

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 part of our holy family in carrying out our mission. Registration forms are available in the parish office or contact Sue Geegan at sgeegan@holyfamilyparish.org

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	7:00 p.m.			
First Friday of the month	9:00 a.m.			
(with Anointing of the Sick)				
Saturday	5:00 p.m.			
<i>Sunday</i> 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.				
<i>Holy Days</i> 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): Mondays 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. Geo
Friar Johnpaul Cafiero	Fr. Pau
Fr. Denis Carneiro	Fr. Bill

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

Pastoral Council

e-mail: cour	ncil@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

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Fr. Terry Keehan

Let's all continue to pray for the countless lives that have been tragically altered as a result of mass shootings in Gilroy, California, El Paso, Texas and Dayton, Ohio recently. Let us pray that we may get insights to action that will address this epidemic.

Once in a while I will make a reference to daily Mass and some people are still surprised that we have Mass EVERY DAY. Many parishes around the world are not able to offer Mass daily, but we here in the Archdiocese of Chicago are fortunate because there are very few parishes that DO NOT offer Mass EVERY Day. If you think about it, that is a lot of Eucharist! Actually, there is one day in the year that Mass is not permitted to be celebrated and that is Good Friday.

We here at Holy Family have more attendees than most parishes for daily Mass, with between 40 and 60 on a regular basis. The daily Mass assembly is consistently the same core of dedicated people with a great appreciation of the Eucharist and is supplemented with loved ones and family members of those for whom the Mass is being offered. Please take a moment to notice the sign outside of the chapel that lists the Mass intentions for daily and weekend Mass as well as the sick and deceased we are praying for throughout the week.

Daily Mass attendance increases in Advent and particularly in Lent. In all of the seven parishes that I have served, and particularly here at Holy Family, I have come to appreciate the 'Daily Mass Crowd' and regular attendees, such as John Bacchi who plays piano and sings.

Almost always the Mass is in the chapel but occasionally when there is a funeral visitation, morning Mass is offered in the church at 9:00am EVERY weekday. We also offer Mass EVERY Monday evening at 7:00pm. The Sacrament of Reconciliation is offered EVERY Monday evening from 6:00-6:45pm in the Reconciliation Room in the back of the west side of church. EVERY first Saturday from 4:00-4:30pm we offer a Reconciliation Service, which is authentically the Sacrament and approved by the US Bishops. This service is similar to the type that we offer EVERY Advent and EVERY Lent. It consists of a large group gathering for prayer and music, a scripture reading and reflection by the priest, Examination of Conscience and Act of Contrition concluding with INDIVIDUAL Confession, Penance and Absolution.

Daily Mass Procedures

Fr. Rich and I recently reviewed many of the procedures for daily Mass. We are not really making many changes to Mass procedures, but in discussion with Rich, Fr. Charlie Bolser, Fr. Denis Carneiro, Fr. Bill Zavaski and other priests who preside, we want to offer a bit more consistency for the setup and liturgical actions for daily Mass. We realized that the variations that each of us have in style causes some confusion for those who set up. I want to thank all of those who help, not only with the setup and clean up, but those who serve as Eucharistic Ministers, Proclaimers and others who help make daily Mass a very prayerful experience.

To enhance and bring consistency to the prayer of our daily Mass, I have asked former staff member Jerry Stecker to take the lead in coordinating the Masses. He will work collaboratively with those who are currently involved, and certainly with us presiders. For additional collaboration and clarity, Jerry will report to Gene Garcia who is ultimately responsible for ALL Liturgical Arts ministries, activities, procedures and functions—obviously in conjunction with myself, Fr. Rich and Deacon Dennis Brown. This will help provide additional consistency and clarity of communication.

We thank Jerry for the generosity of his time and commitment to making daily Mass even more prayerful and consistent. We also ask those who attend daily Mass to support any tweaks or alterations that may be made. THANK YOU ALL!

In my recent writing project, I emphasize many aspects of work and find fascinating connections with Work, Joy, Talent and God. John 6:27 has Jesus encouraging us "...not to work for food (things) that perish but for those that endure." I am fascinated with how prevalent the word *work* is in our culture. I hope my writing will assist in adding a faith dimension that calls us to work for what lasts.

This week's Gospel offers a couple of clues as to what might last for us. From the Gospel of Luke, Jesus tells us ...more will be demanded of those entrusted with more, and ...provide money bags for yourselves that do not wear out, an inexhaustible treasure in heaven and ...for where your treasure is, there will your heart be.

Connecting last week's Gospel and this week's, let's work for what matters to God, what lasts, what we treasure, what holds things that don't wear out, where our treasure is and where our heart should be.

Liturgical Arts

Eucharistic Minister Training

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.



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, August 27, 7:00-9:30 PM, in the church.

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

The 4:00pm Sunday Mass will resume on August 18.

Preparing for Next Week...

Watch our weekly SCC reflection @ https://www.youtube.com/user/HFInverness/videos. Click on reflections for Sunday Readings for 8-18-19 and listen

to Dr. Peg Hanrahan, Director of Family & Teen Faith, reflect on the readings.

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1. Like the Ethiopian officer who came to Jeremiah's rescue, have you ever spoken up in response to an injustice, and what was the result?

2. Hebrews tells us that we are surrounded by a great cloud of witnesses. Who has influenced your faith journey?

3. In the second reading, a race serves as a metaphor for a faith journey. What elements of a race are comparable to perseverance in faith?

4. Have faith issues ever caused a division between you and your family or friends?

5. Jesus appears to be unusually negative in our Gospel reading. Do his words surprise or trouble you in some way?

SOCIAL JUSTICE QUESTION

Jesus is the perfect model of faith and endurance. How did Jesus keep you faithful and energized during a difficult time of conflict or desperation? Did your actions bring peace or division?

Feast of the Assumption of Mary August 15, 2019 Masses at 9:00 AM and 7:00 PM in the Main Church Please join us to celebrate who we are as People of God!

Mary symbolizes the People of God, the Church, the symbol of humanity in need of God. ...She is the symbol of God's final victory in humanity. In her bodily Assumption, we know that all of our humanity is free, redeemable and of immeasurable dignity. ...She is one of us and she is what we will be. ...We are not just free in our spirits; in our bodies, too, we share in the redemption and freedom of the Lord. This is what the Assumption, and all Marian celebrations, are about.

Richard Rohr, from The Great Themes of Scripture, New Testament

Liturgical Arts

Mass Intentions

Monday, August 12 9:00AM Holy Family Faith Community

Tuesday, August 13 9:00AM Carey Vitosh (Family)

Wednesday, August 14 9:00AM Holy Family Faith Community

Thursday, August 15 9:00AM Anna & Ignace Dzik (Family)

Friday, August 16 9:00AM Dr. Daniel Nwankwo (Family)

Saturday, August 17

5:00PM Thomas Postema II (Family) 5:00PM Carolyn Grosch (Glenn Grosch) 5:00PM Anna Jakubickova (Meler Family)

Sunday, August 18

7:30AM Nancy Nordvedt 7:30AM Barbara Offenburger (Harris Family)

9:00AM Edwin Mauer (Jean Mauer)9:00AM George Dailey (Knights of Columbus)9:00AM Helen Cangemi (Pastoral Care)

11:00AM John Brenner (Carol)11:00AM David Baranowski (Family)11:00AM Harriet Skiba (Stan & Pat Sowizrol)

Mass intentions are available by contacting the Parish Office

Eternal Rest Grant Unto Them...

+ Derek Jason Robledo

+ Mary Tazelaar

"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...

> Maria Gamberdella Eric Hoffmann James Schiffer, Sr. Nick & Phyllis Selvaggio

Wedding Banns

Allison Gaeding & Jeremy Leonard - III Rikki Valle & Nicholas Schullo - II Alexandra Csercse & Sean Finnerty - I Jenna Paldo & Nathan Foltz - 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*) 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, August 12 Deuteronomy 10:12-22 Matthew 17:22-27 Tuesday, August 13 Deuteronomy 31:1-8 Matthew 18:1-5,10,12-14 Wednesday, August 14 Deuteronomy 34:1-12 Matthew 18:15-20 Thursday, August 15 Revelation 11:19a;12:1-6a,10ab 1 Corinthians 15:20-27 Luke 1:39-56 Friday, August 16 Joshua 24:1-13 Matthew 19:3-12 Saturday, August 17 Joshua 24:14-29 Matthew 19:13-15 Sunday, August 18 Jeremiah 38:4-6,8-10 Hebrews 12:1-4 Luke 12:49-53



Parish Support & Services

Electronic Giving continues to have a significant positive impact on our budgeting and cash flow. As we complete our 2018-19 fiscal year our total number of electronic givers is **540** and represents **40%** of our Sunday contributions. While the number of electronic givers is up from 528 as of June 30, 2018 there are still many parishioners who have not yet made a commitment to electronic giving. We ask you to prayerfully consider electronic giving and help us reach our new goal for 575 for fiscal 2019-2020.

Ro Geisler Parish Manager 847-907-3424 rgeisler @holyfamilyparish.org

The Parish Support

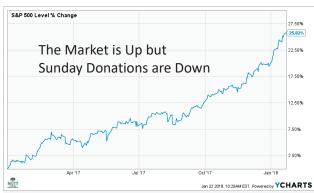
infrastructure activities to ensure they operate

& Services Community... oversees the parish business and

efficiently.

We want to thank all of our current electronic givers and remind you to grab an electronic giver card on your way in to church to place in the plate during the collection. Let's continue to be an example to everyone.

Sunday and Ho	olid	ay Revenue	Sur	nmary		
Through August 5, 2019						
					D	elta to
		Actual		Budget	B	udget
Sunday & Electronic Collections	\$	191,281	\$	181,535	\$	9,746
Christmas	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Easter	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Major Collections Totals	\$	191,281	\$	181,535	\$	9,746
Prior Week Totals	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Holy Family Fiscal Year is July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020						



Sell and Keep the Proceeds Buy 100 shares of XYZ purchased in 2107 for \$5,000 Sell 100 shares of XYZ today for \$9,000 You would owe **\$600*** in federal capital gains tax *For joint filers above \$78,751 in income

How You Can Help Holy Family and Lower Your Tax Bill

If you own shares of a stock or mutual fund that has appreciated in value, donating some of those holdings to Holy Family can have a double positive effect: -Your donation helps us continue to fulfill our mission -You pay NO capital gains tax on shares that have appreciated in value

Donate the Security

Buy 100 shares of XYZ purchased in 2107 for \$5,000 Donate 100 shares of XYZ today for \$9,000 You would owe **\$0** in federal capital gains tax

For instructions on how to donate stock or other securities to Holy Family, go to the Holy Family Website (*holyfamilyparish.org*) then click on *Give* at the top right of the page. Then scroll down and click *Donate Stock to Holy Family*. The resulting page will provide you with step by step instructions on how to process your security donation.

If you have any further questions contact Holy Family's Director of Operations Bernie Schaeffer at <u>bschaeffer@holyfamilyparish.org</u> or by calling 847-907-3420.

Pastoral Care

Palliative Care and Hospice Educational Forum September 21, 2019 10:00am -12:00pm

All are invited to attend an informative morning with JourneyCare, their clinical and professional staff and Fr Richard Jakubik who will inform and guide. Please reserve your place. A light lunch to be served. For more information and to register contact Mimi Ferlita at mferlita@holyfamilyparish.org or 847-907-3425.

Pastoral Care

Your Help Needed! Men & Women to offer a few hours monthly on one of our Compassionate Teams... All ministry hours will be custom linked to your availability...

Training provided; no experience necessary.

- Bereavement Team: we guide families who want to plan a Funeral Mass or Memorial Mass for a loved one.
- New: Pastoral Care Ministry support: help with Wake prayers; Committal Service prayers
- 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 St. Alexius Hospital: visit patients, bring Communion
- Minister of Care to Homebound: visits homebound parishioners who request Communion in their home.
- Minister of Care Nursing Homes: provides Communion service and offers Communion to residents of Alden, Brookdale and Rosewood nursing homes.

Inquiries are welcomed: Call Mimi Ferlita at 847-907-3425 or mferlita@holyfamilyparish.org.

Rising from Divorce

We are a peer support group that meets every first and third Monday evening for those with experiences or affected by Divorce, Separation or a Challenging Relationship. Come join us on **August21** from 7:00-9:00pm in Breakout 1 meeting room. Walk-ins welcomed. Great program! Topic is the theme of the DVD but so much more material is covered, including the group discussions following the DVD. The topics covered each session give important insight on divorce, its effect on us and our families, regardless of our family's ages! For more information, contact Kathy Kvitek at kathykv2@gmail.com or Mike Kimak Michael.kimak@gmail.com.

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 **August 15** (we meet on the first & third Thursday the month at 7:00pm in Lower Level room 083. 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. Ministry leaders Dan and Trudi Mickey can be reached at 847-991-6255 for more information.

LOSS (Survivors of Suicide) Support Group

You are welcome to join us on **August 21** (3rd Wednesday of each month) at 7:00pm to be with others who share your loss. This gathering is facilitated by Catholic Charities and hosted by Holy Family. For more information, please call Emily T. at 312-655-7284.

US Too Prostate Cancer Support Group

For men and couples who are dealing with prostate cancer, join us on **August 27** for support, resources and information (every 4th Tuesday of the month) from 5:30 - 7:00 pm

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 at 855-383-2224. Challenging topic with a different level of sensitivity, meaning and benefit to each of us.

Holy Family Ministers of Care serving at St. Alexius Medical Center

Join in the annual Appreciation Prayer Service at St Alexius Medical Center in Hoffman Estates in the Christ the Healer Chapel on **August 15 at 6:30pm.** To register call Mimi Ferlita 847-907-3425 or mferlita@holyfamilyparish.org

Minister of Care, Archdiocese of Chicago Vicariate 1 DEF Basic Ministry of Care Training on Sept 21 & 28 from 8:30am -3:00pm. Attendance at both sessions is required for certification. Location: St John the Evangelist Parish Center, 502 Park Blvd, Streamwood, 60107. This

training is required to serve as a Minister of Care at Holy Family. To register contact Mimi Ferlita at 847-907-3425 or mferlita@holyfamilyparish.org or call.

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Joyful Again!

Introspective Workshop/Retreat for Widowed Persons Joyful Again! Is a program designed to help the widowed sort out these changes and learn to find joy in living again while treasuring memories of their spouse. Dates & Locations: Sept 7 & 8 - Mary Queen of Heaven Parish- Elmhurst. Oct 12 & 13 - St Hubert's, Hoffman Estates (no overnight) Nov 2 & 3 - Nazareth Retreat House, Batavia Nov 16 & 17 - Our Lady of the Angels, Lemont For more information call 708-354-7211 or go to www.joyfulagain7211@gmail.com

Director 847-907-3477 rjakubik@ holyfamilyparish.org

Fr. Rich Jakubik

The Pastoral Care Community...

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

Adult Faith

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.

Bible Journey "The Gospel of John"

Presented by Fr. Joji Thanugundla Wednesdays, October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, November 6, 2019

9:45-11:45 am (Fr. Joji will present the first hour and small group discussion will follow)





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

Wedding Ministry

Do you love weddings? Our wedding ministry is strong with lots of great ministers who create a wonderful welcoming experience for brides and grooms at Holy Family, but we always welcome new members to join us. If you are looking for a way to get involved, but your busy schedule gets in the way and you don't want to over-commit, this ministry might be for you. Our wedding ministers pick and choose the weddings that work with their schedule. If it sounds like fun to you, give Jeannie Parry a call and you can shadow a wedding minister to see if this is something for you! Here are some skills that would be helpful to have to be on the team:

• **Patience** - Brides and grooms (and their parents) can be nervous/excited and need a calming presence.

• **Organizational skills** – There is paperwork to go over before the wedding to make sure we set up correctly for the rehearsal.

• Comfort in presenting information to a large group – Our team runs the wedding rehearsals and also assists on the wedding day.

• Willingness to train as a Eucharistic Minister

Contact Jeannie Parry if you are interested in learning more about the ministry. Jeannie can be reached at 847-907-3448 or jparry@holyfamilyparish.org.

Annulment Ministry

If you would like to speak to someone who has experienced an annulment or have someone walk the journey with you as you complete the annulment process, we hope you will consider contacting our Annulment Ministry leaders.

Jan at jromanowski@sbcglobal.net, 847-504-6924 or Rosemary at rtspinner@gmail.com, 847-991-7833.

Adult Faith



What past participants have said:

- This was the most beautiful, meaningful, life-changing retreat I have ever been a part of. I feel a very special bond not only with the people at my table but at those very special people who shared their life experiences with all of us. I feel that I learned to trust in the love of God. He's got me! Thank you to the Beloved Team each and every one of you, you are special and loved. I also feel loved.
- Preaching the limitless, abundant love of God for us is essential to grasping the mystery of how God regards us, His creation. You fleshed out the idea that baptism is a verb, not a noun. I believe this retreat will motivate me to go to the next level of practicing my faith with a stronger action component.
- You can never go around what you've got to go through. Not a single one of my circumstances has changed, but I have! I came here literally shaking and am leaving with the most joyful heart and biggest smile.



Beloved Retreat

November 1-3, 2019 (6:00 pm Friday-3:00 pm Sunday) University of St. Mary of the Lake Mundelein, IL Cost: \$195 (includes private room/restroom and meals)



Were you baptized or ARE you baptized?

With the leadership of the Soul Play Team and the Holy Family Team, we will be offering a Beloved Retreat to provide food for our hungry souls. We invite you to a weekend of new beginnings. Whether you are a young adult or have more life experience, male or female, single or married, religious or skeptic, hurt or healing, laid back or caffeinated, this is for you. This retreat model was founded in 1999 at Old St. Pat's Church in Chicago where they have grown to three full retreats per year. Beloved is a safe, inclusive environment in the quiet pastoral setting of University of St. Mary of the Lake in Mundelein. Come and laugh, pray, walk, talk, listen and rest with us...We welcome you to come away from the stress of life for a couple of days and let God lead you to new life.

Contact Mary Whiteside at 847-907-3450 or mwhiteside@holyfamilyparish.org to have registration materials sent to you. Registrations are accepted in the order they are received and must include fully completed form and payment. A wait list will be created once the retreat is full.

Did you get what you wanted from life, even so? I did. And what did you want? To call myself Beloved, To feel myself Beloved, on earth. - Raymond Carver

Adult Faith

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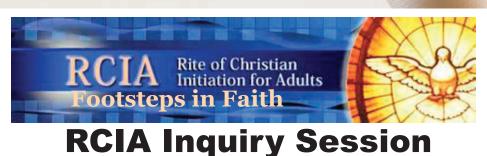
MARRIED IN 1969?

Have you registered for the annual Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass?

Couples celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary from across the Archdiocese of Chicago are invited to gather together for the Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass that will be celebrated by Cardinal Cupich on Sunday, September 8, 2019 at 2:45 p.m. The Mass will be held at St. John Brebeuf in Niles, Illinois.

To register, contact your parish office, or register online at **pvm.archchicago.org**.

We hope to see you there!



Wednesday, August 28, 2019

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm in the Rectory Do you want to complete your Sacraments? Do you know of someone who is interested in becoming Catholic?

Our formal RCIA process for adults who would like to be part of a warm spiritual community while becoming fully initiated Catholics will begin in September, but this is an opportunity to learn more about the process. Join us for some wine, cheese, and conversation in the Rectory. Bring any questions you have and please invite anyone you know who might be interested in learning more about our faith. There is no obligation attached to this meeting. It is an opportunity to learn more, in a very comfortable and relaxed setting, about what it means to become Catholic, to wonder out loud, and to meet our team. We'd love to talk with you.

Please RSVP to Mary Whiteside at 847-907-3450 or mwhiteside@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.

Faith does not make things easy it makes them possible. Luke 1:37



Are you up for the challenge?

Are you are looking for

- > Belonging and acceptance
- > Amazing friendships
- > Meaningful experiences

Then get yourself into an IGNITE small group.



Take it from us it will be one of the best decisions you'll ever make.

It is time to **IGNITE** a faith you can call your own.

"I hated Faith class. God and church meant <u>nothing</u> to me until the FLAME I Retreat. Then everything clicked. I will always be grateful to my parents for not giving up on me and not letting me give up on my faith."

Mike

Family & Teen Faith



PRAYER & WORSHIP

KID CHURCH – kid friendly worship for families with infants & toddlers

2nd and 4th Sundays of the month at 10:15 am.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY of the WORD (CLW)

For ages 4-10 every Sunday at 9 & 11 am

CONNECTING UP IS A CINCH **TEEN MASS 4 pm every Sunday** Teens serve as ministers

FAITH FORMATION transforms lives

Faith sharing in small Christian communities

A curriculum infused with Ignatian Spirituality

Integration of Mindfulness techniques to improve focus and sustain attention

Home schooling option

We offer a robust Peer Ministry Program

We employ the arts in all grade levels

We focus on Scripture in all grades

We use both liturgical and symbolic catechesis with P-K-grade 3

FAITH CREATES A Culture

Community Acceptance + Belonging

Actual Student testimonials

"This is where I found my best friends, my Faith and myself." (Gr. 12)

"The best thing about Faith is sharing with friends." (Gr. 7)

"Faith class makes me feel special." Gr 2

Give the Parish Office a call, 847.359.0042 and ask to speak with a Faith Staff Member.

Intend to register and just haven't gotten around to it? Took some time off get and want to get back in the groove? Register online www.holyfamilyparish.org

HAVE A SPECIAL NEED OR UNIQUE SITUATION

- A child/teen with special needs?
- Children 5 or older who are not baptized?
- Older children who are baptized and need to receive additional sacraments?

Reach out to a Faith Staff member.

All Faith students (grades 1-12) engage in community service. Family & Teen Faith students logged in over 11,000 hours of service in 2018-19.

Faith Parents practice what they preach, giving at least five (5) hours of service to the parish per family per year.

Family Faith has adopted a sister school in Kenya, Divine Mercy Academy. Kids exchange notes and gifts throughout the vear.

Family & Teen Faith



Share your faith with our kids! Be a catechist

Grandparents hold the souls of their grandchildren

Grandparents touch our lives in special ways. They become the keepers of our secrets, a trustworthy source of wisdom, cherished guides. They love us, especially when everyone else is mad at us! The see in us always our best selves, cheering us on, overlooking mistakes. They teach us that our very presence is gift, a an essential spiritual lesson for those of us who believe in the real presence of Christ in the Eucharist.



Keeper of secrets



Partners in crime

CELEBRATE GRANDPARENTS DAY @ HOLY FAMILY Sunday, Sept. 8th at the 9:00 am Mass

If your grandparents or grandchildren or great-grandchildren are nearby invite them come to Mass <u>with</u> you. If you and your grandchildren would like to participate in the Mass as a liturgical minister please Sign-Up on the Sign-Up Genius link below. Volunteers are selected on a first come, first serve basis.

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0849A5A92BA6FF2-grandparents

Grandchildren and great-grandchildren of all ages are welcome. If your grandparents or grandchildren are not close by or are unable to come to the Mass, come anyway and pray for them.





Mentors for life

SPECIAL PROGRAM TO FOLLOW MASS

Dcn. Dennis Brown will offer a reflection on

Grandparents as Spiritual Guides followed by conversation among grandparents about how they see their role as grandparents. A continental breakfast will be served. <u>All grandparents</u> welcome, so invite your non Holy Family friends and neighbors. There is NO fee for this event.

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

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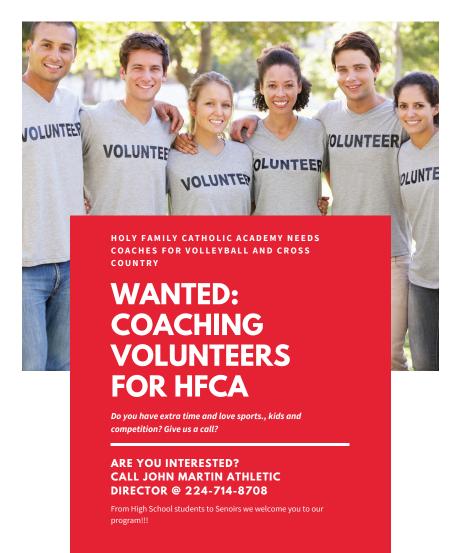
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Deb Atkins 847-907-3461 datkins@holyfamilyparish.org



Looking Ahead to the Start of a Great New Year!

Can you help?



Human Concerns

WORLD DAY OF MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES September 29, 2019

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. At the request of various bishops' conferences, Pope Francis has changed the date of the World Day of Migrants and Refugees to the last Sunday of September. The day, which was instituted in 1914 by Pope Pious X, was celebrated in January, however, September is now the designated month which is also the feast of archangels Michael, Gabriel and Raphael.

Recognize World Day of Migrants and Refugees RUN FOR YOUR LIFE 2 hour sessions Sept 13-16, 2019 Cabrini Retreat Center, Des Plaines An interactive event that engages groups physically and emotionally in the refugee journey and the challenges they face as they flee for their lives.

Share the refugee experience through a simulation that is part game, part escape room, part team building. Each group has a unique experience – where will the journey take YOU? This 2 hour "mini-retreat" will stay with you for a lifetime.

What will you be asked to do? The journey begins with the decision to flee your home country with what resources you can bring. Perils and challenges are encountered personally and with other travelers each step of the way to a new home. The simulation is an immersive experience, complete with boats, tents, sound effects and border security situations. Exodus World Service leaders guide participants and provide an opportunity for reflection on the experience.

There is no charge for this experience. The event is appropriate for ages 5 to older adults.

Registration deadline is Monday, August 26, 2019. Forms are located on the narthex shelves. To register or for more information, go to www.cabrinicenter.org/rfyl/ or call 847-297-6530. Email: info@cabrinicenter.org.

Want to participate in a different way? Adults are needed to populate the simulation as border guards, smugglers and other interesting characters. Contact Nancy at nancyg@cabrinicenter.org if you are interested.

Holy Family Hosts Summer Meals for the Homeless through September

Holy Family will host a Summer Meals Program the 4th Monday of each month through September. Our guests will eat from 6:30-8:00pm.

Dates: Mondays, August 26 and September 23 On Site Volunteer Times: 5:30-8:30pm Volunteers Needed: 8-10 each evening

Volunteer Opportunities:

- Food donations go to Carecalendar.org; ID 134413 Password 9236. Contact Dawn with questions at dawn.m.wagner@comcast.net.
 - Onsite volunteers contact Ann at amb883@comcast.net

to schedule your date(s).

Human Concerns

Lenten Social Justice Projects Accumulative Total Raised \$445,114

Holy Family Parish fully embraces Catholic social teaching and the expectation as a faithbased community to support the poor and vulnerable in our midst. Our generous parishioners have walked the talk and concretely found a way over Lent to support and give a hand-up (not a hand-out) to Mission parishes and agencies that work with the poor and disadvantaged. Our financial donations nourish sound programming, given their proven results, maintaining a path toward continued success.

Below is a recap of our most recent Lenten Social Justice Projects.

2019- Kino Border Initiative, Nogales, Arizona/Nogales, Sonora, Mexico and the Holy Family Fund – Respecting the human dignity of every individual is the first and foremost Catholic social teaching. Our Lenten focus intended to walk a path along-side individuals and families striving to live a life that is productive, strengthening the family unit, and maintaining inherent dignity - all within an environment that is safe and nurturing. Simply stated, we hoped to humanize the immigration issue and to recognize its complexity, while emphasizing accompaniment of people on their journey. Donations totaled **\$73,848**.

• Kino Border Initiative (KBI) promotes U.S./Mexico border and immigration policies that affirm the dignity of the human person and a spirit of bi-national solidarity through direct assistance and education. Every year, thousands of migrant men, women and children are deported to Nogales, Sonora, Mexico or arrive in the city fleeing from Central America. They often arrive with only the clothes on their backs and a small plastic bag that contains their belongings. They often do not know where to turn to receive a meal, find shelter and to make a phone call. They also arrive emotionally and psychologically devastated, due to separation from their family members or the inability to work legally in the United States.

• The Holy Family Fund is a program provided by Catholic Extension in partnership with local Catholic Charities offices and other agencies providing case management. It provides emergency funds and services to a family after one or more of the undocumented income-earning adults in the home are detained or deported by the US government. The families contribute to the fund on a monthly basis (\$20 for an individual, \$30 for a couple). The participant becomes eligible by enrolling through an agency such as Catholic Charities and paying their monthly fee to the Holy Family Fund. After the needs of the family are assessed, the family may receive benefits up to \$5000 per enrolled participant to help pay for rent or house payments, utilities, health care, etc. to maintain stability for the family.

2018 – **Peaceful Pathways, Chicago, IL** – We joined Cardinal Cupich's Violence Prevention initiative targeting vulnerable, at risk youth in Chicago's most troubled neighborhoods. Two highly successful programs were supported because they have impressive histories and proven results. They arm young people with the fortitude, skills and support needed to avoid the pitfalls of drugs, gangs, and violence. Holy Family raised **\$103,134** for Strong Futures on the south side of Chicago and Catholic Charities' The Peace Corner Youth Center on the west side.

• **Strong Futures** first began in June, 2016 as a pilot by the City of Chicago and Department of Family and Support Services (DFSS) in partnership with St. Sabina Church. Strong Futures addresses the needs of disconnected youth and young adults, between the ages of 18-28, who are justice-involved and/or have other barriers to stability, by connecting them with full-time employment. Strong Futures provides intensive coaching, comprehensive

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Human Concerns

(Lenten Social Justice Project continued)

wrap-around services, and support that will enable them to stabilize economically, retain employment, and develop into productive, responsible contributors in society.

• The Peace Corner Youth Center is located in the Austin neighborhood on Chicago's Westside. Originally established to provide the neighborhood youth a safe haven from gang violence and drug dealing, The Peace Corner has grown into a community center that provides employment services, GED class referrals, basic skill development, recreational programming, legal counseling, mentoring, tutoring, and hope for all that are willing to take a step in a positive direction.

2017 – San Miguel Arcangel Church, San Miguel de los Banos, Cuba – This Lenten project worked in collaboration with Catholic Extension raising donations totalling **\$95,000**. This enabled Catholic Extension to provide grant money to not only rehab San Miguel Arcangel Church, but also two chapels in the Diocese of Pinar del Rio – Las Ovas Chapel and Paso Real de San Diego Chapel. St. Rosendo Cathedral also received grant funding to complete their renovations. To date, all projects are moving along quite well as the both chapels are very close to completion and St. Rosendo Cathedral is moving ahead of schedule. San Miguel Arcangel is also moving along well as they continue to gather the materials needed for completion. Thankfully, all four structures received little damage from Hurricane Irma.

2016 – JOURNEYS|THE ROAD HOME – Holy Family Parish is a PADS site hosting local homeless clients registered through JOURNEYS on Sunday evenings, Oct through April. Raising **\$54,384** directly assisted JOURNEYS in their care and guidance of those who are homeless and those on the verge of homelessness. Critical services such as long-term case management, job counseling, minor medical care, mental health screenings, and most of all, securing permanent and stable housing are provided. A year following our Social Justice Project, they were able to secure housing for 135 clients, which was their greatest success rate up to that date.

2015 – **St. Mary's Mission Church, Red Lake Reservation, Red Lake, MN** – St. Mary's Mission Church and School, with a staff of 20 people, help to care for and educate the Native American residents of Red Lake, MN. Their pastor, Fr. Jerry Rogers, feels by surrounding children and their families with the power of prayer, the living witness of Catholic beliefs and a strong education, the greater hope there will be for their future. Holy Family raised **\$70,030** to support a Staff Associate to sustain the education of the children attending the school in collaboration with Catholic Extension. Our gift assisted the school, which is experiencing increased enrollment, and a salary for an Outreach Director and Parish Nurse. On a sad note, in December 2017, the church was completely destroyed by a fire (the school building was not impacted). Fr. Jerry Rogers is, as always, optimistic and he expressed hope that the church will rebuild. He said, "Out of the ashes will rise a new church."

2014 - St. Paul Mission Church in McKee, KY – This was our first collaborative effort with Catholic Extension Society. St. Paul is a small mission church in Appalachia (the only Catholic Church in that county) and serves a rural population. It cannot sustain the salary of a full-time priest. Rebecca Koury (now Rebecca Woods) is the Pastoral Associate. Holy Family raised **\$48,718** to pay Rebecca's salary and support the many ministries she administers in collaboration with Catholic Extension. Since 2014, Rebecca has instituted many programs benefitting youth, adults and the greater community.

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

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.

Jerry Aurigemma 224-484-8709 Doris Willerth 847-922-6633 Frank Sevilla 847-567-0969

LOSS (Survivors of Suicide)

Facilitated by staff of Catholic Charities on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at Holy Family at 7:00pm. Contact: Emily T. 312-655-7284

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 & Trudi 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

Sacramental Moments...

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



Bennett Francis Dausch Child of Matthew & Lindsay



Noah Matthew Sadural Child of Will & Michelle



Kelly & Cole Lewandowski Married June 8, 2019



Mia Jean Glinski Child of Tim & Anna



Megan & Kyle Rezabek Married July 27, 2019



Diane & Tom Purvin Convalidation on June 23, 2019

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Daily Mass and Reconciliation Schedules at Neighboring Parishes

Church	Daily Mass Times	Reconciliation Times
St. Theresa	MonFri. – 6:30am and 8:00am	Saturday 12:30-1:30pm or by appt.
Palatine	Sat. – 8:00am	
St. Anne	MonFri. – 8:15am	Saturday 9:15am until all heard or
Barrington	1 st Saturday – 8:15am	by appt.
St. Hubert	Monday & Friday – 7:00am	Saturday 5:30pm (after 4:30 Mass)
Hoffman Estates	Tuesday – 8:30am	
	Wed & Thurs- 7:00am Communion	
	Service	
Church of the Holy Spirit	M,T,W,F – 9:00am	Saturday 4:00-4:30pm or by appt.
Schaumburg	Thursday – 9:00am Communion	
	Service	
St. Thomas of Villanova	MonFri. – 6:30am Communion Service	Saturday – 8:30-9:30am or by appt.
Palatine	MonSat. – 8:00am Mass	First Friday – 5:30pm in Polish
	First Friday – 7:30pm Mass in Polish	
St. James	MonFri – 7:30am	Sat. 3:30-4:30pm or by appt.
Arlington Heights	Sat. – 8:30am	
St. Edna	MonThurs. – 8:00am	1 st and 3 rd Saturdays at 8:00am until
Arlington Heights	MonFri, – 6:45am Communion Service	all heard or by appt.
	Fri. – 8:00am – Morning Prayer &	
	Communion	



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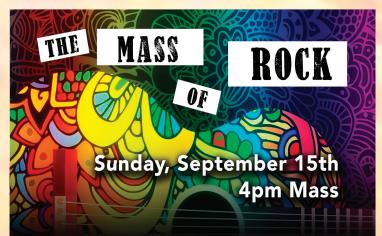


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Family Fest 2019

Sunday, September 15th 12pm - 4pm Fun for the entire family! \$5 per person \$25 max per family Children's admission includes a hot dog, chips, and water!

Be sure to stick around after for:



holyfamilyparish.org/fallfest