

**COMUNIDAD CATÓLICA de
ST. GREGORY-OUR LADY OF FATIMA**

**SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT
SEGUNDO DOMINGO DE CUARESMA**

March 01, 2015 ~ 01 de Marzo 2015



MASS SCHEDULE ~ LA MISA

Saturday	5:00 pm	Shelby
Sunday	9:30 am	Hart
Domingo	11:30 am	Hart; Español

RECONCILIATION

Saturday	4:00 pm	Shelby
By appointment		(231) 873-2660

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BREAD OF LIFE FOOD PANTRY Wednesdays 3-5:00; 11 Washington St., Hart

Our Lady of Fatima is located at 1372 S Oceana Dr, Shelby
St. Gregory is located at 316 S Peach, Hart

LITURGY ~ LITÚRGIA
March 01-08 Marzo

Tuesday/Martes
 9:00 am StG Jerry Dennert
Thursday/Jueves
 5:15 pm StG Mass
Friday/Viernes
 9:00 am OLF Mass
Saturday/Sabado
 5:00 pm OLF Mike Lulich
Sunday/Domingo
 9:30 am StG Virginia Oomen
 11:30 am StG Familia Parroquial



PARISH CALENDAR
Mar 01– 08 Marzo

Mon/Lunes	8-9:00 am	Prayer Group- 206 S Peach, Hart
	OLF 10:00-3 pm	Quilt Club with noon potluck
	OLF 6:30-8 pm	Confirmation Class
Wed/Miércoles	3-5:00 pm	Food Pantry, 11 Washington Ave
	StG 3:30-4:45	Rel Ed Gr 1-6
	StG 6:00	Rel Ed Gr 7&8
	OLF 6:15-7:45	Rel Ed Gr K-6 (supper at 5:45pm)
Thurs/Jueves	StG 11:30-12:30	Lenten Luncheon
	7:00 pm	Lenten Bible Study
Fri/Viernes	StG 7:00 pm	Viacrucis
Sat/Sabado	OLF 10-7:00	Confirmation Retreat
	StG 10:00 am	First Saturday Devotions
Sun/Domingo	OLF 6:00-8 pm	Youth Group

COMMUNAL PENANCE SERVICE
 with Individual Confessions

Thursday, Mar 26
 5:15 pm at St Gregory

MINISTRY SCHEDULE/MINISTERIOS DE LA MISA
Mar 7-8 Marzo

Ministers of the Word/Lectura
 5:00 pm Confirmation Students
 9:30 am Georgia Dennison
 11:30 am Julia Briones
Ministers of the Eucharist/Comunión
 5:00 pm N Warmuskerken, P Earhart, P Poynter
 9:30 am A Cunningham, B Birkman, H Schaner
 11:30 am A Tudon, A Ropdriguez, M Barco
Altar Servers/Acólitos
 5:00 pm Confirmation Students
 9:30 am Ella Smith
 11:30 am A Briones, U Escoto
Ministers of Hospitality/Bienvenida
 5:00 pm Confirmation Students
 9:30 am Vanderstelt Family
 11:30 am Lorenzo Martinez y Familia
Ushers/Colecta y Ofrendas
 5:00 pm Confirmation Students
 9:30 am R Ulmstead, C Aerts, D Schaner, D VanderZanden
 11:30 am Gerardo Morales y Famlia



LENT SOUP & BREAD LUNCHEONS: Thurs, Mar 05, 11:30 am-12:30 pm. Please join us at St. Gregory's in the parish center. Enjoy some wonderful food for your body and soul. Our speaker for this week is Maria Waite, Director of COVE, Inc.

The mission of COVE is to provide protection and advocacy to victims of Domestic / Sexual Violence and or Homelessness, and to educate the community about the root causes of violence.

LENTEN BIBLE STUDY: Thurs, Mar 5, 7-8:30 pm at St. Gregory. An opportunity for learning, reflecting and faith sharing. All are welcome.

FRIDAY NIGHT FISH DINNERS:

- ST JOSEPH/ST VINCENT PARISH: Weare hall, thru Apr 3, 5-7:00 pm.
- LUDINGTON AREA CATHOLIC SCHOOL: St. Simon's, thru Apr 3, 4:30-7:00 pm.

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS: Sat, Mar 7, 10:00 am at St. Gregory.

CONFIRMATION STUDENTS: Class meets on Monday, Mar 2, 6:30-8:00 at OLF. On Sat, Mar 7, 10:00 am - 7:00 pm, the confirmation students will attend a retreat at OLF. As part of this retreat, our 25 candidates will be participating in the 5:00 pm Mass. Please keep them in your prayers.

YOUTH GROUP: Sun, Mar 8, 6:00 - 8:00 pm at OLF. Dinner and a movie this week.

RIGHT TO LIFE MEETING: Tues, Mar 3, 7:00 pm. Meets at Hart Wesleyan Church, 3757 W Polk Rd. For those who can't speak for themselves. Contact: Wally at 231-233-1560 or Paulette at 231-742-2042.

SNACKS FOR ST GREGORY REL ED: We are still in need of snacks. The children and teachers appreciate your continued support of our Religious Ed Program.

JOIN GR DOMINICAN SISTERS: All this year our Church is celebrating the gift of consecrated life. The Grand Rapids Dominican Sisters invite single Catholic women, ages 18-40 who are considering this vocation to join them for prayer, Mass and dinner on Sun, Mar 15, 9:15-1:00. Please RSVP by Mar 11 to Sr Doris Faber OP, 616-540-2324 or email dfaber@grdominicans.org

JOB OPENINGS: Visit dioceseofgrandrapids.org for details.

- Grand Rapids Catholic Secondary Schools is seeking a full-time Business/Central Services Manager to support their financial and administrative needs.
- The Diocese of Grand Rapids is seeking to fill the visible, full-time position of Receptionist for Cathedral Square Center.

CATHOLIC SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS: Bishop Walkowiak invites ALL Catholic families to consider a Catholic school education: "Children have a body and a soul. Both need care." (Bishop David Walkowiak). A half million dollars has been allocated for scholarships. Visit www.CatholicSchools4U.org for your tuition scholarship application and school listings.



REMEMBER IN PRAYER: Jane Cooper, Gene Schaner, Jim Johnson, Tim Beyer, Lori Foster, Phyllis Burmeister, Anita Anderson, David Adamczyk, Ken Church, Kenneth Croff, Joella Riggs, Pam Snider, Karen Mead, Oralia Davilla, Lindsey Blamer, Heather Swiech, Barb Kartes, Meg Ahlgrim, Joyce Lombard, Tom Pangburn, Luis Trujillo Calderon, Paul Setlak, Curt Lambrix, Becky Romero, Marge Bruck, Thurlow Bruck, Jennifer Costilla, Dylan Askew, Tom Hudson, Marilyn Walsworth, Roberta Cedarquist, Rick Lenon, Tim Bosse, Fidencio Vasquez Jr, Sid Whitaker, Dennis Hedinger, Donald Earhart Jr., Marie Nusbaum, Peggy Johanson, Mary Jo Butcher, Juanita McCann, Deana Lenon, Adam Murphy

THANK YOU from Tim Bosse for all the prayers and kind words during and after surgery. He's doing well and grateful for all of his friends.



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The homeless people we encounter - or avoid - are usually on the streets, men and women sprawled on a park bench or huddled in a doorway behind a cardboard sign identifying themselves as veterans, pregnant or unemployed. But according to a recent report from the National Center on Family Homelessness, there has been startling growth in the number of children among the nation's homeless population. Nearly 2.5 million children were homeless at some time during 2013. In 2006, 1 in 50 children were homeless; today the number is 1 in 30.

The term *homeless* covers those who lack a fixed nighttime residence. That includes people sleeping in a park, car, abandoned building or temporary shelter, as well as those who share a hotel room, face eviction or are fleeing violence against or within their family. Despite the economy's recent resurgence, families on the cusp of poverty remain vulnerable. The gap between rich and poor continues to widen, and racial minorities have for the most part not benefited from the recovery. The typical homeless family is an unmarried mother and two children with no means of support. Children living in such unstable circumstances often miss school, fail courses and drop out. Up to 25 percent of pre-school and 40 percent of school-age children are at risk of growing up without the cognitive and social skills needed for future employment and parenting.

The report concludes that we could end child homelessness within a decade if funds at the local, state and federal levels were reallocated, making children a top priority. But first, all of us would have to care.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES WEST MICHIGAN:

- **Infant Adoption program** helps pregnant women, the father of the baby and their families explore the options of parenting and adoption. CCWM is a leader in the area of open adoption services. Contact: (877) 673-6338, or pregnancy@ccwestmi.org.
- **Foster Care program:** 13,000 children in the state of Michigan are in serious need of safe and secure foster and adoptive homes. Find out how you can help by visiting ccwestmi.org/foster-care-adoption or by calling (866) 857-1593.

FAMILY PERSPECTIVE: Jesus went into the desert to put his life in perspective. This Lent, take a fresh look at a difficult relationship in your life. Concentrate on the positive things that person does, not just the negatives. Try to understand why their behaviors "bug" you. Can you honestly share your feelings with them without attacking them? Make Lent a time to MEND and FORGIVE!



TIME CHANGE REMINDER: Next Saturday night, March 7th, the time will change due to Daylight Savings Time. Remember to set your clock forward one hour.

LA MISA

La Misa del Domingo es un espacio sagrado en el que los miembros de la comunidad dedicamos a Dios. Asistimos a la Liturgia Dominical para alabar a Dios, Escuchar su palabra, reflexionar, hacer oración en sus diferentes formas; a través del canto, las oraciones y en forma privada. Participamos para alimentarnos con su Palabra y la comunión, recibiendo el Cuerpo y la Sangre del Señor. La Misa dura solamente una hora.



Por eso es responsabilidad de toda la comunidad crear el ambiente propicio para la Celebración de Misa.

Muchas personas vienen desde muchas millas a la redonda para satisfacer la necesidad que tenemos de alimentarnos espiritualmente.

Por respeto, cortesía y educación al sacerdote, a los miembros de la comunidad de Fe debemos colaborar para tener una Celebración litúrgica propia.

Es deber de todos los participantes evitar interrupciones.

Cuando un niño llora, grita o juega dentro de la Iglesia interrumpe la celebración. Es responsabilidad de la madre o el padre salir y atender a su bebe cuando llora. Si el bebe llora es porque tiene sed, hambre, necesita aire o que le cambien de panal. Si el niño es más grande y está corriendo por toda la Iglesia los padres deben sacarlo al Recibidor.

Afortunadamente nuestra Iglesia tiene el lugar necesario para los padres con niños inquietos y llorando. Este lugar es a la entrada de la Iglesia, tiene sonido y se pueden escuchar y ver lo que pasa dentro de la Iglesia. A este lugar le llamamos vestíbulo o recibidor. Cuando los niños ya van a la escuela es responsabilidad de los Padres y Madres de Familia enseñarles a participar en la Misa con una actitud de respeto y oración.

Si alguien está tosiendo continuamente o necesita hablar con otra persona también debe salir para evitar interrupciones. Obviamente los celulares deben estar apagados.

En la Iglesia toda persona es bienvenida. Nos da gusto que venga la familia completa a la Misa porque es así que las nuevas generaciones aprenden y se educan. Gracias por su colaboración. Queremos que la Misa sea el espacio donde nos llenemos de la energía de Dios para toda la semana.

Paz, Sr Guadalupe y P. Tomás



VIACRUCIS en español los Viernes de Cuaresma a las 7:00 PM los días 27 de febrero, 6, 13, 20 y 27 de Marzo. Cada semana una familia será responsable de dar la bienvenida, entregar los libritos y rezar el Viacrucis. Es una oportunidad de rezar como familia y enseñar a las generaciones Jóvenes nuestras tradiciones religiosas de Cuaresma. Todas las familias están invitadas. Si usted y su familia quieren tomar un día hablen con Sister Guadalupe 231-301-1899.

ESTUDIANTES DE CONFIRMACIÓN: Clase en lunes, 2 de marzo, 6:30-8:00 pm a OLF. Retiro en sábado, 7 de marzo, 10-7:00 a OLF. El retiro incluye asistiendo a la misa. Favor de orar para los estudiantes.

BECAS PARA LAS ESCUELAS CATÓLICAS:

El Obispo hace la primera distribución de medio millón de dólares en Becas para las Escuelas Católicas. ¡Animamos a nuevos estudiantes a solicitar becas! El Obispo Walkowiak invita a TODAS las familias Católicas a considerar una educación Católica: "*Los niños tienen un cuerpo y un alma. Ambos necesitan cuidado.*" (Obispo David Walkowiak) Visite www.CatholicSchools4U.org para la solicitud de su beca y una lista de escuelas.

CAMBIO DE HORA: 7 de marzo a media noche cambiamos el horario, una hora adelante. No olviden de cambiar su reloj.

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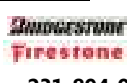
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