

*From the  
Pastor's  
Desk*



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Dear Holy Family Parishioners and Friends,

I hope this note finds you well and in good health. You are in my daily prayers as we continue to move through this pandemic. I ask God daily to watch over us and protect us!

As you are well aware, the world has not returned to what we knew as normal prior to COVID. At the same time, the work of proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ does not stop – thanks be to God! Here at Holy Family Church and in parishes around our Diocese and world, the need for God and the presence of the Church is so evident. Simply put, people still need to, and will always need to encounter Jesus. The annual Hope Appeal allows the Diocese of Syracuse to make the presence of Christ felt in so many ways. Did you know that the Hope Appeal funds programs like hospital and nursing home chaplains, college campus chaplains, Catholic School tuition assistance, support of food pantries (including Holy Family’s Pantry) and soup kitchens, funds some Catholic Charities programs, programs for youth and young adults to grow in the faith, vocation promotion, formation of seminarians for the priesthood, formation of deacons, marriage preparation, marriage support and counseling, Mass for shut-ins, and so much more. During the pandemic our parishioners have benefited from all of the Hope Appeal programs listed above and those not listed. I cannot even begin to tell you what a blessing the Hope Appeal is, not just to our Diocese, but to our parish.

Soon you will be receiving information from the Diocese of Syracuse on how you can support the Hope Appeal (if you haven’t received it already). Even if you do not receive information from the Diocese, you can still support the appeal. Every

parish in the Diocese of Syracuse has a Hope Appeal goal; our Hope Appeal goal is \$118,000 (the same as it has been for the past 7 years). In an effort to achieve the goal, I would like to suggest that every family in the parish consider a making a minimum gift/or pledge to the Hope Appeal of \$150.00 (averages out to \$12.50 a month of \$.41 a day). I know this is a sacrifice and I would never ask you to do something that I would not do. Therefore, I am making a gift to the appeal for \$1,250 to support the work for bringing Christ and the Church to others. If you can afford more than the minimum suggest gift per family, please do so. If you cannot give the minimum gift per family, please know that anything you do will be a big help. Every gift counts! I want to be totally transparent and let you know that all Hope Appeal gifts/pledges are restricted gifts and can only be used for the purposes of the Hope Appeal. They cannot be used for any other purpose outside of the scope of the Hope Appeal Campaign.

If we exceed our goal, all of the overage will come back to Holy Family for our use. In the past we have used the Hope Appeal overage to install our live stream capabilities and technology. Last year, we used our Hope Appeal overage to upgrade our live stream so that we could do more and make sure we are able to broadcast as much as possible from our parish. As you can see, a gift to the Hope Appeal is a gift to Holy Family. On behalf of all impacted by the appeal, I thank you for your great generosity and support! Your goodness makes Holy Family Church a leader in the Hope Appeal, and it is a great testimony to the faith of our parish! Thank you and I know God will repay us a hundredfold for our generosity!

Blessings always,  
Fr. Manno

### HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL

Holy Family School is seeking a teacher for Grade 1 for the school year 2021-2022. Applicant will need to complete the Safe Environment Training through the Diocese of Syracuse. A Master’s Degree or Permanent Certification or working toward Certification is required. The applicant should possess the ability to manage a classroom, create a welcoming classroom, communicate effectively, observe and evaluate student performance, enforce classroom and school rules, create and execute lesson plans, work well with colleagues, and administration. Please send resume to Sr. Christina Marie Luczynski, CSSF, Holy Family School, 130 Chapel Drive, Syracuse, New York 13219 or [cluczynski@syrdiocese.org](mailto:cluczynski@syrdiocese.org)



# Mass Schedule

**TWENTY-SIXTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME**

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 27**

6:45AM Holy Souls in Purgatory

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28**

9:00AM Mary Kay McGrath/Family

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29**

6:45AM Mass for the People of Holy Family

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 30**

9:00AM Regina Capella/  
Divine Mercy Prayer Group

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 1**

9:00AM Doris Gunter/Family

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2**

8:00AM FIRST SATURDAY MASS LEAGUE

4:00PM George Verel/Paula

**TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME**

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3**

7:30AM William Gleason/Jean

9:00AM John Salanger/The Costellos

10:30AM Thomas Gulgert/Mary Lou Navin

Christopher J. Impaglia/Alice Malick

4:00PM Paul & Loretta Moretti/  
Paula Petosa & Joseph Albino



## MUSICAL NOTES

**Rob Morey, Director of Music**

315-487-1737

[music@holyfamilysyr.org](mailto:music@holyfamilysyr.org)

**THIS WEEKEND**

**Saturday**

**4:00PM** Gabriella Giacobelli, Rob Morey,  
Gina Giufre

**Sunday**

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

**10:30AM** Kerrianna Kershner, Rob Morey,  
Tony Alvaro

**4:00PM** Holy Family Praise & Worship Band

**NEXT WEEKEND**

**Saturday**

**4:00PM** Kristy Morgan, Rob Morey, Tony Alvaro

**Sunday**

**9:00AM** Kristy Morgan, Rob Morey, Tony Alvaro

**10:30AM** Kristy Morgan, Rob Morey, Tony Alvaro

**4:00PM** Holy Family Praise & Worship Band



Our Children's Liturgy services have started again!

Please join us at the 10:30 Mass for Children's Liturgy. Children are invited to participate in an engaging short lesson and craft or activity during the Liturgy of the Word in the Multi-Purpose Room with Olivia Colabufo.

## 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, Michele Albin, Amy Purdy Godleski, Katie Remheld.

**Liturgical**



**Ministers**

**OCTOBER 2 & 3**

**LECTORS:**

**Saturday**

**4:00PM** – Sr. Christina Luczynski

**Sunday**

7:30AM – Ellen McCauley

9:00AM – Joe Assaf

10:30AM – Anne Milewski-Craner

4:00PM – Mary Fangio

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:**

**Saturday**

4:00PM – Bill & Anne Ganey

**Sunday**

7:30AM – Bob McCauley, Tina Vecchio

9:00AM – Louise Mercurio, Susan Sedlack

10:30AM – James & Elaine Lynch

4:00PM – Janet Rose-Gleason/ Elizabeth Garn

**ALTAR SERVERS:**

**Saturday**

4:00PM – Biruk Royal

**Sunday**

7:30AM – Katie Brusa

9:00AM – Cade Caloia

10:30AM – Patrick, Stephen & Benedict Maier

4:00PM – Eva & Manny Sandoval

**Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors & Altar Servers:**

If you would like to return to your ministry, please email Kris McGuire t [kmcguire@holyfamilysyr.org](mailto:kmcguire@holyfamilysyr.org) or call the Pastoral Center 488-31.39 and let us know your ministry and your Mass preference.

**The fall Liturgical Ministry Schedule can be picked up in the Gathering Space of the church.**

**\*Holy Family ALL Vocations Ministry\*  
26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time- September 26<sup>th</sup>  
2021**

Christ says when we serve the needy we bear His name. Have you considered bearing His name and serving the poor through religious life? Call Father Jason Hage (315) 470-1468 or write <http://vocations-syracuse.org>.

**TODAY: Priesthood Sunday!**

Join us in praying for our priests, praising God for their courage and their generosity. Also, please take a moment to stop in the Gathering space to fill out a [spiritual bouquet](#), which is an offering of prayer for one or all of our priests. These may also be printed from our Holy Family website. Let us show Fr. Manno, Fr. Clark, Fr. Muench, and Msgr. Yeazel our encouragement and gratitude in thoughts, and deeds. God bless our priests!

**Fisherman’s Club Fall 2021**

All are welcome to attend the Fisherman’s Club, an initiative that aims to reach college-age and young adult men who are thinking about the priesthood. The mission of “FC” is to build fraternity among young adult Catholic men as well as provide these men with tools for mature discernment of their vocation.

**The first meeting is Tuesday, September 28<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 – 8:30 PM at Christ the King Retreat House, Syracuse.** For more information, please contact Fr. Nathan Brooks at [NBrooks@syrdio.org](mailto:NBrooks@syrdio.org).

**The Third Option**

**“Speaking the Truth in Love: Seven Communication Techniques”**

Come learn how! A Program to build better marriages. We all know the importance of good communication in our marriages. Here is a chance to learn 7 speaking techniques to help you and your spouse talk to each other more honestly yet lovingly. **Meetings are held online. Next meeting is TODAY- September 26th, 7:15-9:00pm.** For information, or to join, please contact Stephanie Stewart at [sstewart@syrdio.org](mailto:sstewart@syrdio.org) or (315)472-6728.

**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 contact the Vocations Office at [Vocations@syriodio.org](mailto:Vocations@syriodio.org)

Holy Hour



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





**Faith Formation Office: 315-488-5884**

**FAMILY FAITH FORMATION (Grades K-6)**  
**Monthly**

Join our Google Classroom using code: **sp3uwtd**

**10/3:** Families are invited to our first Family Faith Formation session! Please join us in the Church Hall following the 9am Mass.

Questions: Contact Patty D'Angelo:  
pdangelo@holyfamilysyr.org

**EDGE: (Grades 7 & 8) Monday: 6:30-7:30pm in Church Hall**

Join our Google Classroom using code: **oqxswj4**

**9/27:** Join us on our superhero journey through faith! This week we will be focusing on Black Panther as we take a deeper dive into the virtue of prudence. Bring a friend!!

Questions: Contact Vince D'Angelo:  
edge@holyfamilysyr.org

**First Sacraments: Grade 2: Sunday: 9:15, 10:15 or 11:15am** - join our Google Classroom using code: **x3cqyjg**

Our classes are in the Church Hall:

**9/26:** "You Are Blessed"

**10/24:** "The Best Version of Yourself"

Questions: Contact Patty D'Angelo:  
pdangelo@holyfamilysyr.org

**Confirmation: \*\*Grade 10 (ONLY): Tuesday 7pm**

Join our Google Classroom using code: **mqqg2s6**

**10/19:** Meet us in the Church Hall.

Questions: Contact John Buttner:  
confirmation@holyfamilysyr.org

**\*\*Note a new change:** Confirmation classes are for 10<sup>th</sup> grade students only. All 9<sup>th</sup> grade students will no longer be required to attend Confirmation classes but are **encouraged** to attend our Life Teen program held on Sundays after the 4pm Mass.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### DIVINE MERCY DAILY @ 3PM IN CHURCH

#### MONDAY 9/27

5:00PM Confessions & Eucharistic Adoration – Church

6:30PM 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Edge – Church Hall

#### TUESDAY 9/28

**Enjoy your Day!**

#### WEDNESDAY – 9/29

6:30PM Bible Timeline Study – Lower Conf. Room

7:00PM RCIA – HFPC Main Conference Room

8:00PM AA – Church Hall

#### THURSDAY- 9/30

5:00PM Pray it Off – Church Hall

6:30PM Revelation Bible Study – HFPC

#### FRIDAY- 10/1

**TGIF**

#### SATURDAY – 10/2

7:00AM Men's Prayer Group – Church

1:00PM Blessing of the Animals - Shrine

#### SUNDAY – 10/3

10:00AM Family Faith Formation - Church Hall

10:30AM Children's Liturgy of the Word – Multipurpose Room

11:30AM Respect Life Prayer Chain

5:00PM Life Teen – Church Hall

## HOSPITALITY MINISTRY

### Is it too soon to think about HALLOWEEN? We

don't think so! On Saturday, October 30, the Hospitality Ministry will be hosting our 2nd annual Halloween parade. Come with your family, stay in your car and our costumed members will hand out candy to your little ones as you "drive through". Last year we had over 100 children enjoy the Parade. More news to come! If you would like to donate candy – please bring it to the Gathering Space and label it "Hospitality Ministry".

### A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE:

The words in today's gospel, "Whoever gives a cup of water in the name of Christ will not lose their reward" hits us at home. As parents we gain our "reward" when we bring water to a frightened child in the middle of the night, or Kool Aid to parched five-year olds, or hold ice chips to the fevered lips of a spouse. It is that simple and that sacred. In our homes we give until it hurts "in the name of Christ."

### WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS

September 18 & 19 \$18,056.52

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

**LIFE CHAIN  
STAND UP FOR LIFE**

*On Sunday, October 3, Respect Life Sunday, Holy Family Church will be the location of the annual Life Chain Event for the Western Region of the Diocese. This will be a peaceful gathering - a prayerful witness to the sacredness of human life and to take a positive stand to end abortion. Lines will form along both sides of West Genesee Street in front of the church. Signs will be provided by the Knights of Columbus. The life chain will be held from 11:30AM to 12:30PM. Please consider giving one hour of your time to stand with thousands of pro-lifers throughout the USA to honor over 62 million lives lost to abortion. Bring the whole family and "Stand Up For Life."*

**2021 Syracuse Catholic Women's  
Mini-Conferences**

**Saturday, October 9**

**St. Mary's Parish – Oswego, NY**

*Fr. Mariusz Jarxabek, MIC*

*Marion priest serving around the world, now at Divine Mercy Shrine, Stockbridge, MA.*

**Saturday, October 23 Sacred Heart Basilica  
-Syracuse**

*Sr. Jane Dominic Laurel, Dominican Sister, teacher and author. Founder in Catholic Faith & Culture Program at University of Dallas.*

*Each conference ticket is \$15 (\$20 walk-in at the door.) Sessions run from 8:30AM to 12:30PM and includes: Rosary – Mass – Speaker Presentation – Eucharistic Adoration/Confessions – Benediction.*

*Register at [www.SyracuseCatholicWomen.org](http://www.SyracuseCatholicWomen.org).*

**FRANCIS HOUSE**

Francis House, a vibrant, warm and loving home for persons who are terminally ill, is in need of volunteers. As a volunteer you can help meet the needs of our residents by working in our **kitchen area** where you will be responsible for cooking, cleaning and assisting our residents with meals. Also available are shifts in the **reception area**.

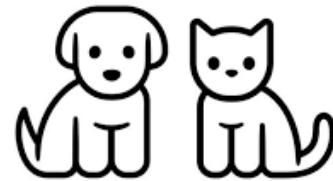
It is a most rewarding ministry and there are a variety of opportunities for service that may interest you. Currently, we have a big need during all shifts on weekends (8-12/12-4/4-7) and have openings during the week. Please call Rea Carver for information at 315-475-5422 or you can email her at [rcarver@francishouseny.org](mailto:rcarver@francishouseny.org). Thank you!

**SAFE ENVIRONMENT**

Safe Environment training sessions continue to be in-person however, online training will still be an option.

Initial Safe Environment training and re-certification training will be offered throughout the Diocese of Syracuse. Find the complete schedule of available training sessions and registration links on the diocesan Safe Environment webpage: <https://syracusediocese.org/safe-environment/> **Registration is required – Walk-ins will no longer be permitted.**

*Any questions - contact Kris McGuire @ [kmcguire@holyfamilysyr.org](mailto:kmcguire@holyfamilysyr.org)*



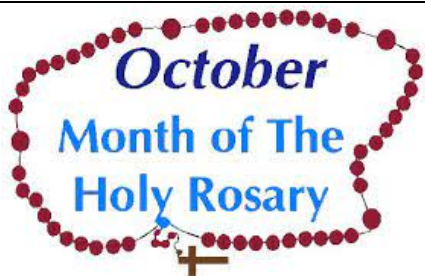
**BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS  
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2 @ 1PM  
HOLY FAMILY SHRINE**

A box will be in the gathering space for donations of dog and cat food, toys, treats, collars and leashes that will go to St. Lucy's Animal Pantry.

**SPAR**

(Syracuse Program for Adaptive Religious) Education is beginning its 12th year! Opening classes at the main Center will begin on October 2<sup>nd</sup>. This is a year long individualized Religious Education Instruction for Special Needs children and Teens for Preparation of the Sacraments and learning the Catholic Faith. All ages are welcome! For more information, contact Sr. Beth Ann @773.558.2954 or email at [sparsyr@gmail.com](mailto:sparsyr@gmail.com)

**GREENBACK TICKETS HAVE BEEN MAILED! IF YOU WOULD LIKE MORE OR DID NOT RECEIVE ANY – PLEASE CALL THE PASTORAL CENTER AND WE WILL MAIL THEM TO YOU!**



**ROSARY RALLY**  
**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2021**  
**HOLY FAMILY SHRINE**  
**12 NOON**

Please join us as we pray to Our Blessed Mother for our country, the people of Afghanistan and all affected by Covid 19.



We are starting to plan for the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays. Last year due to COVID 19, it was necessary to make changes to the programs for safety reasons. Our programs were a great success for our clients and they were able to celebrate and provide for their families. The success was due to your generosity and kindness.

Please "stay tuned" and we will be providing details shortly. Contact us at 466-2885.

Blessings,  
 Liz and Margo

**Please mark your calendars for October 23rd and 24th. The Knights of Columbus invite you to a very special event, "Wheelchair Sunday". Watch for details.**

**Memorial Update - September 2021**

The following Memorial Bricks were added to the Grotto sidewalk the week of 9/20/2021:

In Loving Memory of Linda M Romanick  
 1948-2020

In Memory of Peter Lobello  
 From Barbara Lobello

**ATTENTION NURSING HOME VOLUNTEERS**

If you work in this Ministry or are interested in finding out about it, please consider attending one of these meetings. They will be offered at two days and times: Tuesday, October 5 @ 4PM and Wednesday, October 6, @ 7PM in the Pastoral Center. For more information, please contact Sr. Ann at 315-488-3139. Thank You!

**40 Days for Life**

**September 22- October 31**

Help save lives in Syracuse by joining in prayer, fasting and peaceful vigil for an end to abortion. God is doing great things in Syracuse, and invites us to be present at the Planned Parenthood abortion center to be a sign of Hope and a source of help to pregnant women in need! No experience is necessary, just a heart full of compassion for moms and their little ones. Call Jeanie 315.956.7772 or email [syracuse40daysforlife@gmail.com](mailto:syracuse40daysforlife@gmail.com) with questions or to sign up for your hour of prayer!



**An Outreach ministry of The Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception**  
**Amaus Vision Services is now accepting appointments!**

**Through the mercy of God and the prayers and support of the Loving Family at Holy Family Church, we are happy to announce that Amaus Vision Services is now accepting appointments.**

**Thank you so much for the overwhelming support! Experienced Optometrists, Opticians and staff will now provide our financially fragile neighbors with a high-quality eye exam and glasses free of charge. Amaus Vision is open by appointment only. Children under 18 must accompanied by a parent or guardian. To make an appointment please call (315) 314-7004. Amaus Vision Services~259 E Onondaga St. Syracuse, NY 13212~ Website: [amaus-vision.org](http://amaus-vision.org)~Email: [info@amaus-vision.org](mailto:info@amaus-vision.org)**