

## The Catholic Communities of L'Arbre Croche

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[cclcparishes.org](http://cclcparishes.org)  
Parish Office Hours  
Monday: 8am-4pm  
Tuesday-Friday:  
9am-5pm



## Highlights Of The Week Ahead In Our Parishes

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### Sunday, May 10

#### Sixth Sunday of Easter

Readings: Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48; Ps 98;  
1 Jn 4:7-10; Jn 15:9-17

8:30am Mass (HCJ) †° Randy Saddison  
9:30am Coffee & Donuts (HCJ)  
9:45am **May Crowning Celebration (HCJ)**  
10:40am Rosary (SN)  
11am Mass (HCJ) †° Mrs. Thomas A  
Reynolds, Jr.  
Mass (SN) Int of CCLC  
12pm RCIA (HCJ)  
4pm **High School Youth Group (HCJ)**

### Monday, May 11

Readings: Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149; Jn 15:26—  
16:4a

8:30am Mass (HC) †° Robert & Marie  
Prickett

### Tuesday, May 12

#### Saints Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs; Saint Pancras, Martyr

Readings: Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138; Jn 16:5-11

9am 33 Days of Morning Glory (HCJ)  
5pm Acts of the Apostles Study (HCJ)  
6pm Mass (HCJ) †° Marcella Fisher  
7pm 33 Days of Morning Glory (HCJ)

### Wednesday, May 13

#### Our Lady of Fatima

Readings: Acts 17:15, 22—18:1; Ps 148; Jn  
16:12-15

7:35am Morning Prayer (HCJ)  
8am Mass (HCJ) †° Marcella Fisher  
8:30am Mass (HC) †° Helen Blasko  
Rosary (HCJ)  
9am Ladies Arts & Crafts (HC)  
10am Church History (HCJ)  
4pm Church History (HC Rectory)  
6:30pm Hospital Ministry Training Class  
(HCJ)  
Choir Rehearsal (HCJ)  
Grace Before Meals (HCJ)

### Thursday, May 14

#### The Ascension of the Lord

Readings: Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47; Eph 1:17-23 or  
Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13; Mk  
16:15-20

7:35am Morning Prayer (HCJ)  
8am Mass (HCJ) †° Major Kervahn  
8:30am Rosary (HCJ)  
10am Mass (BB) †° Kathryn Malkus

### Friday, May 15

#### Saint Isidore

Readings: Acts 18:9-18; Ps 47; Jn 16:20-23

7:35am Morning Prayer (HCJ)  
8am Mass (HCJ) †° Msgt. Donald Barnes  
8:30am Rosary (HCJ)  
3pm **Sacramental Prep Retreat (HCJ)**

### Saturday, May 16

Readings: Acts 18:23-28; Ps 47; Jn 16:23b-28

9:30am **Baptismal Vigil (HCJ)**  
3pm **Sacrament of Reconciliation (HCJ)**  
4pm Mass (HC) †° Elizabeth Betty LaTo-  
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5pm Mass (HCJ) †° Barbara Johns

### Sunday, May 17

#### Seventh Sunday of Easter

Readings: Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26; Ps 103;  
1 Jn 4:11-16; Jn 17:11b-19

8am Pancake Breakfast (HC)  
9am Mass (HCJ) †° Larry Buhl Jr.  
10am Coffee & Donuts (HCJ)  
10:40am Rosary (SN)  
11am Mass (HCJ) †° Sister Rosaire Long  
Mass (SN) Int of CCLC  
12pm RCIA (HCJ)  
1pm **First Holy Communion (HCJ)**

#### Pray the Rosary at St Nicholas

Every Sunday in May, Monica Kline will  
be leading the rosary at St Nicholas.  
Come at 10:40am, just before 11am  
Mass to join in praying.

Holy Childhood of Jesus, Harbor Springs (HCJ) - Holy Cross, Cross Village (HC)  
St. Nicholas, Lark's Lake (SN) - St. Ignatius, Good Hart (SI)

**Silent Retreat for Catholic Men**

On May 15-17, 2015, the Augustine Center is hosting its annual Catholic Laymen's Silent Retreat. During this silent retreat, you'll experience: a series of talks by the director, the Rosary, the Stations of the Cross, Mass, a chance to ask questions, and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

This year's director will be Fr. Don Geyman. He is currently serving as Sacramental Minister for the Boyne Valley Catholic Community and as the Vocations Director for the diocese. The focus of his talks will be on St. John Paul II's "Theology of the Body." Registration forms will be available in the narthex of Holy Childhood. You may also call Adam at 347-3657 or e-mail [augustinecenter@gmail.com](mailto:augustinecenter@gmail.com) for more information.

Registration Deadline: May 4th, 2015

Suggested Donation: \$120.00 (Financial assistance is available for those in need. The retreat is offered free of charge to any man attending for the first time.)

**Aquinas College Economy Day**

Friday, May 15th

Aquinas College in Grand Rapids is hosting an AQ Day for all high school students interested in learning more about environmental issues, sustainability and economicology. This immersion experience is organized with hands-on activities and includes five entertaining breakout sessions.

Please visit our website at [aquinas.edu/sustainability/bethechange.html](http://aquinas.edu/sustainability/bethechange.html) for more details, or to register for the event on May 15th.

**Pancake, Egg, and Sausage Breakfast**

Sunday, May 17th at Holy Cross  
SERVING: 8:00 am - 11:00 am

\$9.00 - Adults  
\$4.00 - Children (10 & under)

Come and enjoy: Eggs, Sausage and all the pancakes you can eat!!

Includes: Coffee, Tea, Hot Chocolate, and Orange Juice

**St Michael Academy News**

St. Michael Academy invites all prospective families, with 9th-11th grade students for the 2015-2016 school year, to our RISE (Registration, Introduction, Site Tour, Education) event on Tuesday, May 19, from 6:30-9:00pm. This event will be held at our new location for the '15-'16 school year, 2225 Summit Park Drive, in Petoskey. We will be holding a public event at our new location on June 14th. Details to come soon!

Now forming...

**The Michigan Catholic Choir**

*Shout joyfully to the Lord, all the earth; break forth and sing for joy and sing praises. -Psalm 98:4*

The Michigan Catholic Choir is a self-funded, statewide, 100 voice, Catholic Choir dedicated to serving the Catholic Church. We are currently forming the membership and asking if you would prayerfully consider being a member. Our rehearsals will be Monday evenings beginning in September, 2015. The choir will plan two large concerts a year, one being a Christmas Festival of Music and the other, a Patriotic Concert. Throughout the year, the choir will also sing at special liturgical events.

For more information, please call 810-820-6191 x101 or visit [www.TheMichiganCatholicChoir.org](http://www.TheMichiganCatholicChoir.org) or write to [info@TheMichiganCatholicChoir.org](mailto:info@TheMichiganCatholicChoir.org)

**Pentecost Celebration**

Sunday, May 24th at St. Mary Cathedral in Gaylord. We begin at 2pm with a potluck meal, followed by praise led by Tom Clark, teaching by Tom Hamer, and 4:30pm liturgy with Bishop Raica. Free will offering accepted. Sponsored by the Gaylord Diocese Service Committee.

**Thank you from Holy Cross Children's Services**

On behalf of our youth, I wish to thank you and all the members of Holy Childhood of Jesus Church for your generous gift of \$250.00 to Holy Cross Children's Services. We appreciate your support of our ministry. The funds will be applied to our spiritual development program. At Holy Cross Children's Services our programs include education, family and group therapy, and spiritual life. Your gift will make it possible for the kids to attend a retreat this year. Thank you again for your gift and prayers. With God's help we are making a difference in giving hope for the future to so many troubled lives.

Sincerely,  
Brother Francis Boylan, CSC  
Executive Director



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

New Members Welcome!

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Next Meeting

Thursday, May 21st at 7pm

St. Dennis Room, Holy Childhood of Jesus

Next Corporate Communion

Sunday, May 24th at 11am  
Holy Childhood of Jesus

### Baptismal Vigil, Saturday, May 16

"Amen, amen, I say to you, unless one is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God" (John 3:5). Baptism is essential for eternal life, and by giving it to us Jesus gives us the greatest possible gift—a gift that we can give to our children as well! If you're expecting or have recently had a new addition to your family and are anticipating Baptism, we ask that you attend our Baptismal Vigil on Saturday, May 16th from 9:30am to 12:30pm. This is a required event, but it's not a "class," it's a chance to experience the depth of what Baptism really is through an experience of the symbols used to celebrate this sacrament for centuries. For more information and to register, please contact Andy in the Parish Office: 526 2017 ex.35 or [andrew@holychildhoodchurch.org](mailto:andrew@holychildhoodchurch.org).

### Mass of the Anointing of the Sick

On May 21st, our cluster will celebrate a Mass of the Anointing of the Sick at 11am in Holy Childhood Church. Please spread the word among those who may be home bound and offer to bring them to this wonderfully faith filled celebration. A lunch will be provided following Mass.

### Weekend Collection

Holy Childhood  
\$7,940.00

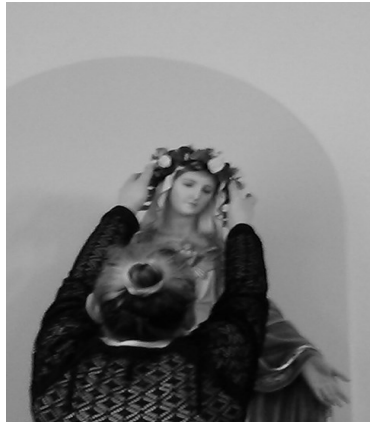
Holy Cross  
\$921.00

St. Nicholas  
\$419.00

Coins for Comfort  
\$4.60

### Collection for Nepal

On May 16/17, our parish will be taking up a collection to aid the victims of the earthquake which occurred in Nepal on April 25th. All funds collected for this special offering will be forwarded to Catholic Relief Services (CRS), the international humanitarian agency of the U.S. Bishops, to respond to the immediate emergency needs for water, food, shelter, and medical care. Please make your check out to your parish and write "Nepal Relief" on the memo line. For updates regarding relief efforts or to donate online, log on to [dioceseofgaylord.org](http://dioceseofgaylord.org) or [crs.org](http://crs.org).



Allie Eaton crowning Mary. Holy Cross held their May Crowning on May 2nd

### Why Put A Crown on Mary's Head?

*May Crowning will be held at Holy Childhood of Jesus on Sunday, May 10th at 9:45am.*

The queen symbol was attributed to Mary because she is a perfect follower of Christ, who is the absolute 'crown' of creation. As the Order of Crowning states: She is the Mother of the Son of God, who is the messianic King. Mary is the Mother of Christ of the Word incarnate... "He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High; and the Lord God will give him the throne of his father David; and he will reign over the house of Jacob for ever; and of his kingdom there will be no end." [Luke 1:32-33]...Elizabeth greeted the Blessed Virgin, pregnant with Jesus, as "the Mother of my Lord." [Luke 1:41-43] She is the perfect follower of Christ. The maid of Nazareth consented to God's plan; she journeyed on the pilgrimage of faith; she listened to God's word and kept it in her heart; she remained steadfastly in close union with her Son, all the way to the foot of the cross; she persevered in prayer with the Church. Thus, in an eminent way, she won the "crown of righteousness," [See 2 Timothy 4:8] the "crown of life," [See James 1:12; Revelation 2:10] the "crown of glory" [See 1 Peter 5:4] that is promised to those who follow Christ.

Learn more at <http://campus.udayton.edu/mary/resources/crowning>

### Habitat for Humanity Volunteers Needed

Northwest Michigan Habitat for Humanity is seeking 30 volunteers to help with landscaping our most recent Habitat Home in Alanson. Volunteers are needed on Saturday, May 16th, 2015 from 9:00 am – 3:00 pm to help with yard clean up, seeding and spreading straw, planting plants and much more. Volunteers are asked to bring gloves and landscaping rakes and tools. Volunteers need to register by calling/e-mailing Mandy at 231-348-6926 or [mandy@northwestmihabitat.org](mailto:mandy@northwestmihabitat.org). By swinging a hammer, providing a meal, or lending a helping hand and positive voice on the jobsite, you can help make the dream of home ownership come true for local families. Call TODAY to make this dream come true! You'll never feel more appreciated (and you can learn new skills, too!).



# St Vincent de Paul Society

New Members Welcome!  
Call Bernie VanAntwerp  
313-300-7039

### Christian Service Commission

#### Tree of Life

May/June Ministry – Pennies for Water for Life  
*“But, whoever drinks of the water that I will give him will never thirst. The water I shall give will become in him a spring of water welling up to eternal life.” John 4:14*

Scripture tells us water is an essential element of life, both physically and spiritually. It flows from Genesis through Revelation being mentioned more than 700 times. Millions thirst daily for lack of this life-giving substance we are so blessed with here in abundance. Please visit the Tree of Life, in the narthex at Holy Childhood or entrance of Holy Cross, for either a donation envelope or to take a bag for collecting your coins throughout May and June. There are also containers near the Tree to help lighten your pockets as you enter or exit church. Please be prayerful and generous as your change will change lives. **THANK YOU!**

*“Lord, when did we see you...thirsty and give you drink?” (Matthew 25:37)*

A special reception to celebrate the Friedenstab family’s new homecoming is being planned during our coffee and donuts time at Holy Childhood very soon! In preparation, all are asked to return any Spiritual Bouquet tags, recipe cards, donation envelopes, special purchases or paper supplies/cleaning products to the Tree area or to the collection basket as soon as possible. Thank you all for your response to our April Tree of Life support of Sherri and her children’s upcoming move into their new Habitat for Humanity home.

A delightful, delicious “Springtime Tea at Two” is being planned for Hillside residents on Thursday, May 14, in the Holy Childhood parish hall! If you can help in providing any petite, bite-sized treats or with set-up or serving, please contact Annette Malkus (231/373.2121) or Dee Serva (231/242.1310). **THANK YOU!**



### Vacation Bible School Come join us at the dock- The Crocodile Dock!

Adult and middle & senior high school aged students are needed to help us with our Vacation Bible school program - Crocodile Dock, July 20-24 from 9a.m. – 12p.m.

Below is a short listing of the different areas where we need help. **JOIN US ON MAY 19th AT 6:30 P.M. FOR AN ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING FOR THIS YEAR'S PROGRAM.** If you have any questions please contact Melissa Puzio at 231-526-9816 or via e-mail at [mdpuzio@gmail.com](mailto:mdpuzio@gmail.com)

#### Volunteers Needed

- Crawfish Crafts and Missions Leader
- Gator Games Leader
- Snack Shack Leader
- Dockside Drive-In Leader
- Rocky's Preschool Playhouse
- Bayou Crew Leader
- Dock Decorators



### Traveling Chalice For Vocations

The Chumblers Family (HCJ), Matt Eaton (HC), and the Calnen Family (SN) will take a chalice home from Mass this week to use as a focal point while praying for an increase of vocations to the priestly and religious life.

### Prayer Requests

#### For Those Who Are Sick

- Subenna Bacus
- Arthur Barnes
- Veronica Bilicki
- Ana May Bosma
- James Borowski
- Helen Brennan
- Rosemary Bristow
- JoAnn Cellura
- Gerry Chamberlin
- Gary Chippi
- Brad Ciotte
- Dale & Nancy Clemons
- Debbi DeGrow
- Joe Dovey
- Neil Downing
- Dominic Dull
- Mary Anita Jansen

- Wilmette Jessick
- Lisa Keefer
- Mary Fran Kolp
- Marty Korte, III
- Caroline Kurburski
- Bob LaFairer
- Pokey Lindstrom
- Linda Loepke
- Nancy Maxwell
- Evangeline Moore
- Gary Moulton
- Patrick Perigard
- Tyler Phillips
- Pete Pirone
- Mary Radle
- Fred Simons
- Theresa Skoczylas
- Herbert Stopper
- George Swadling

#### For Those Who Are Serving Our Country

- Andrew Alonzi
- Matt Dickensheets
- Alec Friedenstab
- Christopher Gokey
- Brandon Kargol
- Derek Kujat
- Rick Mierendorf
- Mike Misiak
- Graham Olsen
- Nash Perreault
- Christopher Switzer
- Christi Vandermus
- Matt Vandermus

### St Nicholas Upcoming

St. Nicholas will be having a church and cemetery cleanup on Monday, May 11th at 5:30 PM. Rakes will be needed at the cemetery. For the church clean up please bring a bucket. Pizza and soda will be served when done. On May 17th at 11am Mass, a special collection will be taken for the CRS Rice Bowl.

