



## HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### MASS TIMES:

Saturday Vigil Mass	5pm
Sunday	7:30, 9 & 11am
Weekday and Saturday Rosary	8am 7:30am

### EXPOSITION AND BENEDICTION:

Saturday 3:30-4:45pm  
Friday Divine Mercy Chaplet *after 8am Mass*

### CONFESSIONS:

Saturday 3:30-5:30pm  
Sunday 8:30-10am  
Monday, Wednesday, Friday 7:30-7:50am  
*If only one priest is available, confessions will end 10 minutes before Mass begins.*

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Friday 9am - 4:30pm



HOLY FAMILY  
ACADEMY

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## December 4, 2022 Second Sunday of Advent



Matthew 3:1

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John the Baptist appeared, preaching in the desert of Judea and saying,  
"Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand!"

### TODAY AT HOLY FAMILY

#### "SUGAR PLUM DAYS" FUNDRAISER FOR SANCTUARY

**SATURDAY, DEC. 3, NOON-7PM / SUNDAY, DEC. 4, 8AM-1PM**

Enjoy fresh warm food: homemade Chili on Saturday and sweet rolls on Sunday then shop the Dollar Store, the Gift Gallery, Fleece Tied Blankets, and the Bake Sale for St. Nicholas day gifts. *New this year* is a Children's Shopping area, where a child, assisted by a teenager, shops crafted items for their parent, grandparent, or siblings. Please plan to join in the fun and support this event. This annual fundraiser supports the upkeep of our beautiful altar at Holy Family and is sponsored by the Altar & Rosary Society.

#### CONCERT OF HANDEL'S *MESSIAH*

**SUNDAY, DEC. 4, 3PM**

Holy Family's Sacred Music Department presents portions of Handel's *MESSIAH*, performed by the Sobieski Chamber Orchestra (members of the Minnesota & St. Paul Chamber orchestras) and our own combined choirs. Make sure to invite your family and friends and start an annual family tradition. General admission is \$10, *NEW* Student tickets are \$5 and VIP tickets are \$25. Tickets may be purchased at the door. Doors open at 2:30pm. Reception to follow.

### SUPPORT HOLY FAMILY

#### DONATE TO HOLY FAMILY

If you are a visitor to our parish (or not yet signed up for electronic giving), you can easily make donations by using this QR code. You may also place cash/check donations in the basket passed by ushers during Mass.



#### SECOND COLLECTION: ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY

Today's second collection will be for the Altar & Rosary Society. The Altar & Rosary Society handles the upkeep and care of our beautiful sanctuary, adoration chapel and sacristy, as well as many other ministries in our parish.

# ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR THE SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

## ARCHDIOCESAN PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

*Please join in saying the Archdiocesan Prayer for Vocations, found on the inside back cover of the Lumen Christi Missal.*

## THE INTRODUCTORY RITES

### PROCESSIONAL HYMN

*Saint Michael Hymnal*

**556 Hark! A Herald Voice is Calling**

MERTON

### INTROIT (9:00)

*Gregorian chant, mode VII*

Populus Sion, ecce Dominus veniet ad salvandas gentes: et audiam faciet Dominus gloriam vocis suae, in laetitia cordis vestri. *Ps.* Qui regis Israel, intende: qui deducis velut ovem Ioseph.

*O people of Zion, behold, the Lord will come to save the nations, and the Lord will make the glory of His voice heard in the joy of your heart. ✠ O Shepherd of Israel hear us, you who lead Joseph like a flock!*

*Isaiah 30:19.30, Psalm 79:2*

### GREETING

*Celebrant:* In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

*R.* Amen.

*Celebrant:* The Lord be with you.

*R.* And with your spirit.

### PENITENTIAL RITE

#### KYRIE

*Mass XVII*

VI

**K** Y-ri e \* e- lé- i-son. *bis* Christe e-

lé- i-son. *bis* Ký-ri e e- lé- i-son. Ký-ri-

e \* \*\* e- lé- i-son.

### COLLECT

## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

*Lumen Christi Missal - p. 12 ([readings online](#))*

### FIRST READING

*Isaiah 11:1-10*

### RESPONSORIAL PSALM

*Psalm 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17*

*Cantor or Choir, then all*

*Jeffrey Ostrowski*

Jus - tice shall flour - ish in his time, and

full - ness of peace — for ev - er.

### SECOND READING

*Romans 15:4-9*

### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

*Cantor or Choir, then all*

*Luke 3:4,6*

Al - le - lu - ia,

Al - le - lu - ia.

### GOSPEL

*Matthew 3:1-12*

*Deacon:* The Lord be with you.

*R.* And with your spirit.

*Deacon:* A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Luke.

*R.* Glory to you, O Lord.

*At the conclusion of the Gospel:*

*Deacon:* The Gospel of the Lord.

*R.* Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

### HOMILY

### PROFESSION OF FAITH

**R.** I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation, he came down from heaven,

*(All bow while saying:)*

*and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.*

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.

I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

# THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

## PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR AND OBLATION

### OFFERTORY MOTET

(9:00 & 11:00)

*Deus Tu Convertens*

Josef Rheinberger (1839 - 1901)

Turn your will toward us, O God, and restore our life again, and Your people will rejoice in You.

*Psalm 24:1-3*

### OFFERTORY CHANT (9:00) Gregorian chant, mode III

Deus tu convertens vivificabis nos, et plebs tua laetabitur in te. Ostende nobis, Domine, misericordiam tuam, et salutare tuum da nobis.

Turn your will toward us, O God, and restore our life again, and Your people will rejoice in You. Show us, Lord, Your mercy and grant us Your salvation.

*Psalm 84:7-8*

### INVITATION TO PRAYER

*Celebrant:* Pray, brethren, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

*R.* May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

### PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

#### PREFACE DIALOGUE

*Celebrant:* The Lord be with you.

*R.* And with your spirit.

*Celebrant:* Lift up your hearts.

*R.* We lift them up to the Lord.

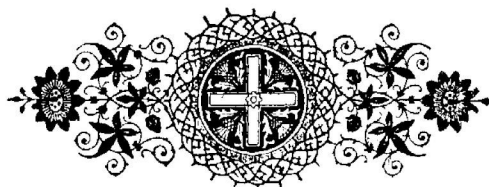
*Celebrant:* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*R.* It is right and just.

### SANCTUS

Mass XVIII 'Deus Genitor Alme'

**S** Anctus, \* Sanctus, Sanctus Dóminus De-us Sá-  
ba-oth. Ple-ni sunt caeli et terra gló-ri-a tu-a. Ho-sánna  
in excélsis. Be-ne-díctus qui ve-nit in nómine Dómi-ni.  
Ho-sánna in excélsis



### MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

*Celebrant:* The mystery of faith.

*R.* We pro-claim your death, O Lord, and pro-fess  
your Res-ur-rec-tion un-til you come a-gain.

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

#### SIGN OF PEACE

*Celebrant:* The peace of the Lord be with you always.

*R.* And with your spirit.

### AGNUS DEI

Mass XVIII 'Deus Genitor Alme'

**A** -gnus De-i, \* qui tol-lis peccá-ta mundi : mi-se-  
ré-re no-bis. Agnus De-i, \* qui tol-lis peccá-ta mundi :  
mi-se-ré-re no-bis. Agnus De-i, \* qui tol-lis peccá-ta mun-  
di : do-na no-bis pa-cem.

### ECCE AGNUS DEI

*Celebrant:* Behold the Lamb of God; behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

*R.* Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

### HOLY COMMUNION

We invite actively practicing Catholics who are properly disposed to come forward to receive Holy Communion. Our brothers and sisters of other faiths are invited to approach with arms crossed over the chest to receive a blessing. At Holy Family, we receive Holy Communion under both species on the tongue. If you prefer to receive the Host alone on the hand, please have your hands clearly out before you approach.



## COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Gregorian chant, mode II

Jerusalem surge, et sta in excelso: et vide iucunditatem, quae veniet tibi a Deo tuo.

*Jerusalem, arise and stand upon the heights, and behold the joy which comes to you from God.*

*Baruch 5:5; 4:36*

## COMMUNION MOTET

(9:00 & 11:00)

*Jerusalem Surge*

Giovanni Battista Martini (1706 - 1784)

*Jerusalem, arise and stand upon the heights, and behold the joy which comes to you from God.*

*Baruch 5:5; 4:36*

## CLOSING HYMN

699 *On Jordan's Bank*

*Saint Michael Hymnal*

WINCHESTER NEW

We pray together a **Hail Mary** for whichever parishioner is the next to be called from this life. We conclude by praying the **Saint Michael the Archangel Prayer**.

**Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee; blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death. Amen.**

**Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray. And do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world, seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.**

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## STAY CONNECTED

Get updates through Holy Family's communication tool, Flocknote. You'll get weekly updates from the parish, as well as any timely updates from the groups you join (e.g. Adorers of the Blessed Sacrament, Youth Group, etc...).



### JOIN FLOCKNOTE:

1. Visit [www.flocknote.com/HFC-](http://www.flocknote.com/HFC-) or -Text HFCMN to 84576
2. Fill in your information and join those groups that pertain to you. Please be sure to join the group representing your regional neighborhood.
3. You can log in anytime to change what groups you follow!

### FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK!

"Like" Holy Family on Facebook to get our news, upcoming events, and updates on Catholic topics around the archdiocese! For the church, click the "f" icon in the upper right corner of the website header at [www.hfcmn.org](http://www.hfcmn.org). For HFA, click the "f" icon (same location) at [www.hfamn.org](http://www.hfamn.org).

## FROM THE PARISH OFFICE

### SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION *Holy Day of Obligation*

**5PM VIGIL MASS  
WEDNESDAY, DEC. 7<sup>TH</sup>**

**8AM & 7PM MASS  
THURSDAY, DEC. 8<sup>TH</sup>**



*We ask for the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary under the title by which we honor her as patroness of our nation. Like with Mary, God desires to give us many graces!*

### HEARING IMPAIRED?

We have an app for that—Listen Everywhere. Please see an usher to access our guest WiFi and then scan this QR code to access the amplification site. You can download the app at home ahead of time. See our website for detailed instructions.



## HERE AT HOLY FAMILY



### MEN OF GOD EVENT FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9<sup>TH</sup>

6:30pm Rosary  
7pm Dinner & Talk by Paul Archambault

Paul Archambault is a local businessman who started in the trades as an electrician and then founded his own company, Stinson Electric. He runs his growing business with two of his children. Paul serves on the board of a number of charitable organizations. He lives his faith in a practical manner and his talk will be: "A handyman's guide to living the faith." Join us for an inspiring "tune-up" in how you see your faith in daily life as well as for fellowship with other men of the parish. Please go to our website [www.hfcmn.org](http://www.hfcmn.org) to RSVP by Friday, Dec. 9<sup>th</sup> at noon.

## WELCOME!

*Please welcome our New Members:*      *Please congratulate the newly baptized:*

**Andrew Vavra**

**Joseph Boeser**

**Grace Carson**

**Joseph & Angel Koob Family**

**Juliana Karels**

**Brian Dugan**

**Paul Raguet**

**Kelsey Mullen**

**Sophia Sonnen**

*(daughter of Andrew & Leslie Sonnen)*

**Mason Vavra**

*(son of Andrew Vavra & Allison Carolan)*

**Azelie Hermanson**

*(daughter of Adam & Annie Hermanson)*

## HOLY FAMILY ACADEMY

### NOW ACCEPTING NEW STUDENT APPLICATIONS FOR THE 23-24 SCHOOL YEAR

Truth, Goodness and Beauty: the hallmarks of a Catholic education that never go out of style! We want to encourage anyone who is thinking of sending their new student to HFA to get an application in so we are aware of their interest.

- ◆ Daily Mass
- ◆ Virtue Formation
- ◆ Joyful, Spiritual, Intellectual, Rigorous Classical Curriculum K-8
- ◆ Montessori Pre-K

For more information on registration, please contact Theresa Kruger, Headmaster at HFA 952.925.9193 or go to the website [www.hfamn.org](http://www.hfamn.org).



## LOOKING AHEAD...

### CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS EVE PAGEANT

All children of the parish, ages 5-12, are welcome to participate in our Children's Christmas Pageant at the **4pm Christmas Eve Mass**.

There will be a rehearsal on **Saturday, December 17<sup>th</sup>** from 9-10am. Costumes available. Bring your own if you have one.

Drawing for the main characters: Joseph, Mary, Head Angel, and Star will be on December 17<sup>th</sup>. These characters are required to be in attendance at this rehearsal. Questions: Katie Norton (952.221.9413) [katie@nortoncrew.com](mailto:katie@nortoncrew.com) or Marilyn Grutsch (952.240.6191) [grutsch@usfamily.net](mailto:grutsch@usfamily.net).



## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Holy Family began perpetual Eucharistic Adoration in 1992. This around-the-clock vigil with Jesus, truly present in the Eucharist, takes the commitment of many parishioners. It pours out abundant blessings on our parish and in the individual lives of our parishioners.

To help with scheduling we use the WeAdoreHim platform. Please go to our website to set up an account as a regular adorer, as a substitute, or to access your account to request a substitute.

If you are interested in learning more or have questions, please contact our Adoration Coordinator, Mike Zwack, at 612.710.5007.



*Currently, the times of greatest need are :*

#### Sundays:

**Midnight-1am**

#### Wednesdays:

**6-7am**

**11am -Noon**

**4-5pm**

**5-6pm**

#### Thursdays:

**1-2am**

**9-10pm**

#### Fridays:

**3-4am**

#### Saturdays:

**2-3am**

**4-5am**

*We **urgently** need adorers to fill the times in red.*

## INTERCESSIONS

*Please pray for:*

**Joan Emlogg †**

**Thomas Vavrick †**

**Laura Schroeder**

**Linda Donahue**

**Helen Menke**

**Annie Hullett (aunt of Irene Ohrbom)**

**Jacob Dillon**

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To request prayers, go to [www.hfcmn.org/prayer-requests](http://www.hfcmn.org/prayer-requests), or call the parish office 952.929.0113. Submitted prayer intentions will be shared via "Prayer Partners" Flocknote messages and the bulletin for one week per request.

## SUNDAY STEWARDSHIP

### CONTRIBUTIONS FOR WEEKEND OF NOVEMBER 19-20, 2022

Member Envelopes	\$ 15,457.00
Online Giving	\$ 15,906.00
Plate	\$ 753.51
<b>Total Contributions</b>	<b>\$ 32,116.81</b>

Second Collection:  
**CARE Fund \$ 711.28**

### CONTRIBUTIONS FOR WEEKEND OF NOVEMBER 26-27, 2022

Member Envelopes	\$ 7,618.00
Online Giving	\$ 10,188.05
Plate	\$ 941.26
<b>Total Contributions</b>	<b>\$ 18,747.31</b>

Second Collection:  
**CARE Fund \$ 480.50**

**Thank you for your generosity!**

Next week's Second Collection will benefit:  
**CARE Fund**

### STEWARDSHIP NOTE:

Even when the second collection goes to another organization, please fill out all checks to "Holy Family Catholic Church" with the name of the second collection on the memo line; the church then is able to write one check to the organization.

### NOTICE ABOUT STOCK DONATIONS

Some people generously donate to the normal parish operations by selling stock. Please be advised that your brokerage firm may not automatically inform Holy Family about the identity of the donor or the purpose of the gift. The best course is always to inform Dave Thornton at 952.999.4889 that you intend to make a stock donation and let us know who will be contacting us, so we can properly identify and acknowledge your contribution. Many thanks for your generosity!

## ALTAR FLOWERS SPONSORSHIP

### SOLEMNITY & FEAST DAY ALTAR FLOWER SPONSORSHIP

Enhance the liturgical environment of the altar by sponsoring floral arrangements. A list of solemnities and feasts is available online, go to [www.hfcmn.org/donate](http://www.hfcmn.org/donate), then select "Altar Flowers". After choosing the feast or solemnity, please go to the payment page, [www.hfcmn.org/pay-altar-flowers](http://www.hfcmn.org/pay-altar-flowers). If you have questions please contact Ann at [Ann.Karels@hfcmn.org](mailto:Ann.Karels@hfcmn.org).

## VOCATIONS CORNER

### TRAVELING CHALICE PROGRAM

Pray for the larger church community and encourage vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life within your own home. Go to our website to sign up: [www.hfcmn.org/vocations-chalice](http://www.hfcmn.org/vocations-chalice). Contact Mary Hagen at 952.913.0216 if you have any questions. Thank you for praying for vocations!

**Dec. 4 The Ryan Dobie Family**  
**Dec. 11 The Brian Mahon Family**  
**Dec. 18 The Tom Burns Family**

## FORMED.ORG

Gain free access to Catholic movies, books, audio recordings and more, by registering at [www.hfcmn.org/access-formed](http://www.hfcmn.org/access-formed).

This week's recommendation:

### ADVENTUS: A SPIRITUAL PILGRIMAGE

On behalf of the Augustine Institute, we are offering Adventus: A Spiritual Pilgrimage to everyone this Advent and Christmas Season. In light of the separation we face as communities, this special documentary allows Catholics all around the world to unite and make a spiritual pilgrimage to the Holy Land to see the places associated with Christ's Birth.



## AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

### ARCHBISHOP HEBDA RELEASES THE SYNOD PASTORAL LETTER

After three years of listening, preparation and engagement with laity, consecrated women and men, and clergy across the archdiocese, Archbishop Hebda released a pastoral letter in November 2022, outlining his vision and the Synod priorities for our local church. Read the letter now at [www.archspm.org/synodletter](http://www.archspm.org/synodletter) or use this QR code to access it.



## MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. Dec. 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Rich Jacobson †	5:00pm
Sun. Dec. 4 <sup>th</sup>	T.J. Madden †	7:30am
Sun. Dec. 4 <sup>th</sup>	For the Parish	9:00am
Sun. Dec. 4 <sup>th</sup>	Jack Kruse †	11:00am
Mon. Dec. 5 <sup>th</sup>	All the Souls in Purgatory †	8:00am
Tues. Dec. 6 <sup>th</sup>	James † & Marcella † Samuelson	8:00am
Wed. Dec. 7 <sup>th</sup>	Robert Galarneault †	8:00am
Wed. Dec. 7 <sup>th</sup>	Joan Emlong †	5:00pm
Thurs. Dec. 8 <sup>th</sup>	Gwenne Marie Gohman	8:00am
Thurs. Dec. 8 <sup>th</sup>	Tom Vavrick †	7:00pm
Fri. Dec. 9 <sup>th</sup>	David Zins †	8:00am
Sat. Dec. 10 <sup>th</sup>	Celebrant's Intention	8:00am
Sat. Dec. 10 <sup>th</sup>	David McCarthy †	5:00pm
Sun. Dec. 11 <sup>th</sup>	All the Souls in Purgatory †	7:30am
Sun. Dec. 11 <sup>th</sup>	Jim † & Rose † Holt	9:00am
Sun. Dec. 11 <sup>th</sup>	For the Parish	11:00am



## ADVENT AT HOLY FAMILY

Below are some opportunities to prepare your heart and share joy this Advent season here at Holy Family.

### SPECIAL EVENTS:

#### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11<sup>TH</sup>

##### PRELUDE TO 11AM MASS

At 10:30am the *Cappella* group from the University of Mary, will treat parishioners with a prelude of sacred music in the church.

##### BLESSING OF THE BAMBINELLI

At the 11am Mass, bring the Baby Jesus figurine from your nativity scene for the blessing of the Bambinelli.

##### OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE FIESTA

You are invited to traditional festivities in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe. After the 11am Mass, we will enjoy a Mexican Fiesta downstairs (free-will offering). An RSVP is requested for planning food. Please sign up at [www.hfcmn.org](http://www.hfcmn.org), by Wednesday, Dec. 7.



#### WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14<sup>TH</sup>

##### SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please join us immediately after the 8am Mass, as we celebrate the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. The first graces of this Sacrament are of strengthening, peace and courage to overcome the condition of serious illness or the frailty of old age. The assistance from the Lord, by the power of his Spirit is meant to lead the person to healing of the soul, and also of the body, if such is God's will.

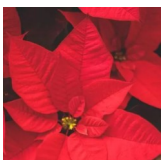
##### PARISH ADVENT CONFESSION NIGHT

We will have several priests hearing private confessions from 7-9pm. Make this a priority in preparations this Advent!

### SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES:

#### ADVENT ANGELS

We know of a number of people who are not able to afford to buy Christmas gifts for their families. If you would like to help them in this season of giving and become an Advent Angel, now is your chance! You can purchase for a single person or commit to an entire family. To participate go to our website [www.hfcmn.org](http://www.hfcmn.org) and click on the news item of Advent Angels. Please direct any questions to the email [adventangels@hfcmn.org](mailto:adventangels@hfcmn.org). Thank you for your generosity!



#### DONATE A POINSETTIA

You are invited to help defray the cost of decorating the Sanctuary this Christmas by donating a beautiful Poinsettia plant. The cost per plant is \$15.00. For your convenience, there is an envelope in your Church envelope packet labeled "Christmas Flower Offering" which can be placed in Sunday collection basket or go online to [www.hfcmn.org/donate-poinsettia](http://www.hfcmn.org/donate-poinsettia). Thank you!

#### PREPARING THE SANCTUARY FOR CHRISTMAS

It will soon be time to decorate the Church for Christmas, so please check your calendars in advance and schedule in a bit of time to help. On **Monday, December 19<sup>th</sup>**, we will put up ALL the trees, large and small! Many hands are needed to shape the trees and put the lights on (*men, you are particularly needed!*) Please meet in Fr. Moorman Hall after the 8am Mass (*adults only please, due to the nature of the work.*) On **Friday, December 23<sup>rd</sup>**, we will finish the remaining decorating: wreaths, banners, and poinsettias. Thank you for your time and assistance! If you have questions, call Tricia at 952.999.4890.

## YOUTH GROUP EVENTS

### SAVE THE DATE—HIGH SCHOOL CHRISTMAS CAROLING

All Holy Family teens and friends are invited to a traditional neighborhood caroling party on Wednesday, December 28<sup>th</sup> from 4-7pm. Come warmly dressed, we will visit the nearby homes of parishioners and Fr. Joseph, then return back to school for a Christmas party afterwards. Parents, you are invited to bring cookies and help serve! Email [Fr.Sandquist@hfcmn.org](mailto:Fr.Sandquist@hfcmn.org) with any questions.

### WORLD YOUTH DAY 2023

Our high school teens (9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade) are invited to make a pilgrimage to Lisbon, Portugal for World Youth Day, July 26<sup>th</sup> - August 8<sup>th</sup>, 2023, with St. Helena's parish in Minneapolis.

Participants will visit Barcelona, Lourdes, Santiago de Compostela, Lisbon, and Avila. See our website [www.hfcmn.org/teens](http://www.hfcmn.org/teens) for the itinerary and registration form. The first down payment is due Dec. 15<sup>th</sup>. Adult chaperones are needed as well. Contact John Sondag for more information at 612. 275.0431 or via email at [johnsondag@sainthelenampls.org](mailto:johnsondag@sainthelenampls.org).

### CATHOLIC YOUTH SUMMER CAMP 2023

This summer, middle schoolers at our parish have a chance to attend Catholic Youth Summer Camp! There is currently room for three more boys and two more girls to sign up for the spots we reserved for the week of July 9th-14th (session 5). It may be possible for more students to sign up, but it would have to be on your own with the camp directly. The camp is located in Trego, Wisconsin, which is 2 hours and 20 minutes from Saint Louis Park. Transportation will be on your own. The cost is \$520 per student. CYSC is open to those entering 6<sup>th</sup> grade through those entering 8<sup>th</sup> grade. Please sign up via the directions on our parish website [www.hfcmn.org](http://www.hfcmn.org).

## RESPECT LIFE

### BABY BOTTLE BANK CAMPAIGN UPDATE

Thank you so much from the Respect life committee to everyone who helped and participated in our baby bottle bank campaign. We raised over \$5600 for Southwest Options for Women (SWOW). Your donations will help provide free ultrasounds and material assistance for women in crisis pregnancies in our area. Please return any stray baby bottles that weren't returned as they are reused by SWOW.

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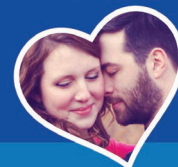
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