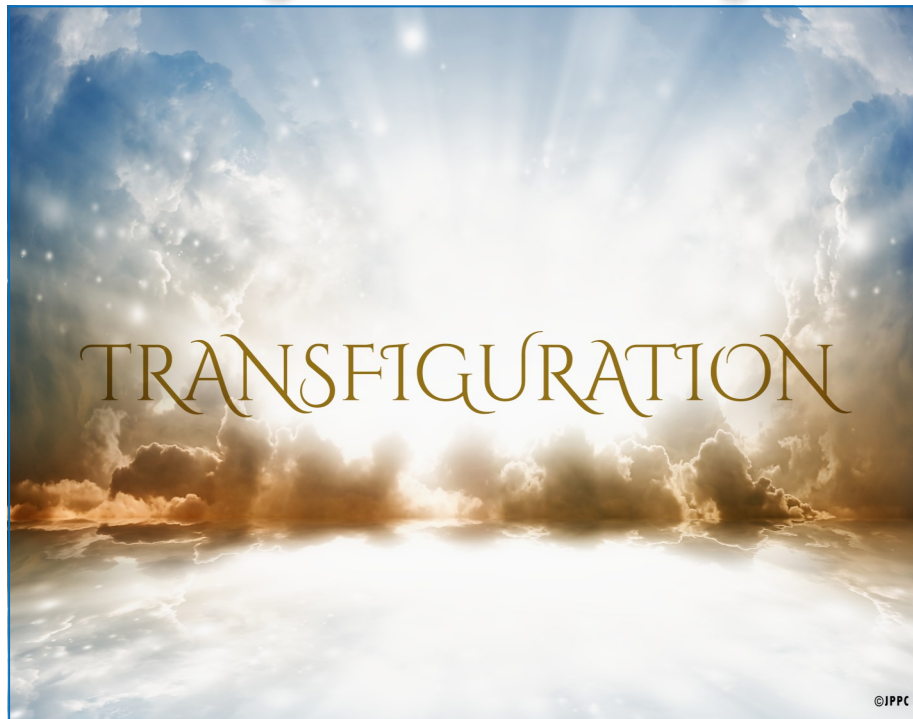


Holy Family

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SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT
March 17, 2019

MASS SCHEDULE

<u>Sunday Mass Schedule</u>	<u>Daily Mass Schedule</u>
Saturday 5:30 pm	Monday-Friday 8:15 am,
Sunday 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 am, 12:00 pm 7:30pm	12:10 (during Lent) Saturday 8:15 am
<u>Sacrament of Reconciliation</u>	<u>Holy Day Schedule</u>
Saturdays, 4:30 to 5:15pm	Vigil Mass, 7:30 pm 7:00, 8:15 am, 12:10, 7:30 pm

MASSES AROUND THE COUNTRY - To find a church in the U.S., go to www.masstimes.org.

RECTORY	SCHOOL
1 Lloyd Ave. Florham Park, NJ 07932	17 Lloyd Ave. Florham Park NJ 07932
Phone 973-377-1817 Fax 973-377-6350	Phone 973-377-4181 Fax 973-377-0273
rectory@hollyfamilyfp.org www.hollyfamilyfp.org	www.holy-family-school.org

PARISH DIRECTORY

Rev. Thomas Rekiel, Pastor,
Rev. Krzysztof Liwarski, Parochial Vicar
Rev. Frederick Walters, Pastor Emeritus
Deacon Peter M. Fiore

Director of Music Ministry, Randy Hertzog
Pastoral Minister, Virginia Akhoury
Parish Bookkeeper, Robyn Morris,
Office Administrator, Celeste Walsh
Protecting God's Children Coordinator, Celeste Walsh

Director of Faith Formation, Dr. Suzanne Herold,
CCD Director, Anne Giedlinski
Confirmation Coordinator, Gavin Rubelowsky
Youth Coordinator, Steve Prokop

Director Holy Family School, Mary Smith,
Assistant Director, Toni Fiore
School Bookkeeper, Tammy Zebick

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Roger Siara	973-822-1661	Bob Scirocco	973-377-1387
Fred Summa	973-822-3362		

REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE SERVING IN THE MILITARY:

*LTC Timothy Renahan USA; Matthew Manzione, USA;
AS1 Brian Schramm, USN; Capt Stephen Scirocco, USMC;
LCpl. Stephen Hanily, USMC; Sgt. Chad Jennings, USA;
PFC Patrick Montuore, USMC; Sgt. Jared K. Nucci, USA.*

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM - Sundays at 1:00 pm. Baptism preparation for parents first Tuesday of the month, call 973-377-1817 for details and information.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE—Please call the rectory at least one year in advance to make arrangements for a wedding.

HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL - An environment for growth in faith, values and knowledge. Tiny Tots (2 1/2 yrs. old), Pre K 3 & Pre K 4, Bridge to Kindergarten & K. For information, call @ **973-377-4181, or www.holy-family-school.org**.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - Religious instruction for grades 1-8. Confirmation preparation for high school students. For information, call **973-377-3101, hfreducation@gmail.com**

SOCIAL MINISTRIES- *Ministry to the Hungry.*

Anne Platoff, **973-822-0430**, Sharon Carr, **973-568-5932**

Ministry to the Homebound: Mary Scirocco, **973-610-8450**

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - Dr. McDowell Council - For information, call Joe Guerin **973-615-1635**. For Hall rentals, call Ralph Aurilia at **973-301-0297**.

PRO-LIFE MINISTRY - Frank and Barbara Tinari, **973-822-0084**. Important Contact Information: New Jersey Right to Life (njrtl.org) 732-562-0562.

CENTERING PRAYER meets at 7:30 p.m. on Monday nights in the Knights of Columbus Hall.

ROSARY is prayed each day at 7:50 a.m. (before the 8:15 Mass).

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA is prayed on Mondays after the 8:15 a.m. Mass.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for veneration on the First Friday, after the 8:15 mass until 9:45 a.m., (including confessions) and every Thursday after the 8:15 mass.

TITHING: Last week's collection was \$8,351.25 (last year was \$9,701.00). Thank you for your continued support of Holy Family Parish.

MARCH

March 17	Pre Cana 5:30 pm CH
March 18	Altar Server Training 6:30 pm Church Family CCD Night 6:30 pm CH Confessions 7:00-8:00 pm Centering Prayer Grp. 7:30 pm K of C Hall
March 19	Prayer Shawl Ministry 9:30 am Fr. Thomas Bible Study 7:00 pm CH
March 20	Fr. Krzys Saints Study 7:00 pm CH
March 22	Stations of the Cross 7:00 pm
March 23	Women's SALT Meeting 8:45 am CH Youth Group Applebee's Fundraiser
March 24	CCD Grades 1-8 9:00 am Youth Group Mtg. After 7:30 pm Mass Rectory
March 25	Altar Server Training 5:00 pm Church Confessions 7:00-8:00 pm Centering Prayer 7:30 pm K of C Hall
March 26	Prayer Shawl Ministry 9:30 am CCD Grades 6, 7 & 8 6:45 pm
March 27	CCD Grades 1-8 3:30 pm Video Games and Our Children: What are the Risks? 7:00 pm CH
March 29	Stations of the Cross 7:00 pm
March 30	First Penance K of C Chess Tournament Gym
March 31	Altar Server Bowling Party 5:00-7:00 pm Pre Cana 5:30 pm CH
April 1	Altar Server Training 5:00 pm Church Confessions 7:00-8:00 pm Centering Prayer 7:30 pm K of C Hall
April 2	Youth Group Clothing Drive Soup Supper 6:30 pm CH Knights of Columbus Meeting



HOLY FAMILY WOMEN'S GROUP

**THERE'S MORE TO LENT THEN FASTING AND
GIVING UP SOMETHING**

**Please join us on March 23rd, when we will be discussing the
Lenten Journey.**

*The meeting will take place in the church hall
at 8:45 am and end by 10:00. Come join
other women and socialize, relax, talk, learn,
and laugh.*



HELPING THOSE IN NEED

April brings flowers and showers. For the people who live on the streets, staying dry is one of their many struggles.

Ponchos and Backpacks will be available for purchase on the weekend of **March 30 -31** (after all masses) to support those who are **less fortunate**. They will be **distributed** to the **homeless** through Bridges Outreach Inc, in Summit.

\$4.00



\$3.00



\$6.00 Combo



MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, March 18, 2019

Lenten Weekday

8:15 - Jan Marcin Kozak, *19th Anniversary*
- Joseph DeCoursey
- Alvina Marren
12:10 - Benedict Commins
- Betty Mercuro

TUESDAY, March 19, 2019

St. Joseph

8:15 - William Dolan, *1st Anniversary*
- Joseph and Sabino Iandiorio
12:10 -

WEDNESDAY, March 20, 2019

Lenten Weekday

8:15 - Anthony Salamone, *11th Anniversary*
- Charles Schorr
12:10 -

THURSDAY, March 21, 2019

Lenten Weekday

8:15 - Anna Prokop
- Peggy Farrell, *5th Anniversary*
12:10 - Nora Naval, *2nd Anniversary*

FRIDAY, March 22, 2019

Lenten Weekday

8:15 - Anna Saksa
12:10 - Special Intention

SATURDAY, March 23, 2019

Lenten Weekday

8:15 - Paulina Adamczuk, *46th Anniversary*
5:30 - Rose & Michael Gialanella
- Robert Babb
- Philip Broadhurst

SUNDAY, March 24 2019

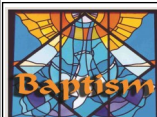
3rd Sunday of Lent

7:30 - Joseph Hunt, *1st Anniversary*
- Katherine Sun
- Roseann Picone Lukasik
9:00 - People of Holy Family Parish
10:30 - William Foley
- Michelangelo Grieco
- Robert Vrablik
12:00 - Maria Infante
- Al DelSordi
- Alba Tropeano
- Mario Villacorta
7:30 -

**The SANCTUARY LAMP WILL BURN IN MEMORY OF
Eddie Mulligan.**

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED
Robert M. Vrablik (son of Jean and Robert Vrablik).

Pray for the Sick: James Connolly Sr., Peggy Schneyer, John Veverka, Dave Kreutzer, Mary O'Connor, George Padkowski, Sloane Dyer, Ken Eberle, Anne D'Innocenzio, Jonathan Tagorda, Orie McMorrow, Barbara Froetscher, Judith Prestage, Steven Pilla, Jean and Joe Walsh, Keith Northridge, Fred Stadelbauer, Barbara Colwell, Bernie Benckso, Evalina Luberto, Kristen Jankowski, Nicholas Lacitignola, Dick Kaye, Fr. Fred, Nicholas DePhillips, Joan Grace, Laura Rojas, John Murphy, Bob VanBenschoten, Angie Wilson.



We Welcome into Our Community:
Fiona Angela Abeigon,
Daughter of Joseph and Michelle Abeigon.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS:
Fridays, Mar. 22, 29, Apr. 5, 12 @ 7:00 pm.



CONFESSIONS:
Mondays, Mar.18 & 25, Apr. 1, 8, 7-8:00pm



BIBLE STUDY WITH FR. THOMAS
Tuesday, Mar. 19, Apr.16, @7:00 pm CH



SAINTS STUDY WITH FR. KRZYS
Wednesday, Mar.20, Apr. 11, @ 7:00 pm CH



WOMEN'S SALT MEETING:
Sat. Mar. 23 following 8:15 mass in CH.



MEN'S MINISTRY MEETING:
Sat. Apr.6th following the 8:15 mass in CH



LENTEN MISSION: FR. STEPHEN PRISK
Wed. Apr. 3&10 with



SOUP SUPPER:
Tues. Apr. 2, 6:30 pm Church Hall



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FISH FRY
Friday, Apr. 12

In addition we offer Centering Prayer on Monday evenings at 7:30 pm in the K of C Hall, daily recitation of the rosary at 7:50 am, Miraculous Medal Novena on Mondays after the 8:15 mass, Eucharistic Adoration on the first Friday of each month and every Thursday after the 8:15 mass. We will also have a 12:10 Mass Monday thru Friday during Lent.



All men 18 and older are invited to join in men's pick up soccer games on Tuesday evenings at 8:00. For information or to sign up please email Fr. Krzys
@ krzysztolfliwarski@gmail.com

SAVE THE DATE: Holy Family Youth Group Clothing Drive will be held on Tuesday April 2nd. Clothing in well tied plastic garbage bags can be dropped off at the gym between 2:30 and 6:00 pm.

Clothes, shoes, belts, ties, scarves, handbags, linens, towels, tablecloths, bedding, curtains, stuffed animals, toys, small appliances, books (no text books).
NO FURNITURE OR CAR SEATS.



Video Games and Our Children: What are the Risks? March 27, @7:00 pm

Video games are incredibly popular. To put this in perspective, McDonalds generated \$22 billion in revenue in 2017 worldwide. The video game industry in the U.S. alone generated \$30 billion and is projected to grow exponentially over the coming years. The immense popularity of *Fortnite* has raised concerns about video games and its effects on academic performance, sleep, and emotional regulation. In recent months parents have even started to raise concerns about their children being "addicted to video games". While conversations about the potential addictiveness of video games in the U.S. have recently started, countries in Asia have been treating video game addiction as a public health crisis for over a decade. Research in the U.S. has found that 8.1% of youth meet the criteria for video game addiction. It is difficult to determine the line between enjoyment and addiction. Youths have so many platforms now to play games on that parents may not be aware how much time is being spent playing. This seminar will help provide information to address some of these concerns.

Behavior	Percentage (%) of youth who report engaging in behavior
Play as a way of escaping from problems or feeling bad	29% of boys 19% of girls
Have lied to family or friends about how much they play	17% of boys 10% of girls
Sometimes skip homework to play video game	29% of boys 15% of girls
Have done poorly on school assignment/test due to game time	26% of boys 11% of girls
Sometimes skip household chores to play video games	40% of boys 24% of girls

Holy Family Annual Soup Supper

Our Annual Lenten Soup Supper takes place Tuesday, April 2nd in the church hall beginning at 6:30 pm and continuing to 8:30 pm. Bring a pot of soup, if you can, and share with your fellow parishioners, a simple but delicious meal. At the same time make a donation to the hungry of what might have been spent on a more elaborate meal. All are welcome.

Homemade soup, bread, soda, coffee & tea will be served
RSVP 973-377-1817 or email rectory@holyfamilyfp.org.



Youth the Cornerstone of the Future Church

Holy Family Parish is sponsoring a contest for four different grade levels with different topics connected with our faith.

We know how important the future of the church is and that future is entrusted to our young people. We would like to know what you think about God, church and your connection to both, now and going forward in your life. Lent is an opportunity to dedicate more time to God and to grow in your faith. We invite you to share your thoughts with us by writing an essay on age appropriate topics.

Topics

Grades 6,7&8 *“How I Try to Follow Jesus Everyday”.....*

Grades 9&10 *“Preparation for Confirmation is More Than Just One Class a Month”.....*

Grades 11&12 *“My Faith Journey Doesn’t End with Confirmation”...*

College *“How I try to Include God in My Busy Life”.....*

**1st, 2nd and 3rd place monetary prizes will be awarded in each Grade Group,
(1st place \$150.00, 2nd place \$100.00 and 3rd place \$50.00).**

**In addition the winning entries will be published in the parish bulletin
in the weeks following Easter.**

CONDITIONS:

- 1. Must be a member of Holy Family Parish.**
- 2. Essays can be submitted by mail to 1 Lloyd Ave. Florham Park NJ or emailed to rectory@holyfamilyfp.org**
- 3. All entries must be submitted no later than April 3rd.**
- 4. Results will be announced at the 7:00 pm mass on Holy Thursday.**





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DATE & TIME:
Saturday, March 23rd, 2019
8am-10am

CONTACT: 9734525256
thomasrek@gmail.com

To host a Flapjack Fundraiser for your organization, visit FlapjackFunds.com. Please submit your requests for Donations, Sponsorships and Youth Connection by visiting "Community" at DohertyInc.com.

Meal includes: Pancakes, sausage, scrambled eggs and a beverage (coffee, juice, soda or tea.) Please contact organization to purchase a ticket. This flyer is only intended for advertising purposes. Ticket valid for pancake event only. Applebee's® menu items are not included as part of purchase.

FOOD PANTRY Thank you for your generous donations to the Food Pantry. This weeks item is **cereal**. Please do not leave expired food we cannot give that to our guests. *Anne 973-822-0430, Sharon 973-568-5932, Bernadette 201-412-4668.*



Come Pray with Us for the Unborn Children who are being lost through abortion. We also peacefully pray for all those harmed by the loss of these precious gifts – our children.



When: March 6-April 13, 7AM to 7PM pray an hour (or more) a week.

Where: 196 Speedwell Ave, Morristown NJ, in front of Planned Parenthood. Sign up by sending an email to 44lifeus@gmail.com or going to the 40 Days for Life website <https://40daysforlife.com>. Questions, please call Frances Spilman at 973-627-1654. We encourage you to sign up so that we know that each hour is covered for a particular day. Spontaneous visitors are also welcome. Your presence may save a life.

K of C Chess "Round-Robin" Tournament For students in grades 3-8 who live in Florham Park, Madison, Chatham, Hanover Twp., Livingston, Millburn, Morris Township, Parsippany, etc. **When/Where: Saturday, 3/30**, From 8:30am to about 1:00pm in the Holy Family Gym, **Tucker Street, Florham Park**. (There will be limits of 30 players for each division (60 total) so don't wait to register!) **Awards:** Two divisions will be offered to equally divide the participants. Trophies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd and Ribbons for 4th, 5th, and 6th places - will be awarded in both divisions. Each participant will receive a certificate and. **Cost:** Pre-Register - \$8.00 per player. Family Discounts - \$15 for 2 per family, and \$20 for 3 per family. (at the door it will be \$10 and no family discount). If registering at the door it's at 8:00am sharp – (remember there is a 30 player limit). Checks: Payable to "Knights of Columbus", PO Box 540, Florham Park, NJ 07932, and include parents' names, player's name, address, phone #, email address, grade, and school.

Questions: Call Joe O'Brien at 973-301-1864

Dear Parishioners,

Our March **Saints Study** will be held on **Wednesday, March 20th at 7 p.m. in the Church hall**. At this meeting I will be talking about the saints from Europe. I will begin with St. Patrick, the patron saint of Ireland. We will learn about the life of this bishop and missionary who brought Christianity to “Green Ireland”. I will talk also about St. Anthony of Padua, a Portuguese saint to whom we pray when we want to find our lost things. Later I will move from Portugal to France and I will present the life of St. Therese of Lisieux, often called “Little Flower”. This Carmelite nun died when she was only 24 years old but it was enough for her to become a doctor of the Church. I will finish our meeting with a presentation about St. Maximilian Kolbe, a Polish Franciscan monk who sacrificed his own life in a Nazi camp during World War II.

Please mark your calendars, I look forward to seeing you on Wednesday, March 20th!

I would like also to inform you that there will be a change in the date of our April Saints Study meeting. It will be held on **Thursday, April 11th at 7 p.m. in the Church hall**.

God bless you,
Fr. Chris



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**KEEP
CALM
AND BECOME
ALTAR
SERVER!**

Dear Parishioners,

Our Holy Family Parish is looking for new altar servers. If your children or grandchildren would like to:

- serve Jesus during Mass
- assist the priest during Mass
- make new friends
- hang out at least once a year at our Appreciation Party for altar servers
- and they are in 4th grade or higher

we invite and encourage them to be altar servers in our Parish!

In order to be one, please come to our meetings and trainings for new altar servers which are held **every Monday evening, at 5 p.m. in our Church**. If you can't make it, please contact the rectory to set another day or hour.

God bless you and see you on Mondays!

“Serve the Lord with gladness!”

(Ps 100, 2)

Fr. Chris



Bible Study March 19th @7:00 pm

Matthew 24-28

In the discourse of the fifth book (Mt 24:1–25:46), the last of the great structural discourses of the gospel, Jesus predicts the destruction of the temple and his own final coming. The time of the latter is unknown (Mt 24:36, 44), and the disciples are exhorted in various parables to live in readiness for it, a readiness that entails faithful attention to the duties of the interim period (Mt 24:45–25:30). The coming of Jesus will bring with it the great judgment by which the everlasting destiny of all will be determined (Mt 25:31–46).

The story of Jesus' passion and resurrection (Mt 26:1–28:20), the climax of the gospel, throws light on all that has preceded. In Matthew “righteousness” means both the faithful response to the will of God demanded of all to whom that will is announced and also the saving activity of God for his people (see Mt 3:15; 5:6; 6:33). The passion supremely exemplifies both meanings of that central Matthean word. In Jesus' absolute faithfulness to the Father's will that he drink the cup of suffering (Mt 26:39), the incomparable model for Christian obedience is given; in his death “for the forgiveness of sins” (Mt 26:28), the saving power of God is manifested as never before.

Matthew's portrayal of Jesus in his passion combines both the majestic serenity of the obedient Son who goes his destined way in fulfillment of the scriptures (Mt 26:52–54), confident of his ultimate vindication by God, and the depths of fear and abandonment that he feels in face of death (Mt 26:38–39; 27:46). These two aspects are expressed by an Old Testament theme that occurs often in the narrative, i.e., the portrait of the suffering Righteous One Who complains to God in his misery, but is certain of eventual deliverance from his terrible ordeal.

The passion-resurrection of God's Son means nothing less than the turn of the ages, a new stage of history, the coming of the Son of Man in his kingdom (Mt 28:18; cf. Mt 16:28). That is the sense of the apocalyptic signs that accompany Jesus' death (Mt 27:51–53) and resurrection (Mt 28:2). Although the old age continues, as it will until the manifestation of Jesus' triumph at his parousia, the final age has now begun. This is known only to those who have seen the Risen One and to those, both Jews and Gentiles, who have believed in their announcement of Jesus' triumph and have themselves become his disciples (cf. Mt 28:19). To them he is constantly, though invisibly, present (Mt 28:20), verifying the name Emmanuel, “God is with us” (cf. Mt 1:23).

THANK YOU HOLY FAMILY! More than 50 people of all ages recently met at the Madison Area

YMCA's TOGETHERHOOD® event to sort through tons of soap, shampoo, conditioner, deodorant, toothpaste and mouthwash to fill more than 400 toiletry kits for the homeless. An amazing part about the event was the level of community engagement it brought. Along with Y members and volunteers, several local organizations and nonprofit groups became involved.

The items were donated through drives held at the Madison Area Y, Grace Episcopal Church, M&T Bank, **Holy Family Church** and local dentists' offices. Groups that helped prepare the kits included Fairleigh Dickinson University students from the Pre-Health Society, Student Wish List Project, employees of the Madison office of HLW International, a design, architecture and planning firm, Junior League of Summit members and a Chatham Girl Scout troop. It was TOGETHERHOOD® at its finest.

