Jesus, Mary E Joseph CHURCH OF THE ESURRECTION

THE HOLY

FAMILY OF

CHURCH

1505 E. Michigan Avenue

Lansing, MI 48912

December 27, 2020 The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT:

Located in the heart of the City of Lansing, the Church of the Resurrection exists to help everyone in our parish family live in the light and hope of the Resurrection. Encouraged by our experience of God's love, we help others come to know and love Jesus in a personal way. Guided by God's truth, we offer answers to life's real challenges. Inspired by the Holy Spirit, we help each other become mature disciples of Christ who will utilize our gifts to spread the Good News of Jesus in word and deed.

OFFICE

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PASTOR

Fr. Steve Mattson smattson@corlansing.org PARISH OFFICE info@corlansing.org Mon-Thurs 8:00-12:00 & 12:30-4:30 Fri 8:00-1:00

RESURRECTION SCHOOL & LITTLE SHAMROCKS PRESCHOOL & CHILDCARE 1521 E Michigan Ave, Lansing, MI 48912 (517) 487-0439 school@corlansing.org



The child grew and became strong, filled with wisdom; and the favor of God was upon him. Luke 2:40

Saturday December 26, 2020

8:15am Tony Driscoll—Mom & Dad 5:00pm Int. Jarl & Pat Nischan on their 52nd Wedding Anniversary—Jarl & Pat 6:30pm Vespers

Sunday December 27, 2020 The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph

8:00am Int. Dick & Pat Barry on their wedding anniversary—Murphy Family

- **9:30am** Int. Greg & Heather Ingle—Dean & Patience Renner
- 11:30am For the Parish
- 6:30pm Vespers

Tuesday December 29, 2020

6:15pm Perpetual Help Devotion **6:30pm** Virginia Fortino—Cousins 7:00pm-8:00pm Confession/Holy Hour

Wednesday December 30, 2020 8:15am Pedro Alfaro—Kevin & Mila Harcus

Thursday December 31, 2020

8:15am Please contact the office if you would like an intention

- 4:30pm Bridget Reynolds—Mom & Dad
- 6:30pm At Risk Mass Michael & Margo— Paula Panetta
- **10:30pm** Please contact the office if you would like an intention

Friday January 1, 2021 The Octave Day of the Nativity of the Lord; Solemnity of Mary

9:30am Please contact the office if you would like an intention 10:00am-8:00pm No Adoration

7:00pm-8:00pm No Confession/Holy Hour

Saturday January 2, 2021

8:15am Please contact the office if you would like an intention 5:00pm For Maura Brandi Radke and her family—Don & Carolyn Radke 6:30pm Vespers

Sunday January 3, 2021 Epiphany of the Lord

8:00am Doug Murdoch 9:30am Int. Danny & Krystal Ketz—James Harken Family 11:30am For the Parish 6:30pm Vespers



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Our deceased: Doug Murdoch

Our sick: Dillard Garrison, Art Anguiano, Gloria Arens, Tom Fox, Judy Fox, Jim Garvie, Abigail Lavoy, Frank Courter, Mike Gillenkirk, Gabe Radke, and parish family including our homebound and those in nursing homes.

Our military personnel:

2nd Lt. Thomas A. Braga-Henebry, TX Tom Baldwin, Fort Benning, GA Chris Riley, Ft Worth, TX, Marines Kaleilani Kalahiki, Medical, Army Capt. Connor Caples, MD Travis AFB, CA Lt. Chris White, Washington, D.C. Erick Martinez, Afghanistan Anthony Sevenski, Navy David Hanosh Suarez, Marines Cody Eitrem, Navy

ROSARIES PRAYED FOR PEACE:

60,473 Total number Rosaries prayed. Tally sheets are available at the East Entrances of Church

LIVING ROSARY INTENTION FOR JANUARY

For peace on earth and in our hearts. Please join this devotion to Our Blessed Mother.

PARISH INTENTION FOR JANUARY

For wisdom for the Realigning Resources for Mission Committee and Bishop Boyea.

We invite parishioners to fast on Tuesdays for this intention, consider joining us for Mass that evening at 6:30pm, when we will include the particular intention in the prayers of the faithful.



Saturday, December 26: Mary Stanewich, Martha Dobrzelewski, Charles Wetmore, Joseph Gradwhol, Sandra Rolando

Sunday, December 27: Lucille McNamara, Magdalena Mapes, Nicholas Goodman

Monday, December 28: Jessica Leese, Noelle Starrak, Susanna Tellschow

Tuesday, December 29: Miranda Hoffman, Jane Feeley, Olivia Moreau

Wednesday, December 30: Karen Holman-Cervera, Madelyn Poynter, Joel Starrak

Thursday, December 31: Michal Whitmore, Annabelle Barros, Lucy Repovz, Eli Hollenbeck

Friday, January 1: John Gulock, Francisco Llinas, Nenri Badaway, Mirtha Llinas, Jadranko Tomic Saturday, January 2: Olivia DeFord, Charles Bierlant, Michelina Cantu, Rosette Kalouche, Krystal Malatinsky, Katelyn Gordon

Sunday, January 3: Daniel Farley

SACRAMENTAL LIFE & WORKS OF MERCY

Marriage Prep: Arrangements must be made at least 9 months in advance; please call the parish office.

Infant Baptism: To register, fill out the Baptism Request Form at www.corlansing.org.

Confession: Wed-Fri 7:45am; Tues & Fri 7:00pm and Saturday 9:00am-10:00am

Daily Rosary: Wed-Sat 7:45am

Perpetual Help Devotion: Tuesdays 6:15pm

St. Monica Sodality: 2nd Saturdays 7:45am Rosary, 8:15am Mass

St Vincent dePaul Society: 1454 E. Michigan Ave; 517-999-8851. Mon & Fri 10-11am and Wed 1-3pm

St Vincent dePaul Parish Food Collection: Toilet paper, toothpaste, bar soap, laundry soap and dish soap.

Knights of Columbus Council 11099: Grand Knight Russell Pate, www.corlansing.org/ministries

Project Rachel Helpline: There is help after an abortion. If you or someone you know is hurting from an abortion, call the Project Rachel Helpline 517-993-0291. **All calls are confidential.**

Unplanned pregnancy: Contact Pregnancy Services of Greater Lansing 517-332-0633 or Shared Pregnancy 517-484-0365

Visitation of the Sick: If you know someone who is ill at home or in a nursing home and would like to receive communion please contact the parish office.

Low Gluten Hosts-During Mass you will need to come to the priest in the center aisle where he has a separate pyx with low gluten host available.

Registration: If you are new to the area or would like to register please stop at the parish office: 1514 E. Michigan Ave, or website www.corlansing.org. If you are currently a registered member and would like to update your info please contact the office 517-482-4749.

Please arrive 20 minutes before Mass and sign in

January 2-3: Epiphany of the Lord

	Extraordinary Minister	Reader	Altar Server
Saturday, 5:00 PM	Brady Stevenson Helen Earley	NOT FILLED Joseph Reyn- olds	
Sunday, 8:00 AM	Alexander Beirlant Stacia DeVries	John Day Brian Fink	Dominic Bloomfield Danny Dion Gabriel Poynter Henry Bloom- field
Sunday, 9:30 AM	Jim Joy Bill Richardson	Chuck Lott Ken Darga	Joseph Krause Peter Krause Joe Gulock Paul Gulock
Sunday, 11:30 AM	Jim Mattson Mila Harcus	Jesse Flores Jason Vene- ma	John Mattson Xavier Mattson Jonah Venema Reed Cullimore

Readings for the	e Week of December 27, 2020		
Sunday	Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary		
	and Joseph		
	Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or Gn 15:1-6, 21:1-3;		
	Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 or Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-		
	9;Col 3:12-21 or Col 3:12-17 or Heb 11:8,		
	11-12,17-19; Lk 2:22-40 or Lk 2:22, 39-40		
Monday	Feast of the Holy Innocents, Martyrs		
	1 Jn 1:5—2:2; Ps 124:2-3, 4-5, 7cd-8;		
	Mt 2:13-18		
Tuesday	Saint Thomas Becket, Bishop and Martyr		
	1 Jn 2:3-11; Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 5b-6; Lk 2:22-		
	35		
Wednesday	1 Jn 2:12-17; Ps 96:7-8a, 8b-9, 10; Lk 2:36-		
	40		
Thursday	Saint Sylvester I, Pope		
	1 Jn 2:18-21; Ps 96:1-2, 11-12, 13; Jn 1:1-		
	18		
Friday	Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of		
	God		
	Nm 6:22-27; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; Gal 4:4-7;		
	Lk 2:16-21		
Saturday	Memorial of Saints Basil the Great and		
	Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops and Doctors		
	of the Church		
	1 Jn 2:22-28; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Jn 1:19-		
	28		
Sunday	Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord		
	ls 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13;		
	Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12		

Merry Christmas!

It's still Christmas. Celebrate! Beginning with the celebration of Christmas, the Church enjoys eight days, an "Octave" of Christmas. The secular world is "done" with Christmas the day after Christmas. But for us, Christmas is just getting beginning! For eight days (and more) we celebrate Christ's birth. Next Sunday, we will celebrate the Epiphany, and the week after that, we will celebrate the Baptism of the Lord, which marks the end of the Christmas Season. It's a time of great joy. So, keep on celebrating! Enjoy the goodness of God who gave us a Redeemer and a Holy Family to celebrate and emulate in our homes.

Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph

This Sunday, we celebrate the Holy Family. Of course, with the birth of Jesus, the Holy Family was complete. Joseph and Mary provide to all of us, but especially to parents, of what it means to "model" the faith for their family. Mary and Joseph were holy and they made their home a place of holiness. God our Father longs for all homes to be marked by holiness. Let us entrust our homes and our families to the prayers of the Holy Family, so that we might share their destiny, which is life in Heaven forever.

Thank You!

Thanks to all who worked so hard to make our celebration of Christmas so joy-filled, despite the challenges of this challenging year. It was a great blessing to beautiful music this year, despite the limitations of the time. I am grateful to David Stattelman for his work with the schola, as well as the cantors and accompanists, as well as the faithful servers. Behind the scenes, the Rosary Altar Society have worked tirelessly to prepare and maintain our church for worship, for which I am very grateful. I also want to thank all the liturgical ministers as well. Thanks to the Knights of Columbus and the St. Vincent DePaul Society for their help with families in need. Finally, I want to thank the tremendous staff at the parish for their great labors for all of us and those we serve. As we all know, Resurrection School is a great gift to us and our community, and I thank Jacob Allstott, our school principal, and all those who collaborate with him to make our school such a great place for learning and growing in faith. Thanks for your generous support of our parish and school staff, and the financial and volunteer help you give in so many ways. To all of you, including the vital lay faithful of the parish, I say, "Thank you and God bless you!" As I anticipate the new year, I'm calling to mind God's goodness to me. Among the greatest gifts to me is being pastor of this great parish. Thank you for your partnership with me in this ministry.

Mary, the Mother of God (New Years Day)

This Friday, which is the "Octave of Christmas," we will celebrate the Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God. On the 31st, we will have our normal morning Mass, then we will celebrate three Vigil Masses, one at 4:30 p.m., one at 6:30 p.m. which will be reserved in the church for those "at risk," with others in the choir loft, and one at 10:30 p.m., which will be followed by adoration with Benediction just prior to midnight. On New Year's Day, we will have one Mass at 9:30 a.m. Please note that our offices will be closed December 31st and January 1st. End of year donations can be placed in the mail slot on the east door of the driveway of the office, and will be credited for 2020 if given by the end of the day on December *31st. If you are traveling, may you have the protection* of your guardian angels, and have a joyous celebration with your family and friends. God bless you all. (There will not be adoration or evening confessions on January 1st.)

Let's all grow in faith and discipleship this year.

As I hope you already know, we are committed to becoming more and more a parish where men and women can grow in their knowledge and practice of the faith. Thanks to generous donations from parishioners, you are all invited to take a copy of the various books that we have as Christmas gifts this year. You will find them at the various exits. We ask that you limit yourself to one copy per household of Live Not by Lies: A Manual for Christian Dissidents, by Rod Dreher, and A Church in Crisis: Pathways Forward, by Ralph Martin. I also recommended reading through the US Conference of Catholic Bishops' pastoral letter on racism: Open Wide Our Hearts: The Enduring Call to Love. That letter can be downloaded from the USCCB website. We also have a couple other titles that we hope will be edifying to you this year. May you and your family have a blessed last week of Advent and a joyous celebration of Christmas, in this most difficult of year. God bless you all!

With gratitude for Holy Families like yours,

Father Steve





Parish Office Hours

Effective November 18, throughout the 3-Week Pause issued by The Michigan Department of Health & Human Services, the office will be closed to walk-ins. We will be available virtually Monday-Thursday 8am-12pm and 12:30pm-4:30 pm and on Fridays from 8am-1pm. You can reach the parish office by email at mspalding@corlansing org or phone at 517-482-

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Mass Schedule

The Octave Day of the Nativity of the Lord; Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God:

- 4:30pm Vigil
- 6:30pm Vigil

 10:30pm Vigil
(followed by followed by adoration with Benediction just prior to midnight)

• 9:30am



Resurrection Little Shamrocks Preschool has two available full time openings in our Toddler Room. Your child must be between 18-36 months for enrollment. If you are looking for quality care where the emphasis is Christian core values look no further. Resurrection Preschool offers a sense of community and stability to their families. For more enrollment information and private tours please contact Judith Mirabelli-Migaldi (Pre-School

Director) judiemm@corlansing.org

Now Hiring!!

Resurrection Little Shamrocks Preschool is looking to hire part-time teaching assistances for this coming New Year. If you love children, are energetic and looking for a rich faith filled environment look no further. Experience in an early childhood setting is preferred and flexible hours to work around schedules. Contact the Director: Judith Mirabelli-

Migaldi judiemm@corlansing.org to set up an interview.



2020 Year End Giving Tax Deadlines

For your contributions to appear in your 2020 parish donor statement they need to be received at the parish office via mail on December 31st or dropped off in the office drop box by 1:00pm (east wall door) or be placed into the wall collection boxes in the church on December 31st by the end of the New Year's eve mass. Donations received after the aforementioned deadlines will go on 2021 donor statements with the following exception: those received via mail posted with a December date and received in the office by January 8th, these will be included in 2020 donor records. Note that the postal service usually, but not always, post marks envelopes. Please plan accordingly. Thank you for your prayerful consideration of supporting the parish's mission here in the heart of Lansing especially during this unusual Covid year.

CYSC 2021

The fruit that I have seen come from Catholic Youth Summer Camp, in the spiritual and social development of their campers, I believe, makes it more than worthy of consideration in your summer plans. I have seen that campers come back into their parish and school intent to take on leadership and to build catholic identity. Imagine the strength that could come from your son or daughter and his or her group of closest friends experiencing the adventure together.

As camp sells out each season, to ensure our youth has opportunity to attend the 2021 season, as a parish/school, we have reserved a limited number of camper spaces. These spaces need to be filled by February 7, 2021 before they are released back to public use. When registering, PLEASE use "as a group"option with code RESURRECTIONCYSC2021

Camp costs \$545 for a week of food, lodging, and high adventure. Because our parish sees value in Catholic Youth Summer Camp and knows that it will help to build that Catholic Identity of our school and parish youth, we are offering a very generous scholarship of \$100 to all parishioners in need of it. While registering, at checkout use the promo code RESURRECTIONPROMO to apply for this discount. Consider discussing with grandparents, godparents, aunts and uncles to provide this opportunity through a Christmas gift. Both codes can be used.

For more information about camp, or to register, please go to www.cysc.com. If you are going to register, please do so soon. There is an option online to pay for camp in monthly installments if that is helpful for you.

With gratitude for this ministry to our youth,

Father Sterre

Please pray for those who participated in the past Rite of Welcoming/Acceptance as they prepare through formation and discernment to enter the Church this Easter:

Marsha Grisinger Michael Grisinger Tobias Lyon-Callo Keagan Miller Gabriel Patrick Connor Smeader

... and more to come!!!



LCHS Prospective Family Night

Lansing Catholic High School invites parents and students to attend its winter Prospective Family Night Open House on Wed., Feb. 3, 2021 any time from 6:30pm to 8:30pm. Discover what Lansing Catholic High School has to offer by enjoying a tour with a student ambassador of the campus. Students and parents will also have the opportunity to ask questions and meet with our faculty and administration. Registration is not required, but is appreciated to help stagger attendance. Please contact LCHS's admissions office at 517-267-2158.

admissions@lansingcatholic.org or visit lansingcatholic.org to register for this event.



Council Business Virtual Zoom Meeting – Monday, January 4, 2021. 7 PM. Meeting Email Link provided by Knight John Gordon.

- New Knights Member, Free Online Gifted Membership Sign-Up, by December 31,2020. <u>www.kofc.org/joinus</u> Use Code: MCGIVNEY2020
- The Council donated Gift Cards to Holy Cross Services, Checks to Shared Pregnancy Center and RSVP Catholic Seminarian Tyler Arens (4 Yrs.) The Christmas Giving Tree shared with St. Vincent de Paul Charities and Women's Altar Society.
- The Officers of the Council will be Praying a 9 Day Novena for Fr. Steve Mattson as a Christmas Offering Gift. We ask all Knights and the Res Parish Families to join us.

We Officer's will begin on December 23rd, 2020. Through to December 31, 2020. Help us bring in the New Year by Praying the Rosary to the Catholic Holy Family.

We keep mindful Prayer Intentions for these Knights: James Courter, Thomas Fox, Michael Gillenkirk, Michael Ball, James Garvie, James Fountain, All Front-Line Medical, Police and Fire Personnel. Parish Campus Staffing, All Students and Steadfast in Faith Clergy. Those suffering from Disease and Injuries of Health and Body. The Deceased.



For the 14th New Year's Day, (Zoomtm only this year; January 1, 2021, 1 – 2:30 pm) Pax Christi Lansing and Pax Christi Michigan are providing you with an opportunity to be at

peace by praying for peace with other lovers of peace. "No Charge for Humanity" will highlight Pope Francis' 2020 encyclical <u>Fratelli</u> <u>Tutti</u>, fraternity and social friendship. Prayer, short videos, music and discussion will focus on how we can, no must, close the gaps that separate us, one from another. Please register to participate at paxchristimi.org no later than 12 noon on Friday, January 1, 2021 so we can forward to you a booklet so you can follow along. Invite your family, friends, church and social groups to do the same. ALL are welcome! Really, ALL! St. Therese Church, a friendly parish of 530 families in north Lansing, a seeking a part-time maintenance / custodial supervisor. The successful candidates will be self-motivated, have great attention to detail, work well with volunteers and possess a desire to help maintain our building and grounds to ensure safety to all persons as well as preserve the appearance and usability of our facilities. He/she must have a high school diploma or equivalent, and experience in custodial and maintenance work is needed. Applicants must pass a criminal background check and complete the Protecting God's Children training. If you are interested in the position, please contact Fr. John Fain at 517-487-3749 or frfain@sttherese.org<mailto:frfain@sttherese.org> by Friday, January 8, 2021.

Mass Intentions for 2021

You can now schedule mass intentions for 2021. If you have someone you would like a mass offered for or if you have any questions about specific dates/times, you can call the parish office at 517-482-4749 or you can email Meredith Spalding at

mspalding@corlansing.org





