



# CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY

A CARING CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

MARCH 1, 2020

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT



2020  
DIOCESAN  
SERVICES  
APPEAL



“HAPPY THE ONE WHO  
TRUSTS IN THE LORD!”

PROVERBS 16:20

# 1st Sunday of Lent

## ENTRANCE HYMN

### The Glory of These Forty Days

1. The glo - ry of these for - ty days We  
2. A - lone and fast - ing, Mo - ses saw The  
3. So Dan - iel trained his mys - tic sight, De -  
4. Then grant that we like them be true, Con -

cel - e - brate with songs of praise; For Christ, by whom all  
lov - ing God who gave the law; And to E - li - jah,  
liv - ered from the li - on's might; And John, the Bride-groom's  
sumed in fast and prayer with you; Our spir - its strength-en

things were made, Him - self has fast - ed and has prayed.  
fast - ing, came The steeds and char - i - ots of flame.  
friend, be - came The her - ald of Mes - si - ah's name.  
with your grace, And give us joy to see your face.

Text: *Clarum decus jejunii*; ascr. to Gregory the Great, c.540-604; tr. by Maurice F. Bell, 1862-1947, © Oxford University Press  
Tune: ERHALT UNS HERR, LM; Klug's *Geistliche Lieder*, 1543; harm. by J.S. Bach, 1685-1750

## FIRST READING: Genesis 2:7-9; 3:1-7

The LORD God formed man out of the clay of the ground and blew into his nostrils the breath of life, and so man became a living being.

Then the LORD God planted a garden in Eden, in the east, and placed there the man whom he had formed.

Out of the ground the LORD God made various trees grow that were delightful to look at and good for food, with the tree of life in the middle of the garden and the tree of the knowledge of good and evil.

Now the serpent was the most cunning of all the animals that the LORD God had made.

The serpent asked the woman,  
"Did God really tell you not to eat from any of the trees in the garden?"

The woman answered the serpent:

"We may eat of the fruit of the trees in the garden; it is only about the fruit of the tree in the middle of the garden that God said,

'You shall not eat it or even touch it, lest you die.'"

But the serpent said to the woman:

"You certainly will not die!

No, God knows well that the moment you eat of it your eyes will be opened and you will be like gods who know what is good and what is evil."

The woman saw that the tree was good for food, pleasing to the eyes, and desirable for gaining wisdom.

So she took some of its fruit and ate it; and she also gave some to her husband, who was with her, and he ate it.

Then the eyes of both of them were opened, and they realized that they were naked; so they sewed fig leaves together and made loincloths for themselves.

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

### Psalm 51: Be Merciful, O Lord

Refrain

Be mer-ci-ful, O Lord, for we have sinned; be  
mer-ci-ful, O Lord, for we have sinned.



## SECOND READING: *Romans 5:12-19*

Brothers and sisters:

Through one man sin entered the world, and through sin, death, and thus death came to all men, inasmuch as all sinned—for up to the time of the law, sin was in the world, though sin is not accounted when there is no law. But death reigned from Adam to Moses, even over those who did not sin after the pattern of the trespass of Adam, who is the type of the one who was to come.

But the gift is not like the transgression.

For if by the transgression of the one, the many died, how much more did the grace of God and the gracious gift of the one man Jesus Christ overflow for the many.

And the gift is not like the result of the one who

sinned.

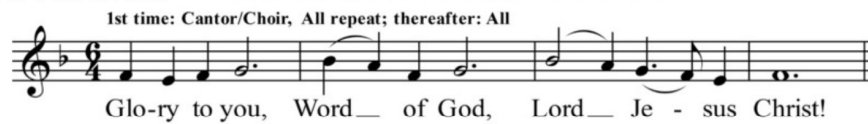
For after one sin there was the judgment that brought condemnation; but the gift, after many transgressions, brought acquittal.

For if, by the transgression of the one, death came to reign through that one, how much more will those who receive the abundance of grace and of the gift of justification come to reign in life through the one Jesus Christ.

In conclusion, just as through one transgression condemnation came upon all, so, through one righteous act, acquittal and life came to all.

For just as through the disobedience of the one man the many were made sinners, so, through the obedience of the one, the many will be made righteous.

## LENTEN GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:



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## GOSPEL: *Matthew 4:1-11*

At that time Jesus was led by the Spirit into the desert to be tempted by the devil.

He fasted for forty days and forty nights, and afterwards he was hungry.

The tempter approached and said to him,

"If you are the Son of God, command that these stones become loaves of bread."

He said in reply,

"It is written: *One does not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes forth from the mouth of God.*"

Then the devil took him to the holy city, and made him stand on the parapet of the temple, and said to him, "If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down.

For it is written: *He will command his angels concerning you and with their hands they will support you, lest you dash your foot against a stone.*"

Jesus answered him,

"Again it is written, *You shall not put the Lord, your God, to the test.*"

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

At this, Jesus said to him,

"Get away, Satan!

It is written:

*The Lord, your God, shall you worship and him alone shall you serve.*"

Then the devil left him and, behold, angels came and ministered to him.

## THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God,

the Father Almighty,

Creator of heaven and earth,

and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,

born of the Virgin Mary,

suffered under Pontius Pilate,

was crucified, died and was buried;

He descended into hell;

on the third day He rose again from the dead;

He ascended into heaven,

and is seated at the right hand of God the Father

Almighty;

from there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the Holy Catholic Church,

the communion of Saints,

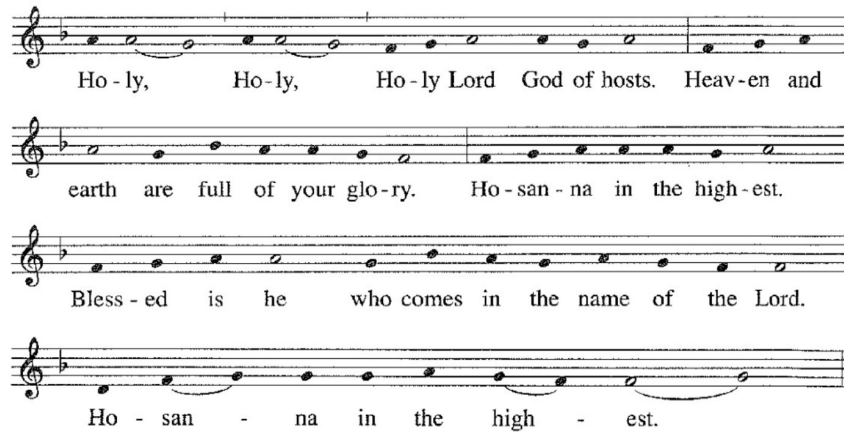
the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

and life everlasting.

Amen.

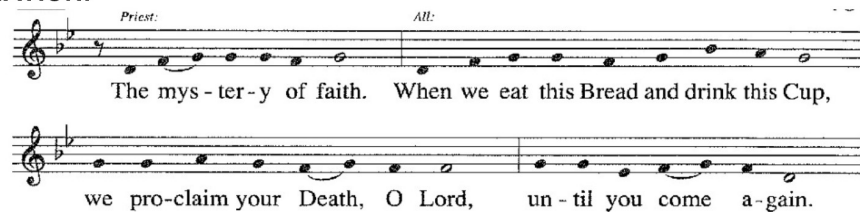
## SANCTUS:



Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav - en and  
earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.  
Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Ho - san - na in the high - est.

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## MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION:



*Priest:* The mys - ter - y of faith. *All:* When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup,  
we pro - claim your Death, O Lord, un - til you come a - gain.

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## COMMUNION HYMNS:

### ***Psalms 16: Keep Me Safe, O God***

Refrain: Keep me safe, O God: you are my hope;  
you are my hope, O God.

1. I say to God, "you are my only God, I have no good except in you."
2. I find in God always my cup of joy; and God will keep my life secure.
3. I bless my God: God who has counseled me. At night my heart gives counsel too.
4. I keep my God always before my eyes; with God beside me I'm secure.
5. And so my heart always is glad in God; my body too shall dwell secure.
6. For you will not ever abandon me, or let your servant lose the path.
7. The path of life you have revealed to me, and in your presence is my joy.

### ***Prayer of Augustine***

1. O Beauty ancient, O Beauty so new Late have I loved Thee and feebly yet do. Though you were with me, I was not with You. Then You shone Your face and I was blind no more.

2. I sought this world and chased its finer things,  
Yet were these not in You, they would not have been. My ceaseless longing hid the deeper truth,  
In all my desirings, I was desiring You.

3. Lord, in my deafness You cried out to me. I drew my breath and now Your fragrance I breathe. O Fount of Life, You are forever the same; O Fire of Love: come set me aflame.

Refrain: My heart searches restlessly and finds no rest 'till it rests in Thee. O Seeker You sought for me, Your love has found me; I am taken by Thee.

## ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL PRAYER:

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the Devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan, and all evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls.  
Amen.

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# What's Happening Here

Fr. Joe's article should return next week.



**"Happy the one who trusts in the Lord."** This scripture text from the Book of Proverbs affirms a fundamental teaching of the Catholic Church – only in God will we find the truth and happiness that we seek, the happiness that we were made for.

Our Diocesan Services Appeal is an opportunity to participate personally in the service and care provided through the many good works of the Catholic Church. DSA contri-

butions are put to work, right away, in a multitude of ministries and spiritual activities to offer direct assistance to individuals and families, to our parishes and schools.

Day after day, year after year – with your help – we are here. The Catholic Church – through our parishes, our Catholic Charities agencies, our Catholic Schools, the St. Francis Retreat Center, and dozens of other services and ministries – provides vital care and services to almost 200,000 Catholics across the diocese.

These many good works unify our mission to Go and Announce the Gospel of the Lord. DSA helps us all to move along the path of discipleship together.

An envelope is included in this bulletin or you may donate online at [www.dioceseoflansing.org/dsa](http://www.dioceseoflansing.org/dsa). For assistance, please contact The Catholic Foundation (517) 253-8792.

*\*Holy Family's goal for 2020 is \$184,796.*

## 2020 DSA Prayer

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

*Help us to understand that it is only in You that we find the truth and happiness we seek – the happiness we are made for.*

*Help us to understand and embrace the Diocesan Services Appeal as a way to faithfully participate in the good works of Your Holy Catholic Church.*

*Please bless our united efforts and help us to see Jesus in all whom we encounter.*

*Amen.*

## HOLY FAMILY 2020 LENTEN JOURNEY

### DAY OF PENANCE

**MONDAY, MARCH 23**

at St. Mark in Goodrich  
6 am - 8 pm | **Confessions**

### "LAST CHANCE" PENANCE

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8**

at Fr. Bush Parish Center  
5 - 7 pm | **Confessions**  
7 pm | **Mass**

### SUFFERING AT THE FOOT OF THE CROSS

**FRIDAY, MARCH 6**

7 pm | **Talk by Fr. Joe**



## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

**Fridays, February 28 - April 10 at 6 pm**

February 28	<b>Way of the Cross</b> as composed by St. Alphonsus Liguori
March 6	<b>Divine Mercy Stations of the Cross</b>
March 13	<b>Mary's Way of the Cross</b> (Stations through Mary's Eyes)
March 20	<b>Living Stations of the Cross</b> Performed by HFS 8th graders
March 27	<b>Divine Mercy Stations of the Cross</b>
April 3	<b>Way of the Cross</b> as composed by St. Alphonsus Liguori
April 10	<b>Mary's Way of the Cross</b>

**Father Bush Parish Center**



## Stewardship & Worship

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

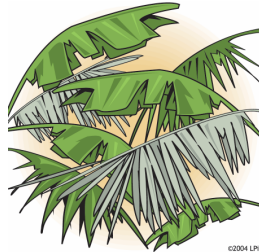


### RAFFLE TICKETS

The Knights of Columbus will be selling raffle tickets after all Masses on **Sunday, March 8th**. The \$5 tickets are toward winning one of several exotic cruises.

### Palms

The palms that you received on Palm Sunday last year are sacramental because they have been blessed. We will gather them over the next several weekends and burn them here at the church. Baskets for the old palms will be located in the hall lobby and the parish office waiting room.



### Fasting and Abstinence

Those who are physically capable are called to abstain from eating meat on Ash Wednesday and during the Fridays in Lent. Fasting (Ash Wednesday and Good Friday) consists of one full meatless meal and other limited meatless meals as required to maintain strength. The young, the elderly, and those with health issues are not required to fast. The discipline of fasting and abstinence should be done in a spirit of prayer and with the goal of making a sacrifice in order to draw closer to the Lord.

### Black and Indian Missions Collection

Mandated by the III Plenary Council in 1884, the 125-year-old National Collection for Black and Indian people continues as the embodiment of the Church's concern for evangelizing the Black and Indian peoples of the United States. The funds are distributed as grants to dioceses throughout the United States, supporting and strengthening evangelization programs which otherwise would cease. The Collection was formerly known as The Black and Indian Home Mission Collection.

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

### First Friday Mass for Vocations

Please join us on **Friday, March 6th**, for Mass at 8:00 a.m. Our Mass Intention will be "For Vocation to the Priesthood and Consecrated Life."

### "Others First" is This Weekend

We depend on your generosity to stock our St. Joseph Food Pantry and Clothes Closet. If you forgot to bring your food items to Mass this weekend, you can still bring them in any other weekend and leave them in the hall lobby (white crates) after any Mass, or you may drop them off during the week at Outreach (the white building north of the church) Monday - Friday 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Thanks!



### The Disciplemaker Index Survey

We invite all Holy Family Parishioners to fill out a survey at <http://www.disciplemakerindex.com/>. This survey will allow us and the diocese to see how we are doing spiritually as a parish. Survey will be open online from February 8 to **TODAY, March 1st**. If you need a paper copy of the survey, please visit the parish office.

### Respect Life Committee

The Holy Family Respect Life Committee's mission is to promote the Gospel of Life in our parish and community. We meet on the first Monday of the month from September to May in the Fr. Bush Parish Center. Our next meeting is **Monday, March 2nd**, at 7:00 p.m. If you would like to help bring change to Respect for Life in our country, please join us. Upcoming dates: Mar. 2, April 6, May 4, June 1, Sept. (TBD), Oct. 5, Nov. 2 and Dec. 7.

*Lord, we are yours. Thank you for breathing into us the breath of life. Thank you for claiming us as your own. May our words and actions in defense of human life proclaim to all the world that you alone are Lord of life and death, Lord of our freedom and of our choices. We pray in Jesus' Name. Amen.*

- Fr. Frank Pavone

### Stewardship of Treasure February 22nd and 23rd

Registered Families	1960
Envelopes received this week	395
Online givers this week	130
Amount offered from envelopes	\$ 22,719.74
Amount offered from online giving	\$ 9,054.00
Amount offered from visitors	\$ 1,623.75
<b>Total weekly offerings</b>	<b>\$ 33,397.49</b>

*Recipient of 5% tithing on Others First weekend:*

**Whaley's Children's Center** is a source of hope, care and treatment to Michigan's abused, neglected, and at-risk children and families. The Center provides tools to children and families who have experienced trauma to reach their full potential.

## Holy Family School Dinner and Auction Wish List



**Save the Date: Friday, May 15, 2020**

**Silent Auction in the Gym from 5pm-7pm**

**Dinner and Live Auction in the FBPC, Large Hall from 7pm-11pm**

**THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR SCHOOL!**

### HOTEL & TRAVEL

Vacation home rentals and time shares  
Wine getaways  
Golf getaways  
California getaways  
Extreme sports getaways  
Hotel stays  
Winter ski packages with lodging  
Airline tickets

### HEALTH & BEAUTY

Salon / Spa certificates  
Gym or health club memberships  
Hair, manicure, pedicure or facial certificate  
Dental exams  
Chiropractic evaluation / treatment  
Teeth whitening  
Yoga / Zumba / Pilates classes  
Beauty products basket  
Fitness equipment / Personal training sessions

### FASHION

Women's & Men's apparel gift cards  
Colleges & universities spirit wear  
Designer Purses / Wallets  
Jewelry Watches Sunglasses  
Custom apparel & accessories

### HOME, GARDEN & OFFICE

Interior design services  
Decorative home accessories  
Florist certificate  
Bar Accessories  
Glassware  
Lighting, architectural services  
Landscaping services  
Garden accessories / Garden Tools  
Computer / Design classes  
Office supplies / Software Business  
Personal financial planning  
Tax preparation / Estate planning

### FOOD & WINE

Restaurant dining certificates  
Cooking / Baking classes  
Vintage wines / Champagne  
Top shelf alcohol / Mixes Beer Kitchen appliances  
Accessories Gourmet wine baskets  
Wine-tasting parties

**We are collecting donations for our big event!** Please drop off your donated item(s) with your name attached (so we know who to thank) in the school lobby between 8:00am-3:00pm Monday through Friday.

If you are interested in browsing our Amazon Auction Wish List, please check out the link. Your donations can be sent right to the school!

[https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/2T9B99GR9XRTT?ref\\_=wl\\_share](https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/2T9B99GR9XRTT?ref_=wl_share)

### ELECTRONICS

Flat-screen TV  
Digital Camera / Camcorder MP3 Players  
Designer headphones  
Smart phones  
Tablets Laptop / Notebook  
Home theatre system GPS DVD / Blu-Ray Player

### CHILDREN & FAMILY

Children's summer camps  
Children's classes / Tutoring services  
Family portraits  
Toys  
Books  
Dog walking services / Pet sitting  
Pet supplies/ Veterinary Services

### ENTERTAINMENT & SPORTS

Concert tickets  
Sports Events tickets / Suites  
Celebrity / Athlete meet and greet  
Golf foursomes  
Movie/Theatre tickets  
Amusement park admission tickets  
"Behind the scenes" tours  
Boating / Fishing excursions  
Specialty bus tours  
Signed sports memorabilia  
Sports equipment  
Sports lessons / training  
Music lessons  
Musical instruments  
Board games / Card games  
Video Entertainment Centers  
Games Musical CDs DVDs / Blu-Ray Discs

***\*GIFT CARDS ARE ALWAYS APPRECIATED and can be purchased through our HFS SCRIP Program. It's a great way to donate to the auction while supporting our school!***



**Be a part of our Holy FAMILY!**  
Contact Lisa Harvey at 810-694-9072, ext. 0  
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[www.hfsgb.org](http://www.hfsgb.org)



# What's Happening Here

## Men's Retreat Weekend

at St. Francis Retreat Center, Dewitt

**March 6th - 8th**

The theme for this directed retreat for **Holy Family** is "River of Life - Flowing from Our Baptism." For more information or to register, visit [www.stfrancis.ws](http://www.stfrancis.ws), call (517) 669-8321, or contact your parish representative (Jim Lusty 810-636-7328). The suggested donation for the weekend is \$185. Please prayerfully consider if God is calling you to set aside time for this encounter opportunity!

## 55 & Over Club

St. Paul instructs us to be united in our hearts by looking out for the needs of others. First Tuesday, everyone. All cash donations are appreciated.



Join us for our senior lunch this **Tuesday, March 3rd**, from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Think Garage and Bake Sale **April 23/24**.

Do something special during Lent.

## St. Mary Magdalene Book Study

Come make a Lenten walk with St. Mary Magdalene and discover how she transfigured from a love of damnation toward a love of salvation. Join Deacon Denny in a read about this remarkable woman who, according to Jesus, has chosen the better part. (Luke 10:42)

We meet on Wednesdays/Tuesdays (**March 4, 11, 17 and 31**). All meetings will go from 7 - 8:30 p.m. in one of the school rooms. (A morning session will be offered if there is enough interest.) Sign up at the parish office with your contact info and place your book order now. Pricing is \$33, but you may look on Amazon for used copies. Watch the bulletin/website or see Deacon Denny for further details at [dennismppennell@gmail.com](mailto:dennismppennell@gmail.com) for further details.

Author Maria Valtorta

Title Mary Magdalene

Book # ISBN 978-88-79 87-132-7

## Scripture Verse

Then the devil took him up to a very high mountain, and showed him all the kingdoms of the world in their magnificence, and he said to him, "All these I shall give to you, if you will prostrate yourself and worship me." At this, Jesus said to him, "Get away, Satan!" -Mt. 4:8-10a

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**Welcome.**  
There is **More to Life**

Hi! I'm Dave Schoener.

I spent nearly my entire life with no real relationship with Jesus Christ, even though I went to church regularly. I had a very difficult past, carrying with me a heavy burden of guilt and shame. I was merely existing, not living. Surviving, not thriving. I felt broken with no hope of repair. Then I attended the Welcome Weekend last year. I was hoping to improve my relationship with God, yet with little expectation for any significant change.

Wow! I received more than I ever thought possible. My eyes were opened, and I realized how much I had been missing all those years. I willingly and joyfully opened myself up to the Holy Spirit, and He filled my heart. I now have an intimate relationship with Christ. A NEW LIFE in accordance with his plan.

God has a plan for me. And I believe He has a plan for you too.

*I look forward to welcoming you to the next*  
**Men's Welcome Weekend**  
**March 14-15, 2020**  
Register online today: [hfgb.org](http://hfgb.org)

## Holy Family Book Club

Holy Family Book Club will have a short hiatus and resume **March 10th** with the discussion of *Give Up Worry for Lent*, by Gary Zimak. This is a book which is meant to be read each day of Lent, which means you will begin reading on Ash Wednesday. Each day includes a short Scripture passage, reflection, response and prayer. Our discussion will continue each Tuesday through March 31st, in the St. Joseph Center from 7-8:30 p.m. The book is available on-line and runs anywhere from \$11.10 to \$14.95, depending on your source. Call Debbie Oglenski (866-4777) to register. Participation in one book is not a long-range commitment to every book. All are welcome.







## Mass Intentions March 2 - 8

### Monday, March 2

8:00 AM Chuck Scheuern *by Annie Scheuern*  
10 AM (American House) Roger Repuyan *by Nancy Repuyan*

### Tuesday, March 3

8:00 AM James F. O'Dea *by Jim & Lorri O'Dea*

### Wednesday, March 4

8:00 AM Mary Ann Hopfe *by Imelda Kolton*  
5:30 PM Fiona McBride (Living) *by Murphy Family*

### Thursday, March 5

8:00 AM Ronda Miller *by Theresa & Mark Dyer*

### Friday, March 6

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

### Saturday, March 7

8:00 AM Betty Delecki *by Mary Ann Moreau*  
4:00 PM All Holy Family Parishioners

### Sunday, March 8

8:00 AM Marland Moreau *by Pat Bills*  
10:00 AM Francisca Cruz Garcia *by Miriam Singson*  
12:00 PM Jim Hall *by Hall Family*  
5:30 PM Matthew Byk *by Byk Family*



## Liturgical Ministry March 7 - 8 Second Sunday of Lent (schedule may not reflect recent changes)

4:00 PM Saturday - Fr. Peter Lawrence

**Lectors:** Kathy Swiantek, Doug Zloto

**Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:**

TBD	Doug Zloto	Samuel Burdick
Laura Wilson	Dennis Bridges	
Bethany Zloto	Pat Burdick	

**Servers:** Blake Zloto, Brent Zloto

8:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Peter Lawrence

**Lectors:** Rod Shick, Paul Wolven

**Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:**

TBD	Ica Bernabe	Kim Dinger
Paul Wolven	Karen Horton	
Cesar Bernabe	Yvonne Cesal	

**Servers:** Silas Babiasz, Anna Dinger

10:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Peter Lawrence

**Lectors:** Debbie Oglenski, Colleen Argus

**Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:**

TBD	Linda McGinnis	Earl Hagen
Mary Andrews	Doug Benchley	
Betty Ardahl	Richard Cross	

**Servers:** Landon McAvoy, Madison McAvoy

12:00 PM Sunday - Fr. Joe Krupp

**Lectors:** Bill Harris, Chris Harris

**Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:**

TBD	Cindy Villaire	Karen Allen
John Tuohy	Scott Villaire	
Nicole Urbanik	Karen Zellej	

**Servers:** Will Urbanik, John Zellej

5:30 PM Sunday - Fr. Joe Krupp

**Lectors:** Alice Thomas, Halle Purcell

**Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:**

TBD	Martha Mansour	Joseph Sliwka
Deb Hawley	Chris McVannel	
Kristin Koglin	Marie Psenski	

**Servers:** Addison Sliwka, Hannah Sliwka



## Weekly Readings March 1 - 8

**Sunday:** Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 17 [cf. 3a]/  
Rom 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19/Mt 4:1-11 / **Monday:** Lv 19:1-  
2, 11-18/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15 [Jn 6:63b]/Mt 25:31-46 /

**Tuesday:** Is 55:10-11/Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19 [18b]/  
Mt 6:7-15 / **Wednesday:** Jon 3:1-10/Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-  
19 [19b]/Lk 11:29-32 / **Thursday:** Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/  
Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8 [3a]/Mt 7:7-12 / **Friday:** Ez

18:21-28/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8 [3]/Mt 5:20-26 / **Sat-**  
**urday:** Dt 26:16-19/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8 [1b]/Mt 5:43-48

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



## Holy Family Happenings

### Sunday, March 1

10:15 - 11:30 AM Religious Education (HFS)  
6:30 - 8:30 PM IMPACT (SJC)

### Monday, March 2

9 AM - 12:30 PM St. Joseph Guild  
9:15 - 10:45 AM Bible Timeline (SJC)  
6:30 PM Alpha (Little Joe's)

### Tuesday, March 3

11 AM - 2 PM Senior Luncheon (FBPC)  
6:30 - 8 PM Adult Bell Choir (FBPC)  
7 - 8:30 PM Book Club (SJC)

### Wednesday, March 4

8:30 AM - 5:15 PM Eucharistic Adoration (SH)  
6:15 - 7 PM Parish Youth Choir (FBPC)  
6:30 - 8:15 PM Bible Timeline (SJCC)  
7 - 9 PM Cantor/Adult choir rehearsal (FBPC)

### Thursday, March 5

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

### Friday, March 6

9 - 11 AM Walking with Purpose (SJC)  
3 - 4 PM Help Put God Back in America (SH)  
6 - 6:30 PM Stations of the Cross (FBPC)

### Saturday, March 7



# Youth News and more

## High School Youth Ministry



This week at IMPACT we will be taking some time to really dive into Lent. Join us from 6:30-8:30 p.m. in the St. Joseph Center!

Next week we will not be meeting as some of us will be going to St. Catherine of Siena Academy in Wixom for the weekend on the Mission retreat. Please pray for us and all the teens who will be experiencing Christ there.

## Religious Education

### Religious Education 2020-2021

In preparation for Religious Education during the 2020-21 school year, I am seeking input from all families whose children (ages 3-8th grade) are not enrolled either at Holy Family School or in Religious Education classes at Holy Family. Religious Education classes are held on Sundays from 10:15-11:30 am. A survey went out to families currently enrolled in the program, and it appears that the Sunday classes are still the most viable option. However, I know there are families in the parish for whom this does not work. I am trying to see how many families would join our program if a weeknight option was offered.

If your family would be interested in a weeknight option, please contact me, Katie Church, at [kchurch@hfgb.org](mailto:kchurch@hfgb.org). In your email include the following, 1) number of children, 2) ages of children, 3) night(s) available, and 4) times most convenient for your family. I cannot promise that we will be able to offer a week night option. It will depend, not only on familial interest, but also the response of adults willing to volunteer to teach the classes.

### Future Plans

Early registration for the 2020-21 school year will be taking place this spring. Look for an upcoming announcement regarding lower tuition and deadlines. VBS will return for the summer of 2020. In order to allow more families to participate, VBS this year will be held August 10-13, 2020 from 5:45-8:00 pm with an optional dinner being offered from 5:00-5:45 pm. Also, new this year, VBS will be available for all parishioners ages 4 years and up with childcare provided for little ones. Look for more details coming March 2020.

### Email and Text Scam

Please be aware that scammers sometimes create email addresses that look like the address of someone you know but are not really theirs. All of our email addresses at Holy Family end in [@hfgb.org](mailto:@hfgb.org) or [@hfsgb.org](mailto:@hfsgb.org). So, if you get an email from [FrJoeKrupp@gmail.com](mailto:FrJoeKrupp@gmail.com), that is not our pastor! (This is also occurring now for Fr. Peter.) Also, please know that none of our staff would ever email you and ask for gift cards or cash to be sent anywhere. There is not anything that we can do about fake emails. They are not ours and the person has not hacked our account. The only thing we can do, per our computer technician, is make sure you are aware that these scams are out there. Recently some have received texts from Fr. Joe and Fr. Peter. These are not their phone numbers. Again, they will never ask for gift cards or money in a text or email.



If you have been abused or victimized by someone representing the Catholic Church, please believe in the possibility for hope and help and healing. We encourage you to come forward and speak out. Every diocese in the United States now has a Victim Assistance Coordinator who is available to obtain support for your needs, to help make a formal complaint of abuse to the diocese and to arrange a personal meeting with the bishop or his representative, if you desire.

The Victim Assistance Coordinator for the Diocese of Lansing is Cheryl Williams-Hecksel 1.888.308.6252 or [cwilliamshecksel@dioceseoflansing.org](mailto:cwilliamshecksel@dioceseoflansing.org).

In addition, you may also report through the law enforcement toll-free reporting hotline at (844) 324-3374 (Monday through Friday, 8 am to 5 pm) or by email at [aginvestigations@michigan.gov](mailto:aginvestigations@michigan.gov)

### Prayer Intention of Pope Francis

for March

**Prayer intention for evangelization - Catholics in China** - We pray that the church in China may persevere in its faithfulness to the Gospel and grow in unity.



# Parish Prayers and more

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



Baptized on February 23, 2020

**Lincoln Christopher Grzegorzewski**, son of Christopher and Michelle (Manger) Grzegorzewski. Lincoln was born on October 22, 2019.

**Isaac Joseph Merlo**, son of Joseph and Meagan (Stechschulte) Merlo. Isaac was born on December 23, 2019.

## 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... Kenneth Adkisson, Sharon Balasko, Janet Carriere, Charles Celusnak, Susan Geisler, Karen Meganck, Michael Meganck, Mark Merrill, Sarah Morawa, Jill Morawa, Mark Morawa, Jacob Morawa, John Murphy, Arlene Oren, Sheila Peltier, Janet Prosniewski, Arthur Puzycki, and Sam Smiley.*

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](mailto: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.

## Prayer for the Helpless Unborn

*Gracious God, we beg you, in your infinite love to protect those helpless unborn little ones whose lives are threatened by abortion. Touch with overflowing compassion the hearts of pregnant women who are desperate, fearful, hopeless, anxious, or who feel they are incapable of carrying this child who now lives within them. Help these young mothers*

*understand that this baby is made in Your image and likeness - as well as their own - and that You have given this child a soul and desire its life and health. Move young mothers beyond fear and selfishness. Place within their hearts the strength and courage only You can offer. Grant them great love to bring this child to birth and to provide all the needed care that only a mother can impart. Amen.*



## In Loving Memory

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

### March 1

Frances Crapser, William Glasco, Burton Wilson, John Petrides

### March 2

Margaret Scott, Charles Scheuern

### March 3

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

### March 4

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

### March 5

Frank Roulo, Sylvia Narde, Francis Marzonie, Bridie Hart, Frances Murphy, Rose Elizabeth Skolnik, Harry Wisniewski, Anthony Stefanski, Shirley Abbott

### March 6

Rosalene Royer, Albert Weldon, Harrold Bills

### March 7

Luke Goyette, John Dedow, Patricia O'Donnell, Donald C. Jankowski, Dorine Fry, Ann Zagata, Sheri Samassa

## Meals for Moms

Expecting a baby? The women of Holy Family would love to welcome your little one by bringing a few meals to your family after the baby is born.



Contact Elizabeth Petrides at [hfgbmealsformoms@gmail.com](mailto:hfgbmealsformoms@gmail.com) or 810-265-4189 to make arrangements or to let me know you could provide a meal occasionally.

## 40 Days for Life Kickoff Rally

**Tomorrow Night** 40 Days for Life Kickoff Rally at South Church 6:30 pm, We hope to see you Monday night. Important information about our local campaign followed by prayer and the inspiring movie *Unplanned* will help us prepare as a community for the days ahead.

Not sure? Uncertain? Come to just find out what it's about. No obligation. The public prayer vigil began Wednesday, Feb 26th.

Let us implore God's mercy and act as his witnesses to help save the lives He has created.


Sign up to follow the campaign and indicate your prayer vigil hours at <http://www.40daysforlife.com/lansing>

# Around the Diocese

## Heartbeat's Irish Night

Join us for Heartbeat's 41st Annual Irish Night in a new location - St. Robert Catholic Church (310 N. Cherry St., Flushing) on **Sunday, March 15th**. Doors open at 4:30 PM / Dinner at 5 PM. Featured entertainer is Tom Smela, singer.

## Rose Mass



The Lansing Guild of the Catholic medical Association presents the Diocese of Lansing's 24th Annual Rose Mass for Catholic Health Care Workers on **Saturday, March 21st**, at 5:00 p.m. at St. Patrick Catholic Church (711 Rickett Rd., Brighton 48116) with Most Reverend Earl Boyea as celebrant. There will be a Wine and Cheese Reception with heavy hors d'oeuvres immediately following in the Fr. McCann Parish Hall. The presentation is "St. (Padre) Pio Home for the Relief of Suffering in the USA: Responding to the Call." Jere Palazaolo, Founder & President, Catholic Healthcare International, & Bobby Schindler, President, Terri Schiavo Life & Hope Network. RSVP appreciated **by March 15, 2020**, to [cmalansing@gmail.com](mailto:cmalansing@gmail.com). There is no charge for the event; a free will offering (\$20 suggested) will include membership dues.

Lansing Guild of the CMA, PO Box 356,  
Ann Arbor, MI 48106

## Position Opening

Lansing Catholic high School at 501 North Marshall Street in Lansing is in the process of searching for applicants for the position of principal. The desired candidate for the position in a school of the Catholic Diocese of Lansing is a practicing Catholic, actively involved in parish life. The desired candidate holds a M.A. (or equivalent) in an educational field (educational leadership preferred), is currently certified (or readily certifiable) as a Michigan teacher, and is eligible for Michigan Administrative Certification. The desired candidate has at least five years of teaching experience, can effectively serve as the instructional leader of the school, is capable of formulating and administering the curriculum, and can adroitly oversee the school's co-curricular programming. A candidate must provide a cover letter, a resume, at least three letters of recommendation, transcripts, and contact information for professional and personal references. This material must be e-mailed to Lisa Kutas, Director of Human Resources at: [lkutas@dioceseoflansing.org](mailto:lkutas@dioceseoflansing.org) **by March 9, 2020**.

## Positions Available

The Diocese of Lansing Finance Department is accepting applications for two open positions: Accounting Specialist and Parish Auditor. To learn more about these positions and to apply, please visit the website at [www.dioceseoflansing.org/employment](http://www.dioceseoflansing.org/employment).

## First Saturday Devotions

The World Apostolate of Fatima Diocesan Morning of Prayer and Reparation for World Peace will be held at Our Lady of Lebanon (4101 Calkins Rd., Flint) on **Saturday, March 7th**, at 9:00 a.m. The morning will include Divine Liturgy, Investiture in the Brown Scapular, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Holy Hour of Prayer and Rosary.

## REFLECT Retreat

Mid-life Singles (mid-30s to 50s): Are you looking for a renewed sense of purpose & belonging? Register today for a life-changing REFLECT weekend retreat at the St. Francis Retreat Center, in DeWitt, MI (10 miles north of Lansing), on **April 17-19, 2020**. Take a chance and get involved... you won't regret it! Cost is \$185 for meals and a single room. Visit [www.ReflectRetreat.com](http://www.ReflectRetreat.com), e-mail [reflect.michigan@gmail.com](mailto:reflect.michigan@gmail.com), or call (586) 770-1772 for details.

## Singers - St. Patrick's Day Mass

Please join our choir for the annual St. Patrick's Day Mass to be held at St. Michael in Flint on **Tuesday, March 17th**, at 12:02 PM. All choir members should be at the church ready to rehearse at 11 AM on the 17th. Hope to see you there!

Larry MacDonald, choir director

## Tuition Assistance

Tuition Assistance: Diocese of Lansing tuition assistance is available for the 2020/2020 school year:

- The Diocese of Lansing Grant
  - Grades K-8, \$750.00 per student
  - Grades 9-12, \$1,000.00 per student
- The Venerable Augustus Tolton Scholarship
  - Grades K-12, \$500.00 per student
  - In addition to the grant criteria for all grants, student must be African-American, or Black and show a need of at least \$500.00.
- Grant Criteria eligibility for all grants:
  - Family must complete a FACTS financial aid application online on, or before, March 1, 2020.
  - Student must show a financial need of at least \$750.00.
  - The student must be Catholic, attend a Diocese of Lansing school, and belong to a parish in the Diocese of Lansing.

For more information on the grants, and how to apply go to [dolcatholicschools.org](http://dolcatholicschools.org)

Scholarship ads can be viewed here:  
<https://drop.faithcatholic.com/index.php/s/4QU1YTcStHn7r9r>  
<https://drop.faithcatholic.com/index.php/s/qXLLpOhW0YpOqAr>



# Parish Directory

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

Hours..... M-F 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. / 1 - 5 p.m.  
(closed 12 p.m. - 1 p.m. for lunch)

Pastor, **Fr. Joseph Krupp**

Parochial Vicars, **Fr. Peter Lawrence** (frpeter@hfgb.org)  
and **Fr. Bill Wegher**

Deacon, **Dennis Pennell**

Deacon, **Larry Blondin** ..... lblondin@hfgb.org

Music Director, **Dr. B. Simon Lee** ..... x2205

Associate Music Director, **Dr. Sia Lee** ..... x2205

Liturgy Coordinator, **Lorri O'Dea** ..... x2214

Business Manager, **Brian Kita** ..... x2218

Director of Evangelization, **Erin Cummings** ..... x2204

Accountant, **Aimee Wolven** ..... x2209

Parish Secretary, **Theresa Dyer** ..... x2200

Bulletin Editor, **Linda Doyle** ..... x2216

Communications Specialist, **Nicole Urbanik** ..... x2202

## Facilities & Events .....694-9013

**Carrie Pilarski**

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

## Ministry to the Ill & Bereaved.....694-4891

**Nancy Repuyan**, ext. 2211

## Social Outreach Ministry.....771-7279

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

## High School Youth Ministry.....694-4891

**Erin Cummings** (IMPACT High School)..... ext. 2204

All meeting Sundays 6:30 - 8:30 pm in the St. Joseph  
Center during the school year

## Religious Education.....694-4891

Religious Education Classes (Pre-school - 8th grade)

Grades K-8 .... Sun 10:15 am - 11:30 am / HF School

**Katie Church** (Elem. Rel. Ed. Coord.)..... ext. 2151

## RCIA/Baptisms

Director of RCIA/Baptism, **Maddie White**.....ext. 2154

## Holy Family School..... 694-9072

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

Principal, **Theresa Purcell** ..... x2144

Administrative Assistant, **Lisa Harvey** ..... x2100

Secretary, **Chasity Campbell** ..... x2140

School Receptionist, **Shelley Corcoran** ..... x2150

Dir. Adv./Alumni Relations, **Ann Yochim Tabereaux** x2146

Teacher Associate, **Sr. Sharon Hektor**..... x2142

## Mass Schedule

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

Sunday 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 12 p.m. & 5:30 p.m.

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

**Weekday:** Monday - Saturday 8 a.m. / Wed 5:30 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 5 - 5:30 pm

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

**Baptism:** Please make arrangements in advance with  
our Baptism Director, Maddie White.

**Marriage:** Please call parish secretary, Theresa Dyer, to  
make arrangements to meet with a Parish Priest at least  
nine months in advance.

**Vocations** - If you are interested in the priesthood,  
please contact Fr. Joe or Fr. Peter. If you are interested  
in the permanent Diaconate, please contact Dcn. Larry.

## Prayers & Devotions

**Rosary:** 7:15 am MWTF / 4:30 pm Wed / 8:30 am Sat

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Wed..... 8:30 a.m. - 5:15 p.m.

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

**Our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotion** ....Wed 6 p.m.

**Fatima Prayer Cell** ..... Tues 4 p.m.

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