

#### CHURCH

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# October 31, 2021 Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### 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.

#### **PASTOR**

Fr. Steve Mattson smattson@corlansing.org

PARISH OFFICE info@corlansing.org

Mon-Thurs 8:00am-12:00pm & 12:30-4:30pm Friday 8:00am-1:00pm

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Saturday October 30, 2021

8:15am John & Helen Jute - Lewis & Tradico Families

9:00am Confession

5:00pm Daniel Ryan - Phil & Kathy Sidoti

**6:30pm** Vespers

Sunday October 31, 2021 **Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time** 

8:00am For the Parish

**9:30am** Int. Judy Wood - Family

**11:30am** Int. Andrew Ferguson - Kim Ferguson

**6:30pm** Vespers

Monday November 1, 2021

All Saints

8:15am Int. Judy Edwards - School

**12:00pm** Laura Cherniawski - Family

**6:30pm** Vespers

Tuesday November 2, 2021

All Souls

8:15am Fr Tim Dombrowski

**12:00pm** Laura Cherniawski - Family

**6:15pm** Perpetual Help Devotion

**6:30pm** Jeanette Lapinski - St Monica Friends

7:00pm-8:00pm Confession

Wednesday November 3, 2021

**6:00am** St Joseph Devotion

**6:30am** First Wednesday Mass

**7:45am** Confession

8:15am Betty VanHorst - Family

Thursday November 4, 2021

7:45am Confession

**8:15am** Charlene Spadafore

Friday November 5, 2021

7:45am Confession

8:15am

9:00am-8:00pm Adoration

**6:30pm** Vespers

Saturday November 6, 2021

8:15am Art Byrne - Family

9:00am Confession

**11:00am** For those who have died in 2021

**5:00pm** Mike & Lucia Spagnuolo - Family

**6:30pm** Vespers

Sunday November 7, 2021

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

**8:00am** Cathy Chichester - The Schneible Family

9:30am Int. Marianne Vasievich - Mike

11:30am For the Parish

**6:30pm** Vespers



### PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Our deceased: Lee Shunk

Our sick: Barbara Fellows, Eileen Morris, Norine Van Drie, Catherine Epling, 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:

1st Lt. Thomas Braga-Henebry, USMCR 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

Cpl. Alex Ferguson, Marines PO3 Jerald O'Neill, USNR

#### **ROSARIES PRAYED FOR PEACE:**

62,870 Total number of Rosaries prayed. Tally sheets are available at the East Entrances of Church

#### LIVING ROSARY INTENTION FOR NOVEMBER:

For the holy souls in purgatory.

Please join this devotion to Our Blessed Mother.



Monday, Nov 1: Timothy Evans, Stephanie Clutten, Antonio Albarez, Jeremiah Carlin, Jacob Olivar, Dominique Laurion

**Tuesday, Nov 2:** Colette Lee, John Mattson, Michael Guettler, John Abel, William Evans, Lelah Randhawa **Wednesday, Nov 3:** Victor Torok

Thursday, Nov 4: Alex Stanewich, Rich Drouillard, Matthew Clark, Allen Mercier

Friday, Nov 5: Kathy Ruddock, Gabriel Brito, Robert Judson, Timothy Kelly

Saturday, Nov 6: Saoirse Joy, Antonio Albarez Jr, Livinia

**Sunday, Nov 7:** Jackson Fox, Justin Nguyen, Christopher Fischette, William Giles, Chris Fountain

# 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 7:00-8:00pm 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 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 John Gordon, 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.



Scrip Sales are a great way to earn credits toward tuition and support our parish and school. Scrip sales will be held in the Mercy Hall conference room on Nov 8, 15, & 22 from 3:30 to 5:30pm. Please call or email the school office with any questions. school@corlansing.org

# Please arrive 20 minutes before Mass and sign in

#### November 6 - November 7: Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

	Extraordinary Minister	Reader
Saturday, 5:00 PM	Brady Stevenson Mike Walsh	Joseph Reynolds NOT FILLED
Sunday,	Richard Imgrund	Jacob Allstott
8:00 AM	Brian Fink	Chris Spalding
Sunday,	Dan Dowsett	Edward Rivet
9:30 AM	Stacia DeVries	Ken Darga
Sunday,	Jim Mattson	John Day
11:30 AM	Elaine Jones	Jesse Flores

#### Readings for the Week of October 31, 2021

Sunday	Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time	
	Dt 6:2-6; Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51; Heb 7:23-28;	
	Mk 12:28b-34	
Monday	Solemnity of All Saints	
	Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24:1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6;	
	1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a	
Tuesday	The Commemoration of All the Faithful	
	Departed (All Souls' Day)	
	Wis 3:1-9; Rom 5:5-11 or Rom 6:3-9;	
	Jn 6:37-40	
Wednesday	Saint Martin de Porres, Religious	
	Rom 13:8-10; Ps 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9; Lk 14:25-33	
Thursday	Memorial of Saint Charles Borromeo, Bishop	
	Rom 14:7-12; Ps 27:1bcde, 4, 13-14;	
	Lk 15:1-10	
Friday	Rom 15:14-21; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Lk 16:1-8	

#### Sunday Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time 1 Kgs 17:10-16; Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10;

Lk 16:9-15

Saturday

Heb 9:24-28; Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44

Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27; Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 10-11;

# Are you over age 23 and still registered on your parent's record?

Let us know you are here and register on your own! This allows us to serve you better. It also establishes you as a member for when you are asked to be a Godmother or Sponsor.

#### **Solemnity of All Saints**

Tomorrow, November 1, with all the Church, we celebrate the Solemnity of All Saints. It is not a Holy Day of Obligation, but we will offer two Masses, one at 8:15 a.m. (School Mass) and the other at 12:00 Noon. We remember them and call upon them as we pray the Mass. May we be "caught up" in the hope we have as we celebrate our brothers and sisters who have "made it home" to heaven.

Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls) November 2 is All Souls Day, when we pray for all our beloved dead, that they will be purified of any attachments to the things of earth. We fail in our charity if we neglect to pray for those who have died. One wise priest, when asked when we should stop praying for our deceased loved ones, said (as if it were obvious), "When they're canonized." Until then, let's not stop praying for them. We will offer three Masses that day, one at 8:15 a.m. (School Mass) and one at 12:00 noon, and an Extraordinary Form at 6:30 p.m. (Also, please see the note below about our Mass at 11:00 a.m. on November 6<sup>th</sup>).

Requiem Mass at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, November 2

Fr. Joe Campbell, Chaplain at Lansing Catholic High School will pray, with Bishop Boyea's express permission, a Requiem Mass as our third Mass on All Souls' Day. It will be what is called a "Missa Cantata" Requiem Mass of the usus antiquior, according to the 1962 Roman Missal. This Mass is often called the "Extraordinary Form" or "Traditional Latin Mass." Our schola will sing the proper chants for the Mass. Worship aids will be available for those who attend the Mass. I am grateful to Fr. Joe, the servers, and the musicians for their extra efforts to offer this beautiful way to pray for our loved ones who have passed. May they all rest in peace! (I will hear confessions during Mass, and will assist with the distribution of communion at the time for communion.)

Why Purgatory? It's a Place of Promise and Grace

If we're honest, we can admit that most of us are not yet perfect (which Jesus tells us is a pre-requisite to see God), and are likely not going to be perfect by the time—however near or distant that is—when the Lord calls us home. For us, the imperfect, Purgatory is a great grace. Though it is often confused as a place of "second chance" for those who did not know God or live in grace in their earthly life, it is instead a condition in which believers are purified of any imperfections and stubborn "attachments" to things less than God. Through the purifying fire of God's love, aided by our prayers and acts of reparation, those in purgatory are perfected and will, in God's perfect timing, enter the joy of heaven. Here is how the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* explains it:

III. THE FINAL PURIFICATION, OR PURGATORY 1030 All who die in God's grace and friendship, but still imperfectly purified, are indeed assured of their eternal salvation; but after death they undergo purification, so as to achieve the holiness necessary to enter the joy of heaven. 1031 The Church gives the name <u>Purgatory</u> to this final purification of the elect, which is entirely different from the

punishment of the damned.<sup>604</sup> The Church formulated her doctrine of faith on Purgatory especially at the Councils of Florence and Trent. The tradition of the Church, by reference to certain texts of Scripture, speaks of a cleansing fire:<sup>605</sup>

As for certain lesser faults, we must believe that, before the Final Judgment, there is a purifying fire. He who is truth says that whoever utters blasphemy against the Holy Spirit will be pardoned

neither in this age nor in the age to come. From this sentence we understand that certain offenses can be forgiven in this age, but certain others in the age to come. 606

604 Cf. Council of Florence (1439): DS 1304; Council of Trent (1563): DS 1820; (1547): 1580; see also Benedict XII, Benedictus Deus (1336): DS 1000. 605 Cf. 1 Cor 3:15; 1 Pet 1:7.606 St. Gregory the Great, Dial. 4, 39: PL 77, 396; cf. Mt 12:31.

#### **School Auction and Super Raffle**

We're looking forward to holding the School Auction again this fall, on November 13. We will have more details later. Because of popular demand, we will also be holding a Super Raffle at the Auction, in addition to the Live Auction that we typically have. The drawing for the Super Raffle top prize is \$10,000. Other prizes range from \$500 to \$2,000. The drawing for the Super Raffle will be held at 7:30 p.m. Please note that only 500 tickets will be sold. (If fewer than 251 tickets sold the raffle will revert to a single 50/50 prize.) Tickets are available online, in Mercy Hall after Masses, and at the parish office. Plan to join us for the Auction on November 13, as well. It is a great evening of fellowship and fundraising for our school.

#### **Praying for the Dead**

November is a month when we remember our loved ones who have died. There is a book near the statue of Mary (and the baptismal font) for you to list family members whom you wish to remember in prayer this month. We will also be offering Masses, as stated above, for our loved ones on November 2, All Souls' Day. Please note that I will offer also offer Mass at 11:00 a.m., November 6, for all parishioners who have died between November 2, 2020 and November 1, 2021. If you have a loved one who has died this past year, please let Meredith know, and we will include your loved one in the Eucharistic Prayer as we pray for the dead by name. Feel free, of course, to invite families to join us for this Mass. Every time we pray for the dead, we perform one of the spiritual works of mercy. May they rest in peace!

With prayers for all our loved ones who have died,

**Father Steve** 



# The Resurrection School Auction and Super Raffle is right around the corner!

Please join us for a fun adult evening in Mercy Hall on November 13, starting at 6pm. Super Raffle tickets can be purchased online on our parish website or after mass in the hall on Sundays.

We are also accepting donations for the live and silent auction. If you have items, they may be brought to the school office by November 5th. If you have any questions, call Janice Harvey at 517-214-3527



#### **Hiring for Substitute Teachers**

Resurrection School is looking to hire substitute teachers. Substitute teachers are paid \$80 per day, and it is a wonderful service to the school and the teachers.

Interested candidates should contact the school office and set up an appointment to meet with Mr. Allstott or • Mr. Gates. <a href="mailto:school@corlansing.org">school@corlansing.org</a> or (517) 487-0439

### **Meal Train for RCIA**

As a way to actively show support of our RCIA catechumens and candidates this year, we invite you to pray for them as you prepare a simple snack or treat. As we know, nothing says "I care about you" like a meal/treat does! Many of you share this charism. We will offer a prayer of Thanksgiving for you at class as we exemplify life of community, support, and care. What a beautiful way to let them know they have an entire army welcoming them into the family of the Church.

Go to the website below to sign-up: https://www.corlansing.org/posts/support-ourcadidates-catechumen-contribute-to-the-rcia-mealtrain

\*Link also available on our website: www.corlansing.org



Resurrection Little Shamrocks Preschool and Childcare is looking to hire part-time assistants with flexible hours. If you have a love for children and experience with working with young children or wanting to pursue a career in Early Childhood education contact me judiemm@corlansing.org for more details.

### Mass Intentions for 2022

You can now schedule mass intentions for 2022. If you have someone you would like a mass offered for or if you have any questions about specific dates/times, you can call the parish office at 517-482-4749 or you can email Meredith Spalding at mspalding@corlansing.org

#### **Altar Society News**

Our first fundraiser in a long time has begun - The Pie Sale. See order form in the bulletin. We are making baked Pumpkin Pie and unbaked Dutch Apple Pie. Cost for pie is \$12. Pies must be pre-ordered and pre-paid. Order soon because we will only make 100 pies. Pick-up of pies is Tuesday, November 23, just in time for Thanksgiving. All prepping and baking will be done, November 19 - 22. If you are interested in helping to prepare the pies contact Cindi Currie at 517-483-3279 for scheduled times.

#### **Coffee and Donuts**

Please join us for coffee and donuts after the 8am, 9:30am, and 11:30am Sunday Masses in Mercy Hall.

#### Please Note:

If you have made the switch from receiving Our Sunday Visitor envelopes to giving online and you would no longer like to receive envelopes, please email or call the main office. Thank you!



The winter 40 Days for Life winter campaign will start November 1. It will run Monday through Friday 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM. If you prayed from 7:00 AM to 9:00 AM or 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM during the fall campaign please sign up for another time slot. Resurrection has Monday unless you cannot sign up for Mondays then please sign up at www.40daysforlife.com/Lansing for any day(s).

Thanks again for participating in this important ministry to save the unborn.

Any questions please contact Terry McDowell at 517-375-9515



We held our first pancake breakfast in two years on October 24th. It was very well attended, we had three times the attendees that we had at our last one. We will be turning over the money to the 4th & 5th grade classes to divide between the students that worked the event. We will be holding two more breakfasts, one in January and one in March. They will be fundraisers for the school students also. I would like to thank all the Knights who were there helping along with the 4th & 5th grade workers. You all did a fantastic job.

On another note, a reminder that the 7:00pm Rosary before our second Monday of the month meeting has started again. The Rosary is open to the Parish so please feel free to attend. And last but far from least, a reminder that our Council is supporting four Seminarians, three of whom are from our own Parish with a \$500 stipend each. If you wish to contribute to this effort just drop a donation in the drop box and address it to the Knights with Seminarians noted on it.

John Gordon / Grand Knight.

#### SPECIAL NEEDS MASS

Sunday, November 14, 2021 St. Francis Retreat Center

There is a Special Needs Mass on November 14 at the St. Francis Retreat Center located at 703 E. Main Street in DeWitt. Mass starts at 2 p.m. followed by refreshments in the Dining Room. Please RSVP for this Mass to Cathy Blatnik, Co-Coordinator of the Special Needs Ministry at blatsie63@yahoo.com or at 517-381-1410 with the TOTAL number of people in your group by November 7. Hope to see you there!!



#### Middle & High School Craftsmanship Club

Open to middle school and high school age students, Craftsmanship Club allows students to experience introductory concepts of carpentry and mechanics. Hosted at Lansing Catholic High School, the group will meet one Saturday each month from 8:30-11:30 am. 2021 dates will be October 23, November 13, and December 11. LCHS is working to establish an industrial arts program to offer students of the Diocese of Lansing the unique and essential opportunity to gain skills working with their hands, problem-solve, grow in confidence, and appreciate God's gift of work. Parents are welcome, but not required, to attend. Register online at lansingcatholic.org or email greg.ingle@lansingcatholic.org

### Grave Blanket and Wreath Orders Have Begun

St Joseph Catholic Cemetery has begun taking orders for grave blankets, infant pillows, wreaths and cross wreaths.

We have a new vendor this year. All orders must be received by December 1, 2021. The orders that we have received will be placed by Thanksgiving. Those not placed at that time will be placed before Christmas Eve. Adult grave blankets (\$82.00), Infant/Children Pillows (\$50.00), Wreaths (\$46.00) on Tripods and Cross Wreaths (\$56.00) on Tripods. Prices include tax, delivery, placement and removal.

To place an order, please contact the cemetery office at 517-484-2500, Monday through Friday, 8:00am-4:30pm, or mail in a check along with a note stating the item and who it is for.

#### The Holy Face Project

The Holy Face Project resumes its Lansing presence on November 1, 2021 with a poster/billboard at the intersection of Grand River Avenue and the northbound US-127 entrance, across from the Flap Jack restaurant. The contract for this poster extends through January 23, 2022. This location offers the highest visibility in the area as it has over 342,000 impressions per week.

This project is funded through January. With the support of our parishes and their respective Knights of Columbus councils, this project may be extended through the Easter Season, ending on May 15, 2022. Another \$5,000.00 needs to be raised to support this effort. If your parish or K of C council may consider assisting in this effort please contact Tony Cherniawski at 517-331-5200.

# St. Francis Retreat Center, DeWitt MI Upcoming Events

November 12-14 - Women's Weekend Retreat November 12th - All Saints and All Souls One-Day Retreat

November 13th - One-Day Marriage Retreat
\*JUST ADDED\* November 19-21 - Contemplative
Retreat for Women

November 19-21 - Confirmation Retreat
December 3-5 - Married Couples Weekend

Visit www.stfrancis.ws or call 517-669-8321 for more information or to register.

### It's a Pie Sale

The Altar Society is having a homemade pie sale just in time for Thanksgiving.

We will be offering a 9 inch baked Pumpkin pie, and a 9 inch unbaked Dutch Apple pie for \$12.00 each

We will be baking 100 pies only, thus orders will be on a first-come-first-serve basis.

Complete the information below, clip it out and send it along with your payment to the parish office.

Orders and payments will be accepted until November 15, 2021.

You may pick up your pies on Tuesday, November 23, at Mercy hall from 3:00-6:00pm.

Please make your check payable to: COR Altar Society.

baked Pumpkin
unbaked Apple
total number of pies
check amount
check number

For questions, please contact Cindi Currie at 517.483.3279 or Curriecindi@aol.com

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