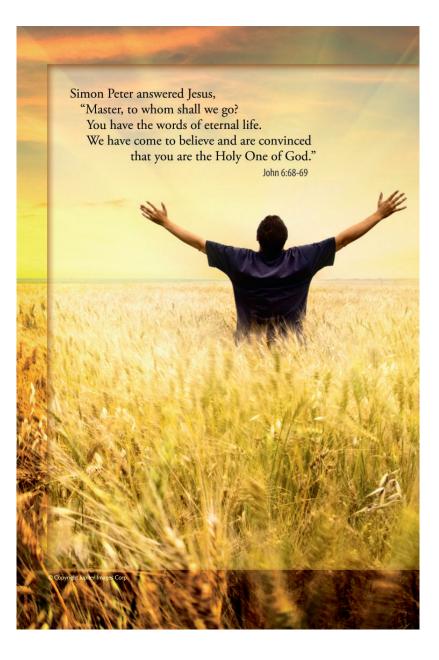
HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC COMMUNITY inviting all to new life in Christ



About Us

Holy Family

Catholic Community 2515 Palatine Rd. Inverness, IL 60067 847-359-0042 (ph) 847-359-0639 (fax) holyfamilyparish.org Fr. Terry Keehan *Pastor* Fr. Richard Jakubik *Associate Pastor* Fr. Medard Laz *Pastor Emeritus*

Vision Statement

Holy Family Catholic Community invites all to new life in Christ. Our response to God's call is evident through full, conscious and active participation in our community.

Mission Statement

To engage all in the sacramental life through vibrant worship, life-long learning and passionate community.

Core Values

Animated by our faith in God to evangelize, we live the following core values:

- Integrity
- Excellence
- Unity
- Service
- Justice

Welcome to Holy Family

Holy Family Catholic community invites all to new life in Christ. Are you new to Holy Family? Are you considering becoming a registered parishioner? We welcome you to become engaged in carrying out our mission. New members are registered on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of every month (excluding holidays) immediately following the 9:00 A.M. Mass. Welcome Ministers will be available at the Welcome Desk to walk you through the short registration process. Saint Paul says, "We are the Body of Christ." We look forward to experiencing that reality with you. Fr. Terry Keehan, Pastor

Schedule

Masses			
Weekdays:			
Monday-Friday	9:00 a.m.		
Monday & Wednesday	7:00 p.m.		
First Friday of the month	9:00 a.m.		
(with Anointing of the S	lick)		
First Saturday of the month	n 9:00 a.m.		
Saturday	5:00 p.m.		
Sunday 7:30 a.m.; 9:00 a.m. (inter	rpreted for the		
hearing impaired); 11:00 a.m.; 4:00 p.	.m.		
Kid Church - 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month			

at 10:15 in the chapel.

Holy Days Varies; watch bulletin

Assisted Listening Devices available in the Liturgical Life Office for use at Masses.

Eucharistic Adoration

Everyday 6:00 a.m. to Midnight

Reconciliation (Available upon request)

Communal Reconciliation with individual absolution First Saturday of the month at 4:00 p.m. in chapel) Individual Reconciliation (in Reconciliation Room)

Wednesdays from 6:00 p.m.-6:45 p.m.

Anointing of the Sick

Please know that recent hospital privacy laws have significantly limited our knowledge of parishioners who are hospitalized. If you have a loved one who is ill, please contact contact Mimi Ferlita in our Pastoral Care office at 847-907-3425 to request the Anointing of the Sick. The ideal time for anointing is when family is present and not necessarily in the final hours of life. Monthly Anointing of the Sick takes place on the First Friday of the month at 9:00 a.m. Mass.

Sacramental / Formation Ministers

Fr. Charles Bolser	Fr. George Kane
Friar Johnpaul Cafiero	Fr. Bill Zavaski
Fr. Denis Carneiro	

Deacon Dennis Brown, Pastoral Associate

Pastoral Council

e-mail: cour	ncil@holyfamilyparish.org
Chad Archer	Chair (Deanery Rep)
Jack Shedd	At Large (Pastor)
Fr. Terry Keehan	Pastor (Staff)
Bill Leece	Adult Faith
Luis Gutierrez	At Large (Pastor)
Barb Knuth	At Large (Council)
Andrew Konopka	At Large (Council)
Rick Zanardo	Family Faith
Cattie Tenzillo	Holy Family Academy Staff
Karina Chavez	Academy Parents Rep
Joe Ferlita	Knights of Columbus
Mike Myers	Human Concerns
Bernie Schaeffer	Staff
Pauline Carlson	Teen Faith (Adult Rep)
Anthony Piasecki	Teen Faith (Teen Rep)
Alexandra Posey	Teen Faith (Teen Rep)
Bob Keller	Liturgical Life

Council meets the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. All are invited to attend and listen to the items on the published agenda. If you or your group have an item for discussion, it needs to be submitted in writing to the council chair one week prior to the scheduled meeting.

Finance Council

The Finance Council of Holy Family meets quarterly and its current members are:

Tim French	Elia Ponce-Tokarz
Randy Olech	Jim Vande Logt
Ron Sobon	Chet Zara - Chair

Follow Us on Social Media



Fr. Terry Keehan

This weekend we conclude the five week series of one of the most significant sections in all of scripture, The Bread of Life Discourse, from the 6th chapter of the Gospel of John. As we have reflected on this critical passage, we have heard Jesus repeatedly identifying himself as The Bread of Life...that has come down from heaven...that lasts forever....that is real food and his blood is real drink...that is his flesh to give life for the entire world. He has also repeatedly told us that when we eat this Bread of Life...he will remain is us...that we will live forever...that those in the desert who ate manna have died, but those who eat this bread will never die.

These statements are the basis for our Catholic belief in his real presence manifest in our midst as a gift to us in the sacrament of the Eucharist.

Over the past weeks we have taken extra efforts to emphasize the importance of this profound spiritual reality. In fact, I believe that Jesus becoming real in the Eucharist is THE most important, the deepest and the most profound reality in all of Christianity.

Through liturgical documents and the teachings of our Catholic Church, we have come to identify the following four ways that Christ's REAL presence is made known every time we celebrate the Eucharist:

The People Gathered The Word of Scripture Proclaimed The Elements of Bread and Wine The Person of the Priest

We have supplemented the larger Church teachings by unique expressions of these here at Holy Family, such as: our inclusive welcoming both before and as Mass is starting; our vibrant, contemporary music; all liturgical ministers led by the presider bow in reverence to the altar and then bow to the PEOPLE as the procession approaches the altar; our screens that enhance images and bring us supplemental wording, video and audio; the way our assembly stands in a wave from back to front accentuating ushering forward the gifts of bread and wine being brought forth; the manner in which members of the assembly come all the way up to the altar and place those gifts while facing the assembly; the emphasis that we place on breaking God's Word open in a preaching style that addresses contemporary and relevant real life topics and concerns; the inclusion of lay women, men and teens sharing reflections during Mass; the unifying moment of praying The Our Father with hands joined by the entire assembly across the aisles; our servant model of Communion beginning with the Fractioning Rite and Lamb of God that sends Eucharistic Ministers into the assembly; the emphasis that we place on saying your name just prior to receiving the Body and Blood of Christ; accentuating our belief that the Eucharist is so sacred that it MUST be lived in the world with our proclamation that "The Mass never ends..." as we conclude. This statement is rooted in what the earliest Christians said as they concluded

the Eucharist. They then responded as we do today, "Thanks be to God." As those early Christians said this, they knew that there was a distinct possibility that some of them would not be with them the following week because they would be martyred for their faith.

As we contemplate the Lord's real presence among us as The Bread of Life these many years later, there are many elements to this spiritual reality that have not changed. However, some have. We live in a world where people are identifying as spiritual, but not religious. Anti-institutional feelings abound as large organizations (of which the Catholic Church is perhaps the largest) have lost the trust of so many, often because of the sins of leadership.

So, in the midst of institutional Church failings and waning religious practice, I believe that the Eucharist, at its core, can feed us even more profoundly. Jesus identifies himself with what is real (people, bread, wine, scripture) and he gives himself to us as sustenance for eternity. He stimulates our spiritual imagination by connecting our past with the present and urges us to see into the eternal future. These are some of the gifts of the Eucharist that can feed us now in a critical time in the institutional church's history – our history.

I wish to once again reiterate the three-part story of our faith that can be viewed both physically and spiritually. In the physical part of the ONE world we live in, there is often a beginning, a middle and an end to many of our endeavors.

However, if we choose to, we can also embrace the spiritual invitation to look at all of life as having a beginning, a next step and the eternal. I remind people that an easy way to remember this pattern is through 3 C's. CREATION is the beginning (*God created the heavens and the earth...Genesis 1:1*). Prayerfully consider the beginnings in your life, in your work, in significant relationships and other endeavors. COVENANT is the next step. (*I will be your God and you will be my people...Exodus*). When have you taken a significant next step? When have you advanced, stepped up, made a rite of passage? Third, CHRIST, the eternal manifestation of that covenant (*This is the cup of my Blood, the Blood of the new and eternal COVENANT*.) What has lasted, endured, stayed in your life? What is eternal for you?

I believe that all of faith can be viewed as an extension of the covenant that God formed with all of us, humanity, and that which he forms with us personally.

What is lasting, what is communal, what is personal, what lasts, what helps us to seal the covenant with our God through which He remains in us – is best celebrated in the Eucharist – our God manifest in a real way in the Bread of Life that feeds us no matter what – Jesus Christ!

As promised, there will be a prayer service called *The Quiet*, a prayer experience for healing and peace for survivors of clergy sexual abuse on Thursday, August 30 at 6:00pm in the church.

Liturgical Arts

Gene Garcia Director of Liturgical Arts 847-907-3434

ggarcia@ holyfamilyparish.org

Deacon

Dennis Brown Pastoral Associate

847-907-3440 dbrown@ holyfamilyparish.org

The Liturgical Arts Community...

creates a vibrant prayer and worship experience so that all may participate in a fully conscious and active way in the liturgy. This includes different forms of prayer and worship experiences, for all attending Holy Family.



Please Note: No 4:00 PM Mass next Sunday, September 2, due to the Labor Day Holiday

Is a Small Christian Community for Me?

Are you interested in enhancing your experience of the larger Church by participating in a periodic small gathering of friends and neighbors, sharing and discussing life experiences in the light of Scripture, and supporting each other on the spiritual journey? If so, the SMALL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITIES ARE FOR YOU!

For more information, please contact: Peter & Cari Pappas 815-670-3734 or pmpbears@comcast.net You can also see us in the Narthex after all Masses on August 25 & 26 (except 4pm).

WE LOOK FORWARD TO TALKING WITH YOU!

Preparing for Next Week...

Watch our weekly SCC reflection @

https://www.youtube.com/user/HFInverness/videos.Click on reflections for Sunday Readings 9-2-18 and listen to Fr. Terry Keehan reflect on the readings.

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

1. In our first reading, the people of Israel were given statutes and ordinances as a way of life. By contrast, how is our life today governed by statutes and ordinances? Did Jesus change what should be observed?

2. The end of our first reading talks about what makes up a great nation. In this light, how is America great and what must it still do to fulfill its destiny.

3. In James we're told to "care for orphans and widows in their distress..." What can your SCC group do to be more socially responsible?

4. The word "defiled" is a central point in our Gospel. What does this word mean to you?

5. Jesus said: "there is nothing outside a person that by going in can defile, but the things that come out are what defile." What's going in and out of you? What can you do a better job of controlling?

Liturgical Arts

Mass Intentions

Monday, August 27

9:00AM	Agnes & Constanty Obrochta (Family)
9:00AM	Andres Gonzalez
	(Marietta Gonzalez & Family)
9:00AM	Elizabeth & Steve Lazzara 25th
	Wedding Anniversary (Family)

Tuesday, August 28

9:00AM	Ken Guilette (Family)
9:00AM	Carole Fagan -Johnson
	(Friends at Poplar Creek)
9:00AM	Residents of Poplar Creek (Ministers of Care)

Wednesday, August 29

9:00AM Agnes Obrochta (Kaczmarczyk Family) 9:00AM Special Intention (Simon Family) 9:00AM Joe Pezdirtz (Irene Pezdirtz)

Thursday, August 30

9:00AM In memory of Peter C. Cernansky (Family) 9:00AM Danny Wiatr (Bereavement Ministry) 9:00AM Mary & Lisa Kendzior (Mary Ann & Joe Obial)

Friday, August 31

9:00AM Vance Nwankwo (Family) 9:00AM Florence Tumbarello (Daughter) 9:00AM Robyn Glass (Mary Glass & Family)

Saturday, September 1

5:00PM Frances F. Swientek (Christine Komperda) 5:00PM Carol Stauder (Kurt & Judy Haben) 5:00PM Mary Bochenko (Zade Family)

Sunday, September 2

7:30AM Helena Koziol (Adamczyk Family)
7:30AM George R. Quebbeman (Stan & Pat Swizrol)
7:30AM Lucy Iacopetti (Jim & Angela Lapacek)

9:00AM John Giovenco (Kathy Lurito)9:00AM Joseph Salamone (Joanne Salamone)9:00AM Carmella Salamone (Joanne Salamone)

11:00AM John Brenner (Carol)11:00AM Barbara Nero (Frank Nero)11:00AM Michael Vivo (Family)

Mass intentions are available by contacting the Parish Office

Eternal Rest Grant Unto Them...

+ James Bohan

+ Helen Cangemi + Ann Greene + Jose Lopez + John Victor Pushparaj

"I am the resurrection and the life. Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die.: John 11: 25

In a Special Way We Remember Those Who Are Ill...

Regina Charletta Phillip Luciani Andrew McNichols Barb & Joe Offenburger Dolores Phillips Janice McCoy-Sisk Mary Swegle Kaye Zenger Mary Kate Zweidinger

Wedding Banns

Nicole Dundon & Eric Earhart - III Eveline Yaghmour & Richard Liou - II Alicia Frasz & Peter Piatkowski - I

We Pray for Family Members in Service of Our Country

Lt. Colonel David J. Benjamin III (*Army*), Capt. Sean P. Benjamin (*Army*), Lt. Anne Louise Graft (*Air Force*), Lt. Michael J. Graft III (*Air Force*), First Lieutenant Peter Keiser (*Army*), Ensign Patrick J. Kennelly (*Navy*), Major Brian Malloy (*Army*), Lt. Colonel Jade Patrick Miller (*Army*), Lt. Joshua Michael Peck (*Army*), PFC Jacob Riedl (*Army*), Pvt. Theodore Rogers (*Army*), Airman Zachary L. Schirmer (*Navy*), Maj. Elizabeth Greenstein Simmons (*Army*), Maj. Joshua Simmons (*Army*), Capt. Nick Lewis-Walls (*Army*)

Weekly Readings

Monday, August 27

2 Thessalonians 1:1-5,11-12 Matthew 23:13-22

Tuesday, August 28 2 Thessalonians 2:1-3a,14-17

Matthew 23:23-26 Wednesday, August 29 2 Thessalonians 3:6-10,16-18

Mark 6: 17-29 Thursday, August 30

1 Corinthians 1:1-9 Matthew 24:42-51 Friday, August 31 1 Corinthians 1:17-25 Matthew 25:1-13

Saturday, September 1 1 Corinthians 1:26-31 Matthew 25:14-30

Sunday, September 2 Deuteronomy 4:1-2,6-8 James 1:17-18,21b-22,27 Mark 7:1-8,14-15,21-23

Liturgical Arts

Questions & Answers

Over the past several weeks, Fr. Terry has encouraged us a community of faith to deepen our understanding of the Sunday liturgy in light of the Bread of Life Discourse. To help foster this deepening of faith and understanding, here are the answers to the fifteen common questions about the Eucharist which I listed in last week's bulletin.

1. Why does Jesus give himself to us as food and drink? Jesus gives himself to us in the Eucharist as spiritual nourishment because he loves us. By eating the Body and drinking the Blood of Christ in the Eucharist we become united to the person of Christ through his humanity.

2. Why is the Eucharist not only a meal but also a sacrifice? The Eucharist is the memorial of Christ's sacrifice through which we are joined. Jesus does not sacrifice himself again and again, but rather his eternal sacrifice is made present once again, re-presented, so that we may share in it.

3. When the bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Christ, why do they still look and taste like bread and wine? "Substance" and "accident" are used as philosophical terms in the efforts to understand and explain the faith. This change at the level of substance from bread and wine into the Body and Blood of Christ is called "transubstantiation."

4. Does the bread cease to be bread and the wine cease to be wine? Yes. In the Eucharist the bread ceases to be bread in substance and becomes the Body of Christ, while the wine ceases to be wine in substance and becomes the Blood of Christ.

5. Is it fitting that Christ's Body and Blood become present in the Eucharist under the appearances of bread and wine? Yes. esus Christ gives himself to us in a form that employs the symbolism inherent in eating bread and drinking wine.

6. Are the consecrated bread and wine "merely symbols"? No. The transformed bread and wine are the Body and Blood of Christ and are not merely symbols.

7. Do the consecrated bread and wine cease to be the Body and Blood of Christ when the Mass is over? No. During the celebration of the Eucharist, the bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Christ, and this they remain. They cannot turn back into bread and wine, for they are no longer bread and wine at all. The Church teaches that Christ remains present under the appearances of bread and wine as long as the appearances of bread and wine remain (cf. Catechism, no. 1377).

8. Why are some of the consecrated hosts reserved after the Mass? The Body of Christ under the appearance of bread that is kept or "reserved" after the Mass is commonly referred to as the "Blessed Sacrament." First, it is used for distribution to the sick, and those who legitimately cannot be present for the celebration of the Eucharist. Secondly, the Body of Christ in the form of bread is to be adored when it is exposed, as in the Rite of Eucharistic Exposition and Benediction.

9. What are appropriate signs of reverence with respect to the Body and Blood of Christ? The Body and Blood of Christ present under the appearances of bread and wine are treated with the greatest reverence both during and after the celebration of the Eucharist.

10. If someone without faith eats and drinks the consecrated bread and wine, does he or she still receive the Body and Blood of Christ? If "to receive" means "to consume," the answer is yes, for what the person consumes is the Body and Blood of Christ. A lack of faith on the part of the person eating and drinking the Body and Blood of Christ cannot change what these are.

11. If a believer who is conscious of having committed a mortal sin eats and drinks the consecrated bread and wine, does he or she still receive the Body and Blood of Christ? Yes. The attitude or disposition of the recipient cannot change what the consecrated bread and wine are. In this case, the person is to be mindful of their imperfections and should seek reconciliation. A firm intention of receiving reconciliation is encouraged.

12. Does one receive the whole Christ if one receives Holy Communion under a single form? Yes. Christ Jesus is wholly present under the appearance either of bread or of wine in the Eucharist.

13. Is Christ present during the celebration of the Eucharist in other ways in addition to his Real Presence in the Blessed Sacrament? Yes. Christ is present during the Eucharist in various ways. He is present in the person of the priest and in the assembled people. We speak of the presence of Christ under the appearances of bread and wine as "real" in order to emphasize the special nature of that presence.

14. Why do we speak of the "Body of Christ" in more than one sense? The Body of Christ refers to the human body of Jesus Christ, who is the divine Word become man. During the Eucharist, the bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Christ. As members of the Mystical Body, we have a responsibility to work against all the forces in our world that oppose the Gospel, including all forms of injustice.

15. Why do we call the presence of Christ in the Eucharist a "mystery"? The word "mystery" is commonly used to refer to something that escapes the full comprehension of the human mind. It also refers to aspects of God's plan of salvation for humanity, which has already begun but will be completed only with the end of time. - Fr. Rich Jakubik

Parish Support & Services

	SUNDAY				
	ATTENDANCE & COLLECTIONS				
	ATTENDANCE		COLLECTIONS		
Ro Geisler					
Parish Manager	July 29	1,868	\$	21,239	
847-907-3424	Aug 6	1,939	\$	20,730	
rgeisler	Aug 12	1,945	\$	34,788	*
@holyfamilyparish.org	Aug 19	1,944	\$	47,882	*
The Parish Support	Total	7,696	\$	124,639	
& Services Community	Year to Date Sunday Collections		\$	297,308	
oversees the parish business and	Year to Date Budget Sunday Collections		\$288,067		
infrastructure activities					
to ensure they operate	Parish fiscal year starts July 1				
efficiently.	Please invite a friend to join us in worship				

* Includes electronic giving

Attention: Electronic Donors - Please remember to advise of any change in your credit card status. We are happy to assist you in updating records or you can also access ACS. Your assistance will avoid any potential confusion or interruption in your donations.

Help Wanted

Holy Family Catholic Community has a staff opening in the Parish Front Office

Receptionist/ Front Office Manager Full-Time

Contact Bernie Schaeffer, Director of Operations 847-907-3420 or bschaeffer@holyfamilyparish.org

Full job description is available in the front office.

Adult Faith

Golden Anniversary Mass (*Please note change of location*)

Mary Whiteside

Director 847-907-3450 mwhiteside @holyfamilyparish.org

The Adult Faith Community...

supports the mission of lifelong learning by providing educational, spiritual, and formational activities for the parish and the community. CELEBRATING 50 YEARS

Congratulations to all who celebrate 50 years of marriage this year! If you were married in 1968, you are invited to attend a Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass with Cardinal Cupich.

When: Sunday, September 16, 2018 at 2:45 pm Where: Holy Name Cathedral* 730 N Wabash Ave. Chicago, IL 60611 * Please note change of location How to register: Register on-line at

www.archchicago.org (search "golden wedding") or contact Mary Whiteside at 847-907-3450 or mwhiteside@holyfamilyparish.org. Please provide your first and last names, an email address, a phone number, a mailing address and the date of your wedding.

Cost: There is no cost for this event. There will be an opportunity to give a free will offering.

Once you have registered you will receive a paper invitation in August and a confirmation email will be sent to you after registering.

If you have any questions, please contact Mary Whiteside at 847-907-3450 or mwhiteside@holyfamilyparish.org.



RCIA/Footsteps

We invite any adult who is interested in becoming Catholic, or who wants to complete their sacraments to join us as we

begin the Footsteps in Faith journey 2018-2019. We start wherever you are, so come as you are and bring your questions!

Our RCIA Inquiry session is TODAY, August 26th at 10:15 (right after the 9:00 Mass).

If you miss it, no worries! We are happy to answer your questions and we hope you will consider joining us as we explore our faith and walk together to the Easter Vigil! Sessions will begin in September. Contact bonroon@aol.com for more information.

Annulment Ministry

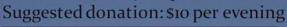
If you are considering an annulment, please contact our Annulment ministers. They have been through the annulment process and they are happy to walk with you through the experience and answer your questions. For more information contact: Jan at jromanowski@sbcglobal.net, 847-504-6924 or Rosemary at rtspinner@gmail.com, 847-991-7833.

Adult Faith

World Religions

The People of the Book: One God, Three Visions

Presented by Jerry Leitner, M.A., Theology Thursdays, September 13, 20 and 27, 2018 7:00-9:00 pm







Holy Family Catholic Community Pastor, Fr. Terry Keehan 2515 Palatine Road Inverness, IL 60067 847-359-0042 The Qur'an refers to Judaism, Christianity, and Islam as "people of the book" - meaning that Islam sees similarity and continuity between these three religions. Judaism, Christianity, and Islam are related religions complete with all the problems relatives experience: closeness, yes—but also misunderstandings, competition, spats, feuds, and the need to mend fences. This series of talks presents a primer on the three religions, showing how they interrelate in important basics, but also how they offer separate, distinctive, and sometimes opposing ways of approaching the divine.

We hope you will join us! We are thrilled to have Jerry Leitner back at Holy Family for this engaging three night program!

To register, please contact Jeannie Parry at 847-907-3448 or jparry@holyfamilyparish.org. Registration by September 10 is appreciated so we can plan for seating.



Adult Faith

Bible Journey

"Digging in God's Garden: Archaeology in the Bible" Presented by Pauline Viviano, Ph.D.

Wednesdays, October 10, 17, 24 and 31, 2018

9:45-11:45 am (one hour of lecture and one hour of small group discussion) Cost: \$35

Archaeology in the Middle East has had a profound impact on reading the Bible. In this four week series we will explore the major archaeological discoveries that have expanded our knowledge of the ancient Near East and the Greco-Roman world and have revolutionized our understanding of the Bible. Our focus will be on written material uncovered over the last century, but we will also take into consideration what we have learned about the way life was lived in the biblical period.



To register, contact Jeannie Parry at jparry@holyfamilyparish.org or 847-907-3448

Bible Breakfast - "Who Do You Say that I Am?" Presented by Friar Johnpaul Cafiero, OFM



esented by Friar Johnpaul Cafiero, OFM Saturday, October 13, 2018 8:30 am-12:00 pm Cost: \$20 per person

Join us for a hot breakfast and a few hours with Friar Johnpaul Cafiero taking a closer look at different images of Jesus in the Bible. Bring your Bible! Feed your body and your soul!

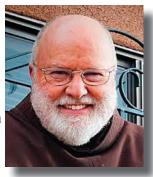
To register, contact Jeannie Parry at 847-907-3448 or jparry@holyfamilyparish.org by October 8 so we can plan for food and seating.

Richard Rohr Webcast – "The Path of Descent is the Path of Transformation" Tuesday, October 23, 2018 from 7:00-9:00 pm

We need to deeply trust and allow both our own dyings and our own certain resurrections, just as Jesus did! This is the full pattern of transformation. If we trust both, we are indestructible. That is how Jesus "saves" us from meaninglessness, cynicism, hatred, and violence—which is indeed death. —*Richard Rohr*

There is no charge for this webcast program, but free will offerings to help with Adult Faith programs are welcome!

To register, please contact Jeannie Parry at jparry@holyfamilyparish.org or 847-907-3448 by October 18 so we can plan for seating.



Family & Teen Faith

Peg Hanrahan Director 847-907-3431 phanrahan@ holyfamilyparish.org

The Family & Teen

Faith Community... offers faith formation and catechesis to preschool through elementary school aged children and high school teens and their families.

Imagine the Possibilities...

and the Faith programs we could create

Working together	Designing together	
Investing together	Learning together	
Thinking together	Building together	
Leading together		

Our current Faith programs are good – at least that's what our children, teens and parents say. Indeed many of our parents and catechists say they are better than good, a far cry from their own experiences of Religious Education and many say they are improving. That's good news. And there is more than talk backing up those claims.

- 100 <u>new</u> students have already registered for the coming year.
- Our Adam's Apple enrollment increased dramatically last year and will again this year.
- Our catechist retention rate is high, double the national average
- Parent participation has increased every year over the past three (and doubled last year).
- Our Teen Faith program is one of the largest and most active in the Archdiocese, and indeed in the country, drawing 400+ teens annually.
- The numbers of teens that remain active in parish life after Confirmation is <u>triple</u> the national average.

we will grow and offer new and better programs

To accomplish this right now we need

Catechists &

Peer Ministers

To attend the

first Catechist

Sept. 6. Dinner

will be served

at 6:30 pm.

Meeting will

begin at 6:45

pm.

meeting on

Parents

- To register their children/teens in Faith Classes NOW.
- to sign-up to participate as volunteers in the programs
- to attend the opening Parent Meeting on Sept. 9 (am or pm)

14 more catechists

- 1 for Adam's Apple
- 10 for grades 1-5
- 2 for Teen Faith

16 more Hall Monitors

- 7 for Sunday morning
- 8 for Sunday evening
- I for Wednesday afternoon

Contact: Dr. Peg phanrahan@holyfamilyparish.org

Family & Teen Faith



 ${f Family}$ & Teen ${f Faith}$ early enrollment numbers are the best they've been in years. Again we remind parents if they haven't yet registered please do so. Remember class placement is done on a first come first serve basis and Teen Faith classes are capped at 12 (no exceptions) Space in our Sunday evening classes for grades 1-6 is filling fast.

> S 33

5

212

-

TR

5

Z

E

Tuition Assistance is available to all registered parishioners in the form of payment plans and waivers (full and partial), but families must apply. Catechists and Hall Monitors who serve all year receive 🖘 🖘 2. Make sure ALL your kids are

It is never too early (or too late) to get your kids started in Faith Classes. Check out our Adam's Apple program for 4-5 year olds. Connect up their Faith class with the Kid Church experience.

• -

We'll help you imagine the possibilities

Parent To Do List

- classes do so ASAP. don't run the risk of classes being filled.
- registered skipping years makes a big difference. - 35
- **3**. If you have a 1st grader and want them to make their 1st -Communion in 2nd grade, they . must be registered in a formal **RE class THIS FALL.**
- 4. Make sure you are a registered parishioner at Holy Family. -If you're not sure contact

jswenson@holyfamil -2 vparish.org

- Finding a spiritual home in a parish that values family life in its many stages and diverse expressions
- Helping you and your family connect or re-connect with an innovative and future oriented Catholicism
- Engaging or re-engaging you and your children in the sacramental life
- Inviting your teens into one of the largest and most active Teen Faith ministries in the country (400 participants annually)
- Helping you and your family discover your gifts and provide opportunities to use them in service to others.

Family & Teen Faith

Minnesota Mission Trip Log

PART 1: Describe the work you completed this week:



We dug a trench around a church to prevent water from getting into the basement and flooding it.



I worked at a thrift store that took donations, sorted through them, priced them, and put them out on the sale floor. I organized the sale floor and sorted through huge boxes of donations.

The first 3 days we painted a school and on the last day we packed rice in the morning and did some weeding at a college for young adults on the spectrum of Autism in the afternoon.



Painted a dock and boat house, and burned wood.



walls and windows, and weeding



Our group worked at a warehouse where we packaged food for low income families. In the mornings we worked on their micro farm weeding, shoveling woodchips, and preparing the dirt so that they could grow asparagus. In the afternoon we packed food and labeled cans.

Thank you to all of our generous donors who made this trip possible. With your help we were able to change so many lives for the better, including our own. We will forever be grateful. Holy Family Teen Faith - Twin Cities, Minnesota – July 2018



Lots of yard work and housework for a lady who is paralyzed.



Holy Family Academy

Kate O'Brien Principal 847-907-3452 KObrien@holyfamilyparish.org



Holy Family Catholic

Academy.... offers an innovative curriculum that focuses on cultivating critical thinking, problem solving and teamwork.

New family applications available now!

Visit our website at hfcacademy.org

Our Parish School prepares students to be:

"Thinkers, leaders, grounded in faith."

To learn more about classes in 2-yr.old preschool through Grade 8 or schedule a tour please contact:

Deb Atkins 847-907-3461 datkins@holyfamilyparish.org



We were so excited to welcome our students to the 2018-2019 school year.

Some of our highlights included:

- Welcoming almost 150 new students in preschool through grade 8.
- Our back to school barbecue lunch prepared by the Knights of Columbus. This is a wonderful tradition that our families and staff enjoy.
- Teachers and staff completing professional development classes to get ready for the year.
- Middle school students beginning the year with a day of retreat and service spreading mulch and seal coating our structures in the outdoor classroom followed by a Word and Communion service led by Dr. Peg.
- · Welcoming new and returning parents at our Tears and Cheers gatherings.



HFCA's culture of continuous improvement continues as teachers begin training in new curriculum for 2018.



Middle school retreat to begin the year.



Tears and Cheers Coffee after drop off.



Thumbs up for learning!

Human Concerns

Catholic Social Teaching – United States Catholic Conference of Bishops

The Church's social teaching is a rich treasure of wisdom about building a just society and living lives of holiness amidst the challenges of modern society.



Solidarity

We are one human family whatever our national, racial, ethnic, economic, and ideological differences. We are our brothers and sisters keepers, wherever they may be. Loving our neighbor has global dimensions in a shrinking world. At the core of the virtue of solidarity is the pursuit of justice and peace. Pope Paul VI taught that if you want peace, work for justice. The Gospel calls us to be peacemakers. Our love for all our sisters and brothers demands that we promote peace in a world surrounded by violence and conflict.

For more information visit - www.usccb.org

HOLY FAMILY PADS SITE for the Homeless

Holy Family's PADS site, a Sunday evening shelter for people facing homelessness, will begin its eighteenth season in October. It takes many volunteers to set up, provide and serve meals, work shifts, clean up as well as offer an atmosphere of comfort and safety.

Sign-ups for food and shift positions will take place after mass in the narthex **THIS Sunday, August 26**. If you have not completed orientation, go to www. journeystheroadhome.org and click on Volunteer Opportunities to find the 2018-19 orientation schedule. Online sign-ups are available to all volunteers who have completed orientation.

Visit www.carecalendar.org using **calendar ID 134413 and password 9236** to sign up for food donations. Food can be dropped off hours, even days earlier, and volunteers will prepare your dish just prior to our guests arriving. Please feel free to pass this information along to anyone else you know that might want to donate items for our weekly PADS site.

ST. MARY'S SERVICES 510 N. Plum Grove Rd, Palatine Serving Women, Children and Families For more than 125 years



St. Mary's Services, Palatine, IL is a nonprofit child welfare agency, formerly of Arlington Hts, offering free, confidential counseling to assist women going through an unplanned pregnancy, prenatal or postpartum depression, grief and loss over a miscar-

riage, stillbirth, post abortion, and/or adjustment to motherhood. We offer a free baby closet for women who partake in our counseling services. Counseling services are free of charge. To make an appointment, please phone us at 847-870-8181. Taking the first step is the beginning of your healing and your loved one's healing. www.stmaryservices.com.

Sue Geegan Director 847-907-3443 sgeegan

@holyfamilyparish.org

The Human Concerns Community...

offers assistance with life's basic needs, spiritual and emotional support as well as additional resources with partners in our community while promoting mercy and justice by putting our faith into action.

Human Concerns



Make a day of it at Royal Oak Farm Orchard Thursday, September 20, 2018

This orchard lies on 120 beautiful acres and has over 30 varieties of apples on over 17,000 trees. You can visit the Apple Barn or Harvest Barn for fresh pre-picked apples, pumpkins, squash and their famous apple cider slushees. And don't forget the

delicious apple cider, available in the Country Market, Apple Barn and Harvest Barn!

Stop in for a wonderful home-cooked lunch (at your expense) at the Country Kitchen famous for their chicken pot pie. A slice of pie from the selection of many different fruits will be a tasty end to your lunch or visit the Bakery where their famous fresh apple cider donuts can be purchased. Browse through the Country Market gift shop and purchase a nice gift for a friend, family member or yourself while enjoying a nice cup of coffee from the coffee bar.

Transportation will be provided by bus at a cost of \$12 per person. Arrive at Holy Family no later than 10:15am, returning to Holy Family at 3:00pm. Please return the completed registration form, which can be found on the narthex shelves and on www.holyfamilyparish.org/owls, to the front office by **Sunday, September 16 deadline.** For more on the orchard, go to www.royaloakfarmorchard.com. Contact Eileen with questions at dwstjs@aol.com.

OWLS MEN AND WOMEN'S FIRST ANNUAL GOLF OUTING 4 PERSON - 9 HOLE SCRAMBLE | WED., SEPTEMBER 26, 2018

Enjoy the outdoors this fall at Palatine Hills Golf Course, 512 W. Northwest Hwy., Palatine. Sign up for the 1st Annual 4 Person – 9 Hole Scramble for men and women on September 26, 2018. Tee times will begin at 9:30 a.m. Entry form and fee of **\$30 per person** covers green fees, cart, and prizes. You can register as a foursome - indicate names of all players - or as an individual and you will be placed in a foursome.

Food and drink are available for purchase. For \$10 enjoy a burger, brat, or hot dog, chips and pop or beer at the clubhouse. A room in the clubhouse will be available for us to meet after the outing. There will be prizes given for scores and a drawing will be held, all are eligible to win.

Please return the completed registration form, which can be found on the narthex shelves and on www.holyfamilyparish.org/owls, to the front office by **Sunday, September 9 deadline**. You will be contacted with your tee time.

For questions, please contact Frank Lakofka at lakeof5@comcast.net or 847-420-6217.

St. Mary's Services 1st Annual Golf Outing Tuesday, September 11, 2018 Chevy Chase Country Club

Join St. Mary's in the Salute to Families Golf Outing at Chevy Chase Country Club, 1000 N. Milwaukee Ave, Wheeling on Tuesday, September 11.

- Noon Bag drop and registration
- 1:00 "Honor" ceremony begins

1:30 Shotgun Start

6:30 Awards and Buffet Dinner

\$150 per golfer - includes cart, lunch, buffet dinner, goodie bags and awards presentation. For questions or more information, contact Jill Panko at 847-870-8181 or jpanko@stmaryservices.com.

Pastoral Care

Compassionate Heart! How is yours?

The gift of "listening" to someone who is suffering from loss is God's gift to you, but also a skill to be developed. The Lord calls us through our gifts and skills. Opportunities are available within our Pastoral Care ministry as Ministers of Care, Bereavement and Funeral Ministers to bring a smile or simply a peaceful presence when words are not enough.

For more information call Mimi Ferlita 847-907-3425 or email mferlita@holyfamilyparish.org

Minister of Care Training Archdiocese of Chicago Vicaritate 1 D,E,F

What: Basic Training for New Ministers of Care

When: September 22 and October 13, 2018 (Attendance on "both Saturdays" will complete your training requirements)

Place: St. Peter Damian, 131 S. Crest Ave., Bartlett, IL 60013 in the basement of the chapel building

Time: 9:00am to 2:30pm both days

For more information or to register please call Mimi Ferlita at 847-907-3425 or email mferlita@holyfamilyparish.org



Rising From Divorce Ministry MONDAY, September 10, 7:00 - 9:00PM

Come join us as we explore "New Relationships"

• How to know if you're ready for a new relationship

Steps to take to prepare for a new relationship
Why it's essential to get comfortable in your singleness before starting a new relationship.

Walk-ins are welcome. For more information please email kathykv2@gmail.com.

To Be Joyful Again Ministry September 6 at 7:30pm

Are you or someone you know widowed? Consider attending one of our gatherings with others who have experienced a loss of a spouse or loved one. Come join us on the 1st & 3rd Thursday of every month at 7:00pm in lower level room 083. For more information, call Bob Boho 847-438-2884 or Elaine at 847-705-9886

"Joyful Again" Retreat

All are invited. The Joyful Again! retreat/workshop is for both men and women (all ages) who have been widowed and are still trying to again find hope and new joy in life. This unique program will be held at these dates/locations.

Oct 6 & 7- St. Ann's, Channahon Nov 10 & II - Nazareth Retreat Hse., Batavia Nov 17 & 18 - Our Lady of the Angels Retreat Hse., Lemont

For further information , call: 708-354-7211.e-mail us at joyfulagain7211@gmail.com:website: www.joyfulagain. org (incls.video) Register early, space is limited.

Blood Drive (Save the Date) September 16, 2018 8:00 am to 1:00 pm (in Common Ground 160/161)

Narthex sign-up available Sept 2 & Sept 9, 2018 To Schedule Appointment: contact LifeSource at 877-543-3768 or www.lifesource.org (use code 025C)

Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus Council 11981

(Save the Date) Minister of Care Cluster Meeting Oct 10, 2018 7:00 pm-9:00 pm

Holy Family (host site) (includes St. Anne, St. Thomas, St. Francis de Sales, St. Colette, St. Theresa)

Guest Speaker: Fr. Rich Jakubik

Fr. Rich Jakubik Director 847-907-3477 rjakubik@ holyfamilyparish.org

The Pastoral Care Community...

provides, through our ministries, compassionate pastoral care with support and guidance for those who suffer in mind, body and spirit.

Holy Family Partnerships & Support Groups

Partnerships

Catholic Charities

Provides food, clothing, shelter, counseling and other services to those in need, bringing hope to the hopeless.

Mike Waters, NW Regional Director Des Plaines mwaters@catholiccharities.net 847-376-2100

Habitat for Humanity Spring of Life Partnership

Nonprofit, ecumenical Christian housing ministry. Provides interest free loans to families who qualify for affordable housing Larry Buettner Larrybuettner@comcast.net www.springoflifehabitat.org

Journeys the Road Home

At Journeys, we work to provide intervention and support to address the root cause of homelessness, and lead people back to a stable environment. Shelter through the PADS program October through April; job support, case management, food pantry, clothing room, Pathway Housing Readiness Program are a few offerings. www.journeystheroadhome.org 847-963-9163

Misíon San Juan Diego

Holy Family partners with this local Hispanic parish encouraging intercultural exchange. http://www.misionsanjuandiego.org

St. Joseph's Home for the Elderly

Staffed by Little Sisters of the Poor, provides assistance as they minister to the elderly economically disadvantaged in Palatine. www.littlesistersofthepoorpalatine. org 847-358-5700

Chicago Voyagers

An affiliate of Trips for Kids®, a nonprofit whose mission is to empower at-risk youth through outdoor experiential adventures that foster healthy relationships and responsible behavior in order to grow into successful, healthy adults. www.chicagovoyagers.org

WINGS

(Giving Flight to Hopes and Dreams)

The mission of WINGS is to provide a continuum of integrated services in an effort to end domestic violence and homelessness one family at a time. www.wingsprogram.com 847-519-7820

Support Groups

Al-Anon

Helps friends and families of alcoholics find support and understanding. Saturday mornings from 9:30 to 11:30am in room Lower Level 3. Childcare available. Cathie: 855-383-2224

AMITA Health Behavioral Medicine

One-on-one counseling. Meets on various days and times. Contact them directly at 855-383-2224.

Job Support

A vibrant networking group designed to support those who are searching for a new position or career. We encourage all attendees to share talents, advice and contacts. The group meets Saturday mornings from 7:30 to 9:30 am in Common Ground. For each meeting bring 25 copies of a resume or handbill.

Gary Sakata 847-381-0218 Frank Sevilla 847-567-0969, Jerry Aurigemma 224-484-8709

LOSS (Survivors of Suicide)

Facilitated by staff of Catholic Charities on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at Holy Family at 7:00pm. Contact: Jessica H. 312-655-7283

Mental Health Support

A support group for families and friends of people with mental health issues. Meets the first Wednesday of every month from 7-8:30pm. Dan & Trudy Mickey- 847-991-6255 mickeydan@comcast.net

One In Love (LGBT)

Educate, Advocate, Ally and Serve the LGBT community by exploring issues surrounding sexuality, gender, and our faith in a safe, loving environment. Meets the second Saturday every month from 10:00amnoon. Chris Evon 847-271-6030 or chris.evon@yahoo.com

Rising from Divorce

A support group for individuals facing separation, divorce or annulment. This open and ongoing support group who will help you heal and cope. Faith sharing, speakers and social activities are offered throughout the year. Meets on Monday twice a month from 7:00-9:00pm. Kathy Kvitek: kathykv2@gmail.com 630-697-1655

To Be Joyful Again

"To Be Joyful Again, a non denominational support group for widows, widowers, or anyone else who has lost a significant other, meets the 1st and 3rd Thursday of every month at 7PM at Holy Family. All are welcome. Please contact Pat Bongiorno at 847-985-4624 or Bob Boho at 847-438-2884 for more information."

US TOO International (prostate cancer support)

For men and couples who are dealing with prostate cancer. Information, resources and support are available at the monthly meetings which are held on the 4th Tuesday of each month from 5:30-7:00pm and 6:30-9:00pm. Cliff Whall - 630-718-1304

Of Special Note

The Quiet

A reflective prayer experience for healing and peace

Taking place at 6:00pm in the church on the last Thursday of each month, The Quiet will provide a monthly opportunity and space for reflection and healing prayer in response to all types of violence. Come as you are.

Focus of first gathering: A prayer service for healing and peace for survivors of clergy sexual abuse

Dates for The Quiet - August 30, September 27, October 25, November 29

All are invited and encouraged to attend.



MULTICULTURAL MINISTRY

JOIN US FOR SPECIAL HOSPITALITY TO HONOR

THE BIRTH OF MARY, MOTHER OF THE CHURCH

Immediately after

SATURDAY 5:00 PM Mass SEPT. 8, 2018

MARY FILLS THE RELIGIOUS IMAGINATION OF PEOPLE ACROSS ALL CULTURES. SHE IS UNIVERSALLY LOVED AS MARY, OUR MOTHER.

Our Lady of Czestochowa (Poland)

To celebrate the universality of the occasion, please bring a dish from your cultural heritage to share with others. What better way to show that we are one family!

Questions? Call Sharon Lobo (847) 812-5132 or email Sharon@thelobos.net

Of Special Note After the 7:30, 9:00 & 11:00am Masses Knights Cafe August 26th PPy Jay! Featuring: Eggs Benedict • Poached Eggs Specialty Omelettes Cappuccino Station

Over 40 menu items to choose from

ADULTS: \$10 • SENIORS: \$8 • CHILDREN: \$5

Remember: We take most major credit cardsl



www.jspaluch.com

For Ads: J.S. Paluch Co., Inc. 1-800-566-6170







Tickets on sale in the Narthex or online at HolyFamilyParish.org/FallFest