

OCTOBER 31, 2021 31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



The scribe said to him, "Well said, teacher. You are right in saying, 'He is One and there is no other than he." And when Jesus saw that he answered with understanding, he said to him, "You are not far from the kingdom of God." - Mk 12:32, 34ab

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass @2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

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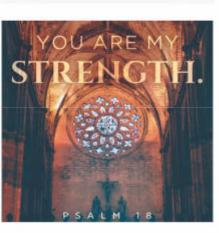
| Entrance Hymn Love Divine, All Loves Excelling | #641 |
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| Responsorial Psalm Psalm 18: I love you, Lord, 1 strength, my strength. | #1183 my |
| Communion Hymns | |
| Psalm 25: To You, O Lord | #39 |
| Psalm 24: We Long to See Your Face | #37 |
| I Give You My Heart | #2051 |
| Closing Hymn Blessed Be Your Name | #2030 |
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Readings

First Reading: Deuteronomy 6:2-6

Second Reading: Hebrews 7:23-28

Gospel: Mark 12:28b-34



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.

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.

What's Happening Here

A Cup of Joe

Greetings in Christ, all!

This weekend is the big MSU game against their rival in Ann Arbor. By the time you read this, I pray MSU has secured victory.

This Monday is All Saints' Day. This is when we celebrate and we honor the canonized saints in our Church. Normally, this is a Holy Day of Obligation but for some reason, it isn't this year. Even with



that, I pray that we set aside some sort of special celebration that day and go to Mass if we can.

This Tuesday is All Souls' Day, the day when we pray for and honor our beloved dead. I hope that we all take time this day to remember and pray for our beloved dead and, if possible, visit and honor their graves. We have a Mass of Remembrance, Tuesday evening, November 2nd at 6pm. Please read the article in the bulletin for more information. We hope to see you there!

These two feasts remind us of a lot of things, but to me, chief among them is the knowledge that life is terminal, that all of us will face death. We remember our death and let that be a fuel to focus our life and our decisions on the longest part of our existence: the eternal one that begins at our death.

Let the knowledge of our deaths and the prayers of the saints compel us to give all we have to love, to prayer, to growth and service. Let the knowledge of death help us to cling tighter to our families and not take them for granted. Let it all be a reminder to us to let go of unhealthy grudges and forgive.

I pray that these two extraordinary days don't just pass us by, but compel us to be grateful for the example and prayers of the Saints and strive to be one someday as well.

I bless you all with a heart filled with gratitude that I get to be your priest.

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Solemnity of All Saints

Since All Saints falls on a Monday (November 1st) this year, it is not a holy day of obligation. There will be Mass at 8:00 a.m. that day.

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**, **November 4th** (the first Sunday of every month), shortly after the end of 10:00 AM Mass.



Banners

Banners of our beloved dead will be displayed on the four church pillars throughout the month of November.

Book of Remembrance

The Book of Remembrance is now available near the Marian altar. You are invited to add the names of your deceased loved ones to this book so that we may pray for them during the month of November. Please be assured of our prayers for your loved ones who have been listed in the book in previous years. (There is no need for them to be added again.)

Mass of Remembrance All Souls' Day, Tuesday, Nov 2, 2021

Please join us for a Remembrance Mass on All Souls' Day, **Tuesday, November 2, 2021**, at 6 PM in memory of all deceased parishioners since November 2020 and all of our faithful departed. A banner listing the names of our deceased for the past year will be displayed in the church throughout the month of November.

If you'd like your loved one's name read during this Mass, please submit their name to Nancy Repuyan, Ministry of the III and Bereaved, by email to nrepuyan@hfgb.org. Please include pronuncia-



tion, if necessary. Please rsvp to Nancy if you plan to attend Mass so we can get an idea for candles needed for participants to place near the altar in memory of their loved one.

Please note corrected email for Nancy in this article

Stewardship & Worship

Receive God's gifts gratefully - Cherish & tend to them responsibly -Share them in justice & love - Return them to God

"Others First" is Next Weekend

We depend on your generosity to stock our St. Joseph Food Pantry and Clothes Closet. Please remember the needy as you shop this week. 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. We can still use egg cartons. Clothing items to do-



nate may be placed in shed behind Outreach (shed is further 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. Thank you for any future giving that you might direct to Outreach!

Outreach Thank You

First, thank you to the very young Holy Family children who contributed so many diapers to Outreach! What a wonderful, giving thing to do!

Secondly, thank you to everyone who has been so very generous in supplying us with groceries and supplies all month for October for Others! Our church family is so very responsive to all our needs and you are very much appreciated by our staff and our clients.

First Friday Mass for Vocations

Please join us on **Friday, November 4th,** for Mass at 8:00 a.m. Our Mass Intention will be "For Vocation to the Priesthood and Consecrated Life."

Help - Religious Education

Classes for K - 8

Sundays 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. every two weeks

We are still very much in need of more Religious Education teachers and substitutes! If you can help us with this, please contact Katie Buszek kbuszek@hfgb.org

Childcare Ministry Volunteers

We are still seeking volunteers for a new Childcare Ministry at Holy Family School daycare for ages 3 & up. Come for one hour or stay the whole day. Love, time and life experiences are helpful, but love is required! Call Jamie at the parish office (810-694-4891) or Deacon Denny (810-964-9034) for further details.

World Mission Sunday

Thank you for your generous response to the collection for the Society for the Propagation

of the Faith last weekend on World Mission Sunday. You may stay connected year round to the Pope's missions, continuing the commitment of World Mission Sunday, by visiting MISSIO.org.



An envelope may be found in your packet or you may choose to give online.

Eucharistic Adoration Time Change

Please note that the time for Eucharistic Adoration on Tuesdays will now be 2 - 6 pm. Friday will continue to be 12 - 4 pm for Adoration.

Confirmation

Confirmation has been scheduled with Bishop Boyea for **Tuesday, November 9, 2021**, at 6:30 p.m. Parents may wish to check in with Katie (kbuszek@hfgb.org) to see that all paperwork has been submitted.

Confession

Please make note that we are changing the larger Saturday confession to the **first Saturday of the month** (instead of the second Saturday) as of October 2. The full confession schedule may be found on the directory page (page 13).

Stewardship of Treasure October 23rd & 24th, 2021

| Registered Families | 1899 |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| Envelopes received this week | 126 |
| Mail-in givers this week | 33 |
| Online givers this week | 333 |
| Amount offered from envelopes | \$ 6,379.00 |
| Amount offered from mail | \$ 4,996.50 |
| Amount offered from online giving | \$ 23,825.00 |
| Amount offered from visitors | \$ 695.00 |
| Total weekly offerings | \$ 35,895.50 |

What's Happening Here



No act of kindness, no matter how small, is ever wasted. - Aesop 600 BC



Our lunch at a local restaurant on Tuesday, October 19, was a great idea! We were able to order a meal of our choice from a menu. Good food, good company. We were a group of about 45 plus. Thanks, Cindy, for the dessert.

Join us this **Tuesday, November 2nd**, at 11:00 a.m. in the Fr. Bush Parish Center. We will brown bag it again. Bring your ideas and positive opinions.



located in the gathering space. You are welcome to take a book and return it when finished for others to read. (We are not able to accept donations to the library at this time.)





What: Adoration, small groups, and a time to hang out with friends (and meet new ones)
When: Wednesday, November 3 / 7 - 8:30 pm (feel free to come and go as your schedule allows)
Why: Why not?!? It's a great opportunity to learn more about yourself, your peers, and ultimately more about Christ.

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Holy Family School FAITH FORMATION ... ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

4th Grade Multiplication Wall of Fame

Back for another year... The 4th Grade Multiplication Wall of Fame. Once students have mastered all of the multiplication facts, their names are added to the wall. These students have mastered multiplication math facts through 12x12! This is a 4th Grade math standard for all students. Next up...DIVISION FACTS! Congratulations to the following students, Mitchell, Olivia, Donnell, Jude and Tony! We will continue to celebrate when each student is added to the wall!



2nd Grade Accelerated Reader (AR) Wall of Fame

HFS 2nd Graders are on the fast track to reading! Congratulations to Presley, Elise, Priscilla, Mierri, Boston and Cooper! These students have already reached the 100 Plus Club, meaning they all have read over 100 books! AR is intended to encourage kids to read independently, at their own level and pace. The idea behind AR is that kids enjoy reading more when they can select their own books. With over 150,000 titles in the AR library, there is sure to be something that interests all students!

Keep up the great work, 2nd Grade!





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





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RCIA Topic November 7th

Advent & Liturgical Year

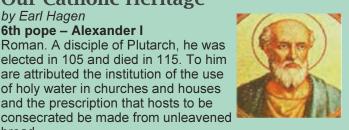
Whether you are already Catholic or becoming Catholic, ALL are welcome to RCIAI Topics of discussion will be updated weekly. Please join us anytime!

Dcn. Dan Medich dmedich@hfgb.org

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

Our Catholic Heritage by Earl Hagen

6th pope – Alexander I Roman. A disciple of Plutarch, he was elected in 105 and died in 115. To him are attributed the institution of the use of holy water in churches and houses and the prescription that hosts to be



November 1: All Saints Day

bread.

On the feast of All Saints, we honor those men and women who—whether they've been canonized or not—have led lives of heroic virtue that set an example for all Christians. The meaning of the feast is summarized in a ser-



mon by St. Bernard: "if we venerate their memory, it serves us, not them. But I tell you, when I think of them, I feel myself inflamed by a tremendous yearning. Calling the saints to mind inspires us, or rather arouses in us, above all else, a longing to enjoy their company so desirable in itself...In short, we long to be united in happiness with all the saints."



Faith Formation

This year we are offering adults an opportunity for continuing faith formation. This will be offered on the same days and times as Sunday Religious Education classes: i.e. every two weeks, 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Whether you're looking for something to do while your kids are in class; curious about Church teaching; looking to deepen your understanding of God, the Church, and your faith; or simply have nothing better to do, come join us for food, fellowship, and friendship. Topics to be discussed will be decided by the group. There is no signup required and this is open to any adults of the parish. Please contact Katie Buszek with any questions (kbuszek@hfgb.org).

Knights of Columbus Baby Bottles for Life

The Knights of Columbus councils in Genesee County are taking on an initiative in Flint that should certainly help Defend Life for the unborn. This initiative is to place three Ultrasounds in the city of Flint by the end of 2021.



The locations for these Ultrasounds include the Pregnancy Resource Center on Saginaw St., Pregnancy Help Clinic on Flushing Rd (presently under renovation), and The Luke Project 52 of Flint.

The cost for these three Ultrasounds is approximately \$110,000 with 50% being funded by our local Knights of Columbus councils and parish communities throughout the county and the other 50% being funded by the Supreme Council, headquarters of the Knights of Columbus.

You can help with your donation to these Ultrasounds through your local Knights Baby Bottle Drive and/or a onetime contribution. Any time over the next couple months, full baby bottles or cash/checks can be placed in the bottle collection box in the gathering space. Checks should be written to KofC Council 6742 with ultrasound in memo line.

Questions, please call your council's District Deputy Rick Perry 810-701-0413.



Mass Intentions November 1 - 7

Monday, November 1 8:00 AM Nick D. Sheeran by the Filer Family **Tuesday, November 2** 8:00 AM Teresa McEnrue by Shelby Cramer 7:00 PM Deceased Members of Holy Family Parish Wednesday, November 3 8:00 AM Arthur Puzycki by Puzycki Family 6:00 PM Mary Robinson by Nancy Repuyan Thursday, November 4 8:00 AM Ray Krupp by Fr. Joe Krupp Friday, November 5 8:00 AM For Vocations to the Priesthood and Consecrated Life Saturday, November 6 8:00 AM Matthew Revord by Richard Jobbagy 4:00 PM All Holy Family Parishioners Sunday, November 7 8:00 AM Clayton Otis by Cathy Lane 10:00 AM Joseph Namey by Yochim Family 12:00 PM The Butler Family (living) by Teem Family

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, M-Th.



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Envelopes - Addresses - Phones

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Envelopes – If you have switched to online giving and no longer wish to receive envelopes, please contact Theresa Dyer in the parish office, tdyer@hfgb.org or 810-694-4891, ext. 2211.

Addresses – Our envelope company matches to the post office before mailing envelopes and gives us address updates. For those no longer receiving envelopes, please make sure to call or email the parish office if you have an address change.

Phones – If you are using cell phones and no longer use your land line, please make sure the parish office has your updated phone numbers. You can email tdyer@hfgb.org or call the parish office 810-694-4891.

Thank you for helping us out with these items!



Liturgical Ministry - November 6/7 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time (schedule may not reflect recent changes)

4 PM Saturday - Fr. Joseph Krupp Lectors: Kathy Swiantek, Sam Burdick **Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:** Dawn Davis Marie Psenski Jean Farris

8:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Leronio Vodivodi Lectors: Kim Dinger, Jane Avereyn **Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:** Mary Throesch Paul Throesch Paul Wolven

10:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Joseph Krupp Lectors: Deb Hawley, Joe Kiefer **Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:** Angela Benchley Doug Benchley Daniel T. Charboneau

12:00 PM Sunday - Fr. Leronio Vodivodi Lectors: Scott Heron, Thomas Hasselbach **Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:** Rod McDonald Desiree Londrigan Paul Londrigan

We welcome back our Liturgical Ministers. If you would like to resume your ministry here at the church, please contact Volunteer Coordinator, Jamie Rodriguez, at the Parish Office (810) 694-4891 / jrodriguez@hfgb.org. We also welcome all new volunteers at this time.

Weekly Readings Oct. 31 - Nov. 7

Sunday: Dt 6:2-6/Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51 [2]/Heb 7:23-28/ Mk 12:28b-34

Monday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [cf. 6]/1 Jn 3:1 -3/Mt 5:1-12a

Tuesday: Wis 3:1-9/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 [1 or 4ab]/Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9/Jn 6:37-40a

Wednesday: Rom 13:8-10/Ps 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9 [5a]/Lk 14:25-33

Thursday: Rom 14:7-12/Ps 27:1bcde, 4, 13-14 [13]/Lk 15:1-10

Friday: Rom 15:14-21/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 [cf. 2b]/Lk 16:1-8

Saturday: Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 10-11 [1b]/Lk 16:9-15

Next Sunday: 1 Kgs 17:10-16/Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10 [1b]/ Heb 9:24-28/Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44

Cenacle of Divine Mercy of St. Mary Cathedral

Excerpts from God in the Diary of Saint Sister Maria Faustina (Diary, 1275) My Secretary, write that I am more generous to sinners than toward the just. It was for their sake that I came down from heaven; it was for their sake that My Blood was spilled. Let them not fear to approach Me; they are most in need of My Mercy.



Knightly Update

Mother of Perpetual Help Council 6742

Pancakes and Spaghetti

Please come join us at our Pancake Breakfast and Spaghetti Dinner. Enjoy the delicious food and fellowship with your family and fellow parishioners. Proceeds help fund our Knights of Columbus charities.

Breakfast

Second Sundays from 9 to Noon Adults \$7, children \$5, families \$30 Pancakes, Sausage Made-to-order omelettes and waffles Scrambled eggs, ham, hash browns, applesauce Toast, coffee, orange juice, and other drinks

Dinner

Third Wednesday from 5 to 7 Adults \$9, children \$5, families \$32 Spaghetti with meat or marinara sauce Garlic bread Salad bar Pudding

Baby Bottle Update

In less than a month, the generous parishioners of Holy Family have donated over \$4,000 to our Baby Bottle Drive. The drive lasts until December 31. If you took a bottle, please fill it with loose change and return it to the Knights Collection Box in the lobby of the church. If you have not taken a bottle, please take one from the Knights Collection Box. The first \$5,000 raised goes to the purchase of three ultrasound machines to be located in the Flint area. All additional money raised is donated to local pregnancy centers.

Tootsie Roll Drive

The Knights Tootsie Roll Drive was October 9. We handed out tootsie rolls and collected donations. For the October drive we collected over \$6,000. This money is donated to local agencies which help mentally impaired people. We will have another Tootsie Roll Drive in the spring. Our goal is to raise \$11,000 between the two drives.

September Knight of the Month

John Prosniewski is the Knight of the Month for September 2021 for leading the cleanup of the parish hall kitchen and pantry and leading the monthly Sunday breakfast and Wednesday spaghetti dinner.

September Family of the Month

Steve and Arlene Spratt are family of the Month for September 2021. Steve and Arlene Spratt demonstrate a great example of marriage fidelity as they care for each other in their golden years. Steve, with Arlene's support, has served the Knights over the years in many roles including Grand Knight and District Deputy.

Join the Knights!

If you are a Catholic man over the age of 18 and you are looking to become part of a group dedicated to service and fraternity, consider joining the Knights. The time commitment is minimal, but the difference you can make in our community is huge! Please visit kofc.org/joinus to sign up.

November Calendar

| Date | Time | Event | Location |
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| Sun., Nov, 7 Thu., Nov. 11 Thu., Nov. 11 Sun., Nov. 14 Wed., Nov. 17 | 7:30 9 - 12 | Family Rosary Planning meeting Council meeting Pancake Breakfast Spaghetti Dinner | Church FBPC FBPC FBPC FBPC |



Pray the Patriotic Rosary

Please come to pray in the church at **4 p.m. every Thursday (note change of day)** to "Put God Back in America." The more voices, the more powerful the prayer. For information, call Joe Dunn at 810-694-9223 or Richard Dent at 810-624-2996.

Fatima Apostolate Prayer Cell

Fatima Apostolate Prayer Cell is a weekly time on **Wednesdays at 4:00 p.m.** for prayer in the church to honor the Trinity within the Eucharist, a time to pray for our family and for those whose faith is being challenged and for the sins of the world. We also pray a rosary.

Parish Prayers and more

A funeral Mass was celebrated here at Holy Family on October 21

ly on October 21 for **Paul Ososki**. Paul, age 89, died on Sunday, September 5, 2021. He was born in Detroit on January 13, 1932, to Paul and Rose Ososki. He married Irene Cutting on August 7, 1954, and she predeceased him. On October 20, 1989, he married Marlene Davis. Surviving are his wife Marlene, children John (Teresa) and Sally (James) Lerchenfeldt, step-children Marilee (Farrel) Summers and Lisa (Jim) Nash, daughter-in-law Debra Ososki, four grandchildren, four step-grandchildren, five greatgrandchildren and four siblings. He was preceded in death by a son and a brother.

Rest in Peace

A funeral Mass was celebrated (at St. Charles & Helena) on October 25 for **Bernice Murphy**. Bernice, age 99, died on Tuesday, October 12, 2021. She was born December 8, 1921 in South Boardman, MI, to James and Mary Beth McCuaig. She married Leo Yaklin. Bernice is survived by her granddaughters Coby Yaklin, Michele (John) Shonka, and Amy (James) Lewis, great-grandchildren, five greatgreat-grandchildren, and two sisters. She was preceded in death by her husbands Jim Murphy and Dennis Lumley, son Robert, a step-daughter and five siblings.

Lord, we remember in our prayers Paul Ososki and Bernice Murphy, whom you have called to be with you. May the calming peace of your love be with their families. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. Amen.



Altar flowers in memory of Dorothy Biehler by Stephen & Joanne Biehler

Please Pray for the Ill and Their Caregivers



Please remember in prayer those listed in the October 3 bulletin and those listed in the Parish Book of Intercessions (in the Gathering Space).

* See Priest prayer list on page 12 *



Graceson Kerr and Jason Maxa November 6, 2021

and

Brooke Barone and Kaleb Holwager November 13, 2021

Wedding Congratulations



Congratulations to Sophia Charboneau and Thomas Bawden, who were married at Holy Family on October 30, 2021. Please keep them in your prayers as they start their married lives together.

In Loving Memory

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

October 31 Peter Mackelwich, Esther Brady, Carrie Jozwiak, David Bellows, Robert J. Wright, Florence A. Udell, Helen Boik, Balbina Zagata November 1 Rose Joo, Thomas Robert McCarthy, Mary McConkie, Edward Gaspar, Janelle Mazure November 2 Irene Koleski, Helen Piotraczk, Leo Ghastin November 3 Melissa Charleville, Jean Frock, Catherine Cavanaugh, Vincent VanDalen, Danny Powell, Yvonne Harris November 4 Francis Tenerowicz, Celestine Borckardt, John Tytar, Rita Kolp November 5 Hazel VanEckhoutte, Ellen M. Bishoff, Judith Matsko **November 6** Charles Watters, Beulah Racine, Michael Kostka, Haley Elizabeth Race, John Krause

Prayer Intention of Pope Francis for November

Universal Intention - *People who suffer from depression* We pray that people who suffer from depression or burnout will find support and a light that opens them up to life.

Around the Diocese

Ladies Ancient Order of Hibernians, Inc. Irish History Contest

Students are invited to participate in a National Irish History Contest. The Ladies Ancient Order of Hibernians, Inc. sponsors a National Irish History Contest for students Grades 6-12. The contest is comprised of two levels: Level 1 is for students in Grades 6-8 and Level 2 is for



Grades 9-12. Any student enrolled in parochial, private, public school, or home schooled is eligible to participate.

The topic of the entry must be: The 40th Anniversary of the Irish Hunger Strike 1981: What was the impact on Irish History?

Monetary Awards:

Level 1 Grades 6-8 1st place \$500, 2nd place \$250 Level 2 Grades 9-12 1st place \$1,000, 2nd place \$500

Contest Rules and mailing information are available by sending an email to: tpmteunis@charter.net -- All entries are **due by November 15, 2021**.

Position Available - New Calvary

New Calvary is now hiring for their Family Service Ádvisor Position. The cemetery ministry position assists families with grave, crypt, and memorial selections, and coordinates funerals with funeral directors. The position also works to help families with advanced planning (pre-need arrangements). For more information and to apply for this position, please go to: https://www.dioceseoflansing.org/ human-resources/careers.

Powers Catholic Annual Super Raffle

The Raffle helps support classroom and facility needs, as well as tuition assistance efforts that supplement the true cost to educate Powers Catholic students. Tickets are \$20 each; only 5,000 tickets in total will be sold. The drawing

will be held on **Friday**, **February 4**, **2022**. Participants need not be present to win.



10 CASH PRIZES to be awarded: Grand Prize: \$10,000 Second Prize: \$5,000 3rd – 10th Prizes: \$500

Please call the Powers Advancement Office (810.591.0100) to purchase your tickets.

License no. R61648

All Souls' Day Mass

Please join the Staff of New and Old Calvary Catholic Cemeteries on **Tuesday, November 2, 2021**, at 11:00 a.m. for their Annual All Souls' Day Liturgy being held this year at New Calvary Catholic Cemetery Mausoleum, 4142 Flushing Road, Flint, MI, with Fr. Thomas Firestone as celebrant. Light refreshments will be served following the Mass. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Cemetery Office at 810-732-2620.

New Calvary Catholic Grave Blanket & Wreath Sale

New Calvary Catholic Cemetery is now taking orders for grave blankets and wreaths:

| Grave Blankets | | \$82.00 |
|------------------------|------|---------|
| Grave Pillows | | \$50.00 |
| Wreath on Tripod | | \$46.00 |
| Cross Wreath on Tripod | | \$56.00 |
| | | |

All orders must be received **by December 1, 2021**, and will be placed before Christmas Eve. Price includes sales tax, delivery, placement and removal from the grave. To place an order, please call their office at 810-732-2620 or mail a letter with a check to New Calvary Cemetery, 4142 Flushing Road, Flint MI 48504.

Days of Mindfulness

Mindfulness is a practice in living honestly with oneself. Join the mindfulness community that meets monthly to deepen our understanding and commitment to the daily practice of meditation. Facilitated by Adrian Dominican Sister Esther Kennedy, OP, retreat leader and spiritual director, the Days of Mindfulness are held Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. ET. The sessions are virtual only and will be on Zoom.

The dates and themes are as follows:

November 20, 2021, Wandering Mind. Learn the difference between watching thoughts pass by like clouds and inviting them to lunch. When we are caught by our thoughts, sanity is only a breath away.

December 11, 2021, Wholeness, Happiness, Peace. Living in and being attuned to the rhythms of the present moment means living in accord with life.

The cost is \$25 per session, and a break for lunch will be included. Registration is required to receive the Zoom link. Visit www.webercenter.org and click on "programs," call 517-266-4000; or email webercenter@ adriandominicans.org.

Around the Diocese

Powers Catholic High School OPEN HOUSE

Sunday, November 7th, 2021 12:00 - 3:00 pm 1505 W. Court Street, Flint, MI 48503

Please join us for a tour of our beautiful campus and to ask questions about spiritual, academic, and extracurricular programs, as well as tuition aid, transportation, and more. "With God, all things are possible" (Matthew 19:26), and we would like to give your student every advantage for their future, including an education grounded in faith.

We hope to see you on **November 7th**! For more information, call (810) 591-4741, ext. 6.

First Saturday Devotions

The World Apostolate of Fatima Diocesan Morning of Prayer and Reparation for World Peace will be held at St. Mary (11110 S. Saginaw St., Mt. Morris 48458) on **November 6th**, at 9:00 a.m. The morning will include Divine Liturgy, Investiture in the Brown Scapular, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Holy Hour of Prayer and Rosary.

St. Francis Prayer Center - Help!

The St. Francis Prayer Center is in urgent need of help! The Prayer Center is in the process of reorganizing their Bed Ministry. Are you someone who would like to help children and parents by delivering a bed for them to sleep on? They are looking to gather delivery teams that will work together one or two days a week or even one or two days a month.

You must be able to lift mattresses, box springs, frames, dressers, night stands, or shelving units. This ministry benefits so many people (especially children). We pray you feel the same way.

They also need someone to place orders at the Food Bank of Eastern Michigan and see to the pickup with a Prayer Center truck on a Monday or Tuesday morning.

Please contact St. Francis Prayer Center at 810-787-5330 to volunteer or send an email to stfrancisflint@comcast.net.

With Fr. Solanus, thank you in advance.

Position Available -Diocese of Lansing

The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Lansing is accepting applications for a groundskeeper to serve primarily at our Catholic cemeteries in Flint, but may also serve occasionally at the Catholic cemetery in Lansing. To learn more about their open positions and to apply, please visit their website at <u>www.dioceseoflansing.org/employment</u>.

November 2021 Apostolate of Prayer for Priests... Lansing

- Nov. 1 Our Holy Father
 Nov. 2 All deceased priests
 Nov. 3 Rev. Terrence Dumas / Rev. Joseph Krupp
 Nov. 4 Rev. Charles Canoy / Rev. Richard Lobert
 Nov. 5 Rev. James Conlon / Rev. David Hudgins
 Nov. 6 Rev. David Reamsnyder / Rev. Leronio Vodivodi
 Nov. 7 Bishop Earl A. Boyea
 Nov. 8 Rev. David Fisher / Rev. Dwight Ezop
 Nov. 9 Rev. Brian Lenz / Rev. Ryan Riley
 Nov. 10 Rev. John Bosco / Msgr. Raymond Goehring
 Nov. 12 Rev. Kenneth McDonald / Rev. Daniel Nusbaum
 Nov. 13 Rev. Shaun Lowery / Rev. Bernard Tyler
 Nov. 15 Rev. William Lugger / Msgr. Vincent Howard
- Nov. 16 Rev. Msgr. Michael Murphy Nov. 17 Rev. Gerald Ploof / Rev. John Fain Nov. 18 Rev. William Auth / Rev. Phillip Sessions Nov. 19 Rev. Duaine Pamment / Rev. Edwin Emeli Nov. 20 Rev. Daniel Westermann / Rev. John Rocus Nov. 21 Rev. Edward Fride / Rev. David Harvey Nov. 22 Rev. Robert Kolenski / Rev. Karl Pung Nov. 23 Rev. Richard Kropf / Rev. Richard Eberle Nov. 24 Rev. Brendan Walsh / Rev. David Hannes Nov. 25 Rev. Anthony Smela / Rev. Miguel Arrieta Nov. 26 Rev. Timothy Krzyzaniak / Rev. Joseph Tran Nov. 27 Rev. Eduardo Lorenzo / Rev. Alan Wakefield Nov. 28 Rev. William Wegher / Rev. Thomas Helfrich Nov. 29 Rev. Robert Roggenbuck / Rev. Mark Rutherford Nov. 30 All priests

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Parish Directory

Parish Office..... 694-4891

The parish office will be open Monday through Friday 8 am - 4 pm.

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Monday - Friday 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Clients seeking help may not come in the building, but just knock and we will work with you and bring the food out to you. You do need to bring a photo I.D.

Holy Family School.....(810) 694-9072

Principal, **Theresa Purcell** tpurcell@hfsgb.org Administrative Assistant, **Lisa Harvey**.lharvey@hfsgb.org Secretary, **Chasity Campbell**..... ccampbell@hfsgb.org School Receptionist, **Cindy Jones**.....cjones@hfsgb.org Dir. Adv./Alumni Relations, **Ann Yochim Tabereaux** ... atabereaux@hfsgb.org Teacher Associate, **Sr. Sharon Hektor**.....

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ONLY if there is danger of death. For all other calls, please leave a message on the parish office phone.

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Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 4 p.m. Sunday: 8 a.m., 10 a.m. (LIVE), 12 p.m.

Monday - Saturday: 8 a.m. (LIVE)

(Playback available on YouTube) Wednesday 6 pm

Will I still be able to watch Mass at home?

Yes! We will continue to livestream our 8 am Masses Monday - Saturday and our 10 am Mass on Sunday. The Bishop's dispensation has ended. Please know you are not obligated to attend Mass if you are ill or are health compromised.

Confession Schedule

Wednesdays 5:15 pm - 5:45 pm (before 6 pm Mass) Saturdays (after 8 am Mass) 9 am *First Saturdays - multiple priests will hear confessions at* 9 am

Quantum Catechesis

Wednesday - Friday: 12 p.m. Live on Fr. Joe's Facebook page (Playback available on YouTube)

Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesdays (2 - 6 p.m.) & Fridays (12 to 4 p.m.)

Vocations - If you are interested in the priesthood, please contact Fr. Joe. If you are interested in the permanent Diaconate, please contact Dcn. Dan Medich.

Prayers & Devotions

Fatima Apostolate Prayer Cell - Wednesday 4 pm Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena - Wednesday after 6 pm Mass

Pray the Patriotic Rosary (Help Put God Back in America) - Thursday 4 pm

Word Among Us reflections are available on their website: https://wau.org/meditations. We have a limited number of Word Among us booklets in a basket in the Ushers' Room.

Daily readings available on bible.usccb.org. **FORMED.org** - thousands of movies, programs, audio and book

Bulletin Deadline: The deadline for each Sunday is the previous Tuesday by noon. Articles may be submitted to ldoyle@hfgb.org.





