



# Holy Family Catholic Church

307 Black Oak Ridge Road  
Seymour, Tennessee 37865

## Diocese of Knoxville

### Office Contacts

**Pastor—Fr. Gilbert M. Diaz**

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**Deacon Gil Campos 865-805-9040**

**Office Manager—Nancy Barbieri 865-573-1203**

**secretary@hollyfamilyseymour.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.**

**1<sup>st</sup> 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**

**865-607-2209, pcchair@hollyfamilyseymour.org**

**Administration**

**Education**

**Misti DeGroot**

**Parish Life**

**Social Action**

**Scott Hosea**

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**Fr. Gilbert Diaz,  
Deacon Dean, Deacon Gil  
Owen Poveda**

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**Family Life**

**Recorder**

**Misti DeGroot**

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**Kathy Taylor**

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**Todd DeGroot**

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**865-573-1203**

**Knights of Columbus - Council #12961**

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### Ministry Contacts

**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**

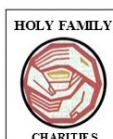
**Mon, Tues, Wed & Thurs—9:00am to 2:00pm**

**PHONE (865) 573-1203 FAX (865) 579-3645**

**Website: [www.hollyfamilyseymour.org](http://www.hollyfamilyseymour.org)**



**MyParishApp: text APP to 88202, enter 37865**



**Holy Family Charities**

**865-573-1203**

**Call for appointment**



## 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Holy Family Collections Report

Registered Families	401
Parishioners	852

### Last Weeks Collections

Regular	\$ 3936.46
Renovate/Repair	\$ 357.00
Charity	\$ 102.00
Online Giving	\$ 631.00



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 18 05:30 PM *The Stackowitz Family* ✠

Sept 19 08:00 AM *People of the Parish*

10:30 AM *Albina Kasilowski* ✠ by M/M Kruk

Sept 20 08:30 AM *Ed Bigelow* ✠ by M/M Ray

Sept 21 08:30 AM *Constance Elizabeth Sager* ✠  
by M/M Bicer

Sept 22 07:00 PM *People of the Parish*

Sept 23 08:30 AM *People of the Parish*

Sept 24 08:30 AM *NO MASS*

Sept 25 05:30 PM *First Responders* (BLUE MASS)

Sept 26 08:00 AM *People of the Parish*

10:30 AM *Carrie Ann McGee* ✠

by M/M Mary Belanger

*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

09/18 Sat: 04:30pm **Choir Practice-FLC**

05:00pm **Rosary-FLC**

09/19 Sun: 09:30am **Choir Practice-FLC**

10:00am **Rosary-FLC**

11:45am **CCD - GL**

04:30pm **Confirmation Class - FLC**

05:45pm **Middle School Youth Group - FLC**

09/20 Mon: 09:00am **Legion of Mary - GL**

09/21 Tues: 09:30am **Crafty Ladies - FLC**

09/22 Wed: 06:30pm **High School Youth Group - FLC**

09/23 Thurs: -----

09/24 Fri: -----

09/25 Sat: 04:30pm **Choir Practice-FLC**

05:00pm **Rosary-FLC**

09/26 Sun: 09:30am **Choir Practice-FLC**

10:00am **Rosary-FLC**

11:45am **CCD - GL**

04:30pm **Confirmation Class - FLC**

05:45pm **Middle School Youth Group - FLC**

### SAINT OF THE WEEK

Don't allow the sad sight of human injustice to sadden your soul; someday you will see the unfailing justice of God triumph over it!

- St. Pio of Pietrelcina (1887-1968) Priest & Stigmatic  
Feast Day September 23

How precious is your mercy, O God! The children of men seek shelter in the shadow of your wings.

Psalm 36 (35):8

### *Next Weeks Readings...*

### **The 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Numbers 11:25-29**

**Psalm 19:8, 10, 12-13, 14**

**James 5:1-6**

**Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48**



In today's Gospel Jesus called the Twelve, and said to them, *"If anyone wishes to be first, he shall be the last of all and the servant of all."* Taking a child, he placed it in their midst, and putting his arms around it, he said to them, *"Whoever receives one child such as this in my name, receives me; and whoever receives me, receives not me but the One who sent me."*

**Your gift to Holy Family Charities will help hungry children feel the arms of Jesus around them.**

## 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



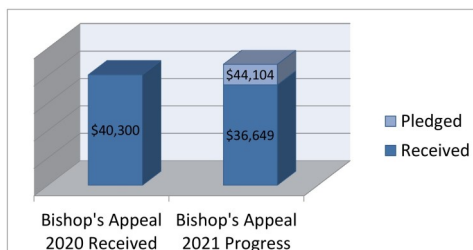
Crafty Ladies Raffle/Bake Sale is coming up **NEXT WEEKEND Sept. 25th & 26th!!** If you can help out by making something for the Bake Sale, please drop off your baked donations **BEFORE** your Mass that weekend. We appreciate your help in making this Raffle/Sale successful. Payments that will accepted at the sale are cash and checks. Make sure to drop all raffle tickets into the box in the Family Life Center before 10:30 Mass next weekend. Good luck to all and come hungry!

The Bishop is hosting an afternoon for adults and children with Special Needs and for their families called, **"Bishop's Very Special Day!"** **Saturday September 25<sup>th</sup>** starting at 2pm at the Cathedral of The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus in Knoxville. There will be games, music, crafts, and the St. Mary's Mobile Clinic. The day will end with a parade before the 5pm Mass. For more information <https://dioknox.org/events/bishops-special-day>



Through Aug 2021

**Parish Goal—\$23,100**



## CCD NEWS

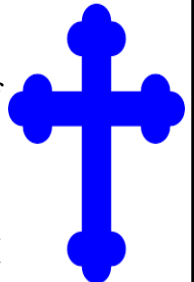
**CCD BEGINS THIS SUNDAY, SEPT. 19TH AT 11:45AM FOR THE 2021-2022 SCHOOL YEAR!**

It is not too late to register, you can still register online or in-person as you bring your child to class on Sunday. Pre-K through 4th Grade classes will meet in the classrooms on the Church's Garden Level, 5th grade will still meet in the FLC. Confirmation class will meet 4:30pm on Sundays followed by Middle School Youth Group at 5:45pm - 7:00pm. High School Youth Group will still meet 6:30 to 8pm every Wednesday.



**Thank you to all the volunteers who helped make this years picnic a HUGE success!!**

The **Blue Mass** will be celebrated next Saturday, September 25th @ 5:30 Mass. A Blue Mass is celebrated annually in the church for those employed in the field of public safety, which includes police officers, firefighters, correction officers and paramedics. If possible, please come to this Mass in uniform to be recognized and receive a special blessing from Father Gilbert.



The **19th Annual St. Joseph School Memorial Golf Tournament** at **Three Ridges Golf Course** will be Friday, October 22nd. Registration & Lunch will be from 11:00am to 12:00, with a shotgun start at 12:00. The cost is \$125 per golfer/\$500 per foursome. There are also \$250, \$500, \$1,000 & \$2,000 sponsorship opportunities. Running a school for the second full year during a global pandemic, makes our job so much more challenging. Never before has the generosity of our community been so vitally important to fulfilling our mission as a Catholic school.

You can Register at [www.sjsknox.org/golf](http://www.sjsknox.org/golf) or Contact Howie Sompayrac at [hsompayrac@sjsknox.org](mailto:hsompayrac@sjsknox.org) for more info.

**\*\*\* 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](http://www.suicideforum.com)**

**Self-Harm Line 1-800-DONCUT (800)366-8288 or**

**[www.selfinjury.com](http://www.selfinjury.com), [info@selfinjury.com](mailto: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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### Foot Clinic Forks of the River

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2725 Asbury Rd. Ste 102

Knoxville, Tn 37914



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### 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](http://www.cctn.org) for services

And contact information in your community.



### Knights of Columbus

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Meeting: First Wednesday of every month,

Following 7:00 p.m. Mass

