



CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY

GRAND BLANC, MICHIGAN

JANUARY 29, 2023

4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

CELEBRATE OUR PANTHER FAMILY!

HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL
PRESCHOOL - 8TH GRADE

OPEN HOUSE

**SUNDAY
JANUARY 29, 2023**
Join us at 10:00am for Mass &
visit our school from
11:00am-noon

**An open house event for all ages!
Celebrate HFS and all
Catholic Schools with us!**

**Tour our campus where your child
connects with their *faith*.**

**Meet our teachers who foster
academic excellence.**

Experience the *excitement* that is HFS!

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4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

January 29, 2023

Entrance Hymn

Open My Eyes #651

Responsorial Psalm #1101

Psalm 146: Blessed the poor in spirit;
the kingdom of heaven is theirs!

Communion Hymns

We Are the Light of the Lord #592

Psalm 25: To You, O Lord #39

Seek Ye First #658

You Are My All in All #2081

Closing Hymn

Lead Me, Lord #2056

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; You take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; You are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord. You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, In the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God,
the Father Almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
He descended into hell;
on the third day He rose again from the dead;
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Holy Catholic Church,
the communion of Saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting.
Amen.

Readings

#1101

First Reading:
Zephaniah 2:3, 3:12-13

Second Reading:
1 Corinthians 1:26-31

Gospel:
Matthew 5:1-12a



St. Michael the Archangel

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan, and all evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

A C U P O F J O E

Greetings in Christ! I type this out having returned from the "Good News Cruise" marriage retreat. It was an amazing time. I worked hard and got some rest. I was blessed by the speakers and the 250 couples there on the cruise... I just loved it. Dad was not able to go. He is fine, but the walking seemed to be too much for him, so he stayed with my sister. I'm glad to be back praying with each of you.



This is Catholic Schools Week in our Diocese; a time when we as a Church rejoice that the Lord has blessed us with the call and ability to educate our children with a school. I'm so grateful to our teachers, faculty and staff who give their all to bless our kids. I'm also grateful for our parents who sacrifice so that their kids can learn about God and the world He made in a place of spiritual safety and I'm grateful for you all who sacrifice so that others can send their kids here...praise God!

I ask us all to embrace two responses to our school. First, pray. God has given us this beautiful and challenging mission: educate our kids, not just in secular affairs, but in eternal matters as well. We do not want to create good citizens, compliant with shifting societal norms, we want to help God make saints. Such a task is impossible without prayer. Please pray for our school every day.

Second, sacrifice. Our tuition costs do not cover the cost to educate. It is our sincere hope that parents who send their kids to our school pray with us weekly and donate to the Church so that we can stay functional. We simply cannot stay open relying on a few donors; we need everyone's "all in." If you can only give a bit each week, then please give a bit each week. If you are in a position to help more, please do so. We have a dream of growing our endowment so that it can lower the cost of tuition for each child. As we continue to get healthier financially, we will be able to divert more money to that endowment. Until then, we are growing it by people giving toward that fund.

I am so very grateful to God for your generosity. In just four years, we eliminated an inherited debt, paid

for the church renovation and significantly lowered our spending as a parish. Our collection has risen every year because of you all and I am so terribly grateful.

Your dedication makes it possible for us to now begin to attend to these four areas:

1. Finishing the Church (Organ Pipes, Sacred Art, Parking lot, etc).

2. Addressing the parish grounds: this area has been neglected for some time and we are going to have to do some significant work to repair and address the problems.

3. Caring for our poor: An agreement was made with the city some years ago that by 2023, we would tear down the house we use to feed the poor and build a new one. We plan on getting after that this year and tearing down the old, unattractive and falling apart sheds, creating one building that will serve as a garage for our tools and tractors, as well as a storage and distribution area for our work with the poor and vulnerable.

4. Building our endowment: slowly but surely, we will build up our education endowment so that we can maintain or hopefully reduce tuition.

ADDITIONAL NOTE:

I am typing this on Wednesday, January 25th, and just discovered through reading the obituaries that Wayne Knecht went to be with the Lord a few days ago. I am so deeply saddened. For those who do not know, Wayne was a faithful and joyful member of our parish family. He was a regular at daily Mass and Sunday Mass as well. He prayed with us, sacrificed for us and brought ridiculous kindness and joy to our parish family. It appears there are no plans in the immediate future for a funeral Mass so we are going to pray a memorial Mass for him on Saturday, Feb. 18, 2023, at the 8 am daily Mass.

Thank you for taking time to read this! I'm so grateful to be your priest.



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STEWARDSHIP & WORSHIP

Black and Indian Mission Collection

Since its foundation in 1884, the Black and Indian Mission Office have partnered with Catholic dioceses, schools, parishes, and colleges across the country to spread the gospel of Jesus Christ through education and other evangelistic initiatives. Founded by the Catholic Bishops of the United States, this cooperation helps to spread the Good News of Jesus Christ and respond to real and pressing needs on the ground.



An envelope for this collection next weekend may be found in your packet or you may choose to give online.

“Others First” is Next Weekend

We depend on your generosity to stock our Outreach Food Pantry and Clothes Closet. Please remember the needy as you shop this week. Our current need is for **toothpaste, deodorant, razors, paper towel, Kleenex and toilet paper**. We can still use egg cartons, please. Bring nonperishable items to Mass next weekend or drop items off at Outreach (white building north of the church) Mon.- Fri. 10 am - 2 pm. Clothing items to donate may be placed in shed behind Outreach (shed is back closer to garage).



Your timely and wonderful generosity is appreciated, especially by our clients. It seems that no sooner are we low in supply, than you show up with products!

In addition to groceries and supplies, we greatly appreciate monetary donations which can be used to support our efforts. If you choose to give through Food Bank of Eastern Michigan, please designate **P152** to direct it to Holy Family. Thank you for any future giving that you might direct to Outreach!

Stewardship of Treasure January 21st & 22nd 2023

Registered families		1925
Envelopes received this week		134
Mail-in givers this week		13
Online givers this week		196
Amount offered from envelopes	\$	6,310.00
Amount offered from mail	\$	2,653.00
Amount offered from online giving	\$	12,667.00
Amount offered from visitors	\$	393.00
Total weekly offerings	\$	22,023.00

Lector / Eucharistic Minister Training

We have scheduled the mandatory annual training for Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers on the following dates:

Wednesday, February 8 - after 6 pm Mass
Saturday, February 11 - after 4 pm Mass
Sunday, February 12 - after noon Mass

A brief training will take place in the church following Mass. We would like all current and prospective ministers to attend the training you are interested in.

Please remember that the diocese requires that we commission all Eucharistic Ministers after training. Commissioning for Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers will be at weekend Masses **Saturday, February 25, & Sunday, February 26**.

If you have any questions, please call the parish office at 810-694-4891.

Please join us...

Thursday Mornings
9 - 11 a.m.
St. Joseph Center | Holy Family
parking available in the Fr. Bush Parish Center lot
Walking with Purpose & Women's Gospel Reflection

Women's Gospel Reflection

*Would you like to strengthen your relationship with Jesus Christ?
Would you like to learn how to apply the wisdom of Jesus to your everyday life?*

Gospel Reflection is a Bible study focusing on the upcoming Sunday's Gospel reading. All are welcome to join Thursday morning to read the upcoming Sunday Gospel together in a casual environment.

No need to sign up or commit. The Gospel is new each week, so you can drop in any time. Come when you can, come as you are, and do not worry when you cannot. There is no preparation necessary. Just bring yourself and grab a tea or coffee and listen to and reflect upon this Sunday's Gospel.

For more information contact,
Cathy Szczerba at 810-656-7752.

The "reflection" portion of our meetings is guided by, The Better Part, A Christ-Centered Resource for Personal Prayer, by Fr. John Bartunek.

WHAT'S HAPPENING HERE



HFS Auction Tickets are on Sale NOW!

CELEBRATE & SUPPORT HFS!
JOIN US FRIDAY, MARCH 17, 2023

To purchase tickets & for more info,
scan the QR Code or
visit one.bidpal.net/hfs2023

Silent & Live Auction
Hors d' Oeuvres
Cash Bar
50/50 Raffles & Games



We are still accepting items to be auctioned off at this event. Please drop off any new items you would like to donate in the School Lobby Monday-Friday between 8am-3pm. Visit hfs.gb.org for our donation wish list.



55 & Over Club

The best and most wonderful things in this world cannot be seen or even touched; they must be felt with the heart.

Helen Keller



Join us this **Tuesday, January 31st**, at 11:00 a.m. in the Fr. Bush Parish Center. You are missed.

WELCOME

Our newest parishioners

We welcome our newest families that have joined Holy Family. Let's continue to make them and anyone else who walks through our doors welcome.

Cecilia Mende

Amy and Andrew Sappington, children Riley and Alexander

Lee and Jessica Allen, children Penelope, Dwyer, and Fiona

Bernard and Elizabeth Kotarski

Brittany and Stephen Sharp, and daughter Sommerlyn

Maria and Paul Carlstrom

Brandon and Samantha Rice, children Calihan and Lennon

Elizabeth Jones

ACCEPT THE CHALLENGE.

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First Friday Mass for Vocations

Please join us on **Friday, February 3**, for Mass at 8:00 a.m. Our Mass Intention will be "For Vocations to the Priesthood and Consecrated Life."

Welcome to our newest member who joined us through the Sacrament of Baptism.



Baptized on January 21, 2023

Lennon Grace Rice, daughter of Brandon and Samantha Rice

Knights of Columbus Family Rosary



Please join us as we pray the Rosary for the intentions of all Holy Family Parishioners. We will pray a family Rosary **Sunday, February 5th** (the first Sunday of every month), shortly after the end of 10:00 AM Mass.

HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL



HFS Scholarship Nominations and Applications are due by 3:00 pm.
Wednesday, March 1, 2023.

Your child may drop off their applications in the school office
or scan & email to atabereaux@hfsgb.org to submit.

ALL students are encouraged to apply.

Visit hfsgb.org under the admissions and click on scholarships for more info.

*If you know an awesome HFS student and want to nominate them for the Holy Family Parish Scholarship, please visit hfsgb.org.
Under the admissions tab, click on scholarships, and scroll
to the bottom of page for all application and nomination forms.

Join our Panther Family!

Considering a Switch to Catholic School?
Tuition Transfer Grants are now available at
Holy Family Catholic School

Any student in 1st -6th Grades currently attending a public, charter, home,
or private school who registers to attend Holy Family School is eligible to
receive a two-year tuition grant up to \$1,500.

*This Transfer Grant is not available to students transferring from local Catholic schools or students
who have previously been enrolled at Holy Family Catholic School.

For more information visit
hfsgb.org or email
Mrs. Lisa Harvey
lharvey@hfsgb.org



Be a part of our Holy FAMILY!
Contact Lisa Harvey at 810-694-9072, ext. 0
or lharvey@hfsgb.org
www.hfsgb.org



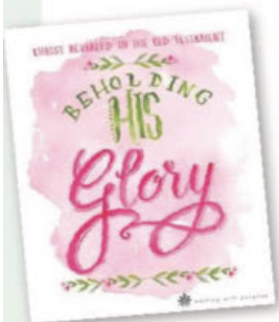
WHAT'S HAPPENING HERE

Come as you are.

YOU ARE WELCOME HERE

Join us for **Beholding His Glory** as we study Old Testament people and events and discover how all Scripture points us to our Redeemer, Jesus Christ.


walking with purpose



Thurs, Jan. 26 - Mar. 23 at 9 - 11:00 am
St. Joseph Center

or

Thurs, Jan. 26 - Mar. 23 at 7 - 8:30 pm
via Zoom

Beholding His Glory: \$20
(link to purchase book found in registration)

To register and for more information, **go to hfgb.org** or Holy Family app!

For more information, contact:
Vikki Lasota
vlasota@msn.com or 248-653-2117
Kristin Smith
kristin.smith265@gmail.com

High School Subsidy Application

Holy Family Parish offers a tuition subsidy to students of active and participating Holy Family parishioners who attend a Catholic High School. An active and participating parishioner is defined as someone who regularly attends Sunday Mass, volunteers in parish/school functions, and gives joyfully, spiritually and sacrificially to the needs of our Church and School.

<https://form.jotform.com/230234693305148>

Please fill out a form for each high school student in your family.

This form is due March 1st, 2023.

Our Catholic Heritage

by Earl Hagen

71st Pope – Severinus

Born in Rome. His election in 638 was confirmed and recognized twenty months later by Emperor Heraclius who tried in vain during that time to gain approval of the edict of Ecthe-sis which legitimized monotheism (a heretical theo-ry). Pope Severinus was caught up in a power struggle with Heraclius. Pope Severinus naturally refused to sign it, even after the promise that his messengers made in Constantinople in exchange for the placet. As a result, Heraclius burned the Basilica of St. John Lateran and the Lateran palace. Severinus died August 2, 640.



Catholic 101

February 5, 2023
This week's topic:

The Spiritual Works of Mercy

Whether you are already Catholic or becoming Catholic, ALL are welcome! Topics of discussion will be updated weekly. Please join us anytime!

Dcn. Dan Medich
dmedich@hfgb.org

Sundays | 11:30 am - 1 pm
St. Joseph Center

DBSA Peer-led Support Group

(Depression and Bipolar Support Alliance)

Join a community of caring and supportive people who can help you on your road to recovery. The support group meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. in the St. Joseph Center. For more information, call Angela at (810) 347-4706.

Mass Intentions Jan. 30 - Feb. 5

Monday, January 30

8:00 AM Leonard Polakowski by *4th Degree Knights of Columbus*

Tuesday, January 31

8:00 AM Rose and Tony Kroell by *Carol Black*

Wednesday, February 1

8:00 AM Perry Ann Owen by *Todd and Tanya Babiasz*
6:00 PM Leonard Polakowski by *4th Degree Knights of Columbus*

Thursday, February 2

8:00 AM Judy Rivard by *Carmelite Community*

Friday, February 3

8:00 AM For Vocations to the Priesthood and Consecrated Life

Saturday, February 4

8:00 AM Bob and Lee Wilderotter by *John Nemesi*

4:00 PM George Phillips by *Phillips Family*

Sunday, February 5

8:00 AM Don and Terry Kita by *Paul & Desiree Londrigan*

10:00 AM All Holy Family Parishioners

12:00 PM James Romprey by *Peter and Linda Daunt*

Masses in Fiji on behalf of Holy Family:

Lilia Carter (Living) by *Nancy Reputan*

3 Masses for Fr. Frederick Taggart, OSA by *Chad and Shelby Cramer*

David and Peggy Wagner Family (Living) by *Janice Hennen*

To schedule Mass intentions, please email Theresa Dyer at tdyer@hfgb.org or call 810-694-4891, ext. 2211, or stop in the parish office 9 a.m. - noon or 1 - 4 p.m. M-Th.

Liturgical Ministry - February 4/5 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

(schedule may not reflect recent changes)

4:00 PM Saturday - Fr. Leronio Vodivodi

Lectors: Gina Hunsinger, Kathy Swiantek

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Kathy Swiantek Randy Swiantek

Altar Servers:

James Londrigan Emily Martin Grace Martin

8:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Joseph Krupp

Lectors: Steve Rousseau, Greg Snyder

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Richard Jobbagy David Roberts II

Altar Servers:

Owen Cameron **(Help needed - 2)**

10:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Joseph Krupp

Lectors: Kathy Maiuri, Norman Fox

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Rod Shick Daniel T. Charboneau

Altar Servers:

Logan Sliwka Amelia Elston **(help needed—1)**

12:00 PM Sunday - Fr. Leronio Vodivodi

Lectors: Dr. Steve James, Bill Harris

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Desiree Londrigan Paul Londrigan

Altar Servers:

Caitlin Campbell Helaina Barry Kolten Barry

Weekly Readings Jan. 29 - Feb. 5

Sunday: Zep 2:3; 3:12-13/Ps 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10 (Matthew 5:3)/1 Cor 1:26-31/Mt 5:1-12a

Monday: Heb 11:32-40/Ps 31:20, 21, 22, 23, 24/Mk 5:1-20

Tuesday: Heb 12:1-4/Ps 22:26b-27, 28 and 30, 31-32/Mk 5:21-43

Wednesday: Heb 12:4-7, 11-15/Ps 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18a/Mk 6:1-6

Thursday: Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

Friday: Heb 13:1-8/Ps 27:1, 3, 5, 8b-9abc/Mk 6:14-29

Saturday: Heb 13:15-17, 20-21/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/Mk 6:30-34

Next Sunday: Is 58:7-10/Ps 112:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (4a)/1 Cor 2:1-5/Mt 5:13-16

Pray the Patriotic Rosary

Please come to pray in the church at **4 p.m. every Thursday** to "Put God Back in America." The more voices, the more powerful the prayer. For information, call Joe Dunn at 810-516-3543 or Richard Dent at 810-624-2996.

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR HFS 8TH GRADE
WASHINGTON D.C. TRIP!

8TH GRADE CAN &
BOTTLE DRIVE BEGINS
FEBRUARY 4!

*LAST DAY TO
DROP OFF
RETURNABLES IS
FEBRUARY 14.

BOTTLE & CAN
DROP OFF
TRAILER WILL BE
LOCATED IN THE
UPPER LOT.

WHAT'S HAPPENING HERE



Traveling Prayer Chalice is Back!

We have been praying especially for an increase to vocations to the priesthood and religious life. We are continuing our efforts by introducing to you our Traveling Prayer Chalice for Vocations.

This is a special ministry that invites you to reserve a time to take home this special chalice, along with daily short prayers that will be prayed over the course of a week.

Join us... let's storm the heavens with our prayers for vocations.

2022 Altar Flowers

Our web page for ordering Altar flowers is now open! Please go to: <https://hfgbaltarflowers.pushpayevents.com/> Your \$50 donation for your specific month will help us provide flowers at the altar and around the sanctuary to beautify our worship space. Your loved one's name will be listed in the parish bulletin for that entire month. You may offer flowers in honor of a living person for a special occasion or in memory of your loved one.

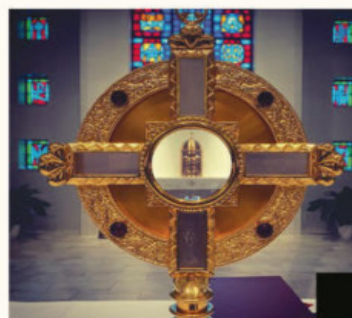


We hope this new format will allow more people to be able to participate each month and help beautify our new worship space even more. We will continue to have Easter and Christmas memorial collections as well. **During Lent and Advent there will be no flowers in church.**

If you have any questions or if you need assistance ordering, you may contact Theresa Dyer at 810-694-4891, ext. 2211, or tdyer@hfgb.org.

February 3: St. Blaise

We know more about the devotion to Saint Blaise by Christians around the world than we know about the saint himself. His feast is observed as a holy day in some Eastern Churches. In 1222, the Council of Oxford prohibited servile labor in England on Blaise's feast day. The Germans and Slavs hold him in special honor and for decades many United States Catholics have sought the annual Saint Blaise blessing for their throats. Bishop Blaise was martyred in his episcopal city of Sebastea, Armenia, in 316.



Eucharistic Adoration

TUESDAYS
2 - 6 PM
FRIDAYS
12 - 4 PM

"Gaze upon him, consider him, contemplate him, as you desire to imitate him."

- ST. CLARE OF ASSISI



Meals for Moms

Expecting a baby? The women of Holy Family would love to welcome your little one by bringing a few meals to your family after the baby is born.



Contact Elizabeth at 810-265-4189 or Vicky at 715-927-1970 or hfgbmealsformoms@gmail.com to make arrangements or to volunteer. **We are looking for a few more people who would be willing to take a meal to a new mom occasionally for this ministry.**

PARISH PRAYERS & MORE

A funeral Mass was celebrated at Holy Family on January 23 for



Rest in Peace

Janet Carriere. Janet, age 82, died on Tuesday, January 17, 2023. She was born January 15, 1941, and was married to Lawrence (Larry) for 63 years. Surviving are children Michele, Jon, Cheryl (Jim) Williams, Yvette, Bob Koryto and Andrea Groves, as well as six grandchildren, five great-grandchildren, and two sisters.

Lord, we remember in our prayers Janet Carriere, whom you have called to be with you. May the calming peace of your love be with her family. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let the perpetual light shine upon her. Amen.

Please Pray for the Ill and Their Caregivers



Please remember in prayer those listed in the January 1 bulletin and those listed in the Parish Book of Intercessions (in the Gathering Space).

Cenacle of Divine Mercy of St. Mary Cathedral

Excerpts from **God in the Diary of Saint Sister Maria Faustina (Diary, 1628)** "My pupil, have great love for those who cause you suffering. Do good to those who hate you."



For January In Memory of

Valeria Bartley by *Patricia Dailey*

Greg Gildner by *Janet Gildner*

In Honor of

Past, Present and Future Students and Staff of Holy Family School by *Janet Gildner*

February 2023

Apostolate of Prayer for Priests... Lansing

Feb. 1 Rev. Nathaniel Sokol / Rev. William Stevenson
Feb. 2 Rev. Timothy MacDonald / Rev. Mark S. Mossa
Feb. 3 Rev. Amalorpavanathar Rayapillal / Rev. Eugene Beiter
Feb. 4 Rev. Zachary Mabee / Rev. Joseph Wagner
Feb. 5 Bishop Earl A. Boyea
Feb. 6 Rev. Patrick Casey / Rev. Antonio Jabbour
Feb. 7 Rev. Terrence Dumas / **Rev. Joseph Krupp**
Feb. 8 Rev. Robert Karle / Rev. Mark Rutherford
Feb. 9 Rev. John Whitlock / Rev. Matthew Bonk
Feb. 10 Rev. Vincent Richardson / Rev. Jason Brooks
Feb. 11 Rev. Alexei Woltornist / Rev. Tyler Arens
Feb. 12 Bishop Earl A. Boyea
Feb. 13 Bishop Emeritus Carl Mengeling
Feb. 14 All Priests
Feb. 15 Rev. Joseph Campbell / Rev. Luis Felipe Villalobos

Feb. 16 Rev. John Machiorlatti / Rev. Michael Cassar
Feb. 17 Rev. Bogdan Rybchuk / Rev. Todd Koenigsnecht
Feb. 18 Rev. Richard J. Bauman / Rev. Mark Martin
Feb. 19 Rev. Juan Sabadell / Rev. Louis Ekka
Feb. 20 Rev. Dennis Howard / Rev. Anthony Smela
Feb. 21 All Deceased Priests
Feb. 22 Our Holy Father
Feb. 23 Rev. Roger Chikri / Rev. Francis George
Feb. 24 Rev. Bosco Padamattummel / Rev. Jeffrey Robideau
Feb. 25 Rev. Steven Makranyi / **Rev. Leronio Vodivodi**
Feb. 26 Rev. Kyle Shinseki / Rev. Satheesh Alphonse
Feb. 27 Rev. Jon Taylor / Rev. Richard Eberle
Feb. 28 Rev. Pieter vanRooyen / Rev. Jay Kersten

Prayerfully Prepared for You by the Sisters of the Community of the Resurrection, Cason, Maine

HERE AND THERE



In Loving Memory

Please pray for the following Holy Family parishioners who died on these dates:

January 29

Mary Bednar, Pauline Snyder

January 30

Austin (Skip) Snyder, Jacqueline Sykes, Helena Marzonia, Edward E. Lintz, Jr., James Stach, Richard G. Ethier, Jr.

January 31

Thomas D. Murphy, Patrick Parrent, Dorothy Bitzinger, Barbara Gleason, Bernard Boisvert, Margaret Bondy

February 1

George Coggins, Matthew Wrocklage, Katherine Spring

February 2

Henry McAra, Norma Wood, Frank E. Voight, William Bednar, Terry Kita

February 3

John Stine, C. Arthur Clune, Alfred Upton, Christian Uecker, Agnes Kropelnitski

February 4

David Marlow, Amy Covell, Teresa Thomas

Prayer Intention of Pope Francis

for February

For parishes - We pray that parishes, placing communion at the center, may increasingly become communities of faith, fraternity and welcome toward those most in need.

World Marriage Encounter

Looking for the perfect Valentine's Day gift for your spouse? How about the gift of better communication, stronger faith, more romance, and 44 hours alone together? Discover all of this and more on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter experience **March 24-26** in Saginaw or **April 14-16** in Grass Lake. Apply today at wwme.org or contact Chris & Darla at 517-667-0433 for more info.

Are you "Under Her Mantle?"

Want peace in the world? Is that possible? Mary said so at Fatima by making the Five First Saturdays Devotion. How? "Join" us on the First Saturdays from February-June as we heed Our Lady's request together!

Want peace in your life? Many saints agree; pray the Rosary and cling to Mary. How? "Join" us every Saturday morning, live at 8:15 a.m., where we honor Our Mother and ask for her intercession in specific ways each week at:

<https://www.facebook.com/stmarywestphalia> - Click on the "videos" tab. Join us live every Saturday at 8:15 a.m. or watch the playback anytime! Our Lady is asking, will you say yes?

World Marriage Day

A day when St. John Paul II gave his apostolic blessing
Sunday, February 19, 2023

San Marino Club, 1685 East Big Beaver, Troy 48083
2:30-6:30 pm (doors open at 2 pm)

Dinner at 3:00 pm followed by Speakers & Dancing
Emcees: Deacon Dominick Pastore & Teresa Tomeo

Fr. Joseph Krupp: Words to Strengthen, Inspire and Guide Marriages

Fr. Joseph Krupp was born and raised in Montrose, MI, as the youngest of six children. Fr. Joe's mom and dad both say he "entered the world running." Fr. Joe was ordained to the priesthood 24 years ago and has served at multiple parishes, as well as taught at Lansing Catholic High School and Michigan State University. He has also served as Director of Campus Ministry at MSU and Chaplain for MSU football and the East Lansing Police Department. Fr. Joe is now the Pastor of Church of the Holy Family parish and school in Grand Blanc and St. Mark parish in Goodrich. His nationally syndicated monthly column for Faith Catholic and his weekly podcasts and live-streams allow him to teach and serve a virtual following that spans the globe. Fr. Joe will speak on: Marriage & the Central Mystery of Our Faith. Follow Fr. Joe- Facebook: Fr. Joseph J Krupp | YouTube: Joe In Black Ministries | Instagram: @joeinblack88

Bill & Carol Brewis: Mercy, Joy & Healing in Marriage

Bill and Carol have been married 42 years and are blessed with three married children and 11 grandchildren. Carol earned an undergraduate degree in developmental Psychology and a Certificate in Spiritual Direction from Manresa and training from the JP II Healing Center. Bill has a degree in mathematics and worked in the computer and software industry. In 2005, they both left full time employment and set off on a spiritual journey to discern God's will for their lives. They are involved in prayer ministry, spiritual direction and minister spreading the mercy of God to aching mankind, especially in marriages & families.

Priests, as well as prayer ministers, will be available for blessing and prayers after the presentation.

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Advance registration required by Feb. 12, 2023



AROUND THE DIOCESE

2023 Miss Hibernia Scholarship Contest

Applications are being accepted for the 2023 Miss Hibernia Pageant sponsored by the Flint St. Patrick's Day Grand Marshals and the Ancient Order of Hibernians, an Irish Catholic fraternal organization. Cash scholarships will be awarded with \$1,500 to Miss Hibernia, \$1,000 to the First Runner-Up and \$500 to the Second Runner-Up. The pageant is open to young ladies ages 16 - 22 years, of Irish ancestry who live in or attend school full-time in Genesee County.



For more information and to obtain an application form, visit www.FlintStPatricksDay.com or call (810)730-4446. **Deadline for entry is February 20th.**

Spring Luncheon

Please save the date. On **Thursday, May 4, 2023**, at noon, at St. Mary Cathedral parish hall in Lansing, the Catholic Lawyers Guild will be hosting its annual Spring Luncheon. The speaker will be renowned canon lawyer Edward Peters. Mr. Peters is Professor of Canon Law at Sacred Heart Major Seminary in the Archdiocese of Detroit. More details and registration information will follow in the coming months.

The Cenacle of Divine Mercy

The Cenacle of Divine Mercy meets the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of every month from 10 am to 11:15 at St. Mary Cathedral Parish Hall (Lansing). Our next meeting is **February 1st**. We offer Zoom to anyone who is out of our area or does not wish to meet face to face. We read Scripture, the Catholic Catechism and the Diary of St. Faustina to help us promote the unlimited Mercy of God. If this is something you might be interested in, please call or text Diane at 517-402-1562. Thank you!

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Lunch and Learn Series Resumes

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This year's presentations are as follows: Tecumseh Center for the Arts, **February 7, 2023**; Tips on Technology, **March 7, 2023**; and The Heart of the Art, **April 11, 2023**.

Lunch and Learn now offers two options. Bring your lunch – drinks and dessert are provided and registration is not necessary. You can also order your lunch from Weber Center for \$5, your choice of egg salad, turkey salad, or chicken salad croissant sandwich and chips. Register at least two days before the event at www.webercenter.org; click on "programs." You can also register by calling 517-266-4000 or emailing webercenter@adriandominicans.org.

Weber Center is on the campus of the Adrian Dominican Sisters' Motherhouse, Adrian, Michigan. Traveling east on Siena Heights Drive, pass the Adrian Rea Literacy Center and turn left just before the solar panel-covered parking lot. Follow the signs to Weber Center. For information, call the Weber Center at 517-266-4000.

First Saturday Devotions

The World Apostolate of Fatima Diocesan Morning of Prayer and Reparation for World Peace will be held at Blessed Sacrament (6340 Roberta St., Burton) on **February 4th**, at 9:00 am. The morning will include Divine Liturgy, Investiture in the Brown Scapular, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Holy Hour of Prayer and Rosary.

Please call Richard at (810) 624-2996 with any questions or concerns. More information on our website: www.wafgc.org

St. Francis Retreat Center

- Married Couples Weekend: Feb. 10-12
- Men's Retreat - Rescue and Response: Feb. 10-12
- The Urgency of the Message with Fr. Jim Rolph: Saturday, Feb. 11 8:30 am - 4 pm
- Women of Spirit Retreat - "Joy" featuring Sheri Wohlfert: March 3-5, 2023
- Men's Retreat—Rescue and Response: March 10-12, 2023
- Women's Retreat—Rescue and Response: March 17-19, 2023

More information and registration for any of these events can be found at www.stfrancis.ws or call 517-669-8321.

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Wednesday: 6 pm

Confession Schedule

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Saturdays 9 am (after 8 am Mass)

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