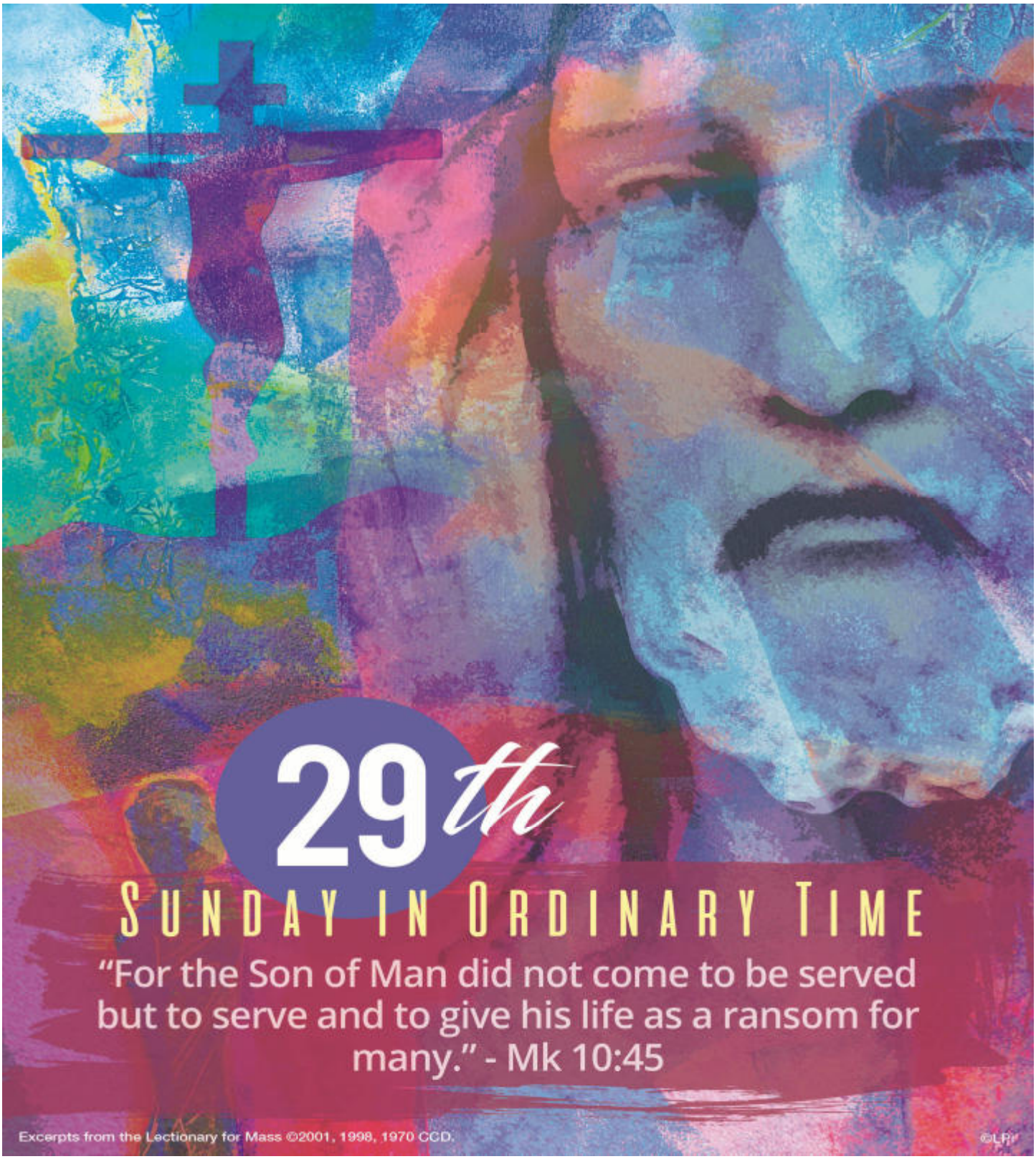
Church of the Holy Family

A Caring Catholic Community

October 17, 2021 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time



29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

October 17, 2021

Entrance Hymn

Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service #764

Responsorial Psalm #1177

Psalm 33: Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you.

Communion Hymns

Open My Eyes #651

Psalm 33: Let Your Mercy Be on Us #44

Center of My Life #679

Closing Hymn

How Great Is Our God #2048

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, You take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; You take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; You are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord. You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, In the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God,
the Father Almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
He descended into hell;
on the third day He rose again from the dead;
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from there He will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Holy Catholic Church,
the communion of Saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting.
Amen.

Readings

#1177

First Reading:
Isaiah 53:10-11

Second Reading:
Hebrews 4:14-16

Gospel:
Mark 10:35-45

St. Michael the Archangel

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan, and all evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

What's *Happening Here*

A Cup of Joe

Greetings in Christ all!

I wanted to start right off and thank God for our prayer ministry here at Holy Family. The feedback from the healing service continues to come in and a lot of people experienced the Lord and His Holy Spirit that night. The people who are praying with folks have been preparing for so long and the fruits are amazing. For my part, I have sought the prayers of our team a few times and been blessed each time by their loving and caring response. Please don't hesitate to check out this wonderful work of the Lord in our midst!

Chuck Wright, our new business manager, is helping a lot and I'm so excited for his time here. We've had two amazing business managers in a row and I can't believe we now have a third. I thank the Lord for him daily, as I did for Kevin and Brian.

I've had lots of questions on the "what's next?" front concerning our church, so I thought I'd take some time to walk you through a couple reminders.

In December of this year, our two campaigns (Witness to Hope and Restore the Temple) will officially end. Everyone who made pledges will be finished by then. If you made a pledge, but your situation requires that you cannot keep it or need to modify it, please just let us know. We know things change!

If you are able to finish it or if you plan on doing so, please accept my gratitude. I cannot believe what our God has done because of you in such a short amount of time.

Once December finishes, we can begin financial planning for the things that need to be done: moving the organ pipes and machinery back into church is going to be by far the most expensive, but also one of, if not THE most important. We also have the covered drop off area at our front doors that is not yet covered...haha...that's on the list. We've got these and a couple other things that we will get to work on so that everyone knows the cost of the project and how we plan to go about getting it.

In terms of our current projects, our baptismal font is being worked on though we don't yet have a sense as to when it will be done, but it is paid for through the generosity of donors, praise God. We are also working on new Mary and Joseph statues near the sanctuary in our church and a donor has purchased a Solanus Casey statue that will also be put up.

The final project that we are currently working on is a Reliquary. Hopefully, you remember that we were gifted five First Class Saint Relics and are making a prayer area for those relics. This will be located to the left of the altar as you look at it. I'm really excited about that!

Our future projects...the "some day" type things include a wall mural of Saints in the soffits where the vents are, a communion rail and a couple decorative things in the sanctuary.

That's where we are and I'm so excited about it. God has been so good to us, it's overwhelming some days.

I think the biggest question is about debt. What kind of debt can we expect once all the pledges are in and we match that up with what we owe for the church construction?

Remember when we began to build, the estimated debt was for between $200,000 and $800,000? That was what we were expecting to need to borrow from the diocese to complete the church.

Well, if the pledges come in as they have, it is my joyful duty to let you know that we won't have any debt. None. This is particularly shocking because we also paid off a significant debt that was owed to the Michigan Catholic Conference for our insurance.

I want you to read that again and rejoice with me. This is nuts...I just can't believe what God has done and continues to do. This happened because of the strong and prudent guidance of our finance council and your crazy generosity. I am so blessed by you and I thank you with all my heart.

This is a long one, but I hope you find it helpful. Thank you for loving me, letting me love you and for all of us together loving God as best we can!

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Faith Formation

This year we are offering adults an opportunity for continuing faith formation. This will be offered on the same days and times as Sunday Religious Education classes: i.e. every two weeks, 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Whether you're looking for something to do while your kids are in class; curious about Church teaching; looking to deepen your understanding of God, the Church, and your faith; or simply have nothing better to do, come join us for food, fellowship, and friendship. Topics to be discussed will be decided by the group. There is no signup required and this is open to any adults of the parish. Please contact Katie Buszek with any questions (kbuszek@hfgb.org).

"October for Others"

Our cupboards are pretty bare at times during the month. We have expanded our "Others First" Sunday to every Sunday during October. We depend on your generosity to stock our St. Joseph Food Pantry and Clothes Closet. Please remember the needy as you shop. Currently, our specific needs are: canned fruit, ketchup, pasta sauce, canned stew, shaving cream, shampoo/conditioner, and dish soap.

New need: egg cartons!

Nonperishable items may be brought to Mass or to Outreach Mon - Fri between 10 am and 2 pm throughout October.

In addition to supplies, we greatly appreciate monetary donations (to Holy Family, specifying Outreach), which can be used to support our efforts.

Thank you!

Come join us **Wednesday, October 20th**, for a night of reflection, praise and worship, and adoration with prayer ministry teams (feel free to come and go as your schedule allows). All are invited.

Eucharistic Adoration Time Change

Please note that the time for Eucharistic Adoration on Tuesdays will now be 2 - 6 pm. Friday will continue to be 12 - 4 pm for Adoration.

World Mission Sunday

Next weekend we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support the mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world's most vulnerable communities. Please keep the Pope's missions in your prayers, and be generous in next week's collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith.

An envelope may be found in your packet or you may choose to give online.

Mass of Remembrance

All Souls' Day, Tuesday, Nov 2, 2021

Please join us for a Remembrance Mass on All Souls' Day, **Tuesday, November 2, 2021**, at 6 PM in memory of all deceased parishioners since November 2020 and all of our faithful departed. A banner listing the names of our deceased for the past year will be displayed in the church throughout the month of November.

If you'd like your loved one's name read during this Mass, please submit their name to Nancy Repuyan, Ministry of the Ill and Bereaved, by email to repuyan@hfgb.org. Please include pronunciation, if necessary. Please rsvp to Nancy if you plan to attend Mass so we can get an idea for candles needed for participants to place near the altar in memory of their loved one.

Stewardship of Treasure
October 9th & 10th, 2021

Registered Families		1899
Envelopes received this week		135
Mail-in givers this week		44
Online givers this week		316
Amount offered from envelopes	$	7,132.00
Amount offered from mail	$	5,585.50
Amount offered from online giving	$	24,823.00
Amount offered from visitors	$	1,040.00
Total weekly offerings	$	**38,580.50**

A **big thank you** to all who participated (approximately 30-40 people) in making our 3rd Annual Rosary Coast to Coast last Sunday (October 10, 2021, at 4:00 p.m.) around the U.S. and the entire world, at the same time, such a great success. All were gracious and humbled at the opportunity to show others their Holy and Loving commitment to Mary, Our Mother.

Thank you to the women of our Holy Family Rosary Guild, who made and distributed rosaries to anyone in need. Hope to see everyone next year for the Rosary Coast to Coast on **Sunday, October 9, 2022**, at 4:00pm!

Please continue to pray the rosary daily for our Pope, the Church, Priests, Deacons, Clergy, and Staff, here at home and around the world! Our Blessed Mother is always there to intercede for us all.

Holy Family Rosary Makers Guild (est. 1994)

Please watch the bulletin in November as we reorganize and begin our Rosary Makers Guild monthly meetings again. We are looking for people who are interested in making rosaries (all supplies provided) and meeting and gathering together with others!

Carleen Celusnak and Pat Gaines

55 & Over Club

Tears shed for another person are not a sign of weakness, but a sign of a pure heart.

- Jose N. Harris

A vote from all seniors attending the October 5th lunch was to go to a local restaurant for our third Tuesday lunch instead of a catered meal from a restaurant. You will need to pay for your selected meal. We will meet as a group at 11 a.m. and have a meeting and prayers. Join us at our next lunch with your input.

Our Catholic Heritage

by Earl Hagen

4th pope – Clement

Roman. Elected in 88. He died in 97 a martyr. Banished to Pontus by the Emperor Trajan, he was thrown into the sea with an anchor round his neck. He restored the sacrament of Confirmation according to the rite of St. Peter. To his time is attributed the use of "Amen" in religious ceremonies.

Knights' Spaghetti Dinner is Back!

The Knights of Columbus monthly spaghetti dinner is **Wednesday, October 20th**, 5 to 7 p.m. in the Fr. Bush Parish Center. Please come and support their many charities. Great food and fellowship for only $9 for adults, children $5, nuclear family (mother, father & their children only) $32. Credit cards accepted.

Volunteers Needed - Funeral Luncheons

We are in need of occasional help in the Fr. Bush Parish Center for funeral luncheons. Help is needed 10:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. when there is a luncheon. You will be called to check your availability. Work includes setting up, serving and cleaning. Please consider this opportunity to support our parish family in times of need.

If you are interested, please fill out the form below and drop it into the collection box at Mass.

Name _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Days of the week available (please circle):

Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

Set up Serve Clean up

Happenings at HFS! There are many ways to support our Panthers!

HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL PTO

PTO October Service Project:
U of M vs MSU Canned Food Drive – October 25- 29 - help support our HF Outreach Center and drop off canned good items while cheering on your favorite team, U of M or MSU! Shopping carts will be located in the school lobby.

HFS Trunk or Treat: A fun event for our school students during the school day on October 29, 2021.

November Dine to Donate: Details coming soon!

HFS Santa's Secret Workshop: December 6-10, 2021.

PTO Shop-n-Sip: Save the date for December 2, 2021. Interested in being a vendor? Please email PTO@hfsgb.org to be put on a vendor list to receive more info.

HF ATHLETIC BOOSTERS MEMBERSHIP DRIVE 2021-2022 ***Ends October 31, 2021***

The Athletic Boosters is a group of dedicated parishioners, school parents, grandparents and guardians that hold a vested interest in athletics at our school. It exists for the benefit of our parish with the primary purpose of funding the athletic programs at our school, including, but not limited to the purchase of uniforms, referee costs and field fees, along with funding for the school playground and physical education classes. All of our students benefit from our Athletic Boosters!!

As a member of the Athletic Boosters there are many areas of participation! Visit hfsgb.org under "Our School News" and click on Athletic Boosters Membership Drive 2021-2022 for membership level information to join or donate to our Athletic Boosters. Thank you for supporting our school!

HOLY FAMILY PANTHERS ATHLETIC BOOSTERS EST.1963

Be a part of our Holy FAMILY!
Contact Lisa Harvey at 810-694-9072, ext. 0
or lharvey@hfsgb.org
www.hfsgb.org

What's *Happening Here*

Fatima Apostolate Prayer Cell

Fatima Apostolate Prayer Cell is a weekly time on **Wednesdays at 4:00 p.m.** for prayer in the church to honor the Trinity within the Eucharist, a time to pray for our family and for those whose faith is being challenged and for the sins of the world. We also pray a rosary.

Help Put God Back in America

Please come to pray in the church at **4 p.m. every Friday** to "Put God Back in America." The more voices, the more powerful the prayer. For information, call Joe Dunn at 694-9223.

Meals for Moms

Expecting a baby? The women of Holy Family would love to welcome your little one by bringing a few meals to your family after the baby is born.

Contact Elizabeth Petrides at hfgbmealsformoms@gmail.com or 810-265-4189 to make arrangements or to volunteer. **We are looking for a few more people who would be willing to take a meal to a new mom occasionally for this ministry.**

Confirmation

Confirmation has been scheduled with Bishop Boyea for **Tuesday, November 9, 2021**, at 6:30 p.m. Parents may wish to check in with Katie (kbuszek@hfgb.org) to see that all paperwork has been submitted.

Confession

Please make note that we are changing the larger Saturday confession to the **first Saturday of the month** (instead of the second Saturday) as of October 2. The full confession schedule may be found on the directory page (page 13).

Knights of Columbus Baby Bottles for Life

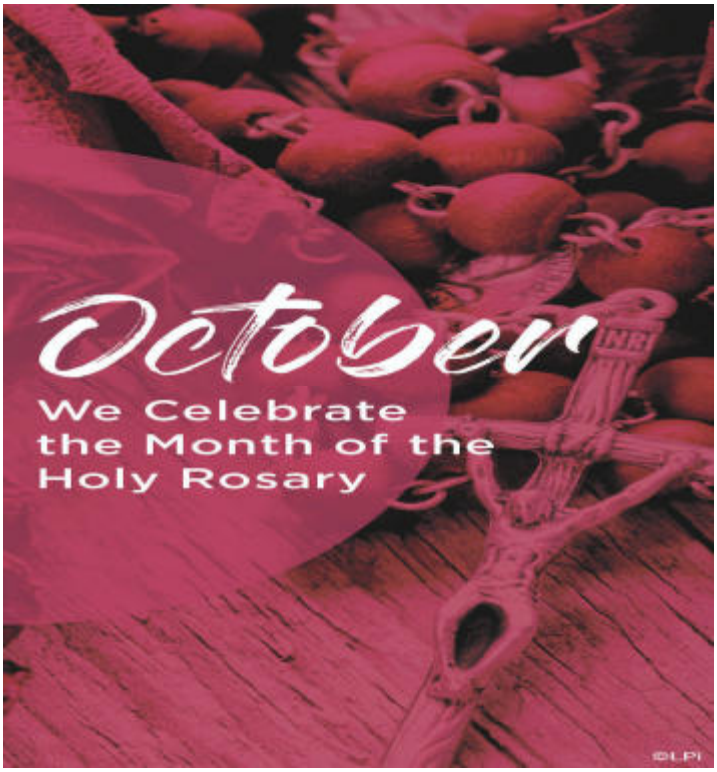
The Knights of Columbus councils in Genesee County are taking on an initiative in Flint that should certainly help Defend Life for the unborn. This initiative is to place three Ultrasounds in the city of Flint by the end of 2021.

The locations for these Ultrasounds include the Pregnancy Resource Center on Saginaw St., Pregnancy Help Clinic on Flushing Rd (presently under renovation), and The Luke Project 52 of Flint.

The cost for these three Ultrasounds is approximately $110,000 with 50% being funded by our local Knights of Columbus councils and parish communities throughout the county and the other 50% being funded by the Supreme Council, headquarters of the Knights of Columbus.

You can help with your donation to these Ultrasounds through your local Knights Baby Bottle Drive and/or a one-time contribution. Any time over the next couple months, full baby bottles or cash/checks can be placed in the bottle collection box in the gathering space. Checks should be written to KofC Council 6742 with ultrasound in memo line.

Questions, please call your council's District Deputy Rick Perry 810-701-0413.



Mass Intentions October 18 - 24

Monday, October 18
8:00 AM Fritz Bruening *by Victor George*
Tuesday, October 19
8:00 AM John Mott *by the DeMarco Family*
Wednesday, October 20
8:00 AM Barbara Helms *by Theresa Dyer*
6:00 PM Georgianna Arnold *by Mike & Jennifer Lueckeman and family*
Thursday, October 21
8:00 AM Margaret Hamilton *by Greg Hamilton*
Friday, October 22
8:00 AM Glenn Filomeno *by Linda Lopez*
Saturday, October 23
8:00 AM Harriet Krumeich *by Kristine Rajewski*
4:00 PM David Emery *by Diane Emery & family*
Sunday, October 24
8:00 AM All Holy Family Parishioners
10:00 AM Martha Krupp *by Fr. Joe Krupp*
12:00 PM Wilfrido M. Chipeco *by Malu, John, Rissa, Chloe, William, LJ, Lia, Rio, TJ and kids*

To schedule Mass intentions, please email Theresa Dyer at tdyer@hfgb.org or call 810-694-4891, ext. 2211, or stop in the parish office 9 a.m. - noon, M-Th.

Introducing Holy Family Lending Library

This lending library (for religious books) is located in the gathering space. You are welcome to take a book and return it when finished for others to read. (We are not able to accept donations to the library at this time.)

Envelopes - Addresses - Phones

Envelopes – If you have switched to online giving and no longer wish to receive envelopes, please contact Theresa Dyer in the parish office, tdyer@hfgb.org or 810-694-4891, ext. 2211.

Addresses – Our envelope company matches to the post office before mailing envelopes and gives us address updates. For those no longer receiving envelopes, please make sure to call or email the parish office if you have an address change.

Phones – If you are using cell phones and no longer use your land line, please make sure the parish office has your updated phone numbers. You can email tdyer@hfgb.org or call the parish office 810-694-4891.

Thank you for helping us out with these items!

Liturgical Ministry - October 23/24
30th Sunday in Ordinary Time
(schedule may not reflect recent changes)

4 PM Saturday - Fr. Leronio Vodivodi
Lectors: Gina Hunsinger, Mike Drzewiecki
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:
Anna Przyjazny Linda Nawrocki Darlene McKone

8:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Leronio Vodivodi
Lectors: Steve Rousseau, Greg Snyder
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:
Marsha McReynolds Mike McReynolds David Roberts II

10:00 AM Sunday - Fr. Jim Rolph
Lectors: Daniel T. Charboneau, David Gennaro
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:
Ruth Van Kamp Jonathan Bodus Lisa McNally

12:00 PM Sunday - Fr. Jim Rolph
Lectors: Dr. Steve James, Mark Dyer
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:
Cheryl Gelisse Bill Harris Scott Heron

We welcome back our Liturgical Ministers. If you would like to resume your ministry here at the church, please contact Volunteer Coordinator, Jamie Rodriguez, at the Parish Office (810) 694-4891 / jrodriguez@hfgb.org.
We also welcome all new volunteers at this time.

Weekly Readings October 17 - 24

Sunday: Is 53:10-11/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22 [22]/Heb 4:14-16/Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45
Monday: 2 Tm 4:10-17/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18 [12]/Lk 10:1-9
Tuesday: Rom 5:12, 15, 17-19, 20-21/Ps 40:7-8, 8-9, 10, 17 [8 and 9]/Lk 12:35-38
Wednesday: Rom 6:12-18/Ps 124:1-3, 4-6, 7-8 [8]/Lk 12:39-48
Thursday: Rom 6:19-23/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [Ps 40:5]/Lk 12:49-53
Friday: Rom 7:18-25/Ps 119:66, 68, 76, 77, 93, 94 [68]/Lk 12:54-59
Saturday: Rom 8:1-11/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [cf. 6]/Lk 13:1-9
Next Sunday: Jer 31:7-9/Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 [3]/Heb 5:1-6/Mk 10:46-52

Help - Religious Education

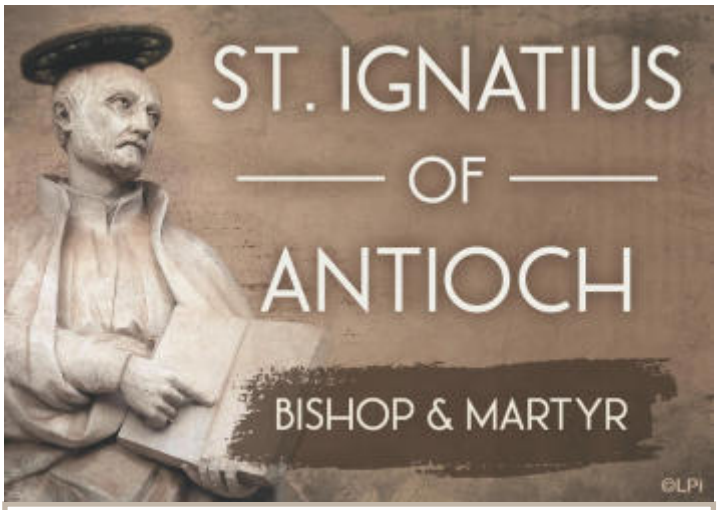
Classes for K - 8

Sundays 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. every two weeks

We are still very much in need of more Religious Education teachers and substitutes! If you can help us with this, please contact Katie Church kbuszek@hfgb.org

Childcare Ministry Volunteers

We are still seeking volunteers for a new Childcare Ministry at Holy Family School daycare for ages 3 & up. Come for one hour or stay the whole day. Love, time and life experiences are helpful, but love is required! Call Jamie at the parish office (810-694-4891) or Deacon Denny (810-964-9034) for further details.



October 17: St. Ignatius of Antioch
Ignatius was a convert to Christianity. When he was named the second bishop of Antioch, Syria, Ignatius became a successor of Saint Peter. In 107, Emperor Trajan tried to force Christians to renounce their religion. Ignatius allowed soldiers to bind him in a rickety cart and lead him to Rome for martyrdom. As his cart rolled into towns, local bishops and Christians came to meet and encourage him. On the journey, Ignatius wrote seven letters to the churches he left behind. The letters give insight into the growth of theology. He asked his people to gather around the Eucharist and to care for "the widow, the orphan, the oppressed, as well as those in prison, the hungry and the thirsty." (Letter to the Church at Smyrna 6.2) Ignatius was devoured by wild beasts in the Roman amphitheater.

Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

"What do you wish me to do for you?" Whether we realize it, this is a question God is always asking. It's an important question because the answer we provide will reveal a great deal about where our hearts lie. Our requests of God can often appear very noble and altruistic. They consist of requests for healing for someone in need of prayers, successful resolution of a personal conflict, assistance in overcoming a disease and myriad other desires for both ourselves and others. We are especially concerned about those we love and can easily find ourselves bringing their struggles to God for a hearing in our prayer.

Is that really all that prayer is about? The woman in today's Gospel, having been put in her place by Jesus, was only looking out for the wellbeing of her sons. She was doing what mothers do, protecting and securing the livelihood of her children. But she was sadly mistaken, her request was not granted. We all make this same misguided mistake from time to time. The goal of prayer is not to convince God of the worthiness of our agenda or to gain a hearing. Sometimes we believe that the more we multiply our prayers or discover the right combination of supplications that we will receive more of God's attention. That's not how it works. Even though God desires to hear, know, and be an intimate part of what is on our minds, it goes much deeper.

What we need from God is a relationship. It's a relationship that guides and immerses us in the very stuff of life and in the direction of the Gospel. This relationship sees God's kingdom and agenda, not our own, as what is most important. It builds the strength of character necessary to bring God's Gospel into a world that may not receive it with open arms. It may cause us discomfort and suffering. We are asked to heroically journey with God through suffering, hardship, ridicule, and even death! Ultimately, our desire from God must become our desire for God. It is only when this happens that the powerful words "thy will be done" will be found with sincerity and humility on our lips. Whatever God wishes becomes what we wish as we see this glorious union of wills. Our humble lives will then become powerful witnesses, and what happens to us in God's eternal kingdom the result of his mercy. We become true servants and find ourselves discovering God's definition of success. That definition has nothing at all to do with status, income, or privilege.

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Rest in Peace

A funeral Mass was celebrated at Holy Family on October 7 for **Suzanne Kushuba**. Suzanne, age 74, died on Thursday, September 30, 2021. She was born in Flint on December 23, 1946, to John and June Campbell. Suzanne married Joseph F. Kushuba on April 10, 9170. Surviving are children Chad, Kara (Tom) Grasso, Stef (Rob) Ross, and Nick (Alyssa), 11 grandchildren, and siblings Carol (Dave) Southward, Debbie (David) Arnott, and Patricia (Gail) Campbell. She was preceded in death by her parents and her husband.

Lord, we remember in our prayers Suzanne Kushuba, whom you have called to be with you. May the calming peace of your love be with her family. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. Amen.

Marriage Banns

Sophia Charboneau and Thomas Bawden
October 30, 2021

and

Graceson Kerr and Jason Maxa
November 6, 2021

Altar Flowers

Altar flowers in memory of
Joseph Scott Smith
by Grandparents
William & Carol Hartley

Please Pray for the Ill and Their Caregivers

Please remember in prayer those listed in the October 3 bulletin and those listed in the Parish Book of Intercessions (in the Gathering Space). Newly added: Jim and Gretchen Ridley.

Cenacle of Divine Mercy of St. Mary Cathedral

Excerpts from God in the Diary of Saint Sister Maria Faustina (528): *"My mercy has passed into souls through the divine-human Heart of Jesus as a ray from the sun passes through crystal."*

In Loving Memory

Please pray for the following Holy Family parishioners who died on these dates:

October 17
Elizabeth O'Lear, Leonard Lendzion, Danny McLeod, William Adams
October 18
Henry Morris, Janett Turner, James Cronley, John LaFalce, Bertha Miron, Jo Ann Stipes
October 19
Anne VanNest, Barbara Dawson, Henry Grywatch, Lucille Ward
October 20
Eileen Kennett, Donald Burns, Stanley Gorzenski, Joseph Gawron, Andrew Sventko, Joan Lennerth, Barbara Stetka, Ralph Coaster, Norma Flore, John Mott
October 21
Lori Brewster
October 22
Ted Piotraczk, Norma Dotson, Lewis Mann, Cathryn A. Bury, Marge Weldon
October 23
Alicia Yahr, John Balconi, Michael Mitchell, Charles Duby, Margaret (Peg) Stewart, Emily Metric-Stadler, Robert A. Hard, David Emery, Joyce Frey

Prayer Intention of Pope Francis

for October

Intention for Evangelization - ***Missionary disciples*** We pray that every baptized person may be engaged in evangelization, available to the mission, by being witnesses of a life that has the flavour of the Gospel.

Men-on-Fire

Men-on-Fire presents Dr. Ray Guarendi
Thursday, October 21st
* Women invited *
Dr. Ray will give a talk on "Back to the Family"
Mass 6:15 pm / Talk 7 pm
Refreshments 8 pm
at Holy Spirit Catholic Church
9565 Much Rd., Brighton, MI 48116

Dr. Ray Guarendi is a Catholic father of ten, clinical psychologist, author, professional speaker, and national radio and television host. His radio show, "The Dr. Is In," can be heard on over 440 stations and Sirius XM® channel 130. His EWTN television series, "Living Right with Dr. Ray," is aired in 140 countries. Dr. Ray has given over 3,000 talks on various topics, including parenting, marriage, family and the Catholic faith. He captivates audiences with compelling humor-laced presentations, providing practical advice and proven techniques.

For more information, contact Rory Clark:
RkcLaw@msn.com

All Souls' Day Mass

Please join the Staff of New and Old Calvary Catholic Cemeteries on **Tuesday, November 2, 2021,** at 11:00 a.m. for their Annual All Souls' Day Liturgy being held this year at New Calvary Catholic Cemetery Mausoleum, 4142 Flushing Road, Flint, MI, with Fr. Thomas Firestone as celebrant. Light refreshments will be served following the Mass. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Cemetery Office at 810-732-2620.

Powers Catholic Annual Super Raffle

The Raffle helps support classroom and facility needs, as well as tuition assistance efforts that supplement the true cost to educate Powers Catholic students. Tickets are $20 each; only 5,000 tickets in total will be sold. The drawing will be held on **Friday, February 4, 2022**. Participants need not be present to win.

10 CASH PRIZES to be awarded:
Grand Prize: $10,000
Second Prize: $5,000
3rd – 10th Prizes: $500

Please call the Powers Advancement Office (810.591.0100) to purchase your tickets.

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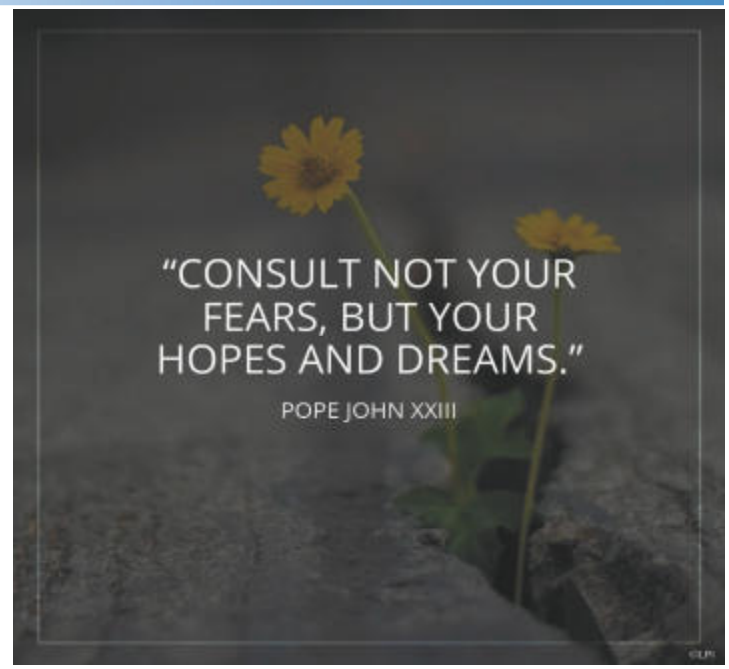


Position Available - New Calvary

New Calvary is now hiring for their Family Service Advisor Position. The cemetery ministry position assists families with grave, crypt, and memorial selections, and coordinates funerals with funeral directors. The position also works to help families with advanced planning (pre-need arrangements). For more information and to apply for this position, please go to: https://www.dioceseoflansing.org/human-resources/careers.

Days of Mindfulness

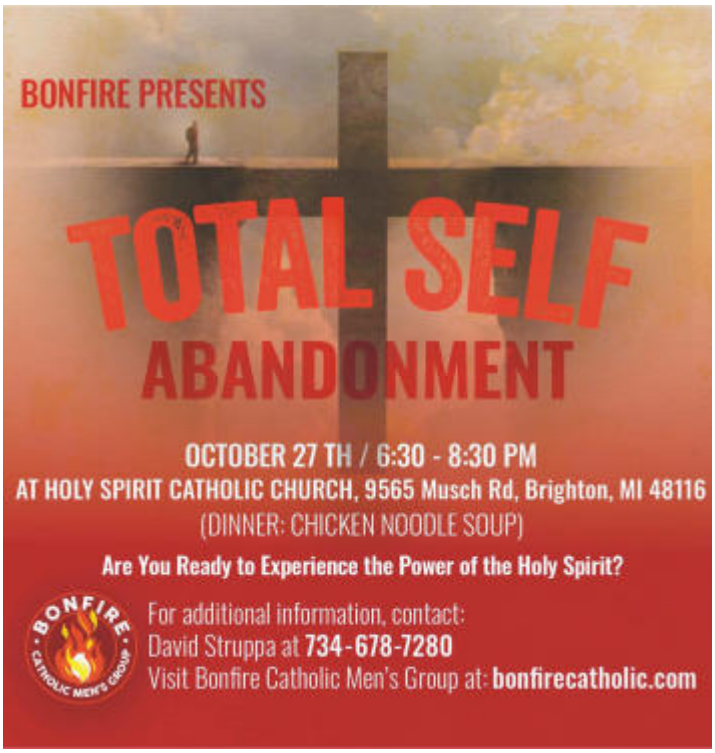
Mindfulness is a practice in living honestly with oneself. Join the mindfulness community that meets monthly to deepen our understanding and commitment to the daily practice of meditation. Facilitated by Adrian Dominican Sister Esther Kennedy, OP, retreat leader and spiritual director, the Days of Mindfulness are held Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. ET. The sessions are virtual only and will be on Zoom.

The dates and themes are as follows:

November 20, 2021, Wandering Mind. Learn the difference between watching thoughts pass by like clouds and inviting them to lunch. When we are caught by our thoughts, sanity is only a breath away.

December 11, 2021, Wholeness, Happiness, Peace. Living in and being attuned to the rhythms of the present moment means living in accord with life.

The cost is $25 per session, and a break for lunch will be included. Registration is required to receive the Zoom link. Visit www.webercenter.org and click on "programs;" call 517-266-4000; or email webercenter@adriandominicans.org.



Position Available - Diocese of Lansing

The Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of Lansing is accepting applications for a groundskeeper to serve primarily at our Catholic cemeteries in Flint, but may also serve occasionally at the Catholic cemetery in Lansing. To learn more about their open positions and to apply, please visit their website at www.dioceseoflansing.org/employment.

Book Sale

Here is a chance to buy from over 2,000+ titles at a low price. Genres include: autobiography, biography, children's, cooking/healthy body, general fiction, home maintenance, hunting/sports/automobiles, murder/mystery, religious/spiritual, romance, Western and others. Also bonus items for sale: Halloween, Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Thursday, Oct. 21 / 10 am - 6 pm
Friday, Oct. 22 / 10 am - 6 pm
Saturday, Oct. 23 / 10 am - 4 pm

at St. John - Davison (yellow barn NW side Family Center)

You are invited to an amazing Night of Worship on **Friday, October 22**, at 7 pm at Holy Redeemer Church, Burton. Their wonderful music team, featuring Dan Schmit, Christine Mason, John Mira, Tara Philip, Joe Schmit, Jacob Wenzel, Kara Ebbott, and Jay Jong, will be leading in song as praises are given to our Lord for his wondrous deeds! Renae Thomas and the ASL Ministry will also be featured as part of their main stage program. This is a free event with free will offering. All are welcome!

Cemetery Cleanup

Fall clean-up is scheduled to begin on Friday, October 1, 2021 and continue through October 20, 2021, at New Calvary, Old Calvary, and All Saints/Saint Michael Cemeteries. We are asking all families to please remove all items they wish to keep **before October 20, 2021**. Following the 20th, the staff at the cemeteries will begin removing and discarding the remaining items.

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Mass Schedule
Saturday Vigil: 4 p.m.
Sunday: 8 a.m., 10 a.m. (LIVE), 12 p.m.

Monday - Saturday: 8 a.m. (LIVE)
(Playback available on YouTube)
Wednesday 6 pm

Will I still be able to watch Mass at home?
Yes! We will continue to livestream our 8 am Masses Monday - Saturday and our 10 am Mass on Sunday. The Bishop's dispensation has ended. Please know you are not obligated to attend Mass if you are ill or are health compromised.

Confession Schedule
Wednesdays 5:15 pm - 5:45 pm (before 6 pm Mass)
Saturdays (after 8 am Mass) 9 am
First Saturdays - multiple priests will hear confessions at 9 am

Quantum Catechesis
Wednesday - Friday: 12 p.m.
Live on Fr. Joe's Facebook page
(Playback available on YouTube)

Eucharistic Adoration
Tuesdays (2 - 6 p.m.) & Fridays (12 to 4 p.m.)

Vocations - If you are interested in the priesthood, please contact Fr. Joe. If you are interested in the permanent Diaconate, please contact Dcn. Dan Medich.

Prayers & Devotions
Fatima Apostolate Prayer Cell - Wednesday 4 pm
Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena - Wednesday after 6 pm Mass
Help Put God Back in America - Friday 4 pm

Word Among Us reflections are available on their website: https://wau.org/meditations. We have a limited number of Word Among us booklets in a basket in the Ushers' Room.
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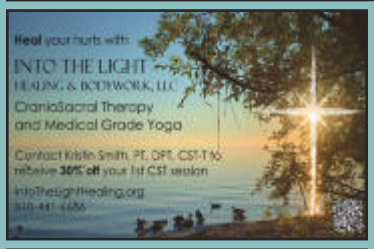

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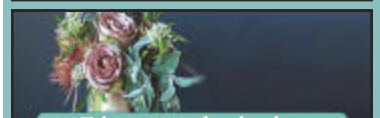
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