

Holy Name Catholic Church

Established in 1857

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22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 30, 2020



Parish Mission Statement

We, at the Church of the Most Holy Name of Jesus, strive to be a vibrant, welcoming community of faith. We are unified by our participation in the liturgy, the sacraments, and service. We are a diverse family fully alive in Christ. We serve our God, our Church, and our community through effective stewardship of God's gifts of time, talent, and treasure.

PARISH STAFF:

Pastor

Rev. Fr. Theophilus Ebulueme

Deacon

Rev. Mr. Bob Mahoney

Parish Secretary

Renee Szefcyk

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Director of Music

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COUNCILS & COMMITTEES

Parish Pastoral Council

Diane McDermott, Chairperson

Finance Board

Joe Gigante, Chairperson

Hospitality Committee

Connie Ransom, Chairperson

Building Committee

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Haitian Sister Parish Committee

Gwen Blount, Chairperson

Stewardship Committee

Lauren Folk, Chairperson

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Sunday Mass Obligation

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 8:00 am

10:30am

Sudanese 12:00pm

French 5:00pm
TBD

Weekdays

Mondays 8:00am

Communion Service

Tuesdays & Thursdays 11:30am

Wednesdays & Fridays 8:00am

Daily Mass

Please prayerfully consider Holy Name in your will!

Ministers of the Altar Schedules:

August 29 & 30	5:00pm	8:00am	10:30am
Announcer	R. DeBock	D. Coleman	G. Hutchens
Lectors	P. Novotny	J. Szeftcyk	D. McDermott
Eucharistic Ministers	OFF	OFF	OFF
Altar Servers	OFF	OFF	OFF

September 5 & 6	5:00pm	8:00am	10:30am
Announcer	R. DeBock	K. Caddigan	G. Hutchens
Lector	G. Drifmeyer	J. Szeftcyk	L. Yankee
Eucharistic Ministers	OFF	OFF	OFF
Altar Servers	M. Coffman A. Wakefield	C. Binkley A. Szeftcyk	D. Badhera J. Mupipi

MASS READINGS: Cycle A

1st: *Jeremiah 20:7-9*

Responsorial: *Psalm 63:2-6,8-9*

2nd: *Romans 12:1-2*

Gospel: *Matthew 16:21-27*

Today's Missal, 6/7/20-11/28/20



WEEKDAY READINGS: (Year II)

August 31 — Monday, 22nd Week in Ordinary Time

Reading 1: 1 Corinthians 2:1-5

Responsorial: Psalm 119:97-102

Gospel: Luke 4:16-30

September 1 — Tuesday

Reading 1: 1 Corinthians 2:10b-16

Responsorial: Psalm 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13ab, 13cd-14

Gospel: Luke 4:31-37

September 2 — Wednesday

Reading 1: 1 Corinthians 3:1-9

Responsorial: Psalm 33:12-13, 14-15, 20-21

Gospel: Luke 4: 38-44

September 3 — Thursday, St. Gregory the Great (Mem.)

Reading 1: 1 Corinthians 3:18-23

Responsorial: Psalm 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6

Gospel: Luke 5:1-11

September 4 — Friday

Reading 1: 1 Corinthians 4:1-5

Responsorial: Psalm 73:3-6, 27-28, 39-40

Gospel: Luke 5:33-39

September 5 — Saturday

Reading 1: 1 Corinthians 4:6b-15

Responsorial: Psalm 145:17-18, 19-21

Gospel: Luke 6:1-5

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time (Cycle A) - 9/6/2020

1st: *Ezekiel 33:7-9* **2nd:** *Romans 13:8-10*

Responsorial: *Ps 95:1-2,6-9* **Gospel:** *Matthew 18:15-20*

Parish Registration Forms

New parishioner registration forms are available in the vestibule (on the bulletin board) to the right of the main entrance. Registration with the parish is required for programs, such as CCD, and/or for those wishing to celebrate the various sacraments. It helps us to stay in touch with everyone, and properly track contributions.

Stewardship of Treasure

Offertory	\$3,046.72
Feast of the Assumption of Bl. Virgin Mary	6.00
Bldg. Maintenance Fund	95.00
Charity	25.00
Avg. Weekly Expenses	5,855.00

Thank you for your generosity.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, 8/29

- For the prayer intentions of Holy Name parishioners.

5:00p

Sunday, 8/30

- Eternal repose of Carol Meiers Fisk. (M. O'Malley)

8:00a

- Intentions of Marion Kelly. (Hutchens family)

10:30a

- For our students who have been confirmed during this Mass.

Noon

Monday, 8/31

Communion Service. No prayer intentions.

8:00a

Tuesday, 9/1

- For the intentions of Rip Beazley & Marge Wozny.

11:30a

Wednesday, 9/2

- For the intentions of Mary Daniel & Simon Aliab.

8:00a

Thursday, 9/3

- For an end to the Covid-19 pandemic.

11:30a

Friday, 9/4

- For the intentions of the Celso family.

8:00a

Sacraments

Baptism

Parents & Godparents are required to attend a Baptism class. **Parents must also be a parishioner for at least three (3) months.** For more information please contact the parish office.

First Communion

Children are prepared for First Holy Communion by participating in the CCD program. Students must be enrolled for at least one (1) year prior to enrolling in the sacramental preparation class.

Reconciliation

Confessions are heard on Wednesdays after the 8am daily mass, Saturdays from 4:15 to 4:45pm, Sundays before Mass or by appointment.

Confirmation

Preparation classes are conducted through our CCD program. **Candidates must be enrolled for at least one (1) year prior** to enroll in the Confirmation class.

Matrimony

Preparation is conducted by parish clergymen and the Diocese of Nashville. **You must be a registered parishioner for at least six (6) (months)** and then contact the parish office at least six (6) months before the proposed date.

Anointing of the Sick

Anyone may request for major or minor health problems. If you anticipate surgery or a stay in the hospital, request the sacrament before (surgery).

PRAYER LIST

Erin Worsham
Anniece Tisdale
JoAnn Coffey
Emil Holloway
Constance Guerrier
Gerald Johnson
Catherine Halima Bungulu
Pat McRae
Pam Clinard
Barbara Harding
Earlene Johnson
Jerry Dortch
Maureen Boyd
Barbara Corlew
Bridgette Wakefield

"Almighty and Eternal God, You are the everlasting health of those who believe in You. Hear us for Your sick servants for whom we implore the aid of Your tender mercy, that being restored to bodily health, they may give thanks to You in Your Church.

Through Christ Our Lord. Amen."

Source: Catholic Prayers for the Sick

SUNDAY CONNECTION.

Loyola Press, 8/30/2020

Today's Gospel continues the story that began in last week's Gospel. Simon Peter was called the "rock" upon which Jesus would build his Church, and yet Peter continues to show the limitations of his understanding of Jesus' identity. Now that the disciples have acknowledged that Jesus is the Messiah, Jesus confides in them the outcome of his ministry: he must suffer and die in Jerusalem to be raised on the third day. Peter rejects this prediction, and Jesus rebukes him severely, calling him "Satan." In opposing this aspect of Jesus' mission, Peter shows that he is no longer speaking based on the revelation from God but as a human being. Jesus then teaches all of the disciples about the difficult path of discipleship: to be Christ's disciple is to follow in his way of the cross.

Peter could not yet understand what it meant to call Jesus the Messiah. It is unlikely that the other disciples understood any better. Messianic expectations were a common aspect of first-century Judaism. Under Roman occupation, many in Israel hoped and prayed that God would send a Messiah to free the Jews from Roman oppression. The common view was that the Messiah would be a political figure, a king that would free Israel from Roman rule. This is perhaps what Peter envisioned when he was led to recognize Jesus as the Messiah. In this passage, however, Jesus is beginning to teach his disciples that he would be the Messiah in a different way.

Jesus would be more like the suffering servant described by the prophet Isaiah than the political liberator. Those who would be Jesus' disciples would be called to a similar life of service. Perhaps this is what Peter feared most in Jesus' prediction of his Passion. He whom Jesus had called "rock" would also be called upon to offer himself in sacrifice and service to others. Christian leaders today are still called to sacrifice and serve others as Jesus did.



ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

Confirmation Students. We would like to congratulate the following students who are making their Sacrament of Confirmation this weekend: Lako Friday, Aliew Alyab, Michelle Gibi, Awit Maiwen, Sito (Nadal) Mohamed, and Adut Akok.

Parish Pastoral Council will have its first meeting for the 2020-21 term via Zoom THIS Tuesday, September 1 at 6pm. Swearing-in of members has been postponed until a later date.

Public Masses and Temporary Dispensation Information. Daily Mass on Tuesdays and Thursdays is at 11:30am and on Wednesdays and Fridays at 8:00am. The dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass and Masses for Holy Days of Obligation, has been extended by Bishop Spalding until further notice. *All weekend Mass times remain the same.* We will continue to stream the Sunday Mass at 8am on our Facebook page during this time.

Bishop's Annual Appeal for Ministries 2020. Holy Name parishioners have currently raised \$8,386.00. You can give online by texting "BISHOP" to 31996 or visit www.appeal.dioceseofnashville.com.

The Church is AVAILABLE Monday through Friday. During office hours (9a-4p), parishioners are welcome to visit and pray alone or with their families and The Lord. This is particularly important if you have remained at home during the dispensation period. Our facilities are sanitized for your safety and staff members do wear masks. Just call us at (615) 254-8847 or stop by and someone will let you inside.

SPECIAL ATTENTION

Eucharistic Adoration. Wednesdays after the 8:00am daily Mass. Until further notice, we will close Adoration at Noon.

Loaves & Fishes will not re-open for indoor guests until further notice based upon the current status of Covid-19 in the downtown area.

Join Us On Flocknote. Holy Name is using Flocknote to send messages via email and text about upcoming events and ministry programs. Flocknote is a safe and confidential app. You don't have to set up an account, nor a password, and you can unsubscribe at any time. Signing up is easy and free. Text to 84576, the letters "HN", or online www.flocknote.com/HolyNameCatholicChurch/5

HOME OR AWAY? Use Online Giving! Holy Name offers a **convenient and secure** way to support our parish through Online Giving with no hassle; home or away! Visit our website and click on "Make a Gift" in the menu bar.

FAQ's and other Covid-19 Information. We have linked information from Father Theo, Bishop Spalding and the diocese, Metro Nashville Government, the State of Tennessee and the CDC to our parish website. See our "home page" for designated links.

THANK YOU. We have had many parishioners sign up for the Online Giving program. We appreciate your willingness to change over. We also appreciate everyone who has taken the time to either mail in or drop off their contributions.

Confessions. Available 45 minutes prior to the Saturday, 5:00pm Mass or by appointment. Call (615) 254-8847 to schedule.

Adjustments for Mass due to Covid-19. Highlights from Fr. Theo's letter dated August 7, with recent updates from Bishop Spalding (July 30). Visit our website for full details: www.holynamenashville.com.

- Since the dispensation from Sunday Mass remains in effect *until further notice*, elderly parishioners are encouraged to stay home, in addition to anyone with underlying health conditions or illnesses etc. We will continue to live-stream the 8am Mass for those affected. *Elderly parishioners are invited to attend Masses on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 11:30am, if they are uncomfortable returning on Sundays.*
- Proper social distancing guidelines and norms should be respected. Families living in the same household should also sit together whenever possible. Please also adhere to the marked pews for seating whether as an individual or family.
- The Sign of Peace and distribution of the Precious Blood both remain suspended. Holy Water receptacles will also remain empty during this period.
- Parishioners are encouraged to bring their own masks to church and wear them. Additionally, please follow CDC guidelines for maintaining proper personal hygiene.
- All meetings and events on church property, of 50 people or less, will begin to receive permission to resume following all federal, state and local masking and social distancing guidelines. *The pastor reserves the right to maintain discretion.*



Parish Information and Sponsors

Religious Education

NEW* Registration for Family Catechesis. *NEW Begins today, Sunday, August 30. Registration Forms are available online at the parish website (address below). Please complete the registration forms and return them to Mary Evans at maryevans206@gmail.com More detailed information will be provided in a letter to parents and at each Mass this weekend.

We need volunteers to teach and substitute teach for the 2020/2021 school year. Teachers are provided a teacher's manual, with the curriculum and instructions for the classes and subject matter. Also needed: Volunteers for Children's Liturgy.

Sacrament of Confirmation. Confirmation is TODAY! **Sunday, August 30**, at the Noon (Sudanese) Mass. Father Theo will be the main celebrant. Candidates: Lako Friday, Aliew Alyab, Michelle Gibi, Awit Maiwen, Sito (Nadal) Mohamed, and Adut Akok.

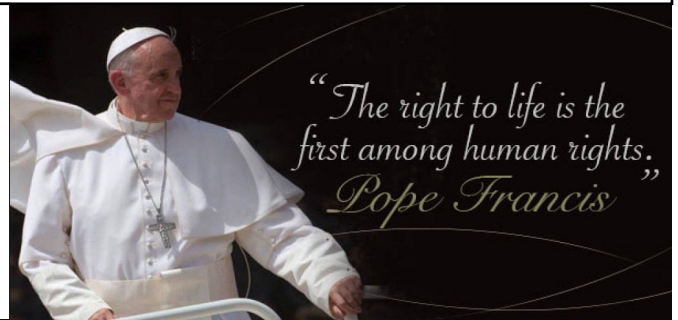
For these and other important items from Religious Education, please visit our website: www.holynamenashville.com/religious-education

Copies of the 2019 Diocesan Annual Impact Report are

available at the back of the church and in the vestibule for all parishioners and guests of the Diocese of Nashville. This information also explains where your Bishop's Annual Appeal for Ministries donations go.

Estate planning?

Bequests to Holy Name will help the parish continue sharing the Gospel for generations to come.



Interested in joining the Knights of Columbus?

The K of C is a Catholic fraternal benefits organization. Holy Name is represented by Council #9211. For more information on how they serve our parish and community, as well as to get involved please see one of our Knights or you may also contact the Holy Name parish office to leave a message.



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Please join us every Wednesday from 8:30am until Noon.

Note: Bible Study is scheduled to return in the fall due to the Covid-19 pandemic.



Father Theo's Parish Email

Do you have a question for our pastor? Would you like to ask for prayers or schedule an appointment? Please feel free to contact Father at pastorHN@comcast.net

Holy Name Church Rentals

The church is available for special masses such as weddings and funerals, funeral home visitations, memorial services and a variety of other related events. Please contact Connie in the office.



The Holy Father's Prayer Intention

August 2020

The Maritime World

We pray for all those who work and live from the sea, among them sailors, fishermen and their families.



PARISH CENTER & AUDITORIUM RENTALS

CALL CONNIE FOR RATES
(615) 254-8847

OUR PARISH CENTER IS A SPACIOUS AREA TO HOLD YOUR EVENTS OR

OUR AUDITORIUM IS A COZY PLACE FOR YOUR SMALL GATHERINGS.