

# 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 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-noon



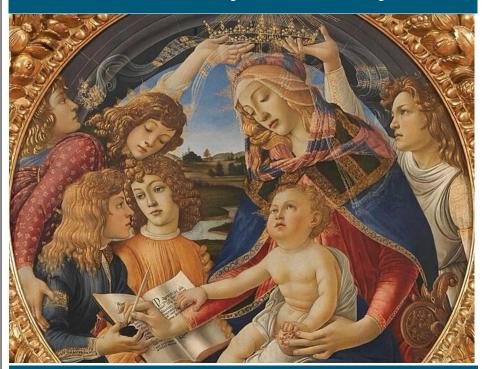
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# August 17th, 2025 Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time



# TODAY AT HOLY FAMILY

#### SUNDAY HOSPITALITY

Following Sunday Masses, all are invited to enjoy donuts and fellowship in Fr. Moorman Hall. If you are able, please help to serve, set up, or clean up!

#### FALL FESTIVAL

Before the final blessing at this weekend's Masses, a Fall Festival Committee Member will announce how parishioners can prepare for our Festival Weekend, Sept. 6-7! Visit the back of the church after Mass to donate, pick up raffle tickets, purchase wristbands, and more.

# HFYA SUNDAY BRUNCH

After 9am Mass, young adults are invited to gather in the Nazareth House behind the church for brunch and a Gospel discussion.

# BLESSING OF EXPECTANT MOTHERS

Following 9am Mass on Sunday, expectant mothers and their families are invited to come to the Communion rail for a special blessing.

# 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 to meet the emergency needs of our parishioners and those in the wider community

# TWENTIETH SUNDAY

# PROCESSIONAL HYMN

O Bless the Lord, My Soul



#### INTROIT

Gregorian Chant, Mode IV

Turn your eyes, O God, our shield; and look on the face of Your anointed one; one day within your courts is better than a thousand elsewhere. *V.* How lovely is Your tabernacle, O Lord of hosts! My soul longs and pines after the courts of the Lord.

- Psalm 83:10-11, 2-3

#### **KYRIE**

Mass Setting II - Adam Bartlett

Cantor first, then all

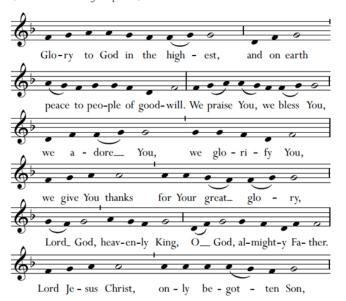


#### **GLORIA**

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(Father intones the first phrase).

(If the Confiteor is recited)





### **READINGS**

Page 538 Lumen Christi Missal



Psalm 40:2-4, 18 Jeff Ostrowski



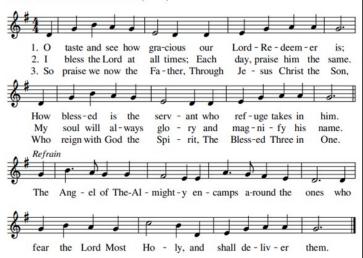
#### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Cantor or Choir, then all George Thalben-Ball (1896 - 1987)









OFFERTORY CHANT (9:00) Gregorian Chant, Mode VIII The Angel of the Lord shall encamp round about

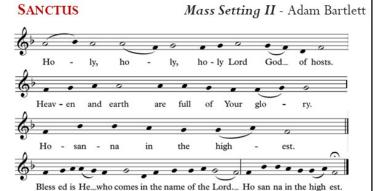
Text: Offertory Antiphon, 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Gregorian Missal, Immittet angelus, Psalm 34, 8,9, 2,3 adapted Luke Massery © 2021, tune: FULDA MELODY, Gesangbuch, Fulda, 1891

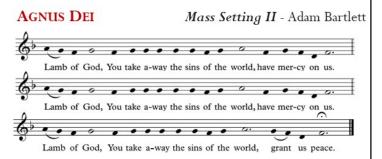
those who fear Him and shall deliver them; taste and see how good the Lord is.

- Psalm 33:8-9

### **OFFERTORY MOTET** (9:00, 11:00)

Salve Regina Samuel Webbe (1740 - 1816) See the Offertory Chant translation above.





# 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 ANTIPHON** Gregorian Chant, Mode VIII Seek first the kingdom of God, and all the rest will be given to you in addition, says the Lord.

- Matthew 6:33

### COMMUNION MOTET

Ave Maris Stella Oreste Ravanello (1871 - 1938) Hail, star of the sea, loving Mother of God, and also always a virgin, nappy gate of heaven.

Receiving that Ave from Gabriel's mouth confirm us in peace, reversing Eva's name.

Break the chains of sinners, bring light to the blind, drive away our evils, ask for all good.

Show Yourself to be a mother, may He accept prayers through You, He who, born for us, chose to be yours.

O unique virgin, meek above all, Make us, absolved from sin, gentle and chaste.

Keep life pure, make the journey safe, So that, seeing Jesus, we may always rejoice together.

Let there be praise to God the Father, glory to Christ in the highest, to the Holy Spirit, One honor to all Three. Amen.

#### RECESSIONAL HYMN

Let All Things Now Living #612 Saint 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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# THE GRASS IS ALWAYS GREENER ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE FENCE

This has definitely been true for our parish greenspace near Crusader Hall the past several years!

The ideal is to offer children of the parish and school something other than blacktop to play on. Grass fields exude a sense of life and are much more forgiving when a child falls. However, our enclosed grassy area has been more a field of nightmares than of dreams.

By my reckoning, we are now on our fourth attempt at growing healthy grass in the field. Looking back at old satellite pictures, we can see a definite pattern of sodding or seeding followed by the inevitable wear and tear that leads to dirt patches. This past year, the space became a dirt lot that revealed the cause of the problem. The hard-packed earth was, in fact, more akin to class-5 mixed rubble than good, old-fashioned dirt. The grass simply could not grow roots.

In July, a respected and recommended company with the needed heavy duty equipment took away about six inches of the undesirable earth and brought in the equivalent amount of soil conducive to a grassy field. The cost is substantial, just over \$80,000. Some of the money came from what was left in the original fund to build Crusader Hall. The remainder is from the building fund. Please remember that we have spent approximately \$8,500 over the last few years in failed attempts-not including the original work in 2020. It is always preferred to take the right course of action as soon as possible in order avoid spending good money on future failed attempts.

To give the new sod an opportunity to grow healthy roots in the short term,



the 2025 Holy Family Fall Festival will be temporarily moved to the northern part of our campus around the church. Please join me in thanking the festival committee for their flexibility, patience and creativity, despite this year's change in location!

# HOLY FAMILY CENTENNIAL: HELP US COMMEMORATE THE PAST

2026 marks Holy Family parish's 100th anniversary, and we are eager to celebrate this momentous occasion as a community. With preparations for the Centennial underway, we are gathering information, personal stories, and media (photos, newspaper clippings, bulletins, etc.) from the parish's past to create a comprehensive history of Holy Family.



We need your help to accomplish this goal! Scan the QR code or follow the **link** to share stories and photos from your time at Holy Family or that of a family member. If you would prefer a paper copy of this form, visit the parish office during regular hours.

We are especially seeking content from the 1920's, 30's, and 40's, including photos of the original church building that was later turned into a community center. Please note that submitting content does not guarantee that it will be used in our Centennial communications.

Thank you for your help in gathering the information needed to form a history of Holy Family parish! I look forward to celebrating our community's Centennial with you.

Sincerely yours in Christ, Fr. Mark Moriarty

# FALL FESTIVAL 2025

Get ready for a weekend of community, faith, and fun in support of Holy Family parish on **September 6-7**, **2025!** Our annual Fall Festival features food, carnival games, bingo, a silent auction, cash raffle, used book sale and more—we can't wait to see you there! **The school field is currently being re-turfed, so this year's fall festival will take place at Holy Family Church! Check out the festival webpage for more information.** 

#### WRISTBAND BUNDLES

Advanced Purchase Wristband Bundles are available for sale now. Presale bundles include a wristband and 5x \$1 tickets for \$20. Wristbands grant unlimited access to inflatables, petting zoo, pony rides, and kiddie train. (Wristbands available for sale at the festival for \$20). Visit the webpage to learn more!

#### CASH RAFFLE

Return your raffle ticket bundles to the church office—the first 50 people to return their tickets get a festival drink voucher. The parishioner who sells the most tickets wins \$50. Questions? Contact

# Elizabeth.Hessian@hfamn.org.

# CORN HOLE TOURNAMENT

Registration is now open for our Corn Hole Tournament! Sixteen team slots are available and the Tournament prize is \$50. Sign up today!

#### BAKE-OFF

Calling all bakers! Registration is now open for our first ever Fall Festival Bake-Off. The theme ingredients are Oreo, peanut butter, and/or banana. There will be a \$5 entry fee and entries will be judged on taste, presentation, originality, and adherence to theme. All entries are due by noon on Saturday, September 6th. Learn more on the festival webpage!

# ITEM DONATIONS

We are currently accepting donations for our Auction baskets. Items that sell particularly well include tickets to events and alcohol. All items should be new with the exception of religious art in good condition. In addition, start gathering pre-loved books to donate to this year's Used Book Sale. Bring your donations to the church office during regular office hours!

#### Sponsorships

Are you or your business able to help sponsor this year's festival? Sponsors are eligible for advertisement through our printed materials as well as with signage at the festival. Learn more by contacting

#### cfquarnstrom@gmail.com.

#### VOLUNTEER

Many hands are needed for the fall festival to come together! Please sign up to help before, during, or after the festival: https://www.signupgenius.com/

go/70A094FAAA622A0FB6-57685541-2025#/.

This year's mini donut stand will be parishioner-run. If you would like to be a lead, please email

<u>carrie.havlicek@hfcmn.org.</u> To learn more about this year's festival, visit <u>https://hfcmn.org/fall-festival</u>.





# HERE AT HOLY FAMILY

# SMOKER POKER | AUGUST 22

Men are invited to Smoker Poker: our annual school fundraiser featuring dinner, bourbon, poker, and cigars. Sponsorship opportunities



and VIP tickets available. Tickets are \$125! Reserve your place or donate today at <a href="https://hfcmn.org/smoker-poker-registration">https://hfcmn.org/smoker-poker-registration</a>.

# BELLOC BOOK CLUB | THURSDAYS IN SEPTEMBER

Parishioners are invited to join Fr. Moriarty in a book club studying Hilaire Belloc's "How the



Reformation Happened" Thursdays in September. The book club will meet in Fr. Moorman Hall for two identical sessions each Thursday: 6:30-7:30am and 5-6pm. To learn more and register, visit https://hfcmn.org/book-club.

# **IMPORTANT NOTICES**

#### SUMMER HOURS END

Summer Office Hours at Holy Family church and school have officially ended. To view regular hours, visit **hfcmn.org** or **hfamn.org**.

# **REVISED HOURS FOR AUGUST 18**

On Monday, August 18th, the church and school offices will open at 1pm to allow our staff to participate in a morning staff retreat.

#### **Now Hiring**

Holy Family Academy is hiring several staff positions for the 2025-26 school year:



- Middle School Math Teacher
- Lunchroom Assistant (M-F 10am-2pm)

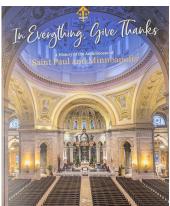
To learn more, email **kevin.mccaffrey@hfamn.org** or visit

https://hfamn.org/employment.

Thank you for your interest!

# CELEBRATING 175 YEARS OF ARCHDIOCESAN HISTORY

The Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis has produced a book to celebrate the 175th anniversary of the Archdiocese. "In Everything, Give Thanks," is a 500+ page book with a history of the archdiocese and fascinating pictures of each parish, along with each parish's history. Continuing this weekend, a limited number of these beautiful books will be available for a suggested donation



of \$30 in Fr.
Moorman Hall after Sunday Masses.
Donations can be made by cash or online.

# **EUCHARISTIC 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-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



Tuesdays: noon-1pm Thursdays: midnight-1am

Fridays: 1-2am

Saturdays: 9-10am, 10-11am,

11pm-midnight

### REGISTER FOR THE MINISTRY YEAR

## FIAT Young Mothers' Group

FIAT (Faith In Action Together) is a group for mothers and expecting mothers, with at least one child in fifth grade or younger, who want to grow closer to Christ and to each other in friendship. Women who are pregnant are welcome and highly encouraged to join. The group meets September-May, once per month in the lower level of the church with an engaging speaker presentation, and once per month in small groups at other locations. This year's cost is \$50 or sign up before August 21 and receive a \$10 discount. Scholarships are available. Contact Melissa Norton with questions at melissa@nortoncrew.com. To learn more and register go to www.hfcmn.org/fiat today!

#### HOLY FAMILY HONEYBEES

Spots are filling quickly for this year of Honeybees! If you're interested in your 1st-5th grade daughter joining us this year, be sure to sign up soon. For middle schoolers interested in helping out, please email Kathleen Acker at kathleen.m.acker@gmail.com.

#### HOLY FAMILY HOME EDUCATORS

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. Registration is open now. Early Bird Pricing ends Sept. 1. Have questions? Email HolyFamilyHomeEducators+owner@groups.io or visit https://hfcmn.org/hfhe.

# RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & FIRST SACRAMENTS PREP

Registration for religious education and sacramental prep at Holy Family for grades 1-8 is now open. To learn more, visit <a href="https://hfcmn.org/religious-ed">https://hfcmn.org/religious-ed</a>.



# **SUMMER STRETCH 2025**

Holy Family youth closed out the summer last week with Summer Stretch: four days of fun and service. Over the course of the week, our middle schoolers and high schoolers collected food for STEP, cleaned headstones at a cemetery, and went to Feed my Starving Children. They also attended a St. Paul Saints Game, swam at Bunker Beach, went to Valley Fair, and enjoyed an ice cream social. What a great way to enjoy the final days of summer!





# AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

ST. JOSEPH BUSINESS GUILD INFO MEETING | AUGUST 20 Intro meetings to the St. Joseph Business Guild—which include pizza!—are ongoing. Any Catholic of goodwill and a pulse and from any background is encouraged to attend! Find out about the benefits of membership and the work the Guild is doing! The dates are below and meetings take place at their coworking space (1983 Dayton Avenue, St. Paul). RSVPs are required (sibusinessguild.org).

# SOUTHWEST OPTIONS FOR WOMEN WINE & CHARCUTERIE NIGHT | SEPTEMBER 11

Southwest Options for Women is launching a Capital Campaign Fund to support their expansion into a beautiful new space that will triple the number of women served. Save the date for a wine and charcuterie evening at the home of board member Jen Bullard to learn about SWOW's vision for the future and how you can make a difference. Stay tuned for more information and to RSVP!

# WOMEN'S DAY RETREAT | OCTOBER 11, 9AM-4PM

https://www.stpatrick-edina.org/womensretreat.

Women are invited to learn about the four female Doctors of the Church at this day retreat located at St. Patrick's in Edina. The retreat day will include Mass, a light breakfast, a social hour, vendors, a catered lunch, and talks from Catholic speakers Angela Jendro, Anne Carraux, Kelley Yanta, and Dr. Pamela Patnode. To learn more and to register, visit



High school aged youth are invited to gather for youth group on Wednesdays. The evening officially starts at 6:30pm with pizza for dinner, but come as early as 3:45 to hang out, play games, and eat snacks. Bring a friend! Visit <a href="https://hfcmn.org/high-school-youth-ministry">https://hfcmn.org/high-school-youth-ministry</a> for dates.

#### MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. Aug. 16, 5:00pm
Sun. Aug. 17, 7:30am
Sun. Aug. 17, 9:00am
Sun. Aug. 17, 11:00am
Mon. Aug. 18, 8:00amGregory Fink
Tues. Aug. 19, 8:00amJuan Vasquez Villar †
Wed. Aug. 20, 8:00am
Thurs. Aug. 21, 8:00amEugene Schurman †
Fri. Aug. 22, 8:00am
Sat. Aug. 23, 8:00am
Sat. Aug. 23, 5:00pm
Sun. Aug. 24, 7:30am
Sun. Aug. 24, 9:00am
Sun. Aug. 24, 11:00am

To request prayer for yourself or a loved one, please visit <a href="https://doi.org/prayer-requests.">https://doi.org/prayer-requests.</a>

# CONTRIBUTION NUMBERS

# Week of July 28-August 3

Envelope (Electronic and Paper): \$28.274.97

Plate Collection: \$1,100.32

Care Fund: \$596.11

# 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

# WEDDING BANNS

Jessica Smith & Matthew Scattergood

# PRAYER REQUESTS

John Rosenthal Kellv & Bill Wilder

To request prayers, go to: www.hfcmn.org/prayer-requests.

