

Eucharistic Miracle — Jackson, MI — 2011

On February 4, 2011. A large consecrated Host was set on a gold stand, called a luna, in the school chapel. A student claimed to see the image of Jesus on the Host. "It was not one student, but many many students who claimed to see the same image," Rev. Cecilio Reyna of St. Mary Catholic Church wrote. "I did see what appeared to be the outline of a man's face with some bright spots toward the bottom of the Luna. One of the spots where it was glowing, and one I had seen myself, was the area of the heart in the image."

The students told him that the bright spots toward the bottom were glowing during the day. "Two other students I spoke to had no doubt that what they saw was an image of our Lord on the Host," Fr. Reyna said.

Dave Krajewski, a psychotherapist responded to a call from a friend and went to Jackson Catholic Middle School in Jackson, Michigan. The outline of the male figure, Krajewski said, was a red or orange vibrant color. He had long brown hair and looked like he was wearing a robe.

That evening the consecrated Host was moved to St. John Catholic Church for safe keeping. But before it was placed in the tabernacle, it was placed on the altar and several lights were turned on. "The image the students saw and the less visible image I saw in the evening, which was the same image, was gone. Nevertheless, I decided to take a picture. I noticed an image that was entirely different than the one I saw in the school chapel," Reyna wrote, "It reminded me of an image of Jesus taken from the Shroud of Turin. What is also interesting is the subtle rose colored tint in the area of the face, which is not visible anywhere else," he added.

But in terms of what the students saw, Fr. Reyna believes it was a gift and blessing for them. "What is important is our faith in the True Presence of Our Lord Jesus Christ in the Eucharist, who is present to us in his Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity. That is the 'real' miracle the students experienced today and one we all experience when we celebrate this heavenly banquet."

Bishop Earl Boyea of the Lansing Catholic Diocese initiated the beginning of a very long process to determine if this is actually declared a miracle by the Catholic Church.