

# Our Lady of La Salette Parish



## MISSION STATEMENT

We, the people of Our Lady of La Salette Parish, in union with the Archdiocese of Detroit and the Bishop of Rome, are empowered by the Holy Spirit through Baptism and called to the Eucharist at the Lord's Altar. We celebrate our Catholic Faith together recognizing the value and diversity of each of our members. Having Jesus as our example, we seek to provide for and build on our faith through participation in spiritual, educational and community activities, and to welcome as family all who seek our door.

Berkley, Michigan

January 18, 2009



## OUR LADY OF LA SALETTE SCHOOL - JANUARY 18, 2009

Join us anytime from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Meet our teachers and learn about our innovative preschool through grade 8 programs classrooms, as well as our religious

## A Day of Prayer and Penance for Life, Thursday, January 22, 2009

*In all the dioceses of the United States of America, January 22 shall be observed as a particular day of penance for violations to the dignity of the human person committed through acts of abortion, and of prayer for the full restoration of the legal guarantee of the right to life.*

*General Instruction of the Roman Missal, no. 373*

Prepare for this special day of prayer and penance by reading the following scriptures:

**Isaiah 32:15-18, James 3: 13-18 and John 20:19-23**

God wants us to live in paradise. But in the years since abortion on demand has been made available in the United States of America, we have become a desert of virtue. Like the desert the Prophet Isaiah describes, the culture of death in our country makes it a dry and parched land, without life and without hope.

Yet, the Lord promises to send forth his Spirit, who when poured out on the desert will cause it to bloom like an orchard. It will bloom with justice and peace, calm and security for all. Even the child in her mother's womb, or the old person on the verge of death, or the prisoner on death row will have hope. For "my people will live in peaceful country, in secure dwellings and quiet resting places."

The upper room where the disciples gathered after the death of Jesus upon the cross was also a sort of desert. The room was locked for fear of those who had killed Jesus. The air was thick with fear and the smell of death. But Jesus entered the room and breathed on them, saying "Peace be with you." This is the peace the world cannot give. It is the same breath, the same spirit of God which brings life to the desert.

Whenever we are faced with the culture of death, we must pray to God for the gift of this Spirit, whose fruits are justice and peace. That, in fact is what we pray for on this day: Justice and Peace. Justice for the child killed in his mother's womb, peace for the victim of violent abuse, justice for the doctor and his colleagues who profit from the death of children, peace for the mother who repents of her long ago abortion. Justice for the innocent victim whose life no longer seems important to anyone, and peace for the man who sits and waits for death each day in a prison not too far away from us.

We pray for the gift of this spirit of peace and justice. According to Saint James we can also work for this gift by living a good life seeking to be humble and wise. We must put aside all bitter jealousy and selfish ambition, seeking to be "pure, then peaceable, gentle, compliant, full of mercy and good fruits, without inconstancy or insincerity." Only then will our lives proclaim the Gospel of Life. Only then will the Spirit of God renew the face of the earth.

## Coffee House Concert

Sponsored by the Berkley Clergy Association to benefit the WELCOME INN HOMELESS CENTER

**Sunday, January 18, 2009 5:45 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. in the La Salette Fr. Landry Center**

Help the hungry and homeless in Oakland County while enjoying some of the area's finest praise music. Pizza, desserts, and beverages will be available for purchase. Welcome Inn is an ecumenical effort of churches in our community during the coldest months of the year. The shelter is open 12 hours a day, 5 days a week. Last year, the Welcome Inn provided a warm safe environment and a daily lunch to 314 individuals. Over 3300 meals were served, over 600 bus tickets distributed, and over 134 volunteers logged in 2675 hours of service. *Dress casual, bring your appetite and friends, and be prepared to join in contemporary worship while raising money for the homeless! .*

**LITURGICAL MINISTRIES**  
**SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK — January 24 and 25, 2009**

MASS	ALTAR SERVERS	LECTORS	MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	CANTORS
<b>Saturday</b> 5:00 p.m.	T. Oravetz M. Oravetz Jacob Bowker K. Matuszak	T. Rospierski	B. Zernick J. Bald Z. Bartkowski P. Marr E. Greenhow M. Kurpinski L. Kurpinski	C. Wells
<b>Sunday</b> 9:30 a.m.	S. Uhlarik E. Beaudoin C. Johnson	S. Oswald	D. Irwin D. Dunaj T. Cusick D. Fritsch J. Fritsch M. Robinson M. Seidl	L. Mastracci
<b>Sunday</b> 11:30 a.m.	M. Guyor B. McCormick R. Hurley	J. Panozzo	L. Brown S. Daigle J. Phillips M. Phillips J. Tong	Z. McGrath

### Masses for the Week

#### Sunday, January 18, 2009

9:30am +Bernie & Alan Wierzbicki  
req. by His Wife & Children  
+Leo Seidl req. by Gloria J.  
Seidl  
11:30am +Christian Hill req. by the  
Saliba Family

#### Monday, January 19, 2009

8:45 a.m. Communion Service

#### Tuesday, January 20, 2009

8:45am +Joseph Stanwick req. by  
Sally Stanwick & Family

#### Wednesday, January 21, 2009

7pm For The People

#### Thursday, January 22, 2009

8:45am +Leo Seidl req. by Gloria J.  
Seidl

#### Friday, January 23, 2009

8:45am +Stephen O'Connor req. by  
Sheila & Richard Murphy

#### Saturday, January 24, 2009

5pm +Anne O'Connor req. by  
Sheila & Richard Murphy

#### Sunday, January 25, 2009

9:30am For the People  
11:30am +Carroll Moreton Sr. (26<sup>th</sup>  
Anniv.) req. by Maggie  
Moreton

### The Week Ahead

#### Sunday, January 18, 2009

9:30AM Children's Participation Mass C  
9:30AM Sunday Mass C  
10:30AM Family Gathering LC / KIT  
10:30AM La Salette Celebrates Catholic  
Schools Week GYM  
11:30AM Sunday Mass C  
6:00PM Coffee House Benefit  
LC/GYM/KIT

#### Monday, January 19, 2009

8:45AM Communion Service C  
3:30PM Basketball Practice GYM  
6:00PM Youth Chorus Team Instrument  
Rehearsal C  
7:00PM SVdP Meeting AR  
7:00PM Youth Group Meeting LC1

#### Tuesday, January 20, 2009

8:30AM Preschool Phys Ed GYM  
8:45AM Weekday Mass C  
3:30PM Cheer –sideline LC2  
3:30PM Basketball Practice GYM  
6:00PM School Comm/Strategic Planning  
Comm FAC  
7:00PM RCIA POB2  
7:00PM Society for Peace C

#### Wednesday, January 21, 2009

8:30AM School Physical Education  
Classes GYM  
1:15PM Pastoral Team Meeting POB2  
3:30PM Lenten Planning Meeting POB2  
3:30PM Elem Rel Education LC/SCHL  
3:30PM Basketball Practice GYM  
7:00PM Weekday Mass C  
7:30PM Prayer Group POB1  
7:30PM Adult Parish Choir Rehearsal CR

#### Thursday, January 22, 2009

8:45AM Weekday Mass C  
11:30AM Writers Club LC2  
3:30PM Cheerleading Practice LC2  
3:30PM Basketball Practice GYM  
6:30PM Handbell Choir Rehearsal C  
7:30PM Contemporary Choir CR

#### Friday, January 23, 2009

8:30AM Preschool Phys Ed GYM  
8:45AM Weekday Mass C  
3:30PM Competitive Cheerleading LC2  
3:30PM Basketball Practice GYM

#### Saturday, January 24, 2009

9:00AM Basketball Games GYM  
9:30AM 1<sup>st</sup> Reconciliation Retreat  
LC SCHL  
5:00PM Vigil Mass for Sunday C  
7:30PM Euchre LC 3/4 /KIT

#### Sunday, January 25, 2009

9:30AM Sunday Mass C  
11:30AM Sunday Mass C  
1:30PM Basketball Games GYM

### Readings for the Week

#### Sunday, January 18, 2009

*Second Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19/1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20/  
Jn 1:35-42

#### Monday, January 19, 2009

Heb 5:1-10/Mk 2:18-22

#### Tuesday, January 20, 2009

*Ss. Fabian and Sebastian*  
Heb 6:10-20/Mk 2:23-28

#### Wednesday, January 21, 2009

*St. Agnes*  
Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Mk 3:1-6

#### Thursday, January 22, 2009

*Day of Prayer and Penance for Sins  
Against Human Life*  
Is 32:15-18, James 3: 13-18, John 20:19-23

#### Friday, January 23, 2009

Heb 8:6-13/Mk 3:13-19

#### Saturday, January 24, 2009

Heb 9:2-3, 11-14/Mk 3:20-21

#### Sunday, January 25, 2009

*The Conversion of St. Paul*  
Acts 22: 3-16 or Acts 9: 1-22,  
1 Cor 7: 29-31, Mk 16: 15-18



PARISH WEBSITE  
and  
ONLINE CALENDAR

[www.lasalette-church.org](http://www.lasalette-church.org)



**Eternal Rest,  
Grant Unto Him,  
O Lord!**

**Gilbert Travailot**

September 25, 1929 – January 7, 2009

### **Prayer for All Human Life to Our Lady of Guadalupe**

**Our Lady of Guadalupe, we turn to you who are the protectress of unborn children and ask that you intercede for us, so that we may more firmly resolve to join you in protecting all human life.**

**Let our prayers be united to your perpetual motherly intercession on behalf of those whose lives are threatened, be they in the womb of their mother, on the bed of infirmity, or in the latter years of their life.**

**May our prayers also be coupled with peaceful action which witnesses to the goodness and dignity of all human life, so that our firmness of purpose may give courage to those who are fearful and bring light to those who are blinded by sin.**

**Encourage those who will be involved in the March for Life; help them to walk closely with God and to give voice to the cry of the oppressed, in order to remind our nation of its commitment to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness for all people.**

**O Virgin Mother of God, present our petitions to your Son and ask Him to bless us with abundant life.**

**Amen.**

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Manresa Jesuit Retreat House

## **CAREGIVERS RETREAT**

February 6 - 8, 2009

Director: Sr. Jean Marie Umlor, R.S.M. Coordinator  
Holistic Clinical Practice Mercy Health Services, Grayling  
and

Patti Quinlan, Adjunct Professor,  
Michigan State University and Madonna University

Are you in a care-giving ministry or situation — personal or professional — that takes much of your time and energy? Are you looking after others in a care giving situation? You need some respite yourself, some time to be good to yourself, a “getaway” weekend to experience some of the personal care you give to others. It is a chance to re-energize yourself and find the healing touch of God for yourself and your ministry.

Each year Manresa Jesuit Retreat House sponsors a relaxing, restful, restorative weekend retreat specifically for men and women who are care givers — professionals like nurses and health care workers, or people who give home care for members of their own family or others. This weekend is designed to minister to you to allow you to be “receivers” of care, grace and spiritual nourishment.

Come rest in the silence and solitude of Manresa's beautiful setting. Find nourishment and refreshment of mind, body, spirit this year. Presentations for quiet prayer

- Experienced presenters in the field
- Prayer with Scripture
- Reflection and rest
- Healing service
- One-on-one conferences with Jesuits and female support staff
- Time for mutual sharing
- Massage therapy (additional separate fee)

Call and make some time for your own healing and care. You can make reservations on line at [www.manresa-sj.org](http://www.manresa-sj.org) or by calling (248) 644-4933 and indicate you would like to register for the Caregivers Retreat.

## **The Catholic Alumni Club of Detroit**

The Catholic Alumni Club of Detroit (CACD) is a non-profit organization of single adults, age 21 and over who have earned a bachelor's degree and are free to marry in the Catholic Church. CACD has approximately 130 members throughout the Metropolitan Detroit area and offers a large number and variety of activities, including athletic, cultural, intellectual, religious and social events. It is part of a national organization of over 30 clubs throughout the United States.

### **General Meeting on Wednesday, January 21 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.**

Meet at Marinelli's Restaurant, 611 W. 12 Mile Rd., for our general meeting. Now that the 2009 New Year has begun, meet other singles and learn what our club has to offer. For more information, call (586) 215-0457.

If you have any questions, please contact our organization at (313) 882-0990. For information about our club log on to [www.cacdetroit.org](http://www.cacdetroit.org)



### PRAYER LIST FOR THOSE IN SERVICE TO OUR COUNTRY

To include the names of your loved ones in military service, contact the parish offices (248) 541-3762, extension 10 or e-mail us at: [office@lasalette-church.org](mailto:office@lasalette-church.org)

#### *Please Pray For...*

2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. Jeremy Barrett, USAF  
 IS2 Jason Becktell, U.S. Navy  
 CPO Michael Bistersky, U.S. Navy  
 Pvt. Nicholas Blask, U.S. Army Reserves  
 MSG Brian Boland, USAF  
 MSG Larry Briar, USMC  
 SSgt Jeffrey Briar, USMC  
 LCpl Matthew Brzezinski, USMC  
 Major Matthew Cadicamo, U.S. Army  
 Noreen Carrasco, U.S. Army  
 Col. Michael J. Carey, USAF  
 Jamie Chatel, U.S. Navy  
 SSgt Erin Corrigan, USAF  
 Robert Crandall U.S. Navy  
 LCpl Derrick DeMeritt, USMC  
 Doug Dilleshaw, U.S. Army  
 Sgt. Edward Dillon, U.S. Army  
 Alexander Donnelly, USMC  
 Sheila Ford, USAF  
 Alexander Fritsch, U.S. Navy  
 SSG Mark Godfrey, U.S. Army  
 Sgt. William John Good, US Army  
 LCpl Joseph Greathouse, USMC  
 Airman 1<sup>st</sup> Class Daniel Hamden, USAF  
 PFC Andrew Horvath, USMC  
 Pvt. Richard Inman, U.S. Army  
 Airman John Robert Irwin, USAF

LCpl Cody Carter Jerome, USMC  
 Sgt. Bradley Jones, USMC  
 SSgt Jeffrey Jones, USMC  
 Paul Kondrat, USMC  
 Spec. 4 Scott Kotzian, U.S. Army  
 Sr. Airman Michael Layle, USAF  
 Michael J. Licholat, U.S. Army  
 SSG Timothy John Mack, U.S. Army  
 David Malone, Federal Officer  
 TSgt John Manning, USAF  
 Brian Maliszewski, U.S. Army  
 Scott McCormick, U.S. Navy  
 LCpl Mike Mueller, USMC  
 John Nichols, U.S. Army  
 Tim O'Connor, U.S. Navy  
 Ken Paul, USAF  
 Hameed Quresi, USMC  
 Brent Reiffer, USMC  
 Andrew Rougeau, USMC  
 PFC Thomas J. Servais, U.S. Army  
 Airman 1<sup>st</sup> Class Patrick J. Smith, USAF  
 Capt. Kathleen Sprinkle, U.S. Army  
 Jason M. Thorpe, U.S. Army  
 Bryce Vanover II, U.S. Army  
 FC1(SW) Christopher J. Walsh, Sr., U.S. Navy  
 LCpl Michael Woodhouse, USMC



### **Eternal Rest, Grant Unto Him, O Lord!**

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### **“Always Our Children”**

A Day of Reflection for Parents and Families of Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender Children

Parents and family members of gay, lesbian, bisexual, or transgender children are invited to share a Day of Reflection on Saturday, February 28 (9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. at St. Simon and Jude Parish, 32500 Palmer in Westland. The fee is \$25 per person or \$40 per couple. However, no one will be turned away because of inability to pay. This event is not limited to Catholics only. Parents of all (or questioning) faiths are welcomed and encouraged to join us!

This event is offered by Fortunate Families, a ministry to Catholic parents of homosexual children. Fortunate Families has a website which can offer more information about the mission and activities of this organization:

[www.fortunatefamilies.org](http://www.fortunatefamilies.org)

The day will begin with an opening prayer session. The morning will be devoted to listening to the experiences of those attending as parents of gay sons and lesbian daughters and offering an overview of Church teaching on the subject of homosexuality. The afternoon session will extend an opportunity for parents to express their concerns and questions regarding this issue and offer an option to speak with a pastoral counselor (a sister or priest) who will be a part of our team for the day.

There will be time for quiet reflection and the day will end with a liturgy celebrated by Fr. Gerry Bechard.

For further information and to register, please contact Tom Nelson and Linda Karle-Nelson at (248) 489-1505 or

[lindakarle@earthlink.net](mailto:lindakarle@earthlink.net)



### **23<sup>RD</sup> ANNUAL OLE TOY AND TRAIN SHOW Sunday January 25, 2009**

St. Robert Bellarmine  
 Inkster at West Chicago in Redford

Show Opens at 11:00 a.m. and runs until 3:00 p.m.  
 Multiple Operating Layouts - Train Testing, Videos  
 Over 150 Tables for Trains /Toys  
 Door Prizes Every Hour - New Lionel Train Set Raffle  
 Admission \$3 person/\$6 family  
 Food/ Beverages Available

Sponsored by St. Robert's Men's Club

For More Information Call (313) 937-1670 or (313) 937-1500  
[cbalawjpc@yahoo.com](mailto:cbalawjpc@yahoo.com)

### **A Gospel Response to the Economic Crisis**

An afternoon with Capuchin priest and author, Fr. Michael Crosby, OFM Cap, on Thursday, January 29<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the Samaritan Center, 5555 Connor, (south of I-94) in Detroit.

A support forum of priests with strong support from faithful, presents this pressing concern as people suffer economic and other stresses. Fr. Crosby is deeply immersed in the rooted Gospel spirituality of St. Francis.

Free-will offering will be accepted for expenses.

## Serra Club Meeting

The Detroit–Oakland Serra Club will hold its annual meeting on January 20 at St. Paul on the Lake, 157 Lake Shore Drive, Grosse Pointe Farms. The meeting will begin with Mass at 5:30 p.m. followed by dinner and a short meeting in the Canfield Center.

Father Clint McDonnell, associate pastor at Divine Child Parish, Dearborn, will be the guest speaker.

All parishioners are invited to attend to learn about Serra International's mission of encouraging and affirming vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

In the Archdiocese of Detroit, Serra works with the Vocations Office to support its efforts in fostering vocations. The Detroit–Oakland Serrans hope through the meeting at St. Paul to establish a new Serra Club on the east side of the archdiocese to work for religious vocations.

Please RSVP to Bob Barrett at (248) 642-7762 or by email at [bobb@rcwa.net](mailto:bobb@rcwa.net).

## Thanksgiving Mass for Cardinal Maida

On Sunday, January 25 at 3 p.m., Cardinal Maida will celebrate a Mass of Thanksgiving for his eighteen years of service as archbishop of Detroit and to mark his 25 years as a bishop. For seating information, email [anniversary@aod.org](mailto:anniversary@aod.org) or call (313) 883-8730. A public reception at Sacred Heart Major Seminary will follow.

## Installation Liturgy for Archbishop Vigneron

At 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, January 28, Archbishop Vigneron will be installed as the 5<sup>th</sup> archbishop and 11<sup>th</sup> bishop of the Detroit archdiocese at Blessed Sacrament Cathedral.

Limited reserved seating is available.

For information, call (313) 883-8730 or email: [installation@aod.org](mailto:installation@aod.org).

Coverage of the event will be provided by CTND and at [www.aodonline.org](http://www.aodonline.org)

Multiple regional liturgies and gatherings are being planned for the month of February and beyond.

## Catholic School Liturgy Change

**Catholic Schools Week**, a nationally established and recognized event, will be observed as planned in southeast Michigan from January 25–31.

In the Detroit archdiocese, the annual Catholic Schools Mass has been moved to 10:30 a.m., Tuesday, February 10, at Blessed Sacrament Cathedral. This annual liturgy will be celebrated by Archbishop Allen Vigneron.

While there is some reserved seating for the Mass, there is room for the Catholic public to attend and support our schools and their students.



**Christ's Chosen**

The Resource for Catholic and Christian Men



A most happy and blessed New Year to you all! Our Lord has many good things in store for us in this New Year, and he has already begun by providing us with a new Archbishop, Archbishop-elect Allen Vigneron. He, of course, is a native of our area who knows our ecclesial context very well. Let's begin to offer our prayers for him and his leadership right away.

Perhaps the second new initiative from the Lord is the attempt to have a monthly 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the month "Christ our Hope Hour of Prayer" during this 2009 calendar year. In order to avoid conflict with work schedules we have set the hour of prayer from 6:00-7:00 a.m.

In as many parishes as will be possible we are encouraging our brothers to come together in a spirit of trust and humility before the Lord with our petitions and intercessions for the present condition, economic and otherwise, asking God's mercy and aid for our state, our county, our Archdiocese, our families and friends.

This new initiative was birthed from reflection and prayer of the "Men of the Upper Room" men's group. Around the Plymouth area around 25 men gathered for prayer in the chapel of St. John Center for Youth and Family. We were before the Lord in song, adoration, petition and intercession. It truly was a rich spiritual hour together before our Lord.

Please stay in touch with the website [www.christschosen.com](http://www.christschosen.com) for the listing of the other parishes who will be participating in this initiative. Let's always keep in mind that as men we are not only called to act but also to pray and listen to our Lord as well.

Within the next six weeks we will have had two Men's Conferences in our Archdiocese, the 1<sup>st</sup> mini conference focused on the Sacraments of Initiation to be held at Our Lady of Good Counsel parish in Plymouth on Saturday January 31st and the 2<sup>nd</sup> Hispanic men's conference with its theme, "St Paul, a Man Mature in Christ." To be held on the 15<sup>th</sup> of February at the Shrine of the Little Flower High School.

These conferences and the many newly launched men's ministry initiatives around the Archdiocese are a sign of spiritual life and vitality among Catholic men. Yes, we still have a long ways to go to fully recover a sense of deep and mature brotherly identity in Christ and in His Church. Yet, I can say with a heart full of gratitude that the Spirit of God has been at work among us, leading us to reconnect with Him and with one another. It's all about remaining open to the work of the Spirit among us!

*Paco Gavrilides*

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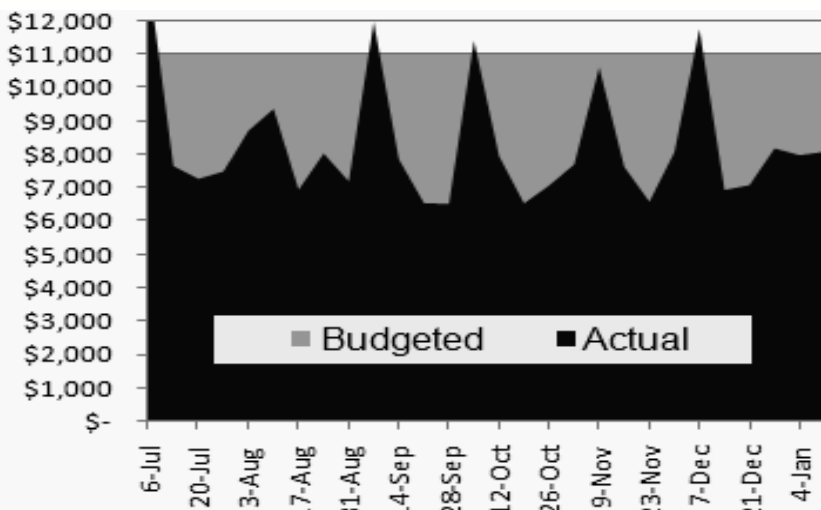
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HELP US KEEP OUR SICK LIST CURRENT. PLEASE NOTIFY THE PARISH OFFICES AT (248) 541-3762, EXT. 10, WHEN YOU OR YOUR LOVED ONE NEED TO BE REMEMBERED IN PRAYER AND ALSO WHEN THE NAME CAN BE TAKEN OFF THE LIST.

**SUNDAY OFFERING REPORT**

July 6, 2008 through January 11, 2009

Amount Needed for the Ministries of the Parish Each Week .....	\$11,000
Received on Sunday, January 11, 2009.....	\$8,103
Amount Needed Fiscal Year to Date .....	\$308,000
Amount Received Fiscal Year to Date.....	\$233,083
<b>Shortfall in Sunday Offering This Fiscal Year (July 6, 2008 - January 11, 2009) .....</b>	<b>(\$74,917)</b>
Envelopes Mailed to Registered Parishioners .....	1052
Envelopes Received Last Week .....	176
Percentage of Parishioners Contributing Last Week.....	17%



**PROJECT LIFE** In support of life in all its stages, PROJECT LIFE coordinates the resources of the Archdiocese of Detroit, in partnership with Catholic social service organizations, health care service organizations, parish communities and Archdiocesan offices. Every human being has worth and dignity - from conception to the last natural breath. Life itself is a gift from God and thus we do not have the right to diminish or take it away. The gift of life is ours from God and it is to be nourished and utilized to the fullest, not merely for individual purpose, but for the benefit of all humankind.  
 Help Line: 1-800-281-2102 [ProjectLife@aod.org](mailto:ProjectLife@aod.org)

**OUR LADY OF LA SALETTE**

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 Berkley, Michigan 48072-1597  
 (248) 541-3762 / Fax (248) 541-4250  
 Parish website [www.lasalette-church.org](http://www.lasalette-church.org)

Parish General E-Mail Address:  
[office@lasalette-church.org](mailto:office@lasalette-church.org)

Send Bulletin Articles by 12 Noon on Monday to  
[bulletin@lasalette-church.org](mailto:bulletin@lasalette-church.org)

**MASS SCHEDULE**

**Saturday** 5:00 p.m.  
**Sunday** 9:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.  
**Weekday:** 8:45 a.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Friday,  
 7:00 p.m. Wednesday, Communion Service on Monday  
 at 8:45 a.m.  
**Sacrament of Reconciliation**  
 Saturday 4:00 p.m. and by appointment.

**Baptisms**  
 Contact Deacon Darga for baptism information.

**Marriages**  
 Contact clergy to make arrangements.

**Communion and Sick Calls** Please notify us of critically ill, hospitalized, or homebound persons who desire pastoral care.

**PASTORAL TEAM**

- Rev. Fr. Patrick J. Connell, Pastor  
 Ext. 12 / [frredbeard@lasalette-church.org](mailto:frredbeard@lasalette-church.org)
- Rev. Mr. Daniel M. Darga, Pastoral Associate  
 Ext. 11 / [dmdarga@wowway.com](mailto:dmdarga@wowway.com)
- Rev. Mr. Brian Carroll, Pastoral Minister  
 (248) 891-2817 / [briancarroll@comcast.net](mailto:briancarroll@comcast.net)
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