

PASTOR'S NOTES

Dear Friends,

As you know, Holy Family Church has been a place where many new priests begin their ministry. I am certain we would all agree that we have been blessed with having newly ordained priests start their priestly ministry with us as they have helped us to grow in holiness and, please God, we have helped them to grow in holiness. As these priests move on and serve in other places in the Diocese of Syracuse, they will always be close to Holy Family. It has been said that a priest's first parish assignment helps to shape their ministry for the rest of their lives.

Having said this, I want to take this opportunity to extend heartiest congratulations to two of our former associates. First, a heartfelt congratulations to Fr. Phil Brockmeyer, pastor of St. Stephen's Church, Phoenix, NY upon his retirement, effective August 1, 2018. I am so happy for Fr. Brockmeyer and pray that his retirement is blessed, peaceful, and relaxing. He has a heart for service and I know he will offer his help where needed. He is a good man and a good priest and very much deserving of this time. I wish him well and offer him our prayers! Secondly, congratulations to Fr. Jason Hage as he has been appointed pastor of St. Mary's, Hamilton and St. Joan of Arc, Morrisville, NY effective, July 1, 2018. Previously, he was the administrator of both parishes. As one of the youngest pastors, he has done a superb job as administrator and has been well received. I am so happy for him and all the good work he is doing in his parishes and at Colgate University. I visited this past Monday in Hamilton and it was so evident to me that he is well loved and respected in the parishes and the community. I wish Fr. Jason all of God's choicest blessings as pastor!

I want to offer thanks and congratulations to Msgr. Yeazel and Fr. Lyons. On July 1, 2018 they will both have been with us for one year. I firmly believe our parish is enriched by their priestly ministry. Also, Malachi Clark, our seminarian on pastoral year, has been with us for just over a year. He will be returning to the seminary at the end of August. When he is home for Christmas break and Easter break, he will be joining us and, I have a feeling, that after he is ordained a deacon next Spring, he may be with us next Summer.

Please keep your priests/deacons/seminarians in your prayers. Please know that we pray for you each day. You help us to grow in holiness and, I pray that we can help you to do the same. I hope you have a blessed 4th of July! God bless you and God bless America and all the brave men and women who have sacrificed and continue to sacrifice for the sake of our freedom!

Blessings,
Fr. Manno

Hope Appeal 2018 – CHALLENGE PLEASE READ!!!

Did you know that the Hope Appeal supports....our food pantry here at Holy Family Church, educating men for

the priesthood, providing support for families, counseling for troubled marriages, homeless shelters, soup kitchens, young adult programs, youth ministry programs, Catholic School tuition assistance, the televised Mass for shut-ins, hospital and nursing home chaplains, pro-life programs, the deaf apostolate, Catholic Charities, college campus ministry programs, evangelization efforts throughout the diocese, The Catholic Sun newspaper, and so much more!

Without your generous support to the Hope Appeal the things listed above would not be possible. This is why we, as a parish community and a family of faith, have to be all in when it comes to the annual Hope Appeal. Our generosity and goodness touches the over 250,000 people in the seven county diocese. Please give generously to the appeal.

Currently, 540 families out of a registered 3,500 families have made gifts or pledges to the annual Hope Appeal. In other words, 15% of our parish family is supporting this much needed and very necessary appeal. I strongly and respectfully encourage all of us, as a family of faith, to be all in and support the Hope Appeal. Imagine how we could make Jesus known if 30%, 40%, 50%, or 75% or more of our parish is behind this annual appeal. While it is always a blessing to reach our Hope Appeal goal of \$117,000, we do so with only 23% of our parish supporting the effort. Perhaps, we need to redefine our goal at Holy Family and say that for 2018 our goal is not a monetary number, but an actual percentage of families from the parish supporting the goal.

Having said this, **I would like to challenge our parish to a participation goal of 35%**. As previously mentioned, we typically see 23% of our parish behind the Hope Appeal. I feel we can do better. Right now, we are at 15% of our parish giving, we have 20 percentage points to go. Any family can only be effective when the entire family chips in. I pray that we can all get into this appeal and meet our parish goal of 35% participation. I will keep you updated each week as to our progress.

To all who have given to the appeal, thank you so much for your generosity and goodness. To those of you who have not made a gift or pledge, please do so as soon as possible. To those who have never given, we need your support to make Jesus present to others. I pray that you will consider giving. I know this is a sacrifice for all of us. I am most grateful for the sacrifices you make each day. I thank God every day for all you do. The word sacrifice, in Latin, means "to make holy." Your generosity to the Hope Appeal helps to make you holy and it helps to make others in our diocese holy. Praise God! Someday when we stand before the Lord, he will thank us for our sacrifices because it is through those sacrifices that we are made holy.

With much gratitude,
Father Manno

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Divine Mercy Chaplet – 3PM Daily

MONDAY, JULY 2

ENJOY THE SUN!

TUESDAY, JULY 3

6:30 PM Catechism Class – Church

WEDNESDAY, JULY 4

1:00 PM Charismatic Prayer Group – MPR

8:00 PM AA – Cafeteria

THURSDAY, JULY 5

7:00 PM Daughters in Adoration - Chapel

FRIDAY, JULY 6

1:00 PM Eucharistic League & Nocturnal
Adoration - Chapel

SATURDAY, JULY 7

3:30 PM Confessions – Church

SUNDAY, JULY 8

8:45 AM Children’s Liturgy of the Word –
Church Hall

1:30 PM Baptisms - Church

5:00 PM Life Teen – Church Hall

PRAYER CHAIN

**PLEASE CALL REQUESTS TO JUDY SHANLEY
AT 315-488-2487. FOR SURGERIES
PLEASE CONTACT TWO WEEKS IN ADVANCE.**

MASS SCHEDULE

Rosary @ 8:35AM Tuesday, Thursday & Friday

Divine Mercy Chaplet ~ Everyday @ 3:00PM ~ MPR

MONDAY, JULY 2

6:45AM Maria Oliva Rosenberg/
The Ohlmeyer Family

TUESDAY, JULY 3

9:00 AM Bob Schneider/Wife, Martha Schneider

WEDNESDAY, JULY 4

6:45 AM Paul Canavan/Family

THURSDAY, JULY 5

9:00 AM Monique LaForce/Joe & Mary Lou Albino

FRIDAY, JULY 6

9:00 AM Fr. Laurence Kennedy/
Kathy & Bob Dunham

SATURDAY, JULY 7

8:00 AM FIRST SATURDAY MASS LEAGUE

5:00 PM ANN: Elaine L. Crooke/
Gary & Diane Ryan

SUNDAY, JULY 8

7:30 AM John Fusco, Sr./Family

8:45 AM Richard Milewski/Children

10:30AM Blasé & Gertrude Lauri/
The Lauri Family

12:15 PM Robert Jankowski/Shirlee Carolyn

4:00 PM ANN: Thomas Yauger/Family

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS

June 23 & 24 \$20,842.30

Last Year \$20,573.21

Your generosity to our parish is tremendous ~

Please consider making a lasting gift through:

*Your Will or Trust, Retirement Assets
or Life Insurance*

MUSICAL NOTES



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

THIS WEEKEND:

5:00 PM Gabrielle Giacobelli, Gina Giufre

8:45 AM Mary Kate Krawczyk, Tony Alvaro

10:30AM Mary Kate Krawczyk, Tony Alvaro

12:15PM Mary Kate Krawczyk, Gina Giufre

4:00 PM Holy Family Praise & Worship Band

NEXT WEEKEND:

5:00 PM Gabrielle Giacobelli, Gina Giufre

8:45 AM Kristy Morgan, Tony Alvaro

10:30AM Kristy Morgan, Tony Alvaro

12:15PM Kristy Morgan, Gina Giufre

4:00 PM Gabrielle Giacobelli, Nick Cantello

INTRODUCING

PARISHSOFT ELECTRONIC GIVING!

On June 1st Holy Family began using a new vendor for parishioners who would like the convenience of making their Church contributions electronically. This saves them time and saves the Church money for mailing envelopes, time spent counting the collection, and automatic entry into your individual church account! In the future we plan to implement kiosk and text giving! Also the ability to pay for Faith Formation registration, trips, and special collections online is coming in the very near future!

If you are interested in taking advantage of this great service, please go to our website www.holyfamilysyr.org and click on the Online Giving Icon at the top of the page. Or look for the registration forms in the Gathering Space. And, if you have any questions or need help applying, please call Donna Alvaro @ 315-488-3139 Ext. 104 or email me at donna@holysyr.org

BAPTISM CLASS August 6, 2018

7 – 8:30PM

Contact Sr. Theresa @ 488-3139 to register.



Visit us at www.holyfamilysyr.org

Director: Denise Pedercini - denise@holysfamilysyr.org

First Sacrament Coordinator: Lisa Vignogna - lisa@holysfamilysyr.org

Edge Directors: Vince & Patty D'Angelo - edge@holysfamilysyr.org

Confirmation Coordinator: Chris Spilka - chris@holysfamilysyr.org

Assistant: Elizabeth Garn - elizabeth@holysfamilysyr.org

FAITH FORMATION OFFICE CLOSED FOR THE SUMMER – The Faith Formation Office will be closed for the months of July and August and will re-open on September 4th. If you need to speak to someone about First Communion, please call Lisa Vignogna at 315-415-1846. If you need to speak with someone about Confirmation, please call Chris Spilka at 315-488-3139, X101. If you have any other questions, please call the Pastoral Center at 315-488-3139. Thank you!

FAITH FORMATION TEACHERS NEEDED!
Holy Family Faith Formation is in need of teacher volunteers for our Fall/Spring Session for the following grades and days:
Grade 4, Sundays (10 – 11:15AM)
Confirmation 1, Sundays (10 – 11:30AM)
Grade Kindergarten, Mondays (6:15-7:30PM)
If you would like to help please contact Denise Pedercini.

SUMMER CONFORMATION- JULY 30-AUGUST 3
Confirmation 1 1st year, 8am – 12PM, Church Hall
Confirmation 2 – 2nd year, 1-5PM, Church Hall
SORRY – REGISTRATION IS NOW CLOSED!



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

Want to get connected to Life Teen? Please check us out on Facebook (@holysfamilychurchlifeteen) or add us on Instagram (@holysfamily_lifeteen).

6/25 – 6/29: Catholic Heart Work Camp
7/1: Ice Cream Making Competition!
Who can whip up the best sundae in town?
7/8: No Life Teen – Enjoy 4th of July!
7/15: Steubenville Parent Meeting, 7:10-7:40PM
in church & Steubie Prep Night
7/19 – 7/22: **STEUBENVILLE YOUTH CONFERENCE**
7/29: **POST STEUBIE PICNIC – GROTTO**
8/5: **SENIOR SENDOFF**
8/12, 8/19, 8/26, 9/2: **NO LIFE TEEN**
9/9: **LIFE TEEN KICK OFF!**

BEREAVEMENT

Face to face with Christ my Savior,
Face to face, what will it be?
When with rapture I behold Him,
Jesus Christ who died for me?
Face to face I shall behold Him,
Far beyond the starry sky;
Face to face in all His glory
I shall see Him by and by.

ADOPT AN ENVELOPE

Help support our Steubenville trip by adopting an envelope. Simply choose an envelope from the boards in the Gathering Space and place the same amount (or greater) in the envelope. Please return at Mass, drop off at the Pastoral Center or just mail it back! Everyone who donates by July 1st will be entered into a drawing for a chance to win a 32" flat screen TV. Thank you for your support!!!

Need a new crucifix for your home?

“Never let your home be without a crucifix upon its walls, to the end that all who enter it may know that you are a disciple of the crucified Lord, and that you are not ashamed to own it.” – St. John Vianney. Christopher Maier, a parishioner, meticulously handcrafted, with the finest detail, this beautiful crucifix, using only 18th century tools and techniques. He used a beautiful, hand-picked piece of locally harvested American “Black” Cherry which he later ammoniated to bring out the deep beauty and character of the wood. He then carefully pounded, cut, fitted, and inlaid over 120 individual pieces of Copper wire over the course of 30 hours to bring you a one of a kind heirloom crucifix. Christopher is generously raffling this crucifix and all of the proceeds will support the seminarians of our diocese. Tickets are \$5 each of 5 for \$20. He will be in the gathering space after all Masses this weekend.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

The problems that confront the family, the church and the world resist all merely human means of solution. Our Eucharistic Lord wants us to recognize that only He can solve them and bring real lasting peace. Through this devotion He brings peace to peoples hearts and people with peaceful hearts make a peaceful world. Please consider joining our 24/7 ministry with your own "dedicated" hour. Call Tom Colabufo @ 487-8377.

ATTENTION EUCCHARISTIC ADORERS: While you are in the chapel, offer up a prayer of thanks for the beautiful variety of flowers and vases that miraculously appear there each week! It's fun to see what the next week will bring!

HELP WANTED

Do you know of anyone from our parish who is residing in a nursing home and would like visits and/or Holy Communion? Please contact the Parish Office to let us know so our records may be updated and we can add them to our visiting lists.

**WORDS OF POPE FRANCIS
IN
THE YEAR OF THE FAMILY**

**"It is so important to pray as a family!
So important!"**

A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE

The healing of the woman and the child in today's gospel is a reminder we are all wounded. We retreat to those we love looking for acceptance, listening, understanding and support. Families must be healing communities where Jesus is present in our care for one another.

GIFT BEARERS

July 7 & 8

10:30 AM – Family

12:15 PM - Family

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.

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 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, Sandy Dalton, Ed Campagna, Hank Smith, Howie Moore, George Riley, Tatum Foster, Gabe, Allison MCAuley, Nicole Canavan, Christopher Piotrowski, Helen Ann Lynch, Cathy Huber, John Gardner, Phil Catalino, Kathy Staffa, Karen Conte, Kollin Conte, Maureen Sheedy, Lucille McCulley, Mark Thornton, Kenneth Wood, Margaret Mazur, Mary Kehn, Frank Cantello, Henry Lennox, M. Davis, Cynthia Lang, Joanne Widrig, Terry Burak, Roseanne Gray, Marlene Claps, Mary Raven, Debbie Raven, William "Bo" Bochicchio, Roger R., Matthew Panarisi, Carol Judge, Gretchen Lavonier, Sofia Evelich, Sheila Stack, Lori Tucker, Laura & Dillon, Eric Rupp, Louise Sira, Alexander Rinaldi, Robin & Juan Roman, Anthony Juliani, Doug Miller, John Hunter.

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.

HOSPITALITY MINISTRY

JOIN US for a light reception in the Gathering Space following the presentation by our seminarian Malachi Clark on Wednesday, July 11. Congratulations on the completion of another school year—we hope!

HOLY FAMILY LIFE TEEN RAFFLE

1st Place – Apple IPAD

2nd Place – Apple Watch

3rd Place – Apple TV

Tickets \$5 each or 5/\$20

Drawing – July 15, 2018. To purchase tickets, call Chris at (315)382-7883.

ATTENTION PARISHIONERS:

The Pastoral Center will be closed Wednesday, July 4th! HAPPY BIRTHDAY AMERICA!

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS:

Cynthia Kurz

Herlinda Hinojosa

Kyle Beebe

Lori Keyes

Kyle Alpha

Gina Insalaco

Elizabeth Ancona

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**JULY 7 & 8:**

- 5:00 PM Peg Bailey, Susan Brennan,
Michael Dendis, Valerie James,
Suzanne Kuppel, Donna Marshall,
Robert Singer, Deb Troiano,
John & Sarah Walter, Pat McGuire
- 7:30AM John & Teresa Brusa,
Sr. Beth Ann Dillon, Jean Gleason,
Frances Kriese, Kathy Rudy,
Jeanne Taylor-Huss
- 8:45 AM Patty Costello, Susan Cutri,
Phillip Grome, Lyle Hassel,
Kathlene Hunter, Laura Meluni,
Louise Mercurio, Barb Parkes,
Nancy Schmidt, Paul & Regina Streiff
- 10:30AM Ann Betts, Jack & Eleanor Caltabiano,
Kevin Didio, Julie Martin-Barfield,
John Milligan, Beth Polge,
Rosemary Smith, Andrew Villa,
Fran & Pam Stepien
- 12:15PM Ryan Allen, Andrew Bowman,
Frank & Rosemary Bovalino,
Cathy Jenkins, Sr. Christina Luczynski,
Doreen Plony
- 4:00 PM Peter Assaf, Erin Byrnes,
Kathy Delaney, Valya Gilligan,
Mateusz Lata, Eileen Mack,
Maggie Smith, Paul Stannard,
Bill Strott, Gabriel Suarez,
Madelynn Tibbetts

LECTORS - JULY 7 & 8:

- 5:00 PM Kathy Kendrick, Kathleen Wheeler
- 7:30 AM Janice Bader, Dan McGuire
- 8:45 AM Patrick Brusa, Julie Hassel
- 10:30AM Sr. Theresa Nagel, Kathy Voorhees
- 12:15PM Alicia Castrello, Lisa Vignogna
- 4:00 PM Kara Chawgo, Bridget Downey

ALTAR SERVERS - JULY 7 & 8:

- 5:00 PM Bill Assaf, Bridget Bailey,
Spencer James, Lauren Leite
- 7:30 AM Dan & Jack Ludington,
Joey & Phil McGarvey
- 8:45 AM Logan Battaglia, Claire Hunter,
Grace Olivia, Bianca Sacco
- 10:30AM John Michael & Paul Owens,
Chris & Alex Polge
- 12:15PM Grace Abert, Matt Cabal,
Anthony Orendorf, Mary Papini
- 4:00 PM Parker Brown, Tori English,
Ricky Guy, Victoria Zappala

GOLF NEWS

JUNE 25, 2018 – Just like “Justify”, Team #3 (Ken Coon, Tom Mahar and Connie O’Keefe) led from start to finish and took 1st place in the 1st half of the golf league by 3 points over Team #5 (Cory Duthoy, Assis Flores and Jim Fassinger). Tim Donigan and Steve Barone tied for low gross on the front nine at West Hill with a 33 and low net with a 25. The skin’s winners with pars were Tim Donigan (Hole #2) and Steve Barone (Hole #5). Steve Kent won the monthly closest to the pin contest on Hole #9 (14 feet). Connie O’Keefe continues his quest for the MVP leading the league with 51½ individual points.

WELCOME NEW CHRISTIANS:

Sofia Melisande Giufre child of
Vincenzo & Gina Giufre

Evelyn Roe Berg child of
Brian & Heather Berg

Eli Thomas Flynn child of
Thomas Flynn & Elizabeth Bouie

Sloane Vona Haigney child of
Chris & Caitlin Haigney

The Elizabeth Ministry ~ Who We Are

We are an outreach ministry giving hope, encouragement and support to women and families during the childbearing years and beyond. We offer peer support in areas such as single parenthood, miscarriage, abortion, fertility issues, adoption, grief, loss of a child, widowhood, divorce, separation and more.

We have many resources in acquiring baby items, clothing & diapers to share with families in need. We bring homemade meals to the ill and new moms/families. We love to bring gift baskets to new moms to welcome the newest member of their family.

Prayer Warriors ~ praying for all your intentions - we will visit and pray with the sick and dying. This is so vital for healing!

Elizabeth Ministry is an outreach ministry of the John Paul II Center. We are affiliated with the Gianna Center and the Fertility Care Choices which offers training on the Creighton Fertility Model, NaPro Technology (fertility tracking & infertility issues) and superb women’s healthcare.

If you have any questions or know of someone in need, please email Rita Condon at: elizabethministryrita@gmail.com or call 488-3139 ext. 116 and leave a message. Thank you and God Bless~

**FIRST FRIDAY AT
CHRIST THE KING RETREAT HOUSE
JULY 6 & EVERY FIRST FRIDAY
10AM - 3PM**

July: A month honoring St. Anne & St. Joachim
(Grandparents of Jesus)
Includes conference, meditation, Mass &
Eucharistic Holy Hour.
Offering: \$25 includes a delicious picnic lunch!
Guided by Fr. Donald H. Karlen, retired pastor &
Associate Priest of the Madonna House of
Apostolate
Reservations: Call 315-446-2680 or
ckretreat@syrдио.org or register on the website
@ www.ckretreat.com.



PRAYER FOR THE FOURTH OF JULY

"Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord"
(Psalm 33:12)

Eternal God, stir Thou our minds and stimulate our hearts with a high sense of patriotism as we approach the Fourth of July. May all that this day symbolizes renew our faith in freedom, our devotion to democracy, and redouble our efforts to keep a government of the people, by the people, and for the people truly alive in our world.

Grant that we may highly resolve on this great day to dedicate ourselves anew to the task of ushering in an era when good will shall live in the hearts of a free people, justice shall be the light to guide their feet, and peace shall be the goal of humankind: to the glory of Thy holy name and the good of our nation and of all mankind. Amen.



Happy Summer to all:

This past week we donated 12 prayer shawls and some yarn to **Central Park Nursing Home**. Amanda Fastveit, Director of Recreation/Volunteer Services, was overwhelmed by the donation. When Bill and I met with her, she said, "I can't believe that you thought of us!"

Central Park is located on Martin Luther King Blvd. in the south side of Syracuse. There are 160 residents there as well as several who come for day programs. It is mostly Medicaid funded, and not often on the receiving end of donations. Please keep this facility in your prayers, as they strive every day to provide the best care possible to their residents.

This past week we also met with Tai Shaw, owner of CNY Uniform Plus. He is sponsor of the **BLESSING BOX** charity in Syracuse. Tai came to Syracuse in the early 80's as an unaccompanied refugee minor. From his humble beginning here in Syracuse he has worked tirelessly to help immigrants moving into Syracuse. He is also acutely aware of the extreme poverty in Syracuse, and that was his motivation to build and place (bright pink) **BLESSING BOXES** in several locations on the North Side of the city. Each week, he and his family go out and fill these boxes with canned goods. This is his way of helping to feed the poor.

When our pantry re-opens in July, we will be collecting canned goods to support this charity. Outreach will form a team to take the donated goods and fill the boxes.

We also donated several boxes of coffee to Sarah House. The director greeted us when we arrived and said, "You have no idea how badly we are in need of this!"

Because of your generosity and support, our parish is able to reach out, far beyond our geographic borders, and offer our help to others less fortunate. What a blessing to be able to do this!

Have a great week,

Blessings,
Bill & Anne