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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
 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 Mass Schedule: Saturday: 5:00p.m., Sunday: 7:45am, 9:15am & 11:15am (Outdoor Mass)

Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Edgewater 4 4 3 - 2 0 3 - 1 0 0 2
 Saturday: 4:00p.m., 7:00p.m. (Spanish) Sunday: 10:00a.m.
 Monday, Wednesday & Friday: 9:00a.m.

Our Lady of Sorrows, Owensville 4 1 0 - 8 6 7 - 2 0 5 9
 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: Wednesday from 5:00 pm to 6:00 pm and Saturday from 3:30 p.m. to 4:45 p.m., and by appointment. *(See additional Confession times for Lent on pg. 2 of the bulletin rt. Hand column).*
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.

~ *Pastor's Note* ~

The Post Office Committee is working on creating a survey which will give you as parishioners an opportunity to provide feedback on possible uses of the building which the committee has discussed and to also offer your own ideas for the building's future use. I expect the survey to be available in this month of April, after Easter. I thank the Committee for their good work.

As I have shared with you in our bulletin in the past weeks, we are raising funds to build a new rectory at our Sister Parish of St. Elizabeth of Hungary in Perodin, Haiti. The former rectory was totally destroyed by an earthquake in January of this year. The rectory, built over 70 years ago, had suffered damage from previous earthquakes showing cracks in its walls. Seeing this earlier damage, Fr. Gilfrid, the Pastor, began working with an architect to design and create plans for a new rectory, which will serve not only as a residence for the deacon and pastor but also as a parish office and meeting space for parishioners.

The estimated cost of constructing the new rectory is \$128,000. The parishioners of Our Lady of Perpetual Help and Our Lady of Sorrows, which are also sister parishes of St. Elizabeth of Hungary Parish, are joining together with us in raising the money to build the new rectory. Fr. Rich Gray, their pastor, and I believe that the money can be raised in less than a year by 256 parish families each giving \$500. For example, one could give \$50 a month over 10 months. An amount of \$60,000 is needed to begin construction.

On the table under the cross in our Narthex, there is a flyer giving more information with photos of the destroyed rectory and a rendering of the new rectory. Checks can be made out to Holy Family and please write on the memo line, "**Haiti Rectory.**" Contributions can be placed in the basket on the table in front of the cross in the Narthex. A second option to make your contribution is to visit the homepage of our website at www.holyfamilychurch.com and make a secured donation by clicking on the "**Give Now through Faith Direct**" tab.

I thank the parishioners who have joined me by making a contribution. I ask for your help not to just build a rectory but to bring hope to Fr. Gilfrid and the parishioners of our Sister Parish of St. Elizabeth of Hungary.

God Bless,

Fz Mike



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Fr. Mike will continue confessions on Wednesdays at 5pm and Saturdays 3:30pm in the Church confessional. **On Wednesday, April 6th confessions will be from 5pm-7pm and Thursday, April 7th, 9:45am-Noon & 7pm-9pm all in the Church.** Fr. Davy Russell will be helping with confessions on these dates.

READINGS PALM SUNDAY

- ◆ **First Reading: Isaiah 50:4-7**
- ◆ **Responsorial Psalm: 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24**
- ◆ **Second Reading: Philippians 2:4-7**
- ◆ **Gospel: Luke 22:14-23:56 (Passion Reading)**



Jesus told her, "I am the resurrection and the life; whoever believes in me, even if he dies, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?" She said to him, "Yes, Lord. I have come to believe that you are the Christ, the Son of God, the one who is coming into the world."

Jn 11:25-27

Apr. 4th - Apr. 10th

Mon.	9:00 a.m.	No Communion Service
Tues.	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Dr. John L. Heibel, Jr.
Wed.	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of David Turner
Thurs.	7:00 a.m.	For the people of Ukraine
Thurs.	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Donald Joseph Dlugos
Fri.	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Mary Burgess
Sat.	5:00 p.m.	For the repose of the soul of Joseph Burgess
Sun.	8:45 a.m. Church	For the repose of the soul of Marie Grace
Sun.	8:45 a.m. Outside	For the repose of the souls of Kyleigh Victoria & Suzanne Cocimano
Sun.	11:15 a.m. Outside	For the repose of the soul of Rose King & for the intentions of Gabrielle Reed



Palm Sunday schedule - April 9th-10th:

- ◆ 5pm Mass - Fr. Mike
- ◆ 8:45am Mass - Church - Fr. Gene Nickol
- ◆ 8:45am Mass - Outside - Fr. Mike
- ◆ 11:15am Mass - Outside - Fr. Mike

Holy Thursday schedule - April 14th

- ◆ 7:30pm Mass - Church - Fr. Mike

Good Friday schedule - April 15th

- ◆ 2pm Passion of our Lord - Church - Fr. Mike

Easter Vigil/Sunday schedule - April 16th-17th:

- ◆ 8pm Vigil Mass - Fr. Mike
- ◆ 7:30am Mass - Church - Fr. Mike
- ◆ 9:15am Mass - Church - Fr. Chris Moore
- ◆ 9:15am Mass - Outside - Fr. Mike
- ◆ 11:15am Mass - Church - Fr. Chris Moore
- ◆ 11:15am Mass - Outside - Fr. Mike

DAVIDSONVILLE, MD

Sun.	Adoration continues, Oratory Rel. Ed. PreK-8 9am-10:15am & 11am-12:15pm, Classrooms 2-6, 10-18 Children's Liturgy of the Word at the 9:15am Mass, Children's Library First Eucharist Class 10:30am-11:45am, Classroom 6 "ZOOM" First Eucharist Class 6:30pm-7:30pm
Mon.	Adoration continues, Oratory Rel. Ed. Gr. K-8 4:30pm-5:45pm, Classrooms 2-6, 10-18 Rosary Group 6:30pm-7pm, Chapel Smaller Group Confirmation Classes 7pm-8:30pm, Youth Room Dei Verbum, 7pm, ZOOM
Tues.	Adoration continues, Oratory Women's Cursillo Group Meeting 9:30am-11am, Classroom 14 Smaller Group Confirmation Classes 7pm-8:30pm, Youth Room
Wed.	Adoration continues, Oratory Jesus Way, Truth, Life for Women Study 9:45am-11:15am, Classrooms 12 & 13 First Eucharist Class 4:30pm-5:30pm, Classroom 6 Confessions 5pm-7pm, Church Picnic Planning Meeting 5pm-7pm, Library Secular Franciscans Meeting 7pm-9pm, Classroom 4 "ZOOM" Confirmation Classes 7pm-8:30pm Parish Study 7pm-8:30pm, Classrooms 12 & 13 Men's Choir Rehearsal 7:30pm-9pm, Church
Thurs.	Adoration continues, Oratory Parish Study 9:45am-11am, Classrooms 12 & 13 Confessions 9:45am-Noon, Church & 7pm-9pm, Sacristy Young Adult Women's Group 6pm-7:30pm, Classroom 12 Discernment Study 7pm-8:30pm, Unity Hall (1/3) 9:15am Choir Rehearsal 7:30pm-9pm, Church
Fri.	Adoration continues, Oratory Friday Fellowship after the 9am Mass, Lower Level Lobby Soup & Bread 6:30pm, Unity Hall followed by Stations of the Cross 7:30pm, Church Middle School Youth Group 6pm-8pm, Youth Room Marriage Encounter Circle Group 7pm-8:30pm, Classrooms 12 & 13
Sat.	Adoration continues, Oratory Men's Group, 7am-8am, Classroom 10

<p><i>Collection Report</i> <i>March 26th & 27th</i> <i>Offertory \$6,644</i> <i>Maintenance Fund \$1,834</i> <i>Poor Box \$627.01</i> <i>Holy Family Raises for Haiti - Rectory \$3,717</i> <i>Bake Sale-Ukraine \$2,676</i> <i>Mass Attendance 826</i></p> <p><i>Month of March Faith Direct Totals</i> <i>Offertory \$46,635</i> <i>Poor Box \$2,880</i></p> <p><i>Month of March Totals</i> <i>Offertory \$30,419.88</i> <i>Maintenance Fund \$22,624</i> <i>Poor Box \$4,549.63</i></p>
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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.

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.**



SOUP AND BREAD: Every Friday during Lent (*except Good Friday*) at 6:30pm in Unity Hall. Enjoy a bowl of soup provided by the Fellowship Ministry and Stations of the Cross in the Church at 7:30pm. There is no charge but donations are accepted. Please bring *individual size servings of mac-n-cheese or pop top soups* for the pantry and place in the blue grocery cart outside Unity Hall.



Pat Goss,
father of Marcy Owens



CARING FOR CREATION: Did you know that English Ivy kills trees. Brought over by the colonists to remind them of home in their gardens, it is now found throughout the East Coast. Spring is a great time to identify these invasive vines growing on our trees. Hint, the leaves are green in the winter. In addition to competing for nutrients

and water in the soil, Ivy actually extracts them through rootlets right from the **inner bark or "phloem"** which is the pipe line through which food and water are passed to the rest of the tree. Ivy will eventually block the sun from canopy as well. Growing vertically ivy matures, flowers and goes to seed. Eaten by birds the seeds are spread well beyond the place of origin. This time of year, the biggest threat is the sheer weight of the biomass. Winter snow and spring winds can topple an already weakened tree. The best thing to do now is cut the vines at the base of the tree and clear a circle two feet from the trunk on the ground. Do not pull off the vines, as this can damage the bark. It can take many months for the ivy to die, **but you can save the tree.** Here at the Church we have cleared all the ivy from our property, but you can still see it on some on our neighbor's trees. This Spring we will be working on the new property beyond the old Post Office.

Chris Gordon, OFS



NURSERY NEWS: Out of an abundance of caution and for the safety of our children and volunteers, we have decided not to open the nursery. For more information, contact Cyndi at familyministry@hfccmail.org.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SUPPORT GROUP: "HOME SHOULDN'T HURT!" This group is held online on Wednesdays at 4pm. If you are interested, please contact the YWCA at 410-626-7800 so you can be invited to the group. Nancy Frank is the contact person there. If you would like additional resources you can also email familyministry@hfccmail.org.



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



CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD: We hold these on Sundays for about 20 minutes (during the Readings, Gospel and Homily of Mass) at the **9:15am** Mass. Children (ages 4 to 10) are escorted from Mass to the Children's

Library where they will learn the lessons that are directed more to youthful minds and hearts. They are returned to Mass after the homily. Masks are required. Questions or to volunteer email Cyndi Zajic at familyministry@hfccmail.org.

THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR GENEROSITY TO THE FOOD PANTRY! The blue carts for your food donations are in the Narthex, outside the front of the Church, and at the 11:15am Mass outside (tune in at 90.3 FM) and you don't even have to get out of the car. **Right now our biggest need is healthy snacks for kids, cereal, peanut butter (18oz.),** pull top ready to eat soup and stews, ravioli, Spaghetti O's, baked beans, canned fruit/fruit cups (any variety), mustard, ketchup, mayonnaise (14oz. preferably plastic containers), ramen noodles, pancake mix & syrup, mac-n-cheese (individual cups), salt, pepper (small containers), flour & sugar (1lb) paper products, and Ziploc bags. We will let you know as needs change. **Please, try to focus your donations on items the pantry is asking for.**

USHERS NEEDED: Looking for a way to serve your parish and to be the welcoming face to Holy Family? **Attendance at Masses is up which means ushers are needed for all weekend Masses, four is best at each Mass.** 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.



ALTAR SERVER TRAINING: Thursday April 21st from 5:15pm to 6:30pm 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 contact Kevin Burgess at kab700901@gmail.com.



CONGRATULATIONS TO: Finn John Fagan, son of Colin & Kari as he received the sacrament of Baptism last weekend.



THE CHURCH FATHERS : Join us for a lecture series beginning on Wednesday, April 20th at 9:45am in Unity Hall. The Church Fathers continue to teach us even today. Their teachings, guidance, insights and

sacrifice shaped the Catholic church. This lecture series will touch on the Church's Ancestry and give you an introduction to the Early Church and Church Fathers. Attend all the lectures or choose the one that interests you. To register and see a schedule of topics go to the Holy Family website at www.holyfamilychurch.com.



DEACON DOUG'S Q & A: This year Easter falls on April 17th. Is this the latest date for Easter? How is the date for Easter determined.

Answer to the question about the St. Michael prayer after Mass: In the book of Revelation, Michael is the Archangel who defeats Satan and the angels who rebelled against God. The prayer was written by Pope Leo XIII in the late 1800's and later incorporated into the pre-Vatican II prayers for the conversion of Russia after Mass. In response to the Church abuse crisis and encouragement by Pope Francis, many US bishops have asked parishes to say this prayer after the final blessing at Mass.



SEW TIME: A huge thank you to all that came out last Saturday and supported the first annual Haiti Quilt Bingo that benefited the feeding and education program for the children at our sister parish in Perodin, Haiti. This was a huge success and far exceeded our expectations. More than 20 unique quilts

and other amazing prizes were awarded to many winners and we look forward to hosting this event again next year in 2023! Our next meeting is on Tuesday, April 19th at 6:30pm at HF, Classrooms 12 & 13. Join us as we continue working on the 10th Annual Lenten Challenge. This year's project is **"The Preemie Project"** baby hats, blankets, etc., for the babies born at UMMC at Baltimore. Please contact Barbara Harmel at barbara.harmel@gmail.com or Pam Hines at hinesjp@verizon.net for more information.



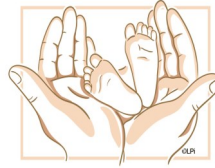
ANXIOUSLY HOPING FOR A "BINGO!"



BINGO QUILTS



JACOB'S LADDER QUILT



40 DAYS FOR LIFE SPRING CAMPAIGN: Began March 2nd and runs through April 10th (Palm Sunday). Please join Holy Family and be a Voice for the Vulnerable pre-born babies and their mothers, by praying and fasting to end abortion! Please stand vigil and pray with us outside

Planned Parenthood of Annapolis for an hour during these 40 days. This peaceful prayer vigil runs daily 7am - 7pm, and **Holy Family covers two hours each week: Friday, 11am to noon and 2pm to 3pm.** Depending on the number who show up for the hour we split up and stand at the front and back of the building. There is parking on Smithfield Street at the back of PP between 9am and 3pm. As the social and political environment is becoming more hostile to life, it is critical to anchor ourselves to the Lord and put our efforts towards, praying, fasting, outreach and be God's hands and feet in defense of the voiceless pre-born babies and their mothers. For questions contact Katherine Miller at ksmillerhome@verizon.net or call 410-991-1597. See 40daysforlife.com/annapolis for maps, parking details, to sign up for a different hour and other information.



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.



BOOK CLUB: Join us Monday, April 11th at 7pm in the Library or via Zoom (TBD). Our selection is **Characters of Easter: The Villians, Heroes, Cowards and Crooks Who Witnessed History's Biggest Miracle** by Daniel Darling. For more information call or email Betty Ryon at 240-375-6344 or eryon0037@aol.com.



HOLY HOUR: Thursdays from 7pm-8pm in the Chapel with exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, rosary and contemplation prayer Lectio Divina.



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



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). Want to know more details? Email Cyndi at familyministry@hfccmail.org or call the Parish Office during business hours.

We ♥ Volunteers

YOUTH VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES at our parish. Below are ways to earn service hours or just to connect with our community.

- ◆ **Children's Sacramental Prep Aide:** Every Wednesday at 4:30pm a youth aide is needed to assist the teacher in preparing students for their First Holy Communion. Please email Beth Supple at bethsupple@hfccmail.org.
- ◆ **Terrace set up and break down for the 11:15am Outdoor Mass.**
- ◆ **Shining our pews: Tuesdays from 3:30pm-4:30pm.**
- ◆ **Children's Liturgy of the Word (C.L.O.W.)**

Interested? Email Cyndi at familyministry@hfccmail.org. Interested in helping? Please email Cyndi Zajic, Director of Family Ministry at familyministry@hfccmail.org.

Suggestions

WE LOVE NEW IDEAS: Do you have a game that you would like to suggest? Email

John at john.freiland@hfccmail.org or Michael at michael.daily@hfccmail.org with a suggestion or to get the Zoom link.

INVITE A FRIEND! SEE YOU ONLINE.



ANNUAL EASTER EGG HUNT RETURNS! Saturday, April 16th from 10am - 11am. The Easter Egg Hunt will be followed by a blessing of Easter Food at 11am in the Church. All elementary school students and their families are invited to join us for pictures with the Easter

Bunny, crafts, and of course the egg hunt! **Any plastic egg or egg-size candy donations would be greatly appreciated.** The bins will be in the Narthex and Religious Education entrance area marked **"Easter Egg Donations"** Of course, we are **"hopping"** that we get lots of volunteers to help make this event **"funtastic!"** For more information contact John or Michael at youthministry@hfccmail.org.

SACRISTAN NEEDED: Holy Family Catholic Church is looking for a young parishioner who is interested in employment, as well as serving their parish. The Sacristans are the individuals who prepare the church for Mass on Saturdays and Sundays every week. You need to be at least 14 years old. Please contact Cyndi Zajic at familyministry@hfccmail.org if you are interested and want further information.

HOLY FAMILY TEEN TEAM: Paid positions on their Teen Team are available. Anyone 14 years or older. Commitment is to help on Sunday mornings with the set up and take down of the outdoor Mass. Hours are approximately: 10:30am start and 12:30pm finish. If interested, please contact Cyndi at familyministry@hfccmail.org

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40 CANS FOR LENT: Looking for a Lenten almsgiving program the whole family can participate in? **"40 Cans for Lent"** is a Knights of Columbus program to help fight hunger in our community. It began with one council in Texas in 2011 and is now nationwide. Participating in the program is simple! Just collect one non-perishable food item per day for 40 days during Lent, then two non-perishable food items for Easter Sunday. Choose items from the list of food pantry donation needs you see in the bulletin each week. **We cannot accept expired items so please check dates.** Drop off the **bagged items** you collect as you like in the blue shopping carts in front of the Church. **Please do not put in loose cans or heavy boxes filled with cans.** Please consider this wonderful family activity to **"give alms"** this Lent!



PRAY FOR: Joseph Pazulski, Gene Baez, Roy McCully, Mary DeNardo, Maggie Shiplett, Judy Hanna, Marie Fields, Bo Thoms, Carol Sepeta, Gerry Deighan, Dorothy Wright, Brayden Chesnick, Richard Addair, Augusta Hunt, Tom Schall, Tracy Joyce, Jenny Worrell, Maria Witz, 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, Sandi Matthews, Adam & Christine Palmer, Priscilla Snyder, Jerry Jones, Laura Ruitberg, Anita Stuck and for those on the prayer network.