



HOLY FAMILY

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Fr. Mark Moriarty, *Pastor*
Fr. Brent Bowman, *Parochial Vicar*

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 3:30-4:45pm
Sunday 8:30-9:40am*
Monday through Friday 7:30-7:50am
*If only one priest is available,
confessions will end 10 minutes before
Mass begins.*

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

M, W, TH 8:30am-4:30pm
Tuesday 1pm-4:30pm
Friday 8:30am-12pm



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— ACADEMY —

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March 23rd, 2025 Third Sunday of Lent



TODAY AT HOLY FAMILY

SUNDAY HOSPITALITY

Following all Sunday Masses, enjoy donuts, coffee, and fellowship in the lower level of the church. If you are able, please help to serve, set up, or clean up.

LAUDS (MORNING PRAYER) FOR LENT I

After our 9am Mass, please consider joining us every Sunday of Lent for *Lauds*, morning prayer. Worship guides will be available.

HFYA SUNDAY GATHERING

Following 9am Mass, all young adults are invited to a Gospel discussion with refreshments in the Nazareth House behind the church.

SUPPORT HOLY FAMILY PARISH

DONATE TO HOLY FAMILY

If you are a visitor to our parish (or not yet signed up for online giving), you can make donations by visiting our website or scanning the code on the right. You may also place donations in the basket passed by ushers at Mass.



SPECIAL COLLECTION: CARE FUND

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

1. The God of A-braham praise, Who reigns en-throned a - bove;
 2. He by Him - self has sworn, I on His oath de - pend;
 3. There dwells the Lord, our King, the Lord, our Right-eous - ness;
 4. To God who reigns on high the great arch - an - gels sing,
 An - cient of Ev - er - last - ing Days, and God of love;
 I shall, on eag - le wings up-borne to Heav'n as - cend;
 Tri - umph-ant o'er the world and sin, the Prince of Peace;
 And "Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly", cry, "Al - migh - ty King!
 To Him up - lift your voice, at whose su - preme com - mand.
 I shall be-hold His face, I shall His pow'r a - dore,
 On Zi-on's sa - cred height His King - dom He main - tains,
 Who was, and is the same, for all e - ter - ni - ty,
 From earth we rise and seek the joys at His right hand.
 And sing the won-ders of His grace for - ev - er more.
 And, glo - rious with His saints in light, for - ev - er reigns.
 Im - mor - tal Fa - ther, great I AM, all glo - ry be.

INTROIT (chanted at the 9:00) Gregorian Chant, Mode VII
 My eyes are always on the Lord, for He rescues my feet from the snare. Turn to me and have mercy on me, for I am alone and poor. *Ps.* Unto You, O Lord, have I lifted up my soul; O my God, I trust in You, let me not be put to shame.

- Psalm 24:15-16, 1-2

KYRIE XVII "In Dominicis Adventus et Quadragesime"
 (If the Confiteor is recited) Cantor first, then all

VI XIV. s.
K Y-ri e e- lé- i-son. bis Christe e-
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 e e- lé- i-son.

READINGS

Red Lumen Christi Missal p.125

RESPONSORIAL PSALM Psalm 103:1-4, 6-8, 11
 Aristotle Esguerra

III A
T He Lord is kind and merciful.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION Orbis Factor Kyrie

Praise and hon - or
 to You, Lord Je-sus Christ.

PROFESSION OF FAITH St. Michael Hymnal p.27

OFFERTORY CHANT (9:00)

Gregorian Chant, Mode IV

The ordinances of the Lord are right, bringing joy to all hearts, sweeter than honey or the honeycomb. Therefore Your servant will observe them.

- Psalm 18:9,11-12

OFFERTORY HYMN (5:00)

1. The precepts of the Lord are right,
enlivening the heart,
and sweeter than the honeycomb;
To keep them is my part.
2. The Lord's command is luminous,
enlightening the eyes;
the holy fear of God remains
forever with the wise.
3. The judgements of the Lord are true,
in them the just delight;
Then may my thoughts and words, O Lord,
be pleasing in Your sight. (*Return to verse 1*).

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OFFERTORY ANTHEM (9:00, 11:00)

Create in Me a Clean Heart, O God

J.A. Freylinghausen (1670 - 1739)

Send forth Thy light and Thy love, O Lord. Fill my heart with Thy Holy Spirit. Lead me into Thy presence and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation and renew a right spirit within me.

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation and renew a right spirit within me.

SANCTUS XVII "In Dominicis Adventus et Quadragesime"

AN - CTUS * San - ctus, San - ctus
Holy, Holy

Dó-mi-nus De - us Sá - - ba - oth.

Ple-ni sunt cæ - li et ter - ra

gló-ri - a tu - a. Ho - - sán-na

in ex - cél - sis. Be-ne - díc - tus qui ve - nit

in nó - mi - ne Dó-mi-ni. Ho - - sán-na

in ex - cél - sis.

AGNUS DEI XVII "In Dominicis Adventus et Quadragesime"

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 : mi-se-ré-re no - bis. Agnus De - i, * qui tol - lis pec -

cá - ta mundi : do-na no-bis pa- cem.

HOLY COMMUNION

Actively practicing Catholics who are properly disposed to receive Holy Communion (those in the State of Grace and having observed the Eucharistic fast) are invited to come forward to receive this Sacrament. All others, including those of other faiths, are invited to approach through either the priest or deacon's line with arms crossed over the chest to receive a blessing.

COMMUNION CHANT

Gregorian Chant, Mode I

The sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for he young: by Your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God. Blessed are they who dwell in Your house, forever singing Your praise.

- Psalm 83:4-5

COMMUNION ANTHEM

Open Our Eyes

Will C. Macfarlane (1870 - 1945)

Open our eyes, O loving and compassionate Jesus, that we may behold Thee, walking beside us in our sorrow. Thou hast made death glorious and triumphant; for through its portals we enter into the presence of the living God. Open our eyes, O loving and compassionate Jesus, that we may see to follow Thee, Jesus, Jesus, Jesus our Savior and Redeemer. Amen.

Justitiae Domini Rectae (11:00)

Valentin Rathgeber (1682 - 1750)

See the Offertory Chant translation above.

RECESSIONAL HYMN:

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

829 St. Michael Hymnal

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 staff@hfcmn.org to learn more.

MATRIMONY

Interested in having your wedding at Holy Family parish? Weddings of parishioners should be scheduled at least six months in advance for proper spiritual preparation. Contact staff@hfcmn.org for more information.

FUNDAMENTALS OF CATHOLICISM: OCIA

Interested in entering the Catholic Church or learning more about the faith? Email frm@hfcmn.org.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Contact the parish office as soon as possible if you or a loved one is in need of Anointing of the Sick or Last Rites.

OTHER SACRAMENTS

For information on reconciliation and first Holy Communion for children, please contact Linda Wandrei: Linda.Wandrei@hfcmn.org. For information about Confirmation, email Jonathan@hfcmn.org.

STAY CONNECTED

Stay up-to-date on communications from Holy Family Church and Academy by following us on social media, signing up for Flocknote, and keeping an eye on our websites. Scan the QR codes below to learn more. Have questions? Email maria.brounstein@hfcmn.org.



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COVER ART: "MOSES & THE BURNING BUSH" BY SÉBASTIEN BOURDON VIA WIKIMEDIA COMMONS

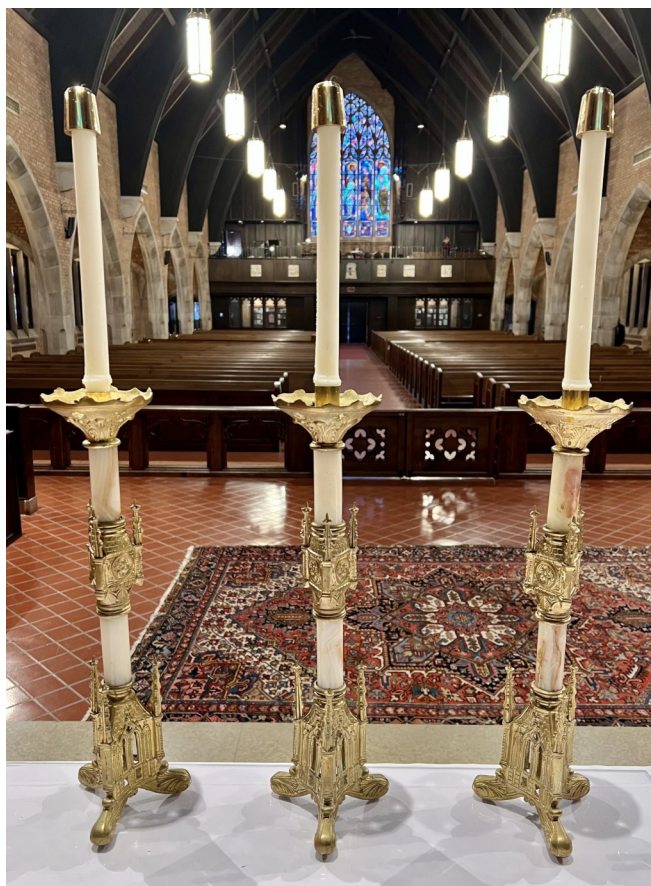
AN EXPLANATION OF OUR ALTAR'S GOTHIC CANDLESTICKS

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Just over four years ago, I sent a picture of some beautiful brass and marble gothic candlesticks to two priests who I thought might be interested in using them. I wanted to offer these to a priest assigned to a Gothic style church and also to someone who would appreciate their beauty. The candlesticks pictured below had been in storage at St. Agnes for some time and were likely donated but never used because St. Agnes is a Romanesque style church. (Romanesque churches have semicircular arches; Gothic have pointed arches). My predecessor, Fr. Johnson, quickly responded and agreed to acquire all six for only \$100. The price was a steal since a refurbished set of six is currently going for almost \$3000. It was not my intent to make money for my previous parish but to simply get them into a fitting church where they would be used and valued.

You undoubtedly noticed not long after my arrival at Holy Family that I began putting those same candlesticks on the altar on a regular basis. I am told Fr. Johnson used them for candlelit Masses and some Solemnities. The floor candlesticks that were on the side of the altar are now used as funerary candles around the bier.

There is no historic record of candles being on the altar during Mass before the 11th century. In imitation of the seven branched candlestick in the Jerusalem Temple, candlesticks in antiquity seem to have been larger and placed near the altar on the floor. Churches were lit by large chandeliers with beeswax candles in the west or oil lamps in the east. With the advent of the Gothic style, candlesticks migrated to the altar. Hence it is appropriate that our church's altar is graced with these fine works of art.



For Sundays and Solemnities it is traditional to have six altar candlesticks to mark an added sense of celebration, whereas there are only two candlesticks for ferial or weekday Masses.

Lastly, as a gift to the parish, a donor gave a new altar cross which matches very closely the antique Gothic candlesticks.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
Fr. Mark Moriarty

LENTEN FRIDAY GATHERINGS

Each Friday, all are invited to a fish fry in the lower level of the church starting at 5pm. Stations of the Cross begins in the church at 7pm and is directly



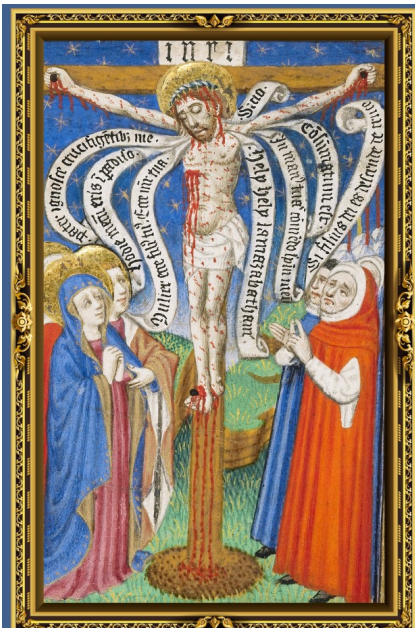
followed by our Lenten Lecture Series (info below). To catch up on past lectures, visit <https://hfcmn.org/lenten-lecture-series-2025>.

March 28—My God, why hast thou forsaken me? (Dr. Brandon Wanless)

April 4—I thirst (Fr. Austin Litke, OP)

April 11—It is finished (Dr. Faith Pawl)

Good Friday Homily—Father, into thy hands I commend my spirit! (Fr. Mark Moriarty)



CURRENT VOLUNTEER NEEDS

Hospitality Leaders: We are in need of volunteers to oversee and participate in the serving donuts each week. We have had ongoing difficulty securing helpers for donuts, and having designated volunteers to oversee hospitality and show the ropes to new helpers would be amazing! Your help ensures that we can continue to enjoy hospitality as a parish. To learn more, visit hfcmn.org/hospitality. Huge thanks to all those who are already regular volunteers!

Saturday Night Mass Ushers: Our ushers are essential for the liturgy to run smoothly. Email carrie.havlicek@hfcmn.org to learn more about this ministry.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Individuals are needed to bring Jesus' Eucharistic presence to the homebound & to weekend Mass attendees. For more information, contact pat.gawarecki@hfcmn.org.

Funeral Lunch Helpers: With the retirement of our beloved funeral lunch lady, Pat Menke, Holy Family is searching for more helpers to serve funeral lunches. For more information, contact pat.gawarecki@hfcmn.org.

Thank you for offering your time for the enrichment of our parish community! May God reward your generosity!



LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR TOILETRIES COLLECTION

Each Lent, Holy Family donates toiletries to the Little Sisters of the Poor for their senior care facilities. Although the Sisters are leaving the Twin Cities, the residents of their nursing home currently remain in need of toiletry donations. Please consider dropping off men's and women's deodorant, tissues, toothpaste, and unscented dermatologist-approved lotion at the collection baskets by the church exits. We are also in need of drivers to deliver collected supplies to the sisters. If you are interested in assisting with delivery, please contact pat.gawarecki@hfcmn.org. Thank you!

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE 2025

TENEBRAE | WED. APRIL 16TH, 7PM

HOLY THURSDAY | APRIL 17TH

Adoration Chapel closes (until Easter Monday): 8am
HFYA Triduum Retreat: 5pm
Holy Thursday Mass: 7pm
Church open for prayer until midnight

GOOD FRIDAY | APRIL 18TH

HFYA Triduum Retreat: All Day
Parish Office Closed: All Day
Good Friday Service: 3pm
Stations of the Cross: 7pm
Youth Group screening of "The Passion:" 8pm

HOLY SATURDAY | APRIL 19TH

HFYA Triduum Retreat: All Day
Easter Vigil Mass: 8pm
Easter Vigil Social: 10pm-midnight

EASTER SUNDAY | APRIL 20TH

Easter Sunday Masses: 7:30am, 9:00am, 11:00am

EASTER MONDAY | APRIL 21ST

Parish Office Closed: All Day
Adoration Chapel reopens: after 8am Mass

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION



Come and adore Christ in Holy Family's perpetual adoration chapel! Entrance to the chapel is on the west side of the sanctuary end of the Church.

WE NEED ADORERS!

Go online to [www.hfcmn.org/eucharistic-](http://www.hfcmn.org/eucharistic-adoration)

[adoration](http://www.hfcmn.org/eucharistic-adoration) to sign up to be a substitute or to take one of the hours listed below.

Contact Mike Zwack with questions: 612.710.5007

Wed.: 2-3pm,

Fri.: 1-2am, noon-1pm

Sat.: 10-11am, 11pm-midnight

YOUTH EVENTS

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP | WEDNESDAYS, 6:30-8:30PM, NAZARETH HOUSE

This week, Confirmation students are required to attend a breakout session on the fruits of the Holy Spirit. Confirmed youth are invited to enjoy a fellowship night. The evening officially starts at 6:30pm with pizza for dinner, but come as early as 3:45 to hang out, play games, eat snacks, or do homework. Bring a friend!

HEARING HELP

Need some extra help to participate in the Mass? Please see an usher to access our guest WiFi and then scan this QR code or visit the hyperlink below for instructions on downloading and using the Listen Everywhere app.

<https://hfcmn.org/listen-everywhere>



UPCOMING EVENTS

DONUT TUESDAY | MARCH 25

Following 8am Mass on Tuesday, March 25th, celebrate the Solemnity of the Annunciation with a donut!

FUNDAMENTALS OF CATHOLICISM CLASS | MARCH 27, 7PM

Fundamentals of Catholicism is for all adults who would like to learn more about the teachings of Christ and his Church, especially those who are called to join the Catholic Church. Our next class is March 20th from 7-9pm in the Sts. Peter & Paul Room, where we will discuss the fourth through sixth commandments. To learn more, visit <https://hfcmn.org/become-catholic>.



GROUP EVENT: AI CLASS | APRIL 5, 9-11AM

AI is revolutionizing the world around us—from healthcare and business to education and entertainment—but what does that mean for you and your family? Attend this informative and engaging class to get some answers. This event will be in Fr. Moorman Hall and includes light refreshments. Learn more here: <https://e.givesmart.com/events/GNm/i/>.



ALTAR SERVER TACO BREAKFAST | APRIL 6

Help support Holy Family's Altar Servers by attending a taco breakfast after all Sunday Masses on April 6th. All free-will offerings go to support this wonderful liturgical ministry!

CRUSADER CUP | JUNE 9TH

Mark your calendar! Holy Family will once again be taking over the green for our annual Crusader Cup golf tournament on Monday, June 9th. Registration opens April 1st. To help sponsor this fundraiser, visit <https://hfcmn.org/crusader-cup> or scan the QR code.



HOLY FAMILY CHESS CLUB

All levels and ages are welcome. Chess club meets in the Sts. Peter and Paul Room in HFA following the Saturday daily Mass until 11am. Meetings are scheduled for March 29, April 12, May 3, June 7, July 5, and August 2. Players from absolute beginners to tournament champions are welcome. Please register each player at <https://hfcmn.org/chess-club-registration>. For any questions, please email Tobbyn Scott at tobbvns@gmail.com.

GROUP EVENT: GIRLS' GETAWAY | AUG. 7-10

Take a weekend in Wisconsin to blend faith and expert firearms training! Designed to strengthen both your spiritual and personal defense skills in a supportive environment and led by Peter Johnson of Archway Defense, this immersive weekend will provide top-tier instruction on firearm safety, marksmanship, and defensive mindset. This event is perfect for all skill levels. Daily Rosary & Faith Formation with like-minded women will also be provided. Learn more here: <https://e.givesmart.com/events/GNm/i/>.



FLOCKNOTE NOTICE

We are currently reviewing and cleaning up our parish Flocknote group. If you have stopped receiving Flocknote messages or if you have never received any, please contact maria.brounstein@hfcmn.org to be re-added or verified.

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

AN INTRODUCTION TO THE ST. JOSEPH BUSINESS GUILD | MARCH 25TH, & 28TH

Open to members and prospects, the Guild is holding two intro meetings this month: March 25 and 28. Over 800 individuals and businesses have joined the St. Joseph Business Guild and their work is helping raise the tide for our parishes, schools, and families. For more info on how you can connect and benefit, and to RSVP, please visit sjbusinessguild.com.



A NIGHT WITH MONSIGNOR JAMES SHEA: THE CHURCH AND HER MISSION IN THESE DAYS | MARCH 28TH, 7-9PM

Monsignor James Shea, President of University of Mary, will be presenting a formative lecture and Lenten meditation in company with St. John Henry Newman. Join for this event hosted with UST's Center for Catholic Studies and the Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis. RSVP here:

<https://www.roccaseccaproject.org/events/2025/3/28/save-the-date>.



MOZART'S VESPERS | MARCH 30TH, 3PM

Once again this year, the Twin Cities Catholic Chorale will present W. A. Mozart's "Vesperae Solennes de Confessore" as part of Sunday afternoon Vespers at the Church of Saint Agnes. Vespers are sung by the Saint Agnes Schola Cantorum every Sunday at 3:00 p.m. The Chorale and orchestra will join the Schola for the Mozart Vespers, which will coincide with the solemn closing of 40 Hours Devotion at the parish on Laetare Sunday, March 30 at 3pm. All are invited to this rare presentation of the Mozart Vespers in a liturgical setting.



MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. March 22, 8:00am.....*Amelia Larkin †*
 Sat. March 22, 5:00pm.....*Anthony † & Agnes † Yapel*
 Sun. March 23, 7:30am.....*Henry J. Brake †*
 Sun. March 23, 9:00am.....*The Parish*
 Sun. March 23, 11:00am.....*Jeff & Teresa Jenior*
 Mon. March 24, 8:00am.....*Adele Harlow †*
 Tues. March 25, 8:00am.....*Angela † & Jack † Bureau*
 Wed. March 26, 8:00am.....*Andrew Hilliard †*
 Thurs. March 27, 8am...*Vince Bangasser, father of Mary Beth Millner*
 Fri. March 28, 8:00am.....*Theresa Long*
 Sat. March 29, 8:00am.....*Shafer Family*
 Sat. March 29, 5:00pm.....*Diane Huges †*
 Sun March 30, 7:30am.....*Matthew Snyder*
 Sun. March 30, 9:00am.....*John & Cindy Shumosic*
 Sun. March 30, 11:00am.....*The Parish*

SUNDAY STEWARDSHIP

MARCH 15-16 CONTRIBUTIONS

Member Envelopes: \$8,246.00

Online Giving: \$11,467.25

Plate: \$762.51

Total: \$20,475.76

Special Collection—Care Fund: \$420

STEWARDSHIP NOTE:

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

NEXT WEEK'S SPECIAL COLLECTION:

Care Fund

PRAYER REQUESTS

John Rosenthal

To request prayers, go to

www.hfcmn.org/prayer-requests.

FUNERAL ROSARIES NOTICE

It has been a time-honored tradition for women of the parish to recite a rosary before every funeral at Holy Family. Following the retirement of Terry Berthiaume, who led funeral rosaries for many years, no new leader has stepped up. For that reason, we must discontinue this tradition.

If you are interested in becoming a funeral rosary leader so that this ministry, which has blessed so many grieving families, can be reinstated, please contact

pat.gawarecki@hfcmn.org.

REPORT ABUSE

If you suspect abuse or if a person is in imminent danger, always call 911 first. To report abuse to the archdiocese, visit: [https://](https://www.archspm.org/)

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