

33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Well done, my good and faithful servant.” – Mt 25:21

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“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., Saturday: 5:00p.m., Sunday: 8:45am & 11:15am

Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Edgewater 443-203-1002
 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 410-867-2059
 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 cindy.daily@verizon.net.
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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<https://www.facebook.com/Holy-Family-Catholic-Church-Davidsonville-Maryland>

HOLY FAMILY

Dear Brothers & Sisters,

This weekend, in honor of Veteran's Day on we will have a display of military uniforms in the front of the Church.

At all the Masses (Church, Unity Hall and weather cooperating, outside) we will have St. Michael's medals to give to veterans and all in the military. With all the concerns about Covid we will have a blessing prayer for the veterans/military during Mass and then the medals will be near the altar (whether Mass is in the Church/Unity Hall/outside) spaced out so that they can be taken by each person safely.

In the readings today we hear Jesus tell us a story about **USING OUR GIFTS** towards the greater good. Sometimes we might not know **HOW** to be a part of **"building up the Kingdom of God"** in this world....but if that is the case, let's remember St. Teresa of the Little Flower and Mother Teresa of Calcutta, who both often spoke of doing **"small things with great love."** We just try to bring the love of God to those around us in simple ways.

Of course, there are larger issues out there in society and sometimes we have to think about how to be a part of those solutions (sponsoring a child overseas? Advocating for an issue of importance in our society?) and we should pray about those kinds of actions as well.

But as we think about **USING OUR GIFTS** let's remember also that all can go awry if we are not staying in touch with the **GIVER OF THE GIFTS** through prayer and having an attitude of thankfulness, etc. I have met too many people lately who have found themselves neglecting prayer and feeling all out-of-sorts because they have been focusing on the hot-button news items out there, and they have not been praying.....Or they have been focusing on the problems out there (the quarantine, etc.) and not on the blessings they have and not on Jesus.

So, let's fix our eyes on Jesus and think about what blessings we do have, so that God's peace can touch our hearts to give us **ENERGY** to **GIVE OUR GIFTS** towards the building up of the Kingdom of God in the world.

Teen Bible Study! Are you interested in learning more about the bible? Teen Bible Study continues **Mondays in November at 5pm**. Please email lindsay.wilk@hfccmail.org for the link.

Middle School Youth Group: Sunday, November 13th at 6pm. Friends, Games and a Covid-safe environment. Also: December 4th & 18th.

High School Youth Group: December 6th & 20th.

High School Winter Retreat: You asked it for it and we are delivering! Now open for registration is our Winter Retreat 2020! This retreat will be a day retreat at Holy Family Catholic Church from 8am-6pm on November 21st. We ask students to eat breakfast before attending, lunch will be provided. Link is <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904094fada623a3f94-winter>. There are only 15 spots so sign up now! Please email Lindsay Wilk at lindsay.wilk@hfccmail.org with any questions.

Contact John at youthministry@hfccmail.org or Lindsay at lindsay.wilk@hfccmail.org for more information.

In Christ,

Fr. Andy



"Master, you gave me five talents. See, I have made five more.' His master said to him, 'Well done, my good and faithful servant. Since you were faithful in small matters, I will give you great responsibilities. Come, share your master's joy.'"

Mt 25:20b-21

Nov. 16th- Nov. 22nd

Mon.	9:00 a.m.	No Communion Service
Tues.	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the souls of Leverne Huslig & Maureen Schuler
Wed.	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Deacon John Connor
Thurs.	9:00 a.m.	For the intentions of Henry Barnet
Fri.	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Carmen Murcia
Sat.	5:00 p.m.	For the repose of the soul of June Czlonka
Sun.	7:45 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Isidoro Armento
Sun.	9:15 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Sharon Duarino
Sun.	11:00 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Mary Kasaiban



THANKSGIVING DAY MASS will be at 10am on Thursday, November 26th in the Church. **We will not be livestreaming!** Please bring groceries to help stock the food pantry at Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Edgewater. The Parish Office will close at Noon on Wednesday, November 25th and reopen on Monday, November 30th at 8:30am.

PARISH COUNCIL

- ◆ Fr. Andy Aaron, aaaron@archbalt.org
- ◆ Elizabeth Ruppert Bulmer, eruppert-bulmer@googlemail.com (2018-23)
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Sun.	Adoration continues, Oratory Rel. Edu. Class (Grades K-8) 8:45am-10am & 11:15am-12:30pm, Lower Level Classrooms Masses at 8:45am, Church & Unity Hall Children's Liturgy of the Word 9am-Noon, Off-site Mass, 11:15am, Outside Back Lot High School Youth Group 6pm-8pm, Youth Room
Mon.	Adoration continues, Oratory Rel. Edu. Confessions 4pm-6pm, Church Rel. Edu. Class (Grades K-8) 4:30pm-5:45pm, Lower Level Classrooms, (Grade 8), Unity Hall Rosary Group 6:30pm-7pm, Chapel Bible Study 7pm-8:30pm, Off-site
Tues.	Adoration continues, Oratory Making Music Program 10am-Noon, Off-site Sew Time 6:30pm-9:30pm, Off-site RCIA 7pm-8:30pm, Off-site Prayer Group Mass 7pm-8:30pm, Church Confirmation Large Group Classes 7pm- 9pm, Off-site Divine Mercy Studies, Off-site
Wed.	Adoration continues, Oratory Divine Mercy Study 10am-11:30am, Classrooms 12 & 13 Confessions 5pm-6pm & 7pm-8pm, Chapel (outside) Confirmation Large Group Classes 7pm- 9pm, Off-site
Thurs.	Adoration continues, Oratory Parish Study 9:30am & 7pm, Off-site Staff Meeting 9:45am, Zoom Spiritual Direction 10:30am-12:30pm, Classroom 15 Baptism Preparation Class 7pm, Off-site Parish Study 7pm-8:30pm, Off-site
Fri.	Adoration continues, Oratory Floral Arranging 9:30am, Church & Liturgy Workspace Divine Mercy Study 10am-11:30am, Classrooms 12 & 13 Middle School Youth Group 7pm-8:30pm
Sat.	Adoration continues, Oratory Sew Time Fall Sale 6pm-7:30pm, Off-site

THE COLLECTION REPORT for November 7th & 8th will be in next weeks bulletin.



VOLUNTEER TODAY: Still time to sign-up by visiting <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904044FACA72EA6FD0-hfcc>. Plenty of opportunities to help keep our Church safe. Contact louisa.woolery@hfccmail.org for more information and training. **Please consider helping with this ministry! It is going to be essential for us to continue to**

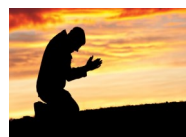
PARISHIONERS 70½ YEARS AND OLDER: Please remember that if you choose to make a charitable distribution from your traditional IRA account, Holy Family is qualified to receive such a distribution under applicable tax law. There are specific tax advantages for those over 70 and ½ years of age who choose 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.**



STEWARDSHIP: Offertory donations are essential for Holy Family's parish operations. We rely heavily on the Sunday offertory to maintain operational budgets, and fund staff positions and outreach activities in our community. Many of you have asked how to continue your support while you are unable to attend Mass in person. Holy Family uses Faith Direct to facilitate electronic giving directly to the parish accounts. If you are not already enrolled in Faith Direct you can use this link <https://membership.faithdirect.net/MD61> or use the link on the Holy Family website. You can join Faith Direct, using the Holy Family code of MD61 and make a one time or recurring donation from either your checking account or credit card. Options for giving include Offertory, Second Collection and special collections, such as Easter. Those of you who are already enrolled in Faith Direct can also use these links to increase your recurring donations if you believe that you are able to do this. Other options for supporting your parish include setting up your offertory donation through your personal online banking bill pay function. You may also mail your offertory envelopes to the Church office at Holy Family, PO Box 130, Davidsonville, MD 21035. If you have any questions or concerns, you may contact Donna at office@hfccmail.org.



CONGRATULATIONS TO: Phoebe Grace Mischo, daughter of Sean & Amy and Elizabeth Hope Parrish, daughter of Michael & Victoria as they receive the Sacrament of Baptism this weekend.



DRIVE THRU CONFESSIONS (Fr. Andy) continue on Wednesday, November 18th from 5pm-6pm & 7pm-8pm at the Chapel as well as on Saturdays from 3:30pm-4:45pm.

Generosity
changes everything

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.

CHECK OUT "Formed" with lots of video content on-demand to help you grow in your faith on www.holyfamilychurch.com.



ENVIRONMENTAL MINISTRY: Did you know "Vultures" play a key role in the cycle of life. Quickly removing dead animals stops the spread of disease. The vulture's stomach acid is so powerful it will destroy most pathogens. Black vultures can eat sick animals without becoming ill themselves. They are ecological cleaners of the highest order." Excerpt from the Bay Journal by AA County Watershed Protection Bureau. Visit https://www.bayjournal.com/columns/on-the-wing/black-vultures-nature-s-cleaning-service-soars-above-us/article_2ee0a816-1238-11eb-a53d-277feba2c755.html.



Thank you all for your generosity to the Food Bank. Can you each bring something to Church each week for the poor in our parish and surrounding community? Place your **unexpired, bagged donations** in the blue shopping carts. Chris Gordon, OFS at christophergordon@verizon.net.



MEN'S GROUPS: Fraternity, discussion and faith. We meet every other week. Choose from a variety of meeting times. For more information and to find a time that works for you contact Dave Springer at HFMM24@gmail.com.



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.



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) in the New Year 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.



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



PRAY FOR: Kevin Collins, John Dempsey, Dorothy Wright, Brayden Chesnick, Richard Addair, Augusta Hunt, Tom Schall, Tracy Joyce, Jenny Worrell, Maria Witz, Edie Humler, Gene, Ron, & Sandy Albright, Baby Giovanni LiCalzi, Morgan Earp, Bobby Bender, Oliver Moses Jaquez, Emma Webster, Tamara Huggins, Debi Greenfield, Mary Fenton, 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 and for those on the prayer network.



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.



MAY GOD BLESS THOSE WHO SERVE: This weekend, November 14th & 15th we will have St. Michael's medals available for all those in the United States Military and service.

"UNDERSTANDING YOUR GRIEF": Holy Family sponsors a program to assist those grieving the death of a loved one. The current Fall program, consisting of 7 weekly meetings held via Zoom, concluded on November 4, 2020. The program will be continuing with Zoom meetings once a month on the second Wednesdays of November and December (November 11th and December 9th) and into 2021 on the second Wednesdays of the month. While these monthly sessions are intended as a continuation of the Fall 2020 weekly program, those who participated in prior year sessions are welcome as well. Persons who are newly grieving the death of a loved one who have not previously participated in one of the weekly programs are also welcome at these meetings. Participants do not have to be from Holy Family and do not have to be Catholic. Because these sessions will be via Zoom, persons wishing to participate (other than those who were part of the Fall 2020 weekly program) will need to send their email address beforehand to Tessie Ballard at leelarose2@gmail.com.



WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA: Don't Forget Our Fallen Veterans this Christmas Season! Join our Knights of Columbus council in honoring our veterans by participating in the Wreaths Across America program. You can help by donating for one or more wreaths, or volunteering alongside the Knights to lay wreaths on Saturday, December 19th at the Annapolis National Cemetery. Find out more information at this fundraising page: <https://www.wreathscrossamerica.org/pages/165233>.



LIGHT OF THE NEW COVENANT PRAYER GROUP: We are meeting on Tuesdays at 7pm in the Chapel.

For prayer requests email Joan Pawloski, joan.pawloski@yahoo.com. For more information contact Mela

Dempsey, Prayer Group Leader, at hermed219@comcast.net.



OUR DAILY BREAD CASSEROLES

November 14th thru 22nd pans will be left under the blue grocery carts outside the Church. All casseroles must be returned frozen on Saturday, November 28th between 9AM - 12PM.

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



DEACON DOUG'S Q & A: Question: Who is referred to in Catholic teaching as "Theotokos?"

Answer to last week's question about the difference between homily

and sermon: While many consider the two to be the same, a homily is commentary delivered by a priest or deacon based on the Scripture readings, usually at Mass. A sermon is a speech or discourse on religion or morals not necessarily related to Scripture and may be offered outside of religious services. Sermon is derived from the Latin word *sermonem* which means speech or discourse, while *homily* is derived from the Greek word *homilia*, which means conversation. The difference was noted as early as the 3rd Century when the emphasis of homilies was on community.



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 weeks lesson. God Bless!



BOOK CLUB: Join us Monday, December 14th at 7pm as we dive into *Daughter of Cana* by Angela Hunt 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.



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.



HOLY FAMILY MOVIE CLUB PRESENTS: "A Christmas Carol"

family night in Unity Hall. Grab your favorite snacks and beverage and join on Saturday, December 5th at 6:30pm. Please keep in mind social distancing protocol. They'll be a short discussion afterwards. For more information, contact Jeff Snively at jeffsnively@gmail.com.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SUPPORT GROUP: 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.

PARISH BOOK OF LIFE will be available in the Church throughout the month of November. Feel free to write the name/s of loved ones that have passed.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: We invite you to take some time to sit with Jesus in the parish adoration chapel where Jesus is present in the Blessed Sacrament 24/7. Right now, because of Covid you cannot just stop in at any time. But you can sign up for an hour in the Oratory on holymfamilychurch.com by clicking on the "Adoration" icon on the home page. You can also sign up on our sub list to call on if you cannot make a regular hour.



ST. GREGORY ADOPT A FAMILY CHRISTMAS PROGRAM:

We will have 125 families to adopt but the program is a bit different because of the pandemic. We are asking you to purchase a \$100.00 Walmart gift card. This will allow the families to buy what they need most. Please enclose the gift card in a personalized Christmas card, addressed to the caretaker and family and outside of the envelope put the family number and name to ensure proper delivery. Deadline to return to the parish office is Monday, December 7th. We also ask that if you are unable to adopt a family, but want to participate, to purchase Giant gift cards (\$25 denominations) for groceries for the family's holiday meals. Deadline to return to the parish office is Monday, December 7th. There will be a designated box by the parish office where you can drop off your Christmas card or Giant gift cards.

Visit <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c054eacab23a1ff2-stgregory> for easy sign up. For more information about this program, contact Linda Wilk at linda.wilk@wilkworld.net or Jeanne Collins, Parish Office, at 410-269-0586, ext. 21 or rcpt@hfccmail.org.



LUNCHABLES CHALLENGE: Check our Facebook page on how one of our middle school aged young person is continuing to use part of her allowance money to purchase Lunchables to donate to the OLPH pantry. **So far she has purchased over 500 packages!** She is challenging other young people to do the same.



NO SUNDAY EVENING MASSES SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME. Go to www.holyfamilychurch.com and click on the Facebook icon. Video of Mass will be in the videos tab on the left.



**NOVEMBER & DECEMBER
MIDDLE SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL EVENTS**

11-22: Day Retreat (sign up is on the website)
 12-04: Middle School Youth Group
 12-06 High School Youth Group
 12-18: Middle School Youth Group- Christmas Party
 12-20: High School Youth Group- Christmas Party



CONFIRMATION 2020-2021: The **Power** of the Holy Spirit...If you have a child, who is 9th grade or older, and has not received the Sacrament of Confirmation, details about the program are on the Confirmation page of the parish website <https://www.holyfamilychurch.com/confirmation.html>.

The registration deadline has passed and sessions have begun, so please contact John Freiland as soon as possible at johnfreiland@hfccmail.org or call 301-233-6333.



HI PARENTS! Registration is now open for the 2020-2021 Reconciliation and Holy Communion classes! For any students 7 years of age or older that have not yet received these sacraments, please sign up on our website: <https://www.holyfamilychurch.com/reconciliation.html>. In-person classes start the weekend of September 20th but a Home Study option is also available! Please send any questions to shannon.payne@hfccmail.org.

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



YOUNG ADULT ZOOM BIBLE STUDY continues weekly. For more information Alex at aledorado23@gmail.com.



THE YOUNG ADULT PRAISE AND WORSHIP GROUP meets every 2nd and 4th Monday of the month at 6:30pm in the lower hall. Whether you sing, play an instrument, or simply enjoy music, we invite you to join us! Please contact

Alex Dorado at aledorado23@gmail.com with any questions. **NO MEETINGS AT THIS TIME!**