



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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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

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
Tom Miklusicak
Peggy Bartram
Kathy Taylor

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Coordinator of Religious Ed/CCD

Todd DeGroot 865-719-8744
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Knights of Columbus - Council #12961

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Liturgy Committee Secretary

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Extraordinary Ministers Of Holy Communion

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Ushers

Juan Rivera 865-850-5229

Altar Servers

Deacon Dean Burry 865-579-9196

Music/Choir— Kris Rucinski

865-232-4636

Office Information

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

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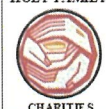
Website: www.holymfamilyseymour.org



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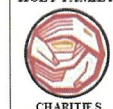


Holy Family Charities

865-573-1203

Call for appointment

HOLY FAMILY



Holy Family Collections Report

Registered Families	403
Parishioners	854

Last Weeks Collections

Regular	\$ 5408.00
Renovate/Repair	\$ 404.00
Charity	\$ 280.00
Online Giving	\$ 1686.00



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,
Pam Hultstrand, 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

- Nov 13** 05:30 PM *Connie Sager* † by Luci Carleton
Nov 14 08:00 AM *John F. Gazdziak* † by Mary Ann Wojda
 10:30 AM *People of the Parish*
Nov 15 08:30 AM *Ed Bigelow* † by M/M Ray
Nov 16 08:30 AM *Carol Clinger* † by M/M Bicer
Nov 17 07:00 PM *Repose of the Souls of the Deceased*
Legion of Mary Members
Nov 18 08:30 AM *Jennifer Watson* by M/M Bartram
Nov 19 08:30 AM *NO MASS*
Nov 20 05:30 PM *People of the Parish*
Nov 21 08:00 AM *Cliff & Betty Bicer* † by M/M Bicer
 10:30 AM *Victor Whelan* † by K of C 12961
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

- 11/13 Sat: 04:30pm **Choir Practice-FLC**
 05:00pm **Rosary-FLC**
 11/14 Sun: 09:30am **Choir Practice-FLC**
 10:00am **Rosary-FLC**
 11:45am **CCD - GL**
 04:30pm **Confirmation Class - FLC**
 05:45pm **Middle School Youth - FLC**
 11/15 Mon: 09:00am **Legion of Mary - GL**
 07:00pm **Parish Council Meeting - FLC**
 11/16 Tues: 09:30am **Crafty Ladies - FLC**
 11/17 Wed: 06:30pm **High School Youth Group - FLC**
 11/18 Thurs: —————
 11/19 Fri: 09:00am **Adoration - C**
 11/20 Sat: 04:30pm **Choir Practice-FLC**
 05:00pm **Rosary-FLC**
 11/21 Sun: 09:30am **Choir Practice-FLC**
 10:00am **Rosary-FLC**
 11:45am **NO CCD - GL**
 04:30pm **NO Confirmation Class - FLC**
 05:45pm **NO Middle School Youth - FLC**

SAINT OF THE WEEK

It is by the path of love, which is charity, that God draws near to man, and man to God. But where charity is not found, God cannot dwell. If, then, we possess charity, we possess God, for "God is Charity" (1John 4:8)

- St. Albert the Great (1200-1280)
 Dominican, Church Doctor
 Feast Day November 15

Next Weeks Readings...

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Daniel 7:13-14
 Psalm 93:1, 1-2, 5
 Revelation 1:5-8
 John 18:33b-37

Ho...Ho...Ho... Merry Christmas boys and girls!

That expression can only mean one thing. Yes, it's time for . . .

Breakfast with Santa Claus



When: **SATURDAY, December 11th** @ 11:00AM

Where: in the **Family Life Center**

Who: **Everyone** is welcome!

Menu: **Pancakes and Sausage Breakfast** with maple syrup, juices, milk and coffee.

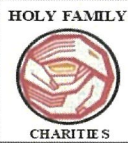
There will be Christmas crafts and gifts for the kids

**** Please let the office know if you plan on attending, so we can make enough ****

**** pancakes. Call 573-1203 or email cre@holyfamilyseymour.org to RSVP ****

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The Gospel predicts end times; our challenge though is to live faithfully now. When we live in conformity to the Word, hearing Jesus' words and living them out, the future holds no fear for us.

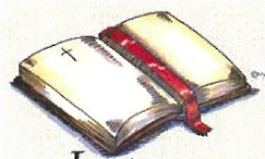
As you place your gift in the Holy Family Charities poor box, know that you are hearing the words of Jesus and living them out.

Coats for Kids

The Knights of Columbus Council 12961 annual Coats for Kids drive has begun. This is a coat collection that will be donated to CROSS and they will distribute the coats to kids in need of warm jackets when the cold winter temperatures finally hit us. Please place CLEAN coats in the bin near the confessional in the church no later than Sunday, November 21st. Thank you in advance for your generosity!



If you will be a Lector during the upcoming Liturgical Year, please get your copy of the Lectors Workbook from the Conference Room in the FLC.



Lectors



**C.R.O.S.S. November Request:
PAPER NAPKINS**

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**.

Daily Mass Inclement Weather

During inclement weather, if the local roads are clear, there will be daily Mass—regardless of local school closings. Please use caution and good judgement when traveling to church. We want safety first!



2021 Catholic School Raffle

Tickets are now available. This year there are \$27,000 in cash prizes with the grand prize being \$5000!

Tickets available through Dec. 29, 2021 with the drawing on Jan. 11, 2022. To purchase tickets please go to <https://dokschoools.org/raffle/>

**Next Sunday, November 21st
at the 10:30 Mass will be
Confirmation with the Bishop**



If at all possible, please try to attend one of the other weekend Masses to allow for the families of the Confirmandi to attend their child's special day!

Please keep this year's Confirmandi in your prayers:

**Emily Bryant
Benjamin DeGroot
Mya LaCroix
Evan Mobbs**

**Rogan Davis
Lauralai DeGroot
Charlie McNamara
Delana Pritchard**

John-Michael Quinter

**Thanksgiving Day Mass
(Thursday, November 25)
will be at 9:00 am**



**There will be no Mass on
Wednesday, November 24th**

**The parish office will be closing early
on Wednesday, November 24 and
will reopen Monday, November 29.**

Please plan accordingly if you need to contact us.



#iGIVECATHOLIC

We all know Black Friday is the day after Thanksgiving, then comes Small Business Saturday, followed by Cyber Monday and finally **Giving Tuesday**. This year for Giving Tuesday, Holy Family Parish, is joining with other parishes in the diocese and across the country and becoming part of the **iGiveCatholic** movement. iGiveCatholic inspires faithful stewards to "Give Catholic" on Giving Tuesday, a global day of generosity and kindness. The mission of iGiveCatholic is to unite Catholic communities and donors throughout the country to give back in support of the organizations that have always been there for them. So we are starting small, looking to fundraise \$4000 for **4 heavy-duty picnic tables** for the pavilion. The link to our donation page is on the parish website, but donations can also be given directly to the office. And, even if you can't donate, please share our campaign with all your friends & family across social media. Early giving **STARTS MONDAY, NOV. 15** with Giving Tuesday on November 30!

***** 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**.

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.

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329-FEET

Holy Ghost Parishioner

**Do you have a need for a
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office hours for all of your
Notary needs.**

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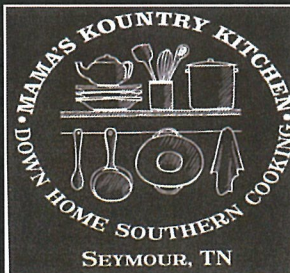
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