

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

This illness is not
to end in death,
but is for the glory of God,
that the Son of God may
be glorified through it.

John 11:4



CHURCH OF THE
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**March 26, 2023
Fifth Sunday of Lent**

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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Saturday, March 25, 2023

8:15am Patty Roboski—Saturday morning prayer group

8:45 to 9:30 a.m. Confessions

5:00pm Mary Ezzo—Veronica & James LaMacchia

Sunday, March 26, 2023**Fifth Sunday of Lent**

8:30am John Haslem—Hung Nguyen

11:00am Geri & Lou Tallarico—Jeane Wilber

5:00pm For the Parishh

6:20pm Vespers

Monday, March 27, 2023

7:45am Confessions

8:15am Int. Sister Virginia Jones—Ruth Su

Tuesday, March 28, 2023

No Mass or Confessions

Wednesday, March 29, 2023

5:45pm Perpetual Help Devotion

6:00pm Ernest Weirlangt—Jason Mendiola

6:30pm-7:30pm Confessions

Thursday, March 30, 2023

7:45am Confessions

8:15am William Feguer

Friday, March 31, 2023

7:45am Confessions

8:15am Msgr. Raymond Goehring

9:00am-6:30pm Adoration

5:30pm-6:30pm Confessions

6:30pm Stations of the Cross

Saturday, April 1, 2023

8:15am Patty Roboski—Saturday morning prayer group

8:45 to 9:30 a.m. Confessions

5:00pm Dick & Sheila Hurth—Dan & Lou Ann Dowsett

Sunday, April 2, 2023**Palm Sunday**

8:30am Patrick Dennany—Kim Dennany

11:00am Deacon Ted Heutsche

5:00pm For 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 **Sunday, April 9**.

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

Our sick: For all those suffering from COVID-19, and for Juliet Cary, Catherine Epling, Jeff Ruddock, Mary Zavala, James Venema, Judy Wood, Roberta Lott, Marie Geer, Jeanne Phillips, James Wilson (grandson of Ana and Geoff Henebry), Norine Van Drie, Jeanne Gaskin, 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
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:

66,985 Total number of Rosaries prayed. Tally sheets are available at the East Entrances of Church

LIVING ROSARY INTENTION FOR MARCH

For true penitence offered up for the whole world.
Please join this devotion to Our Blessed Mother.



Monday, March 27: Suezan Richard, Nagla Makki, Piper Fountain, Stacia DeVries, Scott Demello, Sophia Galer, Nancy Poynter

Tuesday, March 28: Andrew Earley, Richard Schneible, Josephine Cherniawski

Wednesday, March 29: Jason Venema, Claire Kuch, Jason Koval, Lucia Abouchaar, Audrey Fountain

Thursday, March 30: Maria Braga-Henebry, Eva Hedemark, Theresa Jasko, Oscar Simonson

Friday, March 31: Bennett Braga-Henebry, Julianna Randall, Brittany Doggett, Charlie Gates, Fred Christopherson, Diane Corrigan, Teresa Repichowski

Saturday, April 1: Conor Keenan, Keyara Outlaw, Maria Mattson, Brianna Ames, Bernadette Cherniawski, Adalynn Kennedy, Viola Gilbert

Sunday, April 2: Brian Neuens, Margaret Costigan

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 7:45am

Perpetual Help Devotion: Wednesdays at 5:45pm

St. Monica Sodality: 2nd Saturdays 7:45am 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 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 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 pax 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 <u>20 minutes</u> before Mass and sign in		
April 1-2—Palm Sunday		
	Extraordinary Minister	Reader
Saturday, 5:00 PM	Bob Adado - 1 Brady Stevenson - 2	NOT FILLED - 1 Joanne Schutz - 2
Sunday, 8:30 AM	Joe DeWitt - 1 Richard Imgrund - 2	Craig Galer - 1 Chris Veneklas - 2
Sunday, 11:00 AM	NOT FILLED - 1 Kathryn Reed - 2	John Day - 1 Ana Sophia Leal - 2
Sunday, 5:00 PM	NOT FILLED - 1 NOT FILLED - 2	Mitch Dobrzelewski - 1 NOT FILLED - 2

**Scripture Readings
For the Week of March 26, 2023**

Sunday	Fifth Sunday of Lent Ez 37:12-14; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; Rom 8:8-11; Jn 11:1-45
Monday	Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62; Ps 23: 1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Jn 8:1-11
Tuesday	Nm 21:4-9; Ps 102:2-3, 16-18. 19-21; Jn 8:21-30
Wednesday	Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56; Jn 8:31-42
Thursday	Gn 17:3-9; Ps 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Jn 8:51-59
Friday	Jer 20:10-13; Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6, 7; Jn 10:31-42
Saturday	Ez 37:21-28; Jer 31:10; 11-12abcd, 13; Jn 11:45-56
Sunday	Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion Procession: Mt 21:1-11 At Mass: Is 50:4-7; Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24; Phil 2:6-11; Mt 26:14-27:66



Next Scrip Sale:
April 12 & 26 from 2:45-5:30pm in the Parish Hall

Questions? Contact:
Nlavagnino@corlansing.org

Support our School!

Enjoy Spring Break!

Please keep students, their families, faculty, and staff members at our school and other schools in the area in your prayers as they take a week off for Spring Break. May all who are on break have a time of rest and renewal, and may all who are traveling do so safely and return prepared to enter into the heart of our liturgical year as we celebrate Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion next Sunday.

Disciple Maker Index

Please take time to complete the Disciple Maker Index, either online or in paper form, which can be picked up in the vestibule or in Mercy Hall or in the office. It would be wonderful to get a similar number of responses as we had last time to get a good comparison of where we are compared with 2020. The survey is designed for those 18 and over. In a particular way, I want to invite those who are youth, young adults, and single parishioners to complete the survey, so that we can find ways to better minister to them. Thanks in advance!

Pope Benedict XVI on Healing

In my homily a few weeks ago, I mentioned some great quotes from Pope Benedict on the centrality of healing to the ministry of Jesus. I include them here for your reference.

*Alongside the commission to exorcise, Matthew adds the mission to heal. The Twelve are sent "to heal every disease and every infirmity" (Mt 10: 1). Healing is an essential dimension of the apostolic mission and of Christian faith in general. . . . When understood at a sufficiently deep level, this expresses the entire content of "redemption." (Pope Benedict XVI, *Jesus of Nazareth: From the Baptism in the Jordan to the Transfiguration*, pp. 175-176).*

"Managing," even "managing well," is not "Abundant Life"

As I've preached the past two weeks, the Lord longs to heal us, to give us freedom, to allow us to receive love and give it more freely. But, we often think that healing is a bit of a pipe dream, or for others, not ourselves. I (obviously) beg to differ. It is for all of us. Each and every one of us. If we're honest, most of us will admit that we've figured out ways to believe and to behave that help us navigate the challenges of this life, even if there may be moral and relational wreckage along the way (in our own lives, those of our friends and families, and in the world). And, what is more, most—if not all—of us are not as happy as we'd like, or as free as we wish we were. Still, we "get by." Most of us have resigned ourselves to the fact that life *just is* difficult, painful, and disappointing—even life in Christ! We've heard that it should be better, but our experience is stubbornly opposed to the promises we read in the scriptures. Indeed, the Bible makes great promises and claims. What are we to make of St. Paul's statement in Galatians 5:1?

"For freedom Christ set us free." Can it be true? [Yes!] Jesus tells us "The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; *I came that they may have life, and have it abundantly*" (John 10:10). Do we believe that? Can we? Could it possibly be true? [Again, yes!] And in Matthew, Jesus says, "*Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am meek and humble of heart; and you will find rest for yourselves. For my yoke is easy, and my burden light*" (Matthew 11:28-30). Easy? Really? A "light burden?" [Yes!] If these claims seem like wishful thinking or smoke & mirrors to you or to me, then the Lord longs for us to encounter the living, healing, love of God, *who is not impotent*.

"God may (choose to) heal other people, but not me!"

Some of you might say that you know God is not *impotent*, but your experience convinces you that God, for some reason, is unwilling—or unable—to heal *you*. If that's what you believe, you're wrong! Consider this great text from Luke 4:16-19, which follows Satan's temptation of Jesus in the desert. Luke begins by stating that Jesus came "in the power of the Spirit" and preached:

He came to Nazareth, where he had grown up, and went according to his custom into the synagogue on the Sabbath day. He stood up to read and was handed a scroll of the prophet Isaiah. He unrolled the scroll and found the passage where it was written: "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim liberty to captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, and to proclaim a year acceptable to the Lord." That's healing, and that's what Jesus came to proclaim and to provide.

Power Over Death

The One you came to worship today rose from the dead. That's the truth and the reason we are Christian. This week, we recall the love of the Lord for Lazarus and for all his disciples. What a great gift he gave Lazarus and his family, to bring him back from the dead. He is the Resurrection and the Life! We commend all our loved ones to the mercy of God because of the triumph Jesus made over death, and we thank God for the hope we have for ourselves and those we love. Death, where is your sting?! Jesus wept at the tomb of Lazarus, and he weeps with those who weep. But, let's never forget: One day, every tear will be wiped away. We will be with Him if we continue to believe and remain faithful to Him.

With consolation in our Hope,

Father Steve

Holy Week/Easter Schedule

Holy Thursday, April 6th

6:30pm Mass of the Lord's Supper
Procession to the Altar of Repose
(Mercy Hall)

Adoration until 11:00pm

Good Friday, April 7th

Adoration in Mercy Hall 8:00am-
11:30am

12:00pm Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

3:00pm Divine Mercy Chaplet

6:30pm Stations of the Cross

Easter Vigil, April 8th

8:30pm Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday, April 9th

8:30am Mass

11:00am Mass



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Hello Brother Knights, hope you and yours are doing well. Our Council will be conducting our spring tootsie roll drive starting Friday 3/31/23 on thru Sunday 4/2/23. The monies we collect will be donated to groups with people with disabilities so please either donate your time or money to this great cause. We are checking our collection locations and should have them secured by Wednesday 3/23/23 so keep checking our website at KofC11099.org, we will have the church Masses to collect after as always. Hope to see you there.

John Gordon / Grand Knight

Lenten Communal Penance

The North Lansing Group (St. Mary Cathedral, St. Therese, Church of the Resurrection and St. Andrew Dung Lac) will be hosting a Lenten Communal Penance Service at St. Therese Church on Monday, April 3, at 6:30PM. Seven priests will be available for the celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Please come and make this an important part of your Lenten journey.

Complimentary Easter Meal

An Easter Meal will be served on Easter Sunday at 12:30 pm in Mercy Hall.

Anyone who might find themselves alone or in need or simply would like to join us, please register at the parish office or email Judy Edwards at gorretti76@gmail.com or call at 449-1736.

Easter Meal Helpers:

I am in need of help. Three shifts available: Saturday from noon until 3pm, Easter Sunday from 8am - 12:00 and from 12:00 to 3pm.

Homemade pies or cookies or cupcakes are needed for dessert.

Thanks for your assistance.

Judy Edwards



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RESCHEDULED Women's Retreat

Uncommonly Loved: Women's Morning of Reflection with Sr. Dorcee Clarey

The women of the parish are invited to a Women's Lenten Morning of Reflection on Saturday, April 29, from 9:00am to noon in Mercy Hall. Snacks and coffee will be provided. The morning will be led by Sr. Dorcee Clarey of the Servants of God's Love. Please register at www.corlansing.org or by calling the parish office.

Mother / Son Bowling Night

Friday April 14, 2023 from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm at
City Limits East
2120 E Saginaw Hwy, East Lansing, MI 48823

This event is open to families of Resurrection School and Parish and is open to moms (grandmas, aunts, etc) and boys age 4 and up. The cost will be \$10 per person or \$30 per family.

Included in the cost: 2 hours of bowling with rental shoes along with pizza and pop or water. You can pay cash or check at the event.

Please register for the event using the Sign Up Genius.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/508054DA8A82DABFB6-mother>

**Coordinator of Youth Ministry (CYM) –
OPEN position**

The Pastoral Leadership Team at St. Thomas Aquinas Parish / St. John Church & Student Center is looking for a new Coordinator of Youth Ministry. Candidates must have a love for Jesus, a desire to help transform the lives of young men and women with a relationship with Christ and his Church, a theological background for faith formation, experience in pastoral ministry, and excellent organizational, communication and technology skills. Candidates also must be a practicing Catholic and active in a parish. For a copy of the job description, please see www.dioceseoflansing.org/employment. Interested individuals may submit a resume on-line via the diocesan website to sjsecretary@elcatholics.org. Resumes will be accepted through **Friday, April 7.**

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**13th Annual Tom Jakovac Memorial
Golf Outing**

We are once again hosting a golf outing to provide tuition assistance for two eighth grade students from Resurrection to attend Lansing Catholic High School during all four years. We currently help two students in each grade. The event is Saturday, May 20th and we have room for Hole Sponsors or any monetary donation can be made for tuition assistance. We can be found on Facebook and/or contacted at jakovacmemorial@gmail.com If you have questions give Chris Jakovac Allen a call at 517.420.8256. We are fortunate to be sold out this year for golf teams. Thanks for your support.

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2023 EASTER FLOWER DONATIONS

Donations are now being accepted for the Church of Resurrection's Easter flowers decorations. Please complete the information below, clip it out and return it along with your donation in the Sunday collection or drop it off at the parish office no later than Monday, April 10, 2023.

If you are making an electronic donation, please also complete the form below and place it in the collection basket.

The memorial announcement will be in the April 23, 2023 bulletin.
Please make your check payable to: COR Altar Society

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