

MASS SCHEDULE*Rosary @ 8:35AM Tuesday, Thursday & Friday**Divine Mercy Chaplet ~ Everyday @ 3:00PM ~ MPR***THIRTY-SECOND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME****MONDAY, NOVEMBER 13****Memorial of St. Francis Xavier**

6:45 AM Christine Fitzgerald/Bob & Eileen Singer

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14

9:00 AM ANN: Ronald Reid/Elaine

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 156:45 AM Evelyn M. Desimone/
George & Gerry Riley**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16**9:00 AM ANN: Thomas Mahar/
Dr. & Mrs. Timothy Fallon**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17**

9:00 AM ANN: Leo Caveney/Family

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 188:00 AM Josephine Fordiani/
Michael & Aileen Reynolds

5:00 PM ANN: Marilyn Utley/Family

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19**THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

7:30 AM Ralph Mastry/John & Lucy Shults

8:45 AM Mary Tirrell/Gary & Diane Ryan

10:30AM Tim Dranchak/Sister, Stephanie & Family

12:15PM Virginia D. Gildea/Gary & Diane Ryan

4:00 PM Anthony Ezzo/Maryann Motala

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS**Week of Nov. 4 & 5** **\$28,045.69****Last Year** **\$27,198.37****Your generosity to our parish is tremendous.****Please consider making a lasting gift! Please consider our parish through:***Your Will or Trust, Retirement Assets
or Life Insurance Policies**Enjoy the convenience of Electronic Giving**Credit card and electronic donations are now possible
through the Holy Family website:**www.holyfamilysyr.org., click online giving.**Prayer Chain: Please call requests to Judy
Shanley at 315-488-2487. For surgeries
please contact two weeks in advance.***PASTOR'S NOTES****Congratulations**

Sincere congratulations to Holy Family Parishioners, Bob and Bridget Buttner and Mark Kay as they completed their two year training with the Diocese of Syracuse Formation For Ministry Program. Last weekend they were commissioned as lay ministers within the Diocese of Syracuse at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception by Bishop Cunningham. As a parish community we are most grateful for their willingness to go through this process and even more grateful for their willingness to be of service to our parish family

Thank You

Thank you to everyone who has contributed to the new school playground at Holy Family. Last weekend our second collection raised nearly \$8,000.00. This is tremendous. If you would still like to make a donation, you are able to do so. Just make sure your donation is clearly labeled for the playground.

Pastoral Center at Holy Family (Parish Offices)

The work is wrapping up on our parish offices. The finishing touches are being added. The office furniture will be moved in this week and the parish staff will move in the week of November 20. Thank you for your goodness and support during this process.

Look Up

If you look up at the ceiling in church you will see a big difference. This past week a lot of cleaning has been done to the ceiling to remove many years of dust. If you look around the oculus (just above the altar) I think you will notice how clean it is. Please be patient as we undergo this process.

Can you hear me now...

Over the next month we will be replacing the church sound system. The components are starting to break down and need replacement. This will help all of us hear better and increase what we can do when it comes to technology.

Thanksgiving Collection

On Thanksgiving Day we will take up a monetary collection to help support our food pantry. Recently, some of our various grants monies that we received from other sources was reduced due to cuts and reallocations in the federal budget. Your generosity at Mass on Thanksgiving Day will help our pantry greatly at Holy Family. Did you know at Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter we provide meals/gifts for over 100 families in the 13219 zip code? Please help support this great ministry of reaching out in love to others.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS*Divine Mercy Chaplet – 3PM Daily***MONDAY, NOVEMBER 13****HAVE A NICE DAY!****TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14****STAY WARM!****WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15**

1:00 PM Charismatic Prayer Group – MPR

6:30 PM Bible Study – Church Hall

6:30 PM Theology of the Body - MPR

7:00 PM RCIA – Knight's Room

8:00 PM AA – Cafeteria

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16

9:30 AM Bible Study – Church Hall

5:30 PM Pray it Off – Church Hall

6:30 PM Pastoral Council – Pastoral Center

6:30 PM Home & School Meeting - Cafeteria

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17

4:00 PM Pie Sale - Cafeteria

6:00 PM Food Packing – Church Hall

7:00 PM LaPieta Prayer Group - MPR

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18

7:00 AM Men's Prayer Group – MPR

7:30 AM Thanksgiving Food Pickup & Delivery -
Church Hall

3:30 PM Confessions – Church

4:15 PM Joyful Sound Rehearsal – Music Room

6:00 PM Taste of Holy Family - Gym

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 199:00 AM Children's Liturgy of the Word –
Church Hall

10:00AM Confirmation 1 – Church Hall

10:00AM K-1, 3-6 Faith Formation – School &
Cafeteria

11:45AM Confirmation 2 – Church Hall

5:00 PM Life Teen – Church Hall

Life in the Spirit Seminar at Holy Family

Soon it will be Advent and Jesus' birth. Come to a "Life in the Spirit" Seminar. Open your heart to Jesus. Dedicated Catholics will be at Holy Family Church for a full day of Renewal with teachings and testimonies of life-changing events that brings your faith to feel and be in the presence of the Lord. Our Blessed Mother is calling us to pray more especially in these trying times. **Saturday, December 9, 2017 from 8 AM to 4:45 PM.** Continental Breakfast and a hot lunch will be served. As the day is free of cost, please register ahead so food can be ordered. For more information and registration, please call: Teresa or John Brusa, (315) 401-0016. This is a life changer! Please Come!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

This year, the 4th Sunday of Advent falls on Christmas Eve. This means that there is Mass on Christmas Eve morning for the 4th Sunday of Advent and then Mass on Christmas Eve for Christmas. If we were to maintain our same schedule it would mean that we would have 8 Masses on Sunday, December 24 (obviously, this doesn't include the Masses on Saturday or the Masses on Christmas Day). This would be impossible to carry out. Therefore the schedule for the 4th Sunday of Advent and Christmas Eve/Day is as follows:

4th Sunday of Advent: Saturday, December 23, 2017 – Vigil Mass at 5 and 7 PM (please note there are two Vigil Masses). Sunday, December 24, 2017 – Mass at 7:30 and 8:45 AM ONLY.

Christmas Eve/Day: Sunday, December 24 – Christmas Eve Masses at 4, 6, 8, and 12 Midnight. Monday, December 25, 2017 – Masses at 7:30, 9:30, and 11:30 AM.

NOTIFY THE PARISH OFFICE

If a loved one has been admitted to the hospital, please inform the parish office of what hospital they are in and their room number. The priests would like to make a pastoral visit, but that cannot happen without being notified by the families. Due to HIPPA laws, the hospitals cannot share that information with the parish. In addition, if a loved one is admitted to a nursing home or rehab facility, please notify the parish. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter

BAPTISM CLASS**MONDAY DECEMBER 4TH, 2017****7 – 8:30PM**

We strongly recommend that couples attend this class before the baby is born! Baptisms are on the 2nd & 4th Sundays of the month.

Contact Sr. Caryn Haas @ 488-3139 to register.

TASTE OF HOLY FAMILY-COOKS NEEDED

This year our Taste of Holy Family will be Saturday November 18th. The evening includes a competition for the best cooks in several categories, silent auctions, raffles, music and more. It is a fun event for the whole family! This wonderful event provides financing toward our 2018 March for Life trip and other youth ministry initiatives at Holy Family. This year our theme is **"Tailgate Cook-Off"**! So bring that famous dish that you're known for at those SU games or family gatherings and let's have some fun! If you would like to be one of our cooks, or if you would like to donate an item for our raffle or silent auction, or even place an ad in our program, please pick up forms in the Gathering Space or visit us at holyfamilysyr.org under the Youth Ministry tab where you can download and print forms. Return to our office at Holy Family Church, Taste of Holy Family, 127 Chapel Dr., Syracuse, N.Y., 13219. If you have any questions please call Chris at 315-382-7883 or Elizabeth at 315-488-5884. Thank you!

We will be selling discounted tickets for the Taste of Holy Family in the Gathering Space at all Masses this weekend. Presale tickets will be \$12 per person. Price is \$15 at the door so take advantage of this discounted rate. All proceeds from this event will go towards funding Life Teens March for Life Trip.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

ATTENTION PARISHIONERS: We will print the "Please Pray For List" on a month-to-month basis. If you would like your loved one on the list, please call the parish office. The name will stay on for one month. You must call each month to have the name put back on the list.

Dr. Joseph Thornton, Marie Wing, Sandy Dalton, Ed Campagna, Hank Smith, Howie Moore, George Riley, William "Bo" Bochicchio, Tatum Foster, Gabe, Allison McCauley, Cheryl Davis, Nicole Canavan, Christopher Piotrowski, Helen Ann Lynch, Carolyn Ulrich MaHarry, Cathy Hubert, Steve M., Lucille McCulley, John Gardner, Mike Nowakowski, Phil Catalino, Randy Javis, Tina Barry, Louis Melillo, Vanessa Motto, Chris Crandall, Carol Judge, Gretchen Lavonier, Ceil Pullano, Cheryl O'Connell, Gerry Grosso, David Cole, Nyk Pidhorodeckyj, Yvonne Cesta, Sylvia Matousek, Shirley McNamara, Christopher Moyer, M. Davis, Judy Lennox, Thomas McLaughlin, Bonnie D'Agostino, Nancy Gilligan, Kathy Staffa, Brooke Teachout, Joslyn Nelson, Jennifer Szczechowiak, Mary Karpenko, Mike Donofrio, Frank Cantello, Anna Paradise.

PLEASE NOTE: Due to HIPPA laws, hospitals are not allowed to give names of patients to us. Please notify the parish office if you have a loved one in the hospital or a nursing home who would like a visit from a priest or deacon.



We are still desperately in need of volunteers as lunchroom monitors during the school lunch hour from 11:15AM – 12:30PM Thursday and Friday on school days. Requirements: works well with children and Virtus Trained.

**THE VOICES OF FAITH
IN CONCERT**

*Sunday, December 3rd, 2017 @ 7PM
Holy Family Church*

Please join us for a very special holiday evening of carols, classical and seasonal music.

Special Guest Artists include: John Spillett Duo, Seneca String Quartet, Rob Morey - Guitar & Vocal, Doreen Bosch & Bryan Hills - Duet, Joyce Bunce - Organ.

*Social gathering to follow for all!
Free will offering*

**VISIT THE NEWLY RESTORED
CATHEDRAL OF THE IMMACULATE
CONCEPTION**

December 1st/Tour starts @ 11AM

Join Fr. Manno and Dc. Bob for a tour of our newly restored Cathedral downtown! We will start with a guided tour followed by Mass and lunch at the Hotel Syracuse. Transportation is by car pooling. Please let us know if you can drive when you sign up. The cost of the tour is \$5 and we each pay for lunch on our own at Shaunessy's Pub. Visit or call the parish office at 315-488-3139 to sign up!

Sign up deadline: November 27



Visit us at www.holyfamilysyr.org

Director: Denise Pedercini - denise@holysfamilysyr.org

First Sacrament Coordinator: Lisa Vignogna -

lisa@holysfamilysyr.org

Confirmation Coordinator: Chris Spilka -

chris@holysfamilysyr.org

Assistant: Elizabeth Garn - elizabeth@holysfamilysyr.org

FAITH FORMATION CLASSES

11/12 & 11/13: NO CLASSES

11/19: GR. K-1, 3-6 - 10-11:15AM, School

11/20: GR. K-1, 3-6 - 6:15-7:30PM, School

11/26 & 11/27: NO CLASSES

FIRST RECONCILIATION & FIRST COMMUNION CLASSES - SCHOOL CAFETERIA

11/19: SUNDAY B - Students & Parents -
10 - 11:15AM

11/20: MONDAY B - Students & Parents
6:15-7:30PM

LAST YEAR'S First Communion banners are available for pick up in the Faith Formation Office. Please call (315) 488-5884 to set up a pick up time.



EDGE - Youth Group & Faith Formation

Welcoming our 7th & 8th Grade Students
Monday nights 6:15 - 7:30 PM - Church Hall
Do not let anyone look down on you because you are young, but be an example for the believers in your speech, your conduct, your love, faith, and purity. - 1Timothy 4:12

11/13: NO CLASSES

11/20: Triumphant - An Edge Night on
Jesus' Resurrection

11/26 & 11/27: NO CLASSES

Would you like to provide a snack at Edge? Please contact Vince and Patty D'Angelo at

edge@holysfamilysyr.org or through the Faith

Formation Office if you are interested, 488-5884.

CONFIRMATION - CHURCH HALL

11/12: NO CONFIRMATION CLASSES

11/19: CONFIRMATION 1 CLASS, 10-11:30AM

11/19: CONFIRMATION 2 CLASS, 11:45AM-
1:15PM

11/26: NO CONFIRMATION CLASSES



Life Teen Youth Group: Leading teens closer to Christ

Welcoming all students in grades 9-12,

Sundays, Mass at 4pm, Life Night 5-7 pm, Church Hall.

Youth Minister - Chris Spilka -

chris@holysfamilysyr.org or call 382-7883

Assistant - Elizabeth Garn -

elizabeth@holysfamilysyr.org or call 488-5884

***Text @mrspilka to 81010 to receive updates and reminders of what is going on with our Life Teen youth program.

11/12: VOCATIONS AWARENESS NIGHT -
A Night of Vocations

11/11 & 12: Taste of Holy Family Ticket Sales
after all Masses

11/18: TASTE OF HOLY FAMILY, GYM

11/19: NO LIFE TEEN

11/20: Monday, Samaritan Service Trip,
2:45 - 5PM, Permission slip required

11/20: Winter Retreat Permission slips due.

11/26: No Life Teen

DONATE YOUR EMPTY BOTTLES AND CANS

To help support our Youth Ministry Programs, please donate your bottles and cans. They can be dropped off at Central City Bottle Redemption Center, 224 Chapel Dr., Syracuse. Please mention Holy Family Youth Group donation with dropping off. Thank you to those who have donated in the past!

REMINDER: THE PARISH OFFICE IS CLOSED ON FRIDAYS UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE!

CATHOLIC COUPLES FELLOWSHIP NIGHT

Please join us for a monthly evening of retreat for all couples seeking to bring their relationships to the Lord in a special way. The evening consists of a special Holy Hour for blessing upon your relationships and during the Holy Hour we will pray Vespers, hear a brief talk, pray with some beautiful music, spend time in personal prayer and close with solemn benediction. We will conclude the evening of fellowship with coffee, tea and deserts. **Couples of all ages are welcome!** Our monthly fellowship will be the second Thursday monthly from 7:00pm to 8:15 pm. Jan. 11, Feb. 8, Mar 8, April 12, June 21.

SATURDAY MORNING BASKETBALL PROGRAM

Sign up date - Sunday, November 12, 1:30 – 2:30PM for boys and girls 5 to 12 years old in the school cafeteria.

Fee is \$30 per child, make checks payable to “Holy Family”.

We work on basic fundamentals and apply them to regular games. Program starts Saturday, December 2, thru early March.

If you have any questions contact Tom Layo (315-383-6752) or Ed Campagna (315-487-1653).



THANKSGIVING DAY MASS

November 23rd, 2017
9AM

Please bring a nonperishable food item as a token of your “**thanks**” for all the blessings you have received while “**giving**” to others less fortunate.

There will be a monetary collection at this Mass to help support the Food Pantry at Holy Family.



Would you like to adopt one of our Pantry families for Christmas? if so, please call us @ [315-466-2885](tel:315-466-2885) so we can discuss the details with you.

Thank you for **ALL** the food donations that we received last weekend. Each donation is such a blessing!

Our Thanksgiving Food Packing night will be **FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16TH @ 6:00PM**. Come and join us if you can. We would love to see you!

God Bless,
Bill & Anne

APPLE PIE SALE

Welcome apple peelers and slicers:

- Fri. 11/17 @ 4:00 (help needed @ 3:00 to unload apples);
- Sat. 11/18 @ 7am - noon;
- all you need to bring is a peeler and paring knife;
- the pies are pre-order for Friday Night pickup only, after 7pm, call the school office @ [315-487-8515](tel:315-487-8515);
- Saturday first-come, first-serve after 10:00 am; call Christine Prowak with questions @ [315-559-5800](tel:315-559-5800).

\$10 donations are being accepted to buy a pie for the Holy Family Food Pantry, as they assemble Thanksgiving Day baskets. If you would like to contribute, please call the school office, and they'll gladly take your name, and mark your donation. You may pay for the extra pie(s), when you pick up your own pies, NEXT WEEKEND, 11/17 & 18. Thank you!!

A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE

The bridesmaids in today's gospel were considered “foolish” because they let their lamps go out. Don't be foolish. Pay attention to the small acts necessary to keep the flame alive in all your relationships

MUSIC MINISTRY

Rob Morey – Director of Music - 315-487-1737

THIS WEEKEND:

- 5:00 PM** Kristy Morgan, Rob Morey
- 8:45 AM** Gabrielle Giacovelli, Tony Alvaro
- 10:30 AM** Kristy Morgan, Trinity Choir,
Tony Alvaro
- 12:15 PM** Kristy Morgan, Rob Morey
- 4:00 PM** Holy Family Praise & Worship Band

NEXT WEEKEND:

- 5:00 PM** Gabrielle Giacovelli, Joyful Sound Ensemble, Gina Giufre
- 8:45 AM** Megan Brody, Tony Alvaro
- 10:30 AM** Megan Brody, Trinity Choir,
Tony Alvaro
- 12:15 PM** Mary Kate Krawczyk, Gina Giufre
- 4:00 PM** Holy Family Praise & Worship Band

TRINITY CHOIR

Note: No rehearsal Wednesday, November 15
Thanksgiving Rehearsal: Monday, November 20 @
 6:30PM
Next Mass: Sunday, Nov. 19 @ 10:30AM

JOYFUL SOUND

Next Rehearsal & Mass: Saturday, Nov. 18 @
 4:15PM & 5PM
Thanksgiving Rehearsal: Monday, November 20 @
 6:30PM

CULTURE OF LIFE

Advocates of abortion often refer to the decision to have an abortion as a “difficult choice.” Why is it a difficult choice? The reason is very simple and obvious. We all know that the unborn child is a person growing in the womb. So, of course, it is “difficult.” Choosing to terminate the life of another human being is a “difficult choice.” If the unborn child was not a person, what would be so difficult about choosing to end his or her life? Is killing a cancer growing inside your body a “difficult choice.” Of course not! Dehumanizing the child is a vital strategy used by pro-abortionists to disguise the “difficult choice” that is being made. The baby is made to appear like the invading “blob of tissue” - like a cancerous growth. Why do we allow such deceit and victimization of the pre-born? Can you find a more innocent or vulnerable human being than a precious baby boy or girl inside his/her mother’s womb?

WORLD MARRIAGE DAY

The 33rd Annual World Marriage Day will be celebrated on February 11th, 2:30PM at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Syracuse. The Most Rev. Robert J. Cunningham will celebrate Mass and invite all couples in attendance to renew their commitment to Holy Matrimony. He will honor couples who will celebrate 25th, 50th and beyond 50th anniversary in 2018. If celebrating your 25th, 50th, or 50+ anniversary in 2018, please contact your parish office to register. All married couples and their families are invited to attend.

GREENBACK WINNERS

#2297 – John & Jennifer Petosa - \$100
5848- NOT SOLD!
\$200 Jackpot Next Week!

BEREAVEMENT

Sooner or later our intellect will pose questions we cannot possibly answer. At that point, we would be wise to remember God’s ways are higher than ours.

ANNUAL TREE LIGHTING

Monday, November 27, 2017
6:00PM

Camillus Municipal Building

Celebration will begin with Christmas Carols sung by the Tom Dooley Choraliers followed by Santa arriving in a fire truck. Free cookies and hot chocolate will be provided.

This year the town is partnering with the local food banks so please bring a nonperishable food item per person to help those in need.

GIFT BEARERS

Parishioners: If you have an intention for a loved one coming up at a weekend Mass and would like to bring up the gifts, call Esther @ 487-5466.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**NOVEMBER 18 & 19:**

- 5:00 PM Richard, Peg & Katie Bailey,
Susan Cutri, Michael Dendis,
Ann Eagan, Kathy Kendrick,
Susan LaFex, Lucille Mamorella,
Linda Vishnesky, Tony Mitchell
- 7:30 AM Janice Bader, Joanne Brusa, Rocco Pirro,
John Brusa, Jr., Mary Ellen Byrne
Frances Kriese, Maureen Malay
- 8:45 AM Lyle & Julie Hassel, Kathlene Hunter,
Laura Meluni, Louise Mercurio,
Anne Milewski-Craner, Barb Parkes,
Mary Pouliot, Nancy Schmidt,
Robert Steves, Paul Streiff
- 10:30AM Ann Betts, Tom Brody,
David Callahan, M. E. Chamberland,
Jim & Mary Curry, Tom Maier,
Julie Martin-Barfield, John Milligan,
Kate Ojo, Carol Pietraszek
- 12:15 PM Andrew Bowman, Richard Brostek,
Mary Fangio, Sr. Christina Luczynski,
James Pirro, Doreen Plony,
Tina Vecchio
- 4:00 PM James Angotti, Shelly Dodge,
Olivia Doner, Paul Fallon,
Elizabeth & Emma Garn, Bill Strott,
Dan O'Malley, Andrew Procopio,
Jennifer Scott, Rick Suarez

LECTORS - NOVEMBER 18 & 19:

- 5:00 PM Andrea & Donna Marshall
- 7:30 AM Frank Bellso, Dan McGuire
- 8:45 AM Phillip Grome, Joel Leite
- 10:30AM Sr. Beth Ann Dillon, Sr. Caryn Haas
- 12:15PM Anne Evans, Vickie Hopkins
- 4:00 PM Ed & Shelly Terzolo

ALTAR SERVERS - NOVEMBER 18 & 19:

- 5:00 PM Bridget Bailey, Lauren Crane,
Sean Mitchell, Mark Salanger
- 7:30 AM Jim, Joey, & Phil McGarvey
Victoria Zappala
- 8:45 AM Chloe Hanousek, Claire Hunter,
Lauren Leite, Marlee Pontello
- 10:30AM John Paul, Christopher, Stephen,
Benedict & Thomas Maier
- 12:15PM Haley Mikus, Jacob Murray,
Bianca Sacco, Landyn Shaw
- 4:00 PM EJ Ehman, Grace Olivia,
Mary Papini, Mary Sullivan

**ELIZABETH MINISTRY ~ BAKE SHOPPE
RAFFLE DECEMBER 2nd & 3rd**

Hello parishioners!

As we near the Bake Shoppe Raffle, we have one final request of donations for the following:

- >Themed gift baskets for adults and children
- >Gift certificates/services to be placed in baskets; restaurants, the zoo, family friendly places, sporting events, music lessons, etc.
- >New hand crafted items ~ a great way to utilize your talents!

> Any new items for children or adults

We also need bakers: pies, cookies, cakes, "reindeer mix"... whatever you enjoy making! Baked goods will be accepted in the church hall Saturday December 2nd from 9am until noon.

The deadline for raffle items is November 20th. Please email Rita Condon at

elizabethministryrita@gmail.com or call 315-807-7530. Thank you and God Bless.

**Helping others never tasted so good!**

Fat Friar chocolate-dipped shortbread cookies will be sold after each mass the weekend of 11-18 and 11-19 by our Knights of Columbus. These cookies are handmade in the Franciscan food pantry and soup kitchen on North Salina St by volunteers that include our own Holy Family parishioners. Your purchase helps the Friars at the soup kitchen fight hunger in our community. **All** of the proceeds from sales go to the Franciscans so they can provide thousands of meals to people in need each year.