

*From the
Pastor's
Desk*



+JM+

Dear Friends,

Now that the Great New York State Fair is underway, I can safely say that summer is over. How many of us see the Fair as the unofficial end of summer? In many ways, we can look at this as a negative, but the fall season offers us so much – cooler weather, the beauty of the fall foliage, everything pumpkin, and so much more. At Holy Family Church, this time of year marks the beginning of another school year and the kickoff of so many of our programs that take a break over the summer. Some of these programs have had to take a break since the beginning of COVID. So, it will be good to see things come back to life.

This fall I am happy to share with you that there will be a 5-part teaching on the Mass. Once a week, for 5 weeks, we (me, Fr. Malachi, Dcs. Bob, Scott, and Ed) will be offering a teaching on the greatest prayer we offer as people of faith – the Mass. It will be an opportunity for us to explore what the Mass is all about and why it is central to us as people of faith. You might be thinking, I have gone to Mass for a long time, what more can I learn about it? The reality is, Mass is a mystery, and we can always learn something about it. There will be more information to come on this special opportunity at Holy Family and other opportunities. Please stay tuned to the bulletin for more information on all of the things that are coming up in the fall.

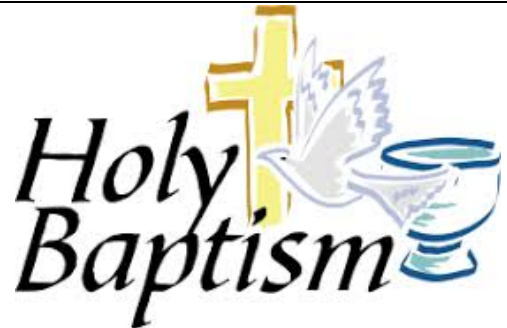
Please know of my prayers for all of you. I pray that you have a blessed week filled with peace, happiness, and good health!

Blessings always,
Father Manno

Blessings
COUNT THEM ONE BY ONE

COVID UPDATES

At this time the Diocese has not recommended a mask mandate for coming to church. If you feel more comfortable wearing a mask, you are encouraged to do so. Additionally, please make use of the hand sanitizing stations (you don't have to, but they are there for your use and safety). It is no secret that cases are on the rise and we want to do all we can at Holy Family to keep each other safe and protected.



Hunter Robert Hopkins child of
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Maclin Leonard Wright child of
Daniel & Marisa Wright

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS

August 14 & 15 \$15,269.58

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

**DOUG'S
FISH FRY**

SOLVAY GEDDES-CAMILLUS KIWANIS CLUB
WILL BE HOSTING DOUG'S FISH FRY
MONDAY, AUGUST 23
11AM – 6PM
HOLY FAMILY PARKING LOT
PROCEEDS HELP THE COMMUNITY!!!!



Mass Schedule

TWENTY-FIRST WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

MONDAY, AUGUST 23

6:45AM Mass for the People of Holy Family

TUESDAY, AUGUST 24

9:00AM (Living) Mary Rakowski /Sr. Mary Lynn

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 25

6:45AM Ernestine Allen/Cynthia & Thomas Allen

THURSDAY, AUGUST 26

9:00AM Linda Kunzelmann/Husband

FRIDAY, AUGUST 27

9:00AM Elmina Concolino/Gloria & John Mijka

3:00PM WEDDING:

Elizabeth Doeing & Jason Occhipiati

SATURDAY, AUGUST 28

8:00AM Lucille McCulley/Warren Marlatt

4:00PM John Hunter/Joe & Bunny Teich

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY

IN ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY, AUGUST 29

7:30AM Matthew Lonergan/Family

9:00AM Ceclia Omlor/Sister, Family & Friends

10:30AM (Living) Health & Finances/

Marnie Pfeiffer

Mary Lombardo/John & Patricia DeSanto

4:00 PM Floyd Petosa/Paula Petosa & Joseph Albino



Many years ago when working in corporate America, there was a sign in one of the offices that said "Monday is a challenging way to spend one - seventh of your life". Our guess is that many of you can relate to this. In the food pantry, we feel Mondays are like a box of chocolates... You never know what you're going to get.

This Monday when we opened up the pantry we found so many donated items sitting on carts. As we are writing this, many of those items have been placed in bags that are being delivered to our clients who live at Fairmount Gardens.

ITEMS NEEDED FOR THE PANTRY ARE:

TOOTHPASTE, MEN'S DEODORANT, BAR SOAP.

To contact us please call 315-466-2885.

Blessings,

Liz and Margo



MUSICAL NOTES

Rob Morey, Director of Music

315-487-1737

music@holyfamilysyr.org

THIS WEEKEND

Saturday

4:00PM Gabriella Giocavelli, Rob Morey,
Christine Camuglia

Sunday

9:00AM Kerryanna Kershner, Rob Morey
Tony Alvaro, Glen Sparling

10:30AM Kerryanna Kershner, Rob Morey,
Tony Alvaro

4:00PM Holy Family Praise & Worship Band

NEXT WEEKEND

Saturday

4:00PM Gabriella Giocavelli, Rob Morey,
Gina Giufre

Sunday

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

10:30AM Camryn Cortez, Rob Morey,
Tony Alvaro

4:00PM Holy Family Praise & Worship Band

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Dr. Joseph Thornton, Marie Wing, Ed Campagna, Hank Smith, Gabe, Tatum Foster, Cathy Hubert, Kenneth Wood, Joseph Mandolfo, Mary Barrett LaPoint, Camryn Scott, Maureen Connelly, Neal & Rosemary Devine, Jeremy Robbins, Joan Mastry, Nasir Abubakar, Luka Zagata, Frank Cantello, Yvonne Cesta, Mike Kelly, Alice LaFountain, Carl & Jo-Ann Paulson, Lori DeCola, Carrie Fuller, Ida Neshewait, David Iauco, Art Grady, Lauri Siniscarco, Lisa Maestri, Emily Murphy, Michael Pinkasiewicz, Dick & Paula Simiele, Tony Sardino, Tom Kehoskie, Ricky Felicia, Eileen Smith, Tom Hackett, Frank Bellso, Angie Locurcio.



**Liturgical
Ministers**
August 28 & 29

LECTORS:

Saturday

4:00PM – Sr. Beth Ann Dillon

Sunday

7:30AM – Janice Bader

9:00AM – Joel Leite

10:30AM – Mary Fangio

4:00PM – Joe Albino

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Saturday

4:00PM – Carol Latini, Anne Milewski-Craner

Sunday

7:30AM – Bob & Ellen McCauley

9:00AM – Dolores Grace, Louise Mercurio

10:30AM – Jim & Mary Curry

4:00PM – Elizabeth Garn, Laura Suarez

ALTAR SERVERS:

Saturday

4:00PM –

Sunday

7:30AM – AJ Brusa

9:00AM – Nicholas Leite

10:30AM – Justyna, Isabella & Isaiah Apps

4:00PM – Zachariah Straight

Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors & Altar Servers:

We are moving forward from this pandemic and could use your help again at all the Masses. If you would like to return to your ministry, please email Kris McGuire at kmcguire@holyfamilysyr.org or call the Pastoral Center 488-31.39 and let us know your ministry and your Mass preference.

Holy Family ALL Vocations Ministry

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time – August 22, 2021

In the Gospel, we hear: “It is the Spirit that gives life, while the flesh is to no avail.” It is only when we seek the things above that we will have everlasting joy. Have you considered what God wants of you lately as opposed to what the world expects of you? Reflect this week on whether it might be a vocation to the priesthood. Don’t be afraid to reach out to Father Jason Hage 315-470-1468, or write: <http://vocations-syracuse.org>.

FIAT!

Are you a woman between the ages of 18 – 40 discerning a vocation, whether to marriage or consecrated life? *Fiat!* is a group of ladies on any stage in their discernment journey who meet on a monthly basis via Zoom for fellowship, prayer, and discussion centered on discernment. Please email the Vocations Office at Vocations@syriodio.org

We need your help! If you are interested in assisting Holy Family Church in promoting vocations contact Laurie Theurer 315-488-8010

Like and Follow our “Holy Family Vocation Ministry” Facebook Page!

Bible Timeline Study Bulletin Blurb

Holy Family Parish will begin a 24 week Bible study *The Bible Timeline* beginning **September 15th, weekly on Wednesdays, 6:30 – 8:00 PM.** Meetings will take place at Holy Family Church in the Parish Hall (basement with elevator access). *Fr. Malachi Clark will be an occasional guest facilitator!* Following the independent viewing of an online video of each lesson and review of lesson questions in the comfort of their own home, participants will meet every week for a lively group discussion and fellowship. To view the study and to purchase the **STUDY SET** go to Ascension Press at ascensionpress.com or by phone: 1-800-376-0520. For more information contact Laurie Theurer at 315-488-8010 or email: k.l.theurer@gmail.com.



Holy
Hour



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**HOLY FAMILY CHURCH
EVERY 2ND & 4TH WEDNESDAY
OF THE MONTH
7 -8PM**

In-person Safe Environment training sessions are returning!

Holy Family will be hosting in-person sessions:

Location: Holy Family Church Hall
 August 26: 6-7:30pm for Re-certification Training session ONLY
 September 14: 6-8pm for Initial Training ONLY
 September 21: 6-7:30pm for Re-certification training ONLY

REGISTER at: <https://syracusedioocese.org/safe-environment/>

Registration is required – Walk-ins will no longer be permitted.

PRAY IT OFF

LOSE WEIGHT – Eat smart, move more and pray! We are beginning again!! **If, like many of us, you gained weight during the Pandemic, we invite you to join Pray it Off!** It's a FREE, one-of-a-kind, Catholic Weight Loss Group. The next session begins on September 9th and goes to December 16th. The group meets every Thursday from 6-7 pm. You must **commit** to attending weekly meetings. \$5.00 Materials Fee. **Must call** Ellen M. McCauley 315-468-4233 before August 30, 2021 to join, or with questions.

BEREAVEMENT

We lack the words to describe what occurs to the faithful in times of personal crisis. Let it be said, simply, that there is often a quiet awareness in the midst of chaos that the Lord is there and He is still in control.

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

*Beverly Walliski
 June Nasiff*

A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE:

Even though many found the teachings of Jesus “difficult”, He did not back down. In our families it is important to say what is difficult to hear, to speak the truth with kindness, to correct with love and guide with understanding.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

DIVINE MERCY DAILY @ 3PM IN CHURCH

MONDAY 8/23

11AM- 6PM Doug’s Fish Fry –
 Kawanis Fundraiser -
 Church Parking Lot
 5:00PM Confessions & Adoration

TUESDAY 8/24

HAPPY TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY – 8/25

6:30PM Holy Hour Adoration - Church
 8:00PM AA – Church Hall

THURSDAY- 8/26

6:00PM Safe Environment Recertification Training – Church Hall
 7:00PM Knights of Columbus - Church

FRIDAY- 8/27

3:00PM Wedding - Church

SATURDAY – 8/28

7:00AM Men’s Prayer Group – Church

SUNDAY – 8/29

5:00PM Life Teen – Church Hall

RCIA

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) begins in September, on Wednesdays. For more information, please contact the parish office or RCIA Coordinator Joe Assaf at (315)672-3974.

Jesus promised, “Whoever believes in Me...rivers of living water will flow from within him,” (John 7:37-38); and “I came that they may have life, and have it more abundantly,” (John 10:10)

The RCIA process begins the journey of faith that leads to the fulfillment of our Lord’s promises and is for all adults who:

1. Have never received the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, or Jesus in the Eucharist and desire to, or;
2. Have been baptized in a non-Catholic faith tradition but desire full communion in the Roman Catholic Church upon receiving Confirmation and Jesus in the Eucharist, or;
3. Are already baptized Catholic and still need to receive the sacraments of Confirmation and/or Eucharist, or;
4. Are already Catholic or non-Catholic Christians and simply desire to learn more about the good news of our Lord Jesus Christ.



We are currently planning our exciting new programs that will be kicking off in September and October.

Information on grades K-6, EDGE, First Sacraments & Confirmation will all be coming to you soon! Enjoy the rest of your summer! See you in the fall!

PROJECT RACHEL MINISTRY

Do you need post-abortion healing?

How do you know if you need post-abortion healing? Do you feel reluctant to talk about the subject of abortion, or feel guilt, anger or sorrow over your own abortion? Do you have lingering feelings of resentment or anger towards people involved in your abortion (baby's father, friends, or parents)? Have you felt a vague emptiness, a deep sense of loss, or prolonged periods of depression? Are you overly protective of any children you have now? These are some of the signs that you could benefit from post-abortion healing. Project Rachel Ministry can help you find peace. Contact us at 855-364-0076 or hopeandhealing@syrdio.org. All calls and emails are confidential.

SARAH'S GUEST HOUSE ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2021

THE LINKS AT ERIE VILLAGE

10AM SHOTGUN START

"CAPTAIN & CREW"

Foursomes: Golf fees, lunch at the turn, beverages, awards & BBQ - \$600

Individual: \$150 per player

To register on line, visit

SarahsGuestHouse.org/golf2021 or call or email

Renee McCaffrey at

315-663-1337/renee@sarahsguesthouse.org.

GOD NEVER SENDS YOU
INTO A SITUATION ALONE.
GOD GOES BEFORE YOU.
HE **STANDS** BESIDE YOU.
HE **WALKS** BEHIND YOU.

WHATEVER SITUATION
YOU HAVE RIGHT NOW,
BE CONFIDENT,

**GOD IS
WITH YOU!**



OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE

Syracuse Right to Life is sponsoring a PRO-LIFE BOOTH at the N. Y. State Fair in the Center of Progress building from August 20 to September 6. Volunteers are needed to supervise the booth in 3 shifts: 11AM – 3PM, 3PM – 7PM, 7PM – 10PM. Two people are assigned for each shift. Please consider giving WITNESS to LIFE! Call Jim Dooher to volunteer or for more information at 315-446-6168.

"You are called to STAND UP for LIFE!... You are called to WORK and PRAY against abortion."

St. Pope John Paul II

HOLY FAMILY GOLF NEWS

August 16, 2021 – How many times can we mention Rick Bailey in reporting the results of the Holy Family Golf League on the front nine at West Hill. Rick led all players with the low gross of 33, low net 24 and he won 3 skins; deuces on Hole #2 and Hole #9 and a par on Hole #5. Congrats to Rick!! Ron Tomacchio, Dawson Brown and Don Hart followed with a gross of 35. And Joe Teich followed with a net of 25. Other skin winners with pars were Steve Germano (Hole #3) and Ron Tomacchio (Hole #7). Next Monday is "Position Night" with the team of Steve Barone, Jim Flattery holding a 1 point lead over the teams of Joe Ridgway/Ron Tomacchio and Bill Brisson/Joe Teich.