

This Week at Our ChurchesSunday, February 24: Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: 1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23; Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10, 12-13; 1 Cor 15:45-49; Lk 6:27-38
 Prayers: Glorious mysteries, Divine Mercy chaplet, Angelus
 8:30am Rosary prayed at Our Lady of Grace
 9:00am **Holy Mass at Our Lady of Grace**
 9:00am **Santa Misa en Santa María (Español)**
 10:00am Coffee and rolls at Our Lady of Grace
 10:00am Rosary prayed at St. Mary
 10:30am **Holy Mass at St. Mary for the intentions of Jean and John Gawel by their friends**
 11:30am Education Endowment Raffle and coffee and rolls at St. Mary
 11:30am Knights Council 9802 Burrito sale at St. Mary
 12:00pm Rosario se reza en Santa María (Español)
 12:30pm **Santa Misa en Santa María (Español) for † Reynaldo Gonzáles by Rosa Pacheco**
 4:00pm Eucharistic Adoration at St. Mary
 4:15pm Confessions at St. Mary
 5:00pm **Holy Mass at St. Mary for the people of our parish**

Monday, February 25

Readings: Sir 1:1-10; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Mk 9:14-29
 Prayers: Joyful mysteries, Divine Mercy chaplet, Angelus
 9:00am **Holy Mass at Our Lady of Grace for † Mr. and Mrs. William Tillson by Mike and Patti Birkhold**
 12:45pm Cenacles of Life Rosary prayed at OLG
 12:45pm St. Mary's Homeschool Co-op at OLG
 6:30pm ESL at Our Lady of Grace

Tuesday, February 26

Readings: Sir 2:1-11; Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40; Mk 9:30-37
 Prayers: Sorrowful mysteries, Divine Mercy chaplet, Angelus
 11:00am Eucharistic Adoration at Our Lady of Grace
 11:40am Confessions at Our Lady of Grace
 12:10pm **Holy Mass at Our Lady of Grace**
 6:30pm RCIA at Our Lady of Grace

Wednesday, February 27

Readings: Sir 4:11-19; Ps 119:165, 168, 171-172, 175-175; Mk 9:38-40
 Prayers: Glorious mysteries, Divine Mercy chaplet, Angelus
 5:30pm Eucharistic Adoration at St. Mary
 6:00pm Confessions at St. Mary
 6:30pm **Santa Misa en Santa María (Español)**
 6:15pm Religious Ed classes at Our Lady of Grace

Thursday, February 28

Readings: Sir 5:1-8; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Mk 9:41-50
 Prayers: Luminous mysteries, Divine Mercy chaplet, Angelus
 11:00am Eucharistic Adoration at St. Mary
 11:40am Confessions at St. Mary
 12:10pm **Holy Mass at St. Mary for † Patrick and Jeanette Kuchnicki by Kent Kuchnicki**
 6:30pm EESA at St. Mary

Friday, March 1: First Friday

Readings: Sir 6:5-17; Ps 119:12, 16, 18, 27, 34-35; Mk 10:1-12
 Prayers: Sorrowful mysteries, Divine Mercy chaplet, Angelus
 10:30am Rosary prayed for priests in Lourdes Hall
 11:00am Eucharistic Adoration at St. Mary
 11:40am Confessions at St. Mary
 12:10pm **Holy Mass at St. Mary for the intentions of Linda Seastrom by Barb Bush**
 7:00pm RCCES at St. Mary

Saturday, March 2: First Saturday

Readings: Sir 17:1-15; Ps 103:13-18; Mk 10:13-16
 Prayers: Joyful mysteries, Divine Mercy chaplet, Angelus
 10:00am Rosary prayed at St. Mary
 10:30am **Holy Mass at St. Mary for First Saturday**
 2:00pm Quinceñera at St. Mary
 3:00pm Eucharistic Adoration at Our Lady of Grace
 3:00pm Confessions at Our Lady of Grace
 4:00pm **Holy Mass at Our Lady of Grace**
 4:00pm Wedding at St. Mary

Sunday, March 3: Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Sir 27:4-7; Ps 92:2-3, 13-16; 1 Cor 15:54-58; Lk 6:39-45
 Prayers: Glorious mysteries, Divine Mercy chaplet, Angelus
 8:30am Rosary prayed at Our Lady of Grace
 9:00am **Holy Mass at Our Lady of Grace for † Dorothy Bauer by the Women's Guild**
 9:00am **Santa Misa en Santa María (Español)**
 10:00am Breakfast at Our Lady of Grace
 10:00am Rosary prayed at St. Mary
 10:30am **Holy Mass at St. Mary for the intentions of Martin Stevens by Monica Stevens**
 12:00pm Rosario se reza en Santa María (Español)
 12:30pm **Santa Misa en Santa María (Español) for the people of our parish**
 4:00pm Eucharistic Adoration at St. Mary
 4:15pm Confessions at St. Mary
 5:00pm **Holy Mass at St. Mary**

One at a Time Ministry

One at a Time Ministry is looking for donations to cover the cost of a parishioner's home repair and a lift chair. We are also looking for a gently used washing machine. Monetary donations may be put in an envelope labeled "One at a Time" and placed in the offertory basket.



Thank you for your generous support!

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

David Cook & Ariel Trejo
& children Silas & Violeta

Prayer Line

St. Mary: Benita Mikesell, 231-803-4425
or Jean Gawel, 231-798-8493

Our Lady of Grace: Anna Mogdics, 231-670-5073

Prayer RequestsPlease keep these individuals in your prayers

Jenny Visconti, Jim & Darleen Breen, Juliana Prow, Bob Hoos,
Robert Hill, Jr., Lynne Wood, Frank & Nancy Cereska,
Evelyn Smith, Diane Williams, Larry Gilbert, Fred Kenny, Jr.,
Yvonne Peterson, Delores Zakroczemski, John Potter, Ellis Dilts,
Rose Marie Mikesell, Ron Betlejewski, Ben Offrink, John
McCormick, Sotero Leyton, Billie Leonard, Gloria Cline,
Pat Hogan, Jeff Kenny, Ron Faino, Jose Alcahuter, Christine
Siedlecki, Ralph Alvesteffer, Bill Forton, William & Benita
Mikesell, Christine Stewart, Lyle Robbins, Mary Jane Duguay,
Julian Pita, Omar Morales Garzon, Juana Ramirez, Daniel J.
Wright, Jade Seledón. Judy Grimm, Maria Beegle,
James Alviar, and John Wilson

Please pray for our homebound parishioners

Ruth Stevens, Jim Dalum, Rose Ann Bird, Bernice Brown,
Rosemary Keefe, Betty Reilly, Johanna Ripka, and
Bob & Shirley Sterrit

Please pray for our parishioners who are in care

Phil Hoos, Eugene Rewalt, Arlene LeBeau, Carolene McIntosh,
Pat Simonson, Jackie Blake, Gene Gianetti, Jr., Rosalie Venn,
Alyce Donalson, Lucille Radke, Kathy Hale,, Gloria Lack,
Nancy Mahoney, and Jim Nordhoff

Please pray for our parishioners in the military

PFC Abraham Angel Luis Aguilar; SSG Richarda (Rikki)
Amaya; Sgt. Jakob Bergquist; Spec. Alex Block; Nic Frank, Air
Force; IS3 Cody Hacker; Erin McDermott, US Army; Fireman
Ryan McIntire, US Coast Guard; 1st Lt. Timothy Merkle; Wade
Sanford, US Air Force; Andrew Shadowski, US Army; Major
Adam Shaw; Staff Sgt. Casey Sowa; Master Sgt. April Sowa;
Elias Vihtelic, US Navy; Kelsi Corriveau, Air Force;
and Sgt. Dustin Sparks, Army National Gaurd

Man: The Image of God

“Man, enticed by the Evil One, abused his freedom at the very beginning of history.” He succumbed to temptation and did what was evil. He still desires the good, but his nature bears the wound of original sin. He is now inclined to evil and subject to error:

Man is divided in himself. As a result, the whole life of men, both individual and social, shows itself to be a struggle, and a dramatic one, between good and evil, between light and darkness.” (CCC 1707)

Sacrificial Offerings and Other Contributions**February 10, 2019**

Budget Weekly Amount \$ 12,672.75
General Fund \$ 9,574.47
Online Giving \$ 1,529.55
Shortage \$ 1,568.73
Heat \$ 60.00
Donuts \$ 35.50
Candles \$ 144.50
Building & Restoration \$ 115.00
Altar Society \$ 606.00

February 17, 2019

Budget Weekly Amount \$ 12,672.75
General Fund \$ 8,510.69
Online Giving \$ 1,485.55
Shortage \$ 2,676.51
Donuts \$ 49.50
Altar Society \$ 30

Contribution Counters: Week of February 24:
Team 6

Mass Attendance: February 17, 2019

4:00pm N/A	9:00am (OLG) N/A
9:00am (SM) 53	10:30am 207
12:30pm 164	5:00pm 158

4pm Mass Parking

When attending the Saturday 4pm Mass, please do not park in the small garage lot on Marquette, directly across from the church doors at Our Lady of Grace. A high school robotics group meets there during that time. Thank you!

***** Attention *** Atención *****

The Emergency Line number is changing!
The new number is 231-260-6625.

Both the old and new numbers will work until March 12th. After that only the new number will work!

¡La línea de emergencia tendrá un nuevo número!

El Nuevo número será 231-260-6625.

¡El número Viejo y el Nuevo estarán funcionando hasta el 12 de Marzo después solo el número Nuevo!



DIOCESE OF GRAND RAPIDS

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
February 16, 2019

Contact:

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The Diocese of Grand Rapids' Office of Communications has issued the following statement from Bishop David J. Walkowiak in response to the Holy See's announcement that former Archbishop McCarrick has been dismissed from the clerical state.

I stand in solidarity with our Holy Father in his decision to dismiss former Archbishop Theodore McCarrick from the clerical state based on the former Archbishop's actions.

Cardinals and bishops, like priests and deacons, must be held accountable for any actions that cause harm to the most vulnerable in our communities. I encourage all individuals to report such instances to both the Church and civil authorities so that the appropriate steps toward justice and healing may be taken.

The Church must continue to seek forgiveness for its previous actions and I pray that this decision will provide a source of healing to the former Archbishop's victim-survivors. I, along with the Catholic faithful, will continue to pray for all survivors of sexual abuse and provide assistance to promote healing.

As the presidents of the world's episcopal conferences meet in Rome this week, I pray that the meeting will bear fruit to help cleanse the Catholic Church and restore the trust of the faithful.

Distinctly Catholic: Inaugural Conference Call

All parishioners are invited to join Mark Morrow, Executive Director of the Catholic Foundation of West MI for a conference call via phone or online to learn:

- What makes our foundation distinctly Catholic
- What ministries receive mission-critical support from the Foundation
- Where we started and our potential to reach \$100 million in assets
- The significant impact our Catholic foundation has every single day in our diocese

Conference Call Details

Wednesday, March 13, 2019

1:00pm-1:45pm

Call in number: 1-646-558-8656

Participant number: 4514466751##

Online web address: <https://zoom.us> Access Code: 4514466751

Mark is looking forward to engaging with each of you and taking a close look at our uniquely Catholic Foundation in this inaugural conference call!

Called to Carmel: 2019 Vocation Retreat

The Carmelite Sisters of the Divine Heart of Jesus invite single, Catholic young women, ages 18-35, to spend a weekend with them to experience and learn their life of prayer and apostolic works.

There will be Mass, Community Prayer, Confession, Holy Hour, Spiritual Talks, Meals, and Recreation.

You will have the opportunity to meet the sisters, as well as other young women who are discerning their own calling.

2019 Dates:

March 8-10

May 17-19

June 19-21

Sept 13-15

Nov 15-17

For more information about the Carmelite Sisters, please visit carmelcjdjnorth.org.

If you have questions, would like more information, or want to sign up for a retreat, please contact the sisters via email at carmelcjdjnorth@gmail.com

All retreats are held at the Provincial House
 1230 Kavanaugh Pl
 Wauwatosa, WI 53213

¡Reserva el día!Próximos eventos en Español en la Diócesis

Pastoral de Conjunto—13 de marzo

Reunión de Estado (Lansing) —20 de marzo

Preparación Matrimonial—5 y 6 de abril

On Your Mark, Get Set, Go!

The Women's Guild is holding it's first meeting of the year on Sunday, March 10th, at OLG following the 9am Mass.

There are lots of great activities on the horizon for 2019!

All women from our merged parish are most welcome to attend!

Evangelization Clip

by Deacon Jim Schiltz

Two words for this Gospel: *Example and Exhortation*. Jesus gives us the *Example* of His life and we hear His *Exhortations*. *Jesus' life is an example of love and forgiveness. Jesus' Exhortations: Love your enemies, Lend expecting nothing back, Be merciful, Stop judging, Stop condemning, Forgive, Give, to needy people.* If we *forgive* our burdens are lifted. We sleep and are healthy. Deciding to carry burdens of anger, resentment, and hatred cause mental and physical problems. Jesus gives us valuable advice concerning our relationships with family, friends, and co-workers: "*Do to others as you would have them do to you.*" That exhortation has contributed to the success of many in business, education, and government. As disciples, we take on the heart and mind of Jesus Himself. We simply are better people by living by the Example and Exhortations of Jesus. *Talk with your family about how this works for you.*

Make an eternal difference in your life and in the lives of those you care about with a day at the Building a Legacy 2019 Catholic Men's Conference on Saturday, March 9th, at West Catholic High School in Grand Rapids. Featuring Elvis Grbac, Matt Fradd, and Matthew Leonard. Mass will be celebrated by Bishop David Walkowiak. For details and to register, go to www.buildingalegacy.org.

Questions? Call Deacon Jim at 616-292-0422. Registration and is limited...don't miss out!

Save the Date!

Honor St. Patrick will take place on Monday, March 18th, 2019 at Hennessy's Pub in downtown Muskegon.

Money raised goes to help support the CCWM Lakeshore Baby Pantry.

Mark your calendars and start spreading the word!



All women, ages 18 and up, are invited to attend the annual Diocesan Women's Conference on March 16 at Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church (6390 Belmont Ave. NE, Belmont, MI 49306).

The conference will feature author, speaker and missionary, Colleen C. Mitchell.

The cost, which includes morning hospitality and lunch, is \$30 prior to March 12 and \$35 after the 12th.

Registration is available on the diocesan website or by contacting Marianne Verner at mverner@GRdiocese.org; 616-246-0588.

