



CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY

GRAND BLANC, MICHIGAN

APRIL 21, 2024

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



4th SUNDAY OF EASTER

“I am the good shepherd, and I know mine and mine know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I will lay down my life for the sheep.” - Jn 10:14-15

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

April 21, 2024

Entrance Hymn

Easter Alleluia #537

Responsorial Psalm #1071

Psalm 118: The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone.

Communion Hymns

You Satisfy the Hungry Heart #940

Alleluia No. 1 #524

Shepherd of My Heart #723

Closing Hymn

Sing to the Mountain #519

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.

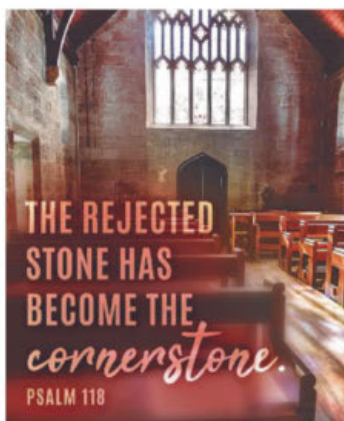
Readings

#1071

First Reading:
Acts 4:8-12

Second Reading:
1 John 3:1-2

Gospel:
John 10:11-18



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.

A C U P O F J O E

Greetings in Christ, all! I wanted to take a moment to tell you guys about last week. Most of you met Fr. Tom, a priest who came here from Florida to help us for a couple of days. Fr. Tom is part of a group called "Cross Catholic Outreach," an organization dedicated to caring for the poor and underprivileged. One of the ways they do this is by uniting retired priests with parishes that need weekend help. With Fr. Le gone, we needed help but couldn't find any, so we called them and they were able to send us Fr. Tom...praise God. They left information out in the church if anyone wants to send them a donation.



This week we are excited to be celebrating the feast of St. Mark the Evangelist. My parish in Goodrich bears the name of this marvelous saint...what do we know about him?

Most of what we know comes from the New Testament. We know that when St. Peter escaped from prison, he fled to the home where St. Mark's mom lived. We know that he traveled with Sts. Paul and Barnabas on the first missionary journey and it appears he abandoned them at some point, which angered St. Paul. Because of that, he didn't go with Paul and Barnabas on their second journey. They seem to have reconciled, as St. Paul later asked St. Mark to visit him in prison. He is probably most famous for authoring the Gospel of Mark.

St. Mark was eventually made the Bishop of Alexandria, where he served faithfully and well. On Easter of 68 AD, he was arrested while celebrating Mass. He was beaten, tied to a horse and dragged through the streets until he died. His body lies in Venice at St. Mark's Basilica.

We are so grateful for St. Mark. We're grateful for his example and for his prayers.

I'll ask you to pray in a special way for the people of St. Mark in Goodrich this week.

May Jesus bless you all; I'm so thankful to God for all of you.

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



Baptized on April 14, 2024

Bennett James Boone,
son of Jesse and Elizabeth Boone

Marianna Mae Hux,
daughter of Jonathon and Genna Hux

Emerald Jacqueline Osei,
daughter of Hubert and Hagar Osei



Eucharistic Adoration

Every Tuesday

2 pm - 6 pm

Every Friday

12 pm - 4 pm

Come rest in the presence

"Adoration is prayer that prolongs the celebration and Eucharistic Communion and in which the soul continues to be nourished: it is nourished with love, truth, peace; it is nourished with hope, because the One before whom we prostrate ourselves does not judge us, does not crush us, but liberates and transforms us."

Pope Benedict XVI

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.

STEWARDSHIP & WORSHIP

STEWARDSHIP

During the Easter season, we reflect on being followers of the stone that the builders rejected, the crucified and risen Jesus. Like a shepherd he leads us by his voice that echoes throughout the centuries and remains real and effective even in our modern world. To be his disciple means to risk rejection in a similar way as he experienced. The shepherd will not lead his lambs into danger, but there is danger all around us regardless.

Everyday Stewardship can be something we talk about in the abstract or a way of living we simply wish we could follow. It can be an imperfect reality that at times places us in direct conflict with the world. As we decrease and Jesus increases in us, many will be drawn to the love and compassion that flows through us. However, some will see us for fools and will suggest we are ridiculous. Cultivating our gifts for God's sake and the total surrender of all we possess and have become to God is not wise in some eyes. Either they think we are crazy, or, just maybe at times, the example of our lives causes them to question their own values.

If you give a little, you will be admired. If you give a lot, you will be celebrated. If you give it all, you can be rejected. Not everyone will have this negative reaction. Some will see your example and will seek to do the same. They will then join you in following the shepherd. They will become a true sign of Jesus Christ to the world. But their conversion of heart begins with you and your example.

--Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

Stewardship of Treasure April 13th & 14th, 2024

Registered families	1992
Envelopes received this week	147
Mail-in givers this week	32
Online givers this week	261
Amount offered from envelopes	\$ 8,760.00
Amount offered from mail	\$ 3,205.00
Amount offered from online giving	\$ 21,587.00
Amount offered from visitors	\$ 1,401.00
Total weekly offerings	\$ 34,953.00



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 for giving to DSA or you may go to diocesesoflansing.org/DSA.

Good Works of the Diocesan Services Appeal

Adoption and Foster Care Services / Building and Property Management / Campus Ministry / Care for our Priests - Active and Retired / Catechesis and Catechist Formation / Catholic Charities Works of Mercy / Catholic Schools / Communications and Technology / Consecrated Vocations / Diaconate Formation and Support / Discipleship and Lay Formation / Evangelization Initiatives / Faith-Based Counseling / FAITH Magazine / Hispanic Ministries / Hospital Ministry / Human Resources and Legal Services / Marriage and Family Programs / Marriage Tribunal Services / Natural Family Planning and Life Ministries / Outreach Ministries / Parish Financial Services / Pregnancy Counseling and Services / Professional Services for Parishes / Religious Education / Restorative Justice/Prison Ministry / Retreats and Conferences / Sacramental Records and Archives / Seminarian Education and Formation / St. Francis Retreat Center / Worship and Liturgical Resources / Young Adult Vocational Formation / Youth Formation

WHAT'S HAPPENING HERE



Holy Family School PTO

Preschool - 8th Grade


When: THURSDAY, APRIL 25

ALL DAY 10:30am-8:30pm

***PICK UP ONLY**

**Where: Enzo's Pizzeria
9523 S. Saginaw Rd.
Grand Blanc**

To place your order call or order online

 810-344-7137

 orderenzospizzeria.com

Upon ordering, let them know you're with Holy Family School! Show your smartphone or paper flyer on pickup.



Do you have questions about... *Catholic 101* at Holy Family

God?
Jesus?
the Church?
the Catholic Faith?

Are you looking...
for a direction?
for belonging?
for a community?
to become Catholic?
to complete your sacraments?

Let us help walk that journey with you!

Church of the Holy Family
hfgb.org

For a schedule or more information, contact:
Deacon Dan Medich Jr. 694-4891 ext 2214 or
email: dmedich@hfgb.org

Catholic 101 April 28, 2024
This week's topic:

Rescue Project: It Get's Worse

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

HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL



Thank You!

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SOCIAL & AUCTION

Thank YOU to everyone who participated in this year's Holy Family School "Sweet Shoppe" Social and Auction! From all of our sponsors to our auction committee, from our guests to our volunteers, and especially all of our generous parents and donors, HFS is better because of your dedication, love and support for our school, students and staff!

If you are interested in helping plan Auction 2025 please contact
Ann Tabereaux - atabereaux@hfsgb.org.

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You are cordially invited

Father Bush Parish Center
Tuesday, May 2nd, 2024
6:00pm - 7:30pm

- HFS Band/Choir Concerts,
6th Grade International Fair &
Art Showcase



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

Holy Family & St. Mark MOMS OF YOUNG CHILDREN PLAY GROUP

Come and enjoy meeting other
moms and their children.
It's a "play date" for moms with kids!

Friday, May 3rd 11 am

⇒ Play Time

📍 Meet at Physician's Park and then Hot Dog Stand for lunch

Tuesday, May 7th 7 pm

⇒ Mom's Night Out Bonfire + Treats

📍 See FB group or text Stephanie or Erin for details


Stephanie Robinson
(586) 899-9084



Erin Downes
(517) 294-7679



Drop in anytime!

 Catholic Moms of Young Children Play Group



SAVE THE DATE

Piano Recital with Dr. Sia Lee
Saturday, May 18, 2024, 6:30 pm
Church of the Holy Family

Women's Divine Mercy Cenacle

Please join us to study Divine Mercy and The Diary of St. Maria Faustina Kowalska. We meet on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month from 10:00 - 11:30 am in the St. Joseph Center. Our next meeting will be **Wednesday, April 24th**, at 10:00 am. Questions? Contact Terrie Alfaro 810-820-1992

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.

Women's Ministry at Holy Family

Holy Family offers many opportunities for women to support one another as we grow in holiness. Check out the Women's Ministry page at hfgb.org/women-ministry/ or contact any of the women listed

below for more information:

- Walking With Purpose: Vikki Lasota 248-653-2117
- Gospel Reflection: Pam Salem 810-877-1477
- Divine Mercy Cenacle: Terrie Alfaro 810-820-1992
- Well-Read Mom: Elizabeth Petrides 810-265-4189
- Holy Family Needlecrafters: Linda Waggoner 810-444-7036
- Rosary Makers: Barbara Jarvis 248-752-3731
- Meals for Moms: Elizabeth Petrides 810-265-4189 / Samantha Rice 269-491-3240 / Molly Ralph 810-553-0235
- Moms Play Group: Stephanie Robinson 586-899-9084

Mass Intentions April 22- 28

Monday, April 22

8:00 AM Catherine McGuire by *Peter and Donna Gawronski*

Tuesday, April 23

8:00 AM Mark Kraemer by *Jim and Lynn Lusty*

Wednesday, April 24

8:00 AM Harrold and Pat Bills by *Jane Frasier*
6:00 PM Margherita Simoni by *Randy and Elizabeth Petrides*

Thursday, April 25

8:00 AM Pennell Family (Living) by *Sandy Sprague*

Friday, April 26

8:00 AM Shirley Baldwin by *Kiger Family*

Saturday, April 27

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

4:00 PM All Holy Family Parishioners

Sunday, April 28

8:00 AM Barbara Jean Lusty by *Paul Simek*
10:00 AM Barbara Vogt by *Pat and Tom Lengauer*
12:00 PM Edna and Owen Elliott by *Terry and Sue Duffy*

Masses in Fiji on behalf of Holy Family:

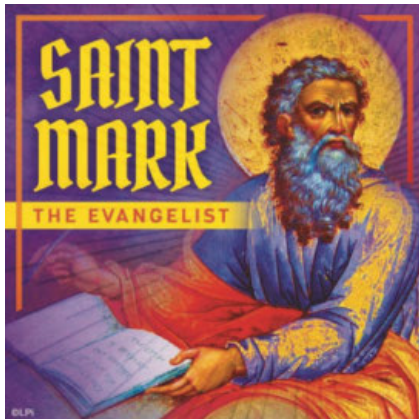
Bob Blick by *Paula and Steve Rainey*
John Curry by *Martha and Dale Mansour*
Richard Curry by *Martha and Dale Mansour*
Joe Dunn by *Theresa & Mark Dyer*
Joseph Leshock by *Martha and Dale Mansour*
Lydia Reyna by *Martha and Dale Mansour*
David Tolento by *Martha and Dale Mansour*
John Wagner (Living) by *Janice Hennen*

To schedule Mass intentions, please email Theresa Dyer at tdyer@hfgb.org or call 810-694-4891, ext. 2211, or stop in the parish office 9 a.m. - noon or 1 - 4 p.m. M-Th.

Saint

April 25: St. Mark the Evangelist

St. Mark was a cousin of Barnabas and he accompanied St. Paul on his first missionary journey and later went with him to Rome. He was a disciple of St. Peter whose teaching was the basis for Mark's gospel. Mark is said to be the founder of the church of Alexandria.



Liturgical Ministry - April 27/28

Fifth Sunday of Easter

(schedule may not reflect recent changes)

4:00 PM Saturday - Fr. Leronio Vodivodi

Lectors: Kathy Swiantek, Colleen Argus

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Doug Zloto Bethany Zloto

Altar Servers:

Tony Bonifazi Oliver Hoerig Owen Psenski

8:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Joseph Krupp

Lectors: Jane Avereyn, Kim Dinger

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Cesar Bernabe Ica Bernabe

Altar Servers:

Jimmy Dowling Gavin Raysin **(help needed - 1)**

10:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Joseph Krupp

Lectors: Ken Mraz, Andy Cocagne

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Amy Daliege Lisa McNally

Altar Servers:

Everett Teem Joseph Craft Chloe Co

12:00 PM Sunday - Fr. Leronio Vodivodi

Lectors: Debby Hux, Madalynn Shaver

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Scott Heron Dr. Steve James

Altar Servers:

Owen Cameron Will Urbanik **(help needed - 1)**

Weekly Readings April 21 - 28

Sunday: Acts 4:8-12/Ps 118: 1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 28, 29
(22)/Jn 3:1-2/Jn 10:11-18

Monday: Acts 11:1-18/Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4/Jn 10:1-10

Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26/Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday: Acts 12:24—13:5a/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8/Jn 12:44-50

Thursday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14/Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17/Mk 16:15-20

Friday: Acts 13:26-33/Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab/Jn 14:1-6

Saturday: Acts 13:44-52/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Jn 14:7-14

Next Sunday: Acts 9:26-31/Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32
(26a)/1 Jn 3:18-24/Jn 15:1-8

55 & Over Club

Give and it shall be given unto you.
Luke 6:38

The best way to cheer yourself up is to cheer up somebody else. We would love to cheer you up or vice versa, **Tuesday, April 23rd**, at 11:30 am.



WHAT'S HAPPENING HERE

Our Catholic Heritage

by Earl Hagen

135th Pope - Benedict VII

Born in Rome, was elected pope in October 974 with the support of the family of Tusculum counts. He was close to the Emperor and to the Roman aristocrats. In 981 he invoked the Lateran Council in which he drew up several mandates to condemn and repress simony, which forbids the extraction of money for the conferring of any holy order.



He tried extremely hard to elevate the spiritual atmosphere of the clergy and the Church. He promoted the development of agriculture to help the common person. A man of great virtue, he tried to stem the debauchery and shameful ignorance which pervaded Italy and the Christian world. Pope Benedict VII died on July 10, 983, and is buried in Holy Cross in Jerusalem.

Part Two

Holy Moments Explained -

An Icon of Goodness

The next day he took money from his purse, gave it to the innkeeper, and said, "Take care of him. When I return, I will repay you whatever more you spend."

The Good Samaritan is legendary. He is a worldwide icon of goodness. He is recognized by believers and non-believers alike.

Anytime someone goes out of his or her way to selflessly help others, especially a stranger who is in need, we refer to that person as a Good Samaritan. Even secular media outlets use the term.

The Good Samaritan is the patron saint of Holy Moments.

What the Good Samaritan did was a spectacular Holy Moment. But it's important to understand that his character was predisposed to that action. His soul had been prepared with hundreds of choices and decisions before that day. His heart was gently inclined towards the need of others. The other men who didn't stop to help the stranger in distress had their reasons for not stopping. I wonder what their hearts were inclined toward.

(To be continued next week)

Kelly, M. (2022). *Holy Moments. A Handbook for the Rest of Your Life*. Blue Sparrow. Pg. 35.



by Matthew Kelly



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. 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

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 at 810-265-4189, Samantha at 269-491-3240, Molly at 810-553-0235 or hfgbmealsformoms@gmail.com to make arrangements or to volunteer. **We are looking for a few more people who would be willing to take a meal to a new mom occasionally for this ministry.**

PARISH PRAYERS & MORE

A Memorial Mass was held at Holy Family on April 12 for **Joseph Dunn**.



Rest in Peace

Joe, age 101, died Thursday, March 28, 2024. He was born February 23, 1923, in St. Louis, Missouri, to Dorothy and Timothy Dunn. He married Elizabeth (Betty) Griffin in 1947. Surviving are six children: Kathy (David, d.) Hayes, Christy (John) Rick, Judy Sowders, Barb (Tom) Edwards, Marianne Dunn (Brian Seely), and Jay (Sue) Dunn, as well as 12 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren, and a sister.

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

Cenacle of Divine Mercy of St. Mary Cathedral

Excerpts from God in the Diary of Saint Sister Maria Faustina (Diary, 1695)

“I am glad you behaved like My true daughter. Be always merciful as I am merciful. Love everyone out of love for Me, even your greatest enemies, so that My mercy may be fully reflected in your heart.”



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.*

Marriage Banns

Joslynn Grace Ridley and Riley Walsh
April 27, 2024

and

Megan Lesperance and Luke Lipinski
May 11, 2024

Please Pray for the Ill and Their Caregivers



Please remember in prayer those listed in the April 7 bulletin and those listed in the Parish Book of Intercessions (in the Gathering Space).

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.*



In Loving Memory

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

April 21

William Dwyer

April 22

Ella Carriveau, Frances Benson, Helen Moyle, Catherine McGuire

April 23

Leo Gibbons, Marycatherine McCarty, Daniel Skrovan, Robert Smith

April 24

Durward Fuller, Mertey Clune, Assunta Salvati, Mary Patzwell, Kathleen Wright

April 25

Bernard Newman, Nicole Peterson, Janet Di Felice, Alvina "Liz" Walker, Julia Teahen, Jane Mahalic

April 26

James Christian, Gloria Kehoe, Fred Spooner

April 27

Patrick Cross, Robert Campbell, Martha Majestic, Marvin Richard

HERE AND THERE

Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture



Recently I was with my little dog Libby at a retreat center in the Arizona desert. I sat in a chair near a ravine filled with shrubs. Unbeknownst to me, Libby wandered down there and disappeared. Suddenly an animal's wild shriek erupted from the area. Without thinking, I bolted down into the ravine fully expecting to see coyotes, javelinas, or rattlesnakes. I didn't care. I desperately wanted to get Libby out of there, without any self-regard. Before I could face whatever danger lay hidden, my dog blissfully trotted out from an entirely different area, utterly unaware that I had (quite heroically) just placed my life on the line.

When the adrenaline wore off, I thought to myself: how far would I have been willing to go to save her? I don't know. But I do know, if I had literally died, my friends and family would have certainly thought me insane for dying for a dog. No offense, Libby.

How passionately Jesus wants us to know him and his willingness to die for us! This week he says, "**I know my own and my own know me,**" and "**I lay down my life for the sheep.**" Here we encounter an insanely excessive love for us. Christianity is a relationship and not simply a religion or ethical code. In Jesus, God rescues and saves us. He laid down his life for you and me — and he has taken it up again. So often we are like Libby — blissfully ignorant of the reality of both our spiritual danger and his saving love. This Easter season, the risen Jesus calls us to be more conscious than ever before about his love. He never ceases to lay down his life for us.

— Father John Muir

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Catholic Charities' North End Soup Kitchen Need

Every year Catholic Charities' North End Soup Kitchen makes 39,000 sandwiches, that's 750 every week! They don't just provide sandwiches to their guests, they also provide them to My Brothers Keeper and the South Flint Soup Kitchen. They will soon be providing them in their Warming Centers as well. Sandwich bread is desperately needed! If you are able to donate, please contact North End Soup Kitchen at (810) 785-6911.

Heartbeat Help Needed

Heartbeat of Greater Flint needs volunteers. Volunteers are needed to answer phone calls, greet and service our clients, maintain their profiles, sort, and organize donations. Also, putting together a layette set for newborn babies. Heartbeat of Greater Flint needs volunteers on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Fridays from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. However, you can donate hours that will fit your schedule. Come in and someone will be happy to show you around and explain what we do at Heartbeat of Greater Flint. No appointment needed. Give us a call for further information. (810) 232-3101 or email us at 320heartbeat@gmail.com. Heartbeat of Greater Flint is very appreciative and grateful for their volunteers. Please join this team of awesome ladies who manage the workflow that keeps Heartbeat of Greater Flint open.

Lansing Catholic Lawyers Guild

Luncheon

Tuesday, May 14, 2024 ~ Spring Luncheon with speaker Nickolas T. Nikas, President and General Counsel of the Bioethics Defense Fund. He will be speaking on "Law and Morality." Starts at 12 noon at St. Mary Cathedral Parish Hall, 219 Seymour Ave., Lansing. Please pre-register at www.lansingcatholiclawyersguild.com/events or call or text Executive Director, Diane Arzberger at 517-402-1562 or contact via lclguild@gmail.com.

Council of Catholic Women

Annual Meeting

The Lansing Diocese Council of Catholic Women are having their annual meeting **Saturday, May 4th**, at St. Patrick parish in Brighton, MI. The theme is *Come to the Table* and feed your spirituality and will have talks by Sr. Sarah Burdick & Sean Breeden. It starts with Mass at 8 am and will go until around 2 pm. The \$25 cost includes lunch and light refreshments in the morning. All Catholic women in the Lansing Diocese are welcome to attend. To RSVP: visit the events page at www.stpatrickcatholicparish.org

AROUND THE DIOCESE

Job Openings

Join Catholic Charities of Shiawassee and Genesee Counties in fulfilling your career goals while upholding your Catholic Faith. We are currently seeking dedicated individuals for various positions, such as Development Director, Development Coordinator, and Event Coordinator at the St. Michael's Conference Center. Contact us at GiveHope@ccsgc.org or 810-232-9950x115 to learn more and secure an interview. Make a difference in a mission-driven environment today.
www.catholiccharitiesflint.org

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.

Career Opportunities at St. Robert

Have you ever thought about how your skills set could benefit a parish? St. Robert's Parish needs you and your talents! Please prayerfully consider exploring a position that would allow you to become a treasure to St. Robert's.

Full-time Parish Secretary/Accounts Payable

This position assists with the ministry of the parish by supporting the various administrative functions of the parish. This position directs these efforts with technical expertise within a framework of shared ministry and Catholic values.

For more information on this position, please refer to the Careers tab at dioceseoflansing.org. A resume and cover letter can also be dropped off or mailed to Jeanne Coughlin at the parish office at 310 N. Cherry St., Flushing, MI 48433.

Midwest Dueling Pianos

Holy Redeemer Council of Catholic Women presents Midwest Dueling Pianos on **May 4, 2024**, in the Holy Redeemer Family Life Center.

Tickets are: \$40, \$35 and \$25
(pricing tiered according to location of table)
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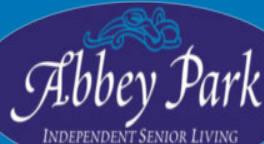


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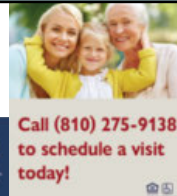
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