



RESURRECTION

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Sunday, June 2, 2024
Solemnity of the
Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

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PASTOR

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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.





PLEASE NOTE: All weekday Masses will be celebrated in Mercy Hall. Confessions will be in Mercy Hall's conference room. 5pm Saturday Masses will be celebrated in Mercy Hall. Sunday Masses will be celebrated at LCHS Chapel.

Saturday, June 1, 2024

8:15am Int. Sandi Walczak—Mike & Marianne Vasievich

8:45am-9:30am Confessions

5:00pm Steven Nehf—Susan Nehf

Sunday, June 2, 2024

Corpus Christi (LCHS Chapel)

8:00am For the Parish

9:30am Dolores Jane Wood—Julie Wood Johnson

11:30am *No Mass at LCHS—see below*

You are invited to join our parish group for Mass at 11:00am at St. Mary's Cathedral, with a Eucharistic Procession to follow, celebrating Corpus Christi.

No 5:00pm Sunday Mass

Monday, June 3, 2024

7:45am Confessions

8:15am Int. Living & Deceased members of the Dennis Dion & Halaby Families—Family

Tuesday, June 4, 2024 No Mass or Confessions

Wednesday, June 5, 2024

6:00am St. Joseph Devotion

6:30am 1st Wednesday Mass

6:00pm Earl & Dottie Ann Clark—Clark Family

6:30pm Confessions

Thursday, June 6, 2024

7:45am Confessions

8:15am Mary Jo Schaefer—Family

Friday, June 7, 2024

7:45am Confessions

8:15am Wayne Fiddler—Rios Family

5:30pm-6:30pm Confessions

Saturday, June 8, 2024

8:15am Int. St. Monica Sodality

8:45am-9:30am Confessions

5:00pm Int. Donna Motz—Genevieve Leonard

Sunday, June 9, 2024

Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (LCHS Chapel)

8:00am For the Parish

9:30am Rita Isabaert—Beirlant Family

11:30am (Novus Ordo Mass) Gary Ashby—Hennig Family

No 5:00pm Sunday Mass



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Our sick: Don West, Catherine Epling, Jeff Ruddock, Mary Zavala, James Venema, Judy Wood, Roberta Lott, Marie Geer, Jeanne Phillips, James Wilson (grandson of Ana and Geoff Henebry), Norine Van Drie, Jeanne Gaskin, Dorothy Nelson, Jim Garvie, Mike Gillenkirk, Gabe Radke, and parish family including our homebound and those in nursing homes.

Our military personnel:

Capt. Thomas Braga-Henebry, USMCR Tom Baldwin, Fort Benning, GA Kaleilani Kalahiki, Medical, Army Capt. Connor Caples, MD Travis AFB, CA LCDR Chris White, USNR Erick Martinez, Afghanistan David Hanosh Suarez, Marines Cody Eitrem, Navy Cpl. Alex Ferguson, Marines

ROSARIES PRAYED FOR PEACE:

70,888 Total number of Rosaries prayed. Tally sheets are available at the East Entrances of Church

LIVING ROSARY INTENTION FOR JUNE

For reverent devotion to the Body and Blood of Jesus. *Please join these devotions to Our Blessed Mother.*

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

Our summer hours at the parish office are as follows:

Tuesday - Thursday 9:00am -12:00pm & 12:30pm - 4:30pm



Monday, June 3: Brenda Seely, Dominic Bloomfield, Loren DeYoung

Tuesday, June 4: Sandra Stenske, David Fountain, Gabriella Flores, Devin Porter, Mia Richardson, JeanMarie Bond

Wednesday, June 5: Elizabeth Cairns, Derek Crombie, Olivia Gomez, MaryJo Eberhart, Brenda DeFord

Thursday, June 6: William Dudley, Scott Reese **Friday, June 7:** Sean Thompson, Ian Thompson, Ingrid Black, Xavier Priest

Saturday, June 8: Gail Gordon, Maximus Evans, Keagan Miller, Kathleen Egan, Sophia Gibson, Katherine Whiting

Sunday, June 9:Thomas Demko, Joyce Richardson, Rebecca Hurth

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: Mon, Thurs, and Fri 7:45am; Wed 6:30-7:30pm; Fri 5:30-6:30pm and Saturday 8:45-9:30am

Daily Rosary: Monday, Thurs-Sat 7:40am

Perpetual Help Devotion: Wednesdays at 5:45pm

St. Monica Sodality: 2nd Saturdays 7:40am 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 Dave Hall, 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 SP Women's Center at 517-484-1882.

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 hosts 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.

June 8-9, 2024

	Extraordinary Minis-	Reader
Saturday,	NOT FILLED - 1	NOT FILLED - 1
5:00 PM	NOT FILLED - 2	Mike Walsh - 2
Sunday,	Craig Galer - 1	Brian Fink - 1
8:00 AM	Cindi Currie - 2	Lydia Papson - 2
Sunday,	NOT FILLED - 1	Mitch Dobrzelewski - 1
9:30 AM	Kathryn Reed - 2	Chris Veneklase - 2
Sunday,	Fred Christopherson - 1	Christopher Lewis - 1
11:30 AM	NOT FILLED - 2	Ann Tingay - 2

Scripture Readings

For the Week of June 2, 2024

Sunday Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood

of Christ

Ex 24:3-8, Ps 116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18; Heb

9:11-15; Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

Monday Memorial of Saint Charles Lwanga and

Companions, Martyrs

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 Memorial of Saint Boniface, Bishop, Martyr

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 Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of

Jesus

Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9; Is 12:2-3, 4, 5-6; Eph

3:8-12, 14-19; Jn 19:31-37

Saturday Memorial of the Immaculate Heart of the

Blessed Virgin Mary

2 Tm 4:1-8; Ps 71:8-9, 14-15ab, 16-17, 22;

Ik 2:41-51

Sunday Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gn 3:9-15; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; 2 Cor

4:13—5:1; Mk 3:20-35

Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)

Today, we celebrate this great Solemnity, which announces to the world our devotion to Jesus, truly present in the Blessed Sacrament, Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity. Our liturgies owe a tremendous amount to St. Thomas Aquinas, a Dominican priest and Doctor of the Church. He was brilliant and prayerful and he handed on to us the fruits of his contemplation, in true Dominican fashion. May our hearts and minds be like unto St. Thomas Aquinas, that after an offer from the Lord of anything, we would wisely choose, "nothing but Jesus." For, having Him, we have ALL.

The Privilege and Power of Suffering through, with, and in Christ

Last weekend, I preached largely based on St. Paul's letter to the Romans, and invited us all to contemplate the mystery of a suffering God, through, with, and in Jesus Christ, who is truly God and truly man. Suffering entered the godhead through the incarnation. In our second reading last week, St. Paul wrote the following to the Church at Rome: *The Spirit* himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ, if only we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him. The underlined phrase was one that I elaborated on in light of the following verses that St. Paul includes in Romans 8: I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory that is to be revealed to us. For the creation waits with eager longing for the revealing of the sons of God; for the creation was subjected to futility, not of its own will but by the will of him who subjected it in hope; because the creation itself will be set free from its bondage to decay and obtain the glorious liberty of the children of God (Romans 8:18-21, emphasis added). When we suffer, it seems overwhelming at times, even futile to continue. But we really need to trust (and help others believe) that our joining of our suffering with that of Jesus is actually salvific for us and for others. When we suffer, we do well not to waste it, but to join it to the sufferings of Jesus.

Not Why, But How

When we suffer, we often find ourselves wrestling with how a good and loving God could allow (or do!) this or that to us or to those we love. We cry out "why is this happening to me (or to them or to us)"?! Better to ask, "how do you want to use this or that for the salvation of souls, beginning with my own?" Dan Schneider, in his book, The Liber Christo Method, wrote the following, which underscores the importance and power of "offering up" our suffering: Sacred Scripture affirms that Jesus Christ is the sole mediator before the Father (see 1 Tm 2:5). That is, Jesus (who is both fully God and fully man) obtained the objective graces of man's salvation as a unique mediator who offered Himself as Priest and Victim for us. This does not mean, however, that we can stand by idly. In fact, Jesus invites our participation in the subjective distribution of Calvary's graces. We most approximate Christ as co-redeemer when we suffer for others as He suffered for us. Saint Paul told the Philippians, therefore, to "stand firm in one spirit ... struggling together for the faith of the gospel" while not being "intimidated" (Phil 1:27–28).

The secret to standing firm in the struggle and not being intimidated lies in union with the suffering Lord: "For to you has been granted, for the sake of Christ, not only to believe in him, but to suffer for him" (Phil 1:29). He allies this principle to himself elsewhere, when he states, "I rejoice in my sufferings for your sake, and in my flesh I am making up what is lacking in the afflictions of Christ on behalf of his body, which is the church" (Col 1:24). Our sufferings, therefore, help distribute the graces that Christ merited on Calvary. In so doing, we uncover a powerful weapon in defeating Satan; that is, we become co-redeemers with Christ in the salvation of souls. And in another place, he writes the following: You must move from why to how. The reaction in the emotions and memory is strengthened by looking at one's reactions to the pain of the event. This implies an act of the will that seeks no longer to ask, Why is this happening to me? Rather, we *must ask: How can I use this for the salvation of souls?* That is a powerful and potentially transformative question best asked (and answered) in the context of contemplative prayer and/or in conversation with a spiritual director. The Lord is inviting you (and me) into this suffering to transform us, to change us, to bring us to the place where we can begin to experience the promised glorious liberty of the children of God.

Summer Hours Begin June 3

Beginning tomorrow, June 3rd, there will be no one staffing the reception desk in the office on Mondays and Fridays. The summer office hours (when the reception desk will be staffed) will be Tuesday – Thursday from 9:00 am-12:00 pm & 12:30 pm-4:30pm. Summer hours will be in effect through Labor Day. Please note you can drop things off for the office at other times using the drop box on the side door as you enter the parking lot. If you come at other times, staff members will often be in the office, including on Mondays and Fridays. You can ring the doorbell to get assistance.

In Gratitude for Our Teachers

We concluded our school year this past Friday. As pastor, I am grateful for Cindy Wolfe's faithful service as our fifth grade teacher. She will be moving to Steubenville, Ohio, where she will be teaching high school English next year. We are grateful for her service witness to our students and to us. We will miss Cindy, and invite you to pray for her. Please pray for all of our teachers, and give God thanks for them.

Aaronic Blessing

At the end of the school year Mass, I blessed those gathered using what is called the "Aaronic Blessing," which can be found in Numbers 6. I offer it to you here for your edification, and potentially for your own use, especially by parents with their children. You could, as some families do, bless your children using this formula every evening before they go to bed. The LORD bless you and keep you: The LORD make his face to shine upon you, and be gracious to you: The LORD lift up his countenance upon you, and give you peace. (Numbers 6:24-26) Amen!

With prayers of blessing for you and yours,

Father Steve

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- —August 2-4 in Petoskey, MI.
- —Sept. 6-8 in Holly, MI.
- —Oct. 4-6 in Petoskey, MI.

Hannah House Manager Position

Hannah's House of Lansing, is a Christian maternity shelter serving young women who have chosen life for their unborn child, and are now in need of support and formation as they prepare to be a mother. We are praying for prospective staff who may be interested in sharing in our ministry, serving as a part time House Manager.

The position is one of offering practical support and spiritual accompaniment to the women who come to stay with us. The women may stay until their little one is 6 months old. The position includes case-working as well as teaching and modeling what it means for one to have an identity in Christ as a daughter, a woman, and a mother.

If you'd like to learn more, please contact Susan Ayers at 517-482-5856 or send an email to hannahshouselansing@gmail.com And please remember us in your prayers!



SCRIP NEWS (Tuition Assistance Program)

Wednesdays from 2:45pm until 5:30pm in Mercy Hall.

June 5 & 19 No in-person sales in July



Vacation Bible School

VBS is being offered at the following local parishes:
St. Jude—June 10-13, 8:30 am -12:00 pm, grades K-5
St. Martha—June 17-21, 9:00 am -12:00 pm, ages
4-10 (older kids are welcome to help lead!)
St. Therese—June 18-20, 8:00 am -12:00 pm

Michigan Young Adult Hiking & Rafting Pilgrimage

July 26-28, 2024

Experience the opportunity to meet new friends while growing closer to God!

Join us for two nights of camping at Cheboygan State Park. We will hike on the North Central Trail culminating with a Eucharistic procession to the Shrine of the Cross in the Woods, followed by two hours of rafting on the Sturgeon River. Mass will be celebrated both mornings. You will return home refreshed and empowered by the Spirit. This Pilgrimage is for ages 18-39. For more information, visit pilgrimage2024.eventbrite.com.

Men's Discernment Retreat

July 12 at 4:00 pm - July 14, 11:00 am St. Francis Retreat Center

For men ages 16-25

This retreat is a chance for men to learn more about the discernment process and meet men who are already in formation, ask questions about the life and ministry of a priest, and provides an opportunity to experience the camaraderie of other discerners. Fr. Mike Cassar, Diocese of Lansing Director of Seminarians, and Fr. Ryan Riley, Pastor at St. Martha in Okemos, will provide direction on the discernment process, give their reflections on the priesthood, and answer questions.

Small group discussions will be led by priests of the Diocese of Lansing. Daily Mass and the opportunity for Confession and Adoration will be offered.

Rooms are private with a shared bathroom. The weekend includes Friday dinner - Sunday breakfast.

Suggested donation: \$200

Scholarships are available - Please contact the Diocese of Lansing Vocations Office.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF INGHAM, EATON & CLINTON NEEDS VOLUNTEER DENTAL SUPERVISORS!

We are seeking a licensed DDS in Michigan who can begin as early as fall 2024.

In collaboration with the UofM School of Dentistry, CCIEC's new dental clinic will support underserved populations in our community, such as low-income, veterans, and people with special needs.



For more information, please contact Joe Garcia at jgarciae cristoreycommunity.org or 517-253-8258 or Dr. Michael Peters at 517-927-2689.

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Brunch Fellowship Opportunity

Chris and Teresa Spalding are opening their home for fellowship on Sundays. No matter whether you are a family, a couple, or single, you are welcome to join us for brunch. If you are interested, please email Teresa at tgspalding@att.net.



Forged: Outdoor Camping Retreat

For younger men, ages 13-16, where they will gain important outdoor skills such as plant identification, how to pitch a tent, and how to chop wood and start a proper campfire. The retreat is June 17-19, 2024. For more information, visit www.stfrancis.ws/retreats.

General Facilities Lead Position

Catholic Charities of Ingham, Eaton and Clinton Counties (CCIEC) has an opening as General Facilities Lead. Position requires pick-up and delivery of donated items and help with housing set-up of newly arriving refugees, storing and tracking inventory, upkeep of agency vehicles, properties and landscape. Special event set up and tear down duties, as well. We most recently brought the two Catholic Agencies here in Lansing (St. Vincent Catholic Charities and Cristo Rey Community Center) into one Agency with a new name. CCIEC is a human services agency dedicated to serving the most vulnerable in our community. Our work is carried out by employees and volunteers and we welcome those passionate about serving others to join us on this journey of providing help and hope. Please send resume to robbink@stvcc.org.

Ascension Presents: Free Theology of the Body Crash Course

With Fr. Mike Schmitz

Fr. Mike Schmitz leads a short series of talks that will unpack the basics of Pope St. John Paul II's *Theology of the Body*, and why these teachings are *vital* in today's culture. This series is brought to you for free by Fr. Mike's local ministry, bulldog Catholic. For access to all four sessions, and a PDF guide, visit https://ascensionpress.com/pages/tob-crash-course.

10th National Eucharistic Congress

Indianapolis IN, July 17-21, 2024

Join your Catholic brothers and sisters on this historic 5-day gathering of missionary disciples. Bishop Boyea and the Catholic Diocese of Lansing will go on pilgrimage to experience this pivotal moment in both American history and the legacy of the Catholic Church. The diocese has purchased 100 tickets to offer package pricing that includes: event passes, hotel accommodations, roundtrip transportation from Lansing to Indianapolis, and daily transportation from your hotel to the event venues.

For more information, contact Corporate Travel at 1-866-468-1420 or email nec@ctscentral.net.





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Register at www.stfrancis/ignatianretreats



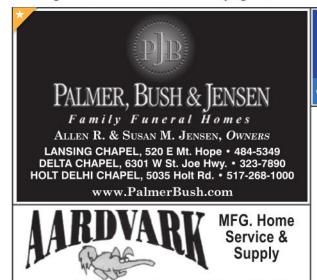
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