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Sunday, December 31, 2023
The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph

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

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, December 30, 2023

8:15am Terry McDowell—Theresa McDowell
8:45 to 9:30 a.m. Confessions
5:00pm Pedro & Isabel Alfaro—Kevin & Mila Harcus

Sunday, December 31, 2023**The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph**

9:00am For the living and deceased members of the
 Dennany & Doyle families—Kim Dennany
11:00am For the Parish
Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God Vigil
5:00pm Bridget Reynolds—Joe & Elaine Reynolds
10:30pm Int. Resurrection Staff

Monday, January 1, 2023**Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God**

11:00am Int. Resurrection Parishioners

Tuesday, January 2, 2023

No Mass or Confessions

Wednesday, January 3, 2023

6:00am St. Joseph Devotion
6:30am First Wednesday Mass
5:45pm Perpetual Help Devotion
6:00pm Int. John & Suzette Hankerd—Danielle
 Hankerd
6:30pm Confessions

Thursday, January 4, 2023

7:45am Confessions
8:15am Sue Earley—Family

Friday, January 5, 2023

7:45am Confessions
8:15am James DeLuca—Family
9:00pm-6:30pm Adoration
5:30pm-6:30pm Confessions

Saturday, January 6, 2023

8:15am Maura Brandy—Don & Carolyn Radke
8:45 to 9:30 a.m. Confessions
5:00pm Living and deceased members of Denis Dion
 and the Halaby Families—Family

Sunday, January 7, 2023**The Epiphany of the Lord**

9:00am Dick & Sheila Hurth—The Kids
11:00am For the Parish
5:00pm Int. Patrick Vreibel—Danielle Hankerd

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 mass will be January 14th.

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

Our sick: Phil Sidoti, Don West, 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:

Capt. Thomas Braga-Henebry, USMCR
 Tom Baldwin, Fort Benning, GA
 Kaleilani Kalahiki, Medical, Army
 Capt. Connor Caples, MD Travis AFB, CA
 LCDR Chris White, USNR
 Erick Martinez, Afghanistan
 David Hanosh Suarez, Marines
 Cody Eitrem, Navy
 Cpl. Alex Ferguson, Marines

ROSARIES PRAYED FOR PEACE:

69,641 Total number of Rosaries prayed. Tally sheets are available at the East Entrances of Church

LIVING ROSARY INTENTION FOR JANUARY

For peace an earth and to men of good will.
Please join this devotion to Our Blessed Mother.



Monday, January 1: Caitlin Jenness, Richard Wendorf, John Gulock, Nenri Badawy, Rosette Kalouche, Jadranko Tomic, Mariah Thick

Tuesday, January 2: John Paul Dion, Olivia DeFord, Charlie Beirlant, Michelina Cantu, Katelynn Gordon, Nathan Steffens

Wednesday, January 3: Robert Nelson, John Maxwell, Dan Farley

Thursday, January 4: Karen Dudley

Friday, January 5: Carolyn Fountain, Ryan Lewis

Saturday, January 6 : Jason Mendiola, Robert McKay, Lyndsay Rodriguez, Ray Patnaude, Katrina Butler, Michael Izdebski, William Repovz

Sunday, January 7 : Melissa Potter, Ricardo Cantu, Teresa Kummer

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 Dave Hall, www.corlansing.org/ministries

Project Rachel Helpline: There is help after an abortion. If you or someone you know is hurting from an abortion, call the Project Rachel Helpline 517-993-0291. **All calls are confidential.**

Unplanned pregnancy: Contact SP Women's Center at 517-484-1882.

Visitation of the Sick: If you know someone who is ill at home or in a nursing home and would like to receive communion please contact the parish office.

Low-Gluten Hosts-During Mass: You will need to come to the priest in the center aisle where he has a separate pyx with low-gluten hosts available.

Registration: If you are new to the area or would like to register please stop at the parish office: 1514 E. Michigan Ave, or website www.corlansing.org. If you are currently a registered member and would like to update your info please contact the office 517-482-4749.

Please arrive **20 minutes** before Mass and sign in

January 6-7

	Extraordinary Minister	Reader
Sat, Jan 6, 5:00 PM	Sean Riley - 1 Teresa Spalding - 2	Chris Spalding - 1 Brenda Wohlscheid - 2
Sun, Jan 7, 9:00 AM	Paul Kuch - 1 Joe DeWitt - 2	Christopher Luea - 1 Cody Ketchum - 2
Sun, Jan 7, 11:00 AM	Jim Mattson - 1 Carol Richard - 2	Mitch Dobrzelewski - 1 Jason Venema - 2
Sun, Jan 7, 5:00 PM	Diana Repichowski - 2	Mike Walsh - 1 Ann Tingay - 2

Scripture Readings For the Week of January 1, 2023

Sunday	Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God Nm 6:22-27; Ps 67:2-3, 5,6,8; Gal 4:4-7; Lk 2:16-21
Monday	Memorial of Saints Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops and Doctors of the Church 1 Jn 2:22-28; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Jn 1:19-28
Tuesday	1 Jn 2:29-3:6; Ps 98:1, 3CD-4, 5-6; Jn 1:29-34
Wednesday	Memorial of Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, Religious 1 Jn 3:7-10; Ps 98:1, 7-8, 9; Jn 1:35-42
Thursday	Memorial of Saint John Neumann, Bishop 1 Jn 3:11-21; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5; Jn 1:43-51
Friday	1 Jn 5:5-13; Ps 147: 12-13, 14-15, 19-20; Mk 1:7-11
Saturday	1 Jn 5:14-21; Ps 149:1-2, 3-4, 5 & 6a & 9b; Jn 2:1-11
Sunday	The Epiphany of the Lord Is 60:1-6 ; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13; Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12

Solemnity of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph

This Sunday, we celebrate the Holy Family. Of course, with the birth of Jesus, the Holy Family was complete. Joseph and Mary provide to all of us, but especially to parents, of what it means to “model” the faith for their family. Mary and Joseph were holy and they made their home a place of holiness. God our Father longs for all homes to be marked by holiness. Let us entrust our homes and our families to the prayers of the Holy Family, so that we might share their destiny, which is life in Heaven forever.

Mary, the Mother of God (New Years Day)

Tomorrow, which is the “Octave of Christmas,” we will celebrate the Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God. This (Sunday) evening, we will celebrate two Vigil Masses, one at 5:00 p.m. and one at 10:30 p.m., which will be followed by a time of adoration and Benediction just prior to Midnight. On New Year’s Day, we will have one Mass at 11:00 a.m. (NB: Please note that Mass at 5:00 p.m. or 10:30 p.m. on Sunday the 24th can fulfill *either* the 4th Sunday obligation *or* the Christmas obligation, *but not both*.) If you are traveling, may you enjoy the protection of your guardian angels, and have a joyous celebration with your family and friends.

Thank You!

Thanks to all who worked so hard to make our celebration of Christmas so joy-filled. It was a great blessing to have a wonderful choir at the Midnight Mass. I am grateful to David Stattelmann for his work with the choir and Guine Norman for her work with the Shamrock Schola, who sang at the 5:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Mass. Behind the scenes, the Altar Society have worked tirelessly to prepare and maintain our church for worship, for which I am very grateful. I also want to thank all the liturgical ministers as well. Thanks to the Knights of Columbus and the St. Vincent DePaul Society for their help with families in need. Finally, I want to thank the tremendous staff at the parish for their great labors for all of us and those we serve. As we all know, Resurrection School is a great gift to us and our community, and I thank Jacob Allstott, our school principal, Chris Gates, our assistant principal, and all those who collaborate with him to make our school such a

great place for learning and growing in faith. Thanks for your generous support of our parish and school staff, and the financial and volunteer help you give in so many ways. To all of you, including the vital lay faithful of the parish, I say, “Thank you and God bless you!” As I anticipate the new year, I’m calling to mind God’s goodness to me. Among the greatest gifts to me is being pastor of this great parish. Thank you for your partnership with me in this ministry.

Special Event: Twelfth Night

On January 6, we have planned a parish cultural event, which we hope to have on an annual basis, called the Twelfth Night Celebration. Doors will open at 6:00 p.m. and the program will begin at 7:00 p.m. It’s a celebration of the great gift of Christ’s manifestation at Christmas and Epiphany. We had a great time last year, and we hope that even more of us can join us this year. Mercy Hall will be decked out as something resembling a pub (!). Adults in the parish and friends are invited to join us for an evening of songs, music, and poetry that will inspire and entertain in equal measure. The Twelfth Night has been a traditional celebration since before medieval times, particularly in Europe, and involves the consumption of abundant food and drink as well as performances to honor the birth of our Savior. You can sign-up to join us on our website. Space is limited, so register early. I hope to see you there!

Merry Christmas!

May you and all those you love experience joy and peace in this holy season, and know the love of God made flesh in Baby Jesus. At the various exits, you will find copies of a book of reflections called *Signposts*, written by Sean O’Neill. You can use that for individual reflection or in a group context. There are also copies of *Beautiful Eucharist*, from Dynamic Catholic. We also have available the most recent copy of *Resurrection Magazine*. Please take copies and share them with others, as well.

With great joy and peace,

Father Steve



TWELFTH NIGHT

JANUARY 6

DOORS OPEN AT 6:30PM
EVENT BEGINS AT 7:00PM

Join us for an evening of songs, music and poetry, and abundant food & drink that will inspire and entertain in equal measure.

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[CORLANSING.ORG/EVENTS/TWELFTHNIGHT](https://corlansing.org/events/twelfthnight)



Mass Intentions in 2024

The book is open for Mass intentions in 2024. A Mass intention is a specific petition for which the Mass is offered. Mass intentions can be requested on behalf of another living person—for example, the healing of someone who is sick or to commemorate a wedding anniversary (but can be for anything!). Mass intentions are also commonly offered in remembrance of a person who has died. The graces acquired by having a Mass said for a special intention are beyond earthly comprehension. The Mass is the greatest prayer the Body of Christ can offer to God and therefore the most powerful means to help others and ourselves gain eternity with him. To schedule an intention, you can either come into the parish office OR call the office and schedule intentions over the phone at 517-482-4749

SCRIP News:

Heads up for January! Since it is historically a slower month for sales, we will only have one sale on January 17. You can purchase electronic cards throughout the month. Let me know if you need help getting that set up.

If you need Kroger, Soup Spoon or Apple Market cards, please plan ahead since those are not available online.

Questions? Email Nicole Lavagnino at nlavagnino@corlansing.org



The Twelfth Night Celebration is coming and we need serious kitchen help. If you have a couple hours (or more) available on:

- Thursday, January 4
- Friday, January 5
- Saturday, January 6

we have things for you to do! All levels of skill are needed, including dishwashing.

Please call Teresa Spalding at 517-482-5582 or email tgspalding@att.net to get on the schedule!



Did You Know? Hopefully, you have seen the movie, Mother Teresa: No Greater Love. The Knights of Columbus produced the movie to commemorate the 25th anniversary of Mother Teresa's death in 2022. The movie played in more than 1,000 theaters in North and South America and Europe. It also aired nationwide on PBS and EWTN. The film was the most popular faith documentary of 2022, and it was the second most popular documentary of any kind.

If you are interested in joining the Knights of Columbus or would like information, contact Bill Currie (517-485-5886 or curriewmm@aol.com).

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Kindergarten Round-Up

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

Thursday, Jan. 18th from 6:00-7:00 PM

Wednesday, Jan. 24th from 12:30-1:30 PM

We are estimating a full class for this year, so please call the school office today to schedule for Kindergarten Round-Up. (517) 487-0439

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

www.corlansing.org/

Kindergarten Round-Up Details:

All parish and school families with children entering Kindergarten in the Fall of 2024 are invited to attend Resurrection School's Kindergarten Roundup. Families will be given a tour of the school and time to ask any questions they may have. Students will meet Mrs. Starrak and have time to explore the Kindergarten Room. We highly encourage all families with children turning 5 on or before September 1, 2024 to attend, wherever you are in the educational discernment process. Call the School Office with any questions and to reserve your place at Kindergarten Round Up!

Employment Opportunity

St. Therese Church, a friendly parish of 500 families in north Lansing, is seeking a part-time maintenance / custodial supervisor. The successful candidates will be self-motivated, have great attention to detail, work well with volunteers and possess a desire to help maintain our building and grounds to ensure safety to all persons as well as preserve the appearance and usability of our facilities. He/she must have a high school diploma or equivalent, and experience in custodial and maintenance work is needed. Applicants must pass a criminal background check and complete the Protecting God's Children training. If you are interested in the position, please contact Fr. John Fain at 517-487-3749 or frfain@sttherese.org by Wednesday, January 17, 2024.

Diocese of Lansing's Catholic Men's Conference 2024:

Accept the Challenge and Be the Man You are Called to Be!

Date/Time: Sat, 03/16/2024 - 09:00 AM

Cost: \$45

Registration Link:

<https://giving.parishsoft.com/App/Form/0c0358ca-23a4-4309-99a9-4860dad1fdd0>

Gather in fellowship with hundreds of other men to hear from dynamic speakers about who God has called you to be and how to live as a faithful Catholic in our post-Christian world.

This conference is not meant to simply revitalize your Faith for a day, but to invite men across the diocese to build strong Christian communities in their homes, parishes, and workplaces that glorify the Lord.

You will have the chance to connect with other Catholic men from around the state, hear from nationally renowned speakers, engage with different Catholic ministries, and celebrate Mass with Bishop Boyea!

For more information and updates for the event visit acceptthechallenge.org

When

Saturday, March 16, 2024

Where

George Gervin Game Above Center
at Eastern Michigan University



Sacred Heart Mercy Health Care Center

Comprehensive Women's Care and Fertility Management - Sacred Heart Mercy Health Care Center is pleased to announce an expansion of its comprehensive women's care and fertility management services. The clinic offers in-person visits for women's health care, including irregular menstrual cycles, infertility, treatment for miscarriages, polycystic ovarian syndrome (PCOS), hormonal irregularities, premenstrual symptoms and menopause. With practitioners trained in both Creighton–NaProTechnology and Fertility Education and Medical Management (FEMM), Sacred Heart Mercy Health Care Center is the place for families to find comprehensive care for their medical needs. Also accepting new adult patients for primary care.

Need an appointment at Sacred Heart?
Call 989-463-3451 to schedule today.



A Place for You at Lansing Catholic High School

Lansing Catholic High School invites parents and students to attend our December Prospective Family Night Open House on Wednesday, January 17th, any time from 6:30pm to 8:00pm. Discover what Lansing Catholic High School has to offer by enjoying a tour with a student ambassador of the campus. Students and parents will also have the opportunity to ask questions and meet with our faculty and administration. Save time at the door and preregister at lansingcatholic.org/visit. Registration is not required, but is appreciated. Can't make it? Check out other dates or schedule your own visit with the admissions office at admissions@lansingcatholic.org.

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