

St. Monica CHURCH

All are welcome here!

Weekend Masses

Saturday at 4pm

Sunday at 9am

Emmanuel Church

of the Deaf:

Sunday at 11am

Daily Masses

Tuesday & Thursday: 12:10pm

Wednesday & Friday: 8am

Office Hours:

Monday - Friday 10am - 2pm



St. Monica Roman Catholic Church of Rochester Vision and Mission

We are a Resurrection people rooted in our rich Catholic heritage. We are growing in the *SPIRIT*, as individuals and as a faith community. We answer the CALL to LIVE OUT our Baptismal VOCATION in our daily lives, bringing the LIGHT of Christ's presence to our families, workplaces, neighborhoods and the WORLD.

We dare to LIVE the LIFE of Jesus Christ, transforming discouragement into HOPE, fear into LOVE, isolation into COMMUNITY.

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July 21, 2019

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS



**Let us pray we act justly
in our care for God's creation,
in the face of injustice done to refugees,
and in our care for all our brothers and
sisters in Christ.**

THOSE IN THE MILITARY



CJ Arnell, Joshua Bartlett, Zachary Bartlett,
Jarid Cook, Andrew Chmiel, Andrea Gerard,
David Englert, Thomas Kimmes, Richard Lewis,
Angela Aviles Lewis,
Terry Redfield, Jr. and Patrick Welling.

Lamp Intentions for July

SANCTUARY LIGHT



Dan Tasciotti

from Jane Tasciotti

CROSS ALTAR LIGHT

Robert Mitchell

from Patricia Mitchell



Robert & Jean Vane

from the family

Saturday, July 20– Weekday – Saint Apollinaris, Bishop and Martyr

Ex 12:37-42 Mt 12:14-21

4:00pm: **Laurinda & Antonio Freitas – Niece Zita & Family**

4:00pm: **Madelina McGinnis – Henry & Lucille McGinnis**

Sunday, July 21 – Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gn 18:1-10a Col 1:24-28 Lk 10:38-42

9:00am: **Special Intentions Chris Diguardi – Joann & Ed McDonnell**

Monday, July 22– Saint Mary Magdalene

Sg3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17 Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Tuesday, July 23 – Weekday – Saint Bridget, Religious

Ex 14:21-15:1 Mt 12:46-50

12:10pm: **Juba Family – Mark & Sharon Juba**

Wednesday, July 24 – Weekday – Saint Sharbel Makhluof, Priest

Ex 16:1-5, 9-15 Mt 13:1-9

8:00am: **Will Family – Doris Meadows**

Thursday, July 25 - Saint James, Apostle

2 Cor 4:7-15 Mt 20:20-28

12:10pm: **Lynne McNulty – Donna Whitehair**

Friday, July 26– Saint Joachim & Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Ex 20:1-7 Mt 13:18-23

8:00am: **Sister Ann Marie Hayes – Terry Mulee**

Saturday, July 27– Weekday

Ex 24:3-8 Mt 13:24-30

4:00pm: **Dan Tasciotti – Jane Tasciotti**

4:00pm: **Joseph Ripperger – Donna Whitehair**

Sunday, July 28 – Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gn 18:20-32 Col 2:12-14 Lk 11:1-13

9:00am: **David Mulee – Terry Mulee**

9:00am: **Donald Lawrence -Evelyn Lawrence & Family**

20-Week Club Winners

Week 4

\$25.00 Marcia Lambert

\$15.00 Patrick Finucane

\$10.00 Dorothy Schwind



Our Collection

July 13-14, 2019

Attendance: 218

	Collection Goal	Our Collection	Variance
7/14/2019	\$3,150	\$2,554	-\$596
July, 2019 - present	\$6,300	\$6,070	-\$230

ST. MONICA CHURCH CALENDAR

Do you have meetings or an event that should be on our office calendar? Please call Deborah and secure your spot on the calendar.

For events that are not regular meetings, but require communications and/or set-up, please come in the office and fill out the Event Form.

You are welcome at St. Monica Catholic Church!
Do you want to know more about how to join the parish?
Call the parish office today at 235-3340. It's that easy!
Did you miss a bulletin?
Go to stmonicaofrochester.org to catch up on any bulletins you have missed.

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS:

Please send submissions by 9am on Mondays:
monicabulletin@dor.org
with 10-point black Arial font, please.



ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF ROCHESTER

Victims of sexual abuse should always report to the civil authorities.
To receive help and guidance from the Roman Catholic Diocese of Rochester, contact our Victim Assistance Coordinator:

Deborah Housel
585-328-3228, ext. 1555
Toll-free: 1-800-388-7177, ext. 1555
or by e-mail to victimassistance@dor.org.

**This week at St. Monica Church:
July 21 - 29, 2019**

Sunday, 7/21	9:00 am - Mass, Church
Monday, 7/22	5:30 pm - Contemplative Prayer, Chapel 7:30 pm - Contemporary Choir
Tuesday, 7/23	12:10 pm - Mass, Chapel 4:00 pm - Westside Farmers Market, Parking Lot 6:00 pm - Legion of Mary, Rectory
Wed., 7/24	8:00 am - Mass, Chapel 1:00 pm - Legion of Mary, Rectory
Thursday, 7/25	12:10 pm Mass, Chapel
Friday, 7/26	8:00 am - Mass, Chapel
Saturday, 7/27	No exposition until September 4:00 pm - Mass, Church
Sunday, 7/28	9:00 am - Mass, Church

**FR. BOB WERTH CELEBRATES
40th ANNIVERSARY
Sunday, July 28, 2019**

Hello 14619!

My years in the Roman Catholic Community of the 19th Ward/Sts. Peter & Paul (1992-2004) were very happy years for me. My celebration will be very informal, since it will be done in the context of our Annual Parish Picnic on Sunday, July 28th from 1:30 - 6:30 p.m. at Seneca Park, Longhouse Shelter.

If you are able, just stop in so I can thank you personally and grab a bite to eat. No gifts, please.

Love, Fr. Bob

St. Monica Game Day at the Red Wings

Saturday, August 10

TICKETS ON SALE NOW: \$8



Our youth are singing the National Anthem.

Summer Calendar Dates:

Westside Farmers Market

- Tuesdays 4 - 7pm

Red Wings Game - Sat., August 10th, 7pm

Vacation Bible School - August 19 - 23

SAINT MONICA SCHOLARSHIP



The Saint Monica Scholarship Award is a scholarship of \$1000 for parishioners attending a Catholic school in Grades 6 through 12. To apply, contact Barbara Higgins by July 21 at 563-7447 or higgins@alum.rpi.edu. No financial information is needed. For St. Monica Scholars who wish to continue the scholarship, send your 2018-2019 transcript to the office by July 21.



Liturgical Minister Schedule

Ministers	July 27, 2019	July 28, 2019
Hospitality	Kathy & Mark Bianchi, Luis Gonzalez	Gerry & Kathy Murty, Mai & Amos Boway, Justin Magidi, Tom & Linda Nally, Debbie Diederich, Judy Predmore
Welcoming	Meg Lute	Paul Domagola
Sacristan	Cathy Ripperger	Mary Ellen Fischer
Altar Servers	Missy Adams	Sophia Kolb-Urbaniuk
Lectors	Debra Millet, Mark Shevlin	Marilyn Catherine, Dan Lill
Communion Ministers	Michele Resavage, Charlene Witkowicz	Sandy Chamberlain, Sheila Clements, Debbie Diederich, Andrea Ehmann
Music	Vanessa & Jennifer	Contemporary Choir

ST. MONICA UBS 2019

AUGUST 19 - 23 9AM - NOON

AGES 5 AND UP

COME FOR JEDI FAITH TRAINING !

FORMS ARE IN CHURCH!

OR ONLINE: STMONICAOFROCHESTER.ORG

Donations needed:

- * ANYTHING STAR WARS
- * colored pencils, markers,
- * small prizes/toys,
- * paper towels,
- * school glue & glue sticks,
- * paper cups, paper plates,
- * play bubbles, bubble wands,
- * 4 hula hoops, * 2 Slip-n-slides,
- * Glo-Sticks,
- * large pretzel rods, * Twizzlers, * juice boxes
- * brown or beige fabric, empty paper towel rolls and PRAYERS!



SSJs Elect New Leadership Team



With great esteem, The Sisters of Saint Joseph announce the election of the new Leadership Team:

Sister Eileen Daly, President (pictured top left)
Sister Elizabeth Sutter, Vice President (pictured top right)
Sister Elaine Englert, Councilor (pictured bottom left)
Sister Marilyn Pray, Councilor (pictured bottom right)

The new team will be formally installed in August. The

election comes following the close of the 2019 SSJ Chapter proceedings, a major Congregational event that happens every four years. Aside from the election of new leadership, the Sisters also set forth a new Directions Statement that will help guide their mission and ministry for the next four years.

2nd Annual *Beats @ Brooks* Celebrating Southwest Rochester Music Talent Live Music, Food, & Community Networking Summer 2019

Bring a lawn chair and a friend to enjoy music and food with neighbors at Brooks Landing (at the corner of Plymouth and Brooks) on six Thursday evenings from 6 to 8pm.

All events are free!

**July 25 - Bureau Cats Blues Band
featuring our John DeMott**

August 1 - Joe Beard, August 8 - All-N-One Band
August 15 - Ruby Shooz
August 22 - Lauren & the Good Souls
August 29 - Mambo Kings



SOCIAL JUSTICE CORNER

LIGHTS FOR LIBERTY

On Thursday, July 12th, at Washington Square Park, there was a peaceful gathering as part of a national effort to bring thousands of people of conscience across the country together to protest the inhumane conditions faced by refugees at our borders, particularly children. There were informational and fundraising tables, as well as postcards available to send to congressional representatives. This event was co-sponsored by Indivisible Rochester and the MK Gandhi Institute for Nonviolence. For a decade, not one migrant child died in U.S. government custody. Since September, at least six children have died in the custody of either DHS or HHS. This is being done in our name, with our money, by our government. How many more kids have to die before this madness stops?

Darlyn Cristabel Cordova-Valle hadn't seen her mom in 9 years. She came here to be with her mother in Nebraska. She was hospitalized with heart issues soon after she arrived. Her mother asked that Darlyn be released to her care. The government refused. She died on September 29 in our government's custody. She was 10 years old.

Jakelin Amei Rosmery Caal Maquin liked to climb trees. She jumped when her father told her she could come with him to the U.S. She thought she might get her first toy, or learn to write. She got her first pair of shoes right before the trip. She died on December 8 in our government's custody. She was 7 years old.

Felipe Gómez Alonzo was excited to come to the U.S. His dad had second thoughts about bringing him, but Felipe got upset. His dad let him join. Felipe thought he might get his own bicycle. He died on Christmas Eve in our government's custody. He was 8 years old.

Juan de León Gutiérrez was shy, a good student. When he missed class to help his dad harvest coffee, he would run to catch his teacher after school to explain his absence. He was a "very humble child full of dreams," his teacher said. He died on April 30 in our government's custody. He was 16 years old.

Wilmer Josué Ramírez Vásquez's mother brought him to the U.S. to get him medical care for a condition that left him unable to walk. He died on May 14 in our government's custody. He was 2 years old.

Carlos Gregorio Hernández Vásquez loved playing the piano and the bass. His family called him Goyito. He had 8 brothers and sisters; one of them, Edgar, had special needs. Carlos came to the U.S. to help support Edgar. He died on May 20 in our government's custody. He was 16 years old.

RECYCLING VS. WISHCYCLING

Many of us are trying our best to be good stewards of God's creation. Recycling is one way that we can all contribute to the effort but there are some cautions about recycling. To make sure you are doing it correctly contact your local hauler but in general follow these rules:

1. Never put recycling into plastic bags.
2. Don't mix recyclables with trash.
3. Make sure your recyclables are washed and dry.
4. Secure bottle caps to their original containers. Do not recycle loose caps.
5. Make sure paper and cardboard are clean. A good example is pizza boxes. Tops can be bottoms can't be (grease stains)
6. Plastic straws and tableware? Never. Better to not use them in the first place
7. Don't WISHCYCLE: throwing something into recycling, hoping that it will be recycled. Better to throw it into the trash.