

## 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* Dennis Brown *Permanent Deacon* 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 Sick)		
First Saturday of the month	9:00 a.m.	
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	
Sunday 7:30 a.m.; 9:00 a.m. (interpreted 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 Arts 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 BolserFr. GeoFriar Johnpaul CafieroFr. PauFr. Denis CarneiroFr. Bill

Fr. George Kane Fr. Paul Sims, CR Fr. Bill Zavaski

#### **Pastoral Council**

e-mail: council@holyfamilyparish.org Mike Myers Chair Chad Archer (Deanery Rep) Fr. Terry Keehan Pastor (Staff) Bill Leece Adult Faith Pete Barber At Large (Pastor) Luis Gutierrez At Large (Pastor) Barb Knuth At Large (Council) Andrew Konopka At Large (Council) Rick Zanardo Family Faith Laura Clark Holy Family Academy Staff Mike Pazur Academy Parents Rep Greg Flanagan Knights of Columbus Sue Geegan Staff Joan Sloan Teen Faith (Adult Rep) Anthony Piasecki Teen Faith (Teen Rep) Kasia Meler 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

### Gala

Our annual Gala is next **Saturday, February 23** at Concord Banquets in Kildeer. This year we are sailing on the S.S. Holy Family for a cruise that will be fun-filled and exciting. Our annual Gala is our biggest fun and fundraising event. My hope has been that our Gala unites the various communities and ministries that constitute Holy Family Catholic Community.

You can help make this year's Gala our most successful yet. You may have seen me holding up 5 fingers on one hand and 2 on the other. These numbers represent my two biggest goals, namely 500 people to attend the Gala and \$200,000 raised to benefit and strengthen our very ambitious mission, which reaches far beyond our campus and forms us from our youngest members all the way through to our eldest in the ways of faith.

You can help by attending, by bringing loved ones and friends with you to catch our vibrant spirit, by donating auction items, and encouraging friends and family members who can't attend to pledge funds for certain auction items that will supplement your resources, thus increasing your chances of winning. In other words, syndicate your bidding and bid on items with the help of those who cannot attend.

See the back cover of this bulletin for more details.

You may be aware of the ongoing *Renew My Church* initiative that Cardinal Cupich has instituted which continues to be carried out in our Archdiocese. This important initiative is something that EVERY parish is asked to be a part of. There are two basic aspects to *Renew My Church*: ORGA-NIZATIONAL renewal and SPIRITUAL renewal. Many parishes will be asked to make significant organizational and even physical structural changes and consolidations, but we are all asked to enter into a spiritual renewal. This includes bold initiatives of creating disciples, engaging more people in active participation in our faith, increased awareness of and use of resources and more.

Every parish in the Archdiocese is a part of a grouping and we have one partner in our grouping: St. Anne in Barrington. Most groupings are composed of 3-5 parishes. We are not being asked to enter into any ORGANIZATIONAL renewal or change such as combining parishes, schools or closing any buildings or facilities. Furthermore, each grouping is asked to activate their partnerships at a certain time and we have no timeline for such activation yet. Parishes undergoing significant ORGANIZATIONAL changes are the first to be activated.

This organizational and spiritual renewal process is based on many factors such as finances, facilities and more. One of them is the number of priests who serve parishes. In our area we are fortunate to have the number of priests currently serving, but statistics and larger archdiocesan need will certainly change that in the near future. This change does not mean that we will have one pastor for both parishes but may mean sharing priests as we already do, particularly for daily morning and evening Mass and Reconciliation. This decline in the number and increase in the age of our priests does however mandate that we begin to evaluate the number of Masses, Reconciliation, devotional and other liturgical experiences that we share, not only with St. Anne but St. Theresa as well.

I believe that being good stewards invites us to look at such factors, particularly daily Mass *now*, and as a more progressive parish that we are ahead of the curve in anticipation of sacramental needs in the future, all with a realistic awareness of the number of priests and the overall sacramental demands. For example the number of funerals here at Holy Family has nearly tripled in my 10 years with you, as have the number of anointings and pastoral care visits. We number over 100 baptisms per year and weddings continue to increase slightly as well.

The average age of priests in the Archdiocese is 63. Retirement age is 70 and the number of priests retiring each year often triples the number being ordained. In addition, not all priests are able or willing to be pastors, which is the greatest need for local parish clergy leadership. We currently have 345 parishes in the Archdiocese and the number of Religious Order priests (such as Friar Johnpaul) is both aging and decreasing even more rapidly.

With that said, we will continue to evaluate daily evening Mass and Reconciliation times and will share with you changes that are coming. Thank you for embracing a spirit of Renewal that invites us to look forward, to share our resources and to build church and community in new more collaborative ways.

## 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.

## Take a Lenten Small Christian Community Test Drive!!



Please join Deacon Dennis Brown, Cari and Pete Pappas for a rewarding 6-week Lenten SCC journey! We will be meeting for 6 straight Tuesdays beginning March 5 and concluding April 9. Come to as many as you can.

> To enhance your Lenten Journey contact Pete: by email at pmpbears@comcast.net or call him at: 815-670-3734

## **Eucharistic Minister Training**

The moment of communion, when one member of the Body of Christ shares the Body of



Christ (or the Blood of Christ) with another member of the Body of Christ, is an intimate, grace-filled moment of Divine Oneness.

If you feel that the Lord is calling you to participate in this sacred ministry, we are offering Eucharistic Ministry training on **Tuesday, February 26, 7:00-9:00 PM**, in the church.

Please contact Judy Petrie at jpetrie@holyfamilyparish.org to register.

## **Preparing for Next Week...**

Watch our weekly SCC reflection @ https://www.youtube.com/user/HFInverness/videos. Click on reflections for Sunday Readings 2-24-19 and listen to Friar Johnpaul Cafiero reflect on the readings.

### 7th Sunday in Ordinary time

1. In our first reading, David refused to take revenge against his persecutor Saul. Was there ever a time when you refused to take revenge against a person or an institution who tried to hurt you or your family?

2. In not taking revenge, in retrospect, did you feel that you did the right thing? Was the end result positive?

3. Paul reminds us that we've been created in the image of Adam (human) and in the image of Christ (divine). We are all guilty of blaming our mistakes on the fact that: "We're only human!" What can we do to focus more on our divine inheritance?

4. In our highly competitive, winner take all, blame others world, how hard is it to adhere to the call from Jesus to turn the other cheek?

5. Our Gospel concludes with Jesus telling us not to judge or condemn, but to forgive. What's your scorecard in this area? What do you still need to work on?

## Liturgical Arts

### **Mass Intentions**

#### Monday, February 18

9:00AM Bill Hass (Marianne Myers)9:00AM Catherine Carubia (Marietta Satalino)7:00PM Zofia Kusnierewicz (Pastoral Care)

#### **Tuesday, February 19**

9:00AM Rita Neff (Derek Anderson)9:00AM Mary Lou Schaeffer (Family)9:00AM Ralph Thundathil (Family)

#### Wednesday, February 20

9:00AM Philippe Paragas (Family)9:00AM Vincentine Clarke (Steve Clarke)9:00AM Richard Bokor (Family)7:00PM Mia Jor (Pastoral Care)

#### Thursday, February 21

9:00AM Thomas Reynolds (Family)9:00AM Virginia Zito (Frank & Marianne Zito)9:00AM Lisa Hoffeller Torres (Pastoral Care)

#### Friday, February 22

9:00AM Eugene Kaczmarczyk (Family)

#### Saturday, February 23

5:00PM Stanley Szerszen (Family)
5:00PM Rick Kucera (Ginny Gilmartin)
5:00PM Agnes & Constanty Obrachta (Family)
5:00PM Alexander Osiol 26th Anniversary (Family)

#### Sunday, February 24

7:30AM Ellen Zito (Frank & Marianne Zito)7:30AM Matilda Madia (Dottie Rachal)7:30AM Ann Cernak (Lee & Rosemary Spinner)

9:00AM Leonard Remick (Family)

9:00AM Andrzej Kulczuga (Family) 9:00AM Gretchen Ludwig (Erica & Blake Rathbun)

11:00AM Lucy lacopetti (Jim & Angela Lapacek)11:00AM Gradith Stephens (Capra Family)11:00AM Vena Family (Ruffolo Family)

#### Mass intentions are available by contacting the Parish Office



## Eternal Rest Grant Unto Them...

- + Mark Dahlem
- + Richard Johnson
- + Bernice Kathrein
  - + Kelli Rooney
  - + Leo Tabert

#### + Sandra Tenbrink

"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...

Pam Biesiada Bill Bryant Nikki Carso Marvin Gino Ron Lencioni Louise McCants Barbara Patch Evelyn Ponczkowski Rich Surma Mary Tazelaar Denise Cafiero Vitale Therese Witanen Kay Zenger

### Wedding Banns

### Jill Keller & Doug Junius - II

### 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*) Captain Peter Keiser (*Army*), Ensign Patrick J. Kennelly (*Navy*) 2nd Lt. Madeline Lopez (*Army*), Major Brian Malloy (*Army*) Lt. Colonel Jade Patrick Miller (*Army*), Lt. Joshua Michael Peck (*Army*) SPC James Purvin (*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, February 18

Genesis 4:1-15, 25 Mark 8:11-13 **Tuesday, February 19** Genesis 6:5-8; 7:1-5,10 Mark 8:14-21 **Wednesday, February 20** Genesis 8:6-13, 20-22 Mark 8:22-26 **Thursday, February 21** Genesis 9:1-13 Mark 8:27-33 Friday, February 22 1 Peter 5:1-4 Matthew 16:13-19 Saturday, February 23 Hebrews 11:1-7 Mark 9:2-13 Sunday, February 24 1 Samuel 26:2,7-9,12-13,22-23 1 Corinthians 15:45-49 Luke 6:27-38

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## Parish Support & Services

	ATTENDANCE & COLLECTIONS		
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Ro Geisler Parish Manager 847-907-3424 rgeisler @holyfamilyparish.org	Jan 20 Jan 27 Feb 3 Feb 10	1,852 2,263 1,886 2,086	\$ 37,257 * \$ 24,914 \$ 37,101 * \$ 23,622
<b>T</b> I <b>D i</b> I <b>O i</b>	Total	8,087	\$ 122,894
The Parish Support & Services Community oversees the parish	Year to Date Sunday Collections Year to Date Catch-up Collections Total of Sunday and Catch-up Collections		\$ 1,293,087 \$ 85,371 \$ 1,378,458
business and infrastructure activities	Year to Date Budget Sunday Collections		\$ 1,300,742
to ensure they operate efficiently.	Christmas Collections through 01/08/19	6,561	\$ 209,093
	Year to Date Christmas Budget		\$ 295,000

SUNDAY

\* Includes electronic giving



## 15" Cross of New Life

Beautiful 15" model of the Cross of New Life.

Cost: \$199

Call 847-359-0042 or stop by the Parish Office.

Consider giving one to a loved one / friend as the perfect gift!

## **Pastoral Care**

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. Save the date: Life Line Screening and opportunity for Health Screening March 29, 2019

### Save the date: KOC Council 11981 Blood Drive

### Sunday, March 10, 2019 - 8:00am - 1:00pm

Your blood donation will help save a life. Please consider donating on March 10. Be prepared to donate by bringing your ID (must be 18 years of age or if under 16-17 signed parental consent), eat before arriving and stay hydrated. To schedule your appointment please call Vitalant at 877-258-4825 or go to vitalant.org and use group cd877-543-3768 or login www.lifesource.org.

### **Rising from Divorce**

We are a peer support group for those experiencing or affected by *Divorce, Separation or a Challenging Relationship.* Come join us on **Monday, Feb. 18 from 7:00 - 9:00 PM** in Breakout 1 meeting room. **"Catholic Divorce!"** Yes, sad news, but Catholics *do* civilly divorce!. We're here to help, and to encourage healing through the sacraments where you will personally encounter Christ—with all His love and tender mercies. That is *REALLY good news.***"Come to me, all you who labor and are overburdened, and I will give you rest."** *Matthew 11:28* 

Walk-ins welcome. For more information contact Kathy Kvitek at kathykv2@gmail.com

## You are invited to engage by partnering in Pastoral Care through any one of our Compassion Ministries. Offer your Gift of Compassion to Others.

All ministry hours can be custom linked to your avaibility...Training provided, no experience necessary.

- Bereavement Team: we guide families who want to plan a Funeral Mass or Memorial Mass for a loved one.
  - Funeral Ministry Team: Set up for Funeral Mass or Service in the church or chapel.
  - · Funeral Luncheon Team: provides food set up and table hospitality upon luncheon requests.
  - Minister of Care to Hospital: Visits St Alexius patients bringing Communion
  - Minister of Care to Homebound: visits homebound clients who request Communion.
  - Minister of Care Nursing homes: provides Communion service and brings Communion to residents.

Training is provided for all ministries. To qualify you must have a compassionate heart and enjoy doing for others. Call Mimi Ferlita for more information 847-907-3425 or mferlita@holyfamilyparish.org.

### **Al-Anon**

Meetings are for friends and families of alcoholics who will find support and understanding. Come join us each Saturday morning 9:30-11:30am Lower Level #3. For more information please call Cathie 855-383-2224.

### LOSS (Survivors of Suicide) Support Group

You are welcome to join us on **Feb. 20, 2019 at 7:00pm** to be with others who share your loss. This gathering is facilitated by Catholic Charities on the 3rd Wednesday of each month and hosted by Holy Family. For more information, please call Emily at 312-655-7283.

## "Joyful Again" Widowed Retreat

Retreat/workshop for widowed men & women. March 9 & 10 at Mt. Assisi Center in Lemont, IL March 30 & 31 at Holy Family Med. Center in DesPlaines. Are you widowed and feeling stuck? Come and find ways to move toward inner peace and new hope in life. Contact information: 708-354-7211: joyfulagain7211@gmail.com; www.joyfulagain.org

## To Be Joyful Again Ministry

"To Be Joyful Again" is a non denominational support group for widows, widowers, or anyone else who has lost a significant other. Please join us on **Feb. 21** (first and third Thursday of each month) at 7:00pm. Lower Level room083. **Feb. 10, 2019** - Game afternoon from 12:00pm to 4:00pm in the Common Ground room. For more information, please call Pat Bongiorno at 847-985-4624 or Bob Boho at 847-438-2884.

## **Mental Health Support**

A support group for families and friends of people with mental health issues. Next meeting will be on **March 6 from 7-8:30pm** at Holy Family (meets 1st Wednesday of each month). Ministry leaders Dan and Trudy Mickey can be reached at 847-991-6255 for more information.

### US Too Prostate Cancer Support Group

For men and couples who are dealing with prostate cancer, join us on **February 26** for support, resources and information (every 4th Tuesday of the month) from 5:30 - 7:00 pm

## Adult Faith

## **Attention Young Adults!**

The Young Adult Ministry--Northwest (YAM-NW) is a regional Young Adult Ministry, a part of the Vicariate 1 DEF Ministry Commission, serving the 30 parishes in Vicariate 1, Deaneries DEF, specifically young adults in their 20s and 30s. We offer spiritual, social, and service events for young adults throughout the year to engage young adults in their parishes and with each other across the northwest suburbs.

One of our biggest events we host yearly is our Winter Wine Series. Similar to the popular summer series Theology on Tap, we hold these speaker sessions as a way to help young adults (20s-30s) grow in faith and also meet other young adult Catholics in the area.

For more information visit www.facebook.com/groups/yamnwc or https://vic1chicago.org/speaker-sessions

Schedule for the Young Adult Winter Wine Series:

Wednesday, February 20, 2019, 7:00-9:00 pm – "Bread of the Presence and Wine Poured Out: Sacrificial Foundations of the Eucharist in the Sinai Covenant" with Dr. Lynn Boughton. Location: St. Edna, 2525 N. Arlington Heights Road, Arlington Heights.

Wednesday, February 27,2019, 7:00-9:00 pm – "Understanding the Bible and Using it for Evangelization" with Mr. Raymond Urban. Location: St. John the Evangelist, 502 S. Park Blvd., Streamwood.

## **Little Black Prayer Books for Lent**

The Little Black Prayer Books for Lent will be available in the front office beginning the weekend of February 9-10. The cost of each book will be \$1. If you are purchasing for a group and would like to pay with a check, please make check payable to *Holy Family Parish*. Please bring exact amount if you are paying with cash. Thanks so much! Wishing you a prayerful Lent...



## **Annulment Ministry**

For more information on how you can receive the support to complete the annulment process with someone who has "been there," contact Jan at jromanowski@sbcglobal.net, 847-504-6924 or Rosemary at rtspinner@gmail.com, 847-991-7833. There is always someone available to walk with you and answer your questions along the way.

### 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.

## Adult Faith

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Divine Wisdom,

You led men and women to put in the **Bible words that** would bring us closer to vou. Help us to search the Holy Scriptures better each day. Enlighten us in these changing times to acquire the wisdom and grace to understand your call, reinterpreting it for our contemporary lives while remaining loyal to its eternal message. Let your word, like good seed, take root in our hearts and bear fruit in our lives.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen



## Bible Journey The Art of Reading Biblical Texts: The Prophets

Presented by Elizabeth Nagel, Ph.D.

Cost: \$35

## *February 27, March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 10, 2019* 9:45 am - 11:45 am

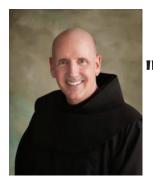
(Includes one hour of small group discussion and one hour of lecture)



Dr. Elizabeth Nagel was raised in north central Missouri. She received her M.A. in theology with a concentration in Scripture from Mount Angel Seminary in Oregon. She then studied in Rome at the Pontifical Biblical Institute where she received the licentiate and doctorate in sacred scripture (SSD). She is an author and has served as the President of the Pontifical Faculty of Theology at the University of St. Mary of the Lake in Mundelein. Her primary interest is in teaching and communicating Sacred Scripture in a way that helps contemporary Christians enter into the biblical text and hear, for themselves, God who speaks there.

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

## Adult Faith



## Parish Mission 2019 March 24, 25, and 26, 2019 "Open the Eyes of My Heart, Lord" Presented by Fr. Ed Shea, OFM

Sunday, March 24 – 4:00-5:30 pm Monday, March 25 – 7:00-8:30 pm (followed by hospitality) Tuesday, March 26 – 7:00-8:30 pm (followed by hospitality)

## Upcoming 2018-2019 Adult Faith Programs:

Our RCIA group will be participating in the Just Neighbors program during the period of Mystagogia. This program will be an introduction to concrete ways to live out the Gospel message to love our neighbors. We have space for some additional people to join us for this program. If you are interested, please contact Mary Whiteside at 847-907-3450 or mwhiteside@holyfamilyparish.org.

The schedule is as follows:

- Sunday, May 5, 10:15 am 11:30am "Who is My Neighbor?" (Charity and Justice)
- Sunday, May 12 (Mother's Day), 10:15-11:30am "Our Children, Our Future" (Option for the Poor)

• **Sunday, May 19, 10:15-11:30am** – "Making Ends Meet" (The Call to Family, Community and Participation)

• Sunday, June 2, 10:15-11:30am - "What Would You Choose?" (Solidarity)

• **Sunday, June 9, 10:15-11:30am** – "Stepping Out in Faith" (Charity, Justice and Discernment in Ministry)

Preregistration is required as there are a limited number of seats for this program. There is no cost. To pre-register, contact Mary Whiteside at 847-907-3450 or mwhiteside@holyfamilyparish.org.

## The Spiritual Journey: Reflections on the Wizard of Oz

### Presented by Friar Johnpaul Cafiero, OFM

### Saturday, May 18, 2019 10:00 am - 4:30 pm

Cost: \$20 per person (lunch included)

This event requires PRE-REGISTRATION as there is limited seating. Contact Jeannie Parry to register at 847-907-3440 or jparry@holyfamilyparish.org.



## 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.

## **Passion Play 2019** "The Centurion's Tale"

**The Passion of our Lord** is at the heart of the Christian Gospel. If people know anything about Christianity it is this: The Son of God offers the ultimate sacrifice – death on a cross – as a ransom for all of humanity, indeed all of creation, restoring once again the possibility of Eden. Through this single act of love the gates of Paradise are thrown open once again. In this act of love the Almighty's creative power fashions a new heaven and a new earth, making all things new.



**The passion narratives** invite us to see and hear this seminal story of faith in all its complexity. They ask us to carefully mine its layered riches and attend to its nuances. Though we often think of it as Jesus' story, it is really our story – the story of our own redemption. This is the goal of Teen Faith's annual Passion Play. Over the last three years, rather than presenting a collage of familiar New Testament stories woven together with song, the scripts have consciously presented a point of view through which the Passion of our Lord can be seen and heard anew.

This year the Passion is presented through the eyes of the Romans, narrated by the centurion who proclaims in all four gospels, *"Truly, this man was the Son of God!"* The Passion play is designed to be both a dramatic proclamation of the Gospel and a reflection/homily for Good Friday. The question the teens pose this year to the larger Holy Family community is, *"How did a loyal son of Rome come to this radical insight? What were the events that led up to this life-altering conversion?"* As any good Gospel reflection does, the assembly will be left to respond to the ultimate question – *how has Jesus' passion and death transformed me? Where am I on the journey of salvation, what in my life needs to change?* 

Please make plans to join us this Good Friday, April 19 at noon, 3:00 and 7:30 pm. Invite your family and friends to worship with you on this important day in a unique and memorable way.

### **Family and Teen Faith Tuition & Fees**

As of January 8, 2019 \$106,327.80 has been collected. This represents 72% of the total billed for the year (\$148,125.00). **THANK YOU!** 

In order to receive the Participating Parishioner Tuition Rate each family must

- Be a registered member of the parish Parish registration is a simple but formal 2-step process. Enrolling in Faith classes and attending Mass at Holy Family does not automatically register you and your family in the parish.
- Contribute five (5) hours of service to the Faith program If you still need service hours please go to our Sign-Up Genius to do so. We are always adding volunteer opportunities. https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0b4ca4a929a1ff2-20182019
- > Contribute financially to the parish through:
  - The Sunday collection, either during the weekend Masses or through on-line giving
  - The Holy Family Foundation
  - The Holy Family Building Fund

No specific amount is required however, in order for us to verify your contributions you must make them electronically or by check.

Family & Teen Faith staff members will be verifying this information. Those families who have not yet met these requirements will be notified so they can do so.

## Family & Teen Faith





### **FIRST EUCHARIST**

On Sunday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> at the 9:00 am Mass all the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> graders preparing to receive their

1<sup>st</sup> Communion this spring will participate in a special Rite known as the **Presentation of the Our Father**. This is a new step added this year to the Preparation Process.

**Note:** Unfortunately, given the nature of these celebrations we cannot offer a make-up opportunity.

Parents wishing to help with some of the First Communion events <u>CLICK HERE</u> to sign-up.

Moms and Dads willing to be in the **Last Supper Skit** at the April 6<sup>th</sup> Faith-in <u>CLICK HERE</u> to sign-up. This year we have an updated script that includes

### 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Reconciliation



At Holy Family, children are taught about the sacrament of Reconciliation in stages. In 4<sup>th</sup> grade children in both our Family Faith and HFCA are given additional catechesis on making good

moral choices, what sin is and how the sacrament of reconciliation developed. They are prepared to celebrate **Form I** of the sacrament (face to face with a priest). Dr. Peg Hanrahan, Fr. Terry and Fr. Rich will be providing this catechesis to the Family Faith children on March 3<sup>rd</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> during class and during Religion classes for the HFCA children.



### CONFIRMATION

Those who are doing the **FLAME I Online retreat**, Please schedule your session with Grant or Dr. Peg by

March 16.

**On Sunday, March 3** at the 4:00 pm Mass, those receiving Confirmation this spring will take part in the ritual known as the **Presentation of the Creed**. This rite highlights each candidate's willingness to embrace the <u>essential beliefs</u> of the Catholic Church. Parents and sponsors are invited to attend this special Mass with their teens.

**On Sunday, March 31** at the 4:00 pm Mass <u>all</u> those preparing to receive Confirmation (this includes FLAME I and FLAME II teens and those attending Catholic High Schools who are planning on receiving Confirmation at Holy Family) participate in the **Rite of Scrutiny**. Parents and sponsors are invited to attend this Mass with their teens.

**Participation in these Rites** are steps in the Preparation Process and must be completed prior to the reception of the sacrament.

Parents wishing to help with some of the Confirmation events <u>CLICK HERE</u> to sign-up.



### **The RCI** (Rite of Christian Initiation)

Our next session will be held on

February 24<sup>th</sup> – 12:15-1:30

This session is for <u>ALL</u> our RCIC candidates and their families. We will meet in Common Ground. Lunch will be served.

## Family & Teen Faith

### Holy Family is an amazing community!

For us being Church has always meant doing life.

Our founders put their hearts and souls into creating a community of passionate believers rooted in the Gospel of Christ, steeped in the richness of Catholic tradition. We are committed to contributing to the evolution of Church teaching and inventive ways of expressing an expansive and inclusive understanding of divine truth. Holy Family has been, is and will continue to offer a distinctive parish experience within the Catholic landscape where diversity is appreciated and authenticity prized.



To continue to be such a vibrant and unique community we all need to do our part and support each other in being active, committed members of our parish. As



Fr. Terry reminds us often, **"We're all in this together."** For him that means each and every parishioner is involved in ministry and contributes financially on a regular basis to maintain

- the high quality of the programs we offer and
- sustain our wonderful campus.

### Here are ways Family & Teen Faith families can help

### VOLUNTEER YOUR TIME

<u>Click Here</u> to volunteer in Family and Teen Faith

Hall monitor sign-up links **SUNDAY MORNING SUNDAY EVENING** <u>Click here</u> to help out at the Gala <u>Click here</u> to help out with Passion Play <u>Click here</u> to help with 1<sup>st</sup> Communion <u>Click here</u> to help with Confirmation <u>Click here</u> to help with Teen Center Drop-in Nights <u>Contact Iferlita@holyfamilyparish.org</u> to help with Spirit Camp

### SHARE YOUR TREASURE

<u>Click here</u> to donate electronically to the Sunday collection, Holy Family Building Fund or the Holy Family Foundation.

A FRIENDLY REMINDER - in order to receive the Participating Parishioner

Tuition Rate each family must

- Be a registered member of the parish Parish registration is a simple but formal 2-step process.
- Contribute at least five (5) hours of service per <u>family</u> to the Faith program
- Contribute financially to the parish (must do so with a check or electronically)

**NOTE:** Family & Teen Faith staff members will be verifying this information. Those families who have not yet met these requirements will be notified so they can do so.

## 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.

Apply now for 2-yr.-old preschool through grade 8 2019-2020

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



## Preschool Learning is Hands-on Learning

HFCA applies the International Baccalaureate World School framework beginning in our preschool classes. Each 3- and 4-year-old class is exposed to four interdisciplinary units throughout the year. The current unit introduces our students to ways to explore and study their surroundings. Through hands-on learning, children observe, investigate, and describe changes that occur in themselves and their environment.

Recently, 4-year-old students completed their Animal Investigation Book with a trip to the science lab. They rotated through stations that featured animals from five different continents and learned letter recognition, geography, and animal adaptations. Through hands-on learning they answered the following questions: What helps caribou swim? How do penguins keep warm? What sense does the owl use to hunt for food? How do camels store water? and Why do giraffes have long necks?











## Human Concerns

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.



The economy must serve people, not the other way around. Work is more than a way to make a living; it is a form of continuing participation in God's creation. If the dignity of work is to be protected, then the basic rights of workers must be respected--the right to productive work, to decent and fair wages, to the organization and joining of unions, to private property, and to economic initiative.

Work is, as has been said, an obligation, that is to say, a duty, on the part of man... Man must work, both because the Creator has commanded it and because of his own humanity, which requires work in order to be maintained and developed. Man must work out of regard for others, especially his own family, but also for the society he belongs to, the country of which he is a child, and the whole human family of which he is a member, since he is the heir to the work of generations and at the same time a sharer in building the future of those who will come after him in the succession of history. On Human Work (Laborem Exercens. . . ), #16

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, is in its *eighteenth season*. 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. We are especially in need of female shift workers Mondays from 3am-7am. Training is provided. Contact Sue with any questions at 847-907-3443 or sgeegan@ holyfamilyparish.org. Sign ups will be in the narthex on Sunday, Feb. 24.

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.

## **Holy Family Parishioners – Drive Cautiously in the Parking Lot**



Every Sunday evening until the last weekend in April, Holy Family hosts a PADS site for our homeless friends to provide them with a nutritious meal and a safe and warm place to sleep. Be aware that our guests arrive on foot, on bikes as well as in automobiles. They are traveling along Palatine Road in the darkness of the evening hours and are difficult to see at times. Please drive slowly and use extra caution as you leave the church through the parking lot and onto Palatine Road. We want our guests to arrive safely. Thank You!

## 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



Please join us on **Monday, March 4 from 1:00p to 3:00p** in Holy Family's Common Ground as Sue Becker, a recently retired organizing and productivity consultant, presents "Spring Cleaning for Your Home and Soul".

In her presentation, Sue will explore a Christian perspective on how to live with abundance, but not attachment. Using the parable of *The Rich Young Man* and Catholic tradition, Sue will reflect on how to 'Let Go and Let God' be your only source to hold onto. She'll also present practical ways to organize our lives and our "stuff" so we can learn to detach and declutter. A \$5.00 fee will include this presentation and hospitality.

Sue spent the past 19 years helping thousands of people around the world create customized processes to conquer their piles of paperwork, pare down their overwhelming clutter and streamline their jam-packed schedules. She is an active member of St. Joseph Parish in Downers Grove, IL.

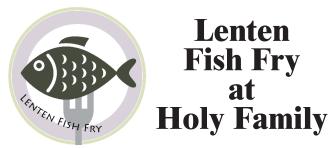
Questions: Please email Eileen at dwstjs@aol.com or Barb at owlsnest2018@aol.com.

## PADS THANKS INVERNESS POLICE DEPARTMENT



Holy Family's PADS ministry and the Inverness Police have a strong working relationship. They not only respond quickly to our calls for assistance, they also make it routine to come visit our sight and get to know the PADS guests by sharing a meal with them. Inverness Police Officers went above and beyond last month by preparing and grilling a steak and lobster dinner with all the trimmings for 52 guests. The Inverness police donated the ALL ingredients and everything was made from scratch. Thank you, Inverness Police, for joining our PADS team in January!

## Human Concerns



### Fridays, March 8, 15, 22 and April 5 (no Fish Fry March 29) 6-7:30pm

THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will hold a Lenten Fish Fry dinner to benefit the Human Concerns programs, served in the social center from 6:00-7:30pm. Menu includes *All You Can Eat* fried fish, baked fish, pizza, macaroni and cheese, fries, applesauce, coleslaw, dessert, and beverage. Please note a change in pricing due to increased food costs. \$12 adults; \$10 seniors 65 and over; \$5 children 4-12 years; 3 and under FREE.

### **Catholic Charities**

**DINNER & AUCTION** 

SATURDAY, APRIL 13, 2019

The 30th Annual Hearts for Hope Dinner and Auction will be held at 6 p.m. Saturday, April 13, 2019 at the Cotillion, 360 S. Creekside Drive, Palatine. Proceeds benefit Catholic Charities services in the northwest suburbs. Our Northwest Region office in Des Plaines provides food, clothing, shelter, counseling and other services to tens of thousands of people every year. The

event features dinner, open bar, silent and live auctions and music by 7th Heaven, one of Chicago's most popular bands. Reservations are \$95 each or \$900 for

> tables of 10. Sponsorships are available. Contact Mike Waters at (847) 376-2118 or mwaters@catholiccharities.net.

## **CHURCHES SAY "NO" TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE**

Save the Date. The Domestic Violence Outreach of the Archdiocese of Chicago is hosting its Third Annual Benefit on Friday, March 29 at The Diplomat West in Elmhurst.

### How Parishes Can Welcome LGBT Catholics Fr. James Martin, SJ

Be like Jesus: Listen, encounter, accompany.

By excluding LGBT Catholics, you are breaking up God's family; you are tearing apart the Body of Christ.

Show welcome and respect in our parishes.

LGBT people are more than their sexual lives.

Six fundamental Insights:

- LGBT people are as much a part of the Church as Pope Francis, bishops or pastors
- LGBT people bring special gifts. They long to know God and that they are loved by God
- Mention them in homilies or other presentations
- Apologize to them if they have experienced harm from the Church
- Advocate for them
- Foster a culture of inclusivity

\**The Catechism of the Catholic Church* says that Catholics are called to treat homosexuals with respect, compassion and sensitivity." (No. 2358)

Rev. James Martin, SJ, is a Jesuit priest, editor at large of *America* magazine, consultor to the Vatican's Secretariat for Communication, and author of many publications and bestselling books. The information above is from his book, *Building a Bridge: How the Catholic Church and the LGBT Community Can Enter into a Relationship of Respect, Compassion, and Sensitivity.* 

## 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

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#### 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

### St. Mary's Services

Unplanned pregnancy, support, counseling, adoption services. 847-870-8181

### Viator House of Hospitality

Supports young men seeking asylum. viatorhouseofhospitality.com

### 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

## Sacramental Moments

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are times in our lives when we experience God's loving presnece in a special way. We highlight some of those moments here.



Ellie Rose Burt Child of Alex & Amanda

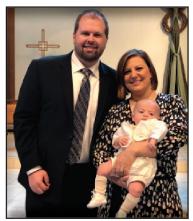


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Congratulations to our newly baptized and welcome into Holy Family and the Body of Christ!



Arya Kathryn Szkelnnik Child of Brian & Melinda



Vito Anthony Rogers Child of Paul & Maria



**Emmie Marissa Swiercz** Child of Justin & Rachael



Joseph Salvatore Fakhoury Child of Jesse & Angela



Carson Allen Roling Child of Jeremy & Victoria

## Of Special Note



## FEATURED AUCTION ITEM

## **BBQ with Father Rich**

Enjoy a casual BBQ dinner for 12 with our associate pastor Fr. Rich Jakubik. You will enjoy cocktails on the rectory patio with Fr. Rich followed by a steak BBQ with all the trimmings prepared by the Knights of Columbus. You'll have plenty of time to share stories with Fr. Rich, and who knows...he might even surprise you with one of his favorite dishes!

## CREATIVE SEWING MINISTRY

We meet monthly to create the baptism bibs and stoles given to each of Holy Family's newly baptized children. Members also knit and crochet items such as prayer shawls and chemotherapy hats to bring comfort and healing to others. We work as a team to complete each item, sharing our talents and creating friendships along the way.

Meetings are on the 4th Tuesday of each month from 1:00-4:00pm.

### Our next gathering is on February 26.

Come join us! To learn more about the Creative Sewing Ministry, contact Cely Andal at ctandal@comcast.net



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# PURCHASE YOUR TICKET TODAY!

Last day to purchase Gala Tickets is Monday, February 18! Tickets available after weekend masses or at HolyFamilyGala.org. Cash, Class, or Cruise raffle tickets available for sale through February 23rd, while supplies last!

# AUCTION FOR HFCA STUDENT ARTWORK

Decorate your home with a one of a kind piece from the Academy students. Whether you have a child or grandchild at HFCA or just looking for beautiful artwork to display in your home, you'll want to check out these masterpieces. Artwork will be on display in the Narthex and available for bidding from 2/16 - 2/22. For more information, visit our Gala website.