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AUGUST 8, 2021

HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH
 826 West Central Ave. P.O. Box 130 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

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES FOR CATHOLIC PARISHES IN SOUTH ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY

Holy Family

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday: 9:00a.m. (Church), Saturday: 5:00p.m., Sunday: 7:45am, 9:15am & 11am

Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Edgewater 443-203-1002
 Saturday: 4:00p.m., 7:00p.m. (Spanish) Sunday: 10:00a.m.
 Monday, Wednesday & Friday: 9:00a.m.

Our Lady of Sorrows, Owensville 410-867-2059
 Saturday: 5:00p.m. Sunday: 8:00 & 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: Saturday at 3:30 p.m. through 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. 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* ~

I am filled with hope as I continue to learn about the history of our Parish and plans for our future in following the Lord Jesus.

By the time you reach this note, I will have met with our Parish two lay Corporators, Kelli Kunert and Rick Hess. Each Parish in the Archdiocese is incorporated, separated with its members, presently being Archbishop Lori, Bishop Adam Parker, myself, Kelli and Rick. I rely on our two lay Corporators to give me, as your Pastor, advice and guidance on significant matters pertaining to our Parish. In addition to my meeting with the two lay Corporators, I will have met with Maureen Konschnik, the Chair of our Parish Finance Committee and Paul Dallavalle and Kevin Burgess, members of our Parish's Pastoral Council. I have also met with Sally and Chuck Miller, members of our Prayer Team.

If you would like to talk to me about hopes for programs and services which our Parish could offer, please contact me and we can set up a day to meet.

In addition, if you know of any parishioners in the hospital or homebound who would like a visit from me, please let me know their names and contact information.

Lastly, please mark your calendar that on **Saturday, August 14th**, I will not be hearing confessions at the usual time of **3:30pm**, instead I will be hearing confessions **after** the **5pm** Mass.

Blessings, *Fz Mike*



"I am the bread of life. Your ancestors ate the manna in the desert, but they died; this is the bread that comes down from heaven so that one may eat it and not die."
Jn 6:48-50

Aug. 9th-Aug. 15th

Mon.	9:00 a.m.	No Daily Mass
Tues.	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the souls of Paul Spangler & Karl Heiser
Wed.	9:00 a.m.	No Daily Mass
Thurs.	9:00 a.m.	No Daily Mass
Fri.	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the souls of Bob Dempsey & Margie Heer
Sat.	5:00 p.m.	For the repose of the souls of Albert Procopio, George Kalas & Andee T. Pike
Sun.	7:45 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Mary Jane Hamilton
Sun.	9:15 a.m.	For the repose of the souls of Jon Ella Williams & Andee Pike
Sun.	11:00 a.m.	For the repose of the souls of Dolores O'Brien, Dorothea Maresca & for the intentions of our Parishioners



LAZARUS MINISTRY: Looking for Volunteers! Lazarus provides luncheons for family and friends in Unity Hall following a funeral. Participation can be, providing a dish to be served, helping set up the hall in preparation, or arriving on the day

of the funeral to prepare, serve or clean up afterwards. Since we have many participants your involvement is always flexible depending on the volunteer. This is an exceptional ministry and more volunteers allows us to share in the joy of this work. If you are interested in serving our fellow parishioners, please email familyministry@hfccmail.org or call the office at 410-269-0586 (ext. 34).



CONGRATULATIONS TO: Lucy Marie Gruner, daughter of David & Jessica and Michael James Lowe, son of Austin & Melissa as these children receive the Sacrament of Baptism this weekend.



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Fr. Mike will continue confessions on Wednesdays at 5pm and Saturdays 3:30pm in the Church confessional. **Please make note that Saturday, August 14th, Fr. Mike will be hearing confessions "after" the 5pm Mass not at 3:30pm.**



PRAY FOR: Carol Sepeta, Gerry Deighan, Roberta Beck, Dorothy Wright, Brayden Chesnick, Richard Addair, Augusta Hunt, Tom Schall, Tracy Joyce, Jenny Worrell, Maria Witz, Baby Jovanni LiCalzi, Morgan Earp, Bobby Bender,

Oliver Moses Jaquez, Emma Webster, Tamara Huggins, Debi Greenfield, Thomas Scarduzio, Mike Greenwell, Larry & Katy Novicki, Liam O'Brien, Pauline Lukash, Lexi Woepler, Kevin Shaw, 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, Lloyd Shelton, Sandi Matthews, Adam & Christine Palmer, Priscilla Snyder, Jerry Jones, Laura Ruitberg, Anita Stuck and for those on the prayer network.



PARISH PICNIC will be held on Sunday, September 19th from Noon to 2pm in Unity Hall and on the Church grounds. We are in need of

volunteers to help plan! This is a wonderful opportunity to serve our community at Holy Family. Does not take a lot of time! Please contact Cyndi Zajic at familyministry@hfccmail.org if you are interested. **Thank you!**

HOLY FAMILY MINISTRY FAIR: Join us in Unity Hall the weekend of August 21st & 22nd after all Masses. **Where is God calling you to: Connect * Grow * Serve.** For more information contact Christy Cosgrove at aduled@hfccmail.org.



Sun.	Adoration continues, Oratory Baptisms 12:30pm, Church
Mon.	Adoration continues, Oratory Rosary Group 6:30pm-7pm, Chapel KOC Executive Committee, Classrooms 10 & 11
Tues.	Adoration continues, Oratory Women's Cursillo Group Meeting, 9am-11:30am, Classroom 14 Nora's Knapsack Assembly 10am-Noon, Unity Hall
Wed.	Adoration continues, Oratory Youth Ministry Play & Pray 6pm-8pm, Back Deck Bereavement Monthly Meeting 7pm- 8:30pm, Classroom 16
Thurs.	Adoration continues, Oratory KOC Membership Meeting 7:30pm-9pm, Classrooms 10 & 11
Fri.	Adoration continues, Oratory Friday Fellowship 9:45am, Lower Level Gathering Space Floral Arranging 9:30am, Church & Liturgy Workspace
Sat.	Adoration continues, Oratory

Collection Report

July 31st & 1st

Offertory \$7,305

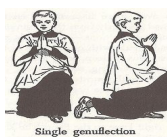
Mortgage & Maintenance \$1,677

Poor Box \$1,288

Black & Indian Mission \$309



EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER TRAINING will be available for all current ministers, as a refresher, and for those wishing to join this ministry. Training will be held in the Church on Monday, August 16th at 7pm and Saturday, September 11th at 10am. Please contact Donna at office@hfccmail.org to sign up.



ALTAR SERVER TRAINING: Tuesday, August 24th from 5:30pm to 6:45pm in the Church. Looking to serve your parish, or maybe you are a server who would like to move up or maybe know of someone new that wants to be a server. Come out and get trained. If you are interested or have questions please contact Kevin Burgess at kab700901@gmail.com.



GIVE UP YOUR ENVELOPES! We invite you to help your parish save money by giving up your offertory envelopes this Summer. **We know you'll be vacationing so why not have your givings electronically sent to the Church?** 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!

LITURGICAL MINISTERS NEEDED: Are you looking for a way to serve and help the parish? We are in need of Ushers, Extraordinary Ministers and Lectors. VIRTUS training is required. If interested or want more information, please email Donna at office@hfccmail.org.



USHERS NEEDED: Looking for a way to serve your parish and to be the welcoming face to Holy Family? **Ushers are needed for all weekend Masses, three is best at each Mass to pass the collection baskets.** Youth and

young adults are welcome and encouraged to serve this ministry. VIRTUS training is required and training will be available. If interested, please call Fr. Mike at 410-375-8106 (cell) or email Michael.jendrek@hfccmail.org.



ATTENTION PARISHIONERS: See something, say something! If you see a problem or a repair needed inside or outside the parish grounds, (i.e. broken kneeler, etc.) please email,

Louisa Woolery, Building Operations Mgr. at louisa.woolery@archbalt.org.



CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD is looking for volunteers. We will be starting classes again in September 2021. **C.L.O.W.** is a program for children between the ages of 4 and 10 years. We hold these on Sundays at the 9:15am and 11am Masses. Contact Cyndi at familyministry@hfccmail.org.

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

PARISHIONERS 70½ YEARS AND OLDER: Please remember that if you choose to make a charitable distribution from your traditional IRA account, Holy Family is qualified to receive such a distribution under applicable tax law. There are specific tax advantages for those over 70 and ½ years of age who choose to make these types of charitable donations. The donation must be made directly to the qualified charity and Holy Family will acknowledge each charitable donation in writing as required by tax law. **You should of course consult your tax advisor before making a federally tax-free charitable distribution from your IRA.**



STOCK DONATIONS TO HOLY FAMILY:

Donating appreciated stock is an efficient way to make a charitable gift. It's easy and it saves the donor from paying capital gains taxes. If you itemize your deductions you are eligible to deduct the full fair market value of the stock, up to IRS limits. With the stock market near all time highs, utilizing appreciated stock for charitable gifting is worth considering. Effectively you're able to contribute 20% more than if you sold the stock and paid capital gains taxes. Please contact Donna at office@hfccmail.org in the parish office for information on the process for doing this.



Caring for Creation *Did you know* I love our native plants? They attract our native insects and butterflies, birds and bees. It is important that while many insects have favorites, Monarchs and Milkweed come to mind, variety is important for their overall health. Here at Church you will see the Maryland State Flower, the Black Eyed Susan. Others you will see are various asters, sedges, cardinal flowers, goldenrod to name a few. Some of our shrubs include button bush, sweet pepperbush, spicebush and blueberry. One of our trees, the white oak, supports over 550 different insect varieties and therefore many different birds for food and nesting sites. When selecting plants for your garden, consider our natives plants to provide a lifetime of beauty supporting our Mother Earth and Caring for Creation.

christophergordon@verizon.net

Chris Gordon, OFS



DIVORCECARE is a friendly, caring group of people who will walk alongside you through one of life's most difficult experiences. Don't go through separation or divorce alone. It is a 13 week support group with videos and book studies. We would like to start an online group in the Fall. We need a few leaders, co-leaders or just individuals willing to assist in group meetings. If you are interested in helping or attending please email Cyndi at familyministry@hfccmail.org.



DIVORCECARE FOR KIDS (DC4K) support group is a safe, fun place where your children can learn skills that will help them heal. DC4K groups blend, games, music, stories, videos and discussion to help kids process the divorce and move forward. Groups meet weekly and are designed for children ages 5-12. DC4K has many online groups and meets different days of the week. Sign in at <https://www.dc4k.org>.

- ◆ We would like to host our own group online (virtually) and need group facilitators. If you have an interest in leading, co-leading or assisting in a group, please reach out to Cyndi at familyministry@hfccmail.org.



JOIN THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: Have you considered or thought about joining the Knights of Columbus? Membership in Knights allows you to strengthen our parish, give back to our community through charitable activities; and the ability to grow in your faith. These are just some of the reasons to join our Council

here at Holy Family. Joining could not be easier than today. You can join and complete the exemplification from the comfort of your home at a time convenient for you. If you are ready to join please visit <http://bit.ly/Council8251>. To learn more or questions, let me know, Kevin Burgess, Grand Knight at koc8251@gmail.com. We look forward to having you join our Council so we can continue our great works in the parish and community.



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.



FRIDAY FELLOWSHIP: We are back on Fridays after Daily Mass in the Lower Level Gathering Space! Join us for cards and games (to be selected weekly). Want to know more details? Email Cyndi at

familyministry@hfccmail.org or call the Parish Office during business hours.



NORA'S KNAPSACKS: "Faith, hope & love!" Come help us put together some Knapsacks on Tuesday, August 10th at 10am in

Unity Hall. The filled bags will be available in the Narthex for the taking. Keep in your car and give to someone in need. If you would like to participate, please email Cyndi at familyministry@hfccmail.org.



WITNESS TO LOVE: Holy Family engaged couples! This is our premarital program. Please contact Cyndi Zajic at familyministry@hfccmail.org. Congratulations!!



MAKING MUSIC PRAYING TWICE: For the past five years we have been holding preschool musical classes at Holy Family. It has been very successful. With the change in our social distancing environment we have been publishing an online program. Now, we would like to take one additional step. We are hoping to have virtual/interactive classes soon. We are looking for individuals over the age of 17 who are willing to teach online music to our young ones and their guardians. If you are interested, please email Cyndi at familyministry@hfccmail.org.



HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH NURSERY is looking for Nursery Caregivers beginning in September 2021! For 9:15am and 11am Masses. We need adults 18 years or older that are comfortable caring for children under 5 years of age. This is a paid position. Contact Cyndi at familyministry@hfccmail.org.



LIGHT OF THE NEW COVENANT PRAYER GROUP: We are on summer recess. Have a safe summer.



DEACON DOUG'S Q & A: Question: When was the first Parish Council formed?

Answer to last week's question about the relationship of local parishes.

Interestingly, Holy Family originally was a mission church of Our Lady of Sorrows in West River from April 1953 until 1980 when it was declared an Independent Mission. Holy Family was formally established as a parish in August, 1982. Discussions of a possible reorganizations of parishes into a cluster took place from 2007 to 2010 but no decision was ever made and Holy Family has remained as an independent parish.

Author's note: In the three years since this little corner began, the parish has grown considerably. So, for the sake of so many of you new members, and for the older folks like myself whose memories may not be as sharp as we would like, we will return to the first questions about parish history. Holy Family is a remarkable "country parish" and knowing more about its rich history will help to deepen our own faith through an appreciation of how the Holy Spirit worked through those who built and sustained it through the early years.



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 Christy Cosgrove at adulted@hfccmail.org and find out how to participate in this beautiful ministry.



SUMMER VACATION IS HERE: 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!



CASSEROLE PANS, with recipes, for Our Daily Bread in Baltimore will be available after Masses the weekends of August 14th-15th and 21st-22nd. Please return the frozen casseroles the weekend of August 28th-29th for delivery.



CRAB FEAST RAFFLE: Get your tickets for a drawing for a Fall Crab Feast (1st prize) or crab quilt (2nd prize) to benefit the feeding and education program for the children in Periodin, Haiti. Tickets are \$10 each or 3 for \$25 and can be bought online at olph.net/crabfeast or contact Pam at 410-279-3532 or hinesjp@verizon.net. Drawing is on September 5, 2021.



SEW TIME: SEW TIME: Join us for our next in-person meeting on Tuesday, August 17th in classrooms 12 & 13 from 6:30pm-8:30pm (no sewing experience is necessary) to pray and sew together for those in the community. Thanks to the many sew angels that worked on pillowcases, knitted IV sleeves, lap quilts and crocheted hats for the patients at AAMC. Please contact Barbara Harmel at barbara.harmel@gmail.com or Pam Hines at hinesjp@verizon.net for more information.



WELCOME DESK: Volunteers are needed! This ministry involves just 15 minutes of your time before and/or after Mass to greet people and possibly answer a few questions. This is a great opportunity to give back to our Holy Family community, meet new friends, and play a part in our fellow parishioners' Mass experience. It is the easiest ministry to join here at Holy Family! Please email Mary Redmiles at mary.redmiles@gmail.com for more information. We can help you make a difference.



MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER: If you have taken a Marriage Encounter weekend and would like to join a monthly Marriage Encounter Prayer Circle please contact Eileen Dickey at 410-867-3542 for more information.



WE NEED YOU ON OUR TEAM: Looking for a part-time Youth Minister at Holy Family. 10-15 hours a week. Responsibilities would be shared with another youth minister already on staff who coordinates the Confirmation program here and also works with programming for Middle School and High School Youth. Enthusiasm and faith are necessary for this job as well as some organizational skills and the ability to advertise well! Please contact John Freiland and send a resume to YouthMinistry@hfccmail.org.



FOOD PANTRIES: The food pantries that we support in Annapolis and Edgewater both are looking for food for children, now that school is out. The pantry at OLPH is in need of soup (Progresso/Chunky) individual packaged chips and cookies, Lunchables, Ramon noodles, Cup of Soup and other snacks for the children. Small boxes of cereal are appreciated as well. **At this time, the pantry at OLPH has an abundance of peanut butter & jelly.**

Please bring any perishable items to the office during business hours. As always, thank you for your continued generosity!



PRAY THE ROSARY: Mondays at 6:30pm in the Chapel or 4:30pm Saturdays in the Church.



Registration Now Open of our website at www.holyfamilychurch.com and click on Faith Formation Registration 2021-2022. Visit the Children's Faith Formation Page for information on First Sacraments and Confirmation registration.

ATTENTION PARENTS: The Religious Education Office is now accepting registrations for Faith Formation classes for the 2021-2022 school year. Visit the Home page



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR GRADUATING SENIORS! Holy Family Catholic Church would like to celebrate all our graduating high school and college seniors. We are going to put together a slide show of all the graduates and share it with the

parishioners on the parish webpage, www.holyfamilychurch.com. Click on the Link for Graduating Seniors.



CHESTERTON ACADEMY OF ANNAPOLIS

CHESTERTON ACADEMY: Joyfully classical high school in the Catholic tradition, Chesterton Academy of Annapolis, an independent high school offering a college preparatory curriculum centered on the Incarnation of Jesus Christ, is accepting applications for 9th-12th grades for Fall of 2021. The classical curriculum develops complete thinkers who learn to draw on faith and reason for the purpose of building a culture of life. Students and faculty have been meeting daily in-person at 31 Rowe Blvd, Annapolis, MD 21401. For more information and to schedule a shadow visit go to www.ChestertonAcademyofAnnapolis.org.

HIGH SCHOOL EVENTS



COOKOUT: FOOD, FUN AND FRIENDS! SUNDAY, AUGUST 15TH FROM 6PM-8PM. OUTDOORS, REAR PARKING LOT.



END OF SUMMER GET TOGETHER: SCHOOL IS ALMOST HERE, LET'S GET TOGETHER ONE MORE TIME ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 29TH FROM 6PM-8PM. OUTDOORS, BACK PARKING LOT.

MIDDLE SCHOOL EVENTS



LATE NIGHT FUN: JOIN US OUTDOORS, REAR PARKING LOT AND IN THE YOUTH ROOM ON FRIDAY, AUGUST 20TH FROM 7PM-11:30PM.

Stay Connected...



THE KINDERGARTENER

A Kindergarten teacher was observing her classroom as the children drew pictures. The teacher would occasionally walk around and see each child's artwork. As she approached one little girl who was working especially hard, she asked what the drawing was.

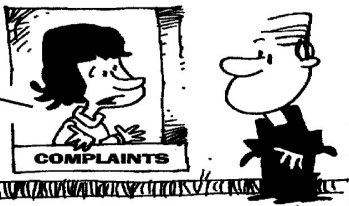
The little girl told her: "I'm drawing God!"

"But sweetie," the teacher replied, "no one actually knows what God looks like."

Automatically, the little girl continued drawing and said, "well, they certainly will in a minute!"

19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

THIS IS A REALLY DISCOURAGING JOB — I TAKE A LOT OF COFFEE BREAKS, BUT IT DOESN'T SEEM TO HELP.



FORGET THE COFFEE BREAKS — YOU NEED TO START TAKING JESUS BREAKS!

FORGET THE COFFEE BREAKS!
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