



*4th Sunday
of Easter*

MASS INTENTIONS (PRIVATE MASS)

Saturday, May 2
 6:00 am †Emma Martindale, by the Martindale Family.....Sj
Sunday, May 3
 9:00 am Our Parish Family.....Sj
Monday, May 4
 6:00 am †Thomas Borzeszkowski, by John Bodsish.....Sj
Tuesday, May 5
 6:00 am †Carol Haas, by Bob & Mary Eberhard.....Sj
Wednesday, May 6
 6:00 am †Ted & †Lee Vernasco, by Family.....Sj
Thursday, May 7
 6:00 am †Sr. Sharon Wedig , by Friends & Family.....Sj
Friday, May 8
 6:00 am *†James Charleston, by SS. John & Bernard.....Sj
Saturday, May 9
 6:00 am †Dr. C. Bassett Brown, by Perla Tolentino.....Sj
Sunday, May 10
 9:00 am Our Parish Family.....Sj
 † Indicates Deceased * Indicates Death Anniversary



PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Gary Allison	Rose Ellen McCourt
Gabriel Andersen	Janine McDonough
Rosalie Anzalone	Linda Mitchell
Andrew Bain	Jackie Miller
Elizabeth Bean	Robert Morse
Carole Bowman	Richard Nichols
Roland Bowman	Sr. Alice O'Brien
Mary Bradley	Rob Ott
Zona Bradley	Marion Peters
Sharon Calahan	Becky Philips
Sabrina Cavanaugh	Mary Ann Puchinsky
Cole Childress	Kim Puleo
Grace de Best	Jolene Richards
Marietta DeMorrow	Jackson Robinson
April Disterheft	Katie St. Amand
Paxton Dobbins	Virginia Sansone
Pat Donaldson	Tom Schimp
Christian Dornseif	Richard Schueneman
Sally Eberhard	Michael Sears
Sandy Fenderbosch	David Seymour
Rose Fuller	Sharon Sharai
Michael Gagliardo	Ann Shembarger
Gabe Galligan	Aurora Shuler
Carolyn Gillen	Martha Shuler
Chris Glendening	Catherine Sitarz
Linda Harrington	Dominic Smit
Eileen Healy	Joseph Stainer
Linda Heil	Ruth Still
Philip Hild	Carol Taylor
Fr. Bill Jacobs	James Thomas, Jr.
Donna Pelkey Jennings	Shirley Thomas
Marilyn Jennings	Connie Weaver
Lynne Jones	Kelley Weich
Thomas Jones	Bob Williams
Patsy Kremers	Allen Zencka
Suzie Lampos	Any special intentions
David Liddle	

**All Public Masses Cancelled
 up to and including
 Friday, May 15**

**Live streamed Masses on our Facebook page and
 on YouTube:
 Sundays at 9:00 am
 and on WSJM (106.1FM or 1400AM)
 at 10:00 am
 Visit our Facebook page: Saints John & Bernard
 and YouTube Channel:
 SS John and Bernard Parish**



**Due to the newest Executive order by
 Governor Whitmer, First Communion
 will be rescheduled for a later date.
 See the next page for an important an-
 nouncement from Bishop Bradley
 regarding Confirmation**

Please turn in any remaining paperwork to the Religious Ed Office at religiousedoffice@att.net or to Chad at 4churchesym@gmail.com or mail to 220 Church St, St. Joseph, MI 49085.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Parents, if your child was enrolled in our Religious Ed Program for 2019-2020, and you wish to have your child take an online class, please contact the Religious Education Office at religiousedoffice@att.net. The class will run through June 30 and is available for students in 1st through 8th grades. Please include the student's first & last name, grade level and parent's email in your email. This at no additional cost to you.

STEWARDSHIP FOR APRIL 26th

Weekend Total	\$12,126.00
Year To Date (Jul 19-Present)	\$567,554.27
Budget YTD	\$664,995.00

Please visit our website for Online Giving and call Kathy at the Parish office if you need any help.

Thank You for Your Generosity!

Are you in the **RED**?

Our parish offers financial guidance!

Contact Patrick Clark (269) 757-2891;
 email pjclark9@gmail.com;
 or visit clarkfincoach.com



Let Jesus' Light Shine

Bishop Bradley with the Diocese of Kalamazoo launched a "Let Jesus' Light Shine" campaign inviting you and all Christians to turn your lights on throughout the Easter octave or the complete Easter season, beginning on Easter Sunday, April 12 through Pentecost Sunday, May 31, 2020 to bear witness to the Risen Lord and the Light of the World.

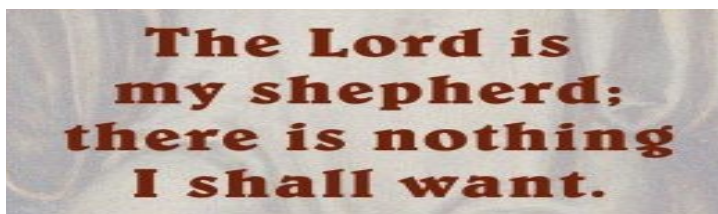
We invite you to decorate your windows and homes with bright lights – much like the lights we see around the Christmas season.

Copy and paste "Let Jesus' Light Shine" graphic and print to place on your window or door to display the message for your neighborhood.

A "Let Jesus' Light Shine" Facebook frame is available to add to your profile picture.

We hope through our united effort to be a visible witness to all the world, that all will experience the joy and hope of our Risen Lord. Let the Light of Jesus shine to all the world through us.

Learn more at diokzoo.org/shine.



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Sunday Experience

The Diocesan Parish Life and Lay Leadership Secretariat has created a page of resources for your family to continue your prayer life at with home, you may find these resources at diokzoo.org/sundayexperience.

Bible Studies

Teen Bible Study, Mondays, 7 p.m.

Every Monday a weekly high school teen Bible study will be hosted via Zoom. The Bible Study will discuss the coming Sunday's Gospel readings and will be led by a local high school student.

Adult Bible Study, Tuesdays, 7 p.m.

Join in every Tuesday at 7 p.m. for a weekly Bible study via Zoom. The study will be led by a Diocesan staff member and will discuss the coming Sunday's Gospel reading. To learn more and register for either Bible Study, go to diokzoo.org/diocesanofferings.

A Message From Bishop Bradley Regarding Confirmation Postponement

"I know that we are all looking to the future and wondering when, and how, we will be able to return to some time of normalcy. We keep wondering when our national/state leaders and health experts will begin to lift the "Stay Home, Stay Safe" restrictions. While no one seems to know the specific answers to those questions, it is clear that we are getting closer to knowing some answers. It also seems clear to me that the return to "normal schedules" will occur gradually, rather than all at once. Until we have those answers, we all need to abide by the restrictions that currently are in place.

While that certainly applies to all parish events, I have been giving considerable thought and prayer to what the implications are for the multiple Diocesan-wide events that are planned, or other sacramental celebrations involving me, in particular, in regard to the celebration of Confirmations. Because there has been very little ability to continue the Confirmation preparation, and all the other related preparations that must be done in anticipation of Confirmation dates, I have decided that ALL Confirmations that were originally scheduled for April, May or June will be rescheduled. At this time, the plan to reschedule is still not determined."