

# The HOLY TRINITY

*St. Francis de Sales Parish*

195 West 13th Street, Holland, MI 49423

[www.stfrancisholland.org](http://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](http://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](http://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](http://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](http://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](http://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](http://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](mailto:rvaldez@stfranchisholland.org) or 392-6700. Info. is also available at [www.stfranchisholland.org/node/632](http://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](mailto: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](http://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

Rev. Charles Brown, Pastor	(616) 392-6700
Rev. William VanderWerff, Associate Pastor	Ext. 106
Sr. Noella Poinsette O.S.F., Outreach/ Social Justice	Ext. 114
Tom Eggleston, Pastoral Associate	Ext. 104
Guillermo Flores, Immigration Assistance	Ext. 110

### Administration Staff

Elvia Dominguez, Office Manager	Ext. 124
Francisca Flores, Accountant	Ext. 102
Emily Alba, Administrative Assistant	Ext. 109
Connie Ayling, Administrative Assistant	Ext. 101
Jason Heydens, Maintenance	(616) 499-1166

### Music & Liturgy

Phillip Konczyk, Director	Ext. 117
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### Parish Nurse

Martha Kuyten, Parish Nurse	(616) 392-6700
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### Family & Adult Faith Formation

Ricardo Valdez, Director	Ext. 111
Susan Bippley, Coordinator of Children's Ministries	Ext. 115

### Evangelization and Stewardship

Brian Piecuch	Ext. 119
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### Rectory

Rectory	(616) 392-3985
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### Fax

Fax	(616) 392-2474
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### Corpus Christi School

Corpus Christi School	(616) 994-9864
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### St. Vincent de Paul

St. Vincent de Paul	(616) 394-0676
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# What's Happening @ SFDS/Lista de Eventos en SFDS

## Scripture Readings for the Week

### Monday, June 12

2 Cor 1:1-7  
Mt 5:1-12

### Tuesday, June 13

2 Cor 1:18-22  
Mt 5:13-16

### Wednesday, June 14

2 Cor 3:4-11  
Mt 5:17-19

### Thursday, June 15

2 Cor 3:15; 4:1; 3:6  
Mt 5:20-26

### Friday, June 16

2 Cor 4:7-15  
Mt 5:27-32

### Saturday, June 17

2 Cor 5:14-21  
Mt 5:33-37

### Sunday, June 18

Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a  
1 Cor 10:16-17  
Jn 6:51-58

## Lecturas Bíblicas de la Semana

### Lunes, 12 de Junio

2 Cor 1:1-7  
Mt 5:1-12

### Martes, 13 de Junio

2 Cor 1:18-22  
Mt 5:13-16

### Miércoles, 14 de Junio

2 Cor 3:4-11  
Mt 5:17-19

### Jueves, 15 de Junio

2 Cor 3:15; 4:1; 3:6  
Mt 5:20-26

### Viernes, 16 de Junio

2 Cor 4:7-15  
Mt 5:27-32

### Sábado, 17 de Junio

2 Cor 5:14-21  
Mt 5:33-37

### Domingo, 18 de Junio

Deut 8:2-3, 14b-16a  
1 Cor 10:16-17  
Jn 6:51-58

## 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, June 4, 2017

\$ 11,967.99

271 Envelopes + checks

### Automated Donations

\$ 3,019.00

51 Participants

### Online Donations-May

\$ 8,231.90

49 Participants

St. Francis Weekly  
Tithes: 175.00

Sister Parish-Oaxaca

## CURSO EMAUS



Ven a vivir un recorrido inolvidable en el cual Jesús te explicará las Escrituras y hará arder tu corazón con el fuego de su Palabra como lo hizo con los discípulos de Emaús.

### 16, 17 y 18 de JUNIO DEL 2017

- Viernes de 6 pm a 9:30 pm.
  - Sábado de 8 am a 5:00 pm
  - Domingo de 8 am. Termina con la Misa de las 12:30 pm
- Sótano de St. Francis de Sales



La cooperación es de \$35.- por persona. Incluye alimentos del fin de semana y materiales.

No tendremos cuidado de niños.

Para más informes llamar a los teléfonos:

(616) 403-1408

(616) 402-8280

(616) 218-4923

## Mass Intentions / Intenciones de Misa

### Saturday/Sábado, June 10, 2017

5:00 pm † Maria Le—*Le family*

### Sunday/Domingo, June 11, 2017

8:30 am † Luc Huynh—*Huynh family*

10:30 am † For the People

12:30 pm † Eikel Garcia—*Armando y Paty Romero*

### Monday/Lunes, June 12, 2017

12:10 pm † Bill Chadwick — *Fred & Paula Kathi*

### Tuesday/Martes, June 13, 2017

9:00 am † deceased members of St. Francis

### Wednesday/Miércoles, June 14, 2017

6:00 pm † Candelario Garcia—*familia Garcia*

### Thursday/Jueves, June 15, 2017

12:10 pm † deceased members of St. Francis

### Saturday/Sábado, June 17, 2017

5:00 pm † Deacon Johnny Garcia—*Flora & Sons*

### Sunday/Domingo, June 18, 2017

8:30 am † Matthew Martinez—*family*

10:30 am † Ted & Eddy Silva—*family*

12:30 pm † For the People

## Faith & Family Formation/Formación de Fe y Familia

### Becoming Catholic

We are hosting an inquiry series for those interested in becoming Catholic begin June 4<sup>th</sup> after the 10:30 am Mass. The sessions will be held in the back of the parish offices in the St. Jane Room and will focus on answering questions and discussing topics of prayer, sacraments, morality and creed. Come listen, see, and pray with others interested in getting to know Jesus and His Church. Learn more on our parish website – [www.stfrancisholland.org/rcia](http://www.stfrancisholland.org/rcia).

### Inviting Others to Become Catholic

We as disciples of Jesus are called to bring His light to those around us. Luke 10 outlines a process to sharing the Gospel which can roughly be summed up in the following steps: pray, go; bring peace; remain; eat/drink; heal; and THEN proclaim. These are things Jesus did and calls us to do as His followers. Now, think about those in year life that you have come to know. How can you walk with them on the journey of faith? Depending on the situation, one action you could take is to invite them to our upcoming inquiry series which is part of the RCIA process.

### About the Rite of Christian Initiation (RCIA) Process

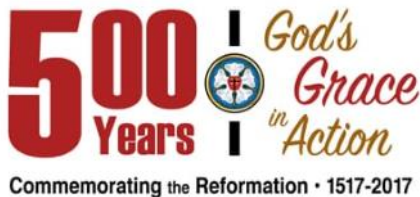
The entire RCIA process is about making disciples who know, love, and serve the Lord through prayer, service, study, and Community and preparing them to celebrate the Sacraments of Initiation – Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist.



### Ways to Support Inquiry Series

First, and most important thing is to, pray for all those intentionally seeking the Lord. Ask God to help them be open to His Gospel and that we as a parish may allow the Holy Spirit guide us as we share this Gospel with them. Second, is to consider taking a turn at offering hospitality for the group. This would involve bringing some light snacks and spending a session with them. You'd be there not as a teacher, but a companion who comes with an open heart, the love of Christ, and an attitude of welcome... and some yummy snacks.

**Contact: Ricardo Valdez, Director of Faith Formation**  
**Phone: (616) 392-6700, ext. 111**  
**Email: [rvaldez@stfrancisholland.org](mailto:rvaldez@stfrancisholland.org)**



**Reformation Commemoration.** October 31, 1517 is commonly regarded as the day Martin Luther ignited the Protestant Reformation, an array of events whose effects have cascaded through the centuries. This October, Protestants and Catholics of the greater Holland/Zeeland area will jointly commemorate the 500th anniversary of the Reformation—to learn about how the Reformation has shaped today's religious and cultural landscape and to foster Christian unity. Mark your calendars now for the hymn sing, lectures, and worship service to be held on the Sunday evenings of October 2017. For more information, visit the website [refoholland.org](http://refoholland.org) or the corresponding Facebook page.

## Catholic Services Appeal/Campaña de Servicios Católicos

We have now received \$72,659 in pledges and outright gifts to the Catholic Services Appeal. That puts us at just under half of our \$147,463 goal. Also, we have received 223 pledge cards, so we are still waiting to hear from some 1,100 parishioners. Thank you to everyone who has contributed so far.

Here's an example of how our CSA gifts are at work. The diocese of Grand Rapids has three offices for carrying out cultural ministries. Our diocese's office of Hispanic Ministry serves the large Hispanic population in our eleven counties. This ministry includes outreach to Hispanic migrants and immigrants. Similarly, our offices of Black Catholic and Native American Ministries serve the needs of these special communities. We are blessed to have these offices, which celebrate the diverse peoples that form the universal Church.



Hasta ahora hemos recibido \$72,659 en compromisos y donaciones para la Campaña de Servicios Católicos. Esta cantidad nos pone a un poquito menos de la mitad de nuestra meta. También, hemos recibido 223 tarjetas de compromiso, todavía estamos esperando la respuesta de cómo 1,100 feligreses. Gracias a todos los que han contribuido hasta ahora.

Aquí está un ejemplo de cómo sus donaciones a CSA apoyan la labor de nuestra diócesis. La diócesis de Grand Rapids tiene tres departamentos para llevar a cabo nuestros ministerios culturales. La oficina del Ministerio Hispano sirve a la población hispana en nuestros once condados. Este ministerio incluye el apoyo a los migrantes e inmigrantes hispanos. De la misma manera, nuestras oficinas de los Ministerios Black Catholic (para los Afroamericanos católicos) y Native American (para los Nativos Americanos) sirven las necesidades de estas comunidades. Estamos bendecidos de tener estas oficinas, que celebran las diversas poblaciones que forman la Iglesia universal.

## Quinceañera 2018

The celebration of the Quinceañera is a special time for a young lady and her family. Parents and friends publicly present her as a gesture of thanks and gratitude for the gift of life. To schedule a Quinceañera, please call the Faith Formation Office at 616-392-6700. Quinceañera are held 5 times a year and need to be scheduled by March, 2018.



*La celebración de una quinceañera es un tiempo especial para la jovencita y su familia. Padres y amistades presentan a la quinceañera como un gesto de agradecimiento por el regalo de vida. Para programar una Quinceañera, llame por favor a la oficina de Formación de Fe al 616-392-6700. Las Quinceañeras se celebran 5 veces al año y necesita estar programada antes de marzo, 2018.*

## 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!*



**5/3 Ballpark / Comstock Park**  
Gates open at 5:30 pm, game starts at 7:00 pm

Come cheer on the Padres as they take on the Media Giants!

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!

**Forever Young** will be taking a break for the summer! Our next meeting will be Sept. 13, 2017.  
Watch for information coming in August!



## Corpus Christi Foundation New Look, Same Mission!

Corpus Christi Foundation is committed to the same mission as always... to strive for grace by embracing our focus on a Catholic future. And now with a new and improved look! Through the creative and committed efforts of many, the Foundation is excited to share with you our new website, video, and marketing materials. Please visit the website, [www.ccfoundationhz.org](http://www.ccfoundationhz.org), to see our first-ever video featuring familiar faces from our Catholic community. Are you moved or inspired by our mission? Consider clicking the DONATE button on the website to support our Catholic community. We ask for your prayers as we fulfill our mission and work.

The 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 our Catholic community.



**JOIN US. DREAM WITH US. BUILD WITH US.**  
Find us on Facebook... "Corpus Christi Foundation"



Congratulations to all our High School and College graduates!

*¡Felicitaciones a todos nuestros graduados de la Escuela Preparatoria y de la Universidad!*

Also

Congratulations to **Thomas Gallagher** from our parish who recently graduated with a Master of Art Theology from St. Meinrad Seminary!

## Outreach & Social Justice/Fe y Justicia



**Voter Registration:** High school students who will be 18 by election day should register after one of the Masses on the weekends of June 24-25 and July 8-9. 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.

*¿Necesita comida pero teme venir a San Vicente de Paúl? Llame a la Hermana Noella al (616) 392-6700.*

**Lighthouse Immigrant Advocates:** will be closed July 1-31, for professional development. We will not be open for Walk-In Tuesdays. Existing clients will still be seen. We will open our doors again on August 1, at 9:00 am. We appreciate your patience as we take a month to improve our services.

**Lighthouse Immigrant Advocates** estará cerrado del 1 al 31 de julio, en esos días estaremos trabajando en nuestro desarrollo profesional. No estaremos abiertos los martes para hacer citas. Los clientes que tienen un caso abierto serán recibidos. Abriremos nuestras puertas nuevamente el 1 de agosto a las 9:00 am. Agradecemos su paciencia mientras nos tomamos un mes para mejorar nuestros servicios.

**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](mailto:eklein@dioceseofgrandrapids.org).

### Immigration Myth #1: Immigrants Don't Pay Taxes.

Immigrants pay many taxes: income, property, sales, and FICA at the federal and state level. Undocumented immigrants pay these as well, including income tax, as evidenced by the social Security Administration's "suspense file" (taxes that don't match any workers' names and social security numbers), which grew by \$20 billion between 1990 and 1998.



Source: Justice for Immigrants, an Office of US Catholic Bishops Conference

## Corpus Christi Catholic Schools News

### Consider a Catholic Education for Your Child

Dear Friends in Christ,

Children have a mind, a body and a soul. All need care! Catholic schools in the Diocese of Grand Rapids provide such care, educating the whole child for a life of encounter with Jesus Christ. The Catholic faith is more than an hour spent each week in church. Our faith provides the foundation for everything we do.

Christ illuminates learning and life at each of our 25 elementary and 5 high schools. From preschool through graduation, students in our Catholic schools grow in faith and grace, achieve more in school and life, develop creativity and character, and feel welcomed and cherished.

We invite you to join us! Prayerfully consider a Catholic school near you. Welcome Scholarships are available to parish families whose students are new to our Catholic schools. In addition, scholarships are offered at the diocesan and parish levels to help make a Catholic school education possible for every family who desires it. Parents are the primary educators of their children in the ways of faith. We look forward to partnering with you in the Catholic formation of your children.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend David J. Walkowiak  
Bishop of Grand Rapids

David Faber  
Superintendent

### Considere una Educación Católica para Su Niño

Queridos Amigos en Cristo,

Los niños tienen una mente, un cuerpo y un alma. ¡Todos ellos necesitan cuidarse! Las escuelas católicas en la Diócesis de Grand Rapids proporcionan ese cuidado, educando al niño completo para una vida de encuentro con Jesucristo. La fe católica es mas que una hora en la iglesia cada semana. Nuestra fe nos da la base para todo lo que hacemos.

Cristo ilumina el aprendizaje y la vida en cada una de nuestras 25 escuelas primarias y 5 escuelas preparatorias. Desde el pre kinder hasta la graduación, los estudiantes en nuestras escuelas católicas crecen en fe y en gracia, logran mas en la escuela y en la vida, desarrollan creatividad y carácter, y se sienten bienvenidos y apreciados.

¡Le invitamos a que se una a nosotros! Considere en un espíritu de oración a una escuela católica cercana a usted. Tenemos Becas de Bienvenida disponibles para las familias de nuestras parroquias cuyos estudiantes son nuevos a nuestras escuelas católicas. Además, se ofrecen becas a nivel diocesano y parroquial para ayudar a hacer posible una educación católica para cada familia que así lo desea. Los padres de familia son los educadores principales de sus hijos en la fe. Esperamos trabajar con ustedes en la formación católica de sus hijos.

Sinceramente suyo en Cristo,

Most Reverend David J. Walkowiak  
Bishop of Grand Rapids

David Faber  
Superintendent