



**Weekend Masses:**

**Resurrection of the Lord**

Saturday: 4:30 p.m.  
Sunday: 10:30 a.m.

**St. Joseph**

Sunday: 8:30 a.m.

**Pastor, Rev. David L. Parsch**

**Pastoral Minister/ Media Director, Gary Taylor**

**Director of Music, Connie Proulx**

**Weekday & Holyday Masses:**

Scheduled in the weekly bulletin.

**Sacrament of Baptism:**

Celebrated five times per year during weekend Masses, except during Lent.

Call the Parish Office for information and pre-baptism instruction.

**Sacrament of Matrimony:**

Please arrange at the Parish Office at least six months in advance.

**Sacrament of the Sick:**

Call the Parish Office any time.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

Saturday: 3:30 p.m.  
Please be present at 3:30 p.m.

*We welcome new parishioners. If you wish to join this Parish community, please contact the Parish Office.*

**Parish Office:**

Phone: 989-846- 9565, Fax: 989-846-9566

Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Office Professional, *Kathy Beardsley*

Bookkeeper, *Mary Fitzgerald*

Maintenance, *Vincent Christie*

Maintenance, *John Baumgart*

Secretary, *Judith Allen*

**Religious Formation Center:**

Phone: 989-846-4101

Office Hours: Tuesday 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Wednesday 12:30 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.

Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Coordinator of Elementary

Religious 1-6, *Annette Charchan*

Office Professional, *Mary Fitzgerald*

E-Mail: [rotlway@yahoo.com](mailto:rotlway@yahoo.com)

**After Hours Emergency Number: 989-846-6162**

# Resurrection of the Lord

## Parish

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We invite you to join us in worship

**Tuesday**

4:30 p.m. Mass  
7:00 p.m. Confirmation (St. Michael's)

**Wednesday**

9:00 a.m. Mass @ Resurrection Alger

**Thursday**

9:00 a.m. Mass

**Friday**

9:00 a.m. Mass  
1:00 p.m. Rosary

**Saturday**

4:30 p.m. Mass

**Sunday**

8:30 a.m. Mass @ Resurrection Alger  
10:30 a.m. Mass

**Readings for the Week**

**Monday Saint George; Saint Adalbert**  
Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3-4; Jn 10:1-10

**Tuesday Saint Fidelis of Sigmaringen,**  
Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7; Jn 10:22-30

**Wednesday Saint Mark, Evangelist**  
1 Pt 5:5b-14; Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17; Mk 16:15-20

**Thursday Acts 13:13-25; Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25 and 27;**  
Jn 13:16-20

**Friday Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab; Jn**  
14:1-6

**Saturday Saint Peter Chanel, Saint Louis Grignon**  
**de Montfort**  
Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Jn 14:7-14

**Sunday Fifth Sunday of Easter**  
Acts 9:26-31; Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32;  
1 Jn 3:18-24; Jn 15:1-8

**Our Gifts For Last Weekend:**

Envelopes: (73)	\$3,135.00
Loose:	173.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,308.00</b>

**Stewardship Reflection**

*"Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, 'Peace be with you.' But they were startled and frightened..." – LUKE 24:36-37*

Throughout the day we have many opportunities to "see the face of Jesus" in others and to "be the face of Jesus" to others. Do we take that opportunity to provide "peace" to those we encounter or are we afraid of what others will think of us and do nothing? Pray for the strength to live a "God-centered" life and not a "self-centered" life.



• **WEATHER**

As I write this, we are on the last part of a very difficult weather pattern. I hope everyone stayed safe and sound. It could be sunny when you read this and we could be on our way to a beautiful spring. Here's hoping!

• **CONFIRMATION**

We will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation on Tuesday, April 24 at 7 p.m. at Holy Trinity in Pinconning. Candidates from Au Gres, Standish and Pinconning will be welcomed into full initiation with the church. Congratulations!

• **RELIGIOUS FORMATION/EDUCATION**

I would like to thank Annette Charchan and all of the volunteer religious education teachers who have inspired, informed and guided our children into a deeper relationship with Jesus over these past many weeks. It is a big commitment and we deeply appreciate their willingness to serve our parish family.

We also honor the children and their families who take advantage of our formation program.

• **MONDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY/FAITH FORMATION**

We again began gathering on Monday nights at 6:30 p.m. All are welcome!

• **REMINDER: NEW MAILING ADDRESS**

Due to new postal rules, we must add P.O. Box 306 to all mail addressed to any staff person or the parish. Thank you.

Happy Easter!

Fr. David

**Baptisms**

Congratulations to **Macie Lou Knochel**, daughter of Jacob and Beth Anne. Macie was baptized last weekend.

**2018 Mission Mass**

Bishop Cistone will preside at the annual MISSION MASS at 5:30 p.m. on Sunday, April 22 at the Cathedral of Mary of the Assumption. All are welcome.

**National Day of Prayer**—Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend and pray for our Nation on Thursday, May 3rd from 12—1:00 p.m. at the Pinconning City Hall.



**2018-19 CSA Update**

Target: \$57,294.00  
 Pledged: \$41,198.00  
 Participation to date: 33%  
 % to target: 72%  
 Number of families that pledged: 177

**Join Us When We Recite the Rosary** on Fridays at 1:00 p.m. in the Chapel. Remember, where two or more of us are found--he is in our midst.

**Our Lady's Library**—If you went on the Casey Solanus trip and bought the book "The Letters", would you consider loaning it to the library for a month? If yes, please call Jackie at 846-6846.

**MISSION SPEAKER:** On Wednesday, May 9, 2018 from 1:30 pm to 3:30 pm, the Mission Office will host Fr. Jim Falsey sharing on his ministry to the people of Fairbanks, Alaska. Fr. Jim is one of our senior priests who ministered in Fairbanks for five years several years prior to his retirement. His story of his ministry to the people of Fairbanks is interesting and one we wish to share with the people of the Saginaw Diocese.

**Lay Ministry Informational Meetings Scheduled**

Are you interested in expanding your knowledge of Scripture and Catholic Theology? Wanting to strengthen and deepen your relationship with God? Feeling the desire to fulfill your baptismal call by serving others? The Lay Ministry Program may be just for you! Come and learn about the Diocesan Lay Ministry Formation Program at one of the upcoming regional information meetings scheduled for Wednesday, April 18, 2018, at 6:30 p.m. at St. Brigid of Kildare Parish, 207 Ashman St., Midland, MI 48640 or Saturday, May 5, 2018, at 10:00 a.m. at the Center for Ministry, 5802 Weiss St., Saginaw, MI 48603. For more information regarding either of these meetings or general information about the Lay Ministry Program, please contact Kellie Deming, Coordinator of Lay Ministry, at (989)797-6609 or [kdeming@dioceseofsaginaw.org](mailto:kdeming@dioceseofsaginaw.org).

**Bilingual Day of Reflection**—We invite you to a bilingual day of reflection about an encounter with the risen Lord. Presenter: Father Padre Leon Cartagena, Diocese of Kalamazoo on Tuesday, May 1st at the Center for Ministry from 5:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. To register contact the Office of Hispanic Ministry at 989-797-6646.

**Sponsor of the Week**

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**Are you called to be a Permanent Deacon?**

Those interested in applying to the Permanent Deacon Program in 2020 should apply by May 15 to the Lay Ministry Program (call Kellie Deming at 989.797.6609). A minimum of two years of Lay Ministry formation is required to apply for the Permanent Deacon Program.

**Daughters of Isabella Marian Circle #925**

May crowning of our Blessed Mother on Friday, May 4th at 12 noon outside at Our Lady of Sorrows Shrine. Please join if possible.

Mother/Daughter, Sister, Friend Banquet and Spring Raffle Monday, May 7th at the American Legion Hall on M-76 at 6 p.m.

**The Daughters of Isabella Circle 605** will hold their annual Charity Card Party on Wednesday, May 2 at 6:30 p.m. It will be held at Our Lady of Peace Parish Hall, 607 E. South Union Street in Bay City. Admission is \$5 with a luncheon and dessert. There will be many prizes and a raffle. The public is welcome to attend.

**Pinconning Area Emergency Food Pantry Golf Scramble at Green Hills Golf Course.**

\$65 per person/\$260 4 person team.

Reservation includes: 18 holes golf with cart, continental breakfast, lunch on turn, prizes and awards, buffet dinner. (Dinner only \$20 at 4 p.m.).

Saturday, April 28, 2018. Registration 9 a.m.

Register early. Limited to 40 teams.

For more information or to register contact Judy Fenwick (989)879-4218, Cookie Bumgarner (989) 615-8182 or Charly Duchene at (989)859-8610.

**Veterans and Family Members**

Do you know what your benefits are? If not or not sure what may have changed, plan on attending a **VETERANS BENEFIT CONNECT** forum at the Standish American Legion post on May 10th, 2018, from 3 to 6 p.m. If you know a veteran or family member please pass the date on. If they need a ride, please consider helping them attend. Any questions can be directed to Ronal Alley at (989) 324-9997.

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