



CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY

A CARING CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

JANUARY 27, 2019

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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*Holy Family
Catholic School*
PRESCHOOL - EIGHTH GRADE

Open House
Sunday,
January 27, 2019
11:00am - 2:00pm

*Academic Excellence in a
Faith filled environment.*



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 Vicars, **Fr. Peter Lawrence** and **Fr. Bill Wegher**

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 - **Jayson Richert**

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,

Evangelization Commission

Facilitator, **Randy Petrides**

Finance Commission

Facilitator, **Jim Distelrath**

Parish Life Commission

Facilitator, **Connie Lesley**

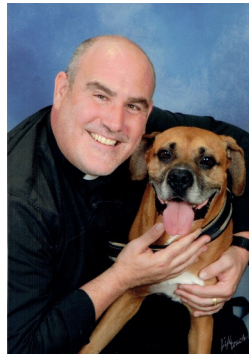
To contact any Facilitators, please call parish office

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

Greetings in Christ! I'm actually pausing in a fairly sizable task to write this article. I've got about 2,000 letters to sign tonight and I'm probably 1/8th done. What are all these letters? Year-end letters I am writing to acknowledge your contributions to our parish families...I'm pausing to write this because I am so very touched.



At both of my beautiful parish families, we have people who are so generous, so thoughtful...I just don't know what to say. I see your gifts and I am so touched by them. From an early age, my Dad and Mom modeled to me that giving to the parish is a duty and they showed us that, not just through their words, but also their example.

Running a parish can be a really challenging mission at times: there are so many things that need to be done and moving from crisis to crisis fundraising is no way to function. Thanks to your generous hearts, both of Our Parish Families are doing well and I am grateful beyond words.

Obviously, we can use any help you can offer. If you are reading this and do not traditionally give, I want to ask you to consider doing so. According to Matthew Kelly's book "Dynamic Catholic," most American Catholic Churches find 80% of their funding comes from 4% of their parish population. In my experience, this is accurate. Think then of what a big difference we can make if those not giving commit to giving \$10 or even \$5 a week: this could fundamentally change us for the better. Please pray about it.

In the meantime, I am working hard at both parishes to learn the ins and outs of how we function and different ways we can use the gifts you give us well. I promise you that I am painfully aware that every penny we get is a gift someone worked hard for and it is important to me that we be prudent stewards of those gifts.

So...thank you. With all my heart. I am blessed beyond measure to be a part of two generous and loving parish families.

Now, on to an unrelated note:
Last week we were going through a few boxes we

found in our office reshuffle at Holy Family. One of the boxes had all these amazing liturgical items from the 1930s-1950s. I am already thinking of a nice display to see these wonderful prayer books.

I found a breviary that I assume belonged to Fr. Bush. Within it was a prayer card for a funeral and I kept it so that I can see if anyone in either parish family is related. The prayer card is for Frank W. Welch, born 1876, died 1950. If this is your family, please let us know at Holy Family and we will be sure you get the prayer card. In the meantime, I am treating it carefully and holding it, and said a prayer for his soul!

Do not forget, all through this week, we celebrate Catholic Schools week! We are so blessed to have a school as part of our Parish family. It really is a gift the Lord has given us that we can be a part of leading so many beautiful young souls deeper into knowledge and love of Our God and the world He gave us. Please say a prayer of thanksgiving and protection for our school and let our teachers know how grateful we are for their faithful and loving work.

So...that's the update. I pray that God warm our hearts with His love in this coooold season!

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Souper Bowl of Caring

After the 4:00 p.m. Mass on **February 2nd** and after the morning Masses on **February 3rd**, members of the Youth Group will be at the entrances to the church collecting spare change for the Souper Bowl of Caring weekend. All of the money raised this weekend will be go to Holy Family Outreach. Please contact Erin Cummings in the Religious Education office with any questions.



Stewardship & Worship

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

Worldwide Evangelization Appeal

Worldwide Evangelization includes Latin America, Holy Land, Eastern Europe & Church in Africa:

Church in Latin America – Support for various pastoral projects throughout Latin America and the Caribbean is made possible through this collection. Projects are at the continental, regional, diocesan and local levels, and include the work of evangelization, formation of laity, religious and seminarians, as well as youth ministry and catechesis.

Holy Land – Funds are collected for support of the Holy Places, but above all for those pastoral, charitable, educational and social works which the Church supports in the Holy Land for the welfare of their Christian brethren and of the local communities.

Aid to the Church in Central & Eastern Europe – This collection channels aid through the bishops' conferences of Central and Eastern Europe to meet the needs of rebuilding the Church: training seminarians and lay leaders, reaching out to young people, reviving Catholic charities and renewing programs of catechesis and evangelization.

The Pastoral Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa - Provides grants to finance pastoral projects including outreach programs, schools, evangelization and education of clergy and lay ministers.

This collection will be made this weekend. An envelope may be found in your packet or you may choose online giving.

"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. (They may be placed on the side steps of the sanctuary.)



Greatly needed are: toothpaste / toothbrushes, deodorant, toilet paper, razor blades, laundry soap and Kleenex, as well as cereal, peanut butter, and pancake mix/syrup.

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 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!

Everyone Has a Mission

Thursday, February 7th, 7 - 9 p.m.

Holy Family, Grand Blanc -

Fr. Bush Parish Center

Please join us as we welcome Fr. Phil Schmitter, pastor of Christ the King, to speak about discovering what our individual mission is. This will be an interactive presentation and will lead us in a prayerful journey to help us discover what our mission is.



Men of Holy Family—Are You Looking for MORE in Life?

Look no further than....

Welcome. CRHP 2.0
There is More to Life

Men's Weekend at Holy Family

Saturday, March 16th & Sunday, March 17th 2019

The Men's Welcome Weekend Retreat is for every man!

Connect with other men of the parish— strengthen your faith in God - or just take a break from the craziness of every day - You will find what you're looking for at Welcome – and more!

We pamper our guests, providing great meals and friendly talk. Incredibly, there is no charge to attend. It's a free gift to you from the parish and the "Giving Team" - parishioners just like you.

We look forward to Welcoming you to WELCOME!

For more information or to register

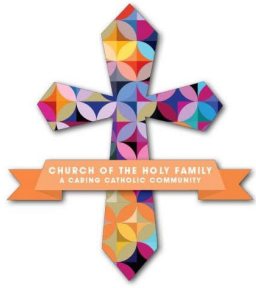
Email: lblondin@hfgb.org

Phone: Deacon Larry Blondin 810-348-9443

Stewardship of Treasure January 19th & 20th

Registered Families	1923
Envelopes received this week	400
Online givers this week	109
Amount offered from envelopes	\$ 16,641.00
Amount offered from online giving	\$ 11,039.83
Amount offered from visitors	\$ 1,259.48
Total weekly offerings	\$ 28,940.31

What's Happening Here



CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY HEAVY DUTY TRASH BAG FUNDRAISER

Support our church by purchasing your trash bags from us!

Tall Kitchen	15 gal	65 bags/roll	White
Large Refuse	39 gal	25 bags/roll	Yellow
Oversize	55 gal	16 bags/roll	Blue



- high quality/durable trash bags for your home
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Questions? Cindy Jones
cilo@comcast.net | 586-980-3889

Place order in envelope found in bulletin/church entrances.
Orders due **Monday, February 11th!**

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Catholic Schools **Learn. Serve. Lead. Succeed.**

As we begin the 2019 National Catholic Schools Week, we would like to take this opportunity to thank our dedicated parishioners, school families, alumni and friends of Holy Family School for your generous and continued support. Your time, talent and treasure that you so selflessly offer, year after year, to our students and staff are a true testimony of your belief in Catholic education and the Faith Formation and Academic Excellence that we have been providing in the Grand Blanc community for 63 years.

We invite you today to celebrate with us! Celebrate our growing Holy Family, our dedication to our Faith, and our joyful halls filled with the laughter and learning of our Disciples of Christ. With sincere appreciation we thank you for being a part of our Holy Family. Please join us at our Open House today, from 11:00 am – 2:00 pm to meet our teachers and students, take a tour of our school, and see what and where your generous contributions provide.

Sincere Thanks and Gratitude from HFS

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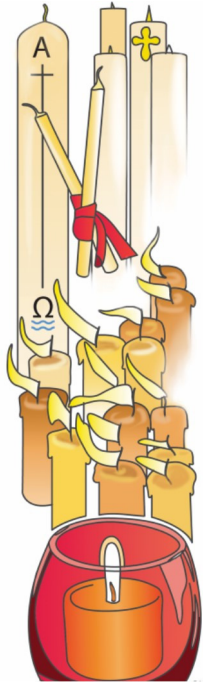


Be a part of our Holy FAMILY!
Contact Lisa Harvey at 810-694-9072, ext. 0
or lharvey@hfsgb.org
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What's Happening Here

Feast of the Presentation of the Lord Candlemas - Saturday, February 2, 2019 8:00 am Mass



Forty days after the Nativity of the Lord, we celebrate when Jesus was presented in the Temple by Mary and Joseph. Luke's Gospel highlights the role of Simeon and Anna, two righteous Jews who recognized Jesus as the long-awaited Messiah. Simeon's prayer concerning the special role of Jesus stated that Jesus is "a light for revelation to the Gentiles." This phrase eventually originated the custom of blessing candles on this day. Thus February 2 is also known as Candlemas Day. This day is indeed a rich feast to be savored. We invite you to bring your candle(s) to a Mass on Saturday, February 2nd, to be blessed, along with the candles we use for Mass. May your blessed candles symbolize Christ's role as light of the world.

BLESSING OF THE THROATS Through the intercession of St. Blaise

Saturday, February 2, 2019
4:00 pm Mass
Sunday, February 3, 2019
8 am, 10 am, 12 pm, and 5 pm Masses

St. Blase was a bishop and a martyr in the fourth century. He was arrested and while in prison he performed a wonderful cure of a boy who had a fishbone in his throat and who was in danger of choking to death. From the eighth century the sick have asked for his intercession, especially those with illnesses of the throat. Please join us for the weekend Masses, Sunday, February 3rd (and the vigil, Saturday, Feb. 2), and receive the blessing of throats to protect against sickness of throat and other illnesses.

Building Committee Update

The building committee met on Wednesday evening to develop plans to move forward within the reality of our campaign collections. We look forward to communicating with the parish as soon as possible.

Appreciation Tea

You are invited to the
First Annual Catholic Schools Week
Appreciation Tea
for Holy Family Parishioners
and Holy Family Staff
presented by the
Holy Family Sixth Graders



Please join us in the St. Joseph Center on **Tuesday, January 29th**, from 8:45 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. for tea, coffee, juice, sweetbreads, muffins, croissants and great conversation.

Parish Youth Choir Rehearsals

Beginning Wednesday, January 9th, the Parish Youth Choir will rehearse on Wednesdays, 5:45 p.m. - 6:25 p.m. in the Religious Education office, which will later become our Conference Room. Immediately after the rehearsal, the students are welcome to join the director attending 6:30 p.m. Mass, which may end around 7:00 p.m. Therefore, you may pick up your child in the church either at 6:25 p.m. or 7:00 p.m.

The Parish Youth Choir will continue singing at Sunday 12 noon Mass throughout the year.

Thank you for your support in this ministry!

Art Show Fundraiser

Please join us on **Saturday, February 9th**, and **Sunday, February 10th**, after all the Masses in the school lobby for Mission Makeover and High School Mission Trip's strolling art show.

Students have been busy painting, and making jewelry and wood products that will be available for purchase.



All proceeds will go to fund the Mission Makeover program and the high school summer mission trip.

Mass Intentions January 28 - Feb. 3

Monday, January 28

8:00 AM Bob Yaklin *by St. Mary's Prayer Shawl Ministry*

Tuesday, January 29

8:00 AM Sue Daunt *by Kevin & Tina Makarewicz & sons*

Wednesday, January 30

8:00 AM Gilbert Studinger *by Cathy Lane*

6:30 PM Dennis Lumley *by Bernice Lumley Murphy*

Thursday, January 31

8:00 AM Denny O'Rourke *by Shirley O'Rourke*

Friday, February 1

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

Saturday, February 2

8:00 AM Juanita Ryan *by Sandy Sprague*

4:00 PM Otto Wendt *by Amy Hoholik-Bandy*

Sunday, February 3

8:00 AM George Yancho *by Joe and Veronica Serra*

10:00 AM All Holy Family Parishioners

12:00 PM Deceased Members of Koloman & Matilda Papp
Family by Papp Family

5:00 PM Jerry Creighton *by Knights of Columbus 6742*

Liturgical Ministry February 2 - 3 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:00 PM Saturday - Fr. Joe Krupp

Lectors: Darlene McKone, Lou Lobsinger

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

TBD Denise Dye Mary Ann Hergenreder

Cindy Edmonds Mike Dye Robert Katcavage

Dawn Davis Jean Farris Kourtney Lobsinger

Servers: Sari Piper, Abigail Almassy, Jack Camara

8:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Bill Wegher

Lectors: Debbie Hux, Cathy Lane

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

TBD Ica Bernabe Peter Cook

David Roberts II Dan Charboneau Kim Dinger

Cesar Bernabe Yvonne Cesal Karen Horton

Servers: Silas Babiasz, Drew Dowling, Tommy Dowling

10:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Bill Wegher

Lectors: David Caldwell, Sean Caldwell

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

TBD Luci Saha Cathy Kelly

Betty Ardahl Jim Garland Patrick Kelly

Colleen Argus Karen Garland Linda Kingston

Doug Benchley Earl Hagen

Gary Campbell Deborah Jansen van Galen

Servers: R. Caldwell, I. Bonifazi, G. York

Holy Family Happenings

Sunday, January 27

9 AM - 2 PM Coffee & Donuts (FBPC)

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

1:30 PM Communal Baptism (CH)

6 - 8 PM Religious Ed classes (SJC)

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



Monday, January 28

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

Tuesday, January 29

11 AM - 2 PM Senior Luncheon (FBPC)

4 - 4:30 PM Fatima Rosary (CH)

6:30 - 8:30 PM Unbound Prayer Ministry (HFS)

Wednesday, January 30

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

9 - 11 AM Walking with Purpose (SJC)

5:45 - 6:25 PM Parish Youth Choir (RE office)

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

7:30 - 9 PM Church History Series (SJC)

Thursday, January 31

6 - 7:30 PM Walking with Purpose (SJC)

7 - 8 PM Book Club meeting (HFS)

Friday, February 1

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

Saturday, February 2

12:00 PM Sunday - Fr. Joe Krupp

Lectors: Ken Bachman, Thomas Hasselbach

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

TBD Connie Lesley John Tuohy

Desiree Londrigan Adam Martin Peggy Tuohy

Paul Londrigan Kathy Savoie Karen Zellej

Servers: Carson Zellej, John Zellej, Sam Conklin

5:00 PM Sunday - Fr. Peter Lawrence

Lectors: Andy Cocagne, Deb Hawley

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

TBD Martha Mansour Marie Psenski

Paul Garson Chris McVannel Paula Rainey

Kristin Koglin Joseph Sliwka Nancy Repuyan

Servers: Addison Sliwka, Hannah Sliwka, Devin Koglin

Weekly Readings January 27 - Feb. 3

Sunday: Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15 [cf. Jn 6:63c]/1 Cor 12:12-30 or 12:12-14, 27/Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21 /
Monday: Heb 9:15, 24-28/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6 [1a]/
Mk 3:22-30 / **Tuesday:** Heb 10:1-10/Ps 40:2 and 4ab, 7-
8a, 10, 11 [8a and 9a]/Mk 3:31-35 / **Wednesday:** Heb
10:11-18/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 [4b]/Mk 4:1-20 / **Thursday:** Heb
10:19-25/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6 [cf. 6]/Mk 4:21-25 / **Friday:**
Heb 10:32-39/Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 23-24, 39-40 [39a]/Mk 4:26-
34 / **Saturday:** Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 19 [8]/Heb 2:14-18/
Lk 2:22-40 or Luke 2:22-32 / **Next Sunday:** Jer 1:4-5, 17-
19/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15-17 [cf. 15ab]/1 Cor 12:31—
13:13 or 1 Cor 13:4-13/Lk 4:21-30

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 will resume this Sunday night from 6-8 p.m. with dinner and time dedicated to making more art for the art fundraiser. If you plan on going to mission makeover or the Cincinnati mission trip, we especially want to invite you to come so you can participate in the fundraising!

Deposits for Cincinnati mission (\$50) and for the retreat in Wixom (\$40) on **March 1st-3rd** are due at the beginning of February. Please get them in soon! Any questions about either, please contact Erin Cummings.

Religious Education

Updated Calendar for Grades K - 8

January 27 No Class - Holy Family School Open House. All are Invited to attend.

*7th/8th grade students are invited to join us for an evening (Jan 27) of creating art for the upcoming art show. We will meet in the SJC from 6 - 8 pm (instead of class).

Confirmation Update

The Confirmation/Sponsor retreat will be held on **Saturday, February 9th**, Noon - 4 p.m. (We will attend the 4 p.m. Mass.) Students should bring their sponsor or, if the sponsor is not available, a parent may come in their place. If you have any questions or concerns, please call Jan at 810-694-9072, ext.2151.

First Reconciliation Services

First Reconciliation Services are the following days:

Saturday, February 9th, at 10 a.m.

Saturday, February 16th, at 10 a.m.

Thursday, February 21st, at 6:30 p.m.

Please keep these children in your prayers as they prepare to receive this beautiful sacrament of healing



UNLOCK YOUR LIFE

Get Unbound and Live Free!

Are you seeking more FREEDOM and happiness in your life?

Learning the UNBOUND Prayer Model of praying the five keys, will lead you to find the Freedom-in-Christ that brings us true happiness.

Many who attended the recent UNBOUND - "Live Free Gene-see Conference" held at Holy Family, can testify to receiving freedom and blessings in praying the five keys.

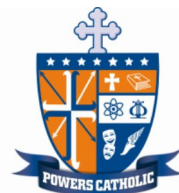
In case you missed the conference or you want more information on how to **Get Unbound and Live Free**, visit www.unbound-michigan.net/ There you can order Neal Lozano's book **Unbound**, listen to previous conference talks, check out resources, and learn more about this life-changing ministry.

You can also sign up for an individual Unbound Prayer Ministry session held here at Holy Family or other nearby churches.

For more info, contact Dcn. Larry Blondin: lblondin@hfgb.org Or (810) 694-4891, ext. 254

8th Grade Visitation at Powers

8th grade students from area public schools are invited to come experience Powers Catholic on **Friday, February 1st**, from 9:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. This is a great opportunity to help you and your student make a decision about high school. All students will be sent home with information to share about the school, enrollment, and ways to reduce the cost of tuition.



If interested, please **RSVP by January 28th** to Ms. Valaria Sunday, Director of Admissions, at (810) 591-4741, ext. 6, or admissions@powerscatholic.org. Please include student's name, current school, and parish. It will be a Spirit Day at PCHS, so jeans are acceptable (no holes or tears please) with an orange and/or blue top. Lunch will be provided.

Recycle Used Magnificats and Word Among Us

Your used *Magnificats* and *Word Among Us* can have a continued life. St. Luke's New Life Center in Flint will put them out for distribution among their clients and employees. They currently receive copies from St. John's in Fenton and say they'll happily accept more. Please put them in the basket in the back of the church. Thank you.

Parish Prayers and more

A memorial service was held at Swartz Funeral Home on January



Rest in Peace

19 for **Robert Dvorsky**. Robert, age 88, died Monday, December 17, 2018. He was born May 23, 1930, in Flint to Joseph and Margaret Dvorsky. Surviving are children, Paul, John (Mariella), Debbie (Matt) Carpenter and Rebecca (Fred Bidawid), as well as four grandchildren and two siblings. He was preceded in death by a sister.

Lord, we remember in our prayers Robert Dvorsky, 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 February

Universal: For a general welcome of the victims of human trafficking, of enforced prostitution, and of violence.

Coffee and Donuts or Pizza

Please remember to join us in the Father Bush Parish Center after the 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 12:00 p.m. Masses. We have coffee and donuts after the Sunday morning Masses and pizza is served after the 12:00 p.m. Mass. Come visit with your fellow parishioners!



In Loving Memory

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

January 27

Celina Cummings, Dean Elliott, Phillip Goodwin, John Damm

January 28

Francis M. Gainey, Cresence Hermann, John Gainey, Adrienne Beavis

January 29

Mary Bednar, Pauline Snyder

January 30

Austin (Skip) Snyder, Jacqueline Sykes, Helena Marzonie, Edward E. Lintz, Jr., James Stach

January 31

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

February 1

George Coggins, Matthew Wrocklage, Katherine Spring

February 2

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

Please Pray for the Ill and Their Caregivers



Please remember in prayer those listed in the January 6 bulletin and those listed in the Parish Book of Intercessions at the back of the church.

February 2019

Apostolate of Prayer for Priests... Lansing

Feb 1 Msgr. Michael Murphy / Rev. Thomas Firestone
 Feb 2 Rev. Michael Murray / Rev. Brendan Walsh
 Feb 3 Bishop Carl Mengeling
 Feb 4 Msgr. Richard Groshek / Rev. Gerald Ploof
 Feb 5 Rev. Andrew Czajkowski / Rev. James McHugh
 Feb 6 Rev. John Fain / Rev. Charles Irvin
 Feb 7 Rev. Paul Erickson / Rev. David Stawasz
 Feb 8 Rev. Anthony Brooks / Rev. Matthew Fedewa
 Feb 9 Rev. Paul Cummings / Rev. Roland Calvert
 Feb 10 Bishop Earl A. Boyea
 Feb 11 Rev. Michael Kuchar / Rev. George Daisy
 Feb 12 Rev. John Whitlock / Rev. Philip Schmitter
 Feb 13 Rev. Edward Fride / Rev. Pierre Bassil
 Feb 14 All Priests
 Feb 15 Rev. Duaine Pamment / Rev. Eric Weber

Feb 16 Rev. Bogdan Rybchuk / Rev. Todd Koenigs knecht
 Feb 17 Msgr. George Michalek / Rev. Timothy Dombrowski
 Feb 18 Rev. John Grace / Rev. Anthony Strouse
 Feb 19 Rev. Robert Copeland / **Rev. Peter Lawrence**
 Feb 20 Rev. David Howell / Rev. Kenneth McDonald
 Feb 21 Rev. James Swiat / Rev. Steven Makranyi
 Feb 22 Our Holy Father
 Feb 23 Rev. David Fisher / Rev. Richard Zang
 Feb 24 Rev. Denis Spitzley / Rev. Frederick Thelen
 Feb 25 Rev. Robert McGraw / Rev. Jeff Poll
 Feb 26 Rev. Benjamin Hawley / Rev. William Turner
 Feb 27 Rev. Carl Simon / Rev. Mark Inglot
 Feb 28 Rev. Joseph Wagner / Rev. Dieudonne Ntakarutimana

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What's Happening Here

55 & Over Club

Blessed is the season which engages the whole world in a conspiracy of love.

Hamilton Wright Mabie



Having winter blues? Then come join us for a hot meal and tasty dessert each Tuesday from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Share your holiday memories with each other.

Holy Family Book Club

Book Club will begin the new calendar year with Joyce Rupp's *Dear Heart, Come Home*. We will continue to meet on Thursday evenings, **beginning January 31st** and continuing February 7th, 21st and 28th. The meeting time remains the same at 7 p.m., but the location has been changed to HFS (Rm. 7). The book is available online for about \$14, with used copies less. All are welcome. To register, or if you have any questions, call Debbie Oglenski, 866- 4777, or 989-479-6765.

Holy Family School Position Open Long-Term Substitute Teacher needed for Kindergarten

Holy Family School, Grand Blanc Holy Family is seeking a Long-Term Guest Teacher for Kindergarten to instruct students while teacher is on maternity leave. This position will begin with shadowing current Kindergarten teacher for three days the first week in March and taking over instruction March 14 through June 14. Applicants must be practicing Catholics, have a valid State of Michigan teaching certificate (elementary or ZA endorsement), pass a criminal background check and complete the Protecting God's Children (VIRTUS) Program. Interested candidates should submit the following to tpurcell@hfs.gb.org or fax to (810) 694-9405.

1. Cover letter/
2. Resume /
4. Copy of your transcripts /
5. List of three references (complete contact information)

Annual Men's Retreat

March 1-3, 2019

St. Francis Retreat Center in DeWitt, MI
"From Chaos to Order: A Scriptural Guide"

Join us to gain new scriptural insights on ways to bring order into your own life and community. The suggested donation for the weekend is \$175 - retreat begins with check in at 6:00 p.m. on Friday and ends after lunch on Sunday. Men of all ages are welcome! Register with St. Francis at 517-669-8321; registration is also available online at www.stfrancis.ws. Please prayerfully consider if God is calling you to set aside time for this encounter opportunity!

First Friday Mass for Vocations

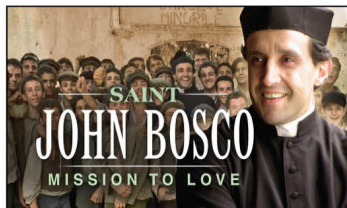
Please join us on **Friday, February 1**, for Mass at 8:00 a.m. Our Mass Intention will be "For Vocation to the Priesthood and Consecrated Life."

FORMED PICK

Saint John Bosco

A Father to the Fatherless

Saint John Bosco dedicated his priesthood to educating and housing the forgotten youth on the tough streets of Turin, Italy. Watch the inspirational tale of how he transformed the lives of countless outcasts.



"This film has helped me realize that the Lord is with me always! Beautifully done."

—Christine M., Tuscaloosa, AL

Watch on formed.org



Recycle Guidelines

We accept newspapers, magazines, catalogs, books, office paper, school paper, and mail. Shredded paper must be bagged.

NO cardboard, paperboard, or phonebooks please!
NO cereal boxes, chipboard, milk cartons, soda cartons, food cartons, cardboard or tissue products in the bin.

Since inception, we have been averaging close to four tons per month. Averaging just a little more (four tons) per month, we get \$60/month rather than \$15/month. The Paper Retriever paper recycling bins are located on the north end of the parking lot.



What's Happening Here

CINCINNATI MISSION TRIP

Grow closer to Christ by being his hands and feet to the world.

JULY 28TH - AUGUST 3RD | \$50

DEPOSITS DUE FEBRUARY 1ST

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Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

"He came to Nazareth, where he had grown up." Did you grow up in a small town? Whenever you see stories of tight-knit communities, a common refrain is that everybody knows everybody and that's very difficult to change. If you leave and return, people expect you to be and act a certain way, and it's strange for them if you do not. In today's Gospel, we see that Jesus was already moving "in the power of the Spirit and news of him spread throughout the whole region. He...was praised by all." His ministry has begun! News of his growing popularity must have proceeded him to Nazareth.

Upon his arrival, he "went according to his custom into the synagogue on the sabbath day." For the first few moments, he is what they expect - their hometown boy returning to pay his respects. As was common of men at the time, he takes a turn reading a passage of Sacred Scripture. It is a bold passage, one he selects intentionally. "He unrolled the scroll and found the passage where it was written: The Spirit of the Lord is upon me." After reading about holy anointings, liberation for the poor and prisoners, and physical healings, Jesus does the unthinkable. "Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing."

We are all called to imitate Christ wherever we are. This might mean doing the unexpected! All too often we're content with the daily status quo, and so are the people around us. When we take a stand for Christian values, change our lifestyle to reflect the Gospel, and work for justice in society, we may make others uncomfortable. But Jesus doesn't call us to the same life we lived yesterday or the year before that. He is calling all of us - each and every one of us - to deeper conversion of heart. No matter what other people expect, will you love in the Spirit of the Lord today?

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ALTAR flowers



Sometimes people choose to remember a loved one who is deceased or to honor a special occasion by donating flowers for the altar. We order from our regular florist

so that the arrangements are a standard size and match the décor of the season. The cost is \$40. Currently **February 10 and March 3** are open for Altar Flowers.

If you would like to remember your loved ones in this special way and help make our church beautiful, please call Theresa in the parish office, 694-4891.

Box Tops for Education

Our school needs your Box Tops For Education that you clip from products you buy and use in your home. Just look for the logo and clip the small coupon. Drop them off in the collection box located in the lobby of the Saginaw Street entrance to the church. Thank you very much for helping our school.



Around the Diocese

Walk to End Alzheimer's Volunteer Expo

Join us for our Volunteer Expo to learn how you can get involved with the Walk to End Alzheimer's® Planning Committee. There are opportunities that suit all interests and skill sets – and we have a lot of fun while doing rewarding work to advance the cause!

Help us make this year's walk a success as we move the event to downtown Flint!



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QUESTIONS? CALL DOUGLAS AT 989-714-3297

Save the Date

The Man Event

February 23, 2019

at Our Lady of Fatima

(313 Napoleon Rd.,

Michigan Center, MI 49254)

Featuring Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers
Mass with Bishop Boyea and Brian Flynn

www.TheManEvent.org

Register online

Adults \$40 / Students \$30



Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend

Instead of flowers and candy, give the gift of yourselves to each other on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend. Upcoming weekends will be held **Jan. 25-27** at Holiday Inn-Troy and **March 15-17** at St. Francis Retreat Center-DeWitt. Apply online at wwme.org or contact Chris & Darla Vinton at 734-531-9191.

Encounter School of Healing

St. Patrick Church, 711 Rickett Rd., Brighton 48116

Feb. 15/16: School of Healing

*Registration for the School of Healing is required. Cost \$69

Speakers: Patrick Reis, Fr. Mathias Thelen and Teresa Peterson

Register at encounterministries.us

Feb. 16: Healing Service at 7:00 p.m.

Free and open to the public

Celebrant Fr. Mathias Thelen

First Sunday Music Series Features Music by Bartók

Sister Magdalena Ezoe, OP, Professor of Music Emerita at Siena Heights University, continues her First Sunday Music Series on **February 3rd**, with a number of compositions by Béla Bartók. The concert begins at 1:30 p.m. in St. Catherine Chapel at the Adrian Dominican Sisters' Motherhouse Campus, 1257 E. Siena Heights Drive, Adrian.

The concert will feature *Three Hungarian Folksongs; Evening in the Country; Diary of a Fly; and Dance in Bulgarian Rhythms*. Sister Magdalena will also play the CDs of Bartók's *Game of Pairs*, from his Concerto for Orchestra, featuring bassoons, oboes, clarinets, flutes, and trumpets in pairs, and his *Music for Strings, Percussion and Celesta*, Adagio section, often called *Night Music* because of its quiet and mysterious quality.

The free concert, open to the public, will also feature brief presentations by Sister Magdalena on the composer, the compositions, and what to listen for in the music.

Discover God's Call for Your Life!

Called and Gifted Workshop, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., **Saturday, February 9th**, at St. Martha Church, Okemos. This workshop is for people asking, "How can I follow Jesus' plan for my life?"

Take the Catholic Spiritual Gifts Inventory and learn the signs and characteristics of 24 common spiritual gifts, and how discerning and using your gifts can change your life and the life of others, your parish, and the world.

Cost is \$45 and includes materials and lunch. To register and for more information call Jackie Rosalez, St. Martha Church, 517- 349-1763 or visit <https://www.st-martha.org>.