



Happy Mother's Day

*Grant that we, their sons and
daughters, may honor them always
with a spirit of profound respect.*

Book of Blessings

Feliz Dia De Las Madres

*Concede, Oh Señor, que nosotros, sus hijos
e hijas podemos honrar a nuestras madres
siempre con un espíritu de respeto profundo.*

Bendicional



*St. Francis
de Sales Parish*

195 West 13th Street,
Holland, MI 49423
www.stfrancisholland.org

Welcome...

Whether you are a visitor or a long-time member of our parish community, you are welcome here. As a community of faith, we believe that our faith is a relationship with Jesus Christ, the Son of God, who suffered, died, and rose from the dead so that we might have eternal life with Him. And this faith is also a journey of daily growing closer to the Lord. It is our mission to share this Good News with others and in so doing, to build up the Kingdom of God. Our parish community extends to you the invitation to enter into or continue this journey with us. You will find in this bulletin information about how we do this through worship, the sacraments, and service to others. You are invited to consider becoming a part of our faith-sharing community.

In Christ, Frs. Charles D. Brown & William VanderWerff

Bienvenido...

Ya sea que usted nos visita o ya es un miembro de nuestra comunidad parroquial, usted siempre es bienvenido aquí. Como una comunidad de fe, creemos que nuestra fe es una relación personal con Jesucristo, el Hijo de Dios, que sufrió, murió, y resucitó de entre los muertos para que nosotros tengamos vida eterna con El. Y esta fe es también una jornada para crecer diariamente mas cerca al Señor. Es nuestra misión el compartir esta Buena Nueva con los demás y al hacerlo, aumentamos el Reino de Dios. Nuestra comunidad parroquial le extiende una invitación para que comience o continúe en esta jornada con nosotros. En este boletín encontrará información acerca de cómo hacemos esto a través del culto, los sacramentos, y el servicio a los demás. Le invitamos a que considere el convertirse en parte de nuestra comunidad de fe.

En Cristo, Padres Charles D. Brown & William VanderWerff

Life in Christ—the Sacraments

Baptism/Bautismo

Parents seeking baptism for their child are welcomed to begin our baptism preparation process (even before baby arrives). Our preparation process includes formation on the sacrament and spiritual reflection. Contact the parish office or visit www.stfranchisholland.org/baptism for more info.

Los padres de familia que deseen bautizar a sus niños (hasta los 6 años) están invitados de empezar el proceso. Nuestra proceso de preparación incluya formación sobre el sacramento y reflexión espiritual. Par mas información comuníquese con la oficina parroquial o visite www.stfranchisholland.org/baptism

First Communion/Primera Comunión

We require that children second grade and up participate in one of our foundational faith formation programs the year prior to beginning sacramental preparation. Visit our website for more information at www.stfranchisholland.org/first-reconciliation.

Se requiere que los niños del segundo grado en adelante participen en un programa básico de formación de fe un año antes de que comiencen su preparación para el sacramento. Para mas información visite nuestro sitio web www.stfranchisholland.org/first-reconciliation.

Confirmation/Confirmación

Eight grade through twelfth grade youth are required to begin preparation in one of our foundational faith formation programs the year prior to beginning sacramental preparation. Visit our website for more information at www.stfranchisholland.org/youthconfirmation.

Se requiere que los jóvenes del grado ocho al grado doce empiecen su preparación en uno de nuestros programas básicos de formación de fe un año antes de que comiencen su preparación para el sacramento. Para mas información visite nuestro sitio web www.stfranchisholland.org/youthconfirmation.

Marriage/Matrimonio

Contact the Parish office a minimum of 6 months prior to the preferred wedding date. Marriage preparation sessions are required.

Comuníquese con la oficina parroquial cuando menos 6 meses antes de la fecha de su boda. Se requieren que asistan a platicas de preparación matrimonial.

Anointing of the Sick/Unción de los Enfermos

Contact the Parish office during hours of operation. Contact the rectory after hours in an emergency only.

Comuníquese con la oficina parroquial en horas hábiles de trabajo. Si la oficina está cerrada hable a la rectoría, pero solamente en caso de emergencia.

Becoming Catholic/Convirtiéndose en Católico

Whether you have questions or you already know you'd like to become Catholic contact Ricardo Valdez, at rvaldez@stfranchisholland.org or 392-6700. Info. is also available at www.stfranchisholland.org/node/632.

Si tiene preguntas o si ya esta seguro de que quiere ser católico, llame a Ricardo Valdez al 616-392-6700 o por email a rvaldez@stfranchisholland.org

Membership/Membresía

New members are always welcome to our Parish. Please call our office to register or pick up a registration packet at the Information Desk in the gathering space in Church. Register also at www.stfranchisholland.org.

Si quiere ser miembro de nuestra parroquia, todos son bienvenidos. Llame por favor a la oficina parroquial o llévese un paquete de registración del escritorio de información ubicado en el atrio de la iglesia.

Pastoral Staff

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Rev. Charles Brown, Pastor Ext. 106
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Sr. Noella Poinsette O.S.F., Outreach/ Social Justice Ext. 114
Tom Eggleston, Pastoral Associate Ext. 104
Guillermo Flores, Immigration Assistance Ext. 110

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St. Vincent de Paul

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What's Happening @ SFDS/Lista de Eventos en SFDS

Scripture Readings for the Week

Monday, May 15

Acts 14:5-8
Jn 14:21-26

Tuesday, May 16

Acts 14:19-28
Jn 14:27-31a

Wednesday, May 17

Acts 15:1-6
Jn 15:1-8

Thursday, May 18

Acts 15:7-21
Jn 15:9-11

Friday, May 19

Acts 15:22-31
Jn 15:12-17

Saturday, May 20

Acts 16:1-10
Jn 15:18-21

Sunday, May 21

Acts 8:5-8, 14-17
1 Pt 3:15-18
Jn 14:15-21

Lecturas Bíblicas de la Semana

Lunes, 15 de Mayo

Monday, May 15

He 14:5-8
Jn 14:21-26

Martes, 16 de Mayo

He 14:19-28
Jn 14:27-31a

Miércoles, 17 de Mayo

He 15:1-6
Jn 15:1-8

Jueves, 18 de Mayo

He 15:7-21
Jn 15:9-11

Viernes, 19 de Mayo

He 15:22-31
Jn 15:12-17

Sábado, 20 de Mayo

He 16:1-10
Jn 15:18-21

Domingo, 21 de Mayo

He 8:5-8, 14-17
1 Pe 3:15-18
Jn 14:15-21

Weekend Masses

Saturday 5:00 pm (Bilingual)
Sunday 8:30 & 10:30 am
Sunday 12:30 pm (Español)

Daily Masses

Monday 12:10 pm
Tuesday 9:00 am
Wednesday 6:00 pm (Español)
Thursday 12:10 pm

Office Hours

Monday - Thursday
8:30 am to 6:00 pm
Friday 8:30 am to 5:00 pm

Reconciliation

First Friday—Noon to 1 pm
Saturday—4:00 to 5:00 pm
Saturday @ OLL 9-10:00 am



OFFERTORY

Sunday, May 07, 2017

\$12,163.63
277 Envelopes + checks

Automated Donations

\$ 2,446.00
47 Participants

Healing Mass 5/3/17

\$696.04

St. Francis Weekly Tithes: 175.00

St Francis de Sales
Youth Ministry Trip

Eucharistic

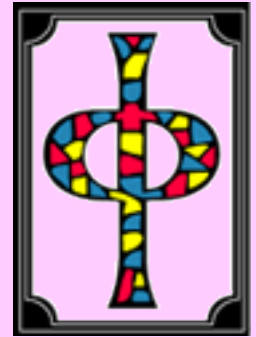


Adoration

Thursdays from 12:45 to 8 p.m. in the Chapel.
Come spend some quiet time in the presence of Christ.

Adoración Eucarística

Jueves de 12:45 a 8 p.m. en la Capilla.
Venga y pase un tiempo en silencio en la presencia de Cristo.



THANK YOU: The advertisements that appear in this bulletin completely defray all publishing costs which the church would otherwise incur. Please patronize the sponsors on the back of this bulletin and thank them for their kind generosity

Its not too late to still Advertise. Call Brian Morano at **616.878.5200**

Mass Intentions / Intenciones de Misa

Saturday/Sábado, May 13, 2017

5:00 pm † All Souls—*Nguyen family*

Sunday/Domingo, May 14, 2017

8:30 am † Luc Huynh—*Huynh family*
10:30 am † For the People
12:30 pm † Soledad y Juan Loredó—*familia Loredó*

Monday/Lunes, May 15, 2017

12:10 pm † Margaret Kalman—*Alice Kalman*

Tuesday/Martes, May 16, 2017

9:00 am † Joseph Chan Van Nguyen — *Le family*

Wednesday/Miércoles, May 17, 2017

6:00 pm † Santísimo—*Rosa Zavala*

Thursday/Jueves, May 18, 2017

12:10 pm † deceased members of St. Francis de Sales

Saturday/Sábado, May 20, 2017

5:00 pm † Jesus Garcia— *family*

Sunday/Domingo, May 21, 2017

8:30 am † Carl Serr—*Joan*
10:30 am † David Mott — *Mott family*
12:30 pm † For the People

What's Happening in our Diocese

STRENGTHENED IN FAITH

A day for families with children, youth or adults with disabilities or special needs.

Saturday, June 24, 2017

St. Robert Church
(6477 Ada Drive, Ada, MI 49301)

1:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

(Mass at 4:30 p.m. and pizza dinner to follow)

David and Mercedes Rizzo will give a presentation for parents.

Concurrently with the Rizzo's presentation, those with disabilities and their siblings will be able to participate in fun activities.

The event is free to families!

For more information contact your pastor or director of religious education who will have registration forms.

Save the Date Reserve esta Fecha

June 22 • 22 de Junio

Annual Symposium on Racism and Poverty
Simposio Anual sobre Racismo y Pobreza

Diocese of Grand Rapids Cathedral Square
360 Division Ave., S. Grand Rapids

Free event • Two Sessions • Simultaneous Translation
Registration Required

More information in bulletin soon!

*Evento gratis • Dos Sesiones • Traducción Simultanea
Se Requiere Registrarse*

¡Pronto habrá mas información en el boletín!

Strangers No Longer: Immigration and the Catholic Church

May 15, 7-8:30pm
With Fr. Wayne Dziekan

This program will be livestreamed at catholicinformationcenter.org Catholic Church leaders, the USCCB and Pope Francis have called for each of us to put our faith into action by welcoming the stranger among us. Fr. Wayne will discuss the complicated topic of immigration that includes, "Immigration 101" (some background on the realities our country faces), Comprehensive Immigration Reform, and Catholic Social Teaching on Immigration. He will also address the fears and anxieties we are experiencing in our communities and the need to respond to these pastorally. This presentation will be primarily in English, with Spanish as needed. CFD: Evangelization (\$10 donation suggested) **Fr. Wayne Dziekan** is a Catholic Priest of the Diocese of Gaylord and is the Director of the Secretariat for Justice and Peace for the Diocese. His principle work and passion is "in the trenches" with the immigrant community.

La Inmigración y la Iglesia Católica

May 15, 7-8:30 de la noche
con el Padre Wayne Dziekan

Padre Wayne se enfocará en el complicado tema de la inmigración con una platica que incluye "Inmigración 101" (algunos antecedentes sobre las realidades que nuestro país enfrenta), una reforma migratoria y la enseñanza social Católica sobre Inmigración.. También tratará los temores y las ansiedades que estamos experimentando en nuestras comunidades y como responder a ellos pastoralmente.

CFD: Evangelization (Se sugiere donación de \$10)

Padre Wayne Dziekan es un sacerdote católico de la Diócesis de Gaylord y es el Director de la Secretaría de Justicia y Paz en la Diócesis.

Catholic Services Appeal/Campaña de Servicios Católicos

You have been asked to turn in your pledge for the 2017 Catholic Services Appeal. If you have already done so, thank you! Our collective gifts to this diocesan-wide appeal benefit individuals, families, and parishes throughout the eleven counties of our diocese and beyond. For example, your CSA gifts helps support our 22 seminarians, and it helps feed the more than 30,000 people who seek assistance from Catholic Charities West Michigan food pantries.

This year our goal is to raise \$147,463 in CSA gifts: \$127,463 to meet our assessment from the diocese and \$20,000 to help pay the estimated \$30,000 cost of new lighting controls for our sanctuary. Our current controls are outdated and often fail to work properly.

We need the help of everyone to reach our goal. If you are unable to make a financial gift, please submit your pledge card anyway and indicate on it that you will pray for the diocese.



Se les ha pedido que regresen su tarjeta de compromiso para la Campaña de servicios Católicos 2017. ¡Si ya lo hicieron gracias! Nuestras donaciones para esta campaña diocesana beneficia a individuos, familias, y parroquias en los 11 condados de nuestra diócesis y mas allá de esta. Por ejemplo, su donación para CSA ayuda para apoyar a nuestros 22 seminaristas, y ayuda a dar comida a mas de 30,000 personas que buscan ayuda en las despensas de las Caridades Católicas del Oeste de Michigan. Este año nuestra meta es de \$147,463 en donaciones para CSA: \$127,463 para nuestra obligación con la diócesis y \$20,000 para ayudar con el costo de nuevos controles para el iluminado en nuestro santuario que se estima será de \$30,000. Nuestros controles actuales son muy antiguos y seguido no trabajan como debe de ser. Necesitamos la ayuda de cada uno de ustedes para poder alcanzar nuestra meta. Si no puede hacer una contribución financiera regrese de todos modos su tarjeta de compromiso por favor y escriba en ella que rezará por la diócesis..

Forever Young

We will meet in the church parking lot on
May 17 @ 11:30 am for a brown bag picnic
(water provided)
And carpool to our destination, and then on to
Appledorn North for a tour of the facility.

For more information contact Barb Tenpas
(616) 396-2102.

New members ALWAYS welcome!



THURSDAY, JUNE 15TH, 2017

5/3 Ballpark / Comstock Park

Join West Michigan Catholic Charities as the Padres take on the Media Giants. This family-fun event benefits foster care and adoption in the West Michigan area. The event is free (\$7 parking), and includes children's games and activities along the concourse, local mascots and a fun night out at the ballpark!

Corpus Christi Foundation— Happy Mother's Day!



Mother's Day honors the greatest mother of all, the Blessed Virgin Mary, and all can look to her for guidance and strength. We ask her to watch over all our wonderful mothers who have given us life, encouragement, and unconditional love!

Corpus Christi Foundation was created by leaders of the Lakeshore area Catholic community to provide a secure and lasting gift of stewardship for future generations.

We invite you to join us on Facebook (at "Corpus Christi Foundation" to learn more about how your support is helping the Catholic community of the Lakeshore.

Would you like to be involved, and would you like more information? Contact Paula Lewison at (616)732-5017.

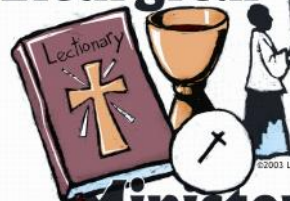


JOIN US. DREAM WITH US. BUILD WITH US.

Find us on Facebook... "Corpus Christi Foundation"



Liturgical Ministers



We are in need of MANY more liturgical ministers. Please consider using your gifts of time and talent to join our ministry team. We can accommodate all scheduling needs, so don't let that get in the way of committing to helping out your parish family. We have training sessions coming up for all ministers.

Please go to www.stfranchisholland.org/training or call the parish office to register.

Thursday, May 18

Sacristan Training 6:00 PM
Lector Training—English 6:45 PM
Eucharistic Minister Training—Spanish 7:30 PM
Ambassador Training 8:15 PM

Looking further ahead:

Thursday, June 1

Eucharistic Minister Training-Spanish 6:00 PM
Altar Server Training 6:45 PM
Ambassador Training 7:30 PM
Lector Training-Spanish 8:15 PM

Estamos necesitando MUCHOS mas ministros litúrgicos. Considere por favor usar sus dones de tiempo y talento para unirse a nuestro equipo de ministerios. Podemos acomodar todos los horarios necesarios, entonces no deje que eso sea un obstáculo a comprometerse para ayudar a su familia parroquial. Tendremos sesiones de entrenamiento próximamente para todos los ministros.

Para registrarse visite por favor nuestro sitio web www.stfranchisholland.org/training o llame a la oficina.

Jueves, 18 de Mayo

Entrenamiento para Sacristanes: 6:00 PM
Lector Training—English 6:45 PM
Entrenamiento para Ministros de Eucaristía: 7:30 PM
Entrenamiento para el Ministerio de Información 8:15 PM

Mirando mas adelante:

Jueves, 1 de Junio

Entrenamiento para Ministros de Eucaristía 6:00 PM
Entrenamiento para Monaguillos 6:45 PM
Entrenamiento para el Ministerio de Información 7:30 PM
Entrenamiento para Lectores—en Español 8:15 PM

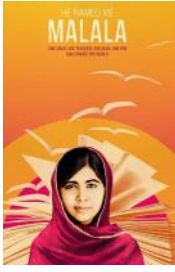
Hurt Plaguing Your Marriage? Do you feel lost, alone or bored in your marriage? Are you frustrated, hurt or angry with your spouse? Are you constantly fighting? Or, do you simply shut down? Have you thought about separation or divorce? Does talking only make it worse?

Rediscover healing and love and find hope by attending Retrouvaille.

The program offers tools needed to rediscover a loving marriage relationship. **The next Retrouvaille weekend is June 9-11, 2017.**

Space is limited, please reserve your spot today. To register or to sponsor a couple: call (616) 752-7004 or email: retrograndrapids@gmail.com or to register online visit <http://retrovaille.org>.

Outreach & Social Justice & More/Fe y Justicia



Friday Flix: An Exploration of Our Faith: Our final movie of the season is Friday, May 19 at 6:30 pm in the multipurpose room at St. Francis. **HE NAMED ME MALALA** gets up close with teenage Pakistani activist Malala Yousafzai, who, on October 9, 2012, was shot in the head by a Taliban gunman in response to her calls for girls to once more be able to attend school. Almost two years later she became the youngest person to receive the Nobel Peace Prize.

Truly this is an inspiring story.

Volunteers Needed: Soon we will be transporting food to a migrant camp one evening a week this summer and perhaps more shoppers will also be needed. If you are interested in helping with this ministry to the hungry, contact Sr. Noella. (392-6700) Looking for a group of folks on a rotation basis.

Necesitamos Voluntarios: Ya pronto estaremos llevando comida una vez por semana a un campo de migrantes durante el verano y quizás necesitamos también mas gente para hacer las compras de comida. Si usted está interesado para ayudar con este ministerio para los necesitados, llame a la Hermana Noella. (392-6700) Buscamos a un grupo que lo pueda hacer tomando turnos con otros voluntarios.

Voter Registration: High school students who will be 18 by election day should register after one of the Masses on the weekends of June 11, June 25 and July 9. If you register here you can then request an absentee ballot from wherever you might be living next school year. Voting is one way of exercising this right and responsibility towards sisters and brothers who are affected by our government's policies.



St. Vincent Center: is in need of toothpaste, toilet paper and soap. Remember that the center is open 3 days a week for anyone in need of food, clothes, or some furniture items. Hours are: Monday and Wednesday from 3:00 to 8:00 pm and Saturday from

Noon to 4:00 pm. Volunteers are always welcome to come in for a couple hours. Call Frank at 616-394-0676 with any questions.

Need Food Assistance? If you or anyone you know is presently afraid to come to St. Vincent de Paul Center for food that they need, please call Sr. Noella at the parish office. 616-392-6700.

Centro San Vicente de Paúl: necesitamos pasta dental, papel higiénico y jabón. Recuerde que el centro esta abierto 3 días de la semana para las personas que necesitan comida, ropa, o algunos muebles. Nuestro horario es: Lunes y Miércoles de 3:00 a 8:00 pm. Voluntarios son siempre bienvenidos para ayudar en el centro por un par de horas. Si tiene preguntas llame a Frank al 616-394-0676.

¿Necesita Ayuda de Comida? Si usted o alguien que conozca tiene miedo de venir al Centro San Vicente de Paúl para pedir comida, llame por favor a la Hermana Noella en la oficina parroquial al numero 616-392-6700

Volunteer Recruiting for Prison/Jail Ministry

Informational Sessions on **Wed. June 14**

1:00-4:00 PM and

Thursday, June 15

6:00-9:00 PM

Cathedral Square Center,

360 Division Ave. S, Grand Rapids

RSVP by June 9 to Elizabeth Klein at eklein@dioceseofgrandrapids.org.

Corpus Christi Catholic Schools News

Welcome Scholarships Available

Preschool	\$250 per student
K-8th	\$750 per student
9th-11th	\$1,000 per student

Tenemos Becas de Bienvenida

Prescolar	\$250 por estudiante
K-8th	\$750 por estudiante
9th-11th	\$1,000 por estudiante

Experience the Catholic School Difference

Catholic schools prepare students for more than tests in the classroom. Students are strengthened for the tests of life and grow more completely in their relationship with Jesus. The Welcome Scholarship is here to help you give your child a Catholic school education. This gift is offered regardless of need.

For more information:
CatholicSchools4U.org

"Children have a body and a soul. Both need care." -Bishop David J. Walkowiak



Sienta la Diferencia de una Escuela Católica

Las escuelas católicas preparan a los estudiantes para algo mas que los exámenes en el salón. Los estudiantes son fortalecidos para las pruebas de la vida y crecen mas completamente en su relación personal con Jesús. La Beca de Bienvenida está para ayudar a darle una educación católica a sus niños. Esta beca se ofrece sin importar sus necesidades económicas.

Para mas información:
CatholicSchools4U.org

"Los niños tienen un cuerpo y un alma. Ambos necesitan cuidado." -Obispo David J. Walkowiak

