



Holy Family Catholic Church

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Diocese of Knoxville

Office Contacts

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Deacon Gil Campos 865-805-9040

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secretary@holymfamilyseymour.org

After Hours Emergency Number 865-310-5699

Sacramental Ministry

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 5:30pm

Sunday: 8:00am and 10:30am

Mon, Tues, Thurs 8:30am & Wed 7:00pm

Holy Days: 7:00pm Vigil & 8:30am

1st Friday of the Month: Mass 8:30am followed by

Adoration 9:00am-5:00pm & Benediction 5:00pm

Reconciliation

Saturday 4:30 to 5:00pm (or by appointment)

Anointing of the Sick—Contact the office 865-573-1203

Communion for the Sick and Home Bound

Contact the office 865-573-1203 or Claudia Burton 573-0056

Baptism—Contact Deacon Dean Burry (865)579-9196,
one month in advance.

1st Communion—Contact Office (865)573-1203

Confirmation—Contact Office (865)573-1203

RCIA—Contact Deacon Gil Campos (865)805-9040

Marriage—Contact Fr. Gilbert (865)573-1203 or Deacon Dean
Burry (865)579-9196, four months in advance for preparation
and scheduling **registered parishioners only

Annulments—Contact Fr. Gilbert M. Diaz (865)573-1203
Deacon Gil Campos (865)805-9040

Parish Contacts

Parish Council—Meeting 3rd Monday of every other month

Parish Chair Erik Preske
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Administration

Education Misti DeGroot

Parish Life

Social Action Scott Hosea
Liturgy/Spiritual Life Fr. Gilbert Diaz,
Deacon Dean, Deacon Gil
Owen Poveda

Communications

Family Life

Recorder

Advisor

Misti DeGroot
Daniel Warrensford
Mica Bentley
Barb Genter
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Knights of Columbus - Council #12961

Gene Haffner 419-944-7590

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Liturgy Committee Secretary

Karen Burry 865-579-9196

Readers Deacon Gil Campos 865-805-9040

Extraordinary Ministers Of Holy Communion

Deacon Dean Burry 865-579-9196

Ushers Juan Rivera 865-850-5229

Altar Servers Deacon Dean Burry 865-579-9196

Office Information

Mon, Tues, Wed & Thurs—9:00am to 2:00pm

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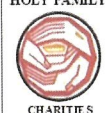
Website: www.holymfamilyseymour.org



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HOLY FAMILY

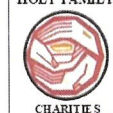


Holy Family Charities

865-573-1203

Call for appointment

HOLY FAMILY



Holy Family Collections Report

Registered Families	398
Parishioners	842

Last Weeks Collections

Regular	\$ 3731.32
Renovate/Repair	\$ 180.00
Charity	\$ 1234.00
Online Giving	\$ 341.00



Welcome Visitors! We extend a warm welcome to all the visitors who are celebrating Mass with us this weekend.

We are blessed with many "visitors" who regularly attend our liturgies and generously contribute to our offertory. We would like to extend an invitation to "officially" register with Holy Family. Registration forms are available in the magazine rack in the vestibule. You may drop off your registration to the office or just drop it in the collection basket. By registering you will be included in all communications and invitations that pertain to Holy Family.



Pray for the Sick:

Please call **Claudia Burton** at 573-0056 to be added



Abby, Lyman Blanton, Rudy Croft, Roseanne Durham,
Donna Haskett, Peggy Hood, Denise & Donald Graph,
Dorothy Jenkins, Maggie Maurer,
Jeanette Ormazabal, Ted Zwolinski



Legion of Mary

Meeting Time: Every Monday 9:00am
In the Church's Garden Level

May Our Lady of Fatima Statue Come into Your Home?

Parishioners speak of miracles, both little and large, happening when her statue has been present in their homes. Our lady has brought feelings of peace, possibilities and hope where there was confusion, chaos and despair. A beautiful novena booklet accompanies her to be prayed during each of the nine days she is in your home.

To receive "OUR LADY" into your home, please contact Claudia Burton at 573-0056.



Just because they have finished the rosary does not mean its social time. PLEASE BE QUIET WHILE IN CHURCH! Once you enter the sanctuary – it is not the time or place to visit with those around you. If you must talk, do so as quietly and briefly as possible. Remember that your conversation might be disturbing someone who is in prayer, which is much more important. **Sssshhhhhh!**

Christians Reaching Out Serving Seymour



There is always a need at **CROSS** to help stock their shelves with food for local families. Would you like to be a volunteer or do you need assistance call **865-579-6192** or go visit C.R.O.S.S. at **406 Boyds Creek Hwy Seymour TN 37865** and see all the good works they do. Open M-W 10-2, Th&F 10-12

Mass Intentions

Sept 04 05:30 PM *All Parishioners who passed away during the pandemic by Waldmann Family*

Sept 05 08:00 AM *All Parishioners who passed away during the pandemic by Waldmann Family*

10:30 AM **Victor Whelan** ☩ by Mary Belanger

Sept 06 08:30 AM NO MASS

Sept 07 08:30 AM *In honor of Legion of Mary's 100th Anniversary*

Sept 08 07:00 PM *People of the Parish*

Sept 09 08:30 AM *People of the Parish*

Sept 10 08:30 AM NO MASS

Sept 11 05:30 PM *People of the Parish*

Sept 12 08:00 AM *Arthur E. Wojda* ☩ by MaryAnn Wojda

11:00 AM *Lori Rainwater* ☩ by M/M Kruk

May the souls of all our Faithful departed through the Mercy of God rest in peace. Amen ☩ deceased

Parish Calendar

C=Church, GL= Garden Level,
FLC= Family Life Center, P=Pavilion

09/04 Sat: 04:30pm **Choir Practice-FLC**
05:00pm **Rosary-FLC**

09/05 Sun: 09:30am **Choir Practice-FLC**
10:00am **Rosary-FLC**

09/06 Mon: 09:00am **Legion of Mary - GL**

09/07 Tues: 09:30am **Crafty Ladies - FLC**

09/08 Wed: _____

09/09 Thurs: _____

09/10 Fri: _____

09/11 Sat: 04:30pm **Choir Practice-FLC**
05:00pm **Rosary-FLC**

06:30pm **Confirmation Class - GL**

09/12 Sun: 09:30am **Choir Practice-FLC**
10:00am **Rosary-FLC**

SAINT OF THE WEEK

To love God as He ought to be loved, we must be detached from all temporal love. We must love nothing but Him, or if we love anything else, we must love it only for His sake.

- St. Peter Claver (1580-1654) - Jesuit priest
Feast Day September 9

I am the light of the world, says the Lord; whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.

John 8:12

Next Weeks Readings...

The 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 50:4c-9a

Psalm 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9

James 2:14-18

Mark 8:27-35



We're Back!!!

Crafty Ladies Quilt Raffle & Bake Sale

September 25th & 26th (after all masses in the FLC)

The Crafty Ladies are back with their annual Quilt Raffle & Bake Sale, including hand-made multi use items as shown in the picture, along with religious items that we have for sale. Raffle tickets will be handed out after masses.

Please come join us in making this a successful event. As always, we need your help with your delicious home-made baked goods for the bake sale. Please drop off your baked donations at the Family Life Center before each mass that weekend, then come hungry and ready to get some scrumptious treats after mass.

Remember... all proceeds go to support Holy Family Parish!

Just a few of the many projects we have donated towards in the past are:

The Family Life Center Mortgage (now fully paid)

Blinds in the Family Life Center

Bird Bath / Landscape near the gazebo

Sound tiles for the music practice room in the Family Life Center

Cabinets for the Office

Holy Family Plaque in the church and Mother & Child picture in FLC



In today's Gospel we hear how Jesus "makes the deaf hear and the mute speak!" In living the gospel, we must open our ears to hear and recognize all the everyday opportunities for making God's presence known especially to those who are poor and suffering.

Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call Holy Family Charities so that together we can "make God's presence known" to those who are suffering and poor?



Next Sunday, September 12th, the 10:30 Mass will begin at 11:00AM under the Pavilion with the Parish Celebration to follow.

RCIA

(Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)



Are you an adult thinking about becoming Catholic? Have you neglected getting all your sacraments? Do you just want to learn more about the Catholic faith? If you have any questions about the RCIA program or would like to register, please call Deacon Gil at 865-805-9040.



Bake Sale & Quilt Raffle

The Crafty Ladies will be having a bake sale & quilt raffle the weekend of **September 25th-26th**. They will be handing out Raffle Tickets after each Mass this weekend. If you would like to help the crafty ladies by baking something, you may drop off your baked goods to be sold before each Mass the weekend of the sale.



The Legion of Mary turns 100!!

The Legion of Mary is a lay apostolic association of Catholics who, with the sanction of the Church and under the powerful leadership of Mary Immaculate, Mediatrix of All Graces, serve the Church and their neighbour on a voluntary basis in about 170 countries. The first meeting of the Legion took place in Dublin, Ireland, on September 7, 1921. With the approval and support of the Popes and a great many Bishops, Priests and Religious, as well as the prayers and efforts of legionaries, the Legion, by the grace of God, has grown into a worldwide organization with several million members. The object of the Legion of Mary is the glory of God through the holiness of its members developed by prayer and active co-operation in Mary's and the Church's work. The Legion sees as its priority the spiritual and social welfare of each individual. The members participate in the life of the parish through visitation of families, the sick, both in their homes and in hospitals and through collaboration in every apostolic and missionary undertaking sponsored by the parish. Every legionary is required to carry out a weekly apostolic work in the spirit of faith and in union with Mary.

Happy Labor Day

There will be NO Mass this Monday, Sept. 6th.

Please note: The Parish Office will closed Monday in observance of Labor Day

COME TO ME, ALL YOU WHO ARE WEARY AND BURDENED, AND I WILL GIVE YOU REST. MATTHEW 11:28



CCD NEWS

Calling all parents—Please register your child for this years CCD program!! CCD Registration packets are available in paper form on the table in the back of the FLC or electronically through our parish webpage. Please register by Sept. 12th, in order to be able to get books and supplies ready for the first class on 9/19 @ 11:45am. If you have any questions, please contact Todd in the office.

CROSS Golf Tournament October 2, 2021 at Creekside Plantation. Cost is \$300 per team with great prizes. Breakfast, Lunch, and rang balls for everyone. Spots are filling up fast so get your team together. Call CROSS for more information 865-579-6192.



Happy Anniversary



James & Reba Mendenhall	Sept. 2 nd	26yrs
Eric & Aixa Cruz	Sept. 3 rd	38yrs
Martin & Catherine Grumlich	Sept. 3 rd	38yrs
Raymond & Martha Dryburgn	Sept. 7 th	7yrs
Todd & Jeannine Sessa	Sept. 9th	20yrs
Justin & Amanda LaCroix	Sept. 10 th	16yrs
Lawrence & Gayle Sexton	Sept. 12 th	57yrs
Wm. Roger & Debra Moroney	Sept. 12 th	34yrs
Eddie & Judy Collins	Sept. 13th	25yrs
Todd & Misti DeGroot	Sept. 15 th	14yrs
Andrew & Carlee Parker	Sept. 17th	5yrs
James & Suzanne Joyce	Sept. 22nd	20yrs
William & Dorothy Diesing	Sept. 23 rd	54yrs
Marvin & Kara Pritchard	Sept. 23rd	15yrs
John & Susan Elsaesser	Sept. 23rd	60yrs
Heather & Leon Thomas	Sept. 27 th	2yrs
Bradley & Julie Butters	Sept. 30 th	4yrs

If we have missed your special day please call the office 573-1203

*** ONLINE GIVING ***

is available through our parish webpage or by texting *HolyFamilySeymour* to 73256 from your smart phone.



HELP is only a phone call away

If you have thoughts of suicide or have been involved in self-harm or injury there is National support groups, Suicide support at:

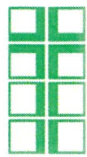
Suicide Help Line 1-800-273-TALK (8255) or www.suicideforum.com

Self-Harm Line 1-800-DONTCUT (800)366-8288 or www.selfinjury.com, info@selfinjury.com

Substance Abuse problem? Prescription Addiction problem?

For help and free confidential information and referrals contact

Tennessee REDLINE at 1-800-889-9789.



Diocesan Safe Environment Requirements:

In addition to all parish employees, ALL volunteers, catechists, choir members, extra ordinary ministers of Holy Communion, ushers, etc. are required by the **Diocese of Knoxville's Safe Environment Policies** to comply with the diocesan Safe Environment program's requirements, which include, consenting to a background check and maintaining a CMG Connect online account. For more information or to register, please visit <https://Knoxville.cmgconnect.org/>

CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF EAST TENNESSEE COUNSELING SERVICES

Counseling is for individuals and couples coping with concerns such as depression, relationship problems, grief, anxiety, and life transition/adjustment issues. Fees are based on a sliding scale, determined by income and other variables. Services are available to clients regardless of religious affiliation. The contact for Knoxville counseling is Fr. Michael Maples, PhD, at **865-314-8870**.



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2725 Asbury Rd. Ste 102

Knoxville, Tn 37914

329-FEET

Holy Ghost Parishioner

Do you have a need for a
Notary?

We have a Notary in the office.

Please stop by during
office hours for all of your
Notary needs.

Macon Memories

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By Appointment

(865)712-8252

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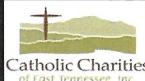
www.etsy.com/shop/neetiques

Procedure for reporting sexual abuse

Involving a bishop: Anyone who has actual knowledge of or reasonable cause to suspect an incident of sexual harassment, abuse, or misconduct by a bishop should report their allegation to ReportBishopAbuse.org or call (800) 276-1562. This reporting service is operated by Convercent, Inc., an independent, third-party entity that provides intake services to private institutions for reports of sensitive topics such as sexual harassment through a secure, confidential and professional platform.

Involving a priest, deacon, religious, or layperson: Anyone who has actual knowledge of or who has reasonable cause to suspect an incident of sexual abuse should report such information to the appropriate civil authorities first, then to the Diocesan Victims' Assistance Coordinator, **Marla Lenihan, 865-482-1388**.

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Pregnancy & Adoption services, including post-abortion counseling, available 24/7/365 by calling 1-877-990-4673

Empowering and protecting the poor and vulnerable through:

Columbus Home Children's Services -Housing for Special Populations-
Outreach to those in Hardship -Counseling & Education.

For information or help, go to www.cctn.org for services

And contact information in your community.

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