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May 29 de Mayo, 2016



#### MASS SCHEDULE ~ LA MISA

Saturday	5:00 pm	Shelby
Sunday	9:30 am	Hart
Domingo	11:30 am	Hart; Español

#### RECONCILIATION

Saturday	4:00 pm	Shelby
By appointment		(231) 873-2660

#### BAPTISM~ MARRIAGE~ANOINTING

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#### BREAD OF LIFE FOOD PANTRY Wednesdays 3-5:00; 11 Washington St., Hart

Our Lady of Fatima is located at 1372 S Oceana Dr, Shelby  
St. Gregory is located at 316 S Peach Ave, Hart

**LITURGY ~ LITÚRGIA**

**May 30-June 5~30 de Mayo-5 de Junio**

<b>Tues/Martes</b>	
9:00 am	StG Mass
<b>Thurs/Jueves:</b>	
5:15 pm	StG Mass
<b>Fri/Viernes:</b>	
9:00 am	OLF Mass
<b>Sat/Sabado</b>	
5:00 pm	OLF Parish Family
9:30 am	StG Dorothy Welsh Beckholt
11:30 am	StG Familia Parroquial

**SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE  
July 2/3 thru Sept 3/4**



<b>Saturday/Sabado</b>	
5:00 pm	St Gregory, Hart
<b>Sunday/Domingo</b>	
9:00 am	St Gregory, Hart
11:00 am	Our Lady of Fatima, Shelby
11:30 am	St Gregory, Hart - Spanish

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE ~ MINISTERIOS DE LA MISA  
June 4/5 de Junio**

<b>Ministers of the Word/Lectura</b>	
5:00 pm	Cathy Schouten
9:30 am	Patty Campbell
11:30 am	Eduardo Mendez
<b>Ministers of the Eucharist:</b>	
5:00 pm	P Earhart, R Setlak, V Pochyla
9:30 am	R Umstead, M Mahynski, R Dold
11:30 am	A Contreras, E DeBlas, M Barco
<b>Altar Servers/Acólitos</b>	
11:30 am	Ulises Escoto, Diego Rivera
<b>Ministers of Hospitality/Bienvenida</b>	
9:30 am	C Aerts, L VanZoeren
11:30 am	Agustin Tudon y Familia
<b>Ushers/Colecta y Ofrendas</b>	
9:30 am	J Lamie, B Steen, A Bosse, T Bosse
11:30 am	Javier Brito y Familia



**May 22 de Mayo**

Envelopes	\$2,323.00
Loose	799.57
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,122.57</b>

**CSA APPEAL 2016**

Assessment:	\$24,739
Project Goal:	7,000
Pledges to Date:	27,632
Balance Needed:	\$4,107



Thanks to all who have pledged. We continue to strive toward our goal, so that we can support diocesan ministries and make improvements in our churches. Extra pledge envelopes are available at both churches.

**PRAYER GROUP:** Mon, May 30, 8-9:00 am at 206 S Peach, Hart. Welcome!

**PASTORAL COUNCIL:** Thurs, June 2, 6:30 pm at St. Gregory. All are welcome.

**FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS:** Sat, June 4, 10:00 am at St. Gregory.

**GRADUATING SENIORS:** We would like to honor you at the 9:30 or 11:30 Mass on Sunday, June 5 at St Gregory. Please call Gordon Merten by June 2 to register: 873-4459.



**LET'S GO TO BAT FOR KIDS:** We are pleased to offer students Grade 6 and up an opportunity to attend this event on Thursday, June 23, at Fifth Third Ball Park in Grand Rapids. Each year, the priests of our diocese play ball with local media and celebrities to benefit Catholic Charities. It's fun, funny, and exciting! Cost is \$2 per student. We will be taking a bus from Hart Public Schools, with a pick up at OLF, too. Leave time is 3:00 p.m. Lunch is provided. Call Linda Foster, 873-3071 to reserve a spot on the bus. Thank you Hart Knights of Columbus for making our outing possible! **PLEASE NOTE:** Any seats on the bus, not taken by students, will be made available to any other parishioner who would like to join us!

**BREAD OF LIFE FOOD PANTRY** is open Wednesdays, 3-4:45 at 11 Washington. Donations of perishables may be left at either church at any time. Fresh items may be taken to the pantry during open hours, or call the parish office for alternate arrangements. Particularly needed are personal items and volunteers. Monetary donations are always appreciated, to purchase bulk from Feeding America at a great discount. Because the parish provides the overhead, your donations go directly to support those in need. To see how you can help, call Jane at 616-540-8910.



**THE LOOP:** St. Gregory Church has a **hearing LOOP**, which amplifies sound to people wearing a hearing aid with a T-coil (telecoil) setting. Simply turn your hearing aid to T-coil and sit anywhere in the main pews of the church to take advantage.

**PARISH LIBRARIES:** You are invited to check out books at either church. Start with signing them out for two weeks, and feel free to recheck them out if you need them longer.

**CHURCH DIRECTORIES** are coming in July. Look for them near the end of the month.

**ORDINATIONS:** You're invited to celebrate the ordination of four deacons to the priesthood for the Diocese of Grand Rapids on Sat, June 4, 10:00 am at St. Andrew's Cathedral. Also streamed live at [dioceseofgrandrapids.org](http://dioceseofgrandrapids.org). Please keep them in prayer.

**OCMCF VOLUNTEER FEEDING TRAINING:** Fri, June 3, 11:30 am at OCMCF. After successful completion of this training you will be skilled and able to assist OCMCF with feeding specific residents. 873-6618 for details.

**HARBOR HOUSE OF HART:** Benefit Yard Sale on Fri 6/3 10-5:00 & Sat 6/4 10-2:00. Accepting donated items to sell (merchandise, baked goods) All proceeds go towards operating needs.

**REMEMBER LOVE INC WHEN YOU ARE SPRING CLEANING:** Donations of good, clean items are always accepted. Furniture and appliances are in high demand, as well as full and queen size blankets and comforters, towels of all sizes, clothing, shoes and household goods. Items may be dropped off at Love INC 10-5:00 weekdays (closed Tues) and 10-3:00 Sat.



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Pope Francis, accepting the Charlemagne Prize for promoting European unity, on May 6 bemoaned that the continent's people "are tempted to yield to our own selfish interests and to consider putting up fences."

"I dream of a Europe where being a migrant is not a crime but a summons to a greater commitment on behalf of the dignity of every human being," he told an audience that included Chancellor Angela Merkel of Germany, Premier Matteo Renzi of Italy and King Felipe VI of Spain.

Echoing the famous "I have a dream" speech by Martin Luther King Jr, Pope Francis offered his vision of a Europe that cares for children, the elderly, the poor and the infirm as well as "those newcomers seeking acceptance because they have lost everything and need shelter."

He urged Europeans to undergo a "memory transfusion," citing a phrase by the Holocaust survivor Elie Wiesel, to remember Europe's fractured past when confronting issues that threaten again to divide it.

The Charlemagne Prize, consisting of a medal and a citation, is awarded annually by the German city of Aachen for contributions to European unity. Previous winners include former U.S. president Bill Clinton and St. John Paul II, who received a special edition of the prize in 2004.

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Some thoughts to ponder for Memorial day, from the poem *Decoration Day*, by Henry Wadsworth Longfellow:

Rest, comrades, rest and sleep!  
The thoughts of men shall be  
As sentinels to keep  
Your rest from danger free.



Your silent tents of green  
We deck with fragrant flowers  
Yours has the suffering been,  
The memory shall be ours.

Peace, Fr Tom



Si se entiende por pobreza la ausencia o carencia de bienes materiales, podría decirse que, sin duda, la mayoría de la población mundial vive en pobreza; incluso podríamos afirmar que una gran parte de ella vive en estado de pobreza extrema, ya que le es imposible satisfacer sus necesidades más básicas, como alimentación, vivienda, servicios médicos y educación, por nombrar solo algunas.

Muchos, pues, en algún momento hemos experimentado esa pobreza. Claro, quienes han tenido todo lo material, quizás no la conocerán; sin embargo, existe otra forma de pobreza más cruda, más deprimente, que aun estos últimos sufren, pero la mayoría de las personas ni siquiera están conscientes de ella. Se trata de la pobreza espiritual, que es posible que sea la raíz de toda la miseria que nos rodea.

La pobreza espiritual es un vacío profundo en nosotros, causado por la falta de Dios en nuestra vida. Inconscientes de esto, muchos intentan llenarlo con cosas materiales o placeres mundanos, que solo son formas de escape como el alcohol, la droga y el sexo, que con frecuencia llegan a convertirse en una adicción. Nada de eso ayuda a salir de la pobreza espiritual. Ese vacío interior solo lo puede llenar Dios; sin Él en nuestro corazón, el vacío seguirá ahí, aumentará y se volverá un círculo vicioso, pues entre más vacíos nos sintamos, más cosas materiales desearemos.

¿Cuántos de nosotros deseamos tener bienes materiales? Sin embargo, cuando vemos a personas más necesitadas les sacamos la vuelta, pretendemos no verles, los ignoramos. Siempre nos preocupamos por nuestra situación, pero jamás vemos la necesidad de nuestro hermano. Esto implica otra forma de pobreza en muchos de nosotros... somos pobres de amor. Si nuestro amor fuera como el de Cristo, nuestra realidad sería diferente. Por algo dijo, "Amarás a tu prójimo como a ti mismo" (Mt 22:39).

En nuestra vida debe haber un balance, para que estemos bien tanto en lo material como en lo espiritual. Si el ser humano se compone de cuerpo, mente, alma y espíritu, no cuidar alguno de estos elementos traerá un desequilibrio. Jesús nos invitó a aprender de Él; intentemos imitarle en todas sus obras.

Nuestro Señor Jesucristo nos da una gran enseñanza en el discurso de las bienaventuranzas, y también en el pasaje bíblico que dice busca primero el reino de Dios y lo demás vendrá por añadidura (Mt 6:33). Nosotros estamos llamados a buscar a Dios, seguir sus mandamientos y vivir el evangelio que Jesucristo vino a compartírnos y a enseñarnos. Solo así, podremos esperar que nuestro vacío sea llenado.

Por Jorge Rubio y Nicolás Araujo

*Jorge Rubio y Nicolás Araujo son dos jóvenes hispanos que fueron de misiones a Springfield, Misuri, en 2015, para discernir su vocación a la vida religiosa; y allí vivieron en una parroquia de escasos recursos.*

## TARDES DE FAMILIA EN LA FE

INVITAMOS A TODAS LAS FAMILIAS MIGRANTES A PARTICIPAR los miércoles de las 5:30 a las 8:00 pm en las siguientes fechas:

1, 8, 15, 22 y 29 de Junio

6, 13, 20 y 27 de Julio

3 y 10 de Agosto

- ⇒ Se servirá comida para toda la familia de 5:30 a 6:15 pm
- ⇒ Primera Comunión: Domingo 14 de Agosto
- ⇒ Confirmación: Domingo 21 de Agosto
- ⇒ Inscripciones: El Domingo 26 de Mayo después de la Misa de español, y el miércoles 1 de junio a las 5:00 pm.
- ⇒ Información: Sister Guadalupe Moreno ccvi, St. Gregory, 316 Peach St, Hart, MI 49420 Tel: 231-873-2660; Hispanic Ministry 231-301-1899.



VAMOS A BATEAR PARA LOS NIÑOS: El jueves, 23 de junio, en Fifth Third Ball Park en Grand Rapids. Hemos organizado una excursión al evento para los estudiantes de los grados 6 en Adelante. Vamos a salir de St. Gregory a las 3:00 en punto y recogeremos a los estudiantes de Fatima en Shelby a las 3:15 de la tarde. La hora de regreso será entre las 9:30 y 9:45 de la noche. El costo es \$2.00 por alumno. No se permite comida o bebidas dentro del parque de pelota. Los estudiantes deben entregar el permiso firmado por sus padres. Les incluimos el formato. Cada estudiante es responsable del dinero que quiera gastar en el juego.

Los asientos en el autobús son limitados, los primeros en reservar su espacio son los primeros en recibir asiento. Por favor complete el formulario de permiso adjunto y devolverlo en la colecta los domingos o envíalo a St. Gregory/Our Lady of Fatima, 316 Peach St, Hart, MI 49420. Si usted tiene alguna pregunta, llame a la oficina 873-2660.



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