



CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY

GRAND BLANC, MICHIGAN

MAY 12, 2024

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

MOTHER'S DAY
**WE ARE
NURTURED
IN LOVE**



ASCENSION OF THE LORD

May 12, 2024

Entrance Hymn

Hail the Day That Sees Him Rise #543

Responsorial Psalm #1079

Psalm 47: God mounts his throne to shouts of joy: a blare of trumpets for the Lord.

Communion Hymns

A Hymn of Glory Let Us Sing #545

He Is Exalted #2042

Holy Spirit #2046

Closing Hymn

Hail Mary: Gentle Woman #889

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

#1079

First Reading:
Acts 1:1-11

Second Reading:
Ephesians 1:17-23 or
Ephesians 4:1-7,11-13

Gospel:
Mark 16:15-20



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

First Communion was such a blessing last weekend; praise God! Fr. Le and I are so very touched by the children who received our Lord for the first time in our community. May Jesus bless their beautiful hearts to receive Him in their whole lives and to respond to that reception with love and devotion.



acknowledges that through being born of Our Mother Mary.

God bless you all. It would be hard for me to articulate how blessed I know I am to be your priest.

fjk

This weekend we celebrate the Ascension of our Lord. We see the basic pattern of God's saving work in the order of the Church calendar.

The beginning of the Church year is December, when we celebrate Jesus being born. In His Person, He combined the divine and human nature. In this, He made the human experience holy (except for sin, of course).

In Lent we celebrate the fact that he took the divine and human nature with Him through His passion and death. A good way to think of it is this way: "He had to have a human nature to take on sin. He had to have a divine nature to conquer it."

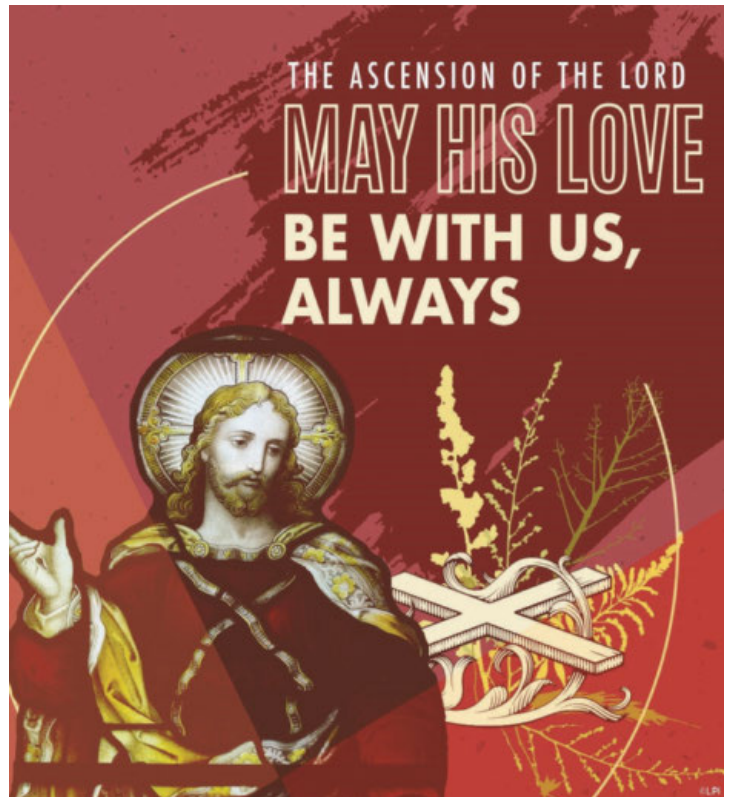
So, His human nature allowed Him to take on sin and die, thus killing our sin.

Then, He rose: showing He didn't just kill our sin, His love was/is stronger than all of it.

In the Ascension, He takes that human nature with Him to Heaven, thus "throwing open the gates of Heaven" for those of us who also have a human nature. Not only that, but because of His human nature, the risen Jesus would have been limited on earth by the ability to only be one place at a time. By ascending to Heaven, He was/is preparing to send us His Holy Spirit so that we as a family on earth are able to be Jesus everywhere we go.

This is some powerful stuff and we are so blessed to be a part of it. Jesus' Ascension is something He did for us and to us. Praise God.

Finally, I am so happy to wish a Happy Mother's Day to all. I love thinking about the fact that God did not need to have a Mom, He chose to. Moms are such an important part of the human experience and God



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

Baptism

Baptized on May 5, 2024

Colin Joseph Huggins,
son of Devon and Allison Huggins

Evelyn Catherine Moran,
daughter of Javier and Allison Moran

STEWARDSHIP & WORSHIP

Knights' Breakfast

The Knights of Columbus' monthly breakfast will be **this Sunday, May 12th**, (this breakfast is free for moms) from 9 am to noon in the Fr. Bush Parish Center. Waffles, pancakes, 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 Family Promise of MidMichigan in their fight against homelessness. Great food and fellowship. Credit cards accepted.



Knights' Spaghetti Dinner

The Knights of Columbus' monthly spaghetti dinner will be **Wednesday, May 15th**, 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 Family Promise of MidMichigan in their fight against homelessness. Great food and fellowship. Credit cards accepted.



Stewardship of Treasure May 4th & 5th, 2024

Registered families		1998
Envelopes received this week		139
Mail-in givers this week		35
Online givers this week		294
Amount offered from envelopes	\$	9,403.00
Amount offered from mail	\$	8,398.50
Amount offered from online giving	\$	23,728.00
Amount offered from visitors	\$	750.25
Total weekly offerings	\$	42,279.75

Holy Family Lending Library

The lending library (for religious books) is located in the gathering space. You are welcome to take a book and return it when finished for others to read. (We are not able to accept donations to the library at this time.)



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.

Thank You

Your DSA contribution helps strengthen the joint ministry of 71 parishes in the Diocese of Lansing and enables us to serve the people across our 10 county diocese.

Diocese of Lansing facts: *

- More than 172,000 Catholics
- 1,533 Infant Baptisms
- 1,665 First Communions
- 1,667 Confirmations
- 479 Marriages
- 2,025 Funerals
- 26 Seminarians in Formation
- 7,663 Youth in Religious Education
- 8,046 Students in Catholic Education
- 275 adults and children were welcomed into the Catholic faith through the Rite of Christian Initiation (RCIA)
- More than 334,000 served by Catholic Charities in the Diocese of Lansing

*As reported in the Kenedy Catholic Directory for 2023.

WHAT'S HAPPENING HERE

Holy Family Needle Crafters

We will have our next Crafters meeting on **Monday, May 13**, at 9:30 am at the home of Linda Waggoner. Her phone number is 810-444-7036 if you have any questions. Also, if there is anyone interested in an evening meeting on Monday, May 13th, please contact Linda so she knows to expect you. Last meeting we had nine members present and one guest. We sorted boxes of donated fabric and members took some to finish up some projects for donating. We plan on working on soft "Lovey" baby toys at our May meeting. Many hands will be needed to help with this project. All are welcome to come and see what we do. In the meantime, keep praying and keep on crafting! Have a blessed week.



Rose Mary Gorke, Secretary for the HFCG.
810-394-5485

St. Cecilia Music Scholarship

Musically gifted students in 8th grade (in fall 2024), high school, college and graduate school can be eligible for the St. Cecilia Music Scholarship through our parish as a **singer or an instrumentalist**. The St. Cecilia Scholarship is funded by various parishioners and groups to promote the ministries of young musicians who are willing to share their time and talents through our musical and liturgical ministries.

To apply for the scholarship, applicants must have a musical skill or potential, and be willing to share it at our parish liturgies and services. The application letter may be emailed to Dr. Simon Lee at musicdirector@hfgb.org or delivered to the parish office **by Monday, June 3**. A brief audition and interview with our Music Ministry Project Committee may be scheduled.

To selected students, the scholarship of **\$500-1,500** will be awarded to each student and Dr. Simon Lee may offer **free music lessons**.

To be a Sponsor, you may donate any time by writing a check or through the parish online giving system. When you write a check, please make it payable to "Holy Family Church" with a memo "St. Cecilia Music Scholarship." Your check may be mailed to: Holy Family, 11804 S. Saginaw Street, Grand Blanc, MI 48439. Please also email Dr. Simon Lee at musicdirector@hfgb.org for our record. Thank you!

55 & Over Club

A friend loves at all times, and a brother is born for adversity. Proverbs 17:17

A true friend never gets in your way unless you happen to be going down.

We meet **Tuesday, May 14th**, at 11:30 am. Sack lunch. Board meeting at 11:00 am.



Piano Recital with Dr. Sia Lee
Postponed until September
(watch for more details)
Church of the Holy Family

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 17th 10:15 am

Library Story Hour

Grand Blanc McFarlen Library

Stephanie Robinson

(586) 899-9084

Erin Downes

(517) 294-7679



Drop in anytime!

Catholic Moms of Young Children Play Group

HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL

HAPPY Mother's Day

Mary, full of grace, I ask for your intercession today for my earthly mother. Pray for her, and pray that her example of love draws me closer to Your son, not only on Mother's Day but on all days. Amen.



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

Do you have questions about...
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 May 19, 2024
This week's topic:
Rescue Project: What has God done about it?

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 Sundays | 11:30 am - 1 pm
dmedich@hfgb.org St. Joseph Center

NOW SHOWING



The CHOSEN

Based on true stories from the Gospels.



This Summer on Thursdays
June 13th - August 15th
9 - 11:00 am
St. Joseph Center
Holy Family Grand Blanc



Holy Family Event Facilities

Host your next gathering
in one of our event or meeting facilities:
Father Bush Parish Center - Large & Small Halls
St. Joseph Center

Our meeting and event facilities
can accommodate 10 to 400 people.

For more information,
please contact the parish office (810) 694-4891.

**“Hosting your event
in the heart of Grand Blanc”**

Mass Intentions May 13 - May 19

Monday, May 13

8:00 AM Thomas Wanbaugh by *Paula Wanbaugh*

Tuesday, May 14

8:00 AM Frank Doherty by *Gelisse Family*

Wednesday, May 15

8:00 AM Margherita Simoni by *Randy and Elizabeth Petrides*

6:00 PM Steven and John Greene by *Nance Greene*

Thursday, May 16

8:00 AM John and Theresa O'Connor by *Lee Family*

Friday, May 17

8:00 AM Gertrude Swallow by *Gelisse Family*

Saturday, May 18

8:00 AM Bridget Charlesworth by *a friend*

4:00 PM Fosteen Stewart by *Stewart Family*

Sunday, May 19

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

10:00 AM Lee and Ed Duffy by *Terry and Sue Duffy*

12:00 PM All Holy Family Parishioners

Masses in Fiji on behalf of Holy Family:

Livia Londrigan (Living) by *the Londrigan Family*

Lillian Londrigan (Living) by *the Londrigan Family*

James Londrigan (Living) by *the Londrigan Family*

Ryan and Julie Londrigan (Living) by *the Londrigan Family*

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.

Liturgical Ministry - May 18/19

Pentecost Sunday

(schedule may not reflect recent changes)

4:00 PM Saturday - Fr. Joseph Krupp

Lectors: Doug Zloto, Kathy Swiantek

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Lori Drzewiecki Mike Drzewiecki

Altar Servers:

Tony Bonifazi Mitchell Grondin Liam Verdun

8:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Leronio Vodivodi

Lectors: Cathy Lane, Greg Snyder

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Dan Charboneau Andrea Raysin

Altar Servers:

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

10:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Joseph Krupp

Lectors: Matthew Williams, Doug Benchley

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Rod Shick Kelly Teem

Altar Servers:

Matthew Kilbreath Everett Teem Joseph Craft

12:00 PM Sunday - Fr. Leronio Vodivodi

Lectors: Dr. Steve James, Debby Hux

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Cindy Villaire Scott Villaire

Altar Servers:

Helaina Barry Kolten Barry **(help needed - 1)**

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.

Weekly Readings May 12 - May 19

Sunday: Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 (6)/ Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13/Mk 16:15-20

Seventh Sunday of Easter: Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26/ Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20 (19a)/1 Jn 4:11-16/Jn 17:11b-19

Monday: Acts 19:1-8/Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab/Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday: Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Ps 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8/Jn 15:9-17

Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38/Ps 68: 29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab/Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/Jn 17:20-26

Friday: Acts 25:13b-21/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab/Jn 21:15-19

Saturday: Morning: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Ps 11:4, 5 and 7/Jn 21:20-25

Next Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30 (see 30)/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39

Day: Acts 2:1-11/Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34 (see 30)/1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25/Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

FOLLOWING OUR FAITH

Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture



A few months ago, I had the singular privilege of a private meeting with Pope Francis. We were a small group of pastors, composed largely of non-Catholics. The Holy Father wished to discuss our work for Christian unity. The phrase I remember him saying with greatest frequency was: *Tutti dentro*. It means, “Everyone in.” He clearly wanted us to emphasize that the Church is made for the whole human race, not a select few. At the center of his concern was unity. We are all brothers and sisters, he said multiple times. The Church’s primary longing is for everyone to join Her.

This longing is at the heart of this Ascension feast day. We hear the longest recorded prayer of the one whom Pope Francis represents. Jesus’ concern is unity, praying to the Father, **“that they may be one, even as we are one”** (John 17:11). The deep unity of all people in Christ through the power of the Holy Spirit is what Jesus most desires. It is what he ascends to accomplish.

Do we have this same burning desire in our hearts, too? Or do we see Christian unity as an unrealizable dream? Or worse, as something that threatens our own narrow tribal interests? This feast is a wonderful time to consider our attitude toward Christian unity, and to commit to do whatever we can to foster it. It is the Pope’s desire because it is that of Jesus — and it should be ours, too.

— Father John Muir

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Is God Calling You to Join the Secular Franciscan Order?



The “Secular Franciscan Order,” once known as the Third Order of St. Francis of Assisi, is an official order within the Catholic Church. It was established by St. Francis of Assisi in the 13th Century for men and women living in the world to follow the Gospel Life in the footsteps of St. Francis.

We are lay men and women, Diocesan priests and deacons who, after a period of discernment, make a promise, to follow a Rule of Life approved by Pope Paul VI in 1978.

We are Catholics, single or married - mothers, fathers, sisters, brothers, sons and daughters. We pray, study, and strive to experience ongoing daily conversion by being faithful to the Gospel.

We strive to achieve “perfect charity” using our talents and resources to help the poor, the oppressed, and outcast and the helpless. We hope to achieve “Justice, Peace, and the Integrity of all Creation.”

We meet in the St. Joseph Center every third Saturday of the month (**May 18**) from 10 am - 12 pm. Please contact Reggie Boerger reggieboerger@gmail.com / (248) 892-5266 with any questions.

Prayer Intention of Pope Francis for May

For the Formation of Religious and Seminarians - *We pray that religious women and men, and seminarians, grow in their own vocations through their human, pastoral, spiritual and community formation, leading them to be credible witnesses to the Gospel.*

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.*

PARISH PRAYERS & MORE

A funeral Mass was celebrated at Holy Family on May 3 for **Bridget Charlesworth**.



Rest in Peace

Bridget, age 63, died Wednesday, April 24, 2024. She was born March 3, 1961, to Daniel and Regina Ignace. She married Robert Charlesworth. Surviving are son Andrew (Jen), three grandchildren, four siblings, and boyfriend John Nemesi. Preceding her in death were her parents and her husband.

Lord, we remember in our prayers Bridget Charlesworth, 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.

Please Pray for the Ill and Their Caregivers



Please remember in prayer those listed in the May 5 bulletin and those listed in the Parish Book of Intercessions (in the Gathering Space). Newly added: Judy Linkowski and Roy Linkowski.

Altar Flowers

For May

In Memory of

Renee Best by *Ann Bettys and family*

Robert Dailey by *Patricia Dailey*

Patricia Forsythe '57 years together' by *Thomas Forsythe*

Greg Gildner by *Janet Gildner*

James Londrigan (d. 4/2/2000) & Evelyn Londrigan (d. 4/18/2011) by *Paul and Desiree Londrigan*

In Honor of

Margo and Earl Hagen
61st wedding anniversary - May 4, 1963

Past, Present and Future Students & Staff of Holy Family School
by *Janet Gildner*

Wedding Congratulations



Congratulations to Megan Lesperance and Luke Lipinski, who were married at Holy Family on May 11, 2024. Please keep them in your prayers as they start their married lives together.

Marriage Banns

Kendra Jozwiak and Alex Karner
May 18, 2024



In Loving Memory

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

May 12

Joseph Pescatello, Marie Schollenberger

May 13

Norah Butler, Angeline Abramik, Elizabeth McGowan, Mildred Sabo, Dolorosa "Dolly" Seymour

May 14

Mary Elvig

May 15

Robert Powell, William Peltier, Martha Gall, James Nelson, Johanna Brawner

May 16

Raymond Lee, John Millenbach, Helen Racine, Louise Lang

May 17

Kathleen Yorke, Albert Grantner, Iris Silance, Carolyn M. Beaudry, Sally Lasley

May 18

Joan Powell, Patricia Seitz

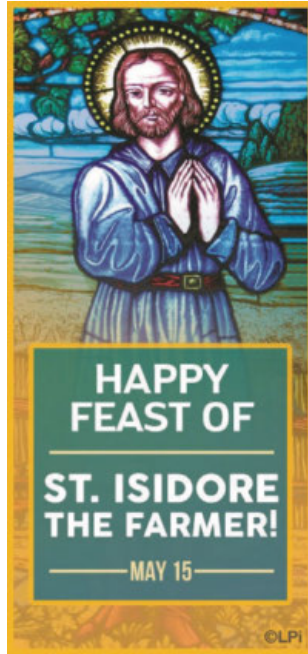


FOLLOWING OUR FAITH

Saint

May 15: St. Isidore -

St. Isidore was born in Madrid, Spain and was a farm laborer for his entire life. He married a poor girl who was as holy as himself. After their one son died in infancy, they lived the rest of their married lives in perfect chastity. Isidore was a man of intense prayer and his life was marked by numerous miracles and supernatural interventions. Both he and his wife are venerated as saints. He was formally canonized in 1622 along with St. Teresa of Avila, St. Ignatius, and St. Philip Neri. The body of St. Isidore is still intact.



Cenacle of Divine Mercy of St. Mary Cathedral

Excerpts from *God in the Diary of Saint Sister Maria Faustina (Diary, 742)*



“Yes, the first Sunday after Easter is the Feast of Mercy, but there must also be acts of mercy, and I demand the worship of My mercy through the solemn celebration of the Feast and through the veneration of the image which is painted. By means of this image I shall grant many graces to souls. It is to be a reminder of the demands of My mercy, because even the strongest faith is of no avail without works.”

Prayer for Mothers

Heavenly Father,
from the beginning you have chosen to entrust the human person to mothers in a special way. We thank and praise you for the gift of mothers; for their tenderness, care, and compassion, for their intuition and encouragement, for commitment and sacrifice.
Bless all mothers this day.
Keep, strengthen, and refresh them in your loving care.
May they be blessed by our open-hearted love and gratitude.
Amen.

by Matthew Kelly

Part Two

Holy Moments Explained -



How to Fill Your Life with Holy Moments

“You make yourself available to Him.”

If you want to see miracles, make yourself available to God. When we make ourselves available to God amazing things happen. Throughout history God has collaborated with the most unlikely people to make amazing things happen, and now He wants to collaborate with you. God almost never chooses the most qualified person or the people in position of power and authority. God chooses people nobody would expect.

When God is looking for someone to collaborate with, He chooses those who make themselves available to Him. He does not see your past as an impediment to your future. The rest of your life begins the moment you make yourself available to God.

(To be continued next week)

Kelly, M. (2022). *Holy Moments. A Handbook for the Rest of Your Life*. Blue Sparrow. Pg. 37.

Our Catholic Heritage

by Earl Hagen

138th Pope - Gregory V

Born in Saxony, he was elected May 3, 996. He was the first pope of German nationality. His rigid character and his nationality made him unpopular with the Romans. This attitude was encouraged by Nobleman Giovanni Crescentius and ultimately Gregory V was forced to leave Rome and flee to Pavia, Italy. The antipope John XVII was then nominated to replace Gregory V by Crescentius and subsequently reigned for almost a year. When Otto III returned (998), a reign of terror ensued: Antipope John XVII was deposed and mutilated, Crescentius was executed, and Gregory V was reinstated as pope (998). Gregory V instituted the commemoration of the dead. Gregory V died suddenly of malaria, but not without suspicion of foul play, on February 18, 999. He is buried in St. Peter's Basilica.



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.

Euchre Tournament

Sponsored by Holy Redeemer

Council of Catholic Women and Knights of Columbus

3rd Thursday of every month

Next game **May 16**

Holy Redeemer Family Life Center

1227 E. Bristol Rd., Burton

Doors open at 5:30 PM / Game play at 6:30 PM

Cost: \$15 per person

Includes game play, snacks, cookies and beverages

Currently, dinner no longer provided

Cash prizes to top winners

Door prizes and 50/50 raffle available throughout the evening

Contact Teresa Sherman-Gach (810) 875-0604 with any question.

Memorial Day Mass

Memorial Day Mass will be celebrated at Old Calvary at 12 noon. Celebrant will be Fr. Firestone. Please bring your own lawn chair. A light picnic lunch will follow. If it rains, we will be at St. John Vianney.

Andy's Attic Annual Sale

Hundreds of families have donated their treasures for this (garage sale) fundraiser held in the Family Center gym, nine tents and large pole barn at St. John the Evangelist Church, 505 N. Dayton St., Davison

May 16, 17, 23 and 24 open from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

May 18, 21, 22 and 25 open from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Closed Sunday and Monday

Greater Flint Area Men's Group

The Greater Flint Area Men's Group will meet **Wednesday, May 15**, 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 "Andrew, the Protoclete" of June 14, 2006.

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.

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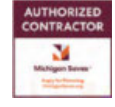
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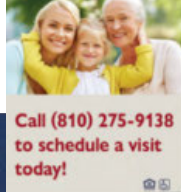
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