



CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY

A CARING CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

OCTOBER 7, 2018

27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Mass Times

Holy Family - Grand Blanc
Saturday Vigil 4 pm
Sunday 8 am, 10 am, 12 pm, 5 pm

Weekday
Monday - Saturday 8 am
Wednesday 6:30 pm

St. Mark's - Goodrich
Saturday Vigil 5:30 pm
Sunday 9:30 am

Weekday
Tuesday 6:30 pm
Friday 8:30 am

Parish Directory

Parish Office..... 694-4891 (fax 694-1583)

Hours..... M-F 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. / 1 - 5 p.m.
(closed 12 p.m. - 1 p.m. for lunch)

Email: holyfamily@hfgb.org / Website: hfgb.org

Pastor, **Fr. Joseph Krupp**

Parochial Vicar, **Fr. Dan Westermann**

Deacon, **Dennis Pennell**

Deacon, **Larry Blondin**

Music Director, **Dr. B. Simon Lee**

Associate Music Director, **Dr. Sia Lee**

Liturgy Coordinator, **Lorri O'Dea**

Business Manager, **Brian Kita**

Director of Evangelization, **Erin Cummings**

Accountant, **Aimee Wolven**

Program Director, **Kristin Smith**

Parish Secretary, **Theresa Dyer**

Bulletin Editor, **Linda Doyle**

Special Projects / Communications, **Nicole Urbanik**

Mass Schedule

Weekend: Saturday (Vigil) 4:00 p.m.;

Sunday 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 12 p.m. & 5 p.m.

Children's Liturgy of the Word (no summer) - during

10 a.m. Mass - *For children four years old - 2nd grade*

**St. Mark - Goodrich - Sat (Vigil) 5:30 p.m. / Sun 9:30 am*

Weekday: Monday - Saturday 8 a.m. / Wed 6:30 p.m.

**St. Mark - Goodrich - Tue 6:30 p.m. / Fri 8:30 a.m.*

Holy Day: As announced in bulletin.

Sacraments

Reconciliation: Sat. 8:30 - 9:30 a.m., Sun. 9:30 - 10 a.m.
and 11:30 a.m. - 12 p.m., and by appt.

Wed. 8:30 - 9 am and 6 - 6:30 pm

St. Mark - Goodrich Saturday 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Baptism: Please make arrangements in advance.

Marriage: Please make arrangements with Parish
Priest at least nine months in advance.

Prayers & Devotions

Rosary: 7:15 am MWTF / 5:30 pm Wed / 8:30 am Sat

Eucharistic Adoration: Wed..... 8:30 a.m. - 6:15 p.m.

**St. Mark - Goodrich - First Fridays 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.*

Our Mother of Perpetual Help DevotionWed 7p.m.

Fatima Prayer Cell Tues 4 p.m.

Ministry to the Ill & Bereaved

Linda Waggoner, Nancy Reputan 694-4891

Social Outreach Ministry.....771-7279

Hours M-F 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. / **Brian Holyfield**

Holy Family School..... 694-9072

School Day 7:40 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Principal, **Theresa Purcell**

Assistant Principal, **Michael Brown**

Administrative Assistant, **Lisa Harvey**

Secretary, **Chasity Campbell**

School Receptionist, **Shelley Corcoran**

Dir. of Adv./Alumni Relations, **Ann Yochim Tabereaux**

Religious Education.....694-9072

Religious Education Classes (Pre-school - Adult)

Children's Liturgy of the Word... during Sun. 10 am Mass

Grades K-6 Sun 11:30 am - 12:45 pm

Grades 7-8 Sun. 6 - 8 pm in St. Joseph Center

Special Education Contact the RE office

Director, **Janet Gravel** ext. 151

RCIA/Baptism Director, **Maddie White**.....ext. 154

Youth Ministry 694-9072

Jan Gravel (Middle School), ext. 151

Erin Cummings (IMPACT High School), ext. 204

All meeting Sundays 6 - 8 pm in the St. Joseph Center

during the school year

Event/Facility Coordinator 694-9013

Carrie Pilarski

Meeting and Event Facilities: Father Bush Parish Center,
St. Joseph Center, and all other venues

Pastoral Council

Chairperson, **Matthew Williams**

Vice Chairperson, **Jordan Mitchell**

At-Large Members:

Rel. Ed./Youth - Tiffany Minder

Athletic Boosters - Leo Solano

School/PTO - Tim Willis

Communications/Events - Carrie Pilarski

Worship Representative, Sr. Sharon Hektor

Evangelization Representative, Deb Hawley

Christian Service Representative

Parish Life Representative, Carrie Pilarski

Finance Representative, Jayson Richert

Commissions:

Christian Service Commission

Facilitator, **Susan Hasselbach**

Evangelization Commission

Facilitator, **Randy Petrides**

Finance Commission

Facilitator, **Jim Distelrath**

Parish Life Commission

Facilitator, **Connie Lesley**

To contact any Facilitators, please call parish office

Bulletin Deadline: The deadline for each Sunday

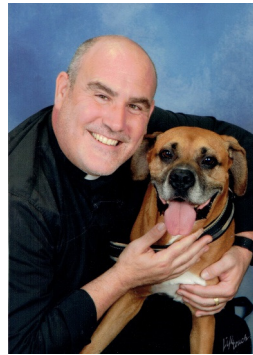
is the previous **Monday by noon**. Watch the bulletin for

holiday early deadlines. Submit to: ldoyle@hfgb.org



A Cup of Joe

(No article from Fr. Joe this week.)



Area Mass/Reconciliation Times

Holy Redeemer

Saturday (Vigil) 4 pm
 Sunday 9 am, 11 am, 5 pm
 Tue, Thu, Fri 8:30 am / Wed 6:30 pm
 Reconciliation: Fri 8 am, Sat 3:15 pm,
 1st Fri of month 6:30 pm

St. John's - Fenton

Saturday (Vigil) 5 pm
 Sunday 8 am, 10 am, 12 pm, 6 pm
 Mon - Fri 8:45 am / Wed 6:30 pm
 Reconciliation: Mon 8:45 am, Wed 6 - 6:30 pm,
 Fri 8:45 am, Sat 3:30 - 4:30 pm

St. John's - Davison

Saturday (Vigil) 4:30 pm
 Sunday 7:30 am, 10 am, 12 pm, 6 pm
 Mon - Thu 8 am / Mon, Thu 10 am
 Reconciliation: Sat 3-4 pm

St. Matt's - Flint

Saturday (Vigil) 4:30 pm
 Sunday 10:30 am / 3 pm (Latin)
 Mon - Fri 12:10 pm
 Reconciliation: Sun 10 am

St. Rita's - Holly

Saturday (Vigil) 4 pm
 Sunday 8 am, 10 am, 12 noon, 6 pm
 Tue 7 pm / Wed/Thu 9 am
 Reconciliation: after Sat 4 pm Mass

October 10th Cancellations

On Wednesday, October 10th, Reconciliation, scheduled for 6:00 p.m., and the 6:30 p.m. Mass will be cancelled. Benediction to conclude Eucharistic Adoration will be moved up to 5:45 p.m. These changes are for October 10th only, due to our Confirmation Mass being celebrated at 7:00 p.m. We are sorry for any inconvenience this may cause.

Year of Prayer

Forming Missionary Disciples

Bishop Earl Boyea has declared a Year of Prayer for the Diocese of Lansing to begin with the dismissal from Mass at the Diocesan Assembly on September 22, 2018, and to conclude on the Feast of Christ the King (November 24, 2019).

Father,

You invite each of us to share in the life and ministry of your Son, Jesus. Send your Holy Spirit To form our parish as a community of missionary disciples. Teach us how to hear Jesus, to love Jesus, and to share your gift of salvation with everyone we meet.

Through the witness and intercession of Mary, guide me to deepen my commitment as a disciple of Jesus. Lead our parish to grow as an intentional community, committed to go and announce the Gospel of the Lord.

We ask these blessings in the name of your Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Holy Family Respect Life Thank You

We are so grateful for the kindness and generosity of our Holy Family parishioners. Our bassinet is filled every Sunday with baby clothes, blankets, etc. to help those in need. We also have volunteers who take these gifts to Heartbeat of Greater Flint and Outreach when needed. We receive thank you notes with every donation given to Heartbeat. They appreciate our continuing support which gives them the opportunity to help every woman who is experiencing a distressed pregnancy.

A Big Thank You!

St. Francis Prayer Center is so thankful for the donated paper products from Holy Family and individuals. Those we help were very blessed. The need now is for personal care items: deodorant, shampoo, bar soap or body wash, toothpaste, dish soap, and laundry detergent, as these are items people cannot purchase with Bridge cards. Whatever you can do to help is much appreciated. Call the Center at 810-787-5330 to drop off or have us pick up.

Stewardship & Worship

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

Parish Office Hours Change

As of October 1st, the parish office is closed for lunch Monday through Friday from 12:00 - 1:00 p.m.

Respect Life Sunday Benefit Drive

This weekend our Respect Life Committee will be conducting its 10th annual Respect Life Sunday benefit drive to help our Respect Life Committee and the Right to Life of Michigan-Genesee Co. Affiliate continue their efforts to protect the sanctity of all life - from the moment of conception to the moment of natural death. We will have balloons, bookmarks and pencils. Please note: the pencils are pre-sharpened. Thank you and may God bless you for your generosity.



Soup Kitchen Reminder Help Needed

Holy Family has a wonderful group of individuals who rotate their time to volunteer each month at the North End Soup Kitchen. Just a reminder that **Thursday, October 11th**, is our day for Team A. If anyone else is interested or has any questions, please contact the parish office at (810) 694-4891.



Made for Happiness Assembly

If you were unable to attend the Made for Happiness Assembly, you can listen to the talks at <https://www.dioceseoflansing.org/news/historic-diocesan-assembly-made-happiness>.

Attention Lectors.....

Get your lector workbook!

I will be placing an order for the 2019 Lector Workbooks soon. If you would like a workbook, please contact Lorri O'Dea in the parish office via phone or e-mail. The cost this year will be \$13. The deadline for orders is Friday, November 2nd. Order yours today!

lodea@hfgb.org or 810-694-4891, ext. 214

Baby Bottle Drive

The Knights are holding their annual Save your Change to Save Babies fundraiser. Fill a baby bottle with money and help parents choose life. Bottles are always available in the back of church and can be returned there. We are also passing them out at parking lot entrance after Masses on **October 13 and 14**. The Culture of Life is a major program of the Knights of Columbus.



"October for Others"

Our cupboards are pretty bare at times during the month. We have expanded our "Others First" Sunday to **every Sunday in the month of October**. We depend on your generosity to stock our St. Joseph Food Pantry and Clothes Closet. Please remember the needy as you shop this month. Bring nonperishable items to Mass next weekend as usual and, if you can, please help **each Sunday in October**. If you attend the Sunday evening Mass at 5:00 p.m., we can always use help taking the food donations over to the Outreach Ministry building after Mass. Thanks!

There is a special pantry need at this time for soup!

Will You Volunteer?

St. Francis Prayer Center is in desperate need of volunteers to help during their Ministry Outreach days which are Tuesday-Thursday from 12 noon-4:00 pm. If you can help one day a month, please call 810-787-5330. They could also use some help delivering beds one day a week -- must be flexible on time.

Stewardship of Treasure September 29th and 30th

Registered Families	1838
Envelopes received this week	447
Online givers this week	124
Amount offered from envelopes	\$ 20,921.00
Amount offered from online giving	\$ 8,709.83
Amount offered from visitors	\$ 2,251.31
Total weekly offerings	\$ 31,882.14

Recipient of 5% tithing on Others First weekend:
Holy Family Outreach Christmas Boxes - provides Christmas meals for those in our community that are in need.

What's Happening Here

Holy Land Crafts

Representatives from Catholic Bethlehem Christian Families will be with us on **Sunday, November 4, 2018**, (in the Fr. Bush Parish Center - large hall during Coffee and Donuts) to ask for your help and blessing for the native people of the Holy Land in Bethlehem. These families, sixty years ago, made up 18% of the population. Due to recent events in the Middle East, it has caused these families to face devastating economical strain, and caused the population to decrease to less than 2% in the Holy Land. These families have relied on the income from their religious hand-carved olive wood artifacts to tourists.



So we have come to the USA to try to help support these families by bringing their artifacts here to sell in the USA. 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 their items and find yourself something from the Holy Land.

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



Baptized on September 30, 2018

Ezlyn Michelle

Maxwell Patrick

Everleigh Katherine

Jase Ryan

Rosary Coast to Coast... coming!

Holy Family is joining hundred of churches across the U.S. to pray the rosary **today, Sunday, October 7th**. See rosarycoasttocoast.com for U.S. map noting locations.

First started in 2017, the church in Poland gathered around the borders of their country. After Poland, Ireland and then the British Isles prayed along their coastlines.

We want to turn our country back to God and combat the Powers of Darkness - the Powers that seek to stifle the Light. There is no stronger weapon in spiritual warfare than the rosary.

Join us at 3:30 p.m. **Sunday, October 7th**, in the upper parking lot. We will begin promptly at 4:00 p.m. to pray in unison with all the churches in the United States.

Questions - contact Pat Gaines (810) 429-3982 or Carleen Celusnak (810) 695-0735

Our Lady of the Rosary Guild

Public Square Rosary Crusade

The world is in desperate need of conversion. Our Lady of Fatima urged the children to pray for the conversion of sinners, that as His people we might "stop offending God." Let us not let Our Lady's plea go unheeded. Please, join us in responding to Mary's urgent request to pray by joining us in the 2018 Public Square Rosary Crusade.



Join the 2018 Public Square Rosary Crusade!

What: The Holy Rosary

Where: Holy Family upper parking lot

When: **Saturday, October 13th** / 12 noon

For more information, contact Joseph V. Dunn (810) 694-9223 or (810) 516--3543

55 & Over Club

The greatest achievements are those that benefit others.

Denis Waitley



First Tuesday, everyone. All cash donations are greatly appreciated. Outreach Program thanks you!

Board meeting **Tuesday, October 9th**, at 10:30 a.m. Lunch follows 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Join us on **Tuesday, October 16th**, for an Emmy Program with many surprises.



Scrip is just another way to pay for everyday purchases using gift cards in place of cash, checks, and credit cards.

You purchase gift cards from HFS at face value, and your coordinator orders those cards from

Great Lakes Scrip Center at a reduced price. The difference is an instant rebate for HFS. It's really that simple! HFS school families may choose to donate their instant rebates back to HFS or they may use the rebates toward their tuition for the following school year! Please contact the School Office for any questions.

Great Lakes Scrip Center offers over 300 of the country's biggest brands, including grocery, department stores, gas stations, restaurants, hotels, home improvement, and more. Just by using Scrip to pay for your normal weekly purchases, you can easily raise \$500 or more per year. It's time to put your shopping dollars to work!

You can purchase SCRIP gift cards three ways:

1. Mondays and Thursdays after 8:00 am Mass until 11:00 am in the school lobby. **Please note: SCRIP gift cards will ONLY be sold on a walk-in basis Mondays and Thursdays after 8:00 am Mass until 11:00 am in the school lobby. SCRIP will no longer be sold in the school office during the school day. Payment by cash or check ONLY.**
2. Sign up at shopwithscrip.com. Place your order online and send payment in to the school by Monday at 9:00 am and pick up your order that Friday in the School Office by 3:00 pm (or school families can have them sent home with their students). **Payment by cash or check ONLY.**
3. Sign up at shopwithscrip.com and enroll in PrestoPay! Simply log into your ShopWithScrip account, click on the PrestoPay link under Family Functions on your Dashboard, and enter your checking account information. Complete the steps to verify your information, and you will receive a secure approval code to share with your Scrip coordinator. That's it! You will then be able to choose the PrestoPay option when you check out on ShopWithScrip.com, and have your payment securely transferred from your checking account right to our organization. A small \$0.15 convenience fee will apply to each order. Orders will need to be placed by Monday at 9:00 am to qualify for pick up Friday of the same week in the School Office by 3:00 pm.
 - PrestoPay orders are open to HFS families and Church of the Holy Family Parishioners.

**** All purchasers will need to have a SCRIP agreement form and Pick Up Waiver form on file. Forms may be filled out when purchasing or picking up your gift cards****

HFS SCRIP Coordinator: Ann Camara, cam6797@comcast.net

School Enrollment Code: 12FB612L268



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

St Rita's Guild

Our next meeting is **Wednesday, October 10th**, at 7 PM in the FBPC small hall. Our hostesses will be Diane Beard and Liz Reed. The Flint Women's Shelter will be our charity. Start thinking of places we could go for our December meeting. See you on October 10!

Euchre Night at Holy Family

Holy Family Parish Life Commission is hosting Euchre Night to benefit the Lansing Diocese Seminarians on **Friday, October 19th**, in the St. Joseph Center. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. with game play beginning at 7:00 p.m. Cost per person is \$15, which includes snacks, beverages, and eight rounds of play. Come join in the fun and support our seminarians.



Prayer Quilt Ministry

All crafters are welcome to join the prayer quilt/shawl ministry whenever they are able. When finished with a shawl or for more information, please contact Geri Szydowski at (810) 603-1690 or email geraldineszydowski@yahoo.com. Or attend our next meeting which is **Monday, October 8th**, from 10 - 11:00 a.m. in the Fr. Bush Parish Center - small hall. (Meetings are typically the second Monday of each month.)



Please refer to www.shawlministry.com for some easy shawl patterns. A suggested size might be 24x36" wide and 5-6 feet long.

Child Care Help Needed

Grandmas, do you miss your out-of-town grandchildren? Seasoned moms, do you want a reminder of those sweet early years? Holy Family's *Walking With Purpose* women's Bible study needs a few women to help babysit preschoolers on Wednesday mornings on a regular or occasional basis. Please contact Elizabeth Petrides (810) 265-4189 or eapetrides@gmail.com for information on this wonderful opportunity.



Welcome. CRHP 2.0 There is More to Life

The WELCOME weekend requires nothing of you other than a desire to grow in your personal relationship with Jesus. The weekend is for all, from those who feel like they have little faith to those who have a deep faith life.

Dear Sisters in Christ,

Do you ever feel like you are just going through the motions when it comes to your faith? You might attend Mass regularly and pray from time to time but still feel like you are missing something? Maybe your life is full of worry and stress and you find yourself in despair. I know the feeling well because that is where I was before I attended the Women's Welcome Weekend last April. I was hesitant to go because I thought I wasn't holy enough and I was nervous about signing up alone. I am so grateful that I put my fears aside and decided to go. The blessings of that weekend not only nourished my soul but reignited my love for the Catholic faith. After the Welcome Weekend I became more intentional with my faith and began reading scriptures and praying daily. I have not only made new friends but I have also discovered a deeper relationship with Christ that has left me feeling joyful and finally at peace. I encourage you to take a moment in prayer and ask if God is calling you to attend the Welcome Weekend on October 27th and 28th. God yearns for a deeper relationship with you, will you answer His call?

Many Blessings,

Katie Hatton

Register at: <https://hfgb.org/christ-renews-parish/>

For more information contact:

Sandy Sprague at 810-953-0740
ssprague@ameritech.net
Linda Schoener at 810-210-3364
schoener407@comcast.net
womensretreat@hfgsb.org

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Mass Intentions October 8 - 14

Monday, October 8

8:00 AM Anna McHale by *Sandy Sprague*

Tuesday, October 9

8:00 AM Thomas Wanbaugh by *Wanbaugh Family*

Wednesday, October 10

8:00 AM Bob Yaklin by *Barbara Rachor*

7:00 PM Confirmation Mass

Thursday, October 11

8:00 AM Kenneth and Phyllis Cory (Living) by *Peter Cook*

Friday, October 12

8:00 AM Bob Yaklin by *Linda and Doug Gingras*

Saturday, October 13

8:00 AM Bishop Gerald Vincke (Living) by *Peter Cook*

4:00 PM Gerard Baldwin by *Elizabeth Baldwin and family*

Sunday, October 14

8:00 AM All Holy Family Parishioners

10:00 AM Chuck Scheuern by *Scheuern Family*

12:00 PM Ellen Cushman by *the Harris Family*

5:00 PM Deceased Members of the Arabucki & Jenks Families by *Rachel Arabucki*

Holy Family Happenings

Sunday, October 7 - Respect Life Benefit Drive

9 AM - 2 PM Coffee & Donuts (FBPC)

9 - 11 AM Father-Son Breakfast (FBPC)

11 AM - 4 PM Confirmation meeting (SJC)

11:30 - 12:45 PM Religious Ed classes (HFS)

6 - 8 PM Religious Ed classes (SJC)

6:30 - 8 PM RCIA for Adults (FBPC)

Monday, October 8

9 AM - 12:30 PM St. Joseph Guild (FBPC)

10 - 11 AM Prayer Quilt Ministry (FBPC)

Tuesday, October 9

11 AM - 2 PM Senior Luncheon (FBPC)

6:30 - 7:30 PM Bell choir rehearsal (Dr. Lee's office)

6:30 - 8:30 PM ALPHA for Adults (SJC)

8 - 9:30 PM Athletic Boosters (FBPC)

Wednesday, October 10

8:30 AM - 6:15 PM Eucharistic Adoration (CH)

9 - 11 AM Walking with Purpose bible study (SJC)

6:15 - 7 PM Parish Youth Choir (Dr. Lee's office)

6 - 8 PM St. Rita's Guild meeting (FBPC)

7 - 9 PM Cantor Rehearsal/Adult Choir (CH)

Thursday, October 11

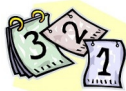
11:30 AM - 1 PM Rosary Makers (FBPC)

7 - 8:30 PM Walking with Purpose bible study (SJC)

Friday, October 12

3 - 4 PM Help Put God Back in America (CH)

Saturday, October 13



Liturgical Ministry October 13 - 14 Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 PM Saturday - Fr. Dan Westermann

Lectors: Mary Ann Hergenreder, Denise Dye

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

TBD	Mona Shonts	Kathy Swiantek
Anna Przyjazny	Don Sienko	Randy Swiantek
Linda Schauman	Sandy Sprague	Linda Nawrocki

Servers: Randi P., Abigail A., Marin C.

8:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Dan Westermann

Lectors: Judy Puidokas, Neal Fatheree

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

TBD	Dick Jobbagy	Paul Racine
Paul Garson	Traci Snyder	Sandra Racine
Karen Horton	Judy Puidokas	David Roberts II

Servers: Drew D., Tommy D., Olivia S.

10:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Dan Westermann

Lectors: Colleen Argus, Richard Engel

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

TBD	Karen Garland	Linda Kingston
Doug Benchley	Earl Hagen	Roy Linkowski
Gary Campbell	Betty Ardahl	Marje Mercier

Richard Cross Linda McGinnis

Jim Garland Patrick Kelly

Servers: Ava Z., Blair Z., Emerson M.

12:00 PM Sunday - Fr. Joe Krupp

Lectors: Bill Harris, Chris Harris

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

TBD	Kathy Savoie	Cheryl Gelisse
Cynthia Leavy	Desiree Londrigan	Karen Zellej
Donald Leavy	Paul Londrigan	Karen Allen

Servers: Carson Z., John Z., Tommy B.

5:00 PM Sunday - Fr. Joe Krupp

Lectors: Alice Thomas, Kathy Stewart

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

TBD	Kathy Stewart	Maddie White
Nancy Repuyan	Katie Woycehoski	(Help needed - 2)
Deb Hawley	Joseph Sliwka	

Servers: Allison F., Iris S., (Help needed)

Weekly Readings October 7 - 14

Sunday: Gn 2:18-24/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 [cf. 5]/Heb 2:9-11/Mk 10:2-16 or 10:2-12 / **Monday:** Gal 1:6-12/Ps 111:1b-2, 7-8, 9 and 10c [5]/Lk 10:25-37 / **Tuesday:** Gal 1:13-24/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15 [24b]/Lk 10:38-42 /

Wednesday: Gal 2:1-2, 7-14/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Lk 11:1-4 /

Thursday: Gal 3:1-5/Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75 [69]/Lk 11:5-13 / **Friday:** Gal 3:7-14/Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6 [5]/Lk 11:15-26 / **Saturday:** Gal 3:22-29/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7

[8a]/Lk 11:27-28 / **Next Sunday:** Wis 7:7-11/Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [14]/Heb 4:12-13/Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27

Youth News and more

High School Youth Ministry

Mission Statement: *We, the youth of Holy Family, as disciples of Jesus Christ, seek to deepen our relationship with the Lord and welcome others into that relationship through prayer, fellowship and service.*



IMPACT this week will be 6-8:00 p.m. as usual in the St. Joseph Center. No Drop-in this week or next week. It will be put on the calendar when it is happening.

Spicer Orchards field trip on **October 14th**. Email ecummings@hfgb.org for more information and submit field trip form (found on website) to the office or bring to IMPACT.

*Youth Ministry has a new Instagram account ([hfgbyouthministry](https://www.instagram.com/hfgbyouthministry)) where updates will be made.

Mission Makeover News

The DVDs of our mission week are in! These can be picked up in the Religious Education office. We will also bring them into the classrooms in the school and Religious Ed. classes.

Eucharistic Ministers to the Sick

We are in need of a few more volunteers to take communion to the sick. Holy Family is currently attending to the spiritual needs at ten local facilities, either on Wednesday or Sunday, and our volunteers do great work.

Each volunteer is assigned a consistent day or week of the month. We have a few openings on a once-a-month basis, but we could also use a few people who would be willing to substitute, in case of illness, vacation, etc.

You will be trained and when you're comfortable, we'll find a spot that fits your schedule.

In addition, if you have a person in mind who might want to receive the Body of Christ at home and you wish to take it to them after Mass, please call me for a pyx and instruction.

This a wonderful mutually rewarding ministry!

Nancy Repuyan (810) 444-8896
Ministry to the Ill and Bereaved

Religious Education

Religious Ed. / Children's Liturgy Calendar Update

Please note that there will be **no classes** for students in grades K-8 or Children's Liturgy of the Word on Sunday, October 28th.

Confirmation Update

This **Wednesday, October 10th**, Bishop Boyea will be here to celebrate the sacrament of Confirmation. We have 79 students who will be confirmed this year. Please keep them in your prayers and join us at 7:00 p.m. this Wednesday for this beautiful liturgy.

Upcoming Parent Meetings

(for those preparing for Confirmation, Reconciliation and 1st Holy Communion)

Please mark your calendar for the following parent meetings (please note that you only have to attend **one** meeting):

Confirmation Parent Meeting (those with students in the 8th Grade) will be on Tuesday, October 16, **or** Monday, October 22, in the Fr. Bush large hall at 7:00 p.m.

Reconciliation and First Holy Communion

Parent meetings will be held on Tuesday, October 23, **or** Monday, October 29, in the Fr. Bush large hall at 7:00 p.m.

If you have any questions, please call Jan Gravel at 810-694-9072, ext.151.

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Children's Liturgy has started and takes place during the 10:00 Mass. Children are dismissed from Mass before the first reading and are led over to the school by a catechist where they will hear the Gospel and have a short reflection. Students will be brought back to the church during the offertory.

We are looking for more volunteers to help with this ministry. You can sign up for as many or as few weeks as you like. All materials and training are given to you. So if you love working with children and would like to be part of this group, please call Jan Gravel at 810-694-9072, ext.151.

Classroom Aides Needed

We are in need of teacher's aides in our Religious Ed classes. We meet on Sundays from 11:30 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. and are looking for volunteers to help our teachers. This is a great opportunity for high school students to earn service hours! Please call Jan Gravel at 810-694-9072, ext. 151, if you are interested.

Parish Prayers and more

A funeral Mass was celebrated at Holy Family on October 2 for



Rest in Peace

Louis Coriasso. Lou, age 90, died Monday, September 24, 2018. He was born in Walsenburg, CO, on April 22, 1928, to Francesco and Adele Coriasso. He married Margaret O'Leary on March 19, 1950. Dr. Coriasso had a family medical practice in the Flint community for over 55 years. Lou is survived by his wife, five children - Kathleen (Thomas) Gould, Louis Jr. (Stacy), Ronald (Kathryn), Julie (Greg) Swoyer, David (Linda), and his sister Marlene (James) Smith, as well as 15 grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents.

Lord, we remember in our prayers Louis Coriasso, whom you have called to be with you. May the calming peace of your love be with his family. Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and may the perpetual light shine upon him. Amen.

Prayer Intention of Pope Francis

for October

Evangelization: The Mission of Religious - That consecrated religious men and women may bestir themselves, and be present among the poor, the marginalized, and those who have no voice.

Please Pray for Our Ill and Their Caregivers

Dear God,

We place our worries into your hands. We place our sick under your care and humbly ask that you restore your servants to health once more... Donovan Ayotte, Sharon Balasko, Bill Bullard, Cindy Carr, Janet Carriere, Yvonne Harris, Sharalyn Huff, Gregory Karam, Lynn Mellott, Sheila Peltier, Helen Pongrac, Rosalia Sargent, Bob Sassack, Clyde Smith.

To add or remove someone from our prayer list, we need the person or an immediate family member to call the parish office (810) 694-4891 or e-mail the name to us at: info@holyfamilygrandblanc.org.

We will keep the names on the list for three months and then remove them unless we are notified, but you are welcome to re-submit names. We want to help our ill and their caregivers with prayer.



In Loving Memory

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

October 7

Delphina Christoph

October 8

Violet Cookingham, Barbara Liss, Thomas Singer

October 9

John M. Peterman, Lynne Kubik, Sylvia Greene, Orvel Birdsey

October 10

Raymond Stein, Robert Bolo

October 11

Doris Johnson

October 12

Margaret McEnrue, Margaret Ann Wuest, Lanora Labean

October 13

Imre Toth, Albert Lind, Laura Clark, Lucille Smith, Gerard Baldwin, Doris Davis, Donald Gratsch

Wedding Congratulations



Congratulations to Amy Rariden and Joshua Seymour who were married at Holy Family on Saturday, October 6th.

Please keep them in your prayers as they start their married lives together.



Altar flowers in memory of

Maxine Haller

by Jerry & Karen Haller

Help Put God Back in America

If you are concerned about the direction our country is going, please join us in church at **3:00 p.m. every Friday** and help with prayer to "Put God Back in America." The more voices, the more powerful the prayer. For more information, call Joe Dunn at 694-9223 or Marje Mercier at 694-2276.



Knightly Update

October 2018

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Grand Knight's 5

Here we are in October. Again, a busy month for the Knights. Yesterday, we held the first of two Tootsie Roll drives. This is a major fundraiser for the council. Approximately \$15,000 is raised to support programs for the intellectually challenged. This includes Special Olympics and Genesee County Intermediate School District, among many others. Thanks to all who helped. Today the Knights serve the Father and Son Breakfast.

The Knights is a 2,000,000 member strong Catholic fraternal organization. A main mission is to provide Catholic men opportunities to become better Catholic men and fathers. Also, as fraternal brothers we raise money to help the church and those in need.

Through these fund raising efforts and the proceeds from our Claffey endowment our council provided \$2,500 to help support five seminarians, \$6,500 for culture for life activities, \$4,500 in scholarships for Knight's children and grandchildren, \$4,000 for the church building fund, \$2,000 for the outreach, \$4,500 for Holy Family youth programs, and multiple smaller donations to many other programs in the last fraternal year. Sunday Breakfasts and Spaghetti Dinners provide \$9,000 which is key for the above donations. Please think about joining us. The food and fellowship is great.

The Knights will also have several spiritual programs available to all Knight families and the parish. These include our Family Rosary on the months there are five Sundays, a Spiritual day of Reflection, Family Prayer Night, Family Consecration to the Holy Family, and Keep Christ in Christmas.

Remember our mission to always pray for our families, our parish, and our priests.

Vivat Jesus!

Rick Perry

2018 - 2019 Council Officers

District Deputy:	Dean Hayward, PGK
Grand Knight:	Rick Perry
Deputy Grand Knight:	Bob Herrmann
Chaplain:	Fr. Joe Krupp
Chancellor:	Tom Hasselbach
Treasurer:	Earl Hagen
Financial Secretary:	Joe Dunn, PGK
Advocate:	Steve Spratt, Former DD, PGK
Recorder:	Adam Mitchell
Warden:	Cesar Bernabe
Guards:	Peter Lindgren Michael McLeod
Lecturer:	John Prosniewski
Trustees:	Vern Miller, PGK Ken Mraz, PGK Joe Buffa
District Warden:	TBA
Council Agent:	Joe Abbott

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 your family, church and community is huge!

Please contact Vern Miller at (810) 513-8520 or join online at www.kofc.org



Baby Bottle Drive

The Knights are holding their annual Save your Change to Save Babies fundraiser during the Fall. Fill a baby bottle with money and help parents choose life. Bottles are always available in the back of church and can be returned there. If each Knight family filled a bottle, it would add up to an additional \$4000 to save babies. The Culture of Life is a major program of the Knights.



Family of the Month

The Pete and Linda Daunt Family is the October Family of the Month. Over the past several years, Pete and Linda have given up their Wednesday mornings for the sick and aging. With Pete's support, on Wednesdays Linda goes to Wellbridge Grand Blanc (formerly Genesee Care Center) and holds a Communion Service and prays the Rosary with residents. I regularly help Linda and have observed the love and concern she has for the residents. She goes above and beyond to assure that many residents come to the rosary and she often visits with many after. For me, she is a model of a servant of Jesus.

Congratulations, Pete and Linda.

Congratulations!

K of C Breakfast

Come join us for the K of C Breakfast on **Sunday, October 14th**, from 9:00 a.m. to noon in the Fr. Bush Parish Center. Eggs, pancakes, sausage, omelets, waffles and more. **Children under 12 eat free in October.** Adults \$7 / Child \$5 (ages 4-11, under 4 free) with a \$25 cap per nuclear family. \$1 extra for takeout. Credit cards accepted.



Knight of the Month

Our October Knight is David Tovey. We are having to say goodbye to David, a very faithful brother. David is moving for a new job in Dayton, Ohio. This is an answer to prayer for David. He will be close to both his son, who works in Dayton, and his daughter at UD. David, for the past five years, has served generously at the breakfasts and spaghetti dinners. He picks up the food, delivers the leftovers to soup kitchen, and always came early to assist in food preparation and then help serve. His many hours of service to our council has allowed him to receive a scholarship for his children at UD each of the past five years.

Congratulations and Blessings to David.

K of C Spaghetti Dinner

Come join us for the K of C Spaghetti Dinner on **Wednesday, October 17th**, from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. in the Fr. Bush Parish Center. Adults \$8 / Child \$5 (ages 4-11, under 4 free) with a \$27 cap per nuclear family. \$1 extra for takeout. Credit cards accepted.



Calendar of Events

October 6	Tootsie Roll Drive
October 7	Father / Son Breakfast
October 12	Business Meeting 7:30 PM (officer's meeting at 6:30 PM)
October 14	K of C Family Breakfast
October 17	K of C Spaghetti Dinner
October 26	Social Meeting 7:30 PM (admissions degree or rosary)

Around the Diocese

Encounter Healing Service

Today, Sunday, October 7th / 7 - 10:00 p.m.
St. Patrick Church (710 Rickett Rd., Brighton, MI)
The Team: Patrick Reis, Emcee; Fr. Mathias Thelen,
Healing Service Celebrant; and
Aaron Richards, Music and Worship Leader
This healing service is free and open to the public.

For more information,
please go to encounterministries.us

Catholic Women's Conference

Arise My Beloved

Saturday, November 3rd / 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Lansing Center, 333 E. Michigan Ave., Lansing MI 48933

A day of fun and faith

Speakers include:

- Father Chris Alar, MIC
 - Kelly Wahlquist
 - Mass with Bishop Emeritus Carl Mengeling
 - Music by Melanie Rea and band
- Doors open at 8:00 a.m.

Register at www.lansingdiocesecwc.org

Annual Fall Fun Night Game & Card Party

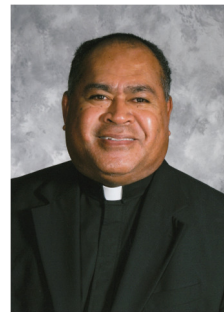
Tuesday, October 9th / 6 - 9:00 p.m.
St. Pius X Community Room - Gym
\$10 per ticket / Grand prize \$500
Bring your own cards and board games!
Desserts / Refreshments / Prizes
(License #R49084)
Sponsored by St. Pius X Altar Society
Questions? Call Mary (810) 733-6619

Free Breast Cancer Screening

Thursday, October 18th / 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Genesys Hurley Cancer Institute
(302 Kensington Ave., Flint, MI 48503)
Open to anyone, any age!
No appointment or registration required,
walk-ins welcome.
Exam performed by physicians
with follow-up digital mammogram scheduled if needed.
Questions? Call (810) 762-8313 or (810) 762-8226

Fr. Kusi Roast

The Catholic Community of Sts. James, Cornelius, and Cyprian would like to invite you to an evening of fun, laughter, and support of Fr. Kusi Cobona on **Saturday, October 13th**, after the 4:00 p.m. Mass at the St. James campus in Mason. We will be having a potluck and kindly roasting Fr. Kusi with food, skits, games, videos, and song. Holy Family has held a special place in Fr.'s heart and it would mean so much to have some of you there! If you have any special photos you would like to have included in a slide show, please email them to Kim.m.smith01@gmail.com.
What: An evening to honor Fr. Kusi Cobona
When: **October 13, 2018**, after the 4:00 p.m. Mass
Where: Sts. James, Cornelius & Cyprian - St. James Campus, 1010 S. Lansing Street, Mason, MI 48854
What to Bring: A favorite dish to pass. Pulled pork and beverages will be provided.



Music for an October Night

Come enjoy a classical concert on **Friday, October 26th**, 7:00 p.m. at Holy Redeemer Church, Burton (free concert with a free will offering). An exciting lineup of classical works will be performed by Daniel Schmit, Jessica Cech, Gretchen Hill, John Hill, and Andrew Cramer.

St. Michael's 175th Anniversary

St. Michael Church (Oratory) in downtown Flint will be celebrating their 175th Anniversary on **Saturday, October 13, 2018**. They will begin with Mass at 4:00 p.m. with Bishop Boyea as the main celebrant, and a reception following Mass in the parish hall. They would like to reach out to former parishioners and St. Michael School Alumni to come join them in their celebration. St. Michael's is located at 609 E. Fifth Ave. in downtown Flint.

Focus on Life Benefit Dinner

Right to Life of Michigan - Genesee County Affiliate
Tuesday, October 9th
The Captains Club at Woodfield
(10200 Woodfield, Grand Blanc, MI)
Special Guest Speaker: Dr. Robin Pierucci
Actively pro-life, Dr. Pierucci is a practicing neonatologist who cares for the tiniest premature babies. She is a Jewish convert to Catholicism and has been seen on a number of shows aired on EWTN.
Tickets: adult \$35 / student \$20 / table of eight \$250
Reservations: Fran (810) 694-5079