



Holy Family Catholic Church

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Diocese of Knoxville

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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-4:00pm & Benediction 4:00pm

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
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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

Misti DeGroot

Advisor

Daniel Warrensford

Mica Bentley

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Peggy Bartram

Kathy Taylor

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Coordinator of Religious Ed/CCD

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Knights of Columbus - Council #12961

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Deacon Dean Burry

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Juan Rivera

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Deacon Dean Burry

865-579-9196

Music/Choir— Kris Rucinski

865-232-4636

Office Information

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

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

Website: www.holyfamilyseymour.org



MyParishApp: text APP to 88202, enter 37865



Holy Family Charities

865-573-1203

Call for appointment



Third Sunday of Easter

Holy Family Collections Report

Registered Families	422
Parishioners	882

Last Weeks Collections

Regular	\$ 3609.44
Renovate/Repair	\$ 148.00
Charity	\$ 290.00
Online Giving	\$ 766.00
Easter	\$ 295.00



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



Lyman Blanton, Rudy Croft, Roseanne Durham, Len Fraser,
Bill Voit, Bruce & Robin Gaps, Warren Hager, Donna Haskett,
Peggy Hood, Denise & Donald Graph, Pam Hultstrand, Judy Collins,
Dorothy Jenkins, Tim Manna, Maggie Maurer, Aryn McAndrews,
Jeanette Ormazabal, Bill Shipstad, Steve Smith, 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.



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

Apr 30	05:30 PM	Charlotte Bartram (D)	by M/M Bicer
May 01	08:00 AM	Don & Fran King (D)	by Miklusicak Family
	10:30 AM	People of the Parish	
May 02	08:30 AM	People of the Parish	
May 03	08:30 AM	People of the Parish	
May 04	07:00 PM	People of the Parish	
May 05	08:30 AM	People of the Parish	
May 06	08:30 AM	People of the Parish	
May 07	05:30 PM	People of the Parish	
May 08	08:00 AM	Dale Barndt (D)	by Family
	10:30 AM	People of the Parish	

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

According to Cannon Law 901, a priest is free to apply the Mass to anyone living or deceased, however the person must be named.

(D) Deceased (L) Living

Parish Calendar

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

04/30 Sat:	06:30pm	Choir Practice-C
	07:00pm	Rosary-C
05/01 Sun:	09:30am	Choir Practice-C
	10:00am	Rosary-C
	11:45am	CCD (preK-5)- GL
	05:45pm	NO Middle School Youth - FLC
05/02 Mon:	09:00am	Legion of Mary - GL
	06:00pm	Finance Committee- FLC
05/03 Tues:	09:30am	Crafty Ladies - FLC
05/04 Wed:	06:30pm	High School Youth - FLC
05/05 Thurs:		
05/06 Fri:	09:00am	Adoration - C
05/07 Sat:	06:30pm	Choir Practice-C
	07:00pm	Rosary-C
05/08 Sun:	09:30am	Choir Practice-C
	10:00am	Rosary-C
	11:45am	CCD (preK-5)- GL
	05:45pm	Middle School Youth - FLC

SAINT OF THE WEEK

On one side, I saw the Lord calling me; on the other the world offering e its seducing charms and pleasures. How often did I embrace and reject, willed and not willed the same thing! But in the end Jesus Christ triumphed in me.

St. Hilary of Arles (401-449) - Feast Day is May 5

The disciples recognized the Lord Jesus in the breaking of the bread, alleluia.

Luke 24:35

Next Weeks Readings...

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Acts of the Apostles 13:14, 43-52

Psalm 100:1-2, 3, 5

Revelation 7:9, 14b-17

John 10:27-30



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May 1, 2022

My Dear Friends in Christ,

It is with profound gratitude that I wish to express how thankful I am for your generosity. As of today, you have given a total of \$54,530.77 towards the 5 ft. Granite Statue of the Holy Family that is to be placed on the left front side of the church in the garden in front of the confessional window. We have surpassed our goal of \$38,075.00.

There is so much to be thankful for during this Easter season, and I especially want to thank you for the success of our fundraiser.

This past week we finally received the blueprint and layout for the foundation of the statue. We are in the process of reviewing and confirming the documents, when approved the monument company will begin the carving process.

Thank you again for your generosity.

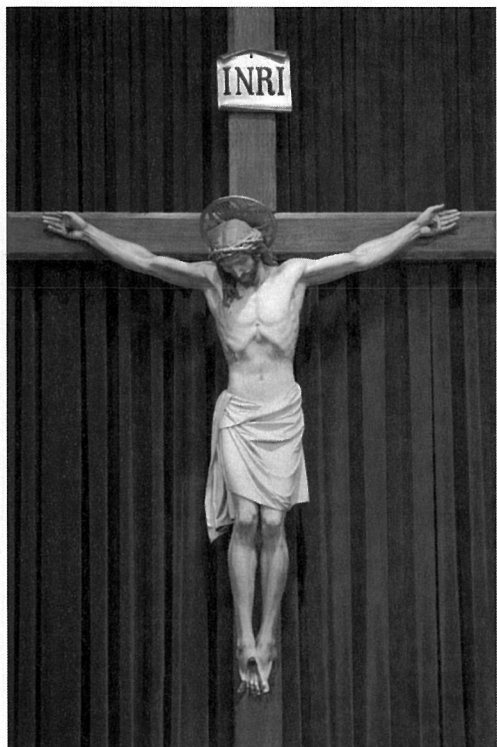
Sincerely in Christ,

Rev. Gilbert M. Diaz

Pastor

THANK YOU

for your commitment to the **Bishop's Appeal for Ministries!**



Through your generosity, you're spreading the Good News of Jesus Christ and providing essential ministries, programs, and services throughout East Tennessee each and every day.

You continue to love your neighbor as yourself and truly care for those around you in the communities where you live, work, and pray, and we cannot say THANK YOU enough!

We're proud of the number of families and individuals we've been able to serve this past year – thanks to the incredible support provided by the **Bishop's Appeal for Ministries**, which raised more than \$2.9 million in 2021 – a new record!

For the 9th year in a row, we continue to expand our outreach efforts through Christian formation and religious education, the St. Mary's Mobile Medical Clinic, seminarian education, youth and young adult ministry, and Catholic Charities.

***Thank you for giving so much and for serving
as the face of Jesus for those around you!***



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Scan here to learn
more about the
**Bishop's Appeal
for Ministries**





In this Sunday's Gospel, the disciples in their struggle finally recognize Jesus and proclaim, "It is the Lord!"

Have you considered answering the call to "help the poor recognize the Lord in their life" by supporting Holy Family Charities?



C.R.O.S.S. Donation Request for MAY

Something for Mom

Please help make some mother feel very special this mother's day with a unique C.R.O.S.S. donation. I am requesting a simple gift for ladies. (E.g. a small potted plant, cologne, perfume, a box of candy, etc.) Donate any item that you think a woman would like to have; but, would not normally purchase for herself. If you have a suitable gift bag at home for the item, that's great. But if you do not have a gift bag, no problem - CROSS will take care of the gift bag. As always, please continue saving your shopping bags for CROSS. **THANK YOU!**

Weekly Parish Offering Envelopes

Coming this July, we will be transitioning from bi-monthly mailing of envelopes to a yearly box pick-up. *If you currently receive envelopes and everything is correct and up to date, you do not need to do anything.* However, if you need to make changes to your address, don't want envelopes anymore or are currently not receiving envelopes and would like to - please contact the office (573-1203) and let them know of your updates before NEXT WEEKEND!



Please be mindful of others when applying perfume, cologne, or any scented items before coming to Mass. There are many parishioners who have sensitivities to strong scents that cause migraines or other allergic reactions. Remember the old adage that 'a little goes a long way' while preparing to go to church.

TRIVIA ANSWER

Using the newer, Gregorian calendar, our Easter is always the first Sunday after the first full moon that falls on or after the spring equinox.

However, the Orthodox church still calculates using the older Julian Calendar. They set Easter to take place following the first full moon after Passover. Orthodox Easter always falls after the Jewish celebration of Passover, because, according to the New Testament, the crucifixion and resurrection of Christ took place after he entered Jerusalem to celebrate Passover. In 2022, Orthodox Easter fell on April 24.

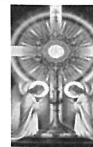


EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

1st Friday of each month

May 6, 2022 - 9:00 am

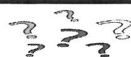
4:00pm Benediction



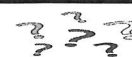
"Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is the easiest person in the world to be with. Even if you cannot pray very well, or if you do not even say anything at all, the fact that you come to Him in Adoration is, in itself, a prayer that will greatly benefit your soul." St. Pope John Paul II

**** THERE IS A SIGN UP SHEET IN THE VESTIBULE ****

Next Adoration will be September 2, 2022



TRIVIA



Why is Orthodox Easter celebrated on a different date than in the Roman church?

CROSS is in need of a few volunteers for their Thrift Store. The shifts include Wednesdays (2 hours am / 2 hours pm) and 1-2 Saturdays/month from 9-1. If you are able to help (or return as a volunteer) - Please contact Doug Daniel @ 865.579.6192.

If you or a close family member is sick, in the hospital or in need of a priest, please contact the office at 573-1203 to keep the parish/Father up to date. This is the only way we can add your loved one to the prayer chain, set up a hospital visit or arrange for Communion to be brought to them.

Please note that in accordance with HIPPA laws only an immediate family member can request services on behalf of the sick.



Happy Anniversary



David & Judy Rafferty	May 03 rd	53yrs
David & Chris Behrens	May 03 rd	42yrs
Robert & Jean Augente	May 05 th	21yrs
Lyman & Samantha Blanton	May 09th	40yrs
Peter & Jacqueline Rutkowski	May 19 th	32yrs
Michael & Marilu Nelson	May 20 th	34yrs
Deacon Dean & Karen Burry	May 21st	40yrs
Tom & Dawn Glenn	May 22 nd	29yrs
Daniel & Kara Warrensford	May 22 nd	24yrs
Gary & Jane Kramp	May 23 rd	36yrs
Mark & Myra Pillon	May 24 th	13yrs
Bill & Barbara Voight	May 28 th	39yrs

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.



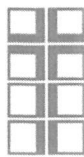
HELP is only a phone call away

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.

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, 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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