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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 <u>www.holyfamilychurch.com</u> 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: 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. & 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.

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.~ Pastor's Note ~

In last week's bulletin there was a two page insert with Parish financial information pertaining to this past Fiscal Year 2020-2021 and the projected financials for this present 2021-2022 Fiscal Year. A letter from me accompanied this insert. Additional copies of the financial report and my letter can be found on the Welcome Desk in the Narthex, outside the Parish office and also on our Parish website, www.holyfamilychurch.com. Again, if you have any questions about our Parish finances, please contact me.

In regards to Masses, we continue to celebrate an outdoor Mass on Sundays at 11:15am. So far, we have been blessed with good weather on these Sundays. Last Sunday, October 31st, we had 300 persons in attendance, making this our largest attended Mass. We continue to livestream our Saturday, 5pm Vigil Mass and our 9am Daily Mass Tuesday thru Friday.

You may recall in last week's bulletin I wrote of the forthcoming Church Synod or Synodality, that is how the Church accompanies disciples on their journey in following the Lord Jesus. The Parish staff and I have been meeting and working together on the format and dates we will hold our listening sessions. The goal of the Synod is to review and improve the ways we support you, the parishioners on your faith journey. We also hope to identify new ways/methods of supporting parishioners. We are planning several ways to receive input from you. One opportunity for you to participate will be a Town Hall style meeting here on Thursday, November 18th at 7:30pm in Unity Hall.

More information will be shared with you as the Parish Staff completes its planning for our local Synod. If you would like to read more about the Synod, google Vatican Preparatory Document. Once again, please pray for the Holy Spirit's guidance as we plan for our local Synod.

This past Tuesday we celebrated All Soul's Day. Throughout this month of November, we remember our deceased loved ones in the Book of Remembrance which is located in front of the Easter candle by the Baptismal Font in the Church. If you have not had an opportunity to inscribe your loved one's name, I invite you to remember your loved one in this way.

Blessings,

FZ Mike



THE ST. GREGORY ADOPT A FAMILY CHRISTMAS PROGRAM is back this year! You are now able will to adopt a family! Visit the Homepage of our website www.holyfamilychurch.com, scroll down and click on the picture to the left to Adopt a Family and for more detailed information about this program.



A poor widow also came and put in two small coins worth a few cents. Calling his disciples to himself, he said to them, "Amen, I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury." *Mk* 12:42-43

Nov. 8 - Nov. 14th

Mon.	9:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Tues.	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Frances H. Heck
Wed.	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Miguel Atencio
Thurs.	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Joan Cook
Fri.	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Barbara Baron
Sat.	5:00 p.m.	For the repose of the soul of Richard Thomas Michel
Sun.	7:45 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of William Lenck
Sun.	9:15 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Linda Marotta and for the Intentions of our Parishioners
Sun.	11:15 a.m. Outdoor Mass	For the repose of the soul of Marina Ferrero de Paredes



PRAY FOR: Maggie Shiplett, Judy Hanna, Marie Fields, Bo Thoms, Jonathan Drawdy, 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, Sandi Matthews, Adam & Christine Palmer, Priscilla Snyder, Jerry Jones, Laura Ruitberg, Anita Stuck and for those on the prayer network.



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Fr. Mike will continue confessions on Wednesdays at 5pm and Saturdays 3:30pm in the Church confessional.



CONGRATULATIONS TO: Ryan Mattern & Shannon Evans as they were joined in the Sacrament of Marriage last weekend. Please keep them in your prayers.

Sun.	Adoration continues, Oratory Children's Liturgy of the Word at the 9:15am Mass, Children's Library Rel. Edu. Gr. PreK-8 9am-10:15am & 11am- 12:15am, Classrooms 2-6 & 10-18 First Reconciliation Class, 10:30am- 11:30am, Classroom 6 Prayer Team Ministry 12:30pm, Church High School Youth Group 6pm-8pm, Youth Room "ZOOM" First Reconciliation Class, 6:30pm-7:30pm
Mon.	Adoration continues, Oratory Rel Edu. Gr. K-8 4:30pm-5:45pm, Classrooms 2-6 & 10-18 Rosary Group 6:30pm-7pm, Chapel Book Club 7pm-8:30pm, Library Bible Study 7pm-8:30pm, Unity Hall (1/3) KOC Executive Committee 7:30pm- 9:30pm, Classrooms 10 & 11
Tues.	Adoration continues, Oratory Women's Cursillo Group Meeting, 9:30am-11:00am, Classroom 14 RCIA, 7pm-8:30pm, Classrooms 10 & 11 Prayer Group 7pm-8:30pm, Chapel Men's Group 7:30pm-8:30pm, Classroom 14
Wed.	Adoration continues, Oratory Women's Social 9:45am & 7pm, Unity Hall (1/3) First Reconciliation Class 4:30pm-5:30pm, Classroom 6 Confessions 5pm-6pm, Church Bereavement Monthly Meeting 7pm- 8:30pm, Classroom 16 Divorce Care 7pm-9pm, Classroom 17 Men's Choir Rehearsal 7:30pm-9pm, Church Pastoral Council Meeting 7:30pm-9pm, Classrooms 10 & 11
Thurs.	Adoration continues, Oratory Prayer Hour, 7pm-8pm, Chapel 9:15am Choir Rehearsal, 7:30m-9pm, Church KOC 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 Liturgy Committee 11am, Church Middle School Youth Group 6:30pm- 9:30pm, Outside Marriage Encounter Circle Group 7pm-8:30pm, Classrooms 12 & 13
Sat.	Adoration continues, Oratory First Reconciliation Retreat 9am, Church, Unity Hall, Youth Room & Classrooms 10 & 11 Faith & Abilities Wine & Cheese after the 5pm Mass with Prayer and Talk 7pm, Unity Hall (1/3)

Collection Report

October 30th & 31st
Offertory \$5,910.50
Mortgage & Maintenance \$1,745.60
Poor Box \$817

October Faith Direct Totals
Offertory \$53,703.50
Poor Box \$3,825

Month of October Totals
Offertory \$32,267.53
Mortgage & Maintenance \$20,325.60
Poor Box \$5,298.73

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.

GIVE UP YOUR ENVELOPES! 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!

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

WINTER RELIEF: This year, we will host up to 25 guests during the week of November 29th to December 6th, with setup of Unity Hall on Sunday, November 28th. This program, which is coordinated by the Arundel House of Hope and operates with the help of Churches and Synagogues throughout Anne Arundel County, allows us to house and serve meals to homeless persons for a one-week period during cold weather months. Because of COVID we were unable to host last year. To keep everyone as safe as possible this year, we are requiring that all volunteers and guests be vaccinated. As in the past, volunteers who will have contact with our guests must have had the brief but important Virtus training. Volunteers may check with Louisa Woolery to see if past training needs to be updated. Please consider signing up today to volunteer. You may do so by going to the Holy Family website and clicking on the Winter Relief icon. That will lead you to the link for SignUpGenius. There are many opportunities to serve, including donating food and other supplies needed for the week. Vaccinations are not required if you are simply delivering food to Unity Hall in advance of the hosting times. There will be a Sign Up Weekend on November 13th-14th. Volunteers may sign up in the Upper Gallery after every Mass. If you are new to the parish or wish to learn more about Winter Relief, you also will have the opportunity to ask more about this rewarding program. If you have questions in the meantime, you may call or email Dave Konschnik or Paul You can reach Dave at 202-716-1885 Dallavalle. dmkonschnik@gmail.com Paul at 410-451-0546 and or mpdalla@starpower.net.



CARING FOR CREATION means you. So, one of our parishioners, asked me to talk about an invasive plant called porcelain berry. Interestingly this is a great time of year to talk about it because this plant looks identical to our native grape ivy which grows naturally in our forests. The fruit is easy to identify with its multi colored fruits. Porcelain berry likes exactly the same habitat as our native grape. The difference is that it emerges earlier in the Spring, will grow much faster and grow much taller than the grape cousin. In fact, it grows so fast that it can smother and kill mature trees in a few years. So, feel free to search your woodlands and cut it down at ground level. In the photo above, we are replanting native shrubs after removing all the invasives and trees smothered by them, behind the old post office building a few years ago.



THE PILGRIMAGE OF MARY: We have a blessed statue of Mary that you can take to your home. Mary's statue will stay with your family for one week. The Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Mary is escorted to the home from Saturday 5pm

Mass to the following Saturday 5pm Mass. The primary purpose of the home family visitation is to aid families in responding to the requests made by the Blessed Mary during her apparitions at Fatima. The essence of her requests is threefold: Return to God; make reparation for sins; pray the rosary for peace. Contact Cyndi Zajic at familyministry@hfccmail.org or call the Parish Office, ext. 34 to sign up.



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.



THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will be handing out Baby Bottles after Masses next weekend, November 13th and 14th, to support the Gabriel Network, a Christian ministry of loving service to women and families challenged with a crisis pregnancy. Simply fill

up the bottle with your donation of loose change and return to Church the next weekend. Thanks you from the Knights of Columbus.



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. Our next "in person" meeting will

studies. Our next "in person" meeting will be Wednesday, November 10th from 7pm-9pm in classroom 17. If you are interested in attending please email 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.



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.



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

WINTER RELIEF IS COMING: It is scheduled for the week of November 29 - December 6, 2021. We are in need of some fresh supplies of items to be put in the toiletry bags for our guests. There is a bin in the Upper Gallery for donations of toothbrushes, men's and women's disposable razors, travel-size soaps, shampoos, conditioners, toothpastes and shaving creams.



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. 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.



ALTERNATIVE CHRISTMAS MARKET:

Saturday, November 13th & Sunday, November 14 from 10am-2pm at the Davidsonville United Methodist Church (DUMC), 819 W. Central Ave. Our UMW (United Methodist Women) donates 100%

of their profits from this event to support the Arden House, local battered women's shelter. Shopping at this market is an opportunity for multi-faceted giving-finding a gift for a friend or relative, indirectly providing a living wage to a third world crafter, while benefiting the needy within our community. This is a wonderful opportunity for Christmas 2021! So, save the date and stop by and choose from a large variety of Christmas gifts and goodies!! For more information, contact the DUMC Church Office at 410-798-5511 or email Mary Conklin at maryeliz.comklin@gmail.com.



DEACON DOUG'S Q & A: Question: When was the first Confirmation class at Holy Family?

Answer to last week's question about the number of families when HF became a parish: According to the report of the first

Parish Council in May 1981, there were 450 registered families. The report also noted that church real estate included 10 acres of land; the church and house were clear of debt and checking and savings accounts contained almost \$20,000.



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY AT HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH: We are looking for parishioners to "host" events at our Parish. Sacramental events like

baptisms, weddings and funerals. It is called our Greeter Ministry and it is a much need and invaluable ministry. If you are interested, please contact Delores Jones at dt61jones@verizonnet.



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.



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 koc8251@gmail.com. We look forward to having you join our Council so we can continue our great works in the parish and community.



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.



DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS: This Sunday, November 7th, remember to set your clock back. Extra hour of sleep!



PROJECT RACHEL MINISTRY will be having a one-day retreat Saturday, December 11th in a confidential Baltimore location. Retreats are open to both women and men who are suffering

following their involvement in abortion. contact projectrachel@archbalt.org or call 410-625-8491 or text 410-299-9345 for more information. There is hope after abortion.



SEW TIME: A special thank you to all the sew angels that recently assisted with shipping many boxes of our sewing supply surplus to the Navajo Quilt Project to benefit the Navajo elders. Mark your

calendars for our upcoming Holiday Sale before and after all the Masses the weekend of November 20th-21st. We have lots of new items including many fun items for children and your favorite pets. Holiday shopping made easy! Please contact Barbara Harmel at barbara.harmel@gmail.com or Pam Hines at hinesip@verizon.net for more information.



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.



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.



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



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



LIGHT OF THE NEW COVENANT PRAYER **GROUP:** Join us on Tuesdays evenings from 7pm-8:30pm in the Chapel. For more information about this ministry email Mela Dempsey at hermed219@comcast.net.



BOOK CLUB: Join us this Monday, November 8th at 7pm in the Library. Our selection is "Heaven and Back: A **Doctor's Extraordinary Account of Her**

Death, Heaven, Angels and Life Again." A true story by Mary Neal. For more information call or email Betty Ryon at 240-375-6344 or eryon0037@aol.com.





ATTENTION ALL YOUTH AND TEENS: Do you want to be Baptized, make your First Holy Communion or be Confirmed? If you answered yes, here at Holy Family, we have RCIA classes for youth and teens. Please, contact Dodie Seppi at dre@hfccmail.org for more information.



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

- ♦ Shining our pews: Tuesdays from 3:30pm-4:30pm.
- ◆ Children's Liturgy of the Word (C.L.O.W.)

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



JOIN CUB SCOUTS: A Scout is trustworthy, loyal, helpful, friendly, courteous, kind, obedient, cheerful, thrifty, brave, clean and reverent. The local Cub Scout Pack 454 is welcoming new

members (boys & girls entering grades K through 5). Questions, email chair.pack454@gmail.com. The pack website is www.scout454.org. If you're not from Davidsonville, visit www.BeAScout.org to find your local pack!



CALL AHEAD

Father John was nervous when he cast Jimmy, the middle school class clown, as Joseph in the annual Christmas pageant. His fears were realized when Jimmy decided to do a little improvisation by pulling out his cell phone in the pageant's opening scene.

The astonished priest, who was narrating, asked, "What are you doing with your phone?"

Jimmy smiled and replied, "This year I'm phoning that inn to make a reservation!"



HIGH SCHOOL & MIDDLE SCHOOL EVENTS NOVEMBER 2021



HIGH SCHOOL GAME NIGHT: Sunday, November 7th, 6pm-8pm. Bring a friend!



HIGH SCHOOL LASER TAG: Sunday, November 14th, 6pm-9pm.

MIDDLE SCHOOL LASER TAG: Friday, November 12th, 6:30pm-9pm.



QUO VADIS FALL 2021: The Archdiocese of Baltimore Vocations Office invites all High School young men to this fall's Quo Vadis on Sunday, November 7th

at Our Lady of the Chesapeake Parish. Please join us for Mass at 10:45am followed by lunch and activities. This is a cost-free event provided by the Vocations Office. To register, email quovadis@archbalt.org or call 410-547-5426.



FALL IS HERE and that means cooler weather! Remember the Outdoor Stations of the Cross are at the rear of the Church. There are booklets there to help guide you in prayer as well and contemplation 24/7. There are several

benches to just sit. The rear parking area is now well lit with brand new low energy LED lights. Dress warmly!!



CHESTERTON ACADEMY OF ANNAPOLIS (CAA), 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 2022. The classical curriculum develops complete thinkers who learn to draw on faith and reason for the purpose of building a culture of life. CAA is a member of Chesterton Schools Network with 36 high schools internationally. To register for the November 16th Open House, schedule a shadow, purchase Gala tickets visit ChestertonAcademyOfAnnapolis.org



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