



JULY 23, 2023

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HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH
 826 West Central Ave. Davidsonville, Maryland 21035
Parish Mission
 “Engaged in Christ, Engaged with Each Other, Engaged in our Community”

*For a complete list of staff emails and ministries, visit our website at www.holyfamilychurch.com
 Bulletin Deadline: Monday at 8:00 a.m.*

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES FOR CATHOLIC PARISHES IN SOUTH ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY

Holy Family
Daily Mass: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday: 9:00a.m. (Church)
Weekend Summer Mass Schedule : Saturday: 5:00pm, Sunday: 8:30am and 10:30am (Church)

Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Edgewater 4 4 3 - 2 0 3 - 1 0 0 2
 Saturday: 4:00p.m. Sunday: 10:00a.m. 1:30p.m. (Spanish)
 Wednesday & Friday: 9:00a.m.

Our Lady of Sorrows, Owensville 4 1 0 - 8 6 7 - 2 0 5 9
 Saturday: 4:30p.m. Sunday: 8:00a.m. & 10:30a.m.
 Tuesday & Thursday: 9:00a.m.

Baptism: Call the Parish Office as early as possible to make arrangements. A Baptism Preparation Class is required for first time parents.
Reconciliation: Wednesday from 5:00 pm to 6:00 pm and Saturday from 3:30 p.m. to 4:45 p.m., and by appointment.
Communion Calls: Call the Parish Office if you wish Holy Communion brought to a member of your family.
Marriage: Call the Parish Office at least 6 months before the anticipated date of the wedding.
Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.): Email Charles Burk at burkce53@gmail.com to learn about the Catholic faith.
Rite of Christian Initiation of Children & Youth (R.C.I.C.), Reconciliation & First Communion: Beth Supple, Coordinator of Sacramental Preparation at firstsacraments@hfccmail.org.
Perpetual Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Oratory: For information, email Cindy Daily at cindy.daily@verizon.net.
Rosary: Saturday at 4:30 p.m. & Wednesday at 5:00 p.m. in the Church. Monday at 6:30 p.m. in the Chapel.
Prayer Network: To have prayers said for a special intention, call Chuck & Sally Miller at 410-798-4884.

GET THE MYPARISH APP on your phone/tablet through the App Store or Google Play Store. Search for Holy Family-Davidsonville.
<https://www.facebook.com/Holy-Family-Catholic-Church-Davidsonville-Maryland>

~ *Pastor's Note* ~

We received a gracious thank you letter from Archbishop Lori following his June 17th Pastoral Visit to our parish. The Archbishop expressed his gratitude for the joyful celebration of the Vigil Mass and lovely reception which followed in Unity Hall.

We also recently received a thank you letter from Rev. Richard Gray for our parish's contribution of \$10,433.42 from last year's Archdiocesan Ministry Appeal for the Haiti Feeding Program at our shared sister parish of St. Elizabeth of Hungary in Perodin, Haiti.

In his letter, Fr. Rich wrote, "**due to inflation its devastating effects in Haiti, we have increased our commitment to the feeding program and to teacher salaries at the parish school of St. Elizabeth of Hungary.**" I join Fr. Rich in thanking you for your support for the Annual Ministry Appeal which directly benefits the children of our sister parish.

The work of installing the new HVAC System in our Church and on the ground floor below the Church is scheduled to begin on Monday, August 14th. While the installation work is taking place, we will celebrate Masses in the air conditioned Unity Hall beginning the weekend of August 19th & 20th. Daily Mass at 9am will be celebrated in our 1929 Sears - Roebuck mail order catalog Chapel beginning Wednesday, August 16th.

I invite you to "**Pizza with Fr. Mike**" on Wednesday, July 26th from 5pm-7pm in Unity Hall or if the weather is good, out on the terrace of Unity Hall. Please RSVP to Dodie Seppi at Dodie.Seppi@archbalt.org.

Blessings,

Fr Mike



"He replied, 'No, if you pull up the weeds you might uproot the wheat along with them. Let them grow together until harvest; then at harvest time I will say to the harvesters, "First collect the weeds and tie them in bundles for burning; but gather the wheat into my barn."

Mt 13:29-30

July 24th - July 30th

Mon.	9:00 a.m.	No Daily Mass
Tues.	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Marie Meza and for the intentions of Cecilia Morgan
Wed.	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the souls of Fran Massimei and for the souls in Purgatory
Thurs.	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the souls of Francisco Herrera Medina and Laura Ruitberg
Fri.	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the souls of Vincent McGugan and Ann Gray
Sat.	5:00 p.m.	For the repose of the soul of Laura Ruitberg
Sun.	8:30 a.m.	For the intentions of Edith Sullivan and for the intentions of our Parishioners
Sun.	10:30 a.m.	For the repose of the souls of James McCahill and Kelli Williams

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time, July 29th & 30th

- ◆ *First Reading: 1 Kings 3:5, 7-12*
- ◆ *Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-128, 129-130*
- ◆ *Second Reading: Romans 8:28-30*
- ◆ *Gospel: Matthew 13:44-52*



SUMMER VACATIONS: You don't have to miss Mass while on vacation or travelling this summer or any time of the year. Visit <https://catholicmasstime.org/> to find a church near you!

HVAC CAMPAIGN: As of July 16th, we have received \$105,727.12. These gifts, combined with the \$50,000 from our reserve fund, gives us a total of \$155,727.12 or 25% towards our goal of \$630,000! We are tracking our parish's progress in our HVAC Campaign with the two red thermometers in our narthex. The thermometers are on the two brick walls on the far right or left of the double doors that lead into our Church.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT! Every dollar given during this two year campaign is cathedraticum free, which means every dollar will go toward the purchase and installation of our new HVAC System. If you would like to make your contribution thru Faith Direct, you can contribute to the maintenance collection on Faith Direct. If you would like assistance in choosing this option for the campaign, feel free to call the Parish Office.



PRAY FOR: Moira Dehn, Sonny Cave, Dawn Witz, Beth Grayson, Brandon Peters, Linda Kline, Candy Turner, Paul McMenamin, Eric Massemei, Jr., John Cobis, Joseph Pazulski, Hazel Garland, Gene Baez, Bo Thoms, Melia Sepeta,

Gerry Deighan, Dorothy Wright, Brayden Chesnick, Richard Addair, Augusta Hunt, Tracy Joyce, Jenny Worrell, Maria Witz, Morgan Earp, Oliver Moses Jaquez, Emma Webster, Tamara Huggins, Debi Greenfield, Thomas Scarduzio, Mike Greenwell, Liam O'Brien, Pauline Lukash, Lexi Woepler, Elizabeth Coe, Jessica Connell, Bradley Abell, Ricky Smith, Lauren Scalici, Edward Stromberg, Jr., Noah Haas, John Kelly, Bill Hoffman, Mary Markuski, Steve Arapian, Linda Markuski, Ken Carter, Pam Thayer, Geri McCarthy, Adam & Christine Palmer, Priscilla Snyder, Anita Stuck, Jim & Deb Powers, Steve Kuchta and for those on the prayer network.

DAVIDSONVILLE, MD

Sun.	Adoration continues, Oratory Nursery 8:30am-11:30am, Nursery Children's Liturgy of the Word, 10:30am Mass Baptisms 11:45am, Church
Mon.	Adoration continues, Oratory Rosary Group 6:30pm-7pm, Chapel
Tues.	Adoration continues, Oratory
Wed.	Adoration continues, Oratory Senior Ministry Luncheon Noon-2pm, Unity Hall (2/3) & Kitchen Pizza with Fr. Mike 5pm, Unity Hall Confessions 5pm, Church
Thurs.	Adoration continues, Oratory
Fri.	Adoration continues, Oratory Friday Fellowship 9:30am, Lower Gallery Disciples in Christ 10am-11:30am, Rooms 12, 13
Sat.	Adoration continues, Oratory



STEWARDSHIP
FAITH DIRECT QR CODE
PLEASE GIVE NOW

July 15th & 16th

Offertory \$3,877

Building & Maintenance (HVAC) \$4,073

Poor Box \$369.43

Missionary Co-op \$186

Attendance 710

Upcoming collections in July

♦ July 29th & 30th - Catholic Schools AOB

POOR BOX DONATIONS through Faith Direct is available. Help those in need in South County through Holy Family's St. Vincent de Paul Society. You can add a donation weekly or monthly by using this link: membership.faithdirect.net/enroll/MD61 or a one-time donation can be made.



GIVE UP YOUR ENVELOPES THIS SUMMER:

We invite you to help your parish save money by giving up your offertory envelopes. Enrolling with Faith Direct will provide Holy Family with consistent support and simplify your giving without the wasteful envelopes.

Visit www.faithdirect.net and use our Church code: **MD61**. Thank you for your continued support of our parish family!

If you are already enrolled in Faith direct please remember that if there are any changes to your credit card account (expiration date, new account number) you need to notify Faith Direct. If you do not do this, your donation cannot be processed. The same is true for any changes to your bank accounts if you are paying through ACH. Thank you for your attention to this and for your support of Holy Family.

♦ **REMINDER: If you change from envelopes to electronic giving through Faith Direct, please contact the office to cancel envelopes.**



BATTER, BATTER, UP! We are visiting the Bowie Baysox this summer on Friday, August 18th. Game time is 7:05pm. Our opponent is the Altoona Curve, Altoona PA. Still the best deal of the summer, tickets are only \$7 and Altar Servers are free! General admission the day of the game is \$15 so don't procrastinate.



FIREWORKS: After the game, the Baysox light up the skies with a fireworks extravaganza. Ticket sales will be available in the Upper Gallery, after all Masses, the weekends of August 5th & 6th & 12th & 13th. Tickets can also be purchased through the parish office during business hours. Must pay ahead!



HOLY FAMILY'S 11TH ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT AND FUNDRAISER DINNER WITH SILENT AUCTION

Date: Monday, September 25, 2023

Time: Registration 7:45am/Tee Time 9:00am

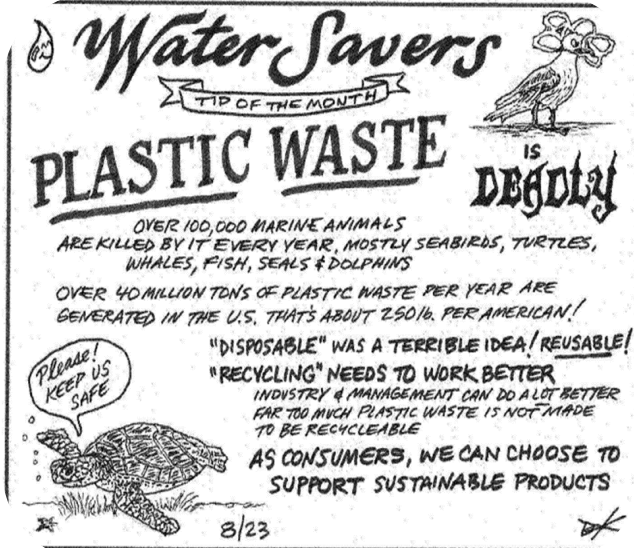
Place: Renditions Golf Club, Davidsonville, MD

Price: \$150 per player

Visit our website for more information and to register.

Questions? Please contact Chris Jedry at 443-474-8395 or email Jeds527@gmail.com.

CARING FOR CREATION



- ◆ Please don't forget the snacks for kids that go with the grocery bags from OLPH and Mt. Zion **BREAKFAST CLUB** Interfaith Ministry. We deliver food directly to those in need. Blessing for everything you all do.

Chris Gordon - OFS - christophergordon@verizon.net



HOLY FAMILY NURSERY: The nursery is open for the 9:15am & 11:15am Masses on Sunday for children between the ages of 2 and 5 years. (Closed 4th of July weekend).
NURSERY CAREGIVERS NEEDED AT HOLY FAMILY: We need adults (18 years or older) that are comfortable caring for children under 5 years of age.
This is a paid position.
 Email familyministry@hfccmail.org.

- ◆ Please make note that with the Summer Mass schedule in July and August the nursery will be open for the 8:30am and 10:30am Masses.



MAKING MUSIC, PRAYING TWICE: A MUSIC PROGRAM FOR PRESCHOOL AGE CHILDREN.

"Sing to the Lord a new Song; Sing to the Lord, all the earth."

Psalm 96:1, 2

We are looking for a teacher for this program that runs from September through May for one hour one day a week. No experience required. This is a paid position. Please contact Cyndi Zajic at familyministry@hfccmail.org or call 410- 269-0586 (ext. 34).



MASS GREETERS!! YOU AND YOUR FAMILY OR YOU AND YOUR FRIENDS (also family)! Be the "greeters" at the front doors of Holy Family Catholic Church

before and at the end of weekend Masses. This is a wonderful way to help out at the Church and to be part of it's loving community. Sign up on the Homepage of our website today! Thank you!



FLOWER MEMORIALS: To honor a loved one, living or deceased, in thanksgiving for blessings bestowed or for a special intention. You are invited to offer a gift of flowers to adorn the sanctuary by the Tabernacle, the Blessed Mother, the Divine Mercy, or the Holy Family Statues by calling

the parish office for available dates. Flower selections will be based on cost and availability. Minimum donation: Tabernacle: \$80; Statues: \$30.



PRAY THE ROSARY: Mondays at 6:30pm in the Chapel. Wednesdays at 5pm (during confessions) or 4:30pm Saturdays both in the Church.



HOLY HOUR: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, rosary, Thursdays from 7pm-8pm in the Chapel with and contemplation prayer Lectio Divina. We are on Summer break and will resume on September 14, 2023.



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Confessions at 5pm on Wednesday and on Saturday at 3:30pm in the Church confessional.



FIRST SATURDAY MASS: Saturday, August 5th at 8:30am in the Church starting with Rosary and Confessions.



JOIN US FOR OUR SENIOR LUNCHEON

"HONORING AMERICAN LUNCHEON"

WEDNESDAY, JULY 26, 2023

NOON -2PM

RSVP BY JULY 23 TO SUE HICKMAN

410-507-5566

DEACON DOUG'S Q & A



QUESTION: At the beginning of the offertory at Mass, a small drop of water is added to the wine in the chalice. Why?

Answer to last week's question about the use at Mass of the paten, pall, purificator, and corporal: **Paten**, small gold plate on which the large host is placed at Mass; **purificator** is a small white cloth used to protect the precious blood in the chalice; the **pall** is a stiff material cover placed over the chalice and paten before the offertory; the **corporal** is the white linen cloth on which the paten and chalice are placed during Mass.

" SERENITY ROOM"



ATTENTION NEW MOTHERS: We asked targeted families for your input and suggestions on how to make our parish more family friendly and we are happy to announce that we are providing a room for nursing mothers to use during Mass. A television has been installed in the **Serenity Room**, located on the lower level of the Church, to livestream the Mass. Directional signs will be posted in order to locate the room.

CELEBRATORY BRICKS AT THE CHAPEL: Holy Family offers the opportunity to purchase a brick (4" x 8" \$150 or 8" x 8" \$250) in memory of a loved one or to celebrate a family achievement. Interested parties should contact Jeanne Collins, office receptionist, at rcpt@hfccmail.org. Forms are available on the Parish website, www.holyfamilychurch.com or through the Parish Office. The donation for a brick goes directly to Holy Family Catholic Church.

- ◆ **NEEDING TO FORM A BRICK COMMITTEE** to sell the bricks on various weekends after all the Masses in the Upper Gallery. Interested parties can either call the Parish Office at 410-269-0586 (ext. 21 Jeanne Collins) or email her at rcpt@hfccmail.org.



HVAC FUNDRAISER RAFFLE: Knights of Columbus Council 8251 HVAC Fundraiser Raffle tickets still on sale while they last! 1st prize \$2500, 2nd prize \$1000, and 3rd prize \$500. Only selling 100 tickets; price is \$100 per ticket (cash, check made out to KofC Council 8251, or Venmo to [@Knights-ColumbusSouthCounty](https://www.instagram.com/Knights-ColumbusSouthCounty)). Net proceeds go to Parish HVAC fund. Winners will be chosen on Donut Sunday, September 10th and need not be present to win! Tickets available by calling 443-454-3805, by e-mail to koc8251@gmail.com, or in the Upper Gallery the weekend of August 12th & 13th (if not sold out). HVAC depends on us so let's have fun helping to pay for it!



NATIONAL Eucharistic Revival

EUCCHARISTIC RENEWAL: YEAR OF THE PARISH: At the beginning of July, the Precious Blood was ministered to parishioners at Mass for the first time since the pandemic. It had been over 3 years since the laity was able to drink from the chalice. The joy on parishioners' faces, as they approached the Eucharistic Minister, was uplifting and all-telling. We are blessed with the gift of the Eucharist. May we drink deeply of God's Love, may it transform us, and may we in turn be loving witnesses of Christ in our environments.

Ponder in Prayer: "Body of Christ, save me. Blood of Christ, inebriate me." – from the Anima Cristi prayer

Visit <https://www.eucharisticrevival.org>.



FRIDAY FELLOWSHIP: Join us on Fridays after daily Mass in the Lower Level Gathering Space! Join us for cards and games (to be selected weekly). Email Cyndi at familyministry@hfccmail.org or call the Parish Office during business hours.



SEW TIME: Our next meeting is on **Tuesday, August 15, 2023** at 6:30pm in HF Classrooms 12 & 13 (new members welcome and no sewing experienced needed). We will be working on community projects and items for our holiday sale. We have walker totes available for anyone in need. For more information please contact Barbara Harmel at barbara.harmel@gmail.com or Pam Hines at hinesjp@verizon.net.



MEN'S GROUPS: Fraternity, discussion and faith. We meet every other week. Choose from a variety of meeting times. For more information and to find a time that works for you visit the Homepage on our website www.holyfamilychurch.com and scroll to the icon "Men's Ministry" to get all the updates.



WOMEN'S MINISTRY: Are you looking for sisters in Christ to share in faith and friendship? A place where you can ask for prayers and know you will be lifted up and supported in any way possible. A place where you can grow in your knowledge of scripture and how it applies to your daily life. Contact Margaret Wood at margaret.wood@hfccmail.org and find out how to participate in this beautiful ministry.



ATTENTION VOLUNTEERS: We are asking all volunteers to log into their www.VIRTUSOnline.org accounts and update their contact information and complete any required training or acceptance of "Statement of Policy" and "Code of Conduct." Contact Louisa.Woolery@hfccmail.org if assistance is needed.

SACRAMENT PREP FOR YOUNG ADULTS

(AGES 16-20)

Are you behind on your Sacraments—Baptism, Reconciliation, First Communion, or Confirmation?

Now is the time to get caught up.

Classes will begin in the fall.

Contact Dodie at dre@hfccmail.org for more information.



SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE

- ◆ **SATURDAY VIGIL MASS:**
5PM, CHURCH
- ◆ **SUNDAY 8:30AM**
& 10:30AM (LIVESTREAMED)
MASSSES, CHURCH
(THRU AUGUST 26TH & 27TH)



THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE will soon be accepting registrations for Faith Formation classes for the 2023-2024 school year for PreK through 8thth Grade. Registration this year is completely online.

Our weekly, in-person classes will begin September 17/18, 2023.

CLASS TIMES THIS YEAR:

- **Session 1 Classes:** Sundays 9:10am-10:25am (Grades PreK-8)
- **Session 2 Classes:** Sundays 11:00am-12:15pm (Grades PreK-8)
- **Session 3 Classes:** Mondays 4:45pm-6:00pm



SCHOOL OF THE INCARNATION, our regional Catholic School, has limited openings for grades PreK4-7th. Call for availability in other grades

to 410-519-2285. It's not too late to apply. We are currently enrolling for the 2023-2024 school year.



OUR DAILY BREAD CASSEROLES

Casserole pans will be available on the tables in the Narthex and under the blue grocery cart outside the Church (weather allowing) this weekend, July 22nd & 23rd.

Don't forget that casseroles must be returned frozen the weekend of July 29th & 30th.

- ◆ **VOLUNTEERS** needed to collect the frozen casseroles before Masses. Come 10 minutes early and load casseroles onto the cart and put them in the freezer in Unity Hall about 10 minutes after Mass starts.
- ◆ To help drive to Baltimore, load your car with casseroles and drive to Our Daily Bread and once you are there, they will help you unload. Takes about 2 hours.

For more information, please contact Linda Wilk at linda.wilk@wilkworld.net.



OLPH FOOD PANTRY It's that time again that our South County Interfaith group, called the Breakfast Club, which supports the people and children in south Anne Arundel County begins their ministry. With the help of the good folks at Our Lady Of Perpetual Help, bags of groceries are assembled and then distributed. Monday thru Friday we deliver breakfast and on Fridays we set up tables and distribute groceries (enough for weekend) to the folks in need at the mobile home parks in South County. What can you do to help? Well, in addition to whatever groceries you normally donate into the blue carts, could you please add some children's snacks from our wish list? These could be health bars, juice boxes, Lunchables, individual packets of cookies or whatever you think that they would like. Please mark them "**Breakfast Club.**"

We need your help! You can volunteer by calling the Parish Office at 410-269-0586 and ask for Jeanne Collins or email Chris Gordon at christophergordon@verizon.net. For the rest of the Summer we will be ensuring the people who need it the most get the food they need. Nobody should be hungry. Thank you so much for your help and generosity as always.

Pantries current needs are: Pancake mix & syrup, canned tuna, canned black beans, diced tomatoes, Penne-elbow macaroni, 1lb bags of rice, and peanut butter (18oz.).

Please leave pantry donations in the blue grocery carts outside the Church or in the Narthex. Please check expiration dates, we cannot accept expired foods and lightly bag donations for easier deliver to the pantry.