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Sunday, August 10, 2025 Nineteenth 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.

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PARISH OFFICE

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Saturday, August 9, 2025

8:15am Int. St. Monica's Sodality

8:45am-9:30am Confession

5:00pm Greg & James De Marco—Family

Sunday, August 10, 2025

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am Laurica Shooter—Greco Family

11:00am *Novus Ordo Latin Mass* The Parish

5:00pm Judy Wood—Pauline Simmons

Monday, August 11, 2025

7:45am Confessions

8:15am For the Pour Souls in Purgatory—Sandi Walczak

Tuesday, August 12, 2025 No Mass or Confession

Wednesday, August 13, 2025

5:45pm Perpetual Help Devotion

6:00pm Ilya Kitching—The Kitching Family

6:30pm Confessions

Thursday, August 14, 2025

7:45am Confessions

8:15am Judy Wood—Bruce Rindler

6:30pm **Vigil Mass for the Assumption** Jack

Hess—Roseann Zumbrink

Friday, August 15, 2025

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:45am Confessions

8:15am Int. Living & Deceased Dennis Dion and

Halaby Families—The Halaby Family

5:30-6:30pm Confessions

Saturday, August 16, 2025

8:15am Bill O'Brien—Kerr Family

8:45am-9:30am Confession

5:00pm Joseph Hutting—Judie & Paula Mirabelli

Sunday, August 17, 2025

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am The Parish

11:00am Int. Jim & Judy Kenny for their 65th

Anniversary—Jim & Judy Kenny

5:00pm Mary Jane Jakovac—Pico Ball

Novus Ordo Latin Mass

The next Novus Ordo Latin Mass will be on Sunday, September 14.



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Our deceased: Judie Olivar

Our sick: Don West, Mary Zavala, 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 CW4 Joseph Hinojosa

ROSARIES PRAYED FOR PEACE:

75,100 total number of Rosaries prayed. Tally sheets are available at the East Entrances of Church.

LIVING ROSARY INTENTION FOR AUGUST

For all the unborn.



Monday, August 11: Daphne Lum, Chimoua

Yang, Juliana Shannon, Jon Luea

Tuesday, August 12: Elena Kuhl, Ellen Crombie, Poppy Demko, Jacob Kanclerz

Wednesday, August 13: Henry Evans, Kathryn Reed, John Kimble, Cassidy Rosser

Thursday, August 14: Christopher Riley, Avila Porter, Edwin Choi, Theodore Harrison,

Chris Gates, Paul Giles

Friday, August 15: James Stenlund, Claudia Fountain, Luke Iocco, Judith Olivar, Eusebio

Pilar, Gianna Dion

Saturday, August 16: Paul Fischman, Jennifer Sibiski, Robert Allen, Xao Yang,

Marques Davis, Madison Wade

Sunday, August 17: Eilzabeth Vargas, Catherine Ames, Grace Cary, Judy Kenny, Paula Panetta, Rebekah Turner, Aaron Galer, Delaney Howe

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 7:40am

Perpetual Help Devotion: Wednesdays at 5:45pm

St. Monica Sodality: 2nd Saturdays 7:40am 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 Chris Hanson, 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.

August 16-17, 2025

	Extraordinary Minister	Reader
Saturday,	Jim Wohlscheid - 1	Christopher Lewis - 1
5:00 PM	Brady Stevenson - 2	Cindi Currie - 2
Sunday,	Owen Luea - 1	Brian Goulet - 1
9:00 AM	Beth Riley - 2	Stacia DeVries - 2
Sunday,	Travis Lee - 1	John Day - 1
11:00 AM	Colleen Fahrenbach - 2	Ann Tingay - 2
Sunday, 5:00 PM	NOT FILLED - 1 Diana Repichowski - 2	Mitch Dobrzelewski - 1 NOT FILLED - 2

Scripture Readings

For the Week of August 10, 2025

Sunday Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wis 18:6-9; Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22; Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or Heb 11:1-2, 8-12; Lk 12:32-

48 or Lk 12:35-40

Monday Memorial of Saint Clare, Virgin

Dt 10:12-22; Ps 147:12-13, 14-15 19-20;

Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday Dt 31:1-8; Dt 32:3-4ab, 7, 8, 9 and 12; Mt

18:1-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday Dt 34:1-12; Ps 66:1-3a, 5 and 8, 16-17, Mt

18:15-20

Thursday Memorial of Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and

Martyr

Jos 3: 7-10a, 11, 13-17; Ps 114: 1-2, 3-4, 5-

6; Mt 18:21-19:1

Friday Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed

Virgin Mary

Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14; 1 Cor 15:54b-57; Lk 11:27-28 Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10, 11,

12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56

Saturday Jos 24:14-29; Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 11, Mt

19:13-15

Sunday Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jer 38:4-6, 8-10; Ps 40:2, 3, 4, 18; Heb 12:1

-4; Lk 12:49-53

Judie Olivar (the younger), R.I.P.

We have been praying for months for Judie Olivar, as many of you are aware. She passed away early Monday morning. She was 21 years old. Please pray for her, for her family, and for all those who grieve her passing. May she rest in peace and may her memory be eternal.

Dr. Peter Luea, R.I.P.

Tuesday morning, I learned of the tragic accidental death of Dr. Peter Luea. He was a holy man of God, and a great doctor. Monday evening, while helping out at the Work of Christ Summer Camp, he was out for a run and was struck and killed by a car. Please pray for Peter, his family, and for all who grieve his passing. May he rest in peace, and may his memory be eternal.

So Much Suffering and Grief

It is unspeakably hard to understand the mystery of evil and the degree of suffering and grief that the Lord is inviting us to endure. Our loved ones and friends have been enduring so very much. We cry, "Come, Holy Spirit! Lord, have mercy!" How could a good God, who is all powerful and all knowing allow such suffering as Judie and her family endured? The loss of an 18 year old in a drowning accident? A husband and father struck down senselessly while running?

The Lord doesn't ever want us to leapfrog our questions and wrestling regarding how and why such things can happen. Death is not what the Lord wanted for any of us, but sin and death were results of the fall. We struggle to make sense of these issues, and we can be tempted to anger, doubt, fear. All the human emotions are brought so near when tragedies like this strike. But the Lord is with us in it, in this vale of tears. We live in a world that is broken and is crying out for healing and redemption. We wonder, we shout, "Why?!"

There are no simple, tidy answers. We Christians have reason for hope in the light of suffering and death, even if holding on to hope can be challenging. These events are not something that the Lord "does to us and those we love." In fact, the Lord "gets it." He's lived it (and is living it in and through us). He wept at the tomb of Lazarus, even though he was going to call him forth from the grave. Jesus buried his foster father, Joseph. And, most significantly of all, he was scourged and suffered death, the excruciating death of crucifixion. He did so for us, and knows the depths of suffering.

Invitation to Join Our Sufferings to Christ

A few weeks ago, in our Sunday readings, we heard this puzzling text from St. Paul's Letter to the Colossians:

Now I rejoice in my sufferings for your sake, and in my flesh I am filling up what is lacking in the afflictions of Christ on behalf of his body, which is the church, of which I am a minister in accordance with God's stewardship given to me to bring to completion for you the word of God, the mystery hidden from ages and from generations past. But now it has been manifested to his holy ones, to whom God chose to make known the riches of the glory of this mystery among the Gentiles; it is Christ in you, the hope for glory. (Col. 1:24-27).

St. Paul miraculously rejoiced in his sufferings. How? He saw (admittedly, in a glass darkly!) what the Lord could do in and through it. He believed (even rejoiced) that his suffering was not wasted, but that it could be--In fact, was-fruitful and salvific. As he joined his suffering to that of Christ, the Lord worked in and through him (and his suffering) on behalf of the Church, for love. The goal of all his strivings and those of Christ is our salvation, the mystery of which, he continues is "Christ in you, the hope for glory."

Invitation to Suffer Well In Him

We baptized are "in Christ," and so our suffering, and the suffering of those we love, is also suffered by Christ. We are his body. Like St. Paul, the Lord is inviting you and me, and all those who suffer, to dare(!) to consider the suffering, and, as St. Paul does, through the lens of God's love. Our suffering (as we are able and willing to accept it) is a way for each of us to become more like Christ and for us to "fill up what is lacking in Christ's sufferings" for the sake of the Church. As we suffer, we can be tempted to numb the pain or reject the goodness of God. But, what's better is to strive, prayerfully and obediently, to join our sufferings to his. One day, we will see just what God accomplished because we chose to suffer through, with, and in Him.

This invitation to join our sufferings should in no way be read as a call to deny the pain and reality of our grief and suffering here and now. Rather, it is an invitation from Jesus to come to the suffering savior and let Him love us. True love suffers. True love heals. Come, Holy Spirit! Come, Lord, show us your love and the promise of the Resurrection for ourselves and those we grieve who have passed. May they all, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Jubilee Year of Hope

We are in the Jubilee Year of Hope, and we entrust all our loved ones who have died to the One who is our Hope, Jesus who is the Resurrection and the Life. Come, Lord Jesus, Come! Send your Spirit upon us who grieve. Help us trust you, even when it seems impossible to understand such suffering and death. Amen.

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

This Friday is a Holy Day of Obligation. Please plan to join us Thursday at 6:30 p.m. for the Vigil Mass or Friday August 15 at 8:15 to honor Our Blessed Mother, who was Assumed into Heaven. Other parishes will be offering other Mass times for those who are unable to make it at these times. Let us take this opportunity to honor Mary and to ask her to continue to intercede for us that we would live well as she did, and one day join her and her Son Jesus in Heaven.

Seeking eternal things with you,

Fr. Steve



The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Please join us for this Holy Day of Obligation. We will have Mass on August 14th at 6:30pm (vigil) and at 8:15am on Friday, August 15th.

We're Hiring Pro-Lifers

Get paid to advance the Pro-Life cause working for Susan B. Anthony Pro-Life America! Pro-Life Representatives go door-to-door in their community to conduct simple surveys on pro-life issues with voters. Field Representatives start at \$15 an hour with the potential to make \$20 an hour including bonuses. Field Representatives are reimbursed \$0.30/mile for their travels. Hours are flexible (up to 40 hours per week). Must be 16 or older, able to abide by strict daily reporting requirements, and in harmony with a pro-life mission. Contact us today! Email Brooke Baker at Brooke@sbafieldteam.org or call 405-203-8810.

Visit https://sbaprolife.org for more information.

Use the QR code to apply today!



Bishop's Discernment Dinner

Do you think you have a calling to the vocation of Priesthood and you are discerning if this is God's path for you? This is an annual opportunity for men age 17 and up to meet Bishop Boyea and our seminarians, and to learn more about discerning a call to the priesthood. The event will be held on Sunday, August 17th at the St. Francis Retreat Center in DeWitt. Check-in will start at 4:00pm, followed by a BBZ dinner. Dismissal at 7:00pm. To RSVP, visit http://lansingpriest.org/opportunities/.

St. Vincent Seeking a President

Resurrection's St. Vincent de Paul is seeking a volunteer President to oversee the operation of our parish St. Vincent office. The role requires about 12 hours a week. It would include working with volunteers and Neighbors in Need, providing services that we provide via the phone and face-to-face. If you have ever thought about serving people in our community, please contact Dan Dowsett with questions at dowsett.dan@gmail.com or 517-775-2515.

July Offertory

Budgeted Amount: \$114,583 Actual Amount: \$156,695

Variance: + \$ 42,112





BACK TO SCHOOL

Important dates to remember!

- August 14 First Scrip Sale of the school year! Stop by the school office between 9-10:30am. Questions? Email nlavagnino@corlansing.org.
- August 17 Open House and supplies drop-off from 10:15 -11:15am at the school.
- August 19 First day of school! Half-day dismissal is at 11:30am.
- August 25 Back to School Parent Meeting in Mercy Hall is from 6:30pm-8:30pm.

Ox Roast News

Mark your calendars! Tell your friends! The 90th Annual Ox Roast will be held October 10-11, 2025. Hours are Friday from 4:00—11:00pm and Saturday from 2:00—11:00pm. Come for the "Original" Ox Roast Sandwich, along with the following highlights:

- Children's Games
- Bake Sale
- Concession Food and Snacks
- Shamrock Pub
- Hourly 50/50 Raffles
- Super Raffle—\$12,500 in prizes!
- Miscellaneous Raffle featuring a large variety of new items and famous Wheelbarrow of Cheer
- Live and DJ Entertainment under the tent

We are looking for donated items for the Ox Roast's Miscellaneous Raffle. The items must be new with a minimum value of \$25, please. Donated items may be dropped off at the parish office by October 2nd. You can alternatively contact Cindi Currie at 517-485-5886.

Rosary with the Knights of Columbus

You are invited to pray the Rosary with the Knights of Columbus on Monday, August 11th at 7:00pm in the Church. Please join us! We look forward to praying with you!

Attention all Lovers of the Good Shepherd

If you love children and the Good Shepherd, pray about offering two hours a week to assist in a holy work at Resurrection School where the children meet the Good Shepherd through Lituray

and Scripture. No prior experience is needed; we will train you. The rewards you'll receive are heavenly. If you hear the promptings of the Holy Spirit for this work, please email Marianne Vasievich at mvasievich@corlansing.org.



Catholic Charities Appeal

You can help change the lives of those in need by participating in this appeal! Your donation will help to continue the works of the Catholic Church right here in our community through a variety of programs and services, including the children's home, foster care and adoption program, health clinic, food pantry, a refugee resettlement program, dental center, clothing closet and more.

You can make a donation in one of the following ways:

- Make a check payable to Catholic Charities IEC, place it in one of the provided envelopes, and put it in the collection basket or drop off at the parish office.
- Visit www.CatholicCharitiesIEC.org and follow the instructions provided.
- Scan the QR code below for easy access to make a secure donation.



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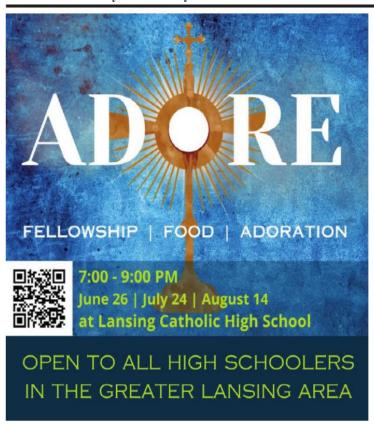
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Catholic Charities is also in need of new or gently used crucifixes to use throughout the Children's Home and administration buildings. If you have one or more to donate, please call 517-323-4734 or email sjackinchuk@catholiccharitiesiec.org.





Summer Scripture Days—Prophets of Hope

We are called to be pilgrims of hope! Join us to explore the prophets of the Old Testament & New Testament, and their incredible message of hope. Dive into this Jubilee Year of Hope with us. Specific session topics are forthcoming.

This retreat takes place August 19-21 in the Bethany House on the grounds on St. Francis Retreat Center. Bethany House guest rooms are single or double occupancy and each have a private bathroom. The entire facility is air conditioned and there is Wi-Fi throughout the building. Any adult over the age of 18 is welcome to attend. To register, or for more information, visit:

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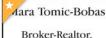
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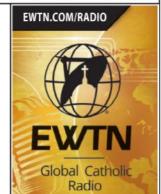






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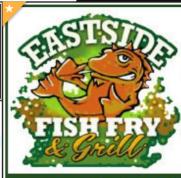
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