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Sunday, July 16, 2023 **Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

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PARISH OFFICE

info@corlansing.org Tues-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, July 15, 2023

8:15am Int. Theresa McDowell—Staff

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

5:00pm Int. Mike Ball—Fisher Family

Sunday, July 16, 2023

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am Thomas McNamara

11:00am For the Parish

5:00pm Lou Tallarico—Family

Monday, July 17, 2023

7:45am Confessions Cancelled

8:15am Mass Cancelled

Tuesday, July 18, 2023 No Mass or Confessions

Wednesday, July 19, 2023

5:45pm Perpetual Help Devotion

6:00pm Patrick Dennany—Kim Dennany

6:30pm-7:30pm Confessions

Thursday, July 20, 2023

7:45am Confessions

8:15am Edward Wohlscheid—Bob Murrell

Friday, July 21, 2023

7:45am Confessions

8:15am Roger & Suzanne Boltz—The Rios

Family

9:00am-6:30pm Adoration

5:30pm-6:30pm Confessions

Saturday, July 22, 2023

8:15am Andrew Spadafore—Pat & Fred Thelen

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

5:00pm Ronald Stenske—The Stenske Family

Sunday, July 23, 2023

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am Int. Mike & Marianne Vasievich on their 50th Wedding Anniversary—Mike & Marianne

11:00am Int. Andrew & Allen Gallavan—Abby Preiwisch

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 mass will be August 13th..



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Our sick: For all those suffering from COVID-19, and for Juliet Cary, 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:

67,957 Total number of Rosaries prayed. Tally sheets are available at the East Entrances of Church

LIVING ROSARY INTENTION FOR JULY:

For all unborn to come into the world.

Please join this devotion to Our Blessed Mother.



Monday, July 17: Olga Sweeney, Theresa Walker, Travis Allen

Tuesday, July 18: Joshua Mattson, Rebecca Michaels, Enoch Giles, Kevin Boggs

Wednesday, July 19: Louis Heldt, Parker Kuch, Thomas Fink

Thursday, July 20: Philip Flynn, Ted Pokorski **Friday, July 21**: Theodore Pokorski, Benicio Arellano, Emily Giles, JoiAnna Lowe, Bob Telfer, Lou Ann Dowsett, Brian Fink, Dennis Kill

Saturday, July 22: Kolten Outlaw, David Kerr, Rand Clark, Audrey Tavakoli, Ryan Zemaitis **Sunday, July 23:** Nancy Novakoski, Rita Zakhem, Marianne Dion, Thomas Dion, Patrick Biergans

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 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 <u>20 minutes</u> before Mass and sign in

July 15-16

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	Extraordinary Minister	Reader
Saturday, 5:00 PM	Jim Wohlscheid - 1 Bob Adado - 2	Brady Stevenson - 1 Joanne Schutz - 2
Sunday, 9:00 AM	Sean O'Neill - 1 Joe DeWitt - 2	Chris Veneklase - 1 Brian Goulet - 2
Sunday, 11:00 AM	Jim Mattson - 1 Mila Harcus - 2	Mitch Dobrzelewski - 1 Jason Venema - 2
Sunday, 5:00 PM	NOT FILLED - 1 NOT FILLED - 2	NOT FILLED - 1 Mike Walsh - 2

Scripture Readings For the Week of July 16, 2023

Sunday Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 55:10-11; Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13, 14; Rom

8:18-23; Mt 13:1-23 or Mt 13:1-9

Monday Ex 1:8-14, 22; Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8; Mt

10:34-11:1

Tuesday Memorial of Saint Camillus de Lellis,

Priest

Ex 2:1-15a; Ps 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34; Mt

11:20-24

Wednesday Ex 3:1-6, 9-12; Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 6-7; Mt

11:25-27

Thursday Ex 3:13-20; Ps 105:1 & 5, 8-9, 24-25, 26-

27; Mt 11:28-30

Friday Memorial of Saint Lawrence of Brindisi,

Priest and Doctor of the Church

Ex 11:10 – 12:14; Ps 116:12-13, 15 &

16bc, 17-18; Mt 12:1-8

Saturday Feast of Saint Mary Magdalene

Sgs 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5

-6, 8-9; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Sunday Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wis 12:13, 16-19; Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16; Rom 8:26-27; Mt 13:24-43 or Mt 13:24-30

Some Time Away

I'm away this weekend, as I mentioned last Sunday. Please note that confessions and Mass Monday, July 17 will be canceled. As you know, this is my "Bethany." It's a place of rest and refreshment. It was a great grace to have Russ and Cindy Kogut, Fr. Dan Kogut, Pete & Lisa Kogut and their children, and Joe & Molly Fountain at the Fort Wilkins campground. Each day, we celebrate Mass at the local Catholic Church. The first day I preached at Mass this year at Our Lady of the Pines Catholic Church, the date was July 11th, the Memorial of St. Benedict. St. Benedict was the founder of Western Monasticism, and his Rule and the households of faith that were the Benedictine monasteries helped the world at the time retain and grow the Christian view of the world. He was a great gift to the sustaining of Christian Culture in his time. We are all indebted to him. His rule called on monks to have their days formed by "Ora et labora," which means prayer and work. That's the model for all of us, even if we're unable to pray as often or as long as monks are able to pray. We should all begin and end our days, and be sustained by the daily communication with Jesus, to whom, as I preached last week, we do well to remain "yoked." Remember, his yoke is easy, his burden is light.

"The Benedict Option"

At various moments during my tenure as pastor, I have referenced a book written by Rod Dreher, which I believe will be very helpful to us as a parish and a Church as we navigate the increasingly hostile cultural context of our times. The book is *The Benedict Option: A Strategy for* Christians in a Post-Christian Nation. Increasingly, we can see how divided our nation is about what it means to be human and what remedies are most appropriate for various wounds. The elites in the culture place much of the blame for current crises on traditional western values. Some are arguing for the replacement of those values by those inspired more by Marx than by the Holy Spirit. I have preached over the past month or two about how we have effectively lost the "culture wars." The question for us now is how to respond to the new reality. I believe that Dreher's book offers witnesses of communities where the deep ideas of the faith are remembered, honored, and handed on to the next generations. We will need each other more in the future, not less. Please pray for wisdom for a committee that will soon be charged with making practical recommendations about how we as a parish, school, and community can support each other in knowing and living the faith more and more in these hostile times.

Sound of Freedom

I have yet to see the film about human trafficking, but it sounds like it is a vital film for our culture and country to

grapple with, because it reveals a dark underbelly of our culture. I hope to see it soon, and believe I can recommend it for mature audiences. Because it reveals such evil, it might have an ill-effect, even a sense of being overwhelmed by how our nation and world can allow such evil. A prayer that our prayer ministry uses after prayer ministry may be helpful should you ever feel overwhelmed or troubled by things you see or hear about. It comes from the John Paul II Healing Center resources.

Cleansing Prayer Following Ministry Lord Jesus, thank You for sharing with me Your wonderful ministry of healing and deliverance. Thank you for the healings that I have seen and experienced today. I realize that the sickness and evil I encounter is more than my humanity can bear, so cleanse me of any sadness, negativity or despair that I may have picked up. If my ministry has tempted me to anger, impatience or lust, cleanse me of those temptations and replace them with love, joy and peace. If any evil spirits have attached themselves to me or oppressed me in any way, I com*mand you, to depart – now – and go straight to Jesus* Christ for Him to deal with you as He will. Come Holy Spirit: renew me- fill me with your power, your life, and your joy. Strengthen me where I have felt weak and clothe me with your light. Fill me with life. Lord Jesus, please send your holy angels to minister to me and my family – guard us and protect us from all sickness, harm and accidents.

Beauty of Creation

I'm writing this column at a campground in Copper Harbor. It's a perfect day, filled with beauty and God's blessings. I brought my kayak and bike, and it has been a great break from every day life. I look forward to returning home refreshed by God's goodness to me in and through the beauty of creation. During my time away, I have given God thanks that I am beginning my twelfth year as your pastor. As I reflect on the past eleven years, I can see that God has been very faithful. Though we are still very much a parish and school "in progress" (as I am myself!), the Lord has blessed us richly. Among God's many blessings, being pastor at the Church of the Resurrection is among God's greatest gifts to me. Be assured of my daily prayers for you. Please pray for me. Come, Holy Spirit!

With gratitude for all God's gifts,

Father Steve

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Summer Office Hours

Beginning June 5th, our parish office summer hours are Tuesday through Thursday, 8am-12pm and 12:30pm-4:30pm. Our office is closed on Mondays and Fridays.



If you had your picture taken for the parish directory and haven't claimed your book yet, please come by the parish office to pick it up!

Changed Address or Phone Number?

Please contact the parish office at 517-482-4749 or email mspalding@corlansing.org to update your information.

Mass Intentions for 2023

If you are interested in scheduling a mass intention this summer, please call 517-482-4749, email mspalding@corlansing.org, or stop by the parish office. We have many openings in July and August.

Online Giving

This is a friendly reminder to anyone who has made the switch to Online Giving to contact our parish office so that we can cancel your Our Sunday Visitor envelopes. You can contact the office by phone (517)482-4749 or email at mspalding@corlansing.org



Summer Updates from the School

We are mostly finished with the hiring process for the upcoming school year.

3rd Grade Teacher

We will miss having Teresa McDowell as our 3rd grade teacher, but we are happy for her to be able to spend more time with her children and grandchildren. We are also blessed that Niabh Keenan has accepted the 3rd grade position. Niabh is a parishioner at Resurrection who just recently graduated from Grand Valley State. She has done extensive work in youth ministry and substitute teaching with parishes and schools in Grand Rapid, and we are very excited to add her to our teaching staff!

Latin Teacher

We are still searching for someone to teach Latin parttime in the school. Please pray for the Lord to bring us a good candidate for this position and share this opportunity family and friends who also love Latin. They may be interested or know someone who is!

Enrollment

We are anticipating 200 students in the elementary and middle school for the fall, and 40 in the preschool. This will put our school over 90% of our enrollment capacity. We know that is due in large part to the commitment of our pastor, parish, and parishioners for spiritually and materially supporting the school. Our families are so blessed by the school and the community of faith which surrounds our children.

Green Envelopes

Many of our parishioners give directly to the school through the Green Envelope which has been a tremendous blessing to the school for many years! We also have families giving recurring gifts to the school on a weekly or monthly basis. The funds generated through the Green Envelop are essential for supporting the operational needs of the school. It helps us to provide books and instructional materials for students without charging a book fee, and it also helps us to cover the teacher salaries without charging our school families the full cost to educate, which is \$5,500 per student. It is only through the generosity of our parish that we can maintain affordable tuition for our families. If you are one of the many parishioners making a direct gift through the Green Envelop in-person or online, thank you for being so generous in supporting the school! And if you didn't know about the Green Envelop but want to make a gift, please look for the Green Envelop next month or go to our online giving platform. https://www.corlansing.org/give

Children's Business Fair

Saturday, August 5th

Sanctuary Academy of Dewitt is hosting our 2nd Annual Children's Business Fair! Children ages 6-16 are encouraged to participate. The cost to rent a booth is \$15, and there will be prizes awarded for each age group. Registrants will create a product to sell, and design and run their own booth from start to finish. The only rule is that products must be made entirely by the children, with no adult assistance! The fair will be held Saturday August 5th from 10am-1pm at the St. Jude Parish parking lot: 801 N. Bridge Street, DeWitt. Register for the fair today by visiting: www.childrensbusinessfair.org/dewitt-michigan

Shared Pregnancy Needs

Shared Pregnancy needs larger baby items: portable bouncy seats, crib mattresses, swings, safety gates, light folding strollers, umbrella strollers, car seats less than 5 years old, highchairs, dressers, bassinets, activity saucers, play mats, pack-n-plays; crib sheets, infant washcloths, hooded towels, bibs, burp cloths, preemie and newborn footed sleepers, receiving blankets; shower wash, lotion, and shampoo for moms; visit amazon.com/registries and search SP Women's Center for a full list of needs.

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Entertainment:

- Fri July 21, 2023: THE FROG & BEEF-TONES BAND from 7:00 pm- 11:00 pm
- Sat July 22, 2023: BLIND AMBITION BAND from 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm
- Sat July 22, 2023: THE LIBERTY BAND from 7:00 pm - Midnight (Vietnamese Concert)
- Sunday 23, 2023: LANSING BROTHERS BAND from 1:00 pm – 6:00 pm (Vietnamese Community Day)

Food & Games:

- Fri July 21, 2023: 5:00 pm Midnight
- Sat July 22, 2023: 11:00 am 1:00 am
- Sunday July 23, 2023: 12:00 pm -6:00 pm.

Come relax and enjoy with us!!

Registration is open for the 2023 Michigan Catholic Women's Conference!

The 2023 Michigan Catholic Women's Conference will be held on Saturday, October 21, 2023 from 9am – 5pm in Lansing, Michigan. The theme is "Quenched" and our guiding Bible verse is from Isaiah 58:11 - "Then the Lord will guide you always and satisfy your thirst in parched \places, will give strength to your bones and you shall be like a watered garden, like a flowing spring whose waters never fail." We will welcome Lisa Brenninkmeyer, founder of Walking with Purpose, as our Keynote Speaker, and Sheri Wohlfert, Karen Ervin and Fr. Dan Westermann will also share messages on this theme during the conference. The day will be filled with music and activities to build your spirit through the love of Jesus and the energy of the Holy Spirit.

Learn more about the conference and register now at MichiganCWC.org

From now until May 31, registration will be at its lowest rate of \$64.50. On June 1st tickets will become \$72.50 for regular admission, and Seniors (62+) and Students will be \$65.

We will offer conference T-shirts - only available for purchase during registration. If you'd like a T-shirt, be sure to order when you register.

Kids on Fire Ministries Holy Spirit Safari

Holy Spirit Safari is a 4-morning camp, created to equip kids to lovingly minister to others and grow in their relationship with the Trinity of God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. In this camp, we will be teaching kids all about the BOLDNESS of the Holy Spirit and how through His POWER, we can do amazing things in Jesus' name! Galatians 5:25 says "If we live by the Spirit, let us also walk by the Spirit". Friends, as we walk through this life with Holy Spirit, we have nothing to fear, for God is with us!

HOLY SPIRIT SAFARI includes Prophetic Art, Praise & Worship through Dance and Song, Prayer Ministry, Character Building, Themed Games, Snacks, and More!

Please reach out to us on our website contact page with any questions. Our team is excited to work with your kiddos and witness them Growing Together in the Holy Spirit!

Please visit http://www.kidsonfire.life/ for more information!

The Diocese of Lansing will be holding the 23rd Knights' Family Night to Celebrate Vocations during a baseball game at Jackson Field in Lansing! This year's event will be Friday August 18th. The game will feature the Lansing Lugnuts vs. the Great Lakes Loons. This will be a very fun event that has been designed for the entire family. It will be attended by some 2,000 Catholics from all over the Lansing Diocese, our seminarians, dozens of priests, deacons, and s isters, and the Knights of Columbus. Please show your support by ordering game tickets (\$13) each) and join your fellow Resurrection parishioners at the game. Donations will also be accepted to bring children from Holy Cross Children's Services, St Louis Center, and St. Vincent Home for Children to the game. Resurrection Knights of Columbus purchased 60 tickets to be sold on a first come, first served basis. Contact Bill Currie at 485-5886 or curriewmm@aol.com to order tickets. Make checks payable to "K of C Council #11099", with "Lugnuts tickets" on the memo line.

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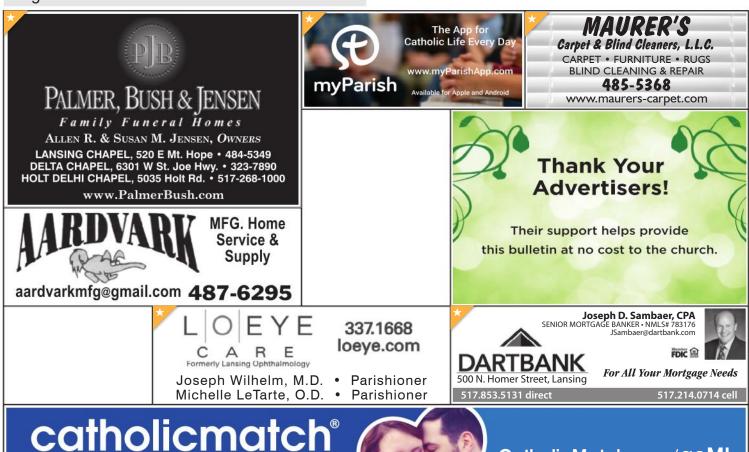
Ox Roast Miscellaneous Raffle

In September we will be celebrating our 88th Ox Roast Festival. We are looking for donated items for the Miscellaneous Raffle. Those items could include electronics, kitchen appliances, household items, outdoor items, children's toys/games, gift cards, etc.

The items must be new. Minimum value \$25, please.

Donated items may be dropped off at the parish office, or contact Don Gardner 517 648-3218 or Cindi Currie 517 485- 5886. All items must be dropped off by Thursday, August 31.

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