He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit & Fire LUKE 3:16



CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION

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Sunday, January 12, 2025 The Baptism 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.

Saturday, January 11, 2025

8:15am Al Yarrington—Richard & Stephanie Imgrund
8:45am-9:30am Confessions
5:00pm Mike Ball—Michelle Leyko

Sunday, January 12, 2025

The Baptism of the Lord
9:00am Dick & Sheila Hurth—Dan & LouAnne Dowsett
11:00am (Novus Ordo English Mass) William Neeson—Sean & Liz O'Neill
5:00pm The Parish

Monday, January 13, 2025 7:45am Confessions 8:15am Int. Kenzie Smith—Starrak Family

Tuesday, January 14, 2025 No Mass or Confessions

Wednesday, January 15, 2025 ***<u>Morning devotions and Mass are cancelled</u> <u>due to marble installation in the</u> <u>church</u>*** 6:30pm Confessions

Thursday, January 16, 2025 ***<u>Confessions and Mass are cancelled due to</u> <u>marble installation in the church</u>***

Friday, January 17, 2025 ***Morning Confessions and Mass are <u>cancelled</u> <u>due to marble installation in the church***</u> 5:30pm Confessions

Saturday, January 18, 2025 8:15am Mary Ross—Sean & Liz O'Neill 8:45am-9:30am Confessions 5:00pm Donna & William Motz—Anita Garber

Sunday, January 19, 2025 Second Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:00am Sebastian Greco—Greco Family 11:00am Don Gardner—Jane Collinson 5:00pm The Parish

Novus Ordo Latin Mass

Please join us every second Sunday of the month for a Novus Ordo Latin Mass at the 11:00am Mass. The next Novus Ordo Latin Mass will be on February 9th.



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Our sick: 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 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:

72,939 total number of Rosaries prayed. Tally sheets are available at the East Entrances of Church.

LIVING ROSARY INTENTION FOR JANUARY

In thanksgiving for the Holy Family.



Monday, January 13: Sara Stenske, Lisa Nestor, Elizabeth Pate, Reuben Patino, William Reasner

Tuesday, January 14: Ginnie VanNocker, Jen Yarrington, Josephine Kogut, Cory Henfling, Teresa Spalding

Wednesday, January 15: Nabil Halaby, Nicholas Mianecki, John Hoyt, Helen Earley Thursday, January 16: Gregory Johns, Augustine Amoroso, Mary LaPorte

Friday, January 17: none Saturday, January 18: Grace Gilbert, Elizabeth Evans, William Bannasch Sunday, January 19: Genevieve Priest, Matthew Foley, Alyssa Young, Bryan Myrick, Susan Reese, Gabe Radke, Breana Woods, Olivia Hoyt, Mary Pena-Rios

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.

January 18-19, 2025

	Extraordinary Minister	Reader
Saturday,	Jim Wohlscheid - 1	NOT FILLED - 1
5:00 PM	Diana Repichowski - 2	Teresa Spalding - 2
Sunday,	Sean Riley - 1	Richard Imgrund - 1
9:00 AM	Craig Galer - 2	Lydia Papson - 2
Sunday,	Jim Mattson - 1	Bernie Webb - 1
11:00 AM	Dee Webb - 2	Ann Tingay - 2
Sunday, 5:00 PM	NOT FILLED - 1 NOT FILLED - 2	Christopher Lewis - 1 NOT FILLED - 2

Scripture Readings

For the Week of January 12, 2025

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	Heb 1:1-6; Ps 97:1 and 2b, 6 and 7c, 9; Mk 1:14-20	
Tuesday	Heb 2:5-12; Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6, 7, 8-9; Mk 1:21-28	
Wednesday	Heb 2:14-18; Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8- 9; Mk 1:29-39	
Thursday	Heb 3:7-14; Ps 95:6-7c, 8-9, 10-11; Mk 1:40-45	
Friday	Memorial of Saint Anthony, Abbot Heb 4:1-5, 11; Ps 78:3 and 4bc, 6c-7, 8; Mk 2:1-12	
Saturday	Heb 4:12-16; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15; Mk 2:13-17	
Sunday	Second Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 62:1-5; Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10; 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."

Thank you!

I could easily offer a long list of "thank yous" each week in my bulletin because of all the wonderful things that so many of you are doing week-in and week-out for our parish, school, and community. First of all, thank you for all the generous gifts that people gave to me and the parish and school staff this Christmas. Your kind words and thoughtful gifts encourage us. Thank you. All the many gifts are part of the legacy of "family" and "service" that have marked the Church of the Resurrection for over a century, and Resurrection School for nearly a century. Everything the Lord has done in and through our parish has been made possible by the generous investment of time, talent, and treasure from parishioners like you. In particular, I am grateful for the donations of time, talent, and treasure that have made possible the improvements and renovations to our church. Thank you!

John Paul II Healing Center Retreat

I am heading out today (Sunday) to serve as lead chaplain of the John Paul II Healing Center priest's retreat entitled "Holy Desire." If you would be so kind, please pray for the priests and for me, and for the John Paul II Healing Center staff, that the men who are coming on retreat will experience the healing touch of the Lord's love. Come, Holy Spirit!

Altar, Ambo, and Altar of Repose Installation

This weekend, you should (I pray) see the new altar and altar of repose completed and set in their places. I can't (but must) wait to use the new altar of sacrifice until after Bishop Boyea dedicates it (that is, sets it apart as holy, for purposes of the holiest of sacrifices) on January 25. We will have to make do without it until the dedication. Since the contractors still need to install the ambo, daily Masses after Monday will be canceled again this week. We will have Saturday morning Mass on the 18th, as usual. Because I am going to be away at the retreat, I have canceled Thursday and Friday Morning confessions, since there will be no Mass afterward. Confessions will be heard in the reconciliation room in the vestibule of the church Wednesday from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. and Friday from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Please pray for the contractors as they install the marble. Thanks!

Upcoming Event: Trivia Night

Saturday, January 25 beginning at 7:00 p.m., adults of the parish are invited to a Trivia Night. The event will be held in Mercy Hall. There will be a good mix of topics from movies to saints to geography. We will have prizes, snacks and drinks will be provided, and onsite child-care will be available. This is one of our Resurrection Life events, and we hope to have a good turnout, and invite you to come and bring your friends. Please go to the website or use the QR code in this bulletin to register.

Upcoming Event: Building a Eucharistic Marriage Course

I'm very grateful to be able to offer a seven week "marriage course" beginning February 20th. (The week of Spring Break will be an "off" week.) The course will run from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., and include dinner, a video, and sharing by couples at their own tables (no group sharing). It will be held in Mercy Hall Because of the set up we have to limit attendance to twenty-five couples. You can register using the QR code in the bulletin or by going to the website. (Onsite child care will be provided.) Thanks to Maureen Budd and her team for organizing and planning these events. Keep an eye out for future upcoming events, as well. And please pray for success of these opportunities. Thanks!

With gratitude for the Dignity of the Baptized,

Father Steve



All adults are welcome to join us for a fun night of trivia on Saturday, January 25th in Mercy Hall. There will be a good mix of topics from movies to saints to geography. Plus, free onsite childcare is included. Grand prizes will be awarded to the table with the highest score at the end of the night. Visit the parish website to sign up before January 19th!

Building a Eucharistic Marriage

If you are looking for an affordable date that can change your marriage, sign up for our upcoming marriage course, Building a Eucharistic Marriage. This seven week course will be Thursday evenings from 6-8pm in Mercy Hall, starting on February 20th. Similar to Alpha Marriage, this course will include a private table for you and your spouse, dinner, and free onsite childcare. After dinner, you and your spouse will watch a short video and have time for private discussion about the content. No group sharing! Space is limited to 25 couples. Registration closes on January 31st. Visit our website to register at http:// www.corlansing.org/events/eucharisitic-marriage.



It's a Baby Shower!

Sponsored by the Altar Society

WHEN: January 18-19, 2025 WHERE: Resurrection Church, All Masses WHY: To benefit SP Women's Center of Lansing ITEMS NEEDED:

- * Baby wipes
- * Disposable diapers (Sizes 4 & 6)
- Baby wash
- Teethers
- Toddler clothes (sizes 2T,3T & 4T)
- * Baby bathtubs
- New infant car seats (or used if purchased after 2020, have all parts, and have not been in an accident)

The Altar Society will also have cannisters for monetary donations at the doors after Mass. Checks should be made payable to Shared Pregnancy Women's Center. Items may also be purchased from the Center's Amazon wish list at the link https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ Is/14L0T91CNYLAC/ref=hz_Is_biz_ex. You may also use the following QR code:



Euchre Tournament

The Knights of Columbus Resurrection Council will be holding a Euchre tournament in Mercy Hall on Thursday, January 16, 2025 at 6:00pm. Each player will pay \$5 to enter. Half of the door will be donated to the school, and the remainder will be awarded as prize money. We are limiting the amount of players to 20 for this first tournament. The Knights will have pizza and pop included as part of admission. To RSVP, please contact John Gordon at 517-290-3955 by calling or texting. Hope to see you there for the fun and fellowship!



View this bulletin online at www.DiscoverMass.com

<u>Resurrection Kindergarten Round-Up</u> Forming Disciples of Christ Since 1926

Resurrection School will host two Kindergarten Round-Up options for families, one evening time and one daytime option.

Tuesday, January 14, 2025 from 6:00-7:00 PM

Wednesday, January 22, 2025 from 12:30-1:30 PM

All parish and school families with children entering Kindergarten in the Fall of 2025 are invited to attend Resurrection School's Kindergarten Roundup. Families will be given a tour of the school and time to ask any questions they may have. Students will meet Mrs. Starrak and have time to explore the Kindergarten Room. We highly encourage all families with children turning 5 on or before September 1, 2025 to attend, wherever you are in the educational discernment process. We are estimating a full class for this year, so please call the school office today to schedule for Kindergarten Round-Up at (517) 487-0439.

Resurrection School partners with families to provide a nurturing Catholic environment, focused on academic excellence, where students grow into disciples who know, love, and serve our Lord Jesus Christ.





Scrip Sale

The next Scrip Sale will be on **January 21st** in Mercy Hall from 2:45pm—4:15pm. If you would like to pre-order cards, please do so by Tuesday, January 14th at 9:00am. To pre-order Kroger, Apple Market, and Soup Spoon cards, or if you have any questions, please email Nicole at nlavagnino@corlansing.org

Mother-Son Bowling Night

Friday, January 17, 2025

JOIN US FOR A NIGHT OF FUN, FOOD & BOWLING!

6:00 - 8:00 PM Pins & Pints 2120 E Saginaw Hwy, East Lansing

Pre-registration required \$15/person * pizza & pop included Register by Mon., Jan 13

Register with the URL below or by scanning the QR Code bit.ly/4acKaeg



Ecumenical Prayer Service

In observation of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, an Ecumenical Prayer Service will take place at University United Methodist in East Lansing on Friday, January 17th at 6:30pm. This year's theme is "Do you believe this?" (John 11:26). The 1,700th Anniversary of the Nicene Creed is also being celebrated. Fellowship and refreshments to follow. For more information, please contact Fr. John Fain at 517-487-3749. Please come and pray with your fellow Christians!

The Bible Summit

Discover the richness of God's Word! Dive into the Bible with dynamic Catholic presenters at this one-day conference, as we celebrate Word of God Sunday. Come on January 25th, 2025 and choose from talks that reveal...

- Modern leadership lessons from the Bible
- How to answer tough questions about seven day creation
- Models of evangelization for a hostile culture
- Scriptural insights for human sexuality

Get answers to your tough questions during Bible Q & A with a panel of experts! The Bible Summit is being hosted by the Catholic Biblical School of Michigan at Holy Family in Novi. Registration is \$35, including lunch. Registration deadline is January 16th; register online at cbsmich.org/biblesummit or call/text 586-438-3085.





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