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Sunday, February 5, 2023

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Mass Times:

Weekdays 7:00 am and 9:00 am

Wednesday, 7:00 pm

Saturday, 9:00 am

Saturday 4:00 pm, Anticipates Sunday

Sunday 7:00 am, 9:00 am, 11:00 am and 5:00 pm

Confession Times:

Wednesday: 5:30 - 6:45 pm

Saturday: 9:30 - 11:00 am

Sunday: 8:30 - 9:00 am

Office Hours:

Monday -Thursday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Closed for lunch 12 - 1:00 pm

Friday - 9:00 am - 1:00 pm



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5th
Sunday
in
Ordinary
Time

"Your light must
shine before others,
that they may see
your good deeds
and glorify your
heavenly Father."

Matthew 5:16

Fr. David's Reflection

This weekend's Gospel passage continues Jesus' Sermon on the Mount with the commission each of us has been given to bring the Gospel message to the world. He does this by using the images of salt and light, two very important and necessary things we need in order to survive. Have you ever tried to walk through the woods at night with no flashlight, or even a guest room in a dark house? It can be quite challenging. Trying to navigate the spiritual life without the light of Christ made present through the teachings of the Church can be even more dangerous. In the second reading St. Paul reminds us that we don't need an advanced degree in theology, we don't need to go to seminary, we don't need any fancy tools, like light and smoke shows, and we don't even need screens in the sanctuary to answer this call to be salt and to be light. We just need to know Jesus.

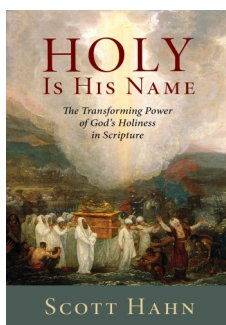
I invite you to spend some extra time with him this week. Come to first Friday adoration, come and sit in the empty church, open your Bible, meditate on the crucifix, read the catechism, pray the rosary, go to confession ... there are countless ways to get to know Him. He is waiting for you, and so is the world.

"Come away by yourselves to a desolate place and rest a while." (Mark 6:21)
As you may be aware the Church requires each priest to go on a retreat each year. Our diocese provides an opportunity for us to do this as a group each October, but we are also encouraged to go an individual retreat, preferably in [silence](#). In his highly recommended book "[The Soul of the Apostolate](#)", Dom Jean-Baptiste Chautard offer a powerful image about the necessity and the effect of going on a retreat".

"If you are wise, you will be reservoirs and not channels ... The channels let the water flow away, and do not retain a drop. But the reservoir is first filled, and then, without emptying itself, pours out its overflow, which is ever renewed over the fields which it waters."

[Full article here](#)

So, I will be away on retreat next week at a [retreat house in Schulenburg TX](#), spending 5 days in silence. Please pray that this will be a time of deep spiritual renewal for me. I hope it goes without saying that I will be praying for each of you.



The Season of Lent is just around the corner, Ash Wednesday is February 22nd. We will be presenting a book study on Scott Hahn's latest book "**Holy is His Name**". Stay tuned for more details as the date gets closer. [Get more info on the book here.](#)

Ash Wednesday Mass Times:
7:00 am, 9:00 am, 12:10 pm, 5:15 pm and 7:00 pm

Our **Bishop's Annual Stewardship Appeal (BASA)** is now underway. You may have already received a mailing from Bishop Pohlmeier, asking for your support and participation. Please prayerfully consider a pledge to the Appeal using the response card mailed to you or by completing a commitment envelope at Mass the weekend of February 18-19. Our annual theme, "Perfect in Generosity" reminds us that our faith community is made up of a network of parishes. Bishop Pohlmeier invites each of us to join together in support of the beautiful mission of our Church, as we are all called to be good stewards of what we have been gifted with. Please prayerfully respond to this year's Annual Appeal with a gift of any amount. The generosity expressed through this critical effort has been so inspiring, especially in a year that has seen so much need.

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Prayer & Worship

Eucharistic Exposition and Adoration

Monday & Friday 9:30 am - Noon

Wednesday 9:30 am - 7:00 pm &

4th Thursday 7:00 pm – 8:00 pm

1st Friday Exposition continues through the night, ending with Benediction at 8:30 am Saturday morning.

Intercessory Prayer If you or if you know someone who is struggling, suffering, or otherwise in need of God's help and would like our team to pray with you. Contact Joan Triglia for more info, joan7619@att.net.

Prayers for Expectant Mothers,

Morgan Holmes, Bridget Koehr, Caroline Huband

Jenny Christian, Shannon Messink,

Kourtney Kuhlman, Marilyn Vickers, Lauren Craig

If you wish to be on the expectant mother prayer list, please contact Catherine Murphy: trigliacm@gmail.com.

Welcome New Parishioners,

Robert & Diane Wilford, Edwardo Llanera, the Fusaro family

Welcome the Newly Baptized,

Owen Israel and Miles Thomas,

sons of Thomas and Allison Mulligan

Jacob Francis, son of Benjamin & Laura Hartung

Altar Flowers:

If you would like donate \$90 per arrangement in remembrance of a loved one, birthday blessing, anniversary blessing, or whatever your intention may be, please call the Parish Office. Thank you for your support.

2022 Tax Letters

If you wish to request a 2022 Tax letter, please call the Parish Office at 904-641-5838 and we will be happy to email or mail it to you. Thank you.

For the Sick and Infirm

Virginia Carlson

John Schmitz

Doreen Saracco

Greg Bohnsack

Bill Perkins

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Eduardo Morales

Don Moynahan

Angela F. Trombino

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Flavia Langan

Noah Langan

Marie Giambrone

Carol Kuhn

Paula Griesbach

Omar Vargas

Codi Kimbal

James Luten

Mass Intentions

Monday, February 6

7:00 am †Andrew Donaldson, II

9:00 am †Krzysztof Kulagowski

Tuesday, February 7

7:00 am †Dwayne Schell

9:00 am Birthday blessings for Deacon Don DeLorenzo

Wednesday, February 8

7:00 am †Rolf Towe

9:00 am Anniversary of Baptism Catherine Miller

7:00 pm †Norbert Valentino

Thursday, February 9

7:00 am Birthday blessings for Patti Lombardo

9:00 am Birthday blessings for Gus Gari, Jr.

Friday, February 10

7:00 am Birthday blessings for Maria Gari

9:00 am †Lindsey Griffin

Saturday, February 11

9:00 am Birthday blessings Lou Guarro

4:00 pm †Mabel Betancourt

Sunday, February 12

7:00 am †Rizalina Paterno

9:00 am For those entrusted to the care of the pastor

11:00 am †Rosario Aspreo

5:00 pm †Immanuel Masinsin

Activities and Announcements

Family Faith Formation



Our next Root At-Church Session is this coming Wednesday, February 8th, 6:00 - 7:30 pm in the Parish Life Center. Please make sure to do Family Meeting 3 at home and work through Parent Series 4 by February 8th.

Confirmation

Congratulations to all of our Newly Confirmed!!! You are so loved by the Father!



We cannot wait to see you partner with the Holy Spirit in continuing Jesus' mission here on earth as it is in Heaven!

First Holy Communion Preparation:

Continued Weekly Preparation:

Wednesday, February 8th and following, 6:00 - 7:30 pm in the Parish Life Center, Room 204.

For more information or questions, please email Chantelle at chudachek@hollyfamilyjax.com.

Youth Discipleship

BE LOVE REVOLUTION: We will not be having Bible study this week. All high school girls are invited to join us on Feb. 14 from 6:30-8:30 as Jack and Josie Delac will be speaking. We hope to see you there!

FRATERNUS: All young men in 6th -12th grade and their fathers are welcome to join the men of our parish every Tuesday from 6:00 - 8:30 pm in the Parish Life Center for food, fellowship, and a discussion on the virtues!

Contact Josie Delac jdelac@hollyfamilyjax.com for more information.

Adult Discipleship

Catholicism 101: Understanding the Core Tenets of the Catholic Faith

Do you want to know more about your faith? Join us weekly on Tuesdays in the Parish Life Center Room 211 from 6:45-8:15pm.

Upcoming sessions:

2/7 – The Beatitudes

2/14 – No Session

2/21 – The Moral Life, Pt. 1

Are you interested in becoming Catholic or receiving the rest of your sacraments? Email Chris Mueller (cmueller@hollyfamilyjax.com) for more information.

Holy is His Name Scripture Study

Join us this Lent and Easter season for a 12 week new video Bible study with Dr. Scott Hahn as we trace the meaning of holiness from its origins in Scripture to its appearance in our own lives today.

Tuesdays, 9:45 - 11:00 am in the Parish Life Center, Room 211, starting on February 28.

Thursdays, 7:00 - 8:30 pm virtually over Zoom, starting on February 23.

To RSVP and for more information, email Chris Mueller (cmueller@hollyfamilyjax.com) for the Tuesday sessions, or John Peterson (john.wm.peterson@gmail.com) for more information the virtual sessions.

Ushers for Mass are Needed

If you are interested in serving as an Usher at Mass, we sure need you! In the past year or so, we have lost 6 ushers and no replacements have stepped forward. If you attend Mass on the weekend, and you can give us a few minutes before Mass and a few minutes after Mass to secure the Offertory Collection, please volunteer. You can sit with your family during Mass, and serve at Offertory time. Parents of Altar Servers can serve as an Usher at the Mass their child is serving. Parents who live their faith through service set a wonderful example for their children.

If you are interested, please call or text Lee Evans 904-571-6808 for additional information.

The Men's Club of Holy Family

Our next meeting is Monday, February 13th in the Parish Life Center. We will gather around 6:00 pm for conversation and a beverage, dinner served about 7:00 pm, followed by Guest Speaker Michael Baliker of Young Catholic Professionals. YCP is a national organization which supports young adults motivated for personal and professional success while achieving a greater understanding of their Catholic faith. Members are encouraged to bring a guest. We look forward to seeing you.



THE HEALING POWER OF CHRIST

A Multi - Parish Spiritual Encounter - All are invited

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Saturday, February 11

Couples Night

7:30 pm - 8:45 pm

Renewing Your Love in Christ

Sunday February 12

Come before the Superbowl

1:30 pm to 3:15 pm

**Our Blessed Mother &
Your Baptismal Identity**

Monday, February 13

7:00 pm to 8:00 pm

The Eucharist

Tuesday, February 14

7:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Forgiveness and Healing Prayers

**Guest Speaker:
Father Dan Leary**

A Mount Saint Mary's Seminary graduate, Father Dan Leary was ordained a priest in the Archdiocese of Washington D.C. in 1997. Father Dan has always felt called to serve the poor throughout his priesthood. He is a sought-after speaker and Retreat Master known for his gift of healing.

In July 2020, Father Dan began serving the poor as a missionary priest and chaplain to the Sisters of Mary. The Sisters of Mary work to care for, feed, clothe, catechize, educate, provide medical care, and a safe place to live to more than 20,000 of the world's poorest children each year. The Sisters of Mary World Villages for Children work through 18 sites in 7 countries: The Philippines, South Korea, Mexico, Guatemala, Honduras, Brazil, and Tanzania.



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Christian Dating 101

WITH
AMANDA IANNOTTI, LMHC

Friday, February 10th, 2023 7:00pm

Holy Family Catholic Church - 9800 Baymeadows Rd, Jacksonville, FL 32256



Amanda Iannotti, LMHC, will be hosting an evening workshop for singles that will discuss the current state of dating in our society, how to date in a healthy way, and how to continue to build those relationships. Amanda is a member of the Diocese of St. Augustine Catholic Therapist Network and specializes in dating with a Christian perspective.

General Information

Prayer Lists If you would like to be included on our prayer lists: *For the Deployed Military, Expectant Mothers, or the Sick and Infirm*; or if you no longer need to be on any of the prayer lists, please call the Parish Office.

Poor Boxes are located by the east and west side of the doors of the church. All poor donations are given to our St. Vincent de Paul Society to help all those within our 32256 zip code area.

Stop in and **Light a Candle** in the Church. Candles are lit for prayer intentions. To "light a candle for someone" indicates one's intention to say a prayer for another person, and the candle symbolizes that prayer. Thank you.

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Parish App Holy Family has an APP for Apple and Android phones. Our APP allows us to send you useful and important messages regarding our parish life and events, and allows you to reply to messages or RSVP for events. It has many more features, including "World News".



On-line Giving Thank you to everyone who continues to be so generous with the financial support of our parish. There are a lot of great things happening and your generosity is greatly appreciated and will enable the church to minister to our community. Give through Faith Direct and Venmo at holyfamilyjax.com, or TEXT-TO-GIVE: text a dollar amount to (904) 747-8001. Follow the link to complete a one-time registration page. After you register, you can give any time by texting a dollar amount using the same mobile number.

Updating Information: If any of your information has changed since you have registered with us, we would love to have your updated information; please visit <https://holyfamilyjax.com/my-account> or call the Parish Office at (904) 641-5838. You can also add your photo.

Community Outreach

Ministry to the Sick Do you have a loved one or friend who cannot attend Mass and would like to receive Holy Communion? Send an email to Gloria Fabian at gloriafabian@aol.com to schedule a visit.

GriefShare is a 13-week Christ centered grief support program for those who are dealing with the loss of a family member or friend. Each session is independent so you can start at any time. Please contact Kevin Gartland at kevin.gartland08@comcast.net.

Helping Hands offers aid and assistance to our friends and neighbors who are in need. Please contact the parish office or email helpinghands@holyfamilyjax.com.

St. Anne's Group is for mothers with young children to get together and grow in faith, and for their children to play together and become closer to Jesus. Visit our Facebook page, link is on website or send an email to Mackenzie macmiller615@yahoo.com.

Wildcat Fathers Club Dads of our school students who want to grow spiritually and fraternally, and offer their time and talent to the parish community.

Prayer Shawls Available free to those who are in need of comfort and/or healing. If you would one to give to family or friend please email the Parish Office.

Food Donations Needed! Deermeadows Baptist Church food pantry is seeking donations of rice, pasta, pasta sauce, jelly, canned beef stew, canned soups, powdered milk, and cereal. (No glass jars please). Drop off items in the narthex under the table between the men's restroom and the nursing mother's room.

Confidential Resources

Crisis Pregnancy?

- **Women's Help Center 904-398-5143 & Lifeline Resources, Inc. 904-642-9000.** Provides free pregnancy tests, ultrasounds, & baby/maternity items for mothers and families.
- **Rachel's Vineyard** is a safe place to renew, rebuild & redeem hearts broken by abortion. Come and receive peace, forgiveness of self and others and the compassion of God. These retreats are private, strictly confidential and for people of all faiths. **Our next English retreat is on April 14-16, 2023. Our next Spanish retreat is on March 24-26, 2023.** Call 904-221-3232 or email rachelsvineyardjax@yahoo.com. All calls & inquiries are confidential.



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This year, we had our friendly staff v. 8th-grade volleyball game, and needless to say, tears were shed by the losing team, which was not our staff! It's one of Holy Family's fondest traditions and we look forward to it every year!



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