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MAY 9, 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: 8:45am & 11:15am

Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Edgewater 4 4 3 -2 0 3 -1 0 0 2
Saturday: 4:00p.m. Sunday: 8:30 & 11:00a.m.
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 9:00a.m.
Wednesday 9:00a.m. Communion Service
Mass in Spanish: Saturdays at 6:00p.m.
(except first Sat. of the month)

"For Mass times call the office."

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.
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 9:00a.m.
Wednesday 9:00a.m. Communion Service
"For Mass times call the office."

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: Shannon Payne, Coordinator of Sacramental Preparation at firstsacraments@hfccmail.org.

Perpetual Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Oratory: For information, email Cindy Daily at <u>cindy.daily@verizon.net</u>. Rosary: 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.

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Dear Friends,

This weekend we remember Mother's Day. This is a special day to recall those women who brought us into the world, whether they are living or deceased. It's also a day to recall the women who were *LIKE* a mother to us, who gave us the support and kindness of a mother. So, today we salute the many women who are mothers or who are/were *LIKE* a mother to someone and that means, then, so many women.

Let's honor today the nurturing spirit that we give thanks for when we remember Mother's Day.

ALSO, if this day is a difficult day for you for whatever reason, whether the loss of a mother or a child or an inability to conceive or a difficult relationship with a mother or child, may you also know of our prayers on this day *AND* of the love of our heavenly Mother, Mary; who is human like us in every way, but who was mother to our Lord, to our God, to our Savior Jesus, and who always points us to her Son for salvation.

The Virgin Mary in heaven, like all the saints, are like a heavenly family for all of us!! Especially when our earthly family is either not present or there is some other issue.

It is good then today to remember our mothers, but also that we have a heavenly family praying for us also on this day.

Happy Mother's Day to all of our moms and mother-figures on this day: May you know of our thanks and admiration.

Peace to you, Fr. Andy



THE HOLY WATER FONT in the narthex is now filled. You will need to bring your own container.





"If you keep my commandments, you will remain in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and remain in his love. I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and your joy might be complete." *Jn 15:10-11*

May 10- May 16

Mon.	9:00 a.m.	No Communion Service
Tues.	9:00 a.m.	For the intentions of all Mothers
Wed.	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the souls of Barbara Musterman & Dave Duffy
Thurs.	9:00 a.m.	For the intentions of all Mothers
Fri.	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the souls of Roseanne Cross & Edward Clark
Sat.	5:00 p.m. Church & Unity Hall	For the repose of the soul of Ines Rodrigues Caraballo & for the intentions of Dana Haywood
Sun.	8:45 a.m. Church and Unity Hall	For the intentions of all Mothers & for the repose of the soul of George Brode
Sun.	11:15 a.m. Outside and Church	For the repose of the souls of Rose King & Melissa Weiss

CATHOLICISM 101: Join Fr. Andy Sunday, May 16th from 12:30pm to 1:45pm in the Church for an overview of the Catholic faith.

LITURGY OF THE HOURS / DIVINE OFFICE: If you would like to hear the Evening Prayer of the Divine Office sung and recited or would like to join us in saying it, please ZOOM in any day at 4pm at this link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81964362513. Our Secular Franciscan Fraternity prays together **every** day at 4pm, no prior knowledge is required and no hidden obligations. For more information: Ron Van Nest - 443-822-5373



PRAY FOR: Carol Sepeta, Gerry Deighan, Roberta Beck, Dorothy Wright, Brayden Chesnick, Richard Addair, Augusta Hunt, Tom Schall, Tracy Joyce, Jenny Worrell, Maria Witz, Gene, Ron, & Sandy Albright,

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, Mary Fenton, Priscilla Snyder, Jerry Jones, Laura Ruitberg, Anita Stuck and for those on the prayer network.



Sun.	Adoration continues, Oratory
Mon.	Adoration continues, Oratory Rosary Group 6:30pm-7pm, Chapel Book Club 7pm-8:30pm, JMJ Café "ZOOM" KOC Executive Committee Meeting, 7:30pm-9pm
Tues.	Adoration continues, Oratory Prayer Group 7pm-8:30pm, Chapel
Wed.	Adoration continues, Oratory Confessions 5pm, Curbside, Chapel Hebrews Study 10am-11:30am, Unity Hall "ZOOM" Bereavement Program and Breakout Sessions. 7pm-8:30pm
Thurs.	Adoration continues, Oratory "ZOOM" KOC Business Meeting, 7:30pm-9pm
Fri.	Adoration continues, Oratory Floral Arranging 9:30am, Church & Liturgy Workspace 33 Days to Morning Glory 10am-11:30am, Unity Hall Confirmation Mass 5:30pm, St. John Neumann
Sat.	Adoration continues, Oratory



NORA'S KNAPSACKS: "For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink..." We have bags available on a table outside the parish office for anyone who wishes to participate. All have been prepared with gloves and disinfectant. Keep in your

car and give to someone in need. Any questions please contact Cyndi at familyministry@hfccmail.org.



CALLED TO SERVE: "This is My blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many." Are you being chosen by Christ to pour out your life's work for souls with Him as a priest? Contact your parish priest or deacon, or call Fr. Steven Roth at 410-547-5426 or email at srcth@archbalt.org.



JOIN OUR TEAM: Holy Family is looking for a part-time person to fill our Building Maintenance position. This position consists of painting, cleaning, and other tasks at the parish. Would involve

weekend work, Friday, Sunday, and Monday about 5-hours each day. The duties of the Holy Family Catholic Church Building Maintenance person cover the main Church and historic Chapel. A more detailed task list will be discussed with the applicant. Please reply to Louisa Woolery at louisa.woolery@hfccmail.org if interested, attaching work history and experience.

Collection Report

May 1st & 2nd

Offertory \$7,000.05

Offertory \$7,000.05 Mortgage & Maintenance \$2,382 Poor Box \$1,082 Catholic Communications/CUA \$432



"Blessings to all our Mothers, Stepmothers, Adoptive Moms, Grandmothers and Godmothers."



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!

♦ 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 MINISTRY:

Did you know Cicadas are God's Creation too? As I write these columns, usually 10 days before publication, they can be somewhat based on future events. So today as you are reading this I am guessing the

soil temperature has finally reached 64 degrees and you are beginning to hear that sound of Cicadas in the air. We hear them every year chirping away and often never actually see them. The 17 year Brood 10 is by far the largest of the lot, last seen in 2004. They will be everywhere. The birds, fish, snakes, mammals and of course our dogs and cats will begin joyfully crunching away on them for the next month or so. We will first know of them by their half inch holes that will appear in the sunny lawn and when planting in the garden areas. Later on, the holes will be seen in the shady areas of the landscape as that warms up.

To be clear, you will see them this year and definitely hear them. Mary Ann the sane one around here, is fearful that I may throw one of them on her. I can't imagine where she would get that silly idea. The important thing to remember they do not bite or sting There are so many of them and there will be billions of them that they do not need to defend themselves. After the initial wave and all the predators are so full they can't take another bite, the rest of them get to do their thing. The only purpose during this brief journey into the daylight is to find a mate and then the females will lay eggs on small live tree twigs smaller then a pencil. By July, they will sadly be gone. Nowhere else on this planet is this unique gift of creation seen, except in the Mid Atlantic area of the United States. Take pictures, share with your friends overseas.

So what was initially thought of as just a shoe drive, by the St Vincent de Paul Society, to support the Light House Homeless Shelter in Annapolis, turned into so much more. Sure it was a success, over 175 pairs of men and women's shoes were donated by our parishioners. SVDP used funds from the poor box to provide essential cleaning supplies, kitchen, bedroom and bath items for clients transitioning into traditional housing. Also provided were T-shirts, underwear and socks for both ladies and men in residence and those living freely. The Light House provides workforce training to help people return to regular employment. Thank you each and everyone of you for your generosity. This will truly make a difference peoples lives. Email me at christophergordon@verizon.net if you have any questions.



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Fr. Andy will continue "curbside confessions" on Wednesdays at 5pm and Saturdays 3:30pm.



OUR DAILY BREAD CASSEROLES

Pans will be left under the blue grocery carts outside the Church the weekend of May 15th & 16th & 22nd & 23rd (during the week as well).

All casseroles must be returned frozen on Saturday, May 29th, between 9AM - 11AM.

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



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.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SUPPORT GROUP: "HOME SHOULDN'T HURT!" This group is held online on Wednesdays at 4 pm. 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!!



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 <a href="mailto:familto:f



CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD: Visit the website homepage and scroll to the "CLOW" ICON. Search the dates and click on the link to a power point presentation with that week's lesson. God Bless!



Flowers on the Altar this Weekend In Honor of Eileen Zogby

Blessed Mother Statue
Edward Sterle



LIGHT OF THE NEW COVENANT PRAYER GROUP: Join us on Tuesdays at 7pm in the Chapel. For more information contact Mela Dempsey at hermed219@comcast.net.



DEACON DOUG'S Q & A: Question: For Mother's Day. Mary is called *Theotokus*. What does this mean?

Answer to last week's questions about Fr. Andy: a) May 25, 1996; b) Virginia Tech; c) Architectural designer; d) Boston.



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.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS NEEDED: Are you looking for a way to serve and help the parish? We are in need of Ushers *(especially at the 11:15 Outside Mass)*, Extraordinary Ministers and Lectors. VIRTUS training is required. If interested or want more information, please email Donna at office@hfccmail.org.



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



VACATION BIBLE CAMP is back this year! The theme is "KNIGHTS OF NORTH CASTLE!" Mark your calendars now for June 21-25, 2021. For kids in preK (age 4) through incoming 6th grade. Social distancing, masks, and safety protocols will be in

place. MANY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - adults, collegeage, and teens (great opportunity for service hours and it's fun) are welcome! Please contact Dodie Seppi now at dre@hfccmail.org if interested in volunteering. Planning meetings and registration details coming soon.



SEW TIME: Thanks to the generous donations of many, we recently dropped off two carloads of baby items for the residents and community of St. Ann's Center for Family and Youth in Hyattsville, MD. We also made fidget mats for the patients of Chesapeake Hospice and, in addition, our sew angels are now working on pillow case dresses and shorts for "Hope for Appalachia Project" for the children in

Kentucky. Twelve walker totes were shipped to an assisted living location in Florida this month as well. Home kits with material and patterns are available for all projects. Please contact Barbara Harmel at barbara.harmel@gmail.com or Pam Hines at hinesip@verizon.net for more 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 contact Dave Springer at <a href="https://hrs.ncbi.nlm.



BOOK CLUB: Join us Monday, May 10th at 7pm as we dive into <u>Stories of the Saints</u> by Carey Wallace and share in faith, friendship and lively discussion. We will meet in the JMJ Café. You must wear a mask. All social distancing

practices will be in place. For more information, please contact Betty Ryon at eryon0037@aol.com or 240-375-6344.



HOLY FAMILY MOVIE CLUB: Watch this spot for changes this Summer! For more information about this ministry, contact Jeff Snively at jeffsnively@gmail.com.



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.



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. The next order will be made in early June.

Mass of Consecration will be held on June 3rd at 7pm with rosary starting at 6:30pm.





NO SUNDAY EVENING MASSES SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME.



SACRISTAN NEEDED: Holy Family is looking for a young parishioner who is interested in employment, as well as serving their parish. Sacristans are the individuals who prepare the Church for Mass on Saturdays and Sundays. You

need to be at least 14 years old. Please contact Cyndi if you are interested and want further information at familyministry@hfccmail.org.

AFTER HOURS DROP BOXES: Can't make it to the Parish Office or Religious Education Office during regular business hours and need to drop something off or need a document signed (please leave best contact number)? We have installed two black boxes for your convenience. One is located on the brick wall across from the main entrance door to the Church and the other is located under the doorbell next to the main doors to the Religious Education Office. **NO CASH, PLEASE!**

Stay Connected...



@hfccyouthmin

Stay connected with seeing cool photos from past events as well as our upcoming events.



@hfccyouth.

Stay connected with posts and photos from past events as well as announcements for upcoming events.



Please email <u>youthministry@hfccmail.org</u>
Stay connected in this community group chat where announcements will be shared.



FISCAL RIDDLES

- Q. Who was the greatest financier in the Bible?A. Noah. He was floating his stock while everyone else was in liquidation.
- **Q.** Who was the greatest female financier in the Bible? **A.** Pharaoh's daughter. She went down to the bank of the Nile and drew out a little prophet.



HIGH SCHOOL EVENTS MAY & JUNE

- "ZOOM" High School Bible Study and video game night: Every Thursday through May from 7pm-9pm. Theme is "PRAYER!" Following Bible Study, stay on for video games! We play Among Us and a few Roblox games. Do you have a Roblox account? It's free. Be sure to invite a friend.
- May 16th 7pm-8:30pm
- ♦ June 6th 7pm-8:30pm
- ♦ June 18th "Bonfire," last day of school!

MIDDLE SCHOOL EVENTS "IN-PERSON"

Noodle Games: Friday, May 28th from 7pm-8:30pm.
 Run and fun...."Yeah!"

Questions about any of the MS events, email John.Freiland@hfccmail.org.



ARE YOU AGAINST US OR AMONG US? Join youth ministry on zoom every Thursday from 6pm-8pm. Open to both Middle School and High School. Email lind-say.wilk@hfccmail.org for the link and next scheduled date.

