the Apostles were whipped for speaking about Jesus. As the prophets of the Old Testament were persecuted and even murdered, it is to be expected that some of today's saints will also be persecuted, some enduring martyrdom in the Most Holy Name of Jesus.

For the most part, the poor in spirit, the humble, might not be able to inherit a powerful worldly kingdom. Their eternal reward is spiritual. Those who persevere to the end, maintaining a simple life of obedience, humility and servitude, they will no longer mourn. For they will inherit the Kingdom of Heaven as sons and daughters of God.

God bless all of us,

Fr. D

Mass Intentions

Monday February 2nd No Mass

Tuesday February 3rd 8:45am
For the Veterans of World War II

Wednesday February 4th
No Mass

Thursday February 5th 8:45am
For the Veterans of The Korean War

Friday February 6th 8:45am
For the Veterans of the Viet Nam War.

Saturday February 7th 4:00pm
+Michael Gregorchuk (Grandma)
+Josie O'Brien (Mark & Cindy Resovsky)
+Shirley LaBreque (Clare & Darlene)
+Karen Mann (Terry Bopp)
+Allen Dick (Burgor Family)
+Tom Marcero (Family)

Sunday February 8th 9:30am
+Bernice Varga (Nancy Smith)
+Joyce Lansfield (Lorraine McFee)

Sunday February 8th 11:30 am
+Raymond Kowalczyk (Awad Family)
+Timothy Kerrigan (Lori Bondy)



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
Pat Ankony
Larry Barduca
Bobbie Belknap
Albert & Mary Brodbeck
Kathleen Bernath
Andre Ganem
Kathy Gibson
Anna Marie Fiscelli
Sharon Ferrise
Andrea Cosgrove
Matt Ferrante
Elena Fulgencio
Paul Ganem
George Gieson
Mary Lynn Hamilton
Monalisa Hull
Alex Johnson
Karen Kimes
Theodore W.Kubelis
Robert McLachlan

Jerry McGrath
Lisa Menna
Teddy Phillips
Sister Angela Pikus
Juliana Radford
Janel Rea
Cindy Resovsky
Aline Rito
Anthony Roulo
Patrick Rogowski
Larry Sabados
Andres Sabados
Brian Shufeldt
Daniel Smith
Patricia Smolinski
Ginny Stack
Jerry Tenerowicz Sr.
Anna Theeck
Nancy Tockstein
William Thome
Michael Valle
Scott Varga
Amelia Williams
Thomas Yoder
John Zaidel

For Those in the Military:

David Chavis
Andrew Guingon,
Green Beret (Army)
Cody Ploh,

Current Ministry Schedule

February 8th 2026

Lector

4:00pm..... Eric Szor
9:30am.....Janet Brennan
11:30.....Jane Dewald

Eucharistic Ministers

4;00pm..... Annie Pearson, Al Conrad, Darlene Szczepanski
9:30am..... Mike Kava, Stella Mosella, Robin Partrich
11:30am.....Mary Sue Pompa, Louise Fregonara, Gina Gibson

Purificators and Finger Towel Laundry Maryanne Randt



FOOD PANTRY

Partners with Meijer in 2026

More and more members of our community are turning to Our Lady of the Angels food pantry for help with ensuring they know where their next meal will come from. In response Our Lady of the Angels pantry has again joined forces with Meijer SIMPLY GIVE HUNGER RELIEF program during this difficult time to help fill that void for our local families.

OLA Food Pantry has been selected to participate with Meijer on the upcoming campaign which begins DEC. 28th 2025 through Mar. 28th 2026, with DOUBLE MATCH DAYS at the TAYLOR MEIJER on Pardee on Sat. Mar 7th and Mar 21st 2026. The \$10 Donation cards are available at the Taylor Meijer as well as in the Narthex or Parish office. Please turn them in at the Meijer check-out any time you shop Dec. 28th-March 28th , 2026

Through Nov this year, our food pantry had 708 visits from needy families. We provide 2,114 people with a total of 41,300 lbs of food as well as hygiene, cleaning products and toiletries. Our numbers increased from an average of 14 per week in Jan-March to 20 families per week for Oct-Nov 2025.

With the help of the Meijer “SIMPLY GIVE” donation program, we were able to purchase \$15,157 of this food with gift cards purchased by our Parishioners at the Meijer in Taylor along with Meijer double match program. \$5,810 of these gifts were purchased during our last joint campaign which ended Mar 29th, 2025.

Thankyou to all of you who support the Pantry with food or monetary donations. We are very grateful for all 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.

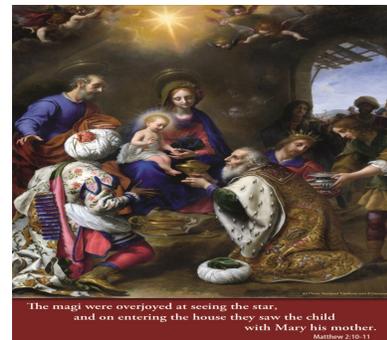
God bless all of you this Christmas Season,
 Penney Cummer
 Pantry Director

KNIGHTS CORNER

Tuesday Feb 17th, Scout fundraiser Pancake Dinner, 5-7pm in our Fr Saylor room. (basement).

Friday Feb. 20th, Lenten Fish Fry, member lounge 4:30-&pm or sold out.

Wednesday Feb 25th, Polish Night Dinner, (hall) 5pm, details to come.



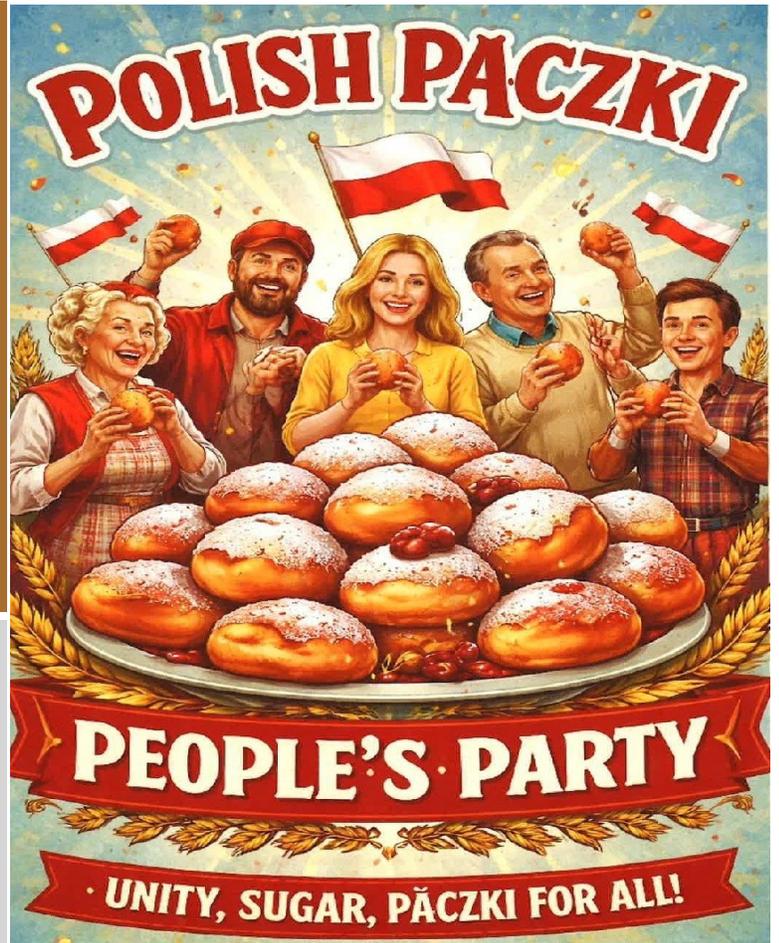
Our Prayer Garden

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.



THE SANCTUARY CANDLE
BURNS IN MEMORY OF
DIANE KAMINSKI



Sunday, February 15, 2026
After 9:30 Mass Only

EVENTS

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

WOMEN'S PRAYER GROUP
WE MEET ON THE SECOND

OUR LADY OF THE ANGELS CATHOLIC CHURCH MONTHLY MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION

NEW OR RENEWAL APPLICATION
FOR THE MONTHLY MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION
(Please print clearly)

MEMORIAL LISTING - PLEASE ENCLOSE AN OFFERING OF \$60.00 PER LISTING

NAME _____

ADDITIONAL NAME _____

ADDITIONAL NAME _____

ADDITIONAL NAME _____

ADDITIONAL NAME _____

CONTACT INFORMATION

YOUR NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____

Please complete this form and return it to the parish office with your total offerings. For additional copies of this form, please contact the parish office.

JOIN US FOR
Stone Soup
SATURDAY, MARCH 7
SUNDAY, MARCH 8
AFTER ALL MASSES
IN THE PARISH
CENTER



OUR LADY OF THE ANGELS

Super "Windfall" Raffle

Only 1000 tickets available

GRAND PRIZE

\$20,000.00

ADDITIONAL PRIZES: (1) \$1000.00, (4) \$500.00, (4) \$250.00, (10) \$100.00
(PRIZES SUBJECT TO IRS RULING)

TICKET PRICE \$100.00

DRAWING HELD:

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2026 DURING HALFTIME OF SUPER BOWL
6442 PELHAM ROAD • TAYLOR, MICHIGAN 48180 • (313)381-3000**

LICENCE No. R82118

**WINNER(S) NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN
PROCEEDS TO OUR LADY OF THE ANGELS GENERAL FUND**

**Tickets available after all masses in the narthex and in the parish office
during normal business hours.**

**Tickets also available on line at the parish website (<http://loacc.org>) by
clicking the on line giving link and using the drop down "Windfall Raffle".**

A ticket(s) will be mailed to you.

Questions? Call Jerry Ziembra 313-590-8908 or Mike Kava 313-300-1526

If you are attending the Windfall Superbowl Dinner, please bring a dessert to share and a box of cereal for the Food Pantry.

All Downriver Desert Meal

to support the 2026 Seminarian's of Sacred Heart Seminary on their pilgrimage to the Holy Land.



Come and meet over 20 future priests of the Catholic Church in the Archdiocese of Detroit!

When: Sunday, March 1, 2026

Where: Crystal Gardens 16703 Fort St, Southgate, MI

Time: 3:00 PM

Cost: \$30.00 per person

Includes: Full Meal, Coffee/Tea, Dessert with Cash Bar

Sponsored by all the Knights of Columbus councils Downriver. Tickets available from your KofC council members. Contact Joe Powers at 313-580-2880 GK3774@mikofc.org. Hope to see you there!

*Plan Ahead For
Peace Of Mind*
END-OF-LIFE WORKSHOP

Saturday, March 21
9:00 AM-12:00 PM

Our Lady of the Angels Catholic Church
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For more information and to register, please visit aod.org/end-of-life-workshop or call (248) 350-1900

Sacraments

Order of Masses

Saturday 4:00pm

Sunday 9:30am, 11:30am

Tuesday **8:45am**

Thursday, Friday 8:45am

Wednesday

No Mass or Prayer Service

Holy Days

As Announced

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:00 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 Gifts to God

For the week ending

January 25th, 2026

Collection	\$6207.00
Envelopes	96
Online	\$1499.00
Total	\$7706.00



Online Giving

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.