



## 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

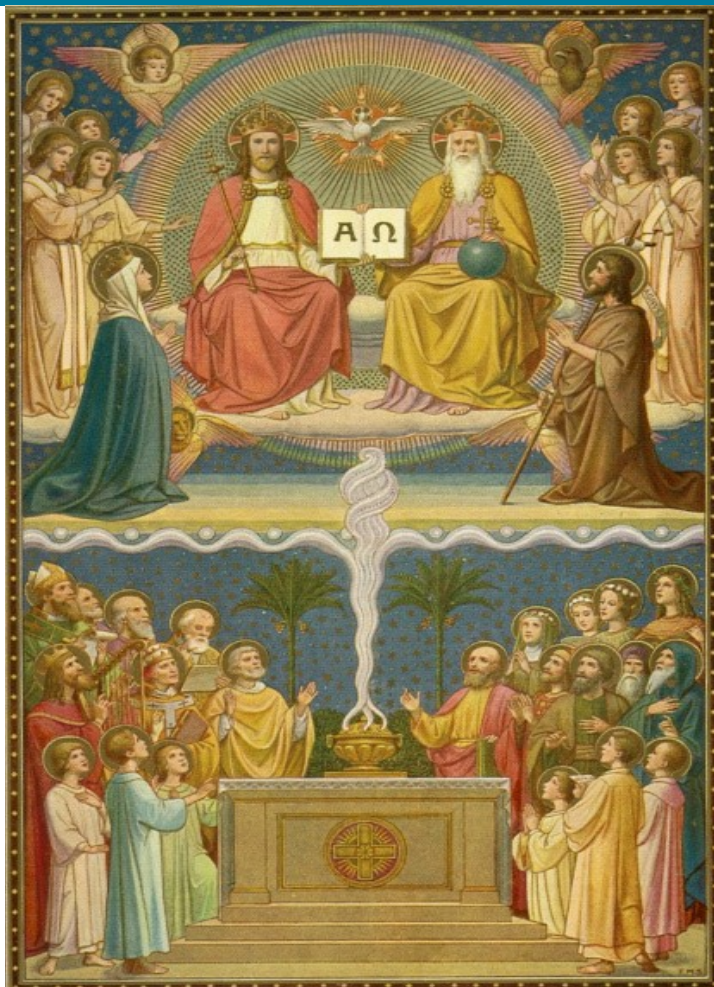


## HOLY FAMILY — ACADEMY —

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TRUTH • GOODNESS • BEAUTY

## November 26th, 2023 *The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe*



### TODAY AT HOLY FAMILY

#### HOSPITALITY DOWNSTAIRS

Happy Thanksgiving weekend. Enjoy coffee and donuts while visiting with fellow parishioners downstairs after all Masses on Sunday. Meet new people and enjoy parish life together.

#### YOUNG ADULT SUNDAY GOSPEL DISCUSSION

After the 9am Mass, young adults (20's & 30's) are invited to an informal Gospel discussion. Meetings are being held in Sts. Peter & Paul room in the parish center, enter through portico doors.

### SUPPORT HOLY FAMILY PARISH

#### 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 donations in the basket passed by ushers at Mass.



#### SECOND COLLECTION: CARE FUND

Our care fund helps to meet the emergency needs of our parishioners and those in the community. Contribute online or the offertory boxes in the vestibule.

## PARISH OFFICE

### BAPTISM

Most baptisms are scheduled following the 11am Mass on Sunday or the 8 am Mass on Saturday after parent preparation. Please contact office in advance to set up a date and complete registration.

### MATRIMONY

Interested in finding out more about your wedding at Holy Family parish? Weddings of parishioners should be scheduled at least six months in advance to allow for proper spiritual preparation.

### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Sacramental Preparation: 1st Reconciliation, 1st Communion and Confirmation as well as ongoing Religious Education registrations for children not attending HFA are closed for the year but you are always welcome to find out more!

### R.C.I.A.

Want to learn more about entering the Catholic Church. Preparation has begun and runs through Easter. For more details contact [hfc@hfcamn.org](mailto:hfc@hfcamn.org)

### BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

Please submit written bulletin submission content 10 days prior to the Sunday bulletin date in which you want the information published.

### Youth Ministry Flocknote

Sign up to receive notifications on upcoming events and activities for Middle school students (Gr. 6-8) or High School Students.



## 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-](http://www.flocknote.com/HFC-) or -Text HFCMN to 84576
2. Fill in your information and join those groups that pertain to you.
3. You can log in anytime to change what groups you follow!



**BROWSE AND REGISTER FOR ALL EVENTS**  
**[WWW.HFCMN.ORG](http://WWW.HFCMN.ORG)**

## HERE AT HOLY FAMILY



### SUGAR PLUM DAYS

DECEMBER 2-3

PARISH CENTER IN HOLY FAMILY ACADEMY

**New  
Location**

HOSTED BY THE ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY

**Bake Sale:** Bring Baked goods: bars, quick breads, pies, Christmas cookies, breads, candies, jams and kitchen linens.

*Bring your baked goods to Kattar Hall in the school (enter through portico doors) on Fri. Dec. 1; 3:30-6pm or Sat.. Dec 2 all day.*

### Dollar Store

Bring new or gently used items: puzzles, games, books, toys, items for the home such as candles, knick-knacks, Christmas items, etc. *No clothing.*

### Gift Gallery

New or gently used items, including Christmas ornaments, Nativity sets and other décor, religious items, statues, art, books, new candles

*Drive through drop off for non-baked items via portico doors of school.*

Sunday, Nov. 26th, 10am-1pm, After School; Nov. 27th-Dec 1, 3:30-6 pm.

Sign Up to Help: [Advent Sugar Plum Disciples](#)

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

### Saturday, December 2nd

#### Sugar Plum Days-Food and shopping - 12-7:30pm

Join us for chance baskets, chili dinner, shopping for young and old (including handmade items and books), and a bake sale.

#### **New** Emmanuel's Room 12-5pm

During Sugar Plum Days, Crusader Hall will be transformed into a room full of games, crafts and service opportunities for little hands! High school and middle school helpers are needed! Enter into the advent season with this great opportunity.

#### **New** Sugar Plum Dance 6:30-8:30pm

All ages are welcome to Holy Family's FIRST Sugar Plum Dance in Crusader Hall starting at 6:30pm. Bring your friends and your most festive dance moves! Concessions will be available.

### Sunday, December 3rd

#### Sugar Plum Days-Food and shopping 8:15am-1:00pm

Join us for delicious cinnamon rolls, and browse the chance baskets and other items for purchase. Chili will be for sale starting at 10:30 am. The gym will be open for kids to play beginning at 8:30am

**Parking** The school parking lot will be reserved for those who need a close, flat entrance. The church lot and along the street will be available for other attendees. Please be considerate.

*The funds raised by the Altar & Rosary Society go toward the upkeep of the altar and all the vestment care, etc. needed to provide a holy and reverent liturgy.*

## Community Events at Holy Family

### Ignatius Book Fair-December 8th-10th

Holy Family Academy will host its 1st Ignatius Book Fair over the weekend of Dec 8th-10th. Come browse this wonderful selection of books, crafts, and other exciting material, curated by the Ignatius Press team. There will be Book Guides available to help you find that perfect gift for everyone on your Christmas list!

The book fair will be open for shopping December 8th-10th. Early bird shopping available at Parent Enrichment Night (open to all parish and HFA families) on *Tuesday, December 5th*.

The event will be located in the St. Peter and Paul room in the Parish Center of the school. Enter through the portico doors.

Disciples needed to make this a success – Sign up to help online!



IGNATIUS  
BOOK FAIRS

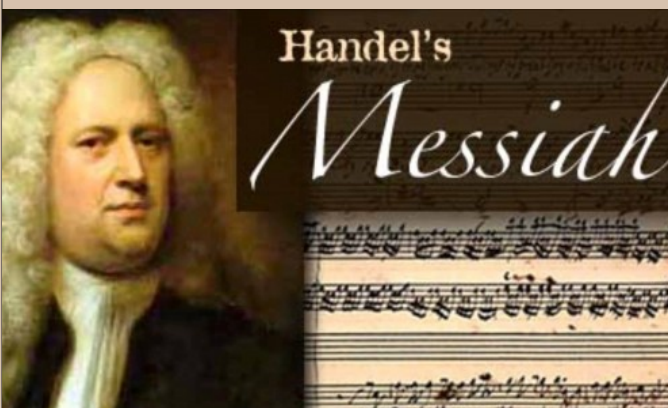


### Handel's Messiah-Sunday, December 3rd, 3pm

Holy Family Church is privileged to host an annual Advent-tide concert featuring George Fredrich Handel's *Messiah* with professional musicians.

This beautiful concert features a professional orchestra, professional soloists, and our talented Parish Choir and *Schola*. It usually runs about one and a half hours.

A wine and cheese and dessert reception will follow downstairs in Fr. Moorman Hall.



*In order to cover the cost of this event a small admission is required.*  
Admission:  
\$10 Adults  
\$5 Students  
\$25 VIP



## PARENT ENRICHMENT NIGHT

### Dr. Hippler-December 5th, 6:30 pm

Holy Family Academy welcomes Dr. Arthur Hippler, Chairman of Providence Academy's Religion Department for its 2nd Parent Enrichment Night this year. His topic will be "The Church's Teaching on Education".

## SUNDAY STEWARDSHIP

### CONTRIBUTIONS NOV 18-NOV 19, 2023

Thank you for your generosity, we will have 2 weeks of contributions to report after the Thanksgiving Holiday

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:

Pat Geraty

Dona Marek

Sandy Stevens

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" Flock note messages and the bulletin for one week.

## PRAYER-INNER LIFE

### FR. JOSEPH ON RELEVANT RADIO

Join Relevant Radio on Friday, December 12th at 11am. Fr. Joseph Johnson will be a guest on the Inner Life show 1330AM or stream [www.relevantradio.com](http://www.relevantradio.com)

## FORMED.ORG

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

**Amen™**  
The Free Catholic Prayer, Meditation, & Scripture App  
SCAN WITH PHONE TO DOWNLOAD  
AMENAPP.ORG  
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## 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.



**Sundays:**  
2-3am

**Mondays:**  
11pm-midnight

**Tuesdays:**  
11pm-midnight

**Thursdays:**  
2-3pm

**Saturdays:**  
2-3am  
4-5am  
8:30-9am  
9-10am  
8-9pm

*We **urgently** need adorers to fill the times in red. Sign up to be a sub! We Adore Him.com*

### *Almost the Holiday season: We need substitute Adorers!*

Go online to [www.hfcmn.org/eucharistic-adoration](http://www.hfcmn.org/eucharistic-adoration) to sign up and turn on notification of substitute requests to see what best fits your flexible schedule.

Click on the WeAdoreHim logo, then sign up and turn notifications on and select the hours you are available.

More info; please contact our Adoration Co-ordinator, Mike Zwack, at 612.710.5007.



Guided  
Children's Holy  
Hour offered  
Every Wed from  
9-10am in the  
chapel

## HEARING HELP AT MASS

### 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.



## THIS MONTH

### Adore Te Adoration Hour- "Longing for Christ"-Dec 2, 7-8pm

Begin your Advent season with prayer. Come experience a beautiful Holy Hour that includes Exposition and Benediction, Dec 2, 7-8pm.

There will be singing of Advent carols and hymns to Our Lord right in His presence in the church sanctuary. The music and reflections will prepare our hearts for Christ and will guide us into a fruitful practice of Advent this year.



## VOCATIONS

### TRAVELING CHALICE

All parishioners are invited to pray for vocations at home. Sign up for a week to have the Traveling Chalice to aid prayers [www.hfcmn.org/vocations-chalice](http://www.hfcmn.org/vocations-chalice)

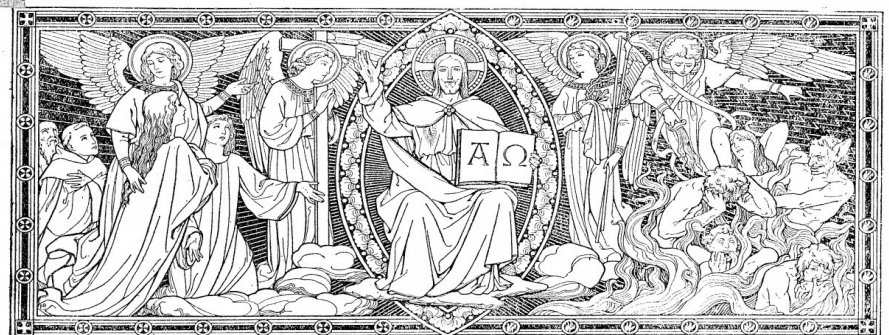
**November 26:** *Peiris Family*

**December 3:** *Nick and Mallory Bullard*

## MASS INTENTIONS

Sat.	Nov	25 <sup>th</sup>	Priests personal intentions	8:00am
Sat.	Nov	25 <sup>th</sup>	Elmo † and Evelyn Romans †	5:00pm
Sun.	Nov	26 <sup>th</sup>	Rev. John G. Donahue †	7:30am
Sun.	Nov	26 <sup>th</sup>	For the Parish	9:00am
Sun.	Nov	26 <sup>th</sup>	Richard Kistler †	11:00am
Mon.	Nov	27 <sup>th</sup>	Dan Osmek †	8:00am
Tues.	Nov.	28 <sup>th</sup>	All 1st responders who laid down their lives	8:00am
Wed.	Nov.	29 <sup>th</sup>	Andrew Heeren	8:00am
Thurs.	Nov	30 <sup>th</sup>	Colleen Eklund †	9:00am
Fri.	Dec	1 <sup>st</sup>	Altar & Rosary	8:00am
Sat.	Dec	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Reparation of Sins of the Clergy	8:00am
Sat.	Dec	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Berns Family; living & deceased	5:00pm
Sun.	Dec	3 <sup>rd</sup>	John Leo Berns †	7:30am
Sun.	Dec	3 <sup>rd</sup>	For the Parish	9:00am
Sun.	Dec	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Chuck Youngberg	11:00am

*Mass Intentions for family and friends are a beautiful gift of prayer to offer for those meaningful people who have touched your life. If you are interested in learning more, please stop by the church office. The parish currently has open slots available starting in 2024.*



## HOLY FAMILY YOUTH EVENTS

### High School Youth Group-Every Wed Night

All high school students are invited to High School Youth Group on Wednesday evenings 6:30-8:00pm in the Sts. Peter & Paul room. Enter HFA through the portico doors.

Have dinner together and then spend time exploring our Catholic faith through prayer and discussion, ending with fun and games.

We are looking at stories of people's encounters with Jesus in the gospels and seeing how this impacts our lives as Catholics today.

### Winter Faith Camp-Feb 16th-19th

Join with youth from other parishes around the archdiocese over Presidents' Day weekend at Camp Courage.

Winter Faith Camp is a faith and fun filled 4-day retreat for High School Students (grades 9-12). This weekend provides an amazing opportunity to grow in our faith and relationship with our Lord via Mass, Confession, Adoration, break-out sessions, and more!

Registration opens Nov. 27. Contact Jonathan for more details.

### Youth Adoration Night-Friday, December 1st

All students, grades 6-12<sup>th</sup>, are invited to join Holy Family Youth Group from 7-8 pm in the church for Adoration and Confession. Hot chocolate & seasonal sweets with board games will follow downstairs in Fr. Moorman Hall until 9pm.

## YOUNG ADULTS

### Metro Young Adults Indoor Sports Night-Friday, Dec 8th

Join area young adults for a night of fun activities and fellowship from 7-9pm. Activities will be held in Crusader Hall in Holy Family Academy. Enter through the portico doors. Contact [westmetroya@gmail.com](mailto:westmetroya@gmail.com) with any questions.

### Friendsgiving Dinner-Thursday, November 30th

Join the Holy Family Young Adults for Friendsgiving on Thursday, November 30th! Beginning with a 6:00 p.m. cocktail hour and 7:00 p.m. Thanksgiving dinner (potluck style). Scan the QR Code here for GroupMe or email us at [youngadults@hfcmmn.org](mailto:youngadults@hfcmmn.org) with questions. Event location is offsite - see the GroupMe for the address. Hope to see you there!



## HELP NEEDED

Our parish office is looking for:  
Front Office Manager and PT Custodial Help.  
Contact [Bobbi.Hanson@hfcmmn.org](mailto:Bobbi.Hanson@hfcmmn.org) for more details.

Part-Time Positions open at the school. [www.hfamn.org](http://www.hfamn.org) for details.

## DISCIPLESHIP CORNER

### SHARING AND CARING HANDS

Come and help prepare and serve at Sharing and Caring Hands in Minneapolis. Our parish is responsible for serving the 4th Sunday of every month. Location: 525 N 7th St. Minneapolis, MN 55405.  
[www.hfcmmn.org/service-opportunities](http://www.hfcmmn.org/service-opportunities)

### HELP WITH EVENTS

The church is in need of disciples for Sugar Plum Days

Find this and other opportunities:  
[www.hfcmmn.org/service-opportunities](http://www.hfcmmn.org/service-opportunities)

### YOUTH DISCIPLES

If you are interested in helping with upcoming youth events the archdiocese requires all events with children to have disciples certified. Please contact Beret or Jonathan to see how you can help.

### Liturgical Ministries

Interested in learning more about assisting in our Liturgical Ministries? Check out the website for training and schedule information:  
[hfcmmn.org/liturgical-ministries](http://hfcmmn.org/liturgical-ministries)

### Dinner at your Door

This program serves the sick and homebound and is looking for more disciples. Disciples deliver meals on the second Thursday of the month from 11 to 1 in Saint Louis Park. Contact [Pat.Gawarecki@hfcmmn.org](mailto:Pat.Gawarecki@hfcmmn.org)

### GET INVOLVED

Check the website for the most up to date lists, sign-ups, groups and more! If you have a confirmation student, contact Beret for service hours.

