

January 02, 2022 Epiphany of The Lord

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.

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The Epiphany of the Lord January 2, 2022

Saturday, January 1, 2022 Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God 10:30am Jean Marie Cramner - Perry Family

Sunday, January 2, 2022 Epiphany of the Lord

8:00am Mary Barron - Family

9:30am Eileen Morris - Sandi Walczak

11:30am Dale Mourey - Amanda Venema

6:30pm Vespers

Monday, January 3, 2022 6:30pm Vespers

Tuesday, January 4, 2022

6:15pm Perpetual Help Devotion

6:30pm Mary French

7:00pm-8:00pm Confession

Wednesday, January 5, 2022

6:00am St Joseph Devotion

6:30am First Wednesday Mass

7:45am Confession

8:15am Julie Zaremba

Thursday, January 6, 2022

7:45am Confession

8:15am Roman Goodman

Friday, January 7, 2022

7:45am Confession

8:15am Doug Murdoch - Family

9:00am-8:00pm Adoration

6:30pm Vespers

Saturday January 8, 2022

8:15am Rita and Ray Michaels

Confession after Mass until all are heard

5:00pm Frank Courter - Jim & Jane Collinson

6:30pm Vespers

Sunday January 9, 2022

Baptism of the Lord

8:00am Denis and Linda Dion - Family

9:30am Dick Barry - Dan & Lou Ann Dowsett

11:30am For the Parish

6:30pm Vespers



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Our deceased: Ray and Rita Michaels, Mary French, Abel Reyes, Roman Goodman, Julie Zaremba

Our sick: Barbara Fellows, James Wilson (grandson of Ana and Geoff Henebry), Norine Van Drie, Catherine Epling, Jeanne Gaskin, Gloria Arens, Dorothy Nelson, Jim Garvie, Mike Gillenkirk, Gabe Radke, and parish family including our homebound and those in nursing homes.

Our military personnel:

1st Lt. Thomas Braga-Henebry, USMCR
Tom Baldwin, Fort Benning, GA
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Kaleilani Kalahiki, Medical, Army
Capt. Connor Caples, MD Travis AFB, CA
Lt. Chris White, Washington, D.C.
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Cody Eitrem, Navy
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ROSARIES PRAYED FOR PEACE:

63,267 Total number of Rosaries prayed. Tally sheets are available at the East Entrances of Church

LIVING ROSARY INTENTION FOR JANUARY

For all to seek Him in the new year. Please join this devotion to Our Blessed Mother.



Monday, Jan 3: Daniel Farley

Tuesday, Jan 4: Karen Dudley, Clara Fatura

Wednesday, Jan 5: Carolyn Fountain **Thursday, Jan 6:** Jason Mendiola, Ray Patnaude, Katrina Butler, Michael Izdebski,

Lyndsay Rodriguez, Bill Repovz

Friday, Jan 7: Melissa Potter, Ricardo Cantu,

Teresa Kummer

Saturday, Jan 8: Theresa Myrick **Sunday, Jan 9:** Rita Wilhelm, Richard

Pheifer, Candace Sklapsky

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 7:00-8:00pm 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, Divine Mercy Chaplet following Mass

St Vincent de Paul Society: 1454 E. Michigan Ave; 517-371-4380. Mon & Fri 10-11am and Wed 1-3pm

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

Knights of Columbus Council 11099: Grand Knight John Gordon, 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 <u>20 minutes</u> before Mass and sign in

January 8 - January 9: The Baptism of the Lord

	Extraordinary Minister	Reader
Saturday,	Joseph Reynolds	NOT FILLED
5:00 PM	Mike Walsh	Ann Tingay
Sunday, 8:00	Richard Imgrund	Brian Fink
AM	Teresa Spalding	Jacob Allstott
Sunday, 9:30	Bill Richardson	Ken Darga
AM	Joe DeWitt	Edward Rivet
Sunday, 11:30 AM	Jim Mattson Fred Christopher- son	Thomas Braga- Henebry Dee Webb

Readings for the Week of January 2, 2022		
Sunday	Epiphany of the Lord	
	Is 60: 1-6/ Ps 72: 1-2. 7-8. 10-11. 12-	
	13/	
	Eph 3: 2-3a. 5-6/ Mt 2: 1-12	
Monday	Monday after Epiphany	
	1 Jn 3: 22- 4: 6/ Ps 2: 7bc-8. 10-12a/	
	Mt 4: 12-17. 23-25	
Tuesday	Memorial of Saint Elizabeth Ann Se-	
	ton, Religious	
	1 Jn 4: 7-10/ Ps 72: 1-2. 3-4. 7-8/ Mk 6:	
	34-44	
Wednesday	Memorial of Saint John Neumann,	
	Bishop	
	1 Jn 4: 11-18/ Ps 72: 1-2. 10. 12-13/	
	Mk 6: 45-52	
Thursday	1 Jn 4: 19-5: 4/ Ps 72: 1-2. 14 and 15bc.	
	17/ Lk 4: 14-22	
Friday	1 Jn 5: 5-13/ Ps 147: 12-13. 14-15. 19-	
	20/	

Lk 5: 12-16

and 9b/ Jn 3: 22-30

Baptism of the Lord

7/ Lk 3: 15-16. 21-22

Saturday

Sunday

1 Jn 5: 14-21/ Ps 149: 1-2. 3-4. 5 and 6a

Is 40: 1-5. 9-11/ Ps 104: 1b-2. 3-4. 24-

25. 27-28. 29-30 (1)/ Ti 2: 11-14; 3: 4-

The Epiphany of the Lord

Today, we celebrate the *Epiphany* of the Lord, which means "to manifest" or "to show". We remember the visitation by the Magi (Three Wise Men) from the East who came to adore the Newborn King of the Jews. It is on this day that we celebrate the revelation of Jesus the Messiah to the Gentiles. As Gentile believers, we are invited again to celebrate God's gracious manifestation to us. In Christ, God draws all nations into His family of love and grace. The *Canticle of Simeon*, which is sung or spoken at Night Prayer every day, is wonderful meditation on the mystery of the Incarnation and Epiphany (Luke 2:29-32):

Lord, now you let your servant go in peace; your word has been fulfilled: my own eyes have seen the salvation which you have prepared in the sight of every people: a light to reveal you to the nations and the glory of your people Israel. Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Each day, those who pray the Liturgy of the Hours pray the Canticle of Zechariah (Benedictus) during Morning Prayer (Lauds), the Canticle of Mary (Magnificat) during Evening Prayer (Vespers), and the Canticle of Simeon (Nunc Dimittis) during Night Prayer (Compline). They are worth memorization, for they help us enter in to the mysteries of our faith, centered on the Incarnation of our Lord, of His Epiphany.

Epiphany Home Blessing

Because I assume most families have holy water, we won't have a supply of water bottles this year, but we will have blessed chalk for use to bless your homes with the blessing we've included on Epiphany in prior years. You can replenish your supply of holy water from the font in the southeast corner of the church. I won't list the formula for blessing the home this year in the bulletin, but you can find it at this website: (https://tinyurl.com/3t77j2j3).

Special Invitation: Celebrating Theophany

Fr. Alexei Woltornist, pastor of St. Joseph Melkite Catholic Church on Mt. Hope in Lansing, has invited me to concelebrate Divine Liturgy and Great Blessing of Waters with him at 5:30 p.m. this Thursday, January 6, which is Theophany (our Epiphany). A feast day meal will follow in the parish hall with traditional Theophany sweets. This is a great opportunity to experience how the Church in the East celebrate this great feast. I'm looking forward to learning more, and invite you (including young families) to join us. Fr. Alexei and his wife have two young children themselves, and are very open to having children join them for Divine Liturgy and Vespers.

Special Event: Twelfth Night

Next month, we have planned a parish cultural event, which we hope to have on an annual basis, called the Twelfth Night Celebration. The event will take place from 6:30 p.m. on January 8 and is a celebration of the great gift of Christ's manifestation at Christmas and Epiphany. It will be set on a Saturday closest to the twelfth day/night of the Christmas season during Epiphanytide. Mercy Hall will be decked out as something resembling a pub(!). Adults in the parish and friends are invited to join us for an evening of songs, music, and poetry that will inspire and entertain in equal measure. The Twelfth Night has been a traditional celebration since before medieval times, particularly in Europe, and involves the consumption of abundant food and drink as well as performances to honor the birth of our Savior. You can sign-up to join us on our website. Space is limited, so register early. I hope to see you there!

Adoring the Lord with you,

Father Steve

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Attention:

If you have moved or changed your phone number and you haven't notified the office, please call (517) 482-4749 or email Meredith Spalding at mspalding@corlansing.org so we can update your records. Thank you!!

Feast of the Theophany

Our parish has been invited to join St. Joseph Melkite Catholic Church to celebrate the feast of the Theophany on January 6 at 5:30pm. Fr. Steve will be concelebrating the Divine Liturgy and great blessing of waters with Fr. Alexei. A feast day meal will follow in the parish hall with traditional Theophany sweets. This is a great opportunity to experience how the Church in the East celebrate this great feast.

725 W Mt Hope Ave, Lansing, MI 48910

Please Note:

If you have made the switch from receiving Our Sunday Visitor envelopes to giving online and you would no longer like to receive envelopes, please email or call the main office. Thank you!



Hiring for Substitute Teachers

Resurrection School is looking to hire substitute teachers. Substitute teachers are paid \$80 per day, and it is a wonderful service to the school and the teachers.

Interested candidates should contact the school office and set up an appointment to meet with Mr. Allstott or Mr. Gates. school@corlansing.org or (517) 487-0439



Resurrection Little Shamrocks Preschool and Childcare is looking to hire part-time assistants with flexible hours. If you have a love for children and experience working with young children or want to pursue a career in Early Childhood education contact Judie at

judiemm@corlansing.org for more details.



TWELFIH NGHT JANUARY 8 DOORS OPEN AT 6:30PM EVENT BEGINS AT 7:00PM

Join us for an evening of songs, music and poetry, and abundant food & drink that will inspire and entertain in equal measure.

MERCY HALL | ADULTS ONLY | NO COST | RSVP ONLINE CORLANSING.ORG/POSTS/TWELFTHNIGHT



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Hello Brother Knights, the main way that we communicate with our Council Knights is via email. I have been sending out two or three group emails a month since July, if you are not seeing an email from me then we do not have your current email address. If you would like to get emails about our activities and you are not seeing our emails please let me know.

You can do this by emailing me at gk11099@mikofc.org, please include your name along with your email address and we will update our list.

John Gordon / Grand Knight



<u>Discover Why Lansing Catholic High School is</u> the Place For You

We invite you to join Lansing Catholic High School at one of their upcoming events. Curious about financial aid? Come to Financial Aid Night on Tuesday, January 25 at 6 pm in our Library. Parents are invited to learn more about financial aid, review the process, and get their questions answered. Or stop by Prospective Family Night on Wednesday, February 2 from 6:30-8:30 pm. Students and parents will have the opportunity to ask questions and meet with faculty and administration. Visit lansingcatholic.org/admissions to learn more.

PEN PAL MINISTRIES

The Pen Pal Ministry that is run from the Diocesan Offices in Lansing is in need of volunteers. This group reads and screens letters from Pen Pals and those who are incarcerated, and ensures they are safe (don't mention any personal info), they are proper (no vulgarities), and get to the proper recipient. If you think you might be able to go into the Diocesan Offices, one Wednesday a month, to be a screener, especially if you live in the Lansing area, or know someone else who might, please have them contact me.

Deacon Ken Preiss Director of the Office of the Permanent Diaconate Diocese of Lansing 517-342-2451 kpreiss@dioceseoflansing.org



Dear Brother and Sister in Christ.

This life is a journey. It's a pilgrimage. A pilgrimage from God and to God. We are each pilgrims on that narrow path. It's not an easy journey. We all know that. However, if we co-operate with God's grace we can make it and, even better, we can make it together.

Who, though, can teach us the way? The answer, of course, is Jesus Christ. Indeed, in the Holy Gospels, Our Blessed Lord identifies himself as "the way". Meanwhile, the early Christians often referred to their new life as disciples of Jesus Christ as "the Way" (e.g., Acts 9:2). We too are his chosen.

That is why I invite you to join me as **Disciples Together on the Way.** Each week, I will text or e-mail you a specific challenge focusing on a particular habit of authentic Christian discipleship. Inspired and strengthened by the Holy Spirit, it will then be for each of us to live-out that habit over the subsequent seven days.

Across the coming year, starting January 2022, we will then attempt to acquire a different good habit each week in order to help us develop four key areas of discipleship: prayer, catechesis, community and apostolate.

So, do you want to take up the Disciples Together on the Way challenge? If so, simply pick up your cellphone and text **ONTHEWAY to 84576** or go to https://www.dioceseoflansing.org/on-the-way. It's that easy!

Together, let's grow as disciples of Jesus Christ. Thank you and God bless you.

+ Earl Boyce

Secular Franciscans

Do you feel drawn to the spirituality of St. Francis or St. Clare? Do you want to be a better Catholic? Draw nearer to God? Become more Christ-like? Then you may have a vocation to the Secular Franciscan Order. We are an association of men and women—married and single—who live and work in the world. We follow a way of life that is faithful to the original Rule and make promises to live in the way of St. Francis. Admission to the order is open to men and women, single or married, those not already members of another order, and at least 18 years of age. The Secular Franciscan Order was established by St. Francis of Assisi more than 800 years ago. Our purpose is to bring the gospel to life where we live and where we work. We look for ways to embrace the Gospel in our lives and try to help others to do likewise.

If you feel called to explore this way of life, please contact Michelle Bryk, OFS, 616-361-8489, michellebofs@gmail.com. Orientation sessions will begin online on the second Sunday of each month starting in November 2021.

St. Francis Retreat Center in DeWitt, MI

Women's Retreat: January 7-9, 2022

Men's Retreat: January 14-16, 2022

We will be taking a closer look at Matthew Kelly's popular book "Rediscover Jesus" and rediscovering what we know about Jesus, who he is, who he said he was, and how that should impact our lives today. Check-in on Friday begins at 5:30 pm, with Mass following at 6:30, then dinner. The retreat concludes on Sunday around 11:00am. The suggested donation for the weekend is \$185. For more information or to register, visit www.stfrancis.ws or call (517) 669-8321.

SPECIALIZED MINISTRIES

The Diocese of Lansing now has copies of the Propers for the Sunday Mass in Braille available for those that require them. Please contact Cathy Blatnik, Coordinator of Special Needs Ministry at blatsie63@yahoo.com or at 517-381-1410 for more information on how to receive them.













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