



HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Reverend Joseph Johnson, Pastor
Reverend Timothy Sandquist
Reverend George Welzbacher

MASS TIMES:

Saturday Vigil Mass 5pm
Sunday 7:30, 9 & 11am

Weekday and Saturday 8am
Rosary 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

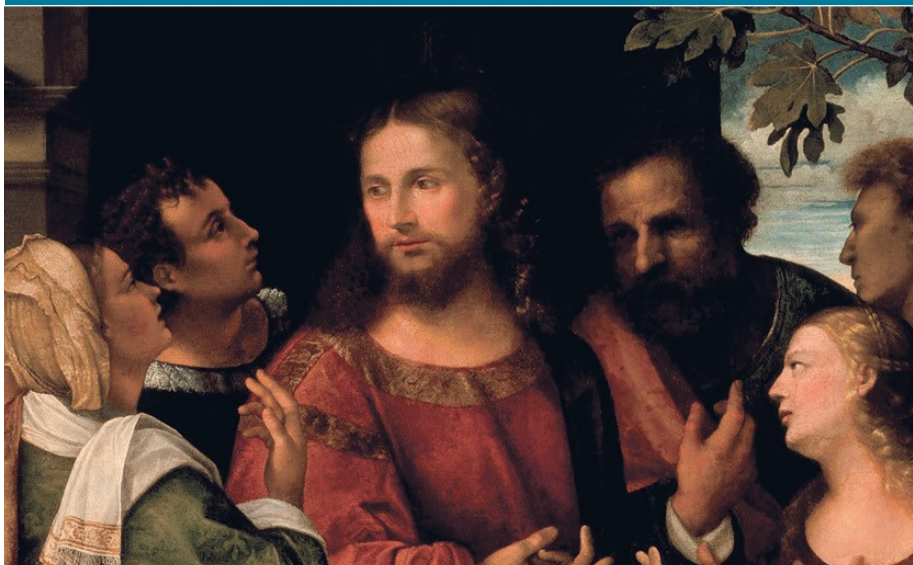


HOLY FAMILY — ACADEMY —

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TRUTH • GOODNESS • BEAUTY

August 20th, 2023 Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time



TODAY AT HOLY FAMILY

HOSPITALITY DOWNSTAIRS—SUNDAY

Enjoy coffee and donuts while visiting with fellow parishioners downstairs after all Masses on Sunday.

FALL FESTIVAL WRISTBANDS & CASH RAFFLE TICKETS

Wristbands will be for sale in the church vestibule. Pick up your cash raffle tickets in the church vestibule after all weekend Masses and return by 6:30pm on Saturday, September 9th.

YOUNG ADULT SUNDAY GOSPEL DISCUSSION

After the 9am Mass, young adults (20 and 30 year olds) are invited to an informal Gospel discussion in the Sts. Peter and Paul room (located in the lower level of the school, enter through driveway doors). Questions? Please contact Jonathan Meyer at meyerjonathon@gmail.com.

PARISH LIBRARY OPEN

After the 9 & 11am Mass on Sunday, the Aquinas Library is open for one hour. Please stop in and check out a book. Enter through the portico door in the school driveway.

BLESSING OF EXPECTANT MOTHERS

All pregnant women, with their families, are invited to the communion rail to receive a special blessing, Sunday at 10:30am. This is sponsored by both F.I.A.T. and the Respect Life Committee.

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: CARE FUND

Our Care Fund helps to meet the emergency needs of our parishioners and those in the wider community.

SUNDAY STEWARDSHIP

CONTRIBUTIONS FOR AUGUST 12-13, 2023

Member Envelopes	\$ 7,974.00
Online Giving	\$ 7,780.25
Plate	\$ 814.70
Total Contributions	\$ 16,568.95

Second Collection:
Care Fund \$ 410.05

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.



INTERCESSIONS

Please pray for:

Bill Donlon

Struggling marriages

Asher Woodruff
(Cindy Deal's Grandchild)

Nadine Reinhardt

Daria Guelig
(Jane Manke's aunt)

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 To request prayers, go to 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.

YOUTH EVENTS

HIGH SCHOOL BONFIRE—WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23RD

Wednesday, August 23rd from 7-9pm, high school students are invited to a bonfire and Adoration. Evening will start in the Church at 7:00pm with Adoration, followed by a fire in the Holy Family Academy driveway. S'mores will be provided.

YOUTH MINISTRY KICK OFF—FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH

Enter into the school year with our Lord through Adoration! Middle school and High school students are invited to join us for pizza, fellowship, games and Adoration. Event will run 6:00-8:30pm. Looking forward to seeing you there!

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP STARTING TO MEET WEEKLY

We are beginning weekly meetings of our High School Youth Group on most Wednesday nights from 6:30-8:00PM beginning September 13. There will also be an opportunity for homework and food after school before meetings. More details and other events will be announced in coming weeks. Be sure to sign up on the Flocknote subgroup for Youth Group to stay informed. We look forward to seeing you! Contact Jonathan Schwartzbauer at Jonathan@hfcmn.org for more information.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTER

Contact Jonathan Schwartzbauer at Jonathan@hfcmn.org.

MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTER

Contact Beret Henningsgaard at Beret@hfcmn.org.

YOUNG ADULTS

Our Young Adults group welcomes everyone in their 20's and 30's, married and single. Find joyful fellowship and deepen your faith with us! RSVP and preparation are not necessary for most events, come when you can. Contact us at youngadults@hfcmn.org for more details or with any questions.

YOUNG ADULT BIBLE STUDY—TUESDAYS, 7PM

Where do we find the Mass in the Bible? In ten beautifully produced lessons, Parousia (video series by Dr. Scott Hahn) "The Bible and the Mass" answers these questions and more. Meet in the lower level of the school (enter through driveway doors) in the Sts. Peter and Paul room.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. Aug. 19 th	Eugene Nelson †	5:00pm
Sun. Aug. 20 th	The Blom Family	7:30am
Sun. Aug. 20 th	Charlotte Pince †	9:00am
Sun. Aug. 20 th	For the Parish	11:00am
Mon. Aug. 21 st	Harold Blom †	8:00am
Tues. Aug. 22 nd	Jack Kruse †	8:00am
Wed. Aug. 23 rd	Donald Voss †	8:00am
Thurs. Aug. 24 th	Thomas A. Zingale †	8:00am
Fri. Aug. 25 th	Louis Havlicek	8:00am
Sat. Aug. 26 th	Priest's Personal Intention	8:00am
Sat. Aug. 26 th	Ralph Arnold †	5:00pm
Sun. Aug. 27 th	Rev. William F. Martin †	7:30am
Sun. Aug. 27 th	For the Parish	9:00am
Sun. Aug. 27 th	Donald Hubert Michels †	11:00am

REGISTRATIONS

MOTHERS WITH YOUNG CHILDREN: SIGN UP FOR FIAT!

FIAT, (Faith In Action Together) is a group for mothers, with at least one Kindergarten-aged or younger child, who want to grow closer to Christ and to each other in friendship. It meets September-May, once per month in the lower level of church with an engaging speaker presentation, and once per month in small groups at other locations. This year's cost is \$50 and scholarships are available.

Registration open now.

Monthly meetings: September 16, October 14, November 11, December 2, January 20, February 10, March 9, April 13, May 18, 2024

Questions? Contact Melissa Norton with questions at melissa@nortoncrew.com. Please learn more and register at www.hfcmn.org/fiat today!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

Students (grades 1-8) who do not attend Holy Family Academy or another Catholic school should register for our Wednesday evening religious education classes. Classes begin Wednesday, **September 20th, at 6:30pm** and continue through mid-May. Registration will close on Thursday, September 7th. Visit our website www.hfcmn.org. Contact Linda Wandrei if you have any questions at 952.929.0113 or linda.Wandrei@hfcmn.org

TEACHERS NEEDED FOR CHILDREN'S RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

Faithful witnesses needed to share your love of the faith, no experience necessary. Curriculum is from the Spirit of Truth series by Sophia Press which is immersed in the True, the Good and the Beautiful of our Catholic faith. Instruction manual is user-friendly minimizing prep-time for an hour lesson on Wednesday evenings starting September 20th. Catechist training will be provided on Tuesday September 12th, 7-8pm, to fully prepare you with expectations and overview of the material. For more information or to express interest contact Linda Wandrei at Linda.Wandrei@hfcmn.org or 952.929.0113.

SUMMER PRAYER CARDS

SUMMERTIME IS FOR PRAYER—RACKING UP POINTS IN HEAVEN AND ON EARTH!

Father Joseph is again encouraging everyone this summer to not take a vacation from daily prayer. He is offering his "Frequent Flyer" card to all—youngsters and adults—to record daily Mass attendance (anywhere), participation as a server, lector or cantor, Rosaries, and Holy Hours. Fr. Joseph will have special treats at the end of summer for those who participate! Return Frequent Flyer cards to the sacristy, parish office, school office or in the after-hours boxes by the church entrances.

FROM THE PARISH OFFICE

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

Please submit written bulletin submission content 10 days prior to the Sunday bulletin date in which you want the information published. Send requests to bulletin editor, Beret Henningsgaard, by emailing Beret@hfcmn.org.

AQUINAS LIBRARY

The Aquinas Library is at capacity and can no longer accept donations. If you have any questions or feedback regarding the library, please contact Jane Kolles, the Library Coordinator, at jane_hfcmn_library@protonmail.com.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL

Having 24/7 access to our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament is an immense privilege of Holy Family Parish. Come and adore Christ! Entrance to the chapel is on the west side of the sanctuary end of the Church.

Currently, the times of greatest need are:

Sundays:

**2-3am
8-9pm**

Wednesdays:

8-9am (after Mass)

Thursdays:

5-6pm

Fridays:

11pm-midnight

Saturdays:

**4-5am
8-9pm**



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

FORMED.ORG

Gain free access to Catholic movies, books, audio recordings and more, by registering at www.hfcmn.org-formed.

This week's recommendation:

The World's First Love: Mary, Mother of God | Fulton Sheen

With eloquence and brilliance, Fulton J. Sheen presents a moving portrayal of the Blessed Virgin Mary, combining deep spirituality, history, philosophy, and theology. All the major aspects and events of Mary's life are lovingly depicted in this never-failing source of information, consolation, and inspiration. Sheen gives profound insights into all the Marian beliefs ranging from the Immaculate Conception to the Assumption to the miracle of Our Lady of Fatima. Sheen stresses mankind's need for the Mother of God and her burning love for all her children. The great resurgence of devotion to Mary is God's way of emphasizing the worth and dignity of every person against the false doctrines that have so confused the modern world. This edition features a new foreword by Father Andrew Apostoli.

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BAPTISM

We welcome those who have been newly baptized. Please pray for them as they continue to grow in Christ.

Mary Hejna

(Daughter of Mathew and Elizabeth)

Rose Johnson

(Daughter of Paul and Gwen)

MARRIAGE

Please join us in praying for the couple preparing for the sacrament of Matrimony.

Jim Gregory and Clare Hagen

FUNERAL/MEMORIAL MASS

Please pray for those who are in grief because of the loss of a loved one.

Colleen Jackson †

Eileen Angell †

Colleen Ekland †

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome to our new parish members:

Mary Whalen

Leah Gunderson

Nicholas Flottmeier

Astrid Perez

Peter and Marie Mueller

Gerard DeLeo

Jonathan Madson



SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS—BEGINS SEPTEMBER 21ST

Interested in knowing more about the Catholic faith? R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) welcomes you. Classes begin on Thursday September 21, 2023. These classes are meant to serve those adults:

- Interested in exploring and potentially entering into the Catholic faith
- Catholics (18 and over) who have not completed the sacraments of initiation (Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist)
- Who are simply interested in knowing more about their faith.

Classes are held in the Saints Peter and Paul room in Holy Family Academy from 7:00 – 8:30 pm, most Thursday evenings from mid-September until a few weeks after Easter.

If interested, please contact John Hartnett at John.Hartnett@hfcamn.org or register via the parish website at www.hfcamn.org. We look forward to hearing from you!

FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST HOLY COMMUNION—REGISTER NOW!

Parishioners with children in 2nd grade are encouraged to register them for First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion preparation. Even if enrolled at Holy Family Academy, you still need to register through our Religious Education program. This is also true for those who wish to do home preparation for the sacraments. Please attend our mandatory parent meeting on **Wednesday, September 13, 2023** at 6:30pm in the Sts. Peter and Paul Room to hear about expectations and important dates for the coming year. Visit our website www.hfcamn.org/sacramental-preparation. Questions? Contact Linda Wandrei at 952.929.0113 or Linda.Wandrei@hfcamn.org.



CONFIRMATION CLASSES—REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

High school students whose families are registered parishioners and predominantly attend Sunday Mass at Holy Family are welcome to enroll in Confirmation classes. Parents need to attend a mandatory meeting on **Wednesday, September 13, 2023** at 7:15pm in Sts. Peter and Paul room. Expectations will be reviewed and important dates highlighted. Classes meet Wednesday evenings from 6:30-8:15pm in Fr. Moorman Hall. The first class starts on **Wednesday, September 20, 2023**. Questions? Please contact Linda Wandrei at Linda.Wandrei@hfcamn.org.



BAPTISM

Please contact Liz Toenjes at 952-999-4891 or email Liz.Toenjes@hfcamn.org to schedule your child's baptism. Usually, baptisms are scheduled following the 11am Mass on Sunday or the 8 am Mass on Saturday. The date and time needs to be confirmed with the parish office.

MATRIMONY

Weddings at Holy Family are celebrated for those couples in which either the bride or groom is a registered and active member of our parish. Weddings should be scheduled at least six months in advance to allow for proper spiritual preparation for this great sacrament. Please contact Liz Toenjes at 952-952-4891 or Liz.Toenjes@hfcamn.org.

MESSAGE FROM DEACON BRENT

Dear parishioners and friends of Holy Family,

It has been a profound joy and blessing to be assigned to you and your parish as your deacon for the summer. I was only just ordained a deacon for this archdiocese on May 13, 2023 (the Feast of Our Lady of Fatima), and my 10-week summer assignment here has given me the opportunity to jump into ministry full-time, participate in the sacramental life of the parish, and learn how to serve all of you wonderful parishioners as a "newbie" deacon. Additionally, I've been blessed to shadow your good pastor, Father Joseph, who I've counted as a friend for many years, and to learn from his priestly witness as I continue to prepare for my anticipated priestly ordination next May, God willing.



I am doubly blessed to have been at Holy Family because I was a parishioner here myself in the early 2000's and it was then that I first signed up for my Tuesday evening Holy Hour in the adoration chapel which I kept for 12 years before I entered the seminary. Holy Family has been a formative house of prayer for me for years, so I thank God in a special way that I was able to return to serve here as His ordained minister.

I'm originally from Fargo, ND where I grew up as the oldest of three boys and I've called the Twin Cities home since I moved here for college at the University of Saint Thomas. With degrees in Catholic Studies, Journalism and Business I enjoyed a 15-year career in marketing and business development roles for various corporations before I entered the seminary in 2018. I will return to the Saint Paul Seminary this next week to finish my last year of priestly formation and the Master of Divinity Program.

While I'm sad to be leaving Holy Family on the 15th, I am deeply grateful for all of your support, prayers and friendships. Thank you! I also want to express heart-felt gratitude to Father Joseph for his generous heart in inviting me to Holy Family, for sharing this amazing parish with me, and for showing me how to serve the Church well.

Please know of my ongoing prayers for all of you, and please continue to pray for me and my other seminarian brothers. I'm already looking forward to coming back some time soon.

God bless you all!

Deacon Brent

STAY CONNECTED

PARISH NOTIFICATION SOFTWARE

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- 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. For HFA, click the "f" icon (same location) at www.hfamn.org.

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.



HOLY FAMILY ACADEMY

SMOKER



A MEN'S NIGHT OF FUN AND FELLOWSHIP

Friday, August 25th, 2023 6:00 PM

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Support Our School & Students!

All proceeds go to Holy Family Academy's Scholarship Fund.

Help us make a difference as we form students
with Faith, Virtue, and Values.



SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE:

- Texas Hold 'em Tournament
 - Drinks and Cigars
 - Award-winning Rib Dinner
- (Catering by Lang Nelson's "Ida Marie Restaurant")



HOLY FAMILY ACADEMY
WITH TENTS, LAWN LOUNGE, AND MORE!

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Get your tickets and learn more at
www.hfcmn.org/smoker-poker-registration



Cash Raffle

Parishioners are asked to buy or sell ten tickets. All tickets sold and unsold need to be returned by Sept. 9th, 6:30pm.

Sponsorships

Underwriting a particular area is a great way to make a difference. Businesses can be recognized as a sponsor and parishioners can give in a tangible way. Contact Carrie.Havlicek@hfcmn.org or go to Festival webpage to see opportunities!

Silent Auction*

We need **new items**, complete baskets or “group events”, experiences to be sponsored or donated. Contact Anne at peiris0511@gmail.com with questions.

Carnival Games*

Donations of 2-liters of pop, stuffed animals and bottles of wine make for some memorable games for all ages.

** Please bring all donations to Fr. Moorman Hall or church office during business hours.*

Notes for Tournament Play

Corn Hole Tournament is a bracket style single game elimination of a team of two persons. Sign up on website. **Kickball Tournament** is comprised of 4-5 teams of 10-11 players. The wacky rules and costumes make for cheap entertainment!

Advanced Purchase Wristband Bundles

Available until Thursday, Sept. 7th at Noon

- \$20 each (includes a wristband plus 5—\$1 tickets)
- Wristband allows **unlimited** access to Inflatables, Train, Petting Zoo, & Pony Rides (rain or shine Carnival Games require tickets to play)
- Wristbands are available day of event for \$20 each.

Saturday, September 9

at Holy Family Academy

Food & Beer Garden	Noon-9pm
Carnival Games	Noon-4pm
Pony Rides*	
& Petting Zoo*	2-4pm
Kids Games*	Noon-4pm
Bingo	1-4pm
Corn Hole Tournament	2:30pm
Chance Baskets & Raffles	drawing 7pm
Live Music: J.C. Band	4—5:30pm
North Star Big Band	7—10pm

Sunday, September 10

at Holy Family Church

Coffee & Donuts	8am—12:30pm
Silent Auction	closes online at 7pm

at Keystone Park

Kickball Tournament*	Noon—4pm
Food Trucks	Noon—4pm

***Sign up for Kickball Online!**

Go to www.hfcmn.org/fall-festival for more details!