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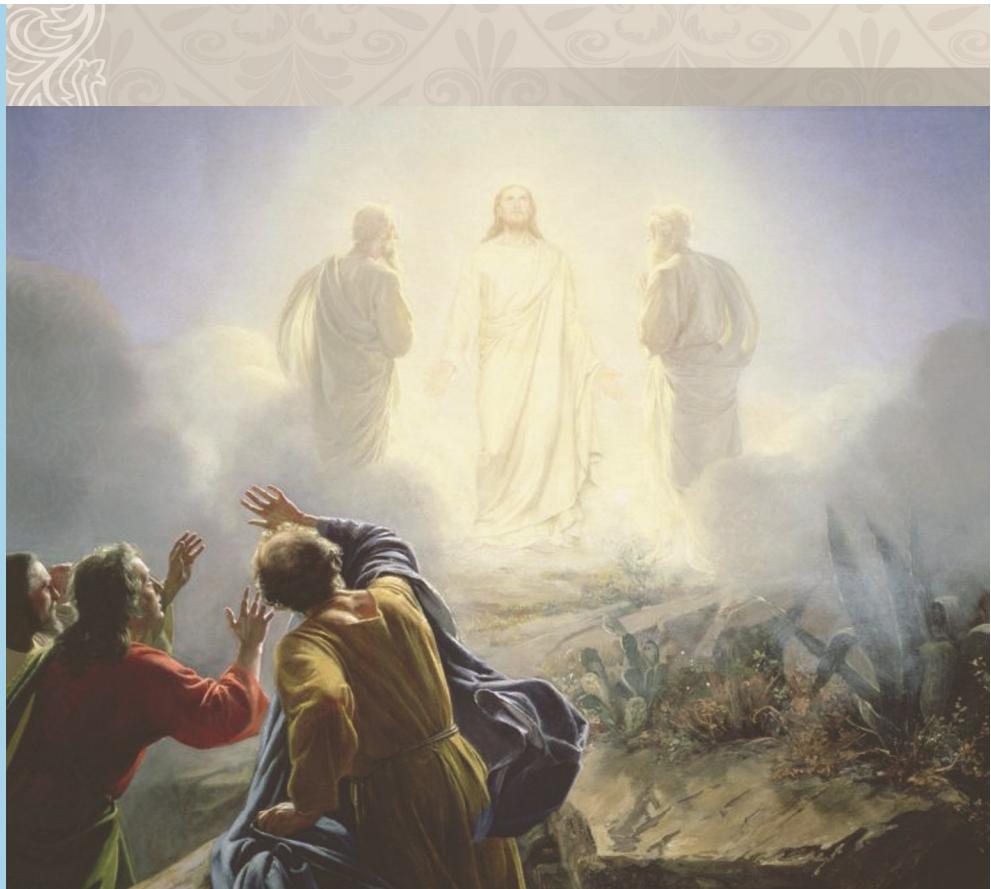
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2nd Sunday O F L E N T

While he was praying his face changed in appearance and his clothing became dazzling white. - Lk 9:29

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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 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 Wolveen
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 Repuyan 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. 2151
RCIA/Baptism Director, **Maddie White**.....ext. 2154

Youth Ministry 694-9072

Jan Gravel (Middle School), ext. 2151
Erin Cummings (IMPACT High School), ext. 2204
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

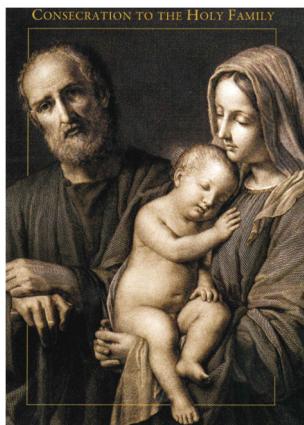
Bulletin Deadline: The deadline for each Sunday
is the previous **Monday by noon**. Watch the bulletin for
holiday early deadlines. Submit to: ldoyle@hfgb.org



Consecration to the Holy Family

What is consecration?

To consecrate something means to dedicate it to God in order to make it more holy! With this consecration to the Holy Family we intend to give all members of the parish a way to become more closely connected to our namesake, the family of Jesus, Mary, and St. Joseph, in order to reorient all of us back to God and ask each member of the Holy Family to help make our families holy. The Knights of Columbus page writes that, "Through this consecration, each participant is consciously choosing to be a beacon of God's love through his Church."



We invite you to pray this prayer of consecration to entrust your family to the Holy Family.

O Lord Jesus,
you lived in the home of Mary and Joseph in Nazareth.
There you grew in age, wisdom and grace
as you prepared to fulfill your mission
as our Redeemer.
We entrust our family to you.

O Blessed Mary,
you are the Mother of our Savior.
At Nazareth you cared for Jesus
and nurtured him in the peace and joy of your home.
We entrust our family to you.

O Saint Joseph,
you provided a secure and loving home for Jesus and Mary,
and gave us a model of fatherhood
while showing us the dignity of work.
We entrust our family to you.

Holy Family,

we consecrate ourselves and our family to you.

May we be completely united
in a love that is lasting, faithful
and open to the gift of new life.

Help us to grow in virtue,
to forgive one another from our hearts,
and to live in peace all our days.

Keep us strong in faith, persevering in prayer,
diligent in our work, and generous toward those in need.

May our home, O Holy Family,
truly become a domestic church

where we reflect your example in our daily life. Amen.
Jesus, Mary and Joseph, pray for us!



Prayer composed by Archbishop William E. Lori of Baltimore, Supreme Chaplain.

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A Cup of Joe

(Watch for Fr. Joe's article next week.
Our publisher, LPi, had an early deadline
this week for a printing press rejuvenation.)



Did You Know...

Every year the parish of Holy Family baptizes youth and adults at the Easter Vigil?

Because we have "Elect" in our RCIA process, we will be using the readings from Liturgical Cycle Year A on the **3rd Sunday of Lent at the 12 pm Mass (Mar. 24th)**, on the **4th Sunday of Lent at the 12 pm Mass (Mar. 31st)**, and on the **5th Sunday of Lent at the 12 pm Mass (Apr. 7th)**. The Church has designated these to be the readings when the Elect, and in solidarity with them, all of us, participate in the "Scrutinies" on these particular Sundays.

To scrutinize means to look at closely, to see all the details. During Lent we are called to take careful note of our lives and how we live them in response to God's gracious love and mercy toward us. Thus on the third Sunday of Lent, we hear the story of Living Water that only Christ can give. Only God the Son can provide the grace and redemption that provides us with life everlasting. In solidarity with the Elect, on the 3rd Sunday of Lent, let us acknowledge all of our graces and blessings that only come from God and call us to a full response of faith, just like the Samaritan Woman.

On the 4th Sunday of Lent, along with the Elect, we acknowledge that we are blind to our own faults and failings. Just as the blind man is healed by Christ, only Christ can give us the sign needed to honestly look into our hearts and lives and see what must be changed in order to more freely follow Him.

On the 5th Sunday of Lent, we hear the story of the raising of Lazarus, Jesus' beloved friend, from the dead. The Elect have journeyed throughout the period of the Catechumenate and this time of Purification and Enlightenment, seeking the deepest possible relationship with Jesus.

Jesus wants to become our beloved; He wants all of us to be transformed to new life. In solidarity with the Elect, we seek our Beloved Jesus and pledge our deep desire to "turn away from sin and be faithful to the Gospel." We know that conversion/transformation can only take place when we die to our own willfulness and selfishness.

Bishop Earl Boyea, at the Rite of Election on March 9th, explained to the Elect that they have been called by God to be part of His Church they are responding to God's call, not a summons by a friend, a spouse or their own inclination. What does God seek in response to His call? Our hearts ... are you open to turn your whole heart over to God this Lent?

Stewardship & Worship

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



This weekend is our Diocesan Services Appeal Commitment Weekend. We invite all members of our parish community to join in support of our annual appeal. Our parish goal is \$191,776. No gift is too small... every dollar donated helps those in our parish and in our unified efforts in the wider church. Further, one-half of all paid contributions received, over and above our parish goal, will be returned to our parish for our local use here at Holy Family Parish.



You can submit your DSA pledge envelope during Mass this weekend or take your DSA envelope home and prayerfully consider your gift decision. Those paying by cash or check are invited to return your completed pledge form, in the DSA envelope, to our parish office. Those who wish to pay by credit card or electronic funds transfer may enter your gift online at www.dioceseofflansing.org/dsa. We encourage every one of our parish households to reflect on the many blessings we have received from the Lord and share these blessings through a generous gift to our DSA.

2019 DSA Prayer

*Loving and gracious God,
we praise you and we thank you for the bountiful gifts
that you have bestowed upon us.*

*You have called us to discipleship, to share your gift of
salvation with everyone we meet.*

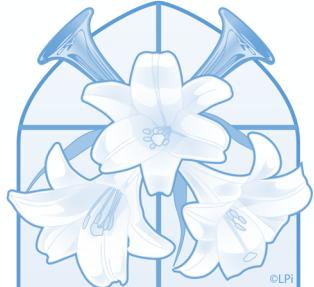
Please bless our efforts to form our parish as a community of missionary disciples, united across the diocese in our commitment to go and announce the Gospel of the Lord.

Instill in us the courage to sow bountifully, without sadness or compulsion, so that we may produce a bountiful harvest in service to all and enduring forever.

Amen.

Easter Altar Flowers

Flowers are an important feature of the church environment for the Easter season because they help to establish an atmosphere of the celebration of new life in the Risen Lord. The season of Easter begins with the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday night and continues until the celebration of Pentecost.



You can help to provide for the Easter flowers in the form of a remembrance for family and friends. The names of those you wish to have remembered will be published in the Easter bulletin and prayed for throughout the Easter season. To participate, please fill out the envelope in the pew and return it with your donation for each memorial **by Thursday, April 11th**. (After that date, it cannot be guaranteed that the names will be listed in the Easter bulletin.) Donations may be deposited in the Sunday collection or dropped off at the parish office. Please print neatly.



If you, or anyone you know, has been harmed by anyone representing the Church, contact appropriate law enforcement. You may also contact the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator, Cheryl Williams-Hecksel, LMSW, by phone at 888-308-6252, or via e-mail to: cwilliamshecksel@dioceseofflansing.org.

Stewardship of Treasure March 9th & 10th

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What's Happening Here

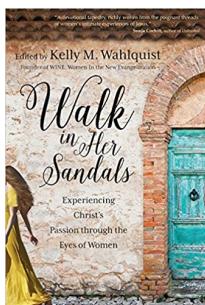
Paint and Pray

March 19th, 2019 / 6:00 - 9:00 p.m.

All are invited to join us on **Tuesday, March 19th**, in the Fr. Bush Parish Center as we welcome back our local artist Dana George who will lead us in a step-by-step painting project. You will leave with a one-of-a-kind creation and be inspired by a meditative prayer. Cost is \$20 per person, which includes your canvas and paint supplies. Reservations are a must and can be made by calling the Religious Education office at 810-694-4891, ext. 2151. Participants can bring their favorite beverages and snacks to enjoy during the evening. Please note: doors will open at 6:00 p.m. and painting will begin at 6:30 p.m.



Holy Family Book Club



Holy Family Book Club Lenten book is *Walk in Her Sandals* by Kelly M. Wahlquist. We will meet on **March 14th, 21st, 28th and April 4th**, all Thursday evenings, beginning at 7 p.m. The book brings to life the gospel women who walked the suffering, death and resurrection of Christ. We will meet in HFS, room 7. The book is available online for between \$13-\$16. Participants are also asked to bring their bibles to discussion time and read the introduction and Chapter 1 for the first session. All are welcome. To register, or if you have any questions, call Debbie Oglenski, 866-4777, or 989-479-6765.

K of C Spaghetti Dinner

Come join us for the K of C Spaghetti Dinner on **Wednesday, March 20th**, 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. All proceeds support the Knights charitable programs in the parish, school and community. Credit cards accepted.



Parish Life Bus Trip

Parish Life is hosting a bus trip to Sacred Heart Major Seminary on **Friday, March 22, 2019**. The evening will begin with Fish Fry at Holy Family at 4 pm and leave at 5 pm for their stage play, *12 Angry Men*. Please contact the parish office if you would like to join us at 810-694-4891.



Bereavement Journey

Please join us for a Spiritual Journey of the Heart and Soul. These meetings are for anyone who is grieving a recent or past loss or for someone who is supporting another who has suffered a loss.

We are meeting on the fourth Wednesday of the month. Our next meeting is on **Wednesday, March 27th**, 1:00 p.m. in the Fr. Bush Small Hall.

For more information, please contact Linda Waggoner or Nancy Repuyan in the parish office (810) 694-4891, ext. 211.

55 & Over Club

It's the wearing of the green A special day when everyone is an Irishman - on St. Patrick's Day. An Irish heart beats brave and strong.



Join us for our St. Patrick's Day lunch and be an Irishman. Wear green - shirts, ties, maybe green socks. We gather from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Bring a friend.

Think Garage Sale. Help Grandma downsize everything in her home or maybe it's your house that needs downsizing.

Trash Bag Pick-Up

If you haven't picked up your trash bags, you may pick them up in the parish office.



There are also some extra that may be purchased if you missed ordering. Please bring a check or exact change. Cost for a roll of bags is \$12.

4th Grade Living Wax Museum

Our Annual HFS 4th Grade Living Wax Museum had prominent figures in history and in current events visit our school! Parents, students, teachers and friends of HFS enjoyed learning and spending time with our 4th Grade. Public figures who stopped by to share their stories included: Alexander Hamilton, Jesus, Annie Oakley, Lucille Ball, Marco Polo, Leif Erikson, Malala Yousafzai, and Carli Lloyd.



**Auction Update! Tickets go on sale
Monday, March 18, 2019
Visit www.hfsgb.org to purchase.**

We are collecting donations for our big event. Please see the insert for how you can help! If you would like to be a sponsor, we have many opportunities available. Please contact Ann Tabereaux, Director of Advancement at atabereaux@hfsgb.org for more information.

Are you an HFS Alum? Please consider supporting our event with the Alumni Sponsorship! For your \$100.00 donation, your name and graduation year will be posted in our auction program, church bulletin and school social media! It's a great way to show your Panther Pride and support your school!

Please make checks payable to Holy Family School.

Mail to: Holy Family School, Attn: Ann Tabereaux/Auction
215 Orchard Street, Grand Blanc, MI 4839
Remember to include your name and graduation year!



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

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.



All women of Holy Family are invited to our Women's Welcome Retreat.

I was born and raised Catholic. The church and my faith have always been important to me. The Welcome Weekend gave me that opportunity to recharge my faith and really appreciate all that God has done for me. It has drawn me closer to God and has given me peace.

Holy Family Parish is blessed to be able to offer Welcome Weekend Retreats to its parishioners. It is life changing.

I invite all women of the parish to the Welcome Retreat September 28 and 29, 2019. It will be a weekend you will never forget.

Suzanne Dent

Women's Welcome Weekend - September 28/29, 2019

For questions or to RSVP, please contact our Invitation Coordinator, Linda Schoener, at (810) 210-3364 or womensretreat@hfgb.org.

Black & Indian Mission Collection

Thank you to everyone who participated in the 136th annual Black and Indian Mission Collection last weekend. Your prayerful support enables people to come to know Jesus Christ in African American, Native American, and Alaska Native communities all over the U.S. A. Spreading the Gospel couldn't happen without your support! An envelope may be found in your packet or you may choose online giving.

Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

As we march through Lent, it can be easy to think it's all about sacrifice. No chocolate, no alcohol, no meat on Fridays. Yet here, only in the second week of Lent, we have the story of the transfiguration. This reading reminds us of the "why" behind what we do. We don't fast from dessert to lose weight. We don't donate money or serve others because it's merely a nice thing to do. Lent is about transformation!

Peter, James, and John trudged up the mountainside behind Jesus. This must have been a difficult hike, because when they reached the top,



"Peter and his companions had been overcome by sleep." Despite our best efforts, perhaps we, too, can be asleep to the deeper meaning of the Lenten season. Jesus is transfigured while they slumber, but eventually they become "fully awake, [and] they saw his glory and the two men standing with him."

This is no small thing! The disciples witness Jesus in his divine splendor and see the miraculous apparitions of Moses and Elijah. The entire mountain becomes a spiritual breakthrough. "A cloud came and cast a shadow over them, and they became frightened when they entered the cloud." These symbols are present in the Old Testament. They are present on Mount Sinai when Moses prayed alone and received the 10 Commandments. Elijah had a similar experience when he prayed alone before God. But here are ordinary men, former fishermen, who have been drawn up into an adventure beyond their wildest expectations. Jesus is the Christ, the Messiah, the fulfillment of all that came before. But Christianity is not the religion of the elite, where only the select few are allowed to participate. We are all invited into spiritual transformation. Lent is a privileged time for this!

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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.





Mass Intentions March 18 - 24

Monday, March 18

8:00 AM Fr. Tom Butler by Fr. Dan Westermann

Tuesday, March 19

8:00 AM Mary Coughlin by Jim & Lorri O'Dea

Wednesday, March 20

8:00 AM Steven Greene by Cheryl Warren

10:30 AM (Wellbridge) Jack Coletti by Len & Linda Nawrocki

6:30 PM Holy Souls in Purgatory by Lisa Slabchuck

Thursday, March 21

8:00 AM Timothy B. McGonagle by Mary Lou McGonagle

Friday, March 22

8:00 AM Larry Schlaud by Fred Nolde

Saturday, March 23

8:00 AM Sue Snyder by Carolyn & Tom Lucius

4:00 PM Robert Stein by Sam and Marianne Smiley

Sunday, March 24

8:00 AM All Holy Family Parishioners

10:00 AM Paul Garland by Randy and Elizabeth Petrides

12:00 PM Christian "CJ" Chanco by Hasselbach Family

5:00 PM Fr. Bill Wegher (Living) by Janice Hennen

Holy Family Happenings

Sunday, March 17 - Men's Welcome Weekend

9 AM - 2 PM Coffee & Donuts (FBPC)

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

6 - 8 PM Religious Ed classes (SJC)

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

Monday, March 18

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

6 - 7 PM "Unshaken" Study for Teen Girls (HFS)

Tuesday, March 19

11 AM - 2 PM Senior Luncheon (FBPC)

4 - 4:30 PM Fatima Rosary (CH)

6 - 9 PM Paint n' Pray (FBPC)

6:30 - 8:30 PM Parish Bell choir rehearsal (old RE office)

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

7 - 8:30 PM Baptism Prep (HFS)

Wednesday, March 20

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

9 - 11 AM Walking with Purpose (SJC)

5 - 7 PM Knights of Columbus Spaghetti Dinner (FBPC)

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

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

Thursday, March 21

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

7 - 8 PM Book Club meeting (HFS)

Friday, March 22

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

4 - 7 PM Lenten Fish Dinner (FBPC)

6:30 PM Stations of the Cross (CH)

Saturday, March 23



Liturgical Ministry March 23 - 24

3rd Sunday of Lent

4:00 PM Saturday

- Fr. Bill Wegher

Lectors: Kathy Swiattek, Denise Dye

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

TBD	Don Sienko	Mike Drzewiecki
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Darlene McKone	Sandy Sprague	Cindy Edmonds
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Anna Przyjazny	Lori Drzewiecki	Dawn Davis
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Servers: A. Almassy, J. Camara, A. Lobsinger

8:00 AM Sunday

- Fr. Peter Lawrence

Lectors: Lori Charboneau, Dan Charboneau

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

TBD	Yvonne Cesal	Sandra Racine
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Megan Vicari	Cathy Lane	Kim Dinger
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J.J. Vicari	Paul Racine	Paul Wolven
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Servers: Halle Purcell, Olivia Snyder, Anna Dinger

10:00 AM Sunday

- Fr. Peter Lawrence

Lectors: Luci Saha, Monna Suess

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

TBD	Richard Cross	Cathy Kelly
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Carolyn Roeser	Monna Suess	Patrick Kelly
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Colleen Argus	Rob Toth	Linda Kingston
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Linda McGinnis	Roy Linkowski
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Gary Campbell	Deborah Jansen van Galen
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Servers: K. Murphy, C. Johnson, R. Strunk

12:00 PM Sunday

- Fr. Bill Wegher

Lectors: Rod McDonald, Ken Bachman

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

TBD	Cheryl Gelisse	Cynthia Leavy
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Bill Harris	Jane Harris	Donald Leavy
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Chris Harris	Sondra Rutkoski	Connie Lesley
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Servers: Brennan / Kendall Corcoran, Ava Bryant

5:00 PM Sunday

- Fr. Joe Krupp

Lectors: Chris McVannel, Joseph Sliwka

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

TBD	Nancy Repuyan	Sharon Peasel
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Marie Psenski	Jim Ridley	Lorri O'Dea
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Paula Rainey	Al Schmit	Andy Cocagne
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Servers: Iris Stein, Ethan Woycehoski, Allison Foote



Weekly Readings March 17 - 24

Sunday: Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Ps 27:1, 7-8, 8-9, 13-14[1a]/Phil 3:17—4:1 or 3:20—4:1/Lk 9:28b-36 / **Monday:** Dn 9:4b-10/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13 [cf. 103:10a]/Lk 6:36-38 /

Tuesday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27, 29 [37]/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a / **Wednesday:** Jer 18:18-20/Ps 31:5-6, 14, 15-16 [17b]/Mt 20:17-28 / **Thursday:** Jer 17:5-10/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [40:5a]/Lk 16:19-31 / **Friday:** Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a/Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21 [5a]/Mt 21:33-43, 45-46 / **Saturday:** Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 [8a]/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32 / **Next Sunday:** Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 11 [8a]/1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12/Lk 13:1-9

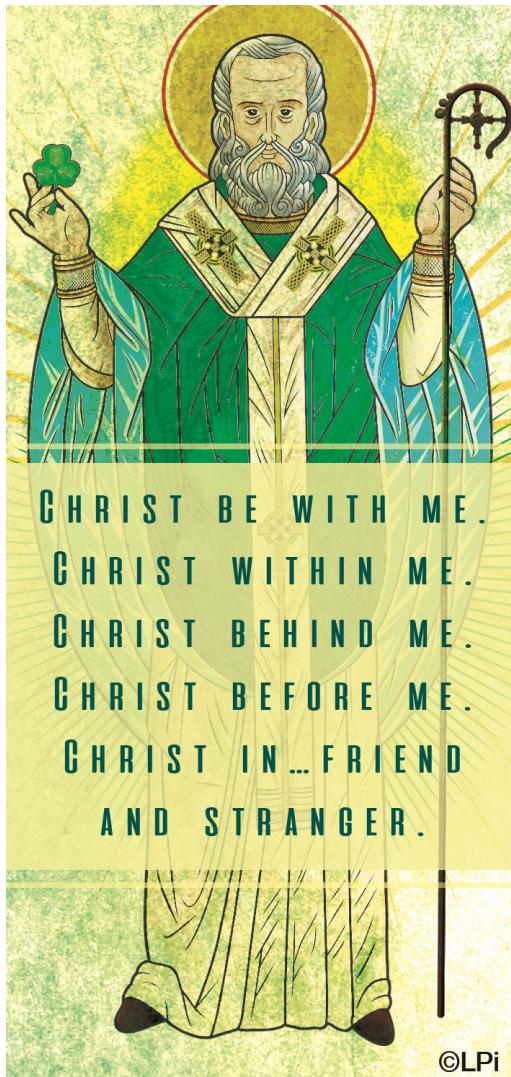
Youth News and more

High School Youth Ministry



This week we will be meeting at our regular time from 6-8:00 p.m. in the St. Joseph Center! There will be dinner, some fun St. Patrick's Day goodies, and an interesting talk on Charismatic prayer.

Our high school girls bible study is running on Monday nights from 6-7:00 p.m. in the teacher's lounge. Any interested girls should contact Erin Cummings.



Religious Education

First Communion Dinner

First Communion Dinner will be held on **Monday, April 8th**, at 6:00 p.m. in the Fr. Bush Parish Center. We are always looking for volunteers to help this evening and in the afternoon for set up. If you are interested in helping, please call Jan Gravel at 810-694-9072, ext. 2151.

Mission Makeover 2019 Edition

July 8th - 12th

Plans are underway for this year's mission week. Once again we are looking for volunteers to help us. There are a variety of things you can do such as:

- work the sign-in desk
- help with food prep
- chaperone a group of students at worksites
- help with evening activities

If you are interested in helping, please call Jan Gravel at 810-694-9072, ext.2151.

Registration packets for students will be available soon!

Fish Fry Thank You

Thanks to all who volunteered at our first Fish Fry! All proceeds from these dinners help to fund our Mission Makeover and the Mission Trip to Cincinnati. We still need help for the remaining dinners so please consider lending us a hand! (Dates are on *Lenten Journey* information - page 11.)

Vacation Bible School

June 24 - 28 / 9 a.m. - noon

Plans are underway for this year's VBS and it's guaranteed to be filled with faith and fun! We are looking for volunteers to help run various stations and to be classroom teachers. This is a great opportunity for high school students, as well as adults. All training and material are provided. If you are interested, please call the Religious Education office at (810) 694-9072. ext.2151.

Scripture Verse

While he was still speaking, a cloud came and cast a shadow over them, and they became frightened when they entered the cloud. Then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my chosen Son; listen to him." - Lk 9:34-35

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Parish Prayers and more

A funeral Mass was celebrated at Holy Family on March 7 for

Marland Moreau. Marland, age 93, died on Friday, February 22, 2019. He was born August 12, 1925, in Es- canaba to Ernest and Pearl Moreau. Surviving are two sons, Steven and Dale, daughter Marlane (Denny) Breedon, several grandchildren and great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife Audrey, a daughter, a son, and two siblings.

A funeral Mass was celebrated at Holy Family on March 11 for **Sheri Samassa.** Sheri, age 56, died on Thursday, March 7, 2019. She was born May 5, 1962, in Flint to Steven and Patricia Miele. She married Richard Samassa in 1986. Surviving are her husband, daughter Megan (Connor) McIntosh, son Nicholas, and four sisters. She was preceded in death by her parents.

Lord, we remember in our prayers Marland Moreau and Sheri Samassa, whom you have called to be with you. May the calming peace of your love be with their families. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and may the perpetual light shine upon them. Amen.



Rest in Peace

FORMED PICK OF THE WEEK

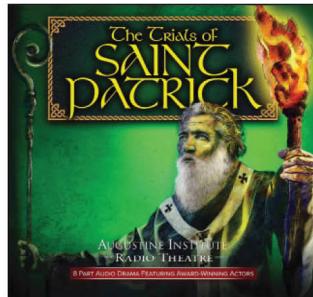
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In Loving Memory

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

March 17

Charles Nolan, Arthur Duby, Sr.

March 18

Marie Brawn, Edith Gawron, Joseph John Ponrac, Martin Rateau

March 19

Steven O'Lear

March 20

Clayton Hurley, Valerie Hickman, Dale A. Carson, Boguslaw Nowakowski

March 21

Joseph Sominski, Haley Talovich, Vivian Elkins, Joseph Glovak, Betty Brow

March 22

Robert Marzonie, John Tolar, Evelyn Battino, Noah Polehna

March 23

Andrew Sekora, Christine O'Rourke, Anna McHale, John W. McKenna, Ada Partenio, Guy Joseph Marran, Abner Espinosa

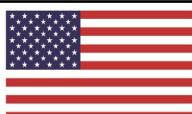


Please Pray for the Ill and Their Caregivers

Please remember in prayer those listed in the March 3 bulletin and those listed in the Parish Book of Intercessions at the back of the church.

Prayer Intention of Pope Francis for March

Evangelization: That Christian communities, especially those who are persecuted, feel that they are close to Christ and have their rights respected.



Please pray for these men and women in military service:

SFC Matthew Crimando—Army, Camp Shelby, MS

Sgt. Kyle Kaneris—Army

LT. Noël Koenig—Navy, Dallas, TX

Lcpl. Zachary Korte—Marines, Washington

Sgt. Adam Moreau—Army, North Carolina

A1C Daniel Przybysz—Air Force, Minot, ND

Sgt. Zachary Rogers - Army, Schofield Barracks, Hawaii

PFC Joseph Sardo - Army, Ft. Carson, CO

A1C Patrick Sordyl—Air Force, Wright-Patterson, OH

Maj. Richard J. Valko—Marines, San Diego, CA

PV-2 Adam Vance—Army, Colorado



HOLY FAMILY 2019 LENTEN JOURNEY

FRIDAY FISH FRY



Fridays, March 8 - April 12

No dinner on March 29

4 - 7 pm

Fr. Bush Parish Center

2 pc. Fish Dinner	\$10
1 pc. Fish Dinner	\$8
Grilled Cheese Dinner	\$8
Fish Sticks (4)	\$8
Extra Piece of Fish	\$3
Extra Grilled Cheese	\$3
Basket of Fries	\$3

**SUPPORTS MISSION MAKEOVER &
HIGH SCHOOL MISSION TRIP**

DAY OF PENANCE

THURSDAY, APRIL 4

8 am | **Mass**

8:30 am - 8 am (*April 4 - April 5*) |

Eucharistic Adoration

8:30 am - 8:30 pm | **Confessions**

MUSICAL PRAYER SERVICE

THURSDAY, APRIL 4

6:30 pm | **Sacred Music and Reflections during**

Adoration accompanied by our Adult Choir

“LAST CHANCE” PENANCE

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17

6 - 8 pm

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Fridays, March 8 - April 19 at 6:30 pm

March 22 **Mary's Way of the Cross**
(Stations through Mary's Eyes)

March 29 **Way of the Cross** as composed by
St. Alphonsus Liguori

April 5/12 **Living Stations of the Cross**
Performed by HFS 8th graders

LENTEN SERIES

MINI-RETREAT WITH FRs. PB&J



PASSION NARRATIVE OF LUKE WITH FR. BILL

TUESDAY, APRIL 2 AT 7 PM

FR. BUSH PARISH CENTER



HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE COMING NEXT WEEK

What's Happening Here

Music Ministries in Our Parish

Our Music Ministry Scholarship Program was launched last year. The scholarship has been funded by various parishioners for our young musicians. Thank you to the following sponsors as of February 28, 2019!:

Adult Choir Scholarship (\$50-\$499)

Timothy and Cheryl Crane,
Dr. Keith and Mrs. Connie Heslinger,
Drs. Simon and Sia Lee
Marie G. Psenski, Genna Randazzo,
Dennis and Kathy Szechy,
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Dr. Keith and Mrs. Connie Heslinger,
Music Directors (Drs. Simon and Sia Lee),
Marie G. Psenski

This August we plan to offer the following scholarships: the Adult Choir Scholarship, St. Cecilia Scholarship, an individual scholarship - "Marie Psenski" Scholarship, Music Directors' Scholarship, and more, if available. **Please consider your donation in order to promote the participation of young talented musicians in our parish liturgies.**

Our **Adult Choir** desires more new members, high school and above, who may come to our **7:30 PM Wednesday rehearsals** and sing at **Sunday 10 AM Mass**. Besides our regular liturgical services, our choir also provides concerts and special liturgical/musical services in the church. Several times a year we also provide outreach concerts at nursing homes, hospitals, etc.

Our Youth Choir desires more new members, 3rd grade and above, who may come to our **5:45 PM Wednesday rehearsals** and sing at **Sunday 12 noon Mass** throughout the year.



Our Bell Choir has resumed its rehearsals. We will play hand bells at Saturday 4 PM or Sunday 10 AM Mass during the Easter season. New members may join us for next season. If you are interested in joining the bell choir, please let Dr. Simon Lee know.

Cantors lead our sung prayers at liturgy when there is no choir. Therefore, he or she must have acceptable musicianship and be familiar with our parish liturgy and song repertoire. Necessary training or rehearsals may be arranged for the cantors.

Other vocal/instrumental ensembles serve at Sunday 8 AM and 5 PM Masses.

Classical and Contemporary Instruments are used at our liturgies as well when available. If you have acceptable musicianship and are willing to share your talent at our liturgy, please contact Dr. Simon Lee, music director at musicdirector@hfgb.org or (810) 694-4891, ext. 2205.



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.

Around the Diocese

Greektown Casino Bus Trip

Fundraiser

Tuesday, April 9th

Presented by St. Mary's Altar Society

Trip includes round-trip motor coach transportation to Detroit / five hours of gaming at Greektown Casino / each person to get back \$15 in gaming and \$5 in food from the casino

Itinerary: 9:30 AM depart from St. Mary's, Mt. Morris / 11 AM - 4 PM Greektown Casino / 5:30 PM return to St. Mary's, Mt. Morris

\$40 per person / full payment due upon signup / **registration deadline: March 26th** / Limit 56 seats / Casino requires a completed manifest for incentive (full name, address, and date of birth) / Must be at least 21 years of age and will need a valid ID / Limit one casino incentive package per person / must arrive on the bus to get the casino incentive / casino incentives subject to change without notice

For reservations, please contact Shirley Corcoran (810) 240-4976 / scorcoran08@comcast.net or Kathy Kujacznski (810) 686-6826.

Encounter School of Prophetic Ministry

An activation-based approach to prophetic growth
March 21 - 23, 2019 / St. Patrick's, Brighton

Speakers: Aaron Richards, Fr. Mathias Thelen, Patrick Reis, and Teresa Petersen

The Encounter School of Prophetic Ministry is a three-day school that provides the foundations for you to be equipped to hear God's voice more clearly for yourself and the world around you through training and activation of the prophetic gifts of the Holy Spirit in your life. Based on the curriculum of the encounter School of Ministry, attendees will experience three powerful days of activation-based learning in a safe and relational environment grounded in teaching faithful to the Church. Our hope is that you would experience a great acceleration in your ministry and walk away with years worth of tools and ideas for equipping in the prophetic gifts and building a prophetic culture in the Church.

Register at www.encountermi.com

Employment Opportunity - Executive Director, Guest House

Guest House, a health care provider specializing in addiction treatment for Roman Catholic clergy and religious, located in Lake Orion, Michigan, is seeking an Executive Director. The Executive Director will have overall strategic and operational responsibility for the Guest House treatment center staff and programs, for execution of the organization's mission and vision and for identifying growth opportunities. This position is also responsible for establishing and maintaining best-practice clinical services for the population served and establishing and maintaining program plans, policies and procedures consistent with current licensure and CARF accreditation requirements. For more information on Guest House, please visit our website at GuestHouse.org.

Qualifications:

Extensive experience and knowledge of addiction treatment and 12-step recovery is required, along with a minimum of a master's degree in a related social sciences field with at least five years of senior management experience. The candidate must have excellent communication skills and have a strong understanding of the workings of the Roman Catholic Church. Previous work experience in a CARF or JCAHO facility is desired.

If you are interested in applying for this opportunity, please submit your resume to cvario@guesthouse.org.

Free Food

For residents living within the Grand Blanc School District

When: 1st and 3rd Mondays / 3 - 4:30 p.m.

Where: St. Christopher's Episcopal Church (9020 S. Saginaw - corner of S. Saginaw and Cook)

Bring: Picture ID, your own bags/containers

Foods are a first come, first serve basis
Quantities and selections will vary

Items may include produce, dairy, bakery, frozen food from the GBCS (hamburgers, French fries, chicken nuggets, breakfast items, etc.)

Dates: Mar 18, Apr 1, 15, May 6, 20, and June 14

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