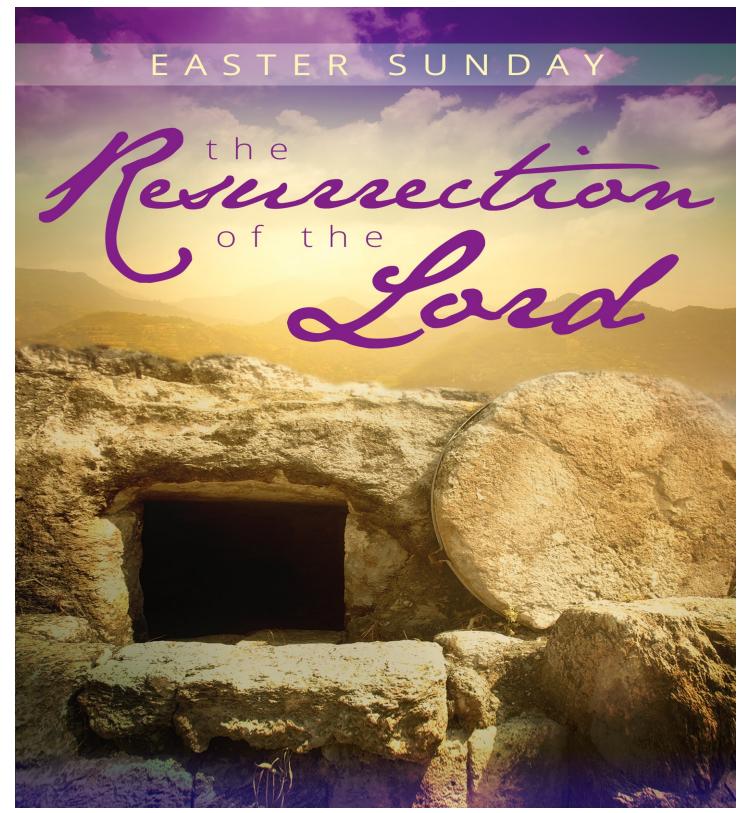


CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY

GRAND BLANC, MICHIGAN

MARCH 31, 2024

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD



EASTER SUNDAY

March 31, 2024

Entrance Hymn

Jesus Christ Is Risen Today #540

Responsorial Psalm #1108

Psalm 118: This is the day the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad; this is the day the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad!

Sequence #1065

Communion Hymns

Alleluia! Sing to Jesus #949
Psalm 118: This Is the Day #82
Christ the Lord Is Risen Today #523
O Sons and Daughters #532

Closing Hymn

Sing with All the Saints in Glory #539

Readings

First Reading: Acts 10:34a, 37-43

Second Reading: Colossians 3:1-4 or 1 Corinthians 5:6b-8

Gospel: John 20:1-9



Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; You take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; You are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord. You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, In the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God,
the Father Almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
He descended into hell;
on the third day He rose again from the dead;
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father
Almighty;

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

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Catholic Church, the communion of Saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

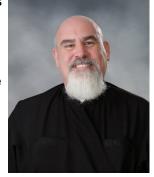
St. Michael the Archangel

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan, and all evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

WHAT'S HAPPENING HERE

Happy Easter! Jesus Christ is truly risen from the dead! We who love Him and live with Him know that when we die, we rise with Him! This holy season is the reason we dare to hope.

This Lenten season, we gave it our all. We celebrated over 100 hours of confession, we prayed and sacrificed, we



gave up some things and embraced some things. All because Jesus is worth it and the pursuit of holiness makes us better people. Now we celebrate all the victories Christ was able to do in us, through us and because of us.

It is often during this beautiful season that some come to pray whom we are not usually blessed to pray with; you are more than welcome here! We love you and are grateful for any time that we all get to stand together, worship God, love Him and be loved by Him.

This wonderful season will last for the next seven weeks and conclude with a series of weekends where we rejoice in the greatest gifts of our God: Eucharist, the holy Trinity, etc. I love this time of year and I am so glad that it has finally arrived.

I do have some business to take care of before I wrap up this article; Our garage sale is coming up! I'm so touched by how many of you jumped into the fray and offered to help. Bless you! We obviously still need all the help we can get for any who are able/willing. Our sale will be April 19 and 20 in the Father Bush Parish Center. We will have a ton of really great stuff and all proceeds help us function as the Catholic Church here in Grand Blanc.

Thank you all so very much for the ways you contribute physically, spiritually, emotionally and financially to our parish. I cannot thank you enough.

I'm so grateful to Jesus that I get to be your priest.

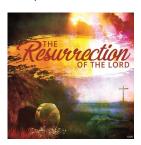


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The Resurrection of the Lord - Easter Sunday

Mass at 8 am, 10 am, 12 pm

We rejoice with great joy at Jesus victory over sin and death: His victory is our victory! We have hope and joy in our lives because of the wonder of Christ's love conquering our sin and His life overcoming our death



Easter - Parish Office Hours

The parish office will be closed for Easter holiday on Holy Thursday afternoon, Good Friday and Easter Monday.

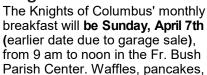
Knights of Columbus Family Rosary



Please join us as we pray the Rosary for the intentions of all Holy Family Parishioners. We will pray a family Rosary **Sunday**, **April 7** (the first Sunday of every month)

April 7 (the first Sunday of every month), shortly after the end of 10:00 AM Mass.

Knights' Breakfast





omelets, eggs and more will be served. Bake sale items will also be available. Breakfast is \$7 for adults, \$5 for kids, \$30 for a nuclear family (parents and their kids). All profits will go to IMPACT Pregnancy Center of Flint to help with their roof repair costs. Great food and fellowship. Credit cards accepted.

Knights' Spaghetti Dinner

The Knights of Columbus' monthly spaghetti dinner will be **Wednesday**, **April 10th**, from 5-7 pm in the Fr. Bush Parish Center. Spaghetti, salads and more. Bake sale items will also be available. The spaghetti dinner is \$9 for adults, \$5 for kids and \$32 for a nuclear family (parents and their kids). All profits will go to IM-PACT Pregnancy Center of Flint to help with their roof repair costs. Great food and fellowship. Credit cards accepted.

STEWARDSHIP & WORSHIP

"Others First" is Next Weekend

We depend on your generosity to stock our Outreach Food Pantry and Clothes Closet. Please remember the needy as you shop this week. Our current need is for cereal (including sweet cereal), toilet paper, paper towel, lotion (full size), tissue, tampons, conditioner (full size), floss, and men's/women's deodorant.



Bring nonperishable items to

Mass next weekend or drop items off at Outreach (white building north of the church) Mon.- Fri. 10 am - 2 pm. Clothing items to donate may be placed in shed behind Outreach (shed is back close to garage).

Your timely and wonderful generosity is appreciated, especially by our clients. It seems that no sooner are we low in supply, than you show up with products!

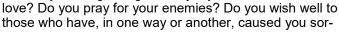
In addition to groceries and supplies, we greatly appreciate monetary donations which can be used to support our efforts. If you choose to give through Food Bank of Eastern Michigan, please designate **P152** to direct it to Holy Family. Thank you for any future giving that you might direct to Outreach!

Cenacle of Divine Mercy of

St. Mary Cathedral

Excerpts from God in the Diary of Saint Sister Maria Faustina (Diary, 1768)

"My daughter, in this meditation, consider the love of neighbor. Is your love for your neighbor guided by My





Holy Family Needle Crafters

Our next Holy Family Crafters meeting will be held on **Monday**, **April 8**, at 9:30 am at the home of Linda Waggoner (1264 Woodnoll Dr. Flint, MI 48507). All members of the parish are welcome to attend. Please bring a friend with you and any finished or unfinished projects



we can complete as a group. We usually work on a project that Linda provides. No skill level is needed; we will teach you! Thanks to Linda for hosting us. Her number is 810-444-7036 if you have any questions.

God bless and happy crafting. Rose Mary Gorke 810-694-8980





EACH YEAR, THE DIOCESAN SERVICES APPEAL (DSA) UNITES ALL 71 PARISHES OF OUR DIOCESE, UNITING US TOGETHER TO ACHIEVE A COMMON GOOD THAT IS FAR MORE THAN ANY INDIVIDUAL OR ANY SINGLE PARISH COULD ACCOMPLISH ALONE.

Envelopes are available to give to DSA or you may go to diocesesoflansing.org/DSA.

Stewardship of Treasure March 23rd & 24th, 2023

No stewardship report available this week due to early bulletin deadline

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



Baptized on March 21, 2024

Elanore Evelyn Kay Hawley, daughter of Gavin and Makenzie Hawley

Prayer Intention of Pope Francis for April

For the Role of Women - We pray that the dignity and immense value of women be recognized in every culture, and for the end of discrimination that they experience in different parts of the world.

Save the Date!!

A P R I L 9am-2pm HOLY FAMILY GRAND BLANC



Indoor

A P R I L 9am-3pm Sale

Fr. Bush Parish Center



DROP OFF TIMES

SAT, APRIL 13 9AM - 3PM SUN, APRIL 14 11AM - 3PM MON, APRIL 15 9AM - 2PM

TUES, APRIL 16 9AM - 2PM

4PM - 7PM

WED, APRIL 17 9AM - 2PM

HELP! WE NEED YOUR DONATIONS!

- · Gently used clothing
- Clean items in good condition
- Furniture, household items, etc.
- Working appliances
- No holiday decorations, pillows, exercise equipment, encyclopedias, tattered/stained clothing, stuffed animals, or car seats

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HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL

Holy Family, believing that each student is a child of God, challenges each to embrace the Gospel message through the traditions of the Catholic faith, to achieve academic excellence and to grow as saints.





Be a part of our Holy FAMILY!

Contact Lisa Harvey at 810-694-9072, ext. 0 or lharvey@hfsgb.org www.hfsgb.org



Easter Memorials

Thanks to all of you who remembered your loved ones with the special gift of altar flowers.

Those listed are in our prayers as we enjoy the beauty of our church at Easter, thanking God for His Son, Jesus, and for the lives of the people being remembered.

In Loving Memory of:

Audrey & Thad Aardal by the Richert Family Rick Aardal by the Richert Family Jeanette Adams by the Richert Family Anita Anderson by the Richert Family Einar and Sadie Ardahl by Craig Ardahl Robert Bartley by Patricia Dailey Valeria Bartley by Patricia Dailey Leona Bartley by Patricia Dailey Joseph Michael Begley by Don and Michelle Begley Renee Best by Ann Bettys Mildred & Francis Bolt by Paul Bolt Carolyn Schwab Burke by the Richert Family Mary and LeRoy Burns by Cindy Carr Joseph Cantalope by the Richert Family Michael, Dolores, & Tommy Charboneau by Dan & Lori Charboneau Robert W. Clark by the Richert Family Rose & Johhn Cumpata by Rodney Cumpata

Rose & John Cumpata by Rodney Cumpata
Bernard & Shirley Czymbor by Scott & Cynthia Villaire
Robert Dailey by Patricia Dailey
Amber Donajkowski by Laura, Wyatt & Evan Zuck
Daryl Doyle by Linda Doyle and family
Rosemary & Russell Durance by the Richert Family
Scott Durance by the Richert Family
Tim Eldon, Maximus Hamblin, and Helen Horky by Erik

George & Corinne Gaines by Reggie & Pat Gaines
Patty Gier by Joel and Stacy Stiverson
Greg Gildner by Janet Gildner
Eileen & Henry Grywatch by Kay Christian
Bob & Ellen Cushman / Bill & Jane Harris by Bill & Jane
Harris

Dean W. Hayward, Sr. by Margaret Hayward
Herbert & Rachel Hennen Family by Janice Hennen
Hux & Plourde Families by John & Debby Hux
Gary F. Jacisin by Diane L. Jacisin
Valerie & Jerry Jenkins by the Richert Family
Mike Jenkins by the Richert Family
Barbara DeClercq / Donald & Terry Kita by Brian & Ann
Kita

Frank & Dorothy Landino by the Richert Family
Joan T. Laszczak by Diane L. Jacisin
Charles Loader by Chuck & Debra Loader
James & Evelyn Londrigan by Paul & Desiree Londrigan
Lawrence & Irene MacEacher, / Anthony & Dorothy Salfi
by Gordie and Debbie MacEachern
Linda Mangipane by the Richert Family
Albert & Vera Margiawicz by Betty Ardahl
George Van Havel and Rebecca Mento by John & Mary
Mento
DK Mijic by the Richert Family

In Loving Memory of:

Donald Moreau by Mary Ann Moreau Clay Muerhoff by Norma Muerhoff Dolores D. Noveloso by the Noveloso Family Marion Palmer by *Theresa & Mark Dyer* Anne & Francis Pescia by Mary Black Clarence Petrykowski by Cheri Lasota and family Jean Pollick by Matthew Rombach Edward and Sandra Preville by Jim and Pam Salem Delphine & Dutch Reininger by the Richert Family Bill Richards by the Richert Family Lily Marie Richert by the Richert Family Gerald Paul Richert by the Richert Family William & Mary Richert by the Richert Family Br. Victor William Richert by the Richert Family Carl W. Roeser by Roeser Family Miriam C. Rogers by Maddie White Joanna Russ by Annie Russ James Salem by Jim and Pam Salem Sandor, Liphardt, & Hall Family by Ed & Renee Sandor Robert Schliter by Emmaleen Schliter Byron L. Smith by Germaine D. Smith Johnny Strobl and Bryan Black by Mary Black Elwood & Eunice Swett by the Richert Family Faye & Ray Swett by the Richert Family Neil Swett by the Richert Family Henry J. & Antoinette Syroid by Gary & JoAnn Gavron Duane Tangue by Chuck & Debra Loader Marilyn Tangue by Chuck & Debra Loader George & Agnes Tracy by Linda Tracy-Stephens Kenneth & Catherine Twork by Catherine J. Bateson Joseph & Rita Urban by Daniel & Jeanne Yurgaites Louis J. Vicari by J.J. Vicari Jose Marie Vicari by J.J. Vicari Edward & Susan Villaire by Scott & Cynthia Villaire Rick Lee White by Maddie White Phillis J. White by Maddie White Kenneth Wolven / Charles and Reba Keneipp / Paul and Lois Schneiderhan / Fran and Kathryn Van Houten, W.K. and Lulu Wolven by Wolven and Van Houten **Families**

Living:

Herbert & Rachel Hennen Family by Janice Hennen
Past, present and future students and staff of
Holy Family School by Janet Gildner
Claire Loader by Chuck & Debra Loader

Mass Intentions April I - 7

Monday, April 1

8:00 AM For Deceased Members of the Stewart Family by Stewart Family

Tuesday, April 2

8:00 AM Frank Doherty by Jane Frasier

Wednesday, April 3

8:00 AM Jeff Faris by Alfaro Family

6:00 PM Mary Pat Champagne by Nance Greene

Thursday, April 4

8:00 AM Danielle Bielman by Bolas Family

Friday, April 5

8:00 ÅM Dr. William Macksood by his sister Carol and family

Saturday, April 6

8:00 AM David Timothy Barcelli by Holy Family Parish 4:00 PM Sr. Kathleen Nelessen by Judy Bourdeau

Sunday, April 7

8:00 AM All Holy Family Parishioners

10:00 AM Irene Nolde by Fred and Peggy Nolde

12:00 PM Gay Gelisse by Len and Linda Nawrocki

Masses in Fiji on behalf of Holy Family:

Patricia Boyle *by Andrzej and Anna Przyjazny* Iza and Kazimierz Kazmierczak *by Andrzej and Anna Przyjazny*

Five (5) Masses for Leona Krause by family and friends Jan Penar by Andrzej and Anna Przyjazny

Maria and Joseph Przyjazny by Andrzej and Anna Przyjazny





April 7, 2024 This week's topic:

Rescue Project: Enemy is the Enemy

Whether you are already Catholic or becoming Catholic, ALL are welcome! Topics of discussion will be updated weekly. Please join us anytime!

Dcn. Dan Medich dmedich@hfgb.org

Sundays | 11:30 am - 1 pm St. Joseph Center

Liturgical Ministry - April 6/7 Divine Mercy Sunday

(schedule may not reflect recent changes)

4:00 PM Saturday - Fr. Joseph Krupp **Lectors:** David Caldwell, Colleen Argus **Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:**

Kathy Stewart Jean Farris

Altar Servers:

Tony Bonifazi Mitchell Grondin Liam Verdun

8:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Leronio Vodivodi Lectors: Steve Rousseau, Cathy Lane Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Greg Snyder Kevin Wilcox

Altar Servers:

Jimmy Dowling Gavin Raysin (need help - 1)

10:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Joseph Krupp

Lectors: Matthew Williams, Doug Benchley **Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:** Reggie Boerger Daniel T. Charboneau

Altar Servers:

Vincent Cross Emma Darmafall Jonathan Darmafall

12:00 PM Sunday - Fr. Leronio Vodivodi **Lectors:** Madalynn Shaver, Karen Allen **Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:** Desiree Londrigan Paul Londrigan

Altar Servers:

Helaina Barry Kolten Barry (help needed - 1)

Weekly Readings March 31 - April 7

Sunday: Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23

(24)/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/

Jn 20:1-9 or Mk 16:1-7

Monday: Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10,

11/Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 and 22/Jn

20:11-18

Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9/Lk

24:13-35

Thursday: Acts 3:11-26/Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9/Lk

24:35-48

Friday: Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118:1-2, and 4, 22-24, 25-27a/Jn

21:1-14

Saturday: Acts 4:13-21/Ps 118:1 and 14-15ab, 16-18, 19-

21/Mk 16:9-15

Next Sunday: Acts 4:32-35/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24

(1)/1 Jn 5:1-6/Jn 20:19-31

Please Pray for the III and Their



Caregivers

Please remember in prayer those listed in the March 3 bulletin and those listed in the Parish Book of Intercessions (in the Gathering Space). Newly added: Rick Samassa.

WHAT'S HAPPENING HERE

55 & Over Club

No 55 and Over on Tuesday, April 2nd.

Happy Easter!





How to Receive a Plenary Indulgence for Divine Mercy Sunday

- Sacramental confession within 20 days of Divine Mercy Sunday
- Eucharistic communion
- Prayers for the Pope's Intention
- Plus completing one of these two specific works:

A. On Divine Mercy Sunday: In any church or chapel, in a spirit that is completely detached from the affection for a sin, even a venial sin, take part in the prayers and devotions held in honor of Divine Mercy.

B. In the presence of the Eucharist exposed or reserved in the Tabernacle, in a spirit that is completely detached from the affection for a sin, even a venial sin, recite the Our Father and the Creed, adding a devout prayer to the merciful Lord Jesus, such as "Merciful Jesus, I trust in you!"

Part One

Awakening -

The Rest of Your Life So let me ask you: What are you going to do with the rest of your life?

by Matthew Kelly

Moly

moments

A Handbook for the Rest of Your Life

More of the same? Continue to distract yourself with meaningless nonsense. Focus on what you can get. Keep dreaming about a change you know you will never make? Or are you finally, once and for all, ready to do something about the nagging dissatisfaction in your soul. You have one short life. We all waste some of it. How much are you wasting? If you are ready for a change, it only takes a handful of Holy Moments to flood your soul with joy and show you a new and exciting vision of the rest of your life. There is a beautiful story in Matthew's Gospel where Jesus takes Peter, James and John up a high mountain. There He was transfigured. His face shown like the sun, and His clothes became as white as light.

(To be continued next week)

Kelly, M. (2022). Holy Moments. A Handbook for the Rest of Your Life. Blue Sparrow. Pg. 30.



PARISH PRAYERS & MORE

A funeral Mass was celebrated at 🐔 Holy Family on March 22 for



Susan Duffiney. Susan, age 77, died on Tuesday, March 19, 2024. She was born May 22, 1946, in Cheboygan, MI, to Harry and Sylvia Lee. She married James Duffiney on July 9, 1967. Surviving are sons Chuck and Rob (Anna), four grandchildren, and three sisters. Susan was preceded in death by her husband and a brother.

Lord, we remember in our prayers Susan Duffiney, whom you have called to be with you. May the calming peace of your love be with her family. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let the perpetual light shine upon her. Amen.

2024 DSA Prayer

Gracious and loving God, The Eucharist leads us to encounter Your Son, Jesus Christ, who through the Mystery of his Body and Blood reveals Your active presence in our lives.

May the Eucharist make us good stewards of Your abundant blessings and open our hearts to the needs of the Church, especially the Diocesan Services Appeal this year.

Give success to the DSA; nourish our family of faith; provide us wisdom and compassion; and by the power of the Holy Spirit, show us how to walk in the footsteps of Your Divine Love.

> We ask this through Christ, our Lord. Amen.



Shawna Marie Sanborn and Joseph Gary Lueckeman April 5, 2024



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

March 31

Emma Peterson, Jim W. Moyle, JoAnn Hanson, Emma Brunette, Robert Yaklin

Kermit Debeck, Ted Owens, John Joseph Mahalic, Albert M. Serra, Frederick Daprai

April 2

Emilia Cozzarin, N. Gene Jackson, Brianne Karbowski, Francis Winiger, Cayla M. Sheeran, James A. Londrigan, Clayton Otis

April 3

Suzanne Bankston

April 4

Francis Hiteshew

April 6

Mary Walker, Cornelius G. Wetenhall, Mary Root, Barbara Daily

April 2024

Apostolate of Prayer for Priests... Lansing

- Apr. 1 Rev. Jon Taylor / Rev. Jonathan Perrotta
- Apr. 2 Our Holy Father
- Apr. 3 Rev. John Byers / Rev. Peter Lawrence
- Apr. 4 Rev. Steven Mattson / Rev. Joseph Wagner
- Apr. 5 Rev. Michael Newman / Rev. James Eisele
- Apr. 6 Rev. William Koenigsknecht / Rev. Stanley Poltorak
- Apr. 7 Bishop Earl A. Boyea
- Apr. 8 Rev. Robert Copeland / Rev. Matthew Fedewa
- Apr. 9 Rev. Paul Erickson / Rev. David Reamsnyder
- Apr. 10 Rev. Satheesh Alphonse / Rev. Brendan Walsh
- Apr. 11 Rev. Darin Robert / Rev. Peter Ludwig
- Apr. 12 Dcn. Kenneth Preiss / Rev. Daniel Dixon
- Apr. 13 Rev. Duaine Pamment / Rev. David Speicher
- Apr. 14 Bishop Emeritus Carl Mengeling
- Apr. 15 Rev. Terrence Dumas / Rev. Miguel Colunga-Santoyo

- Apr. 16 Rev. Eduardo Lorenzo / Rev. Timothy Nelson
- Apr. 17 Rev. James Conlon / Rev. Todd Koenigsknecht
- Apr. 18 Rev. Karl Pung / Rev. Andrew Czajkowski
- Apr. 19 Rev. Joseph Krupp / Rev. Anthony Smela
- Apr. 20 Rev. Gerald Gawronski / Rev. Robert Pienta
- Apr. 21 Rev. Phillip Sessions / Rev. Geo. Puthenpeedika
- Apr. 22 Rev. Carl Simon / Rev. Anthony Brooks
- Apr. 23 Rev. Daniel Kogut / Rev. David Howell
- Apr. 24 Rev. Dennis Howard / Rev. Gordon Reigle Apr. 25 Rev. Kyle Shinseki / Rev. Joseph Clifford
- Apr. 26 Rev. William Ashbaugh / Rev. Frederick Thelen
- Apr. 27 Rev. Peter Khoi Anh Doan / Rev. Anthony Strouse
- Apr. 28 All Priests
- Apr. 29 Rev. Tyler Arens / Rev. Prabhu Lakra
- Apr. 30 Rev. Leronio Vodivodi / Rev. Roy Horning

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

WHAT'S HAPPENING HERE

Come as you are.



YOU ARE WELCOME HERE

Join us for **Beholding Your King** as we study King David, select psalms, the temple, and many Old Testament prophets and see the ways in which they all point to the coming King of Kings, Jesus Christ.







Thurs, April 11 - June 6 at 9 -11:00 am

St. Joseph Center

or

Thurs, April 11 - June 6 at 7 - 8:30 pm via Zoom

Beholding Your King: \$20 (link to purchase book found in registration)

To register and for more information, **go to hfgb.org** or Holy Family app!

For more information, contact:

Vikki Lasota

vlasota@msn.com or 248-653-2117

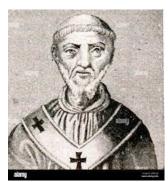
Kristin Smith

kristinsmith265@gmail.com

Our Catholic Heritage

by Earl Hagen

132nd Pope - Benedict V
Born in Rome, he was elected on May 22, 964, by the clergy and the Roman people on the death of John XII. He was exiled to Hamburg, reduced to the level of deacon by Otto I until the death of Leo VIII. Upon the death of the antipope, Otto I, because of the pressure of the Franks, Germans and Romans, recognizes the



validity of his investiture. Pope Benedict V died in Hamburg July 4, 966, in the odour of sanctity. He is buried in the Vatican Grottoes.

Welcome!

To any visitors joining us - a special WELCOME! If you would like to register and make Holy Family your parish family, we would love to have you! You can register online on our website hfgb.org. Just click on "I'm New" and select "Membership" from the dropdown menu. You may also stop by or call the parish office at 810-694-4891.

2024 Altar Flowers

Our web page for ordering Altar flowers is open! Please go to: https://hfgbaltarflowers.pushpayevents.com/

Your \$50 donation for your specific month will help us provide flowers at the altar and around the sanctuary to beautify our worship space. Your loved one's name will be listed in the parish bulletin for that entire month. You may offer flowers in honor of a living person for a special occasion or in memory of your loved one.



We will continue to have Easter and Christmas memorial collections as well. **During Lent and Advent there will be no flowers in church.**

If you have any questions or if you need assistance ordering, you may contact Theresa Dyer at 810-694-4891, ext. 2211, or tdyer@hfgb.org.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

Camp Sancta Maria (CSM)

Camp Sancta Maria (CSM) is a Catholic summer camp located in Gaylord, Michigan, where they have spent the last 90 years helping young people build a personal relationship with Jesus Christ and His Church. CSM's mission is to help young people (ages 8-16) unplug from the distractions of this digital age and encounter the Lord through authentic discipleship, sacramental life, and the beauty of His creation.

They offer:

- Daily Mass, Confession, and Weekly Adoration
- Adventure activities such as high ropes course, archery tag, waterfront fun, canoe trips, padded weapon battles, and much more!
- Equestrian program with Horseback riding and care
- Opportunity to build lifelong friendships
- Technology-free with close to 100 acres of woodlands and natural beauty
- Infused into all of our adventures and activities is an atmosphere of faith and fun
- Financial aid is available for those who are in need

For more information or to register, visit www.campsanctamaria.org. For questions, call 248-822-8199 or email office@campsanctamaria.org.

First Saturday Devotions

The World Apostolate of Fatima Diocesan Morning of Prayer and Reparation for World Peace will be held at Holy Rosary Church (5191 Richfield Rd., Flint 48506) on **April 6, 2024**, at 9:00 am. The morning will include Divine Liturgy, Investiture in the Brown Scapular, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Holy Hour of Prayer and Rosary. Please call Brad at (810) 744-6508 with any questions or concerns. More information on the website: www.wafgc.org

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Experience

Let Your Marriage Bloom! Let your marriage bloom this spring at a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience! Attend inperson **April 12-14** at St.



Francis Retreat Center-DeWitt, **June 11-13** Maryville Retreat Center - Holly, or a Virtual Experience via Zoom scheduled to run for seven sessions once a week on Thursday evenings **beginning April 11** and concluding on May 23, 2024. Virtual sessions last approximately 2 - 2 ½ hours and start at 7 p.m. EST. For in-person, apply today at wwme.org or call Chris and Darla Vinton at 517-667-0433. For virtual, call Chuck & Mary Jane Young at 646-642-7463.

Catholic Charities Volunteer Appreciation Awards

April 17, 2024 / 2 - 4 pm

St. Michael's Conference Center (609 E. 5th Ave., Flint)

We would not be the thriving organization we are today without the dedication of our volunteers!

Number of volunteers - 8,740

Hours Contributed - 36,777

Cost Savings - \$478,101

Please RSVP **by April 8th** by scanning the QR code or emailing us at GiveHope@ccsgc.org



Greater Flint Area Men's Group

The Greater Flint Area Men's Group will meet **Wednesday**, **April 3**, 6:30-8:00 pm in the basement of St. Matthew Catholic Church in downtown Flint. Come for fellowship and formation in the Catholic faith. No previous attendance or instruction is necessary.

The group will pray Vespers and study Pope Benedict XVI's weekly addresses collected in Jesus, the Apostles and the Early Church (Ignatius Press) and available for free on the Vatican website. This week's text is "The Apostolic Tradition of the Church" of May 3, 2006.

St. Mark's Grief Journey

The loss of someone we love is a heavy burden to bear. If you are struggling to cope with the loss of a parent, spouse, child, sibling, or friend, you are welcome to join our next six-week Grief Journey. Whether your loss is recent, or whether it was several months or years ago, all who grieve are encouraged to attend. Sessions begin **April 2nd** and continue every Tuesday evening following the 6:30 Mass through May 7th . To register, call St. Mark's parish office, 810-636-2216. All participants will be reading *Now That You've Gone Home* by Joyce Hutchinson and Joyce Rupp. Books are available in St. Mark's parish office. For questions about the program, call Debbie Oglenski at 989-479-6765.

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Monday - Saturday: 8 a.m. (Livestreamed) (Playback available on YouTube & Facebook)

Wednesday: 6 pm

Confession Schedule

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Prayers & Devotions

Rosary for Peace & with Fatima Prayer

- Wednesday 4 pm

Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena

- Wednesday after 6 pm Mass

Pray the Patriotic Rosary (Help Put God Back in America)

- Thursday 4 pm

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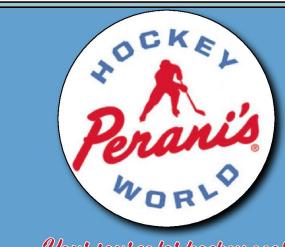
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