

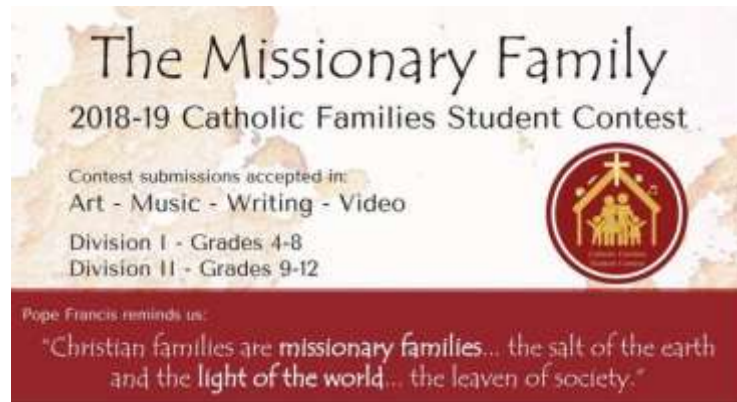
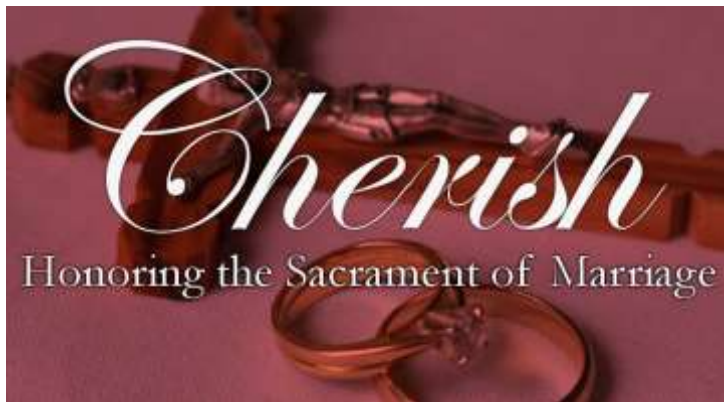


There are a number of changes taking effect in January. Dynamic Catholic speaker and Evangelist, Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers, will be joining the crew of the **Morning Glory** program that airs at 7:00 am. Brian Patrick will be moving to a new program called **Church Alive!** where he will be joined by Dr. Matthew Bunson of the *National Catholic Register* and Fr. Thomas Petri. **Church Alive!** will air Saturdays at 7:00 am and again at 1:00 pm.

Coming up mid-month, we'll begin airing a new program called **Catholic Current** featuring Fr. Robert McTeigue at noon and again at midnight. **Catholic Current** is produced and broadcast through Stations of the Cross Radio out of New York. Fr. McTeigue is both the host and producer for his show that applies timeless truths to timely topics. More information may be found at the Stations of the Cross Radio website: <https://www.thestationofthecross.com/programs/the-catholic-current>.

Fr. Riccardo's **Christ is the Answer** will be moved from noon and midnight to the 10:00 am time slot - replacing **More2Life** with Dr. Greg and Lisa Popcak. **Christ is the Answer** is a compilation of homilies, retreats and talks given by Fr. John Riccardo, pastor of Our Lady of Good Counsel in Plymouth, Michigan. More information on either Fr. Riccardo's or Dr. Popcak's programs may be found at Ave Maria Radios website: <https://avemariaradio.net>.

The new program guide will be available later this month on Holy Family Radio's website.



Cherish Marriage 2019 is now taking reservations for the February 2, 2019, event at Frederik Meijer Gardens and Sculpture Park. Guest speakers will be Damon and Melanie Owens of JoyToB.com. More information at cherishmarriage.net.

2018-19 Catholic Families Student Contest:
The Missionary Family - submissions of art, music, writing and videos may be made throughout the school year. Submit by February 15, 2019. Visit: diokzoo.org/student-art-contest.



Special Coverage for March for Life - January 18

EWTN will begin live coverage starting at 9:00 am thru 5:00 pm on Friday, January 18, 2019. All regularly scheduled programs will be replaced by live coverage and commentary by EWTN. March for Life program includes musical reflection starting at 11:45 am, noon for a rally and the walk beginning at 1:00 pm. Local events in West Michigan will be listed on the diocesan websites and Holy Family Radio's website as information becomes available. Make sure to tune-in to Holy Family Radio for the live coverage.



Holy Father's Prayer Intentions for January:

" That young people, especially in Latin America, follow the example of Mary and respond to the call of the Lord to communicate the joy of the Gospel to the world. "





January 2019

January 13: March and Prayer for Life - Chicago - a group from the diocese of Kalamazoo is currently forming to attend the March for Life Chicago. In addition, a special **Prayer for Life will be held January 20**, location to be determined, at 3 pm. For more information, please contact Lisa Irwin, lirwin@diokzoo.org or call 269-903-0177 or visit diokzoo.org/respect-life.

January 18: March for Life - Washington - see MarchforLife.org for more information.

January 22: Roe v Wade Anniversary Mass - Bishop Paul Bradley will preside over Mass on the anniversary of the decision of Roe v Wade on January 22, 2019, starting at 12:10 pm. Please visit the diocesan or cathedral website for more details at www.diokzoo.org.

January 27 thru February 2: National Catholic Schools Week - 2019 - is the annual celebration of Catholic education in the United States. It starts the last Sunday in January and runs all week from January 27 - February 2. The theme for National Catholic Schools Week 2019 is "Catholic Schools: Learn. Serve. Lead. Succeed." Please visit your diocesan website for information on parishes and local events you may participate in. DioceseofGrandRapids.org or DioceseofKalamazoo.org.

January 28: Soup's on for All - from 6:30 pm to 9:00 pm at the B.O.B in downtown Grand Rapids. The event raises more than \$100,000 annually for the food and pantry programs of God's Kitchen, a program of Catholic Charities West Michigan. This fun-filled evening welcomes more than 1,000 attendees and is made possible with the support of more than 150 volunteers. Guests can visit each of the building's five floors where they are able to sample soups, breads and desserts donated by area restaurants while enjoying live music and entertainment. Event cost: \$50/Person in advance; \$60/Person at door. Contact Bethany Stowebstowe@ccwestmi.org for more details.

Save the Date: Holy Family Radio's Spring Pledge Drive will start earlier this year on March 18.

There are numerous events throughout both the dioceses during the month of January.
Please visit our online calendar at HolyFamilyRadio.net.



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