



CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY

GRAND BLANC, MICHIGAN

FEBRUARY 26, 2023

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT



1st SUNDAY OF LENT

Then the devil took Jesus up to a very high mountain, and showed him all the kingdoms of the world in their magnificence, and he said to him, "All these I shall give to you, if you will prostrate yourself and worship me." - Mt 4:8-9

1ST SUNDAY OF LENT

February 26, 2023

Entrance Hymn

Lord, Who throughout
These Forty Days #479

Responsorial Psalm #1016

Psalm 51: Be merciful, O Lord, for
we have sinned.

Communion Hymns

Merciful God #489

Psalm 51: Be Merciful, O
Lord #51

Psalm 91: Be With Me #65

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.

Readings

#1016

First Reading:

Genesis 2:7-9;3:1-7

Second Reading:

Romans 5:12-19

Gospel:

Matthew 4:1-11



A C U P O F J O E

Greetings in Christ!

As we kick off the Lenten season I want to thank all of you who are joining us in *The Activated Disciple* 40-Day Challenge. We originally ordered 500 journals and all 500 have been distributed. As I'm typing this we are checking into ordering more for those of you still looking to participate. I want to point out, as you begin the Journal, you will be prompted to read *The Activated Disciple* book and watch the videos, but please be assured this is not a requirement or even necessary. Additionally, if you miss a day don't be discouraged or hard on yourself. Just simply pick up the next day.



Our parish is offering several opportunities for those of you interested in engaging in weekly small group conversations throughout the 40 days. More information on this can be found in this bulletin.

As I mentioned last week, Fr Le and I will be using this journal for our homilies all during Lent. It's never too late to make this your best Lent yet.

The topic on last Wednesday's Quantum Catechesis teaching was how to repent. I have heard from several of you that found this to be helpful. You can find the episode by date (February 22, 2023) on my *Joe In Black Ministries* YouTube channel or through your favorite podcast provider.

Thank you all for letting me be your priest.

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The Activated Disciple

Thank you and welcome to the challenge! Anyone who wasn't able to pick up a journal, you may order one online at the link below and join us on the journey!

Journal Link: <https://ascension-press.com/collections/activated-disciple/products/the-activated-disciple-40-day-challenge-journal-1>



We are offering this program, which includes a self guided experience and prayer journal. Additionally there will be opportunities for those interested in joining weekly conversation in small groups.

· Group Study Options:

- Wednesday evenings with Dcn. Dan - March 1st - April 5th at 7 pm in the St. Joseph Center
- Thursday mornings with the Women's Ministry - February 16th - March 30th at 9 - 11 am in the St. Joseph Center - Contact Vikki Lasota for more information at vlasota@msn.com

**Group sessions are drop-in format. If you are unable to attend weekly, drop-in when you can.*

Please contact Dcn. Dan Medich with any questions at dmedich@hfgb.org.

Catholic 101

March 5, 2023
This week's topic:

The Two Great Commandments

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

STEWARDSHIP & WORSHIP

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, March 5th** (the first Sunday of every month), shortly after the end of 10:00 AM Mass.



55 & Over Club

Creed of Life

*I will participate, not just belong.
I will be fair and kind.
I will care and help others.
I will forgive and forget.
I will be grateful and give thanks.*



Bring your ideas and opinions to our 55 & Over gathering each Tuesday at 11:00 a.m. in the Fr. Bush Parish Center and share with us.

Share your Lenten memories with us also.

“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 **instant milk, shelf milk (box), peas, diced tomatoes, tomato sauce, navy beans, pork and beans, sweet cereals, eggs, deodorant, 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!

Women's Ministry at Holy Family

Holy Family offers many opportunities for women to support one another as we grow in holiness. Check out the Women's Ministry page at hfgb.org/women-ministry/ or contact any of the women listed



below for more information:

- Walking With Purpose: Vikki Lasota 248-653-2117
- Gospel Reflection: Cathy Szczerba 810-656-7752
- Divine Mercy Cenacle: Terrie Alfaro 810-820-1992
- Well-Read Mom: Elizabeth Petrides 810-265-4189
- Holy Family Needlecrafters: Linda Waggoner 810-444-7036
- Rosary Makers: Barbara Jarvis 248-752-3731
- Meals for Moms: Elizabeth Petrides 810-265-4189

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.

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



Baptized on February 18, 2023

Rosalina Maria Guadalupe Weisbrod, daughter of Daren and Marnee Weisbrod

Stewardship of Treasure February 18th & 19th 2023

Registered families	1925
Envelopes received this week	109
Mail-in givers this week	11
Online givers this week	250
Amount offered from envelopes	\$ 6,097.00
Amount offered from mail	\$.1,657.00
Amount offered from online giving	\$ 15,346.00
Amount offered from visitors	\$ 1,020.00
Total weekly offerings	\$ 24,120.00



HOLY FAMILY 2023 LENTEN JOURNEY

Adoration



Tuesdays: 2 - 6 p.m.
Fridays: 12 - 4 p.m.

Discipleship

"O Lord, make this Lenten season different from the other ones. Let me find you again. Amen."

- Henri Nouwen

Parish Challenge The Activated Disciple

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Stations of the Cross



Fridays: 6:30 p.m.

Confession

Wednesdays: 5:15 - 5:45 p.m.

Saturdays: 8:30 a.m.



All- Day Confessions

Wednesday, March 22nd: 6 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Talking with God "How To" Series



Wednesdays: 6:45 p.m.

(after 6 p.m. Mass)

March 1, March 15, March 29

go to hfgb.org for more details

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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

Talking with God
"How to..."

A Program series presented by
Holy Family Prayer Ministry

Wednesdays
after 6 p.m. Mass
Holy Family Church

How to... Pray
March 1st

Pray with Family
March 15th

Pray with Daily Reflection
March 29th

part of our
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2023 LENTEN JOURNEY

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PRAYER MINISTRY

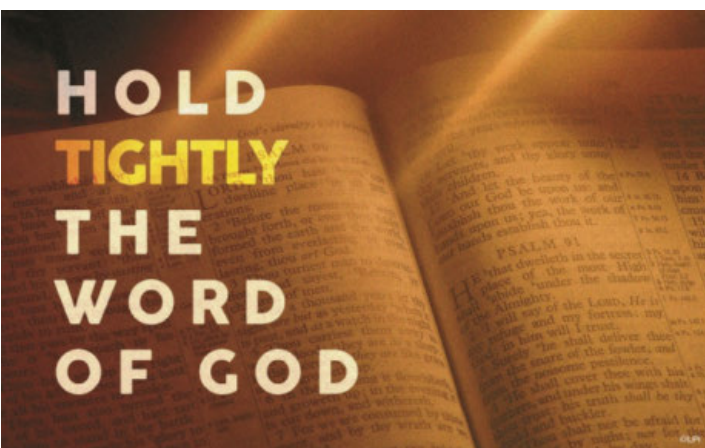
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Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

The Spirit leads Jesus into the desert to be tempted by the devil, and we hear this: **"He fasted for forty days and forty nights, and afterwards he was hungry."** Seems like a questionable battle preparation plan. When I fast, I usually feel grouchy at best, and at worst, like I might pass out from longing for a hamburger. Isn't it better to be well-fed and fully hydrated, especially to face spiritual struggles? Why fast?

This might help. The origin of the word "fast" means to "hold firmly." We still use it that way when we say, "I held fast to my original decision." We human beings are a bundle of desires which vie for our attention: food, drink, comfort, safety, sex, laughter, beauty, and so on. If we can't manage to have firm grip on them, in short order they'll have a firm grip on us. By fasting from our lower desires, we learn to firmly grip on to what is greater. Fasting leads to us to a firmer hold on our body and mind.



Jesus fasts for us. He's showing us that his grace can help us regain this firm hold of our lives, which makes it more difficult for the devil to tempt us. But take it one more step. Fasting also teaches us to finally hold fast to Jesus, the Word of God in flesh. **"Man does not live by bread alone,"** he says, **"But by every word that comes forth from the mouth of God."** Jesus' fasting reveals his fast hold to the Father in everything. May our fasting help us to grasp ourselves more firmly, and then to hold fast to Jesus alone.

— Father John Muir

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Mass Intentions Feb. 27 - Mar. 5

Monday, February 27

8:00 AM Dean Wallace by *Vitols Family*

Tuesday, February 28

8:00 AM Fred Daprai by *Bernadine Saxe*

Wednesday, March 1

8:00 AM Ralph Dart by *Dart Family*

6:00 PM Marcel Ranville by *Frank Doherty*

Thursday, March 2

8:00 AM Lillian Marion Navarro (Living) by *Mark and Theresa Dyer*

Friday, March 3

8:00 AM Jennifer Rugg (living) by *Todd and Tanya Babiasz*

Saturday, March 4

8:00 AM Barbara DeClercq by *Francis G. Doherty*

4:00 PM Deceased members of the Joan Powell Family by *Denne/Powell Family*

Sunday, March 5

8:00 AM All Holy Family Parishioners

10:00 AM Maria Przyjazny by *Andrzej and Anna Przyjazny*

12:00 PM Don and Terry Kita by *Paul & Desiree Londrigan*

Masses in Fiji on behalf of Holy Family:

Theresa Bellows (Living) by *Marjorie Bellows*

Chrissie Bellows (Living) by *Marjorie Bellows*

Aileen Jarema by *Janet Waters*

Aileen Jarema by *Janice Hennen*

Joe Dunn (Living) by *Theresa and Mark Dyer*

Aileen Jarema by *Theresa and Mark Dyer*

Joe Dunn (Living) by *Janice Hennen*

Fr. Dave Howell (Living) by *Janice Hennen*

Herbert & Rachel Hennen by *family*

Fr. David Howell (Living) by *Janet Waters*

Joe Dunn (Living) by *Janet Waters*

Rudy Zattoni by *Jennifer Merciez*

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 - March 4/5

Second Sunday of Lent

(schedule may not reflect recent changes)

4:00 PM Saturday - Fr. Joseph Krupp

Lectors: Colleen Argus, Kathy Swiantek

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Dawn Davis Cindy Edmonds

Altar Servers:

Liam Verdun Tony Bonifazi Owen Cameron

8:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Leronio Vodivodi

Lectors: Kim Dinger, Jim Garland

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Cesar Bernabe Ica Bernabe

Altar Servers:

(help needed - 3)

10:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Joseph Krupp

Lectors: David Caldwell, Rod Shick

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Peter Lindgren Ken Mraz

Altar Servers:

Everett Teem Emma Darmafall Jonathan Darmafall

12:00 PM Sunday - Fr. Leronio Vodivodi

Lectors: Bill Harris, Thomas Hasselbach

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Desiree Londrigan Paul Londrigan

Altar Servers:

Nick Abbott Helaina Barry Koltan Barry

Weekly Readings Feb. 26 - March 5

Sunday: Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17 (see 3a)/Rom 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19/Mt 4:1-11

Monday: Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/Mt 25:31-46

Tuesday: Is 55:10-11/Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19/Mt 6:7-15

Wednesday: Jon 3:1-10/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19/Lk 11:29-32

Thursday: Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8/Mt 7:7-12

Friday: Ez 18:21-28/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 507a, 7bc-8/Mt 5:20-26

Saturday: Dt 26:16-19/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8/Mt 5:43-48

Next Sunday: Gn 12:1-4a/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22 (22)/2 Tm 1:8b-10/Mt 17:1-9

Pyx

A pyx is a small round container used to carry consecrated hosts to the homebound. Our supply in the sacristy for people to borrow has dwindled. If you have recently borrowed one, please return it to the sacristy so that it will be there for others to use. If you have a long-term need to borrow a pyx, please contact Nancy Repuyan, Ministry to the Ill and Bereaved, at nrepuyan@hfgb.org or 810-694-4891, ext. 2213. Also, if you have a pyx that you no longer need and would like to donate it to the parish, we would appreciate that as well!



Please Pray for the Ill and Their Caregivers



Please remember in prayer those listed in the February 5 bulletin and those listed in the Parish Book of Intercessions (in the Gathering Space).

WHAT'S HAPPENING HERE



For February In Memory of

Joseph Michael Begley by *Don and Michelle Begley*
1st anniversary of his death 2/22/1999 - 2/24/2022

Shirley & Bernard Czymbor, Susann & Edward Villaire
Parents of Scott & Cynthia Villaire

Robert Dailey by *Patricia Dailey*

Olive Wood from the Holy Land

Representatives from Bethlehem Christian Families will be with us on **Sunday, March 12th**, to ask for your help and blessing for the native people of the Holy Land in Bethlehem. All the proceeds from sales will be sent back to the families of the Holy Land so that they may be able to keep their homes and provide for their families. The last few years were very tough for the Christian families and this is the only source of income for them. Please browse through their items and have something from the Holy Land.

Our Catholic Heritage

by *Earl Hagen*

75th Pope – Eugene I

Born in Rome, he was elected pope August 10, 654, then consecrated by Emperor Constance II. His election took



place one year before the death of deposed Pope Martin I. He too was strongly opposed to the intrigues of the Emperor, and informed all other countries of Europe about the sad and tragic end of his predecessor Martin I. He hung his image with his

refusal to accept an ambiguous profession of faith (the Synodical) sent to him by Patriarch Peter, somewhat raising the level of his pontificate. The imperial officials were furious at this harsh rejection of the wishes of the emperor and patriarch. Constance II threatened to dispose of Eugene just as he had disposed of Martin, but was preoccupied by defending the Eastern Empire from Muslim conquests. Pope Eugene I died June 2, 657, and is buried in the Vatican Grottoes.



*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



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.**

Saint

March 4: St. Casimir

St. Casimir, son of the king of Poland, was born in 1458. He practiced the Christian virtues with special regard to chastity and kindness to the poor and was zealous in the faith, particularly in his devotion to the holy Eucharist and the Virgin Mary. Casimir died of consumption in 1484.



PARISH PRAYERS & MORE

A funeral Mass was celebrated at Holy Family on February 21 for



Rest in Peace

Aileen Jarema (aka Trouble). Aileen, age 94, died Thursday, February 16, 2023. She was born in Saginaw on April 27, 1928, to Eutrope and Margaret Bouchard. On May 6, 1950, she married Carl H. Jarema. Surviving are children: Robert (Cindy), Janet (Dennis) Loiselle, Carol Beyer and Joyce Jarema, as well as ten grandchildren, 20 great-grandchildren, a son-in-law and a sister. She was preceded in death by her husband, a daughter and a granddaughter.

Lord, we remember in our prayers Aileen Jarema, 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.

Prayer Intention of Pope Francis

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.

Marriage Banns

Meghan Jo Siler and Kyle Allan Cullen

March 18, 2023



In Loving Memory

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

February 26

Josephine Y. Ruiz, Dolores Hagood, Edmund McQuigg

February 27

Gordon Ogden, Edward Berarducci

February 28

John Lukovics, Lucy Riksen, Catherine Starr, Michael C. Corcoran, Rita Siegel, Dora Leadley, Dorothy Kerr, Dorothy Gavulic, Marian Stefanski

February 29

Willard O'Malley, Joseph Clune

March 1

Frances Crapser, William Glasco, Burton Wilson, John Petrides, Teresa McEnrue

March 2

Margaret Scott, Charles Scheuern, Sharon Balasko

March 3

John Kirchberger, Stanley Starzyk, Edward Gora, Timothy Aulph, Cecelia McCall, Roger Repuyan, Robert Antaya, Nicholas Sheeran

March 4

Helen Poleski, John Hrinevich, Sr., Frank Kropelnitski, Doris Jean, Sigismund Koziel, Mary Miller, Russell Colon, Sandie Jones Miller

March 2023

Apostolate of Prayer for Priests... Lansing

Mar. 1 Rev. Anthony Strouse / Rev. Michael Petroski
Mar. 2 Rev. Joseph Kim / Rev. Robert H. McGraw
Mar. 3 Rev. Vincent VanDoan / Msgr. Raymond Goehring
Mar. 4 Rev. David Reamsnyder / Rev. James Rolph
Mar. 5 Bishop Earl A. Boyea
Mar. 6 Rev. Gregg Pleiness / Rev. Gary Koenigsknecht
Mar. 7 Rev. Denis Spitzley / Rev. Carl Simon
Mar. 8 Rev. Kusitino Cobona / Rev. Edwin Emeli
Mar. 9 Msgr. Richard Groshek / Rev. Roy Horning
Mar. 10 Rev. Robert Pienta / Rev. John Vinton
Mar. 11 Rev. Timothy Nelson / Rev. Anthony Brooks
Mar. 12 Bishop Emeritus Carl Mengeling
Mar. 13 Rev. Paul Ruddy / Rev. Enzo Addari
Mar. 14 Rev. Dieudonne Ntakarutimana / Msgr. Robert Lunsford
Mar. 15 Rev. Dwight Ezop / Rev. Matthew Fedewa

Mar. 16 Rev. Michael Murray / Rev. Thomas Thompson
Mar. 17 Rev. Rosenberg / Rev. Phillip Schweda
Mar. 18 Rev. Brian Lenz / Rev. James McDougall
Mar. 19 Rev. David Harvey / Rev. Kenneth Coughlin
Mar. 20 Rev. James Hug / Rev. William Ashbaugh
Mar. 21 Rev. John Linden / Rev. Thanh Nguyen
Mar. 22 Rev. Richard Kropf / Rev. David Hannes
Mar. 23 Rev. James Gartland / Rev. Peter Ludwig
Mar. 24 Our Holy Father
Mar. 25 Rev. Andrew Czajkowski / Rev. Leo Joseph
Mar. 26 Rev. James Shaver / Rev. Thomas Nenneau
Mar. 27 Rev. John Rocus / Rev. John Curran
Mar. 28 Rev. Gerald Ploof / Rev. Lewis Eberhart
Mar. 29 All Priests
Mar. 30 Rev. James Eisele / **Rev. Joseph Krupp**
Mar. 31 Rev. Paul Silva / Rev. Prabhu Lakra

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

HERE AND THERE



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.

2023 Altar Flowers

Our web page for ordering Altar flowers is 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.

Cenacle of Divine Mercy of St. Mary Cathedral

Excerpts from God in the Diary of Saint Sister Maria Faustina (Diary, 1578) "I rejoice that [souls] ask for much, because it is My desire to give much, very much. On the other hand, I am sad when souls ask for little, when they narrow their hearts."



HFS Auction Tickets are on Sale NOW!

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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 hfgb.org for our donation wish list.



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.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

This Lent, grow your faith and your marriage on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience **March 24-26** in Saginaw. Other upcoming dates are **April 14-16** in Grass Lake and **Sept. 29-Oct. 1** in Petoskey. Apply today at wwme.org or contact Chris & Darla at 517-667-0433 for more info.

AROUND THE DIOCESE



Need a prayerful, sacrificial activity for Lent? Join our Lansing 40 Days for Life campaign. Our prayer vigil is actually year round, but our prayer vigil participants would love to have you join us for Lent. Info: 40daysforlife.com/lansing or Chris: 517-528-8502

Women's Lenten Mini Retreat

Holy Redeemer Council of Catholic Women
Invite the women of your parish to our annual
Women's Lenten Mini Retreat

Saturday, March 4, 2023 / 8:30 am – 1:00 p.m.
Holy Redeemer Family Life Center (FLC)

Begins with Mass at 8:30 a.m. in the FLC
followed by presentations from

Father Tom Nenneau and Janet Cassidy

The theme of the retreat is:

“Opening up the essential prayers of faith;
The Creed and the Lord's Prayer”

Brunch included

Cost: \$10 before February 24th and \$15 after.

Please make checks payable to HRCCW and mail to:
Sylvia Walton, 4467 Crimson Ct., Grand Blanc MI 48439

We look forward to seeing you there!

First Saturday Devotions

The World Apostolate of Fatima Diocesan Morning of Prayer and Reparation for World Peace will be held at St. Mary's, Mt. Morris (11110 Saginaw St., Mt. Morris, MI 48458) on March **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

Heartbeat of Greater Flint

Consider volunteering for a Lenten observance. Heartbeat of Greater Flint has an urgent need of volunteers at its pregnancy and family center. Responsibilities include: sorting donations, packing newborn baby layettes, greeting clients and occasionally answering the phone. Right now volunteers are needed Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday from 10 am to 3 pm. You can volunteer 1x a week or month as fits your schedule. Must be 18 years or older. Please contact Jim Lusty, Heartbeat director, for more information at 810-618-2889 or email 320heartbeat@gmail.com.

Knights of Columbus Fish Fry

Knights of Columbus Council 10170 at Holy Redeemer is continuing the tradition of the Lenten Fish Fry.

Every Friday in Lent / 4:00-7:00 P.M.

Holy Redeemer Family Life Center
1227 East Bristol Road, Burton 48529

1/2 pound of cod, fried or baked
French fries or baked potato
Coleslaw, with or w/o horseradish
Dinner \$14

Eat in, take out or drive up
Cash, check, or credit/debit card

St. Francis Retreat Center

- Women of Spirit Retreat - "Joy" featuring Sheri Wohlfert: March 3-5, 2023
 - Men's Retreat—Rescue & Response: March 10-12
 - Women's Retreat—Rescue & Response: Mar. 17-19
- More information and registration for any of these events can be found at www.stfrancis.ws or call 517-669-8321.

St. Patrick's Day
Boxed Lunch Sale

\$12 Order 15 or More and get **FREE Delivery in Genesee County!**

Every \$12 you spend on our St. Patrick's Day fundraiser allows us to feed 4 people in one of Catholic Charities' Soup Kitchens!

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Friday, March 17
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Wednesday: 6 pm

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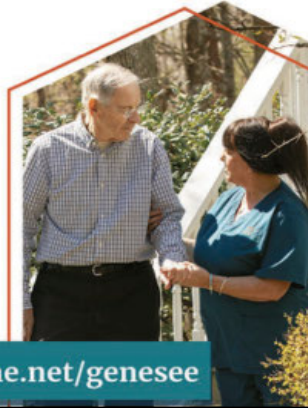
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