



Pastor's Notes

While all public Masses are suspended for the time being, please visit www.holyfamilysyr.org to watch the live stream of our Masses at Holy Family.

Mass Times This Week:

Daily Mass – Monday through Saturday 8 AM followed by the Rosary.

Sunday Mass – 9AM

Please consider giving your weekly contribution to Holy Family Church so we can continue to maintain all that we offer as a parish family. Your weekly generosity helps us to maintain our technologies while we cannot be in church, maintain our buildings and grounds, pay our gas and electric bills, pay our support staffing, run our food pantry, and so much more. You can mail your weekly contributions to the parish office at: Holy Family Church, 127 Chapel Drive, Syracuse, New York 13219, drop in the mail box in front of the Parish Center or you can give electronically by going online at www.holyfamilysyr.org. Just follow the instructions at the top of our parish website to do online giving. Thank you so much for your ongoing support at this time.

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS

April 4 & 5	\$26,677.61*
Last Year	\$30,737.88

Please consider making a lasting gift through:
Your Will or Trust, Retirement Assets
or Life Insurance.

*This weeks collection shows more collected due to people paying in advance for April & May.



Registration has begun for the school year 2020-2021 for grades Nursery (3 year old program); PreK (4 year old program) and Kindergarten – Grade 6. Requirements: Birth Certificate, Baptismal Certificate (if applies); Immunization Record and \$50.00 non-refundable registration fee.

**HOLY FAMILY WILL HOST
SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAININGS
ON THE FOLLOWING DATES
(TENTATIVE)**

MAY 5- 6PM – INITIAL

MAY 12 – RECERTIFICATION

Registration is required at syracusedioocese.org under the Safe Environment tab.

MUSICAL NOTES



EASTER SUNDAY

9:00AM Rob Morey, Camryn Cortez, Tony Alvaro

NEXT SUNDAY

9:00AM Rob Morey, Megan Brody, Tony Alvaro



A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE

Today's gospel instructs us Jesus "had to rise from the dead." The dying we experience with unmet expectations in marriage and parenting is normal to family life. Families must rise above disappointments and be Easter people all year long.



Mass Schedule

Rosary @ 8:35AM Tuesday, Thursday & Friday
Divine Mercy Chaplet ~ Everyday @ 3:00PM ~ MPR

EASTER WEEK

MONDAY, APRIL 13

8:00AM Mass for the People of the Parish

TUESDAY, APRIL 14

8:00AM ANN: Theresa Towers/
 Cecelia Pullano - Mother

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15

8:00AM Phyllis Ritacco/Family

THURSDAY, APRIL 16

8:00AM Mary Raven/Nancy Scheutzow & Family

FRIDAY, APRIL 17

8:00AM Movement of Contrition for all sins
 committed against Christ's Priests

SATURDAY, APRIL 18

8:00 AM Aileen Parrott/Mary Ann Lonergan

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

SUNDAY, APRIL 19

9:00 AM John Eagan/Wife & Family
 (Living) Joe & Mary Lou Albino/
 Diane Devine
 Serge Desjardins/ Joanne Fahey
 Patricia Ackerman/Jim Sheedy
 ANN: James Hockey/
 Ron & Kathy Raymond
 James W. Mineo/Ron Bazan II

CELEBRATE EASTER WITH EWTN: Learn about your faith during the holiest time of the year with EWTN's first-rate movies, documentaries, musicals, children's programs, and more! Join in the celebration of Mass from Rome and Washington, DC. Get program details at www.ewtn.com & visit www.ewtn.com/channelfinder to find a station near you!

FINAL GREENBACK WINNERS

#2186 – Luke Wilson - \$100

#4240 – Richard Reney - \$1,000

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO PARTICIPATED!

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. You must call each month to have the name put back on the list.

Dr. Joseph Thornton, Marie Wing, Ed Campagna, Hank Smith, Howie Moore, Gabe, Tatum Foster, Cathy Hubert, Lucille McCulley, Kenneth Wood, Joseph Mandolfo, Mary Barrett LaPoint, Dorothy Webster, Dotty Roulston, Rosemary Baratta, Mary Cook, Marjorie Gotch, Frank Cantello, Neal Quigley, Shirlee Carolin, Jack Mulholland, Kathie Bone, John Neary, Nellie Neary, Mary "Kathy" Staffa, Camryn Scott, Rebecca Verrillo, Giselda Masella, Dave Tucker, Alice LaFountain, Paul Mouseuk, Teresa Hart, Ellen Hart, JoAnne Hart, Robin DeMarco, Janet Neil, Ray & Rose Ann Larson, William Hart, Maureen Connelly, Robert Hutchinson, Neal & Rosemary Devine, Marlene Claps, Jeremy Robbins, Kayley Morgan, Donna Romano, Nicholas Eye, M. Davis, Dolores Rozzano, Yvonne Cesta, Marion Wierowski.

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 nursing home who would like a visit from a priest or deacon.

BEREAVEMENT

We are promised throughout scripture that we are never left to fight our battles alone. That is great news for all who are weary and burdened by the stresses of living.

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

Helene Miglierina, Carol Lee Turner



Christopher Lee Corron child of
 Randall & Nicole Corron



The drive up program for the food pantry is working well for our clients. They are able to get food and stay safe. During these challenging times, we are asking for prayers. Many of you are calling and asking how you can help. Please note the following:

PANTRY NEEDS

PERSONAL CARE ITEMS:

BAR SOAP,

TOOTHPASTE & TOOTH BRUSHES

MONETARY DONATIONS

To drop off donations, please call 315-466-2885 and we will coordinate a time to meet.

Stay safe! We thank you for reaching out and helping our clients. We will continue to pray for all of our 'HOLY FAMILY'.

May your Easter be filled with love and peace.

Blessings,

Liz Marrapese and Margo Dyer

Marriage Prep During the Coronavirus:

Family/Respect Life Office will be hosting a Pre-Cana class online through ZOOM on 4/18/20.

You are most welcome to

invite couples to sign up

at: <https://www.syracusediocese.org/offices/familyrespect-life/marriage-preparation/>. We will

send an email on April 11 to all couples who are signed up for the April 18 class. This email will provide a link to access the class on the ZOOM platform.

We also recommend 2 different online courses that can be done at any point and are approved for

use: <https://www.catholicmarriageprep.com/>

OR <https://themarriagegroup.com/courses/living-our-faith-in-love/>

Christ Is Risen! Indeed He Is Risen!

As we celebrate Easter, we remember and relive the great truth that Christ Jesus rose from the dead. Our Redeemer wants you and me to know that our lives are not without meaning. All that we have lived and suffered in our bodies, in our minds, in our souls, in our relationships, will be glorified on the Last Day, if we persevere in union with Him in carrying our cross and helping others in carrying their own crosses. Our patience will bear fruit in the Risen Christ, even when we cannot see it. This is a message of HOPE.

This is a message of HOPE for the man or woman diagnosed with corona virus and for their loved ones. This is a message of HOPE for all of our public officials, medical personnel, responders and all those who put themselves in harm's way to keep us safe and to care for the suffering. This is a message of HOPE for those suffering from cancer. This is a message of HOPE for all of us who have to put up with the big and small inconveniences of social distancing. This is a message of HOPE for those of us who, in these days may have old wounds and betrayals within our family contexts and within the contexts of our relationships reawakened. This is a message of HOPE for those of us struggling with the lifetime project of self-knowledge, self-acceptance and self-gift. This is a message of HOPE for the person out of work, who is trying and finding it hard to make end's meet. This is a message of HOPE for those of us who struggle with depression and anxiety, and who feel as if their whole life is stuck in a tortuous maze of debilitating sadness and choking fear. This is a message of HOPE for all of us, who struggle with our sins and failures. This is a message of HOPE for the unborn, for the elderly, the neglected, the poor, the suffering and for ALL OF US!

May we live not as a people of despair, but as a people of Resurrection and a people of Life, in union with Christ. As we serve one another through our small acts of kindness to others, and through our own prayers, may we bear our crosses, trusting in the power of the Lord's Resurrection which we celebrate today to renew our lives now and to bear ultimate fruit when we are raised with Christ in our bodies on the last day. Christ is our Head. We are His members. Where Jesus has gone, we hope to follow! Happy Easter! May God bless us, and Mary keep us always in His love.

Be Blessed and Be a Blessing!

Deacon Mal