



CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION

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May 16, 2021 The Ascension 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.

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Mon-Thurs 8:00-12:00 & 12:30-4:30
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Saturday May 15, 2021

8:15am Steven Nehf—Family
5:00pm Tom Fox—Altar Society
6:30pm Vespers

Sunday May 16, 2021**The Ascension of the Lord**

8:00am For the Parish
9:30am Joe Coscarelli—Virginia, Carol, & Joe Dionise
11:30am Int. Wittgens & Luea Anniversaries—Family
6:30pm Vespers

Tuesday May 18, 2021

6:15pm Perpetual Help Devotion
6:30pm Jim & Peg Driscoll—Jim & Karen Driscoll
7:00pm-8:00pm Confession/Holy Hour

Wednesday May 19, 2021

8:15am Adam Kearney—Rios Family

Thursday May 20, 2021

8:15am Living & Deceased members of the Leimbach Family—Sally Gordon & Susan Benton

Friday May 21, 2021

8:15am Int. Bianca Murray & Family—Kerr Family
10:00am-8:00pm Adoration
7:00pm Confession/Holy Hour

Saturday May 22, 2021

8:15am Elizabeth Rivers
5:00pm Lilah Olson—Jarl & Pat Nischan
6:30pm Vespers

Sunday May 23, 2021**Pentecost**

8:00am Linda Dion—Denis Dion
9:30am Patricia Barry—Murphy Family
11:30am For the Parish
6:30pm Vespers

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

Our deceased: Frank Courter, Teresa Seely

Our sick: 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:

2nd Lt. Thomas A. Braga-Henebry, TX
 Tom Baldwin, Fort Benning, GA
 Chris Riley, Ft Worth, TX, Marines
 Kaleilani Kalahiki, Medical, Army
 Capt. Connor Caples, MD Travis AFB, CA
 Lt. Chris White, Washington, D.C.
 Erick Martinez, Afghanistan
 Anthony Sevenski, Navy
 David Hanosh Suarez, Marines
 Cody Eitrem, Navy

ROSARIES PRAYED FOR PEACE:

61,754 Total number Rosaries prayed. Tally sheets are available at the East Entrances of Church

LIVING ROSARY INTENTION FOR MAY

That the Holy Spirit may guide us in wisdom with his gifts.

Please join this devotion to Our Blessed Mother.

PARISH INTENTION FOR MAY

For greater devotion to St. Joseph and the Blessed Virgin Mary.

We invite parishioners to fast on Tuesdays for this intention, consider joining us for Mass that evening at 6:30pm, when we will include the particular intention in

**Saturday, May 15**

Sunday, May 16: Harper Spalding, Carmela Adame, Eleanor Budd, Leigh Heskitt, Matthew Galer, John Parker

Monday, May 17: Kenneth Lane, Mary Bartold, Linda Luea

Tuesday, May 18

Wednesday, May 19: Janice Van Kirk, Chiara Dion, Abigail Kassel, Elizabeth Park, Siobhann Allstott, Nora Johnson

Thursday, May 20: Lewis Wooster, Ruth DeMarco,
Friday, May 21: Maria Repichowski, Chris Lum, Maria O'Brien, Vivian Lee

Saturday, May 22: Rich Budd

Sunday, May 23: Jonah Carlin, Grace Feldpausch

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 7:00pm 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

St Vincent dePaul Society: 1454 E. Michigan Ave; 517-371-4380. Mon & Fri 10-11am and Wed 1-3pm

St Vincent dePaul Parish Food Collection: Toilet paper, toothpaste, bar soap, laundry soap and dish soap.

Knights of Columbus Council 11099: Grand Knight Russell Pate, 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

May 22 - May 23: Pentecost

	Extraordinary Minister	Reader
Saturday, 5:00 PM Pentecost Vigil	Brady Stevenson Craig Galer	Joseph Reynolds NOT FILLED
Sunday, 8:00 AM Pentecost	Chris Spalding Richard Imgrund	Jacob Allstott Brian Fink
Sunday, 9:30 AM Pentecost	Bill Richardson Beth Riley	John Day Elaine Riley
Sunday, 11:30 AM Pentecost	Russell Pate Jim Mattson	Jesse Flores Ana Sophia Leal

Readings for the Week of May 16, 2021

Sunday	Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9; Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13; Mk 16:15-20
Monday	Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab; Jn 16:29-33
Tuesday	Saint John I, Pope and Martyr Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21; Jn 17:1-11a
Wednesday	Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab; Jn 17:11b-19
Thursday	Saint Bernardine of Siena, Priest Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11; Jn 17:20-26
Friday	Saint Christopher Magallanes, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab; Jn 21:15-19
Saturday	Saint Rita of Cascia, Religious Morning: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5 and 7; Jn 21:20-25 Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29-30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39 Extended Vigil: Gn 11:1-9; Ps 33:10-11, 12-13, 14-15; Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b; Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55 56 or Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Ez 37:1-14; Ps 107: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24 and 35, 27-38, 29-30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39
Sunday	Solemnity Of Pentecost Sunday Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25; Jn 20: 19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

Ending of the Mass Obligation Dispensation

Next week, on the Solemnity of Pentecost, the dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass will expire. Bishop Boyea has penned some reflections on this, which I invite you to review:

SUNDAY OBLIGATION—SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST 2021

The first precept of the Church is “You shall attend Mass on Sundays and holy days of obligation and rest from servile labor” (Catechism #2042; see Canon 1247). This is a call for us to sanctify the Lord’s Day by worshipping God in the Christian assembly and by resting “from those works and activities which could impede such a sanctification of these days” (Catechism #2042). This is a serious responsibility on the part of all the Faithful People of God “unless excused for a serious reason (for example, illness, the care of infants) or dispensed by their own pastor” (Catechism #2181; see Canon #1245). Obviously, if it is impossible to fulfill this obligation, then it is not binding. When in doubt, speak with your pastor.

It seems to me that a large majority of parishioners have made their return to regular Mass attendance, and I want to encourage everyone to do so on a regular basis, as one is able. As Bishop Boyea says here, this is in keeping with the expectation that we gather together weekly to worship the Lord. Some of you remain quite concerned about the virus. If that’s the case for you, I am happy to continue to extend such a dispensation to you (let me know). If anyone is sick or caring for the sick, of course, he or she doesn’t need to let me know. The Lord sees the heart of those who are serving in that way, and there is no obligation. Even when that is the case, however, it is important to set apart time on Sundays for prayer and rest in the Lord.

Plans for Return

As we anticipate this return, I think it prudent to encourage people to wear masks, though, as I have said repeatedly, we will not require mask-wearing. Please note that I will continue the current Mass schedule through the end of (at least) July. **NB: Beginning on the Solemnity of Pentecost, we will reserve the outermost bank of pews for “every-other pew” seating, for those who are still concerned about being too close to others.** I know this will cause some challenges for those who are used to sitting in those pews. If you are used to sitting in those pews, but would be willing to make space for others who want to be more assured of “distance,” please consider making a change out of love and concern for them. We will open up the choir loft at the 9:30 Mass for “overflow.” Unfortunately, that’s not possible during the 8:00 or 11:30 a.m. Masses.

Resurrection School Super Raffle and Class Project Auction

This fun event will be held next Saturday evening May

22nd 6:00-8:00 pm (drawing is at 7:30). We will be holding a super raffle in place of the auction. Tickets are \$100 each for a chance to win \$10,000! Other prizes range from \$500 to \$2,000. Only 500 tickets will be sold. (If fewer than 251 tickets sold the raffle will revert to a single 50/50 prize.) Each class has also made a project for the live auction. The tickets are available online now. They are also for sale at the parish office, and after each Sunday Mass in Mercy Hall.

Upcoming Book Study Sessions

Please note that we have decided to postpone the discussion of Pat Lencioni’s *The 3 Big Questions for a Frantic Family* until the Fall. We thought it best to reschedule it for late summer/fall. Stay tuned for more details. The next book study will be June 3, which will be the final evening of discussion of Sr. Miriam’s book, *Loved As I Am*, at 6:30 p.m. in Mercy Hall, as usual.

Ascension of the Lord

Jesus is Risen from the dead! For forty days, he appeared to the believers and encouraged them in their belief. He desires to encourage us in our belief as well. The testimony of the Risen One is as relevant to our world today as it was in the first century. In our first reading, from the beginning of the Acts of the Apostles, we read the following, which was penned by St. Luke, who also wrote the Gospel of Luke:

In the first book, Theophilus, I dealt with all that Jesus did and taught until the day he was taken up, after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit to the apostles whom he had chosen. He presented himself alive to them by many proofs after he had suffered, appearing to them during forty days and speaking about the kingdom of God. While meeting with them, he enjoined them not to depart from Jerusalem, but to wait for “the promise of the Father about which you have heard me speak; for John baptized with water, but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit.”

Next weekend, we will recall the great gift of being baptized with the Holy Spirit at Pentecost.

Come, Holy Spirit!

As we anticipate the Solemnity of Pentecost, may we clear out the clogging effects of sin and unbelief in our hearts, and look forward with eager anticipation for the grace of the Lord to come upon us and those we love next Sunday.

Waiting with eager anticipation with you,

Father Steve

Simply Give

The Meijer "Simply Give" food assistance program is back again for the fall and holiday season. The program will run from April 11th through July 3rd. When you swipe your gift donation card, Meijer will match your gift donation. **On Saturday, June 19, Meijer will double your donation.** With these gifts, we will be able to purchase food for our pantry and also, purchase baby diapers, baby food, formula, and wipes. Our partner store is the Meijer on 1350 W. Lake Lansing Rd. We thank you in advance for your generous support by helping us to help others. May God continue to bless you and our Parish.



Resurrection School Super Raffle May 22, 2021

Resurrection is hosting a Super Raffle to benefit our school!

Tickets are \$100 each, and only 500* tickets will sold.

The prizes are as follows:

Grand Prize: \$10,000!

Other Prizes: \$2,000, \$1,000, \$750 (2), \$500 and \$250.

The drawing is on May 22 at 7:30pm in a Mercy Hall.

*If fewer than 251 tickets are sold, the raffle reverts to single 50/50 raffle.

Tickets are available at the parish office, and will be available in the parish hall during coffee & donuts and café on Sundays. You can purchase the tickets online, as well. Thanks in advance!



OFFICER NOMINATIONS and ELECTION for 2021 – 2022 TERM YEAR:

Final Nominations and Election for Council Board Officers will end at the Council Business Meeting on May 10, 2021. You **MUST** attend this meeting to be voted for an Officer nominated and elected position.

MEMBERSHIP:

One Year Free Membership available on-line at www.kofc.org/join. Use payment code -MCGIVNEY2020 on application. Our Council number is 11099. Offer ends June 31, 2021.

ACTIVE PLAY and WORKS:

The Council is in the planning mode for our annual golfing outing. Prizes, Sponsors and Teams are on the agenda. There is a change of golf course links this year located in the Mason area. Stay Tuned for official postings and mailers.

A donation request has been received for rubber mulching material This material is to replace the wood chip mulch in the Playground area. This will be presented at meetings this month of May.

An email has been received from Campus Grounds Manager Chris Spalding to have the Knights help maintain the property grounds until the Fall Season.

The Council has accepted the work request, to work around the campus sacred grounds to maintain a graceful appearance. Volunteers are needed to spread the workload during the Summer. May need own garden tools for landscaping maintenance. Plan is to work in groups on alternating weekends or monthly. Volunteer numbers dictate work scheduling. Pin a contact note on the Knights Bulletin Board section if interested to join. Located in the Vestibule of Church.

Posted by: Grand Knight, Rusty Pate

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Young Families & Couples Group Pentecost Party

Come join other families (and meet new ones who've joined our community over the past year) for an outdoor celebration of the Church's birthday! Bring finger foods to share and seating for your family (camp chairs, blankets, etc). We'll pray a Litany to the Holy Spirit together at **2:30**. Hope to see you there!
Sunday, May 23, 2-5 p.m.
7250 Delta River Dr, Lansing

RSVP: resyoungfam@gmail.com or [facebook.com/groups/resyoungfam](https://www.facebook.com/groups/resyoungfam)

CARDINAL BURKE IN MICHIGAN

Catholic Healthcare International Episcopal Advisor Cardinal Burke will be in Michigan on May 25, 26, and 27, celebrating Holy Mass and hosting a program and reception with appetizers and beverages.

Due to space restrictions, registration is needed for the May 25 Mass and reception at Holy Spirit in Brighton; for the May 26 reception following Latin Mass at St. Mary Star of the Sea, Jackson; and for the May 27 reception following Mass at St. Thomas Aquinas in East Lansing.

For more information and registration, go to www.CHI-USA.com/may-2021

Men-on-Fire: “Fighting the Culture War”

Thursday, May 20th

This month’s Speaker is Robert Muise, Esq.

Robert Muise, is a founding member of the American Freedom Law Center, a national public interest law firm dedicated to fighting for faith and freedom and defending our Judeo-Christian heritage and moral values. He is one of the leading attorneys in the country in the area of protecting religious freedoms and speech. He is a commentator on numerous national television programs including The Kelly File, O’Reilly Factor, Hannity & Colmes, Fox & Friends, Glenn Beck. He is a retired US Marine Major who served in the Persian Gulf Desert Shield and Desert Storm operations, receiving numerous decorations. He and his wife have 12 children and live in southeast Michigan.

Location: Holy Spirit Catholic Church
9565 Musch Rd. Brighton 48116

Schedule:

Prayer: 5:45pm (& confession available)
Mass: 6:15pm || Speaker: 7:00pm
Refreshments & Fellowship: 8:00pm

All men welcome. Free-will offering.

For more information contact Rory Clark at RkcLaw@msn.com



40 Days for Life Lansing Prayer Vigil Monday
March 29 – May 28

Our 40 hours per week Prayer Vigil during PP Frandor’s hours of operation 9am-5pm M, T, W, F and 8am-4pm Thursdays will continue Monday March 29 – Friday May 28.

Church of the Resurrection has committed to Mondays. Please contact Chris 517-528-8502 to confirm your weekly hour.

Up to 75% of women will be a “no show” for their appointment when there are people peacefully praying outside an abortion clinic. Thank you, Church of the Resurrection parishioners, who have faithfully prayed at PP Frandor each week since September 2020.



Resurrection School May Fundraiser

Make dinner a selfless act by joining us for a fundraiser to support Resurrection School. Come to Chipotle at 539 E Grand River Ave in East Lansing on Wednesday, May 26th between 4:00pm and 8:00pm. Bring in a flyer (will be accessible the weekend of May 22/23 in the Vestibule) or tell the cashier you’re supporting the cause to make sure that 33% of the proceeds will be donated to Resurrection School.

Order online for pickup:
Use code Z89YKZC before checkout in “promo” field. Orders placed on Chipotle.com or through the Chipotle app for pickup using this unique code will be counted towards the fundraiser.



LCHS – Application Information

Lansing Catholic High School is now accepting online applications for next school year. Visit LCHS's website for details: lansingcatholic.org. If you have questions about admissions at Lansing Catholic High School please contact the admissions office at 517-267-2158 or admissions@lansingcatholic.org.

Hosting International Students at LCHS

Host families are needed for international students who will attend Lansing Catholic High School next school year. Families who host international students are also provided with a monthly stipend. If you are interested in hosting, please contact Lorrie Schartow at lschartow@flag-intl.org or [517-303-9671](tel:517-303-9671).

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