

Baptism *of the Lord*

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Luke 3:21-22

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

Monday, January 10, 2022

6:30pm Vespers

Tuesday, January 11, 2022

6:15pm Perpetual Help Devotion
6:30pm Pat Koenigsknecht - Bob Murrell
7:00pm-8:00pm Confessions

Wednesday, January 12, 2022

7:45am Confessions
8:15am Terrence McDowell - School

Thursday, January 13, 2022

7:45am Confessions
8:15am Ray & Rita Michaels - Mickie Kreft

Friday, January 14, 2022

7:45am Confessions
8:15am Terrence McDowell - Don & Olga
Sweeney
9:00am-8:00pm Adoration
6:30pm Vespers

Saturday January 15, 2022

8:15am Deceased members of Holoweiko
Family - Mary Ellen Holoweiko
Confessions after Mass until all are heard
5:00pm Douglas Syrus - Sean & Chris
Quinn
6:30pm Vespers

Sunday January 16, 2022**Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:00am Jack Stout - Joel & Mary
Stanewich
9:30am For the Parish
11:30am Int. Conrad & Judith Donakowski
- Kathryn Reed
6:30pm Vespers



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Our deceased: Barb Fellows

Our sick: 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
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Kaleilani Kalahiki, Medical, Army
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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 10: Owen Szytkiel, Gonsola Zavala, Candy Case, Peter Krause, Lauren Greathouse

Tuesday, Jan 11: Nola Warner, Marco Gomez, Catherine Bloomfield, Michael Day

Wednesday, Jan 12: George Bozack, Christina Heine

Thursday, Jan 13: Roberta Fortino, Sara Stenske, Elizabeth Pate, Darlene Mikowski, Reuben Patino, William Reasner

Friday, Jan 14: Teresa Spalding, Ginny Van Nocker, Jen Yarrington, Cory Henfling

Saturday, Jan 15: Nabil Halaby, Nicholas Mianecki, John Hoyt, Maurice Moses, Helen Earley

Sunday, Jan 16: Gregory Johns, Naomi Lozier

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 20 minutes before Mass and sign in

January 15 - January 16: Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

	Extraordinary Minister	Reader
Saturday, 5:00 PM	Mike Walsh Helen Earley	Thomas Braga-Henebry Ann Tingay
Sunday, 8:00 AM	Brian Fink Teresa Spalding	Chris Spalding NOT FILLED
Sunday, 9:30 AM	Sean O'Neill Elaine Jones	Ken Darga Stacia DeVries
Sunday, 11:30 AM	Jesse Flores Jim Mattson	Bernie Webb Ana Sophia Leal

Readings for the Week of January 9, 2022

Sunday	Baptism of the Lord Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 40:1-5, 9-11/ Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 or Ps 104:1b-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29-30/ Acts 10:34-38 or Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7/ Lk 3: 15-16, 21-22
Monday	1 Sm 1: 1-8/ Ps 116: 12-13, 14-17, 18-19/ Mk 1: 14-20
Tuesday	1 Sm 1: 9-20/ 1 Sm 2: 1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd/ Mk 1: 21-28
Wednesday	1 Sm 3: 1-10, 19-20/ Ps 40: 2 and 5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10/ Mk 1: 29-39
Thursday	1 Sm 4: 1-11/ Ps 44: 10-11, 14-15, 24-25/Mk 1: 40-45
Friday	1 Sm 8: 4-7, 10-22a/ Ps 89: 16-17, 18-19/ Mk 2: 1-12
Saturday	1 Sm 9: 1-4, 17-19; 10: 1/ Ps 21: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7/ Mk 2: 13-17
Sunday	Second Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 62: 1-5/ Ps 96: 1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 (3)/ 1 Cor 12: 4-11/ Jn 2: 1-11

The Baptism of the Lord

This weekend, the Church recalls a third *theophany*—or manifestation of God. The first theophany, of course, was the Nativity. The second was the *Epiphany*, which we celebrated last week. This is the third, when Jesus was baptized. Here is the account from St. Luke: *The people were filled with expectation, and all were asking in their hearts whether John might be the Christ. John answered them all, saying, "I am baptizing you with water, but one mightier than I is coming. I am not worthy to loosen the thongs of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire."*

After all the people had been baptized and Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, heaven was opened and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, "You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased." God the Father spoke from heaven, along with the Spirit descending upon Him, like a dove.

The Dignity of the Baptized

Through our own baptism, we are brought into this same mystery of the Godhead. We are plunged into the death and resurrection of Christ through our baptism. In Christ, we are invited to hear the Father say, *"You are my beloved son (daughter); with you I am well pleased."* It may be difficult for us to believe that we please the Father, but our life is now in Christ. Indeed, we the baptized have received the Holy Spirit, and we too have been anointed "priest, prophet, and king," just as Jesus was. We are Christians, which translates "anointed ones."

Being Lights in Dark Times

Last weekend in my homily I spoke about the importance of us living up to our dignity as members of the Body of Christ. Through our baptism, we have the Power of God dwelling in us, and this great gift entails a tremendous responsibility as well. We are called to be Christ(ians) in our homes, schools, workplaces, and communities, and are empowered by God to live lives of witness to the Light and Truth that we find in Jesus. We are the bearers of the Good News, of the Gospel, and are empowered with the Holy Spirit to preach the Good News in our lives and through our words. Let us never forget the great gift we received in our baptism, and look to God's super-abundant grace in all our times of need. He will provide us timely help as we turn to Him. With fresh awareness of and gratitude for our baptism, let's seek ways to "Go and Announce the Gospel of the Lord" today.

Realigning Resources for Mission Parish Groupings
Many of you get *Faith Magazine*, which this month featured an article about "parish groupings" by Bishop Boyea. Here are two of the paragraphs from that article:

In consultation with the Priest Assignment Board and Mrs. Deb Amato, who will lead our implementation, we discerned eight groupings to invite to be early adopters. I then called the potential moderator (like a lead pastor) of each grouping to see if he would be willing to lead the other priest(s) in the grouping. The moderators' first task will be to gather their brother priests together in prayer and discernment to develop a covenant. This will guide their becoming a Communion of Priests who are together on mission. This agreement will also determine who will lead the parishes in the grouping to fulfill the mission together. Each parish will retain its identity, but ever more integration and collaboration will be the means for us to achieve Christ's Mission to us.

So I made the calls to my brother priests to determine their willingness to be moderators. Once their agreement had been given, I contacted the other priests in each grouping to ask if they would be willing to pray and minister in solidum (the canonical term found in Canon 517.1 which means together or as a whole). We might see this as a form of solidarity in ministry. It will be the duty of these priests to engage the deacons and lay ministers in their parishes.

Our Parish Grouping

The "North Lansing" parish grouping, of which we will be part, will be comprised of St. Mary Cathedral, St. Andrew Dung-Lac, St. Therese, St. Jude, and Resurrection, with Father Karl Pung as Moderator. As you might well expect, much remains to be prayerfully discerned concerning how we (and other parish groupings) will work collaboratively together to better fulfill the Mission of Jesus Christ. Guided by the Holy Spirit, I am confident that this group of current pastors will prayerfully discern, along with our respective staff members and other lay leadership, how to both honor the cultures of the particular parishes that are part of the grouping all the while seeking ways to be more effective and better stewards of our collective ministry. Please pray for the priests and the other parishes in our grouping, as we begin the initial stages of planning for this change. We want this process to be helpful for the mission and to be received well by members of our parishes who are open to and committed to helping us fulfill the Lord's call to spread the Gospel in word and deed. Let's keep praying, "Come, Holy Spirit!"

With gratitude for the Gift of Baptism,

Father Steve

Tornado Relief Collection

The USCCB, Archbishop José H. Gomez and Bishop Boyea have called for prayer and assistance for all who were harmed by the recent tornadoes in the eastern, central U.S.. A special collection will be taken at the masses next weekend, January 15th & 16th. Also, our online Giving will accept donations until January 24th for this cause under the title "Tornado Relief". Please prayerfully consider helping those recovering from this disaster.

Exciting News!

Fr. Steve has determined it is time for our new pictorial church directory. Our dates for photography will be February 14th-19th and February 21st-26th. We need volunteers to help with the sign-up process for our families. Please contact mspalding@corlansing.org or call 517-482-4749 this week to volunteer to be a part of this project.

Thank you!

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!

THANK YOU!!


A very heartfelt thank you to all of our Resurrection families who helped make the holidays more cheerful for our neighborhood families in need.

Thanks also to the Altar Society and Knights of Columbus for their help with the "Giving Tree". Your donations are a reflection of your loving generosity.

Last, we want to thank all of our parishioners for their heartfelt gifts over the holidays, whether it was a donation to "Simply Give", help with presents/gift cards for Christmas, your financial gifts or your prayers. We are a parish that shares their blessings with those in need. May God continue to bless you, your family and Resurrection Parish.

Your Resurrection Vincentians

The **kNOW** Program

 **Diocese of Lansing Safe Environment Project**

kNOW Program Opportunities

Elementary Grades: Thursday, January 20 at 6:30pm in Mercy Hall

Middle School BOYS: Thursday, February 10 at 6:30pm in Mr. Fink's classroom w/ Jacob Allstott presenting

Middle School GIRLS: Thursday, February 10 at 6:30pm in Mrs. Whiting's classroom (possibly Mercy Hall) w/Susan Bartold presenting

The kNOW program is an empowerment program provided by the Diocese of Lansing. It is required students of the school and parish attend 3 times throughout K-8th grade. (1x in grades K-2, 1x in grades 3-5, 1x in grades 6-8). Students attend with parent(s) as it is an evening to encourage discussion within families. Come every year, if possible. It is a message that is worth hearing often.

For more information, please contact Susan Bartold at sbartold@corlansing.org or 517-482-4749 x107

Scrip Sales

Scrip Sales are a great way to earn credits toward tuition and support our parish and school. Scrip sales will be held in the Mercy Hall conference room on January 10 and 24 from 3:00 to 5:30pm. Please call or email the school office with any questions.
school@corlansing.org

Widow's Rosary Group

The Widow's Rosary Group meet the second Monday of each month in the crypt at 10:30am for one hour. We start with scriptural Rosary, followed by St. Therese' Prayer for Priests, the Prayer to Mary Mother of the Church. The Litany of Loreto, and concluding with the Prayer for Widows.

The next meeting will be on Monday, January 10th.



On Sunday January 23rd the Knights will be having pancake breakfasts after all Masses that day to raise money for the 8th Grade field trip. We will be having the 8th grade students work the event and those students will be dividing the profit. The students can sign up to volunteer for the event on our website kofc11099.org, just click on the circle in the Volunteer Sign-up box.

Our last pancake breakfast was very well attended, we normally have 100 to 150 people attend. We were amazed to have over 350 attend. I will admit this caught us short but we have adjusted our prep accordingly and we will be ready this time. I would like to thank all the Knights that helped at that breakfast. You all did a fantastic job.

On another note, a reminder that the 7:00pm Rosary before our second Monday of the month meeting has started again. The Rosary is open to the Parish so please feel free to attend. And last but far from least, a reminder that our Council is again supporting four Seminarians, three of whom are from our own Parish with a \$500 stipend each. If you wish to contribute to this effort just drop a donation in the drop box and address it to the Knights, with Seminarians noted on it.

John Gordon / Grand Knight Council #11099



Discover Why Lansing Catholic High School is 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.



**DISCIPLES
TOGETHER ON THE WAY**
WITH BISHOP BOYEA

Dear Brother and Sister in Christ,

This life is a journey. It's a pilgrimage. A pilgrimage from God and to God. We are all 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.

+ Paul Boyea

Seminary Visit

Sacred Heart Major Seminary
January 20-23

- Open to men college-age and older
- all meals and accommodations
- Daily Mass & Holy Hour
- Q & A session with priests and seminarians
- Attend a class
- Tour of the Seminary and the campus

For Details Contact: Fr. John Whitlock, Director of Seminarians at jwhitlock@dioceseoflansing.org

St. Francis Retreat Center in DeWitt, MI

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.


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 mbspalding@corlansing.org so we can update your records. Thank you!!


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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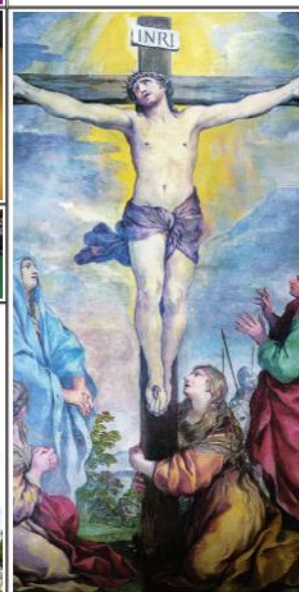
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