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"Having faith does not mean having no difficulties, but having the strength to face them, knowing we are not alone."

-- Pope Francis



***Have a Blessed Holy Week
and Easter Season***



There is special programming for Holy Week provided by EWTN. This includes: "Palm Sunday Meditations" with Fr. Benedict Groeschel, "A Lenten Journey" with Fr. Richard Ho Lung, and "Holy Week Retreat" with Fr. Mark Byrne. In addition, there will be Stations of the Cross, Masses and other programs throughout the week. Please visit our website for complete details and tune in to enrich your Lenten journey.

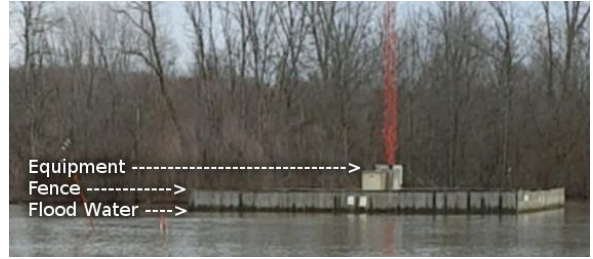
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1140 AM Tower Update

As of March 2nd, 1140 AM tower is still shut down. Though the flood water is slowly receding, we need to wait until our equipment is both clean and dry. We hope to have it restored early next week.

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EVENTS

March 2018

KEPHA Conference 2018 will be held at West Catholic High School on Saturday, March 10th. Featured guests include: Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers, Steve Bollman, Chris Muglia, Justin Fatica and Most Reverend David Walkowiak. Tickets and more information are available at BuildingaLegacy.org.

GR Diocesan Women's Conference will be at the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church in Belmont, Michigan, on Saturday, March 17, from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. More information including registration may be found at DioceseOfGrandRapids.org.

Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Snows - The Grand Rapids Diocesan Council of Catholic Women will be hosting their fourth annual pilgrimage and you are invited. Join them for a trip to Our Lady of the Snows and the Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis from **May 10th through 12th**. Cost is \$250 per person. Email grdccw@dioceseofgrandrapids.org for details.

March 9-11 - Called to Carmel Vocation Retreat - Wauwatosa, Wisconsin, at the Provincial House. Single women ages 18 to 35 years old are invited to spend a weekend to experience and learn the life of prayer and apostolic works of the Carmelite sisters. Call 414-543-4040 or email carmeldcnorth@gmail.com for more information.

March 10-11 - Diocesan Annual Open Retreat 2018 - at Transformations Spirituality Center. This year's theme is "The Heart of the Desert: Discernment of Spirits." There are two options available when you register – one is with an overnight stay and the second is for those who would like to commute. All registrations are due by March 2nd. For more information, including how to register, please visit www.diokzoo.org/adult-ministry or contact Tim McNamara at tmcnamara@diokzoo.org or by calling the diocesan offices at 269-903-0139 ext 1237.

March 16 - Young Adult Retreat 2018 - Take some time for prayer, presentations, recreation, reflection and fellowship at Pretty Lake Camp in Mattawan, MI. Contact Tim McNamara with reservations and additional questions at Tim McNamara at tmcnamara@diokzoo.org or by calling the diocesan offices at 269-903-0139 ext 1237.

March 19 - St. Joseph's Table at Noto's Old World Italian Restaurant in Grand Rapids. As a sign of gratitude to God for saving their crops from severe drought, the Sicilians committed themselves to share the fruit of the earth with the poor. The tradition was started in Sicily and spread throughout the world. Proceeds and donations will benefit local seminarians. More details at www.notosoldworld.com.

March 25 - Palm Sunday and beginning of Holy Week. Check your local parish for Mass schedule for this week. The Triduum (Holy Thursday evening, Good Friday and Easter Sunday) is also this week.

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





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