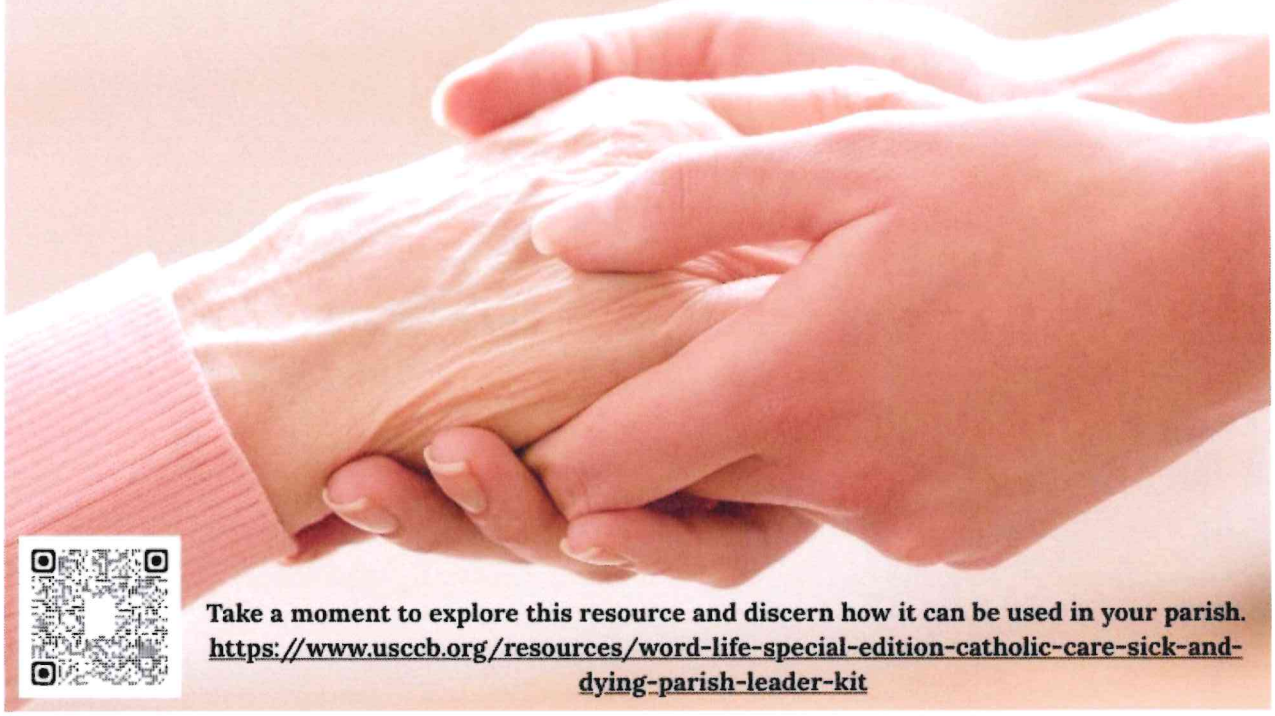
New Announcements:

Pro-Life to the End of Life

November is observed as a special time of remembrance and prayer for those who have gone before us. It is a fitting time to consider our passing from this life into the next and how to provide life-affirming care to our loved ones who are nearing that time. A free, digital parish kit, *Word of Life: Special Edition (Catholic Care for the Sick and Dying Parish Leader Kit)* from the USCCB, contains prayers, bulletin graphics, and more.



Take a moment to explore this resource and discern how it can be used in your parish. https://www.usccb.org/resources/word-life-special-edition-catholic-care-sick-and-dying-parish-leader-kit



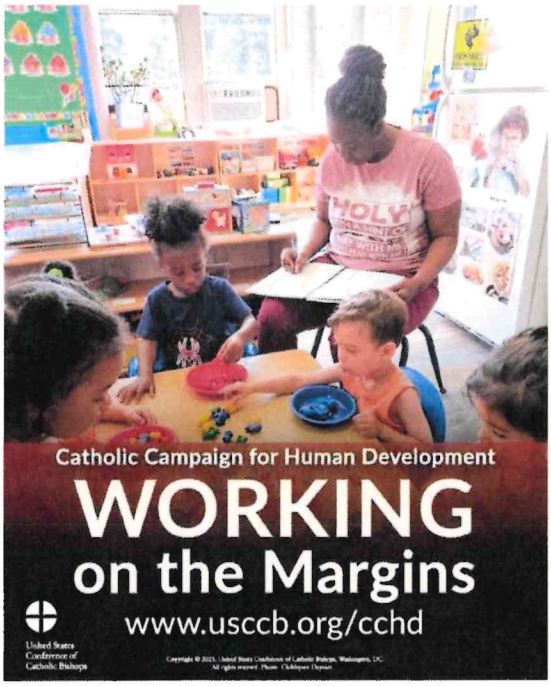
Join 1,000+ 6th-8th grade youth from all over the state to powerfully encounter Jesus. Featuring national speaker, *Braden Johnson*, music by *Encounter Worship*, and bishops from across Michigan. There will be plenty of fun, alongside opportunities for Mass, Confession, praise and worship, and prayer. The cost is $40 a ticket (includes a T-shirt, optional $10 lunch). Registration ends on Friday, February 22, 2027. To register, go to: https://community.dioceseofgrandrapids.org/pages/event-registration-anchor-michigan-catholic-middle-school-2025 or scan the QR code. For questions, contact Taylor Piotrzkowski, Coordinator of Youth & Young Adult Ministry for the Diocese of Saginaw, at tpiotrzkowski@diosag.org or call 989.797.6639.

Growing Domestic Violence Awareness & Knowledge of Support

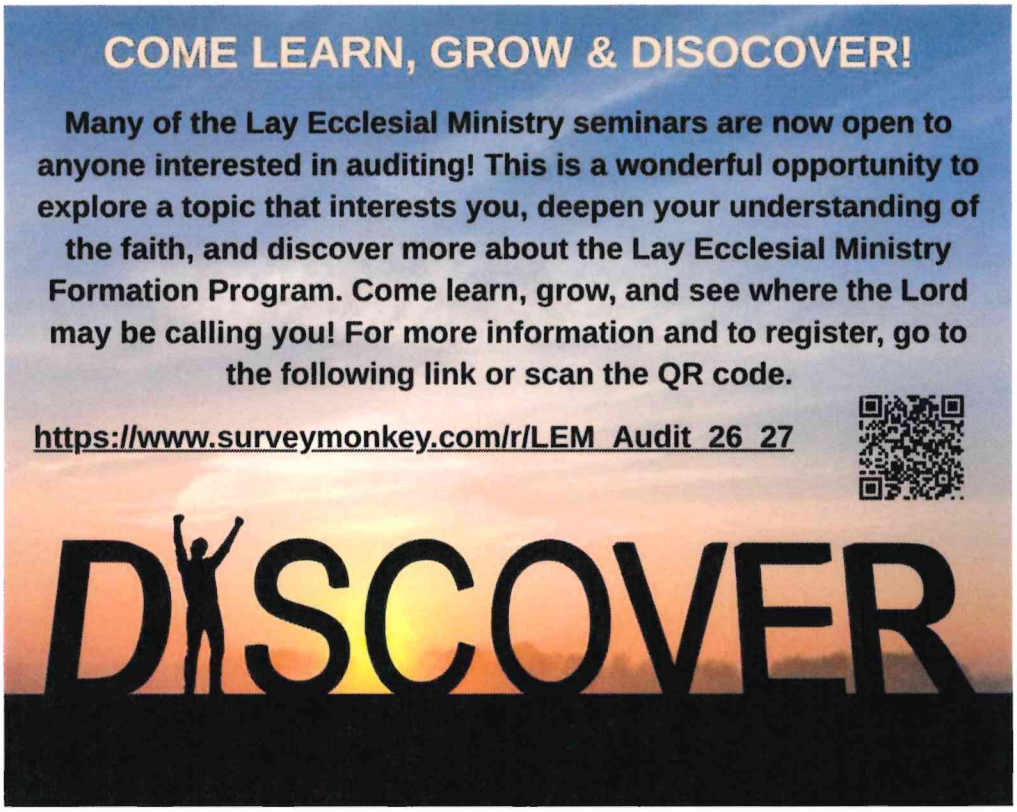


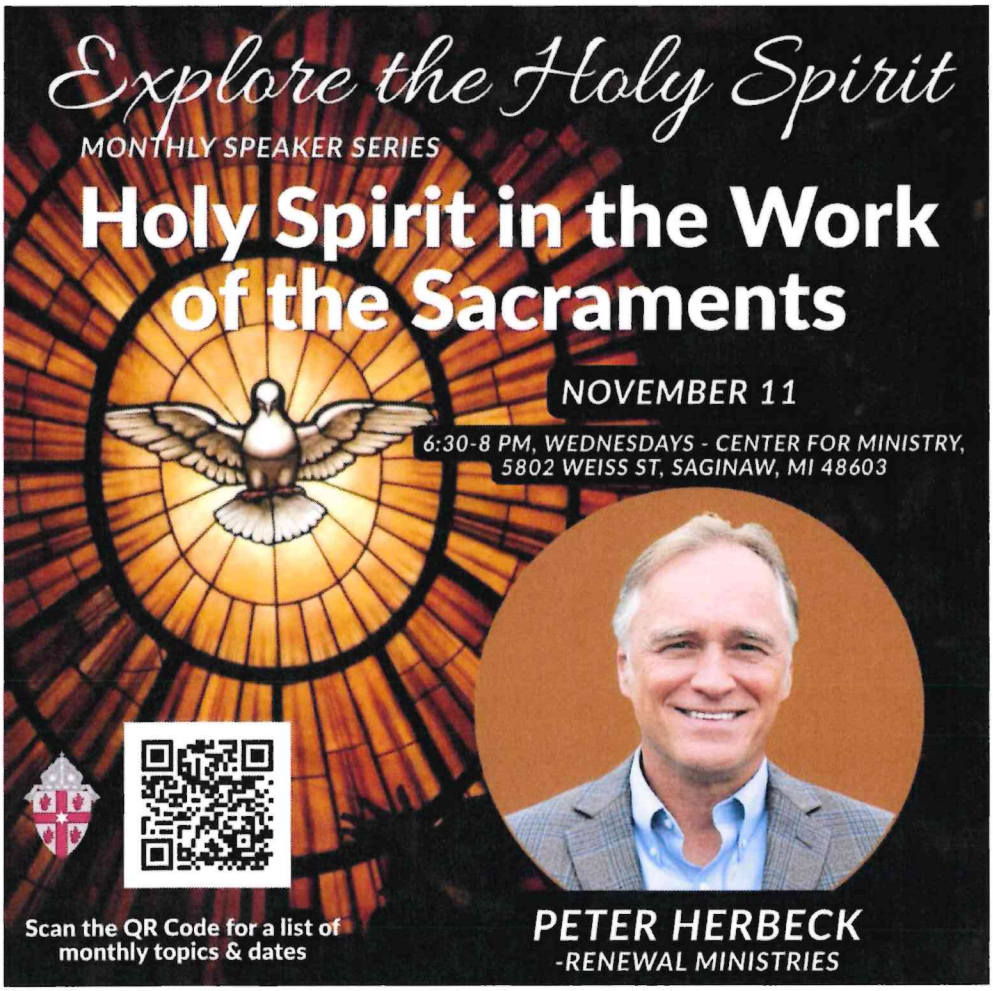
October was National Domestic Violence Awareness Month. The statistics on domestic violence are heartbreaking. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, one in four women and one in ten men have been the victims of severe physical violence by an "intimate partner" (boyfriend/girlfriend or spouse) at some point in their life. If you or someone you love is experiencing Domestic Violence, there is help. The 24/7 National Domestic Violence Hotline is 1-800-799-SAFE (7233). Additional resources can also be found on the USCCB's website: https://www.usccb.org/topics/marriage-and-family-life-ministries/when-i-call-help-pastoral-response-domestic-violence or by scanning the QR code.

Recurring Announcements:



The Catholic Campaign for Human Development is the national anti-poverty program of the U.S. Catholic Bishops, working to carry out the mission of Jesus Christ "... to bring glad tidings to the poor ... liberty to captives ... sight to the blind, and let the oppressed go free." (Luke 4:18). The belief that those who are directly affected by unjust systems and structures have the best insight into knowing how to change them is central to CCHD. CCHD works to break the cycle of poverty by helping low-income people participate in decisions that affect their lives, families, and communities. CCHD offers a hand-up, not a handout. Please consider giving the weekend of November 14-15 to help break the cycle of poverty in our nation and in our own communities.


COME LEARN, GROW & DISOCOVER!
Many of the Lay Ecclesial Ministry seminars are now open to anyone interested in auditing! This is a wonderful opportunity to explore a topic that interests you, deepen your understanding of the faith, and discover more about the Lay Ecclesial Ministry Formation Program. Come learn, grow, and see where the Lord may be calling you! For more information and to register, go to the following link or scan the QR code.
https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/LEM_Audit_26_27
DISCOVER


Explore the Holy Spirit
MONTHLY SPEAKER SERIES
Holy Spirit in the Work of the Sacraments
NOVEMBER 11
6:30-8 PM, WEDNESDAYS - CENTER FOR MINISTRY, 5802 WEISS ST, SAGINAW, MI 48603
Scan the QR Code for a list of monthly topics & dates
PETER HERBECK
-RENEWAL MINISTRIES

Marriage Preparation Workshop

This workshop features presentations by trained marriage facilitators, practical couple exercises, private discussion and prayer.

Location: Center for Ministry, 5802 Weiss St, Saginaw

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Cost: $90 per couple, includes lunch

Dates & Registration Links:

- Saturday, January 30, 2027;
  https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/1-30-27
- Saturday, April 10, 2027;
  https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/4-10-27
- Saturday, July 10, 2027;
  https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/7-10-27



For questions, please contact Kelly Hadd at khadd@diosag.org or call 989.797.6655.

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In this Year of the Holy Spirit, realize God's call to a relationship of unity and holiness, and create a lasting personal prayer for your relationship!

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-Sarah Kaczmarek
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-Fr. Andy LaFramboise
Feb. 24 - Holy Spirit in Prayer
-Fr. Prentice Tipton
March 10 - Holy Spirit as a Healer and the Works of Mercy
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-Fr. Mathias Thelen
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