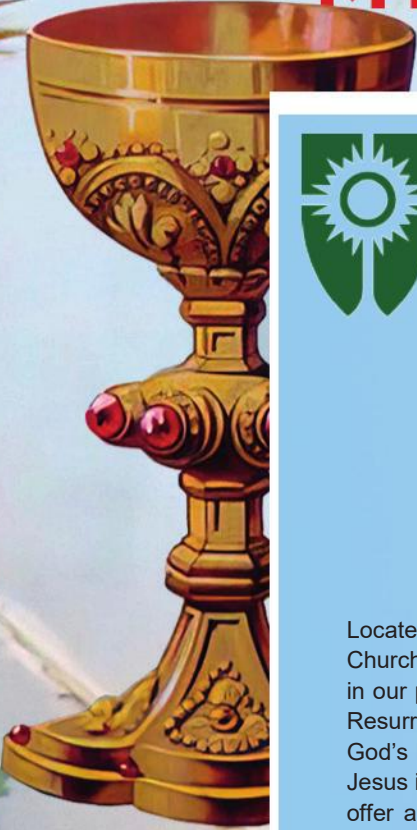




**MY FLESH IS TRUE FOOD &
MY BLOOD IS TRUE DRINK.**

JOHN 6:55



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Sunday, August 18, 2024
Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Mon-Wed 8:00am-12:00pm & 12:30pm-3:00pm
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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.

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***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, August 17, 2024

8:15am Joan Radke Sr. & Family—Don & Carolyn Radke
8:45am-9:30am Confessions
5:00pm Mary Jane Jakovac—Family

Sunday, August 18, 2024

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time (LCHS Chapel)

8:00am For the Parish
9:30am Virginia Wellman Seely—Family
11:30am Ray & Rita Wald—Joel & Mary Stanewich
No 5:00pm Sunday Mass

Monday, August 19, 2024

7:45am Confessions
8:15am Int. In gratitude of Carol Doll—Carol

Tuesday, August 20, 2024

No Mass or Confessions

Wednesday, August 21, 2024

5:45pm Perpetual Help Devotion
6:00pm Int. of Living & Deceased McDowell Family—Theresa McDowell
6:30pm Confessions

Thursday, August 22, 2024

7:45am Confessions
8:15am Int. Sr. Anthony Marie—Schneible Family

Friday, August 23, 2024

7:45am Confessions
8:15am Jim Collinson—Ruth DeMarco
5:30-6:30pm Confessions

Saturday, August 24, 2024

8:15am Int. Nancy Hilker for her birthday—Sandi Walczak
8:45am-9:30am Confessions
5:00pm Betty Courter—A Friend

Sunday, August 25, 2024

Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time (LCHS Chapel)

8:00am Jim Collinson—Steve & Diana Repichowki
9:30am Int. Richard Seeley for his birthday—Brenda Seely
11:30am For the Parish
No 5:00pm Sunday Mass



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Our sick: Angie Fischette, Don West, Mary Zavala, Judy Wood, Marie Geer, Gabe Radke, and parish family including our homebound and those in nursing homes.

Our military personnel:

Capt. Thomas Braga-Henebry, USMCR
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 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:

71,480 total number of Rosaries prayed. Tally sheets are available at the East Entrances of Church.

LIVING ROSARY INTENTION FOR AUGUST

For all families to find peace and reconciliation.



Monday, August 19: Anne DeMarco, Zilah Brito, Michael Olds, Joan Wesley

Tuesday, August 20: Daniel DeFord, James Owens, Gary Carlson, Carol Doll, Arlene Platte, Gabriel Fountain, John Black, Emma Pickleman, Benedict Fink

Wednesday, August 21: Benedict Budd, Megyn Ford, Mason Abbot, Arlene Smith, Sarah Cary

Thursday, August 22: Selene Joy, Joanne Schutz, Liesel Greathouse, Evelyn Brookens

Friday, August 23: Jorge Rojas, Cora Luea, Christian Comstock, Amanda Phillips, John Iocco, Ian Clutten, Mary Ellen Cook, William Dudley

Saturday, August 24: Serena Comstock, Abigail LaVoy, Elizabeth Bloomfield, Jeanna Gaskin, Paul Kuch

Sunday, August 25: Arellano Maurilio, Xavier Hoffman, George Miloch, Geraldine Poynter, Dianne Shorter

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 **20 minutes** before Mass and sign in.
August 24-25, 2024

	Extraordinary Minis-	Reader
Saturday, 5:00 PM	NOT FILLED - 1 Helen Earley - 2	Mike Walsh - 1 NOT FILLED - 2
Sunday, 8:00 AM	Paul Kuch - 1 Elaine Jones - 2	Edward Rivet - 1 Lydia Papson - 2
Sunday, 9:30 AM	Richard Imgrund - 1 Carol Richard - 2	John Day - 1 Christopher Luca - 2
Sunday, 11:30 AM	Fred Christopherson - 1 Jim Mattson - 2	NOT FILLED - 1 Ellen Walker - 2

Scripture Readings

For the Week of August 18, 2024

Sunday	Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time Prv 9:1-6; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Eph 5:15-20; Jn 6:51-58
Monday	Memorial of Saint John Eudes, Priest Ez 24:15-23; Dt 32:18-19, 20, 21; Mt 19:16-22
Tuesday	Memorial of Saint Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church Ez 28:1-10; Dt 32:26-27ab, 27cd-28, 30, 35cd-36ab; Mt 19:23-30
Wednesday	Memorial of Saint Pius X, Pope Ez 34:1-11; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Mt 20:1-16
Thursday	Memorial of the Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary Ez 36:23-28; Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mt 22:1-14
Friday	Memorial Saint Rose of Lima, Virgin Ez 37:1-14; Ps 107:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Mt 22:34-40
Saturday	Feast of Saint Bartholomew, Apostle Rv 21:9b-14; Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18; Jn 1:45-51
Sunday	Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b; Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19, 20-21; Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32; Jn 6:60-69

Fruits of Holy Communion

These past few weeks (and one more after this), we have been meditating on the Bread of Life discourse, and the Church's teaching about the meaning of John 6 and our Catholic belief in the Eucharist. Here are some choice excerpts from the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* for your reflection:

1391 Holy Communion augments our union with Christ. The principal fruit of receiving the Eucharist in Holy Communion is an intimate union with Christ Jesus. Indeed, the Lord said: "He who eats my flesh and drinks my blood abides in me, and I in him." 226 Life in Christ has its foundation in the Eucharistic banquet: "As the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so he who eats me will live because of me." 227 (460, 521)...

1392 What material food produces in our bodily life, Holy Communion wonderfully achieves in our spiritual life. Communion with the flesh of the risen Christ, a flesh "given life and giving life through the Holy Spirit," 229 preserves, increases, and renews the life of grace received at Baptism. This growth in Christian life needs the nourishment of Eucharistic Communion, the bread for our pilgrimage until the moment of death, when it will be given to us as viaticum.

1393 Holy Communion separates us from sin. The body of Christ we receive in Holy Communion is "given up for us," and the blood we drink "shed for the many for the forgiveness of sins." For this reason the Eucharist cannot unite us to Christ without at the same time cleansing us from past sins and preserving us from future sins: (613)

For as often as we eat this bread and drink the cup, we proclaim the death of the Lord. If we proclaim the Lord's death, we proclaim the forgiveness of sins. If, as often as his blood is poured out, it is poured for the forgiveness of sins, I should always receive it, so that it may always forgive my sins. Because I always sin, I should always have a remedy. 230 (St. Ambrose)

1394 As bodily nourishment restores lost strength, so the Eucharist strengthens our charity, which tends to be weakened in daily life; and this living charity wipes away venial sins. 231 By giving himself to us Christ revives our love and enables us to break our disordered attachments to creatures and root ourselves in him: (1863, 1436)

Since Christ died for us out of love, when we celebrate the memorial of his death at the moment of sacrifice we ask that love may be granted to us by the coming of the Holy Spirit. We humbly pray that in the strength of this love by which Christ willed to die for us, we, by receiving the gift of the Holy Spirit, may be able

to consider the world as crucified for us, and to be ourselves as crucified to the world.... Having received the gift of love, let us die to sin and live for God. 232 (St. Fulgentius of Ruspe)

The Eucharist is all about love, receiving love, living in love, and sharing love with others. Love heals and frees us from sin and death. Let us have open-hearted reception of all the fruits of Holy Communion today and every time we receive. Amen!

Renovation Progress

We will know more in the next couple of weeks how soon we will be able to return to having Mass in the church. As you may recall, the altar, the ambo, and the reredos won't be finished up until Advent, so we will not have the dedication of the new altar until that time. We will, however, move back to the church as soon as possible, which means as soon as the pews and sound system have been installed. Please keep the contractors and suppliers and artisans in your prayers as they continue to work toward the completion of the process. I am excited to be able to move back into the church, but the timeline of that is uncertain, as these things always are. Come, Holy Spirit! I continue to be grateful for the willingness of Lansing Catholic High School to allow us to use their beautiful chapel for our Sunday Masses.

Ox Roast 2024

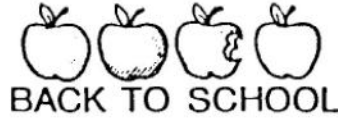
As you may recall, because of the church renovation and our need to continue to use Mercy Hall for daily Masses and confessions, we felt the need to postpone the Ox Roast from our typical second weekend of September to the second weekend of October. The Ox Roast will be held on Friday and Saturday October 11-12. Thanks for your flexibility, and I want to thank the Ox Roast Committee for their willingness to make this change to accommodate our renovation.

Another School Year Begins!

It's amazing, but this Tuesday will be the first day of school. As pastor of the Church of the Resurrection, I am excited about what God has in store for our parish, school, and community this year. Jacob Allstott, and the wonderful team of teachers and staff members who make our Catholic school possible have been busily at work to prepare for another year of providing families an excellent Catholic school education here at Resurrection School. Please keep the faculty, staff, students, and families in prayer as we begin our new school year. Come, Holy Spirit!

With prayers for the new school year,

Fr. Steve



Important dates to remember!

- August 18 - Open House and supplies drop-off from 10:30 -11:30am at the school.
- August 20 - First day of school! Half-day dismissal is at 11:30am.
- August 27 - Back to School Parent Meeting in Mercy Hall is from 6:30pm-8:00pm.

Ox Roast News

It takes many hands to make our parish Ox Roast successful. The Ox Roast will take place on October 11 and 12th. The chairpersons of the different areas of the Ox Roast have put together a signup genius for volunteers. It shows the different areas of the Ox Roast, so you have many areas to choose from. School and Parish members are encouraged to volunteer for a shift or two.

Middle and High School students are welcome to volunteer and receive volunteer hours for school. School families can also receive volunteer hours for the school year. Volunteers for Shamrock Pub and all raffle ticket sale must be 18 years and older. Thank you for taking a look at the signup genius. We are looking forward to hearing from you!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050944A4AE2AA2FD0-50130877-oxroast#/>

Miscellaneous Raffle

We are looking for donated items for the Miscellaneous Raffle. The items **must be new** with a minimum value \$25, please. Donated items may be dropped off at the parish office, or contact Don Gardner at 517 648-3218, or Cindi Currie at 517 485-5886. All items must be dropped off by Thursday, October 3rd.

Attention Bakers

Are you able to contribute a homemade baked good to the Bake Sale at the Ox Roast Festival in October? A well stocked table is more fun for the guests! More details to follow as time gets closer. Also, if you would like to volunteer to work the table, please contact Kathleen Sears at 989-640-2314.



Books for Our School

Resurrection School is adding more classic literature into the curriculum. We want to continue to cultivate moral imagination and the capacity that our students have for truth, goodness, and beauty. We have been purchasing books this summer to add to the curriculum and classroom libraries.

Please consider donating to build our school and classroom libraries by donating a classic book set. Scan the QR code to view the book wish lists and to make a donation. You can also email Cristin Luea for information about our classic library or to make a donation at cluea@corlansing.org. Thank you so much for your generosity and support for our school!



Our first Scrip sale of the school year will be August 21, from 2:45pm—4:15pm in Mercy Hall.

Resurrection School Auction

Mark your calendars! The Resurrection School Auction will be held on Saturday, November 9th, at 6:00pm in Mercy Hall. This is a fundraiser to benefit our school, whose mission is to provide a nurturing Catholic environment for students. Please consider picking up donation items during your summer travels. Donations must be new, but no item is too small! For questions, call or email Heather Stowe-Fox at (517) 526-1393 or heatherstowefox@gmail.com.

Offertory Update

2023-2024 Offertory Fiscal Year:

\$1,218,678.90 Actual YTD at June End
 \$1,250,000.00 Budget YTD at June End
 \$(31,321.10) Variance (Shortfall)

St. Michael Catholic Church of Grand Ledge Annual FunFest

St. Michael of Grand Ledge will be holding their annual FunFest on Friday, August 23rd from 5:00-10:00PM and Saturday, August 24th from Noon-10:00PM. We would love for you to join us for a weekend filled with fellowship and fun! We have a jam-packed event with Euchre, Trivia, Live Music, Food and Drinks, Archery, Cornhole, Kids' Games, Dodgeball, Volleyball, Chicken Dinner, Live and Silent Auctions, and more!

Visit www.stmichaelgl.org/funfest-1 for details. See you there!

Memorial Mass for Aborted Children

Join Bishop Boyea September 14, 2024 at St. Joseph Cemetery for a 9:00am memorial Mass for aborted children. This is part of the National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children. Following Mass there will be a rosary procession from the grave sites of aborted babies. St. Joseph Cemetery Mausoleum is located at 2520 W. Willow St. in Lansing. For questions, call or email Chris Veneklase at 517-528-8502 or cveneklase@hotmail.com.

A Lecture Series on Catholic Social Teaching: Catholic Participation in a Divided America

Join us for a FREE series of ten lectures, sponsored by the Diocese of Lansing and hosted by Immaculate Heart of Mary Church. The lectures will take place over the course of the 2024-2025 school year, and will address the foundations of Catholic Social Teaching.

Topics include: What is catholic social teaching?; understanding our intrinsically social nature; the principles of solidarity, subsidiarity, and the common good; and moving beyond partisan politics. Our speaker is Jeremy Dowsett, a Ph.D. candidate at the University of Dayton, who holds a Masters of Divinity from Western Theological Seminary.

Lectures begin on Tuesday, September 17th, at 7:00pm in the hall of St. Casimir, 815 Sparrow Ave.

Do you want to dive deeper into Catholic Social Teaching? Sign up to be in the scholar track for a small fee of \$25, which will include materials for a more in depth journey. Only 12 spots available so contact Jeremy at dowsettj@ihmlansing.org today!



FEATURED SPEAKERS



Colleen Vermeulen
Director of Mission



Cathryn Torgerson
Director of Curriculum



Jeremy Priest
Instructor

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August 20-22, 2024

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Annual Red Mass

Save the Date—October 8, 2024

The 39th Annual Red Mass and Dinner Reception is Tuesday, October 8, 2024. Mass will be at 6:00 p.m. at St. Mary Cathedral, 219 North Seymour Ave., Lansing, 48933, with dinner to follow in the Cathedral parish hall. This year's St. Thomas More Awardee is Randall Petrides. Petrides spent 38 years as a trial lawyer and administrator in the Genesee County Prosecutor's Office. Following his retirement, Petrides earned a degree in Catholic theology and recently wrote a book, *How the Saints Shaped History*, published by Our Sunday Visitor Press. All are welcome. More information will follow, including registration details. For any questions, please call or text Guild executive director Diane Arzberger at 517-402-1562.

Changed Address or Phone Number?

Please contact the parish office at 517-482-4749 or email smichaels@corlansing.org to update your information.



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To apply, visit motherteresahouse.org. For additional questions, please call 517-484-5494 between 8:00am and 4:00pm, or email serving@motherteresahouse.org.

JESUS YOU ARE *the bread* THAT GIVES ME LIFE

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