



CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY

GRAND BLANC, MICHIGAN

JUNE 2, 2024

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND
BLOOD OF CHRIST



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Then he took a cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, and they all drank from it. He said to them, "This is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed for many. Amen, I say to you, I shall not drink again the fruit of the vine until the day when I drink it new in the kingdom of God." - Mk 14:23-25

CORPUS CHRISTI

June 2, 2024

Entrance Hymn

O God beyond All Praising #598

Responsorial Psalm #1090

Psalm 116: I will take the cup of salvation,
and call on the name of the Lord.

Sequence #2024

Preparation of the Altar

How Beautiful #2047

Communion Hymns

Take and Eat, This Is My Body #908

Panis Angelicus

Psalm 116: Our Blessing-Cup #78

The Living Bread of God #921

Closing Hymn

Father, We Thank You #632

Eucharistic Procession #137

after Noon Mass only

Jesus, Christ, Yesterday, Today #847

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

#1090

First Reading:

Exodus 24:3-8

Second Reading:

Hebrews 9:11-15

Gospel:

Mark 14:12-16,22-26



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!

This is a big day for us, we are celebrating the Feast of Corpus Christi, meaning "The Body of Christ." We recognize in the Eucharist the most amazing gift God has given us: the gift of Himself. The Eucharist is the body and blood, soul and divinity of our Lord Jesus Christ and we are so grateful that He gives Himself to us.



We show all the reverence and joy our hearts can muster with a gift so great as the Eucharist. One of the ways we can celebrate the Eucharist this weekend is in joining the Holy Family Eucharistic procession and adoration after the noon Mass. We will walk the grounds of our parish with the Blessed Sacrament and then return to the church for quiet time with Our Lord. Join us if you can!

Also this weekend, we are blessed to have our high school and college graduates join us for the 8 am Mass; to see these young hearts and minds prayerfully prepare for the next big step in their lives. May Jesus bless and walk with them every step of their life journey.

I do have some rather important news for you all, so please read this carefully: For some reason, Genesys Hospital no longer provides us priests with a list of the Catholics who are in the hospital. Since I moved here, the process has been that a priest comes into Genesys once a week, gets a list of all the Catholics there and then visits them. This is no longer a possibility. If you are in the hospital and you would like a visit and/or communion, please call the parish office and let us know. I don't know the reason for this change in hospital protocol; I just know it's what they are doing now. *Note: This is different from when you need a priest because a loved one is in danger of death, in which case you call the emergency line at (810) 356-3187.*

We've got some wonderful saints we celebrate this week, On the 3rd of June we celebrate St. Charles Lwanga; on the 5th, St. Boniface; on the 7th, The Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus; and on the 8th, the feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary. We are loaded with great saints and feasts. Make sure to look these up and learn about them!

Finally, I'd like to talk about our communion line. I have a couple of things to ask of you.

First, please go to the next available minister of communion. We have two stations on each side and it's really helpful if we make sure we go to the next one. Second, when we are in line, we don't need to stand at the front

pew and wait there to go next, we can move right up behind the person in front of us.

These two things will help us with the timing of the communion line. Thanks for your cooperation on this!

So, that's what I've got this week. Thanks for reading this and thank you with all my heart for letting me be your priest. It means the world to me.

Fjk



WELCOME

Our newest parishioners

We welcome our newest families that have joined Holy Family. Let's continue to make them and anyone else who walks through our doors welcome.

Daniel Belville and Ashlynn Feige, children Graciee and Sebastian

Christina Sulisz

Jason Comeau

Ryan Delaney, and children James, Bronagh, George and Ailis

Emily VanGilder and daughter Lorelei

James and Jessica Cech, and son Cael

Laura Barnett, daughters Paige and Kate

Connie Mayville

Madeline Brender

R.J. and Brianna McVeigh, children Arabella, Theodore, James, Landon, Perpetua, and Gerard

Aneda Hakaj

Myles Fiascone

Katie O'Mara Camp

Marigrace Flynn

Amanda and Patrick Baker, daughters Jacqueline and Hailey

STEWARDSHIP & WORSHIP

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 **today, Sunday, June 2** (the first Sunday of every month), shortly after the end of 10:00 AM Mass.



Eucharistic Procession & Adoration

Today, Sunday, June 2nd, we celebrate the Solemnity of The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi). Please join us immediately after the 12:00 p.m. Mass as we process with our Eucharistic Lord around the grounds of Holy Family. After the Eucharistic Procession, our Lord will remain exposed for an hour of Eucharistic Adoration. We hope you can stay and spend a little time with Jesus. Eucharistic Adoration will conclude at 2:30 p.m.



“Others First” is This Weekend

We depend on your generosity to stock our Outreach 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 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.



Please be sure that any donated foods are not beyond their expiration date. We are not able to share them.

Stewardship of Treasure May 25th & 26th, 2024

Registered families	2007
Envelopes received this week	117
Mail-in givers this week	25
Online givers this week	263
Amount offered from envelopes	\$ 6,709.00
Amount offered from mail	\$ 5,580.00
Amount offered from online giving	\$ 19,761.00
Amount offered from visitors	\$ 665.00
Total weekly offerings	\$ 32,715.00

Recipient of 1.25% tithing on Others First weekend:
St. Luke N.E.W. Life Center provides life skills, education and workplace training, empowering women and men to become self-sufficient.

DBSA Peer-led Support Group

(Depression and Bipolar Support Alliance)

Join a community of caring and supportive people who can help you on your road to recovery. The support group meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. in the St. Joseph Center. For more information, call Angela at (810) 347-4706.



WHAT'S HAPPENING HERE

55 & Over Club

Pleasant words are a honeycomb, sweet to the soul and healing to the bones.
Proverbs 16:24.



Good words are worth much and cost little.

Join us **Tuesday, June 4th**, at 11:30 am for lunch and conversation. Bring your own lunch.

Holy Family Needle Crafters

Greetings to all. We will have our final meeting of the summer on **Monday, June 10th**, at the home of Linda Waggoner. Everyone is welcome to attend. We will work on a charity project and discuss what we want to accomplish on our own over the summer. Linda's phone number is 810-444-7036. God bless and have a great summer.



Rose Mary Gorke 810-694-8980 Secretary of the Holy Family Crafters Group.



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, June 7th 10:30am

☞ Coffee-Picnic

📍 BeanToGo, Goodrich Commons

Friday, June 14th 10:00am

☞ Picnic and American Flag Day Activity

📍 St Mark Playground



Stephanie Robinson
(586) 899-9084
Erin Downes
(517) 294-7679



Drop in anytime!



Catholic Moms of Young Children Play Group



Read more. Read well.

Come and See! Well-Read Mom Book Club will meet on **Thursday, June 13**, at 7:00 p.m. in the Fr. Bush Center for our last meeting of this year. If you like to read good books and are interested in having company in your reading journey, we'd love to have you join us. Questions? Call Elizabeth Petrides 810-265-4189 or visit wellreadmom.com.



Our Outreach ministry offers an opportunity for our Parish to fulfill the divine call to carry out the corporal works of mercy. Through Outreach we provide food, clothing and financial assistance to those in need. We are seeking volunteers to assist clients in this process. Our Outreach office, which is open Monday - Friday, 10 am - 2 pm, welcomes your help during any of these days and times. Please contact Kathy Medich, Director of Outreach, for further volunteer information at 810-771-7279 or kmedich@hfgb.org.

Pray the Patriotic Rosary

Please come to pray in the church at **4 p.m. every Thursday** to "Put God Back in America." The more voices, the more powerful the prayer. For information, call Richard Dent at 810-624-2996.

HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL

The HFS School Office will be
CLOSED for the summer beginning
Wednesday, June 5 at noon.

If you have questions or would like to enroll
your child, email lharvey@hfsgb.org.

*Please allow 2-3 business days for a response.

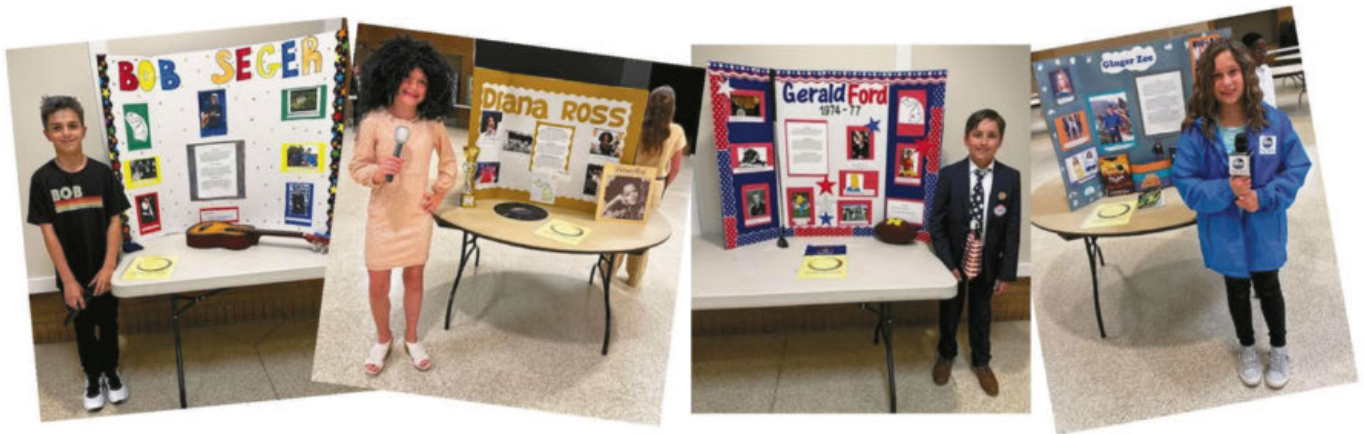
The School Office will reopen August 14, 2024.

**Have a Happy &
Safe Summer!**



4th GRADE LIVING WAX MUSEUM

Our HFS Fourth Grade held their annual Living Wax Museum for the student body, family, and friends to learn about some amazing Michigan people. The 4th grade students donned costumes and transformed themselves into their character. The preparation and quality of this event was incredible! Can you guess who some of these people are who represent our awesome state?! *More photos can be seen on our HFS Facebook page!



Be a part of our Holy FAMILY!
Contact Lisa Harvey at 810-694-9072, ext. 0
or lharvey@hfsgb.org
www.hfsgb.org



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for belonging?
for a community?
to become Catholic?
to complete your sacraments?

Catholic 101
at Holy Family

Let us help walk that journey with you!

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hfgb.org

For a schedule or more information, contact:
Deacon Dan Medich Jr.

694-4891 ext 2214 or
email: dmedich@hfgb.org

Catholic 101

June 16, 2024
This week's topic:

Son of God

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

NOW SHOWING



The
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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




Eucharistic Adoration

Every Tuesday

2 pm - 6 pm

Every Friday

12 pm - 4 pm

Come rest in the presence
of the Lord...

if only for a moment.

"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

Mass Intentions June 3 - 9

Monday, June 3

8:00 AM Ted Bunker by *Mary Jane Bunker*

Tuesday, June 4

8:00 AM Shirley Baldwin by *Kiger Family*

Wednesday, June 5

8:00 AM Gay Gelisse by *Gelisse Family*

6:00 PM Joan Brozo by *Holy Family Rosary Guild*

Thursday, June 6

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

Friday, June 7

8:00 AM Thomas Wanbaugh by *Wanbaugh Family*

Saturday, June 8

8:00 AM All Holy Family Parishioners

4:00 PM Joanne Wagner by *Leo and Amy Dion*

Sunday, June 9

8:00 AM All Holy Family Parishioners

10:00 AM Ralph Dart by *Dart Family*

12:00 PM James M. Smith by *Alexis Hope*

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 - June 8 - 9

Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

(schedule may not reflect recent changes)

4:00 PM Saturday - Fr. Joseph Krupp

Lectors: Kathy Swiantek, Darlene McKone

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Rick Rybicki Linda Schauman

Altar Servers:

Tony Bonifazi Mitchell Grondin Liam Verdun

8:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Leronio Vodivodi

Lectors: Lori Charboneau, Dan Charboneau

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Greg Snyder Kevin Wilcox

Altar Servers:

Jimmy Dowling Gavin Raysin (help needed - 1)

10:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Joseph Krupp

Lectors: Kathy Maiuri, Ken Mraz

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Andy Cocagne Carole Cocagne

Altar Servers:

(help needed - 1) William Shaver Logan Sliwka

12:00 PM Sunday - Fr. Leronio Vodivodi

Lectors: Thomas Hasselbach, Dr. Steve James

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Donald Leavy Cynthia Leavy

Altar Servers:

Owen Cameron Will Urbanik (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 June 2 - 9

Sunday: Ex 24:3-8/Ps 116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18 (13)/Heb 9:11-15/Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

Monday: 2 Pt 1:2-7/Ps 91:1-2, 14-15b, 15c-16/Mk 12:1-12

Tuesday: 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18/Ps 90:2, 3-4, 10, 14 and 16/Mk 12:13-17

Wednesday: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12/Ps 123:1b-2ab, 2cdef/Mk 12:18-27

Thursday: 2 Tm 2:8-15/Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 and 14/Mk 12:28-34

Friday: Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9/Ps 12:2-3, 4, 5-6 (3)/Eph 3:8-12, 14-19/Jn 19:31-37

Saturday: 2 Tm 4:1-8/1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd/Lk 2:41-51

Next Sunday: Gn 3:9-15/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (7bc)/2 Cor 4:13—5:1/Mk 3:20-35

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.)





Knighly Update

June 2024

Mother of Perpetual
Help Council
6742

Celebrating Success!

Our fraternal year is nearing its end on June 30th and we're thrilled to be on track to earn Star Council this year! This wouldn't be possible without the dedication of our Knights and parishioners. From Pancake Breakfasts and Spaghetti Dinners to Tootsie Roll Drives and Adopt-A-Highway cleanups, your contributions have raised tens of thousands of dollars for charity. Thank you for making a difference in our community!

Summertime!

It's time for some summer fun! To allow our volunteers a well-deserved break, the Knights of Columbus will be taking a hiatus from our popular Pancake Breakfasts and Spaghetti Dinners during June, July, and August. Don't worry, we'll be back grilling up pancakes on Sunday, September 8th, so mark your calendars!

Relaxed Dress Code for Summer Meetings

Keeping things cool this summer, officers can ditch the formal wear! Blue blazers won't be required for council meetings in June, July, or August. Enjoy the relaxed atmosphere and focus on the important discussions during these summer months.

Invest in Your Child's Catholic Education

The Knights of Columbus are proud to offer scholarships worth a total of \$6,000 to help members partially subsidize tuition for their children or other beneficiaries attending a Catholic School! This is a fantastic opportunity to make a lasting impact on their educational journey.

Qualifications:

- Must be a 3rd Degree Knight (or higher)
 - Participate in three activities during the fraternal year
 - Be a member in good standing (current with dues)
- Interested? Call or text our Financial Secretary Joe Buffa at (313) 718-0714 to learn more and apply!

Help Us Lift Up Families in Need & Reach Our Van Goal!

A heartfelt thank you to our generous donors, volunteers, and everyone supporting our High Roof Van Fundraiser! Thanks to your compassion, we've made significant progress! We've already purchased three used trucks to help with deliveries, but they need some repairs before hitting the road. **Your continued donations to the van fundraiser will help us get these trucks operational and deliver even more essential items to families in need.**

In April alone, thanks to your support, the Knights of Columbus provided over 500 essential items like beds, furniture, and appliances to 70 families in need. Right now, 114 families are waiting for your continued support! We especially need beds, silverware, pots & pans, dressers, appliances, and kitchen tables.

Make a Difference:

- **Donate:** Every contribution helps! Give the gift of a good night's sleep with a bed donation, or help furnish a home with furniture, appliances, or kitchenware.
- **Volunteer:** A few hours a week can make a world of difference. Help with pickups and deliveries, bringing hope directly to families in need.
- **Support the Van Fundraiser:** Help us reach our goal and get a van on the road! Donate towards the fundraiser or spread the word to others who might be interested in contributing.

Contact: Desiree Londrigan (810) 625-0860 | Al Gaulin (586) 899-5080 | Joe Buffa (313) 718-0714

May Knight of the Month - Peter Lindgren

This month we're proud to recognize Peter Lindgren as our Knight of the Month! Peter, who owns and operates Lindgren Enterprises, truly embodies the spirit of the Knights of Columbus. In May Peter went above and beyond, donating his time and expertise to replace the roof for the Impact Pregnancy Resource Center, free of charge! Thanks to Peter's generosity, the center can continue to provide vital services to our community.

May Family of the Month - Maranzano Family

John Maranzano and his wife Mary faithfully attend Saturdays and Sundays. John assists with Knights' activities, most recently with our Tootsie Roll Drive. Mary serves as a secretary for St. Thomas Moore Catholic School in Burton. Antonio (Nino) Maranzano is a missionary.

June Calendar

Date	Time	Event	Location
Th., June 13	6:30	Planning Meeting	Small Hall
Th., June 13	7:30	Council Meeting	Small Hall
Thur., June 27	7:30	Rosary Meeting	Small Hall
Sun., July 7	11:10	Family Rosary	Church

Make a Difference: Join the Knights of Columbus!

Are you a Catholic man over 18 looking to **make a real impact** in your community? The Knights of Columbus offer a **fulfilling way to serve** your parish and neighbors.

Here's what you can expect:

- **Brotherhood & Camaraderie:** Become part of a supportive network of men who share your values.
- **Meaningful Service:** Volunteer your time and skills to make a positive difference in your community.
- **Flexible Commitment:** Find opportunities that fit your schedule, from a few hours a month to ongoing projects.

Ready to join us? Contact Joe Buffa at (313) 718-0714 or joe.buffa@sbcglobal.net. Learn more and get involved at www.kofc.org.

PARISH PRAYERS & MORE

Marriage & Banns

Alexandra Lowes and Patrick Bade

June 7, 2024

and

Sara Ann Anderson and Jeffrey Scott Showers

June 21, 2024

Cenacle of Divine Mercy of St. Mary Cathedral

Excerpts from *God in the Diary of Saint Sister Maria Faustina* (Diary, 1029)



“Yes, My daughter, but whatever you do for your neighbor, you do for Me.”

Altar Flowers

For June

In Memory of

Greg Gildner *by Janet Gildner*

Mike Zelleby *by Lana Zelleby*

In Honor of

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

Lisa and Matthew Carter
30th wedding anniversary - June 6, 1994



In Loving Memory

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

June 2

Richard J. Bernard, Sylvia Lumsden

June 3

Francis Purcell, Grace Mason, Mary Ann Meder

June 4

William H. Miller, Lois Serra

June 5

Gazy Carol, Mary Ellen Towns, Catherine Leone Diem, Casper Bondy

June 6

Bart Gleason, Katherine Perrotta, Paul Wolford, Doreen Bernard, Robert Leichtnam, Violet Greenwood

June 7

Charles Morrill, Eva Powell, Mary Jones, Mary Ellen Ennest, Edith Nemesi, Elza H. Papp, Orla Dale Smithson, Nancy Coletti, Dorothy Payton, Edward Warda, Paul Hart

June 8

Michael Wurmlinger, Herschel Spooner

Prayer Intention of Pope Francis for June

For Migrants Fleeing Their Homes - *We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.*

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... Stephen Corry, Tubicza Crawford, Terry Crosby, Sue Duffy, Cameron Fox, Patricia Gaines, Cheryl Gelisse, Tom Goyette, Barbara Greene, Jim Guzdial, William R. Hartley, Ella Janson, Judy Linkowski, Roy Linkowski, Jason Londrigan, Kate Londrigan, Melissa Matthews, Sharon McDonald, Cathy Michalak, Joseph Partyka, Sheila Peltier, Dcn. Denny Pennell, Diane Sabo, Emily Scime, Tom Smith, Kay Stewart, Rob Toth, George Tracy, and Patty Tracy.

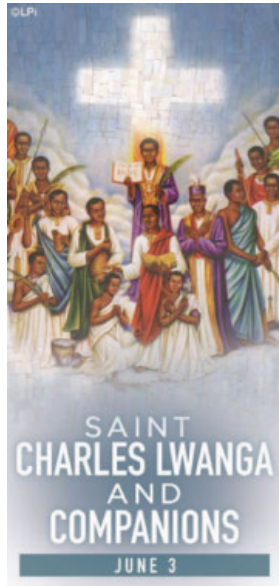
To add or remove someone from our prayer list, we need the person or an immediate family member to call the parish office (810) 694-4891 or e-mail the name to us at: holyfamily@hfgb.org. We will keep the names on the list for three months and then remove them unless we are notified, but you are welcome to re-submit names. We want to help our ill and their caregivers with prayer.

FOLLOWING OUR FAITH

Saint

June 3: St. Charles Lwanga and Companions

These 22 saints from Uganda, Africa, were martyred between 1886 and 1887 by King Mwangi. They had refused to commit sins of impurity and to give up the Catholic faith. Their leader, Charles Lwanga, was burned to death on June 3 after suffering terrible torture. They are the first African martyrs. St. Charles Lwanga and companions were canonized during the third session of the Second Vatican Council.



by Matthew Kelly

Part Two

Holy Moments Explained -



How to Fill Your Life with Holy Moments

“You set aside ... self interest.”

The more we evolve spiritually, the more we want what is good for us. Learning to desire what is good for you requires getting beyond your personal preferences and self-interest. This is essential to bring about alignment between God’s desires and your desires. And every Holy Moment you create with God strengthens this alignment.

You can set your self-interest aside. God always has your best interest in mind. But, keep in mind, we are only talking about a single moment here. And yet, each time you set aside your self-interest for a Holy Moment, you will discover that it is safe and your trust in God will grow.

“...and for one moment...”

The idea that leads most addicts to relapse is the idea *that they can never do “it” again.*

(To be continued next week)

Kelly, M. (2022). *Holy Moments. A Handbook for the Rest of Your Life.* Blue Sparrow. Pg. 39.

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PRINT & DIGITAL AD SPACES

The Support of Your Business is Greatly Appreciated

Craig Davis from LPI, our bulletin printer, will be securing new ads for our church in the coming weeks. It is the support of the business community that helps to make our church thrive. Please consider purchasing a print and/or digital ad as your participation makes our bulletin successful, and you attract customers!

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Our Catholic Heritage

by Earl Hagen

141st pope - John XVIII

Born in Rome, he was elected pope in January 1004 at the request of the Crescenzi family. He wielded little temporal power, ruling during the struggle between John Crescentius and Emperor Henry II for the control of Rome. He favored missionary works during his reign while relations with the Eastern Church were serene. He renewed, if only for a short time, the union between the Latin and Greek churches. In 1004 Henry II of Bavaria came to Italy and was crowned King of Italy in Verona by the Archbishop Milan. He worked zealously to spread the Christian faith to barbarians and pagans. He initiated the episcopal see of Bamberg, an ecclesiastical State of the Holy Roman Empire. Pope John XVIII died in 1009.



AROUND THE DIOCESE

Michigan State Council Knights of Columbus

2024

Living Rosary



Faith In Action



SATURDAY
June 15th, 2024
2:00 pm
Mass following at 4:00 pm

State Capitol East Lawn
Lansing, Michigan



More information: mikofclivingrosary.org
Hosted by St. Mary Cathedral, Council 11694

Flag Retirement Ceremony

Knights of Columbus Assembly #510 have scheduled to properly retire the provided US Flags on **Saturday, June 14th, 2024**. Flag Day is a holiday celebrated on this date in the United States. It commemorates the adoption of the flag of the United States on June 14, 1777, by resolution of the Second Continental Congress.

“Please retire your worn American Flags with the Respect and Dignity that they deserve.”

Bring your Old and Tattered American Flags to Holy Family’s usher’s room in the gathering space **no later than June 13**, where we will pick them up for the scheduled ceremony.

Greater Flint Area Men’s Group

The Greater Flint Area Men’s Group will meet **Wednesday, June 5**, 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 “John, Son of Zebedee” of July 5, 2006.

Living Rosary

The Michigan Knights of Columbus is praying a Living Rosary on the grounds of the State Capitol to Celebrate Life to provide a public witness to our never -ending gratitude to God for the gift of Life. It will start at 2 pm on **Saturday, June 15th**. This will be our 14th year. There are no politics or politicians. Just devout people doing what we all know is the most effective way to change hearts, minds and save souls – PRAYER! This is a family event. Questions? Contact Mark Stenske, Lansinglivingrosary@gmail.com; or 517-614-9537.

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