

# 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 8amMass

#### 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



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— ACADEMY —

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# August 27<sup>th</sup>, 2023 Twenty-first 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 9<sup>th</sup>.

#### 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.

#### 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 19-20, 2023

Member Envelopes	\$ 8,551.00
Online Giving	\$ 12,239.00
Plate	\$ 983.50
<b>Total Contributions</b>	\$ 21,773.50

Second Collection:

**Care Fund** \$ 445.05

#### 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:

Karen Sattler

Safety of Christians in Pakistan

Harold Genter Jr

(Frances Williams Uncle)

**Muriel Roper** 

(Friend of Frances Williams)

Cathy Wiley †

(Sister of Barb Heinz)

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

# YOUTH MINISTRY KICK OFF—FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8<sup>th</sup>

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—WEDNESDAYS, 7PM

Please join us for a new Bible study called "Pope Peter"! Learn about the scriptural basis of the papacy and consider how to navigate difficult questions regarding the pope's authority. We will meet in the Aquinas Library located in Holy Family Academy.

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Sat. Aug. 26 <sup>th</sup> Sun. Aug. 27 <sup>th</sup> Sun. Aug. 27 <sup>th</sup> Sun. Aug. 27 <sup>th</sup> Mon. Aug. 28 <sup>th</sup> Tues. Aug. 29 <sup>th</sup> Wed. Aug. 30 <sup>th</sup> Thurs. Aug. 31 <sup>st</sup> Fri. Sep. 1 <sup>st</sup> Sat. Sep. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sat. Sep. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun. Sep. 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sun. Aug. 20 <sup>th</sup>	Ralph Arnold † Rev. William F. Martin † For the Parish Donald Hubert Michels † Edmund Havlicek Joan O'Keefe † Joan Harker † Thomas A. Zingale † Altar & Rosary Society Reparation for Sins of the Clergy Lois Sicora † Rod DeBrobander † For the Parish	5:00pm 7:30am 9:00am 11:00am 8:00am 8:00am 8:00am 8:00am 8:00am 5:00pm 7:30am 9:00am
	For the Parish Camille Berns †	9:00am 11:00am

# SAVE THE DATE

#### HOLY FAMILY ST. CECILIA STRINGS PROGRAM- THURS., AUGUST 31<sup>ST</sup>

For String players of ALL ages and abilities. Informational Meeting on Thursday, August 31st at 3:30pm in Fr. Moorman Hall (lower level of the church). Cookies and drinks provided. This meeting is for students of all ages, from any school or homeschool (and their families) who want to learn about our new String Program and ask questions. Questions? Please contact Holy Family Music Director, Jacob Flaherty at Jacob.flaherty@hfcmn.org with questions.

#### SPIRITUAL CLASSICS-SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16TH

Join us on Saturday, September 16th from 9-11pm in the Sts. Peter and Paul room. Explore the autobiography of St. Therese of Lisieux, "The Story of a Soul" with Dr. Mary Reichardt, renowned Professor Emeritus, University of St. Thomas as she delves into the beauty of this classic spiritual enrichment. Attendees should complete the book: St. Therese of Lisieux, Story of a Soul. Trans. John Clarke. Study Edition prepared by Marc Foley (ICS Publications, 2019). Recommended text is not necessary but helpful.

# ALTAR SERVER TRAINING-SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17<sup>th</sup>

Mark your calendars for **Sunday, September 17th** for our Altar Server training! This mandatory 12:30-1:30pm training is for all servers, current and new, ages 10-18 who wish to serve our Lord at the Altar. An additional 1:30-2:30pm training is for young men grades 10-12 serving as Master of Ceremonies, Thurifer, and Boat positions. Please RSVP on Holy Family website so we know how much pizza to order. Contact Ann Karels at ann.karels@hfcmn.org or David Norton at david@nortoncrew.com with questions.

## LECTOR TRAINING—SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17<sup>th</sup>

All current lectors, as well as those interested in becoming a lector, should attend our annual mandatory training on Sunday, September 17th, from 3-4pm. Contact Ann at Ann.Karels@hfcmn.org with questions.

# Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion Training — Sunday, September $17^{\text{th}}$

All current extraordinary ministers, as well as those interested in becoming one, should attend our annual mandatory training on Sunday, September 17th, from 2-3pm. Contact Ann at Ann.Karels@hfcmn.org with questions.

## RELIC OF THE ARM OF ST. JUDE THE APOSTLE—MONDAY, SEPT. 18<sup>th</sup>

The Arm of St. Jude the Apostle is visiting Holy Family on Monday, September 18th. Stop in and venerate the relic between 1pm—10pm. A special Mass will be offered at 7pm. Visit www.ApostleOfTheImpossible.com for complete details.

# FROM THE PARISH OFFICE

#### **New Liturgy Guides**

## FR. JOSEPH ON RELEVANT RADIO

Friday, September 15th at 11am, Fr. Joseph will be a guest on the Inner Life show on Relevant Radio, 1330AM.

#### **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.

# **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
- 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.



#### 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!

#### HOLY FAMILY HOME EDUCATORS REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!

Holy Family Home Educators (HFHE) is a network of support for Pre-K to Grade 12 homeschooling families of the Archdiocese of St. Paul/Minneapolis, based out of Holy Family Catholic Church. HFHE members and parents plan educational, social, and charitable activities for their students. If you have any questions, need any advice or help, please reach out to the HFHE board at HolyFamilyHomeEducators+owner@groups.io.

#### 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.

#### HOLY FAMILY PRAYER SHAWL GROUP

Do you knit? The Holy Family Prayer Shawl group is in need of more knitters. Please contact Anne Ringquist if you are able to help knit prayer shawls or have any questions. Phone: 952-807-6460. Email: ring@usfamily.net.

#### **EUCHARISTIC 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 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:

# **Prayer for Beginners | Peter Kreeft**

Peter Kreeft brings his unique insights to the most important area of our spiritual lives, prayer. He claims he himself is still a beginner in prayer, and this book is for all those, like him, who feel that they struggle to pray well, but desire to become better at it. Thus, Kreeft offers simple, but profound advice and practical steps for developing a prayer life based on the timetested wisdom of the saints and great spiritual writers, especially the principles found in Brother Lawrence's classic, The Practice of the Presence of God.

#### RITES

#### MARRIAGE

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

Jim Gregory and Clare Hagen

Peter Murphy and Grace Carson

# **ALTAR FLOWERS**

# SPONSOR ALTAR FLOWER IN SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER

Enhance the liturgical environment of the altar by sponsoring floral arrangements for the altar. A complete list of solemnities and feasts is available online, go to www.hfcmn.org/donate, select "Altar Flowers". After choosing the feast or solemnity, please go to the payment page, hfcmn.org/donate. If you have questions please contact Tricia at Pat.Gawarecki@hfcmn.org.

# **SUMMER PRAYER CARDS**

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

As the summer winds down, its time to turn in your frequent flyer cards. HFA students should return there's to the school office by September. 1<sup>st</sup>, all others may return to the sacristy/after hours box/ parish office by September 5<sup>th</sup>.



# SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS—BEGINS SEPTEMBER 21<sup>ST</sup> 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@hfamn.org or register via the parish website at www.hfcmn.org. We look forward to hearing from you!

# FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST HOLY COMMUNION—REGISTER NOW!

Parishioners with children in 2<sup>nd</sup> 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.hfcmn.org/sacramental-preparation. Questions? Contact Linda Wandrei at 952.929.0113 or Linda.Wandrei@hfcmn.org.

#### CONFIRMATION CLASSES—REGISTER NOW!

High school students whose families are registered parishioners and predominantly attend Sunday Mass at Holy Family are welcome to 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@hfcmn.org.

#### BAPTISM

Please contact Liz Toenjes at 952-999-4891 or email Liz.Toenjes@hfcmn.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@hfcmn.org .



# 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!

# THANK YOU TO OUR FALL FESTIVAL SPONSORS!





Jon Yanta 952.212.6372







# **Get Involved!**

And he said to all, "If anyone would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow me. For whoever would save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake will save it. Luke 9:23-24

Jesus calls us to sacrifice our comfort, our time to build up His church. The Fall Festival has two functions: the first is to raise money for general operations, and the second, is to build community among each other and our neighbors, or those yet in communion with the Catholic church.

An event of this scale takes over thousands of manhours, help us by giving one 2-hour shift in an area that fits your skill set or your family situation, there are many to choose from.

Please scan here to access the fall festival page on the Holy Family website. Discipleship sign up available and full event details.



#### Areas to choose from:

#### \*Teens welcomed

- Snack/ Dessert Area (Altar & Rosary Society Ladies)
- Bingo\*
- Carnival Games\* (Face Painting, games)
- Cash Raffle Sales
- Collect tickets at Inflatables, Petting Zoo, etc.\*
- Physical work (stage set-up, small tents, table, and chairs)
- Food Service
- Informational Booth
- Mini Donuts\*
- Silent Auction (before, during, after the event)\*
- **Tickets Sales**
- Train Driver

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.

# **TOURNAMENT PLAY!**

Corn Hole Tournament is a style single game elimination of a team of two persons. Sign up on website.