



# Holy Family Bulletin

ROMAN CATHOLIC ARCHDIOCESE OF ANCHORAGE-JUNEAU

The Most Reverend Andrew Bellisario, CM, Archbishop

Staffed by the Friars of the Dominican Province of the Most Holy Name of Jesus

Fr. James Junípero Moore, OP, Pastor



**28<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – October 12, 2025**



## Mission Alaska

Kotzebue weekend Masses were cancelled due to local storms.

### The WEEK of OCTOBER 12

**Sun. 10/12 28TH SUNDAY IN OT**  
**COFFEE & DONUTS AND KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEMBERSHIP**  
**DRIVE after 930A and 12P Masses**  
**FAITH FORMATION CLASSES 1045A**

**Mon., 10/13 YOUNG ADULTS. 7P**

**Tues. 10/14 LEGION OF MARY. 1245P**  
**OCIA. "The Incarnation." 7P**  
**ADORATION. 7P – 8P**

**Wed. 10/15 EVANGELIZATION 101. Jason Simon**  
**Ministry Center. 7P**

**Th. 10/16 ADORATION. 4P – 7P**  
**HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH. 7P**  
**CHOIR PRACTICE. 7P**

**Fri., 10/17 ADORATION. 830A – 12P**

**Sat. 10/18 OVER 65 DANCE CLASS. 11A**  
**MISSION READY. Here am I, Lord.**  
**Send me. After 530P Mass**

**Sun. 10/19 29TH SUNDAY IN OT**  
**PANCAKE BREAKFAST after 930A**  
**Mass**  
**MISSION READY. Here am I, Lord.**  
**Send me. After 930A and 12P Masses**  
**FAITH FORMATION CLASSES 1045A**

**STARTING MONDAY, OCTOBER 20**  
**BIBLE STUDY. The Letter to the Hebrews.**  
**ZOOM. 7P. Contact Deacon Dave, 907-885-9992**



### "The Healing of the Ten Lepers"

James Tissot (1836-1902)

## PASTOR'S CORNER

This past week I was noticing that most leaves of the deciduous trees have fallen. Fall colors have mostly passed their peak time. Back home in California, this happens around Thanksgiving, so that's been on my mind this past week.

In our Gospel today, we hear of our Lord cleansing several lepers. However, only one of them returns to give thanks! I'm sure that the others had legit excuses as to why they did not return. Many of them were probably very busy re-establishing ties with their families as lepers would be cut off from all others. They would need a new

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would need a new place to live, a job, etc. The scriptures also do not indicate that their failure to return was done out of any sort of malice. However, only one of them returned to give thanks.



I've noticed this in my own life – how many times something great happens to me. I might give thanks to God for a moment or two, but then I usually forget about it and move on to the next thing. This is even true of healings. Sometimes, when I'm sick, I think the whole world is crashing down as I feel miserable. However, when it passes I usually just dive back into the rat race again.

How often I forget my blessings – even though God has showered so many on me!

This is the time of year when many of us can drift into sadness or melancholia. I'm a Californian, so I don't particularly like the different seasons, and I also really love the sun! Also, for me, I'm not really affected by the coldness of Alaska, but the dark and grey can sometimes get to me. If I'm not careful, I'll catch myself wallowing in pity, wishing to be at Lake Tahoe, Yosemite, or Carmel (my three favorite places on earth!) But then I snap out of it when I realize how beautiful and blessed my life is here in Alaska – especially with all of you at Holy Family! I'm forming deep friendships, and I'm growing in holiness as I help others to try and grow in holiness! I'm a lucky Pastor!

As we get closer to thanksgiving, let us focus more on the virtue of gratitude! When we feel down or anxious, let's take a minute or two (it might have to be early in the morning or late at night if we are crazy busy), and maybe even make a list of things that we are blessed with!

Often in times of real stress and tragedy, people still give thanks. In our own country, we know the story of the pilgrims, after the hard times they had in Plymouth, giving thanks. During the Civil War, Abraham Lincoln urged the country to give thanks.

Thank you all for your prayers, friendship, and support for me and for all the Dominicans! I have a lot to be thankful for – especially the opportunity to grow in holiness! *Siempre Adelante!*

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### MASS SCHEDULE

Sundays: 730A, 930A, Noon, 2P Spanish,  
4P Dominican Rite, 6P  
Mondays – Fridays: 8A, Noon  
Saturdays: 9A, 530P Vigil



### CONFESSIONS

M - F 1130A; Sat. 830A; Sunday: 145P, 345P.  
Visit the website to contact individual friars.  
[www.holyfamilyalaska.org](http://www.holyfamilyalaska.org) or 907-276-3455

### MASS INTENTIONS

Contact the office at 907-276-3455  
or email [frontdesk@hfocak.org](mailto:frontdesk@hfocak.org)

### ADORATION

Tuesdays, 7P – 8P; Thursdays, 4P – 7P;  
Fridays, 830A – 12P;  
First Fridays, 830A – 8P



### PRAYER REQUESTS.

Call the office at 907-276-3455

### CHURCH OPEN HOURS

30 min. before Masses; 1 hour before weekday noon Mass

### PARISH OFFICE OPEN HOURS

Tuesday – Thursday, 10A - 4P  
And by appointment. Call 907-276-3455.

### ST. PAUL'S CORNER BOOKS AND GIFTS

Sundays, 1030A – 230P; Wednesdays, 11A – 2P

### CLERGY

#### Parish Dominicans

Fr. James Junípero Moore, OP	Pastor
Fr. Matthew Heynen, OP	Parochial Vicar
Fr. Columban Hall, OP	Parochial Vicar
Fr. Matthew Wanner, OP	Parochial Vicar
Br. Anthony Martin, OP	Residency Brother

#### Deacons

Deacon David E. Van Tuyl	Permanent Deacon
Deacon Gustavo Azpilcueta	Permanent Deacon

### STAFF

Angel Beaty, Youth Minister. . . . . 907-276-3455  
Briana Binder, Dir. Religious Education. . . 907-646-3025  
Mary Beth Bragiel, Office Manager. . . . . 907-646-3003  
Karen Chaperon, Bookkeeper. . . . . 907-646-3004  
Letha Flint, Administration. . . . . 907-276-3455  
Bernardette Frost, Mgr., St. Paul's Corner. . 907-646-3070  
Kathleen MacLean, Director of Music. . . . 970-213-9257  
Lael Roberts, Assistant to the Pastor. . . . . 907-276-3455

### Holy Family

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@hfakyouth; @hfakyoungadults

## STEWARDSHIP OF TIME

### Prayer and Study



#### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

“O Eternal Word made man and present for my sake in the Blessed Sacrament, what joy should be mine now that I am in the presence of my God, who is infinitely good and has so tender a love for me.” St. Alphonsus Liguori

Tuesdays. 7P – 8P. Thursdays. 4P – 7P.  
Fridays. 830A–12P; First Fridays. 830A–8P.

#### JESUS INVITES YOU!

Schedule at: [holyfamiweadorehim.com](http://holyfamiweadorehim.com)

Contact the office at 907-276-3455

#### MASS BIBLE READINGS

**Oct 12 – Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time.**

2 Kings 5:14-17; Psalm 98:1-4; 2 Timothy 2:8-13; Luke 17:11-19.

**Oct 13 – Monday of the Twenty-eighth Week in Ordinary**

**Time.** Romans 1:1-7; Psalm 98:1bcde, 2-3cd, 4; Luke 11:29-32.

**Oct 14 – Memorial of St. Callistus I, Pope and Martyr.**

Romans 1:16-25; Psalm 19:2-5; Luke 11:37-41.

**Oct 15 – Memorial of St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church.** Romans 2:1-11; Psalm 62:2-3, 6-7, 9;

Luke 11:42-46.

**Oct 16 – Memorial of St. Hedwig, Religious.** Romans 3:21-30;

Psalm 130:1b-4, 5-6ab; Luke 11:47-54

**Oct 17 – Memorial of St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and**

**Martyr.** Romans 4:1-8; Psalm 32:1b-2, 5, 11; Luke 12:1-7.

**Oct 18 – Feast of St. Luke, Evangelist.** 2 Timothy 4:10-17b;

Psalm 145:10-13, 17-18; Luke 10:1-9.

**Oct 19 – Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time.** Exodus

17:8-13; Psalm 121:1-8; 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2; Luke 18:1-8.



#### MASS INTENTIONS

**Oct 11 9A Marian Jones**

**Sat. 530P Kathy Nissila**

**Oct 12 730A Respect for Life**

**Sun. 930A +Mary Brandner+**

**12P +Lilia Bracino Pena+**

**2P Heather Lubinski**

**4P Fiona Conley**

**6P People of Holy Family**

**Oct 13 8A +Phyllis Wilson+**

**Mon. 12P +Betty Newman+**

**Oct 14 8A Barbara Halcro and Family**

**Tue. 12P +Matthew Byars+**

**Oct 15 8A Laurie Boelter**

**Wed. 12P Danny Williams**

**Oct 16 8A Geri Forbes**

**Thur. 12P +Betty Newman+**

**Oct 17 8A Deacon Dez Martinez**

**Fri. 12P Legion of Mary**

**Oct 18 9A +Henry Kirchner and Hugh**

**Sat. Aamodt+**

**530P People of Holy Family**

**Oct 19 730A +Jacob and Miriam Watanabe+**

**Sun. 930A +Michael Joseph Brandner+**

**12P +Annette Covault; Nellie, Daisy,**

**Kathleen & Doris Treverton+**

**2P Holy Rosary Auction Committee**

**4P Annie Conley**

**6P +Paul and Jean Reincke+**

To request a Mass for a specific intention, please contact the Office at 907-276-3455.

#### CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS



#### ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP ESSAY

#### 3 ST. THERESE'S CAMP CAMPSHIP AWARDS

Forms in vestibule

Deadline: November 15

Contact: Kerry Whitney

[Kewhitney14@gmail.com](mailto:Kewhitney14@gmail.com)

907-230-4726



ALASKA FEDERATION  
OF NATIVES

## AFN 2025 CONVENTION MASS

Wednesday, October 15, 12P

Memorial of St. Teresa of Jesus,  
Virgin and Doctor of the Church

Holy Family



Celebrant: Bishop Steve Maekawa, OP, Bishop of Fairbanks

Concelebrants: Fr. James Moore, OP; Fr. Luz Flores



## STEWARDSHIP OF TALENT

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS** – Call Marianne Berus, 907-248-4707, or Lupe Ortega, 907-350-2667, to volunteer

<b>Oct 18</b>	530P Deacon Brian Kirk	<b>Lectors</b>	Fran Lopinsky
<b>Oct 19</b>	730A Deacon Brian Kirk		Toni Berkenbush
	930A Priest		Raoul Treverton
	12P Rowena Carrillo		Diane Cunningham
	2P Deacon Gus		
	6P Caroline Peterson		Caroline Peterson
<b>SERVERS</b>	4P Kolbe, Dominic; Gabe, Anthony		

### PARISH MINISTRIES AND GROUPS

#### LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

**Altar Servers:** Eng/Spanish. . Fr. Matthew, 907-646-3006  
Dominican Rite. . . . . Todd Lindley, 720-462-0858

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion / Lectors**  
English. . . . . Marianne Berus, 907-248-4707  
Spanish. . . . . Lupe Ortega, 907-350-2667

**Liturgical Art & Environ.** . . . . . Office, 907-276-3455

**Music.** Music Director: Kathleen MacLean, 970-213-9257  
2P Spanish. . . . . Juan Ortega, 907-250-2027  
4P Schola. . . . . Mario Bird, 907-205-9390  
6P Choir. . . . . Liz Janezich, 907-947-8335

**Ushers.** English. . . . . Deacon Dave, 907-885-9992  
Spanish. . . . . Jacobo, Carlos Sanchez

#### PRAYER

**Adoration.** . . . . . Office, 907-276-3455  
**El Shaddai.** . . . . . Rowena Carrillo, 907-250-0823  
**Prayer Line Requests.** . . . . . Office, 907-276-3455

#### WORKS OF MERCY

**St. Vincent de Paul.** . . . Richard Whitney, 907-330-9637  
**Homebound Ministry.** . . . Paul Lariviere, 907-276-3074  
**Pioneer Home.** . . . Sheila Barrett, 907-334-9503  
**Parish Nurses.** . . . Elizabeth Blair, 907-276-3455  
**Prison Ministry.** . . . Deacon Dave, 907-885-9992

#### SERVICE AND FELLOWSHIP

**Knights of Columbus.** . . . Manny Lazado, 907-220-6547  
**Women of Holy Family.** . . . Office, 907-276-3455  
**Earth Angels.** . . . Stephanie Van Tuyl, 907-885-9952  
**Coffee & Donuts.** . . . Office, 907-276-3455  
**Troops of St. George.** . . . David Syzdek, 907-980-1151  
**American Heritage Girls.** . . . Katrina Zimmerman, 907-250-4574  
**Young Adults.** . . . Fr. Matthew Heynen, 907-646-3006  
**High School Group.** . . . Angel Beaty, 907-276-3455

#### EVANGELIZATION AND EDUCATION

**Religious Ed.** . . . DRE: Briana Binder, 907-646-3025  
**OCIA (aka RCIA)** Deacon Dave Van Tuyl, 907-885-9992  
**Women's Bible Study,** Katrina Zimmerman 907-250-4574  
**Legion of Mary, Junior.** . . . Meyoung Wolfe, 907-360-0996  
**Legion of Mary, Senior.** . . . Robert Bowe, 907-229-3199  
**St. Paul's Corner.** . . . . . 907-646-3070  
**Catholics Read book group.** . . . . . 907-646-3070  
**Website/Parish App.** . . . . . geolochner@gmail.com

#### ADMIN/AOAJ

**ADMIN:** Finance Council. . . . Joe Babka, 907-337-2335  
**AOAJ:** Project Rachel. . . . . 907-297-7781  
**OTHER:** Natural Family Planning. . . . . aknfb.com

## AT HOLY FAMILY

**UPCOMING. MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**

### EVANGELIZATION 101

Jason Simon, CEO, Evangelical Catholic  
Wednesday, October 15, 7P

### MISSION READY!

### HERE AM I, LORD. SEND ME!

Volunteer Information and Sign-up

October 17/18. After 530P, 930A and noon Masses

### BIBLE STUDY. LETTER TO THE HEBREWS

Little Rock Bible study on ZOOM, facilitated by Deacon Dave. Seven week class begins Monday, October 20 at 7P. Contact Deacon to register. 907-885-9992

### YOUNG ADULT RETREAT. November 14-16.

Angel Beaty. youngadults@hfocak.org. 907-276-3455

### WELCOME!

### ROMAN JACOB MARCO AMAELSE

A new member of God's family through the Sacrament of Baptism.

## STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

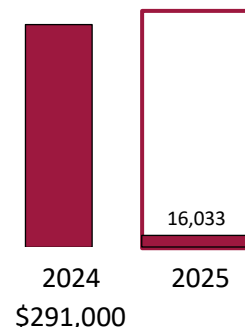
### OFFERTORY

FY26 Year to date offertory:	\$ 206,567
Total for October 5:	\$ 18,152
Cash and checks:	\$ 14,457
E-giving:	\$ 3,695
Children's envelopes:	\$
	<b>GOAL \$300,000</b>

### ROSARY SUNDAY 2025 DOMINICAN STUDENT APPEAL

### GOAL: \$300,000

Totals run about a week behind as donations are mailed to California and reported back from there



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Holy Family Offertory

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# Evangelization 101



*A free evening with  
Jason Simon,  
President of the  
Evangelical Catholic*

## OCT 15, 2025

EVENT BEGINS 7:00 PM  
**HOLY FAMILY PARISH**  
811 W. 6TH AVE  
ANCHORAGE, AK 99501

**Sharing your faith** doesn't have to feel awkward. **In fact,**  
**it starts with something you already know how to do:**  
**being a good friend.**

**Join Jason Simon for a free talk on what Evangelization is  
and how to live it out in your life. You'll learn how to:**

- Share the Gospel in natural, authentic ways.
- Overcome fear and hesitation about evangelization.
- Build deeper relationships rooted in trust and openness.





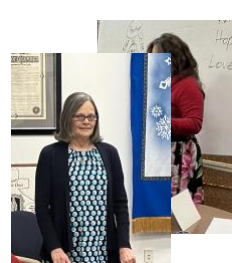
# READY TO SERVE!

“HERE AM I. SEND ME”

JOIN US FOR MINISTRY SIGN-UPS

Saturday, October 18 after the 530P Mass

Sunday, October 19 after the 930A and 12P Masses



“WHAT SHALL I RENDER TO THE LORD FOR  
ALL THE GOOD HE HAS DONE FOR ME?”

Join The Crowd    Make Friends    Share The Fun  
Find Meaning    Grow Spiritually