



*I have a dream that my four little children
will one day live in a nation where they
will not be judged by the color of their skin
but by the content of their character.
~ Martin Luther King, Jr*

*Teach them that
LOVE
is the superpower*

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January 14, 2024

Holy Family Catholic Church | Shorewood, IL

Holy Family. Pray for us!

Nourished by God's Word & Sacrament, as one family, we are called upon to share our faith in Jesus Christ & reach out to those in need.



BE SOMEONES RESCUE STORY

Blood donors save lives! Be a lifesaver and sign up for our blood drive!
The Knights of Columbus and Versiti Blood Center of Illinois have scheduled a blood drive on
Monday, January 15, 2024
3 pm to 7 pm in the Holy Family Gym

If you have any questions or would like to make an appointment, contact Bob Wirth at rwirth51@comcast.net. If you prefer, you can schedule your appointment yourself on the Versiti Blood Center website.

Walk-ins are welcome, but appointments are preferred to assure proper staffing, so our donors have a good experience. If you are positive you will donate, but can't commit to time, we welcome your appointment as a walk-in. If you are age 16, a parent will need to sign a permission slip for blood donation. Age 17 or older does not require a parent's permission. Hopefully, with your help, we can have a successful blood drive again!
We thank all who have volunteered to donate in the past.

DID YOU KNOW?

- Blood donation is a simple four-step process: registration, medical history and mini-physical, donation and refreshments.
- The actual blood donation typically takes less than 10-12 minutes. The entire process, from the time you arrive to the time you leave, takes about an hour.
- Although an estimated 38% of the U.S. population is eligible to donate, less than 10% actually do each year. This is why shortages occur.
- Red blood cells (the most commonly transfused component) last only 42 days.
- The average red blood cell transfusion is approximately 3 pints.

WEEKDAY MASS INTENTIONS

Jan. 15 - Jan. 20

January 15	January 16	January 17	January 18	January 19	January 20
MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
Holy Souls in Purgatory	Michael T. Walker	Sharon Rogal	Daniel Diaz	Phillip Torres	John Block

WEEKEND MASS INTENTIONS

Jan 20 & Jan.21

SAT 4:00PM	SUN 7:00AM	SUN 8:30AM	SUN 10:15AM	SUN 12:00PM
Josefina Mansueto Andrew Birsa Sr. Violeta Querubin	Marilyn Kielar	The People of Holy Family	Daniel Griffin Charles Fortunato Mr. & Mrs. Amador Villafan	Hieu & Kim Nguyen



Mass Schedule

Saturday4:00pm (Vigil)
Sunday 7:00am, 8:30am,
 10:15am & Noon
Holy Day Vigil7:00pm
Holy Day 7:30am & 7:00pm
Daily MassMonday–Friday 7:30am
 Saturday 8:00am
ConfessionsSaturdays 8:30 –9:00am
 6-7pm during Adoration
Adoration 1st & 3rd Thursdays 5:00-7:30pm

Sacramental Celebrations

Sacrament of Baptism

Arrangements must be made through the Parish Office. Parents are required to attend a baptism preparation class. No baptism date can be reserved until the parents attend the class. *Please do not choose Godparents until you receive the established Guidelines for the Godparents at the class.* **January 13 & 14**

Sacrament of Marriage

Arrangement must be made through the Parish Office at least 6 months prior to the date requested. Please do not reserve a hall or make other preparations before confirming the date with the Pastor. At least one of the engaged persons (or their parents) must be a registered and active parishioner of Holy Family. Weddings are not scheduled on Saturday evenings or Sundays.

Parish Registration

New families are welcome. Contact the Parish Office for more information.

R.C.I.A.

(Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Anyone seeking information about joining the Catholic faith should contact the Parish Office at 815-725-6880



Baptism

Kinsley Faye Kaminski
 Lorenzo Antonio Torres
 Henry Donald Gough
 Vincent Werden Gough

Fellowship Sunday

Stop in for coffee and donuts

February 4th

After 7:00, 8:30 & 10:15 Masses



Please remember Holy Family in your will or trust

We are grateful for the generous support that you give to Holy Family Parish through your weekly contributions. Have you considered providing for the continuation of that support by including the parish in your will? Bequests given to the parish through wills are for the sole use of Holy Family Parish. To include the parish in your will, the correct language is:

“ I give (a percentage or amount) to Holy Family Parish in Shorewood, IL”.

Please contact the parish for any questions. *Thank you for giving consideration to leaving a legacy!*



Reflection on Stewardship

For the period of: Dec 28-Jan 3

Sunday Offertory	\$ 28,623
Budgeted Need	\$ 20,978
YTD Sunday Offertory	\$ 580,930
YTD Budget Need	\$ 566,406
Beloved Traditions	\$ 74
Samaritan Fund	\$ 63
Christmas	\$ 40,631
YTD Average Weekly	\$ 21,516

**Thank you for
your support of
the Diocesan
Catholic
Ministries
Annual
Appeal
God Bless~**

**God Bless Our
Children and
Elderly**

HOLY FAMILY PARISH

Summerfest

Live Music * Kid Zone* Food Trucks

Holy Family Parish Campus

Sat., Aug. 24th

3pm to 10pm



**Volunteer Leadership needed in
following areas:**

**Event Chair couple,
Marketing/Advertising/Social Media,
Beer Garden, Food Trucks, Kid Zone, Volunteer
Recruitment, Facilities, Parking, Security**



**Informational Meeting
6:30pm Thursday, January 25th
Parish Center**





“A Tradition of Excellence and a Future of Success”

FAMILY/SPIRIT/FAITH

**Open House/New Family Registration
January 28, 2024
9:00 AM – 12:00 PM**

Catholic Faith Based Education

(Pre-Kindergarten Three-Year Old – Eighth Grade)

Exceptional Academics

1:1 Computer/iPad Program

(1st- 8th Grades)

Academic and Athletic Extracurricular Programs

(Includes Intramurals for 1st - 4th Grade)

Specialized Resources to Help Maximize Learning

Family Centered School Community

Half and Full Day Pre-K 3 and 4-Year Old Programs

Before and After School Care Available

Please call the school office to schedule an appointment

815-725-8149

**HOLYFAMILYSHOREWOOD.ORG/SCHOOL
600 Brook Forest Ave., Shorewood, IL 60404**



**Please join us for the
Holy Family School Alumni
Catholic Schools Week Mass**

Friday, February 2, 2024

8:15 am mass

Reception and School Tour 9:15-9:45am

Any questions please contact the school office.

Nostalgic Moments

Don't you enjoy the nostalgia of pleasant memories, such as the beginning of a beautiful friendship? How wonderful it is to relive the moment when Jesus called His first followers. I love to envision the sheer excitement and camaraderie that must have existed among those He called. An endless jubilee, God uniting with those He loves, ordinary human beings, you and me.

During His first interaction with his future Apostles Jesus declares, “Come, and you will see!” How good God is! By following His way, we find the true peace that no worldly satisfaction can ever give us. God's love for the world indeed endures forever. Still today, know that God always sees You! Whether it is a time of joy or heartache, the mundane or the extraordinary, God promises He will always be there with us. Like He called Peter and Andrew by name, He is also calling YOU by name to have an ongoing relationship with Him. Through our steadfast prayers and by studying His teachings, let us always strive to be one with Jesus Christ, Who is past, present and forever and ever. By Alexis Dallara-Marsh



“To receive spiritual direction
is to recognize that God does
not solve our problems or
answer all our questions,
but leads us closer to the
mystery of our existence
where all questions cease.”

HENRI NOUWEN

Register

Scan the QR
code or visit

[https://forms.
office.com/r/
uCV1wWscMU](https://forms.office.com/r/uCV1wWscMU)



Questions?

Deacon Anthony J. Clissem, Ed.D
Catechetical Formation Lead
(815) 221-6142, acclissem@dioceseofjoliet.org

Come and See

Are you being called to the ministry of spiritual direction?

- Who** Men and women seeking to learn more about the School of Spiritual Direction in the Diocese of Joliet
- What** Information session for those interested in becoming a spiritual director
- When** Tuesday, January 16, 2024
7 p.m.
- Where** Blanchette Catholic Center
16555 Weber Road
Crest Hill, IL 60403
- Why** Interesting speakers, testimonials, refreshments and more!

The Diocese of Joliet — in partnership with Franciscan University of Steubenville — is offering a special information evening for men and women interested in learning more about the School of Spiritual Direction and the process for becoming a spiritual director.

A spiritual director helps another discern the movement of the Holy Spirit in the life of the one seeking spiritual guidance. The spiritual director facilitates discernment through prayerful listening.

If you feel drawn to this important ministry of spiritual accompaniment, please register for the information session.

More details

catechesis.diojoliet.org/school-of-spiritual-direction

DIOCESE OF JOLIET
Department of Catechesis and Evangelization



Tamale Sunday



The Knights of Columbus will have
“Tamale Sunday” again this year. Orders
& Payments will be taken
in the Narthex on
1/21, 1/28/ and 2/4 .
Tamale pick up is on Superbowl Sunday
February 1th. After all the Masses



Tamales

St. Gianna Molla Respect Life Ministry



All are invited!
Meetings are the 2nd Thursday
of the
month at 7 pm. In the parish center

Regular members are those who attend
meetings.

Auxiliary members are those who agree
to pray one Rosary per week for one year
with one of their intentions being for Life.

For more information, contact the Parish
Office

Navajo Nation

Information Meeting
January 17, 2024

Mission Trip
June 1 to 14, 2024

The Diocese of Joliet will return
to Navajo Nation for a two-week
mission focused on construction and
outreach from June 1 to 14, 2024.


The Diocese of Joliet has been putting
faith into action—through intentional
service and solidarity with the poor—in
Chinle, Arizona, for 20 years.

The Office of Mission is seeking
parishioners (18+) willing to help local
area families with light construction
work. No experience is necessary, but
a heart willing to serve is required!
Missionaries stay on the campus of Our
Lady of Fatima, and the trip will include
a pilgrimage to New Mexico's Loretto
Chapel and it's “miraculous staircase.”

An informational meeting on the
mission trip will be held at 7 p.m. on
Wednesday, January 17, 2024, at the
Blanchette Catholic Center in Crest Hill
(16555 Weber Road).

Questions?

Alex Buldak
Mission Lead
abuldak@dioceseofjoliet.org
(815) 221-6256



WE MUST LEARN
TO LIVE TOGETHER
AS BROTHERS OR
PERISH TOGETHER
AS FOOLS
Martin Luther King Jr.

In Honor of Martin Luther King
Day, the Parish Office will be
closed January 15th.

Reopening on 1/16 at 8:00am

Scripture Readings
For the Week of January 14, 2024

Sunday	<p>Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</p> <p>1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19; Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10; 1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20; Jn 1:35-42</p>
Monday	<p>1 Sm 15:16-23; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23; Mk 2:18-22</p>
Tuesday	<p>1 Sm 16:1-13; Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28; Mk 2:23-28</p>
Wednesday	<p>Memorial of Saint Anthony, Abbot</p> <p>1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Mk 3:1-6</p>
Thursday	<p>1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7; Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13; Mk 3:7-12</p>
Friday	<p>1 Sm 24:3-21; Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11; Mk 3:13-19</p>
Saturday Martyr	<p>Memorial of Saint Fabian, Pope and Martyr and Saint Sebastian,</p> <p>2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27; Ps 80:2-3, 5-7; Mk 3:20-21</p>
Sunday	<p>Third Sunday in Ordinary Time</p> <p>Jon 3:1-5, 10; Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 1 Cor 7:29-31; Mk 1:14-20</p>

BE FORMED



FEBRUARY 14 THROUGH MAY 13 2024

- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
- Fellowship
- Prayer
- Scripture
- Small Groups
- Weekly content videos to help you gain a deeper understanding of Catholicism

Join a small group for men & women at Holy Family on Monday evenings from 6:15-6:15pm!



Register on or after January 2nd by using the QR code above or go to <https://tinyurl.com/26xcx38a>

SEASON 8 EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL

WORKBOOKS AVAILABLE AT TIME OF REGISTRATION UNTIL JANUARY 23RD!

Holy Family Ministry Fair
February 3 & 4 2024
after all the Masses

Come and check out all the ministries offered by Holy Family. See which ones fit your needs, and which ministries match up with your Spiritual Charisms that the Holy Spirit is leading you to serve.

There will be donuts and refreshments

HOLY FAMILY ATHLETICS

SUPERBOWL SQUARES

Fundraiser

\$20 PER SQUARE, IN THE NARTHEX AFTER MASSES; 50/50 PAYOUT

Available from Saturday 1/13 through 2/ 3.

Support our Student athletes



Spiritual Motherhood of Priests Ministry

For centuries, nuns, living with the great blessing of Eucharistic Adoration continuously available to them, have offered their prayers and sacrifices specifically for the needs of priests. So aware of the importance of this apostolate of prayer for priests, Pope John Paul II founded a cloistered convent in the Vatican, whose members dedicate their entire lives to praying for the intentions of the pontiff.

The idea of spiritual adoption of priests, where a woman adopts a certain priest as her spiritual "son" for whom she promises to pray, was extended to lay women in 2007 with Pope Benedict XVI's approval.

We are inviting all women from the parish to join in this important ministry of praying for a Diocese of Joliet priest. More information will be available at all the Masses Jan. 6th & 7th or you can email Joyce at spiritualmotherhood@shclombard.org or Shanelle Kirksey at skirksey@holyfamilvshorewood.org

Holy Family is on Facebook

Search: Holy Family Parish-Shorewood



Please note: The Women of Faith will not meet until May of 2023.

Children's Liturgy of the Word Volunteers Needed!

In order to provide this great ministry on a regular basis, we are looking for adult or teen volunteers to help guide our children in a Gospel lesson during 10:15 Mass. Training and materials provided!

Contact Jen Legreid
jlegreid@holyfamilvshorewood.org



Communion for the Homebound

Please call the Parish Office
at 815-725-6880
to be added to our current list

Roses for Mary

Join us to make rosaries for charity
Beginners Welcome!

We meet the second
Thursday of the month
from 6-8pm
in the Parish Hall
(Door 5)

Instruction provided.
Contact Jen Legreid for more info:
jlegreid@holyfamilvshorewood.org

THERE IS A SOLUTION... ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

OPEN MEETING
THURSDAYS 7PM-8PM
PARISH RECTORY BASEMENT

Bereavement Group

FOR WIDOWS & WIDOWERS

Join us on the third Thursday
of each month

Parish Center from 4:30 to 5:30PM

Contact Ministers of Consolation:

Donna 815-726-1770 Charles 815-436-4553

Next Meeting: January 18th



FIT SHEPHERDS

FORMING FIT SHEPHERDS ONE WORKOUT AT A TIME

Fit Shepherds aims to have every man in our community
be in the best physical and spiritual shape of their lives.

JOIN US!

Saturdays at 7AM in the church parking lot

Ages 16 & up. Contact Britt Legreid at legreid38@gmail.com for more info.



Military Moments

Please take a moment of your day to keep our active duty military in your prayers. Some are serving across the United States and some are currently or will soon be deployed around the world. They have taken an oath to uphold our Constitution and protect our freedoms.

CAPT Sarah Antolik, USAF
 PO1 Emily C Behrel, US Navy
 CAPT Edward Budimier, USMC
 PFC Ryan Boyle, USMC
 PFC Anh-Khoa Bui, USMC
 1st LT Adam Burt, USMC
 COL David Conner, US Army
 PFC Nicole Corn, USMC
 SrA Sicily Cutarelli, USAF
 LTC Mark Davis, US Army
 LTC Matthew Davis, US Army
 CPL Angel DelTorro USMC
 PO1 Zachary Duffy, US Navy
 LTC Donald Erickson, US Army
 SSGT Nino Ferreira, USMC
 LCPL John P Givens, USMC
 LTJG Joseph Guenther, USCG
 SrA Marcus Guerrero, USAF
 PVT Kyle Hanlon, US Army
 PO2 Nathan Haupt, U.S. Navy
 SPC4 Dustin Hayes, US Army
 SGT Brandon Hochevar US Army
 MAJOR Jeffrey Ivas, US Army
 PFC Ryan Jackson, US Army
 SrA Tyler Jass, USAF
 PFC Nathan Johnson, USMC
 SSGT Nathan Kijowski, USMC
 2nd LT Jessie Marasco, US Army
 PVT Yesenia Martinez USMC
 MAJOR Sean Morrow, US Army
 LCPL Timothy O'Brien, USMC
 CAPT Daniel Sean Peet, US Army
 2nd Lt. John Pettas, USMC
 PO2 Steven Silder, US Navy
 PO1 James Stockhausen, US Navy
 AR Jack Sutherland US Navy
 PFC Brandon Vasquez, US Army
 LT Sara Wooten, US Navy
 SSGT Thomas Wooten, USMC
 SGT Ethan Zielinski, USMC

*Please contact the parish office
 to have your family member included.*

Eucharistic Adoration

1st & 3rd Thursday

of each month

5:00 to 7:30pm

**Confessions
 will be heard
 from 6-7pm**



Next date:

January 18th

Prayers Needed

Laila Myers Ormond
 Dcn Manuel Guerrero
 Dcn Steve Petrouske
 Anita Bottomley
 William Holmes

Elizabeth Galvin
 Leticia Ocegueda
 Geri Budimier
 Rita Uremovich

If you would like to add a name to our prayer list, please email or call the parish office at 815-725-6880 ccapecci@holymfamilyshorewood.org. The name of the loved one will be included weekly for 60 days.



Register online Kofc.org/Joinus

**Holy Family Knights of Columbus
 Council 15732**

Ray Esparza, Grand Knight
alkieresparzanoah@att.net

Help Wanted

For available jobs in the diocese please visit:
<https://www.dioceseofjoliet.org/hr/listjobs.php>



Mission Statement

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Parish Office

(815) 725-6880 Fax:(815) 725-2311

School Office

(815) 725-8149 Fax:(815) 725-8649

Religious Education Office

(815) 730-8691

Holy Family Catholic Church

600 Brook Forest Avenue Shorewood, IL 60404
(Rt. 59 between Rt. 52 & Black Rd.)

www.holyfamilyshorewood.org

Staff Directory

Pastor Rev. Brad Baker
Parochial Vicar Rev. Brian Geary
Deacon Deacon Steve Gerding
Deacon Deacon Steve Petrouske
Deacon Deacon Manuel Guerrero (retired)
Parish Administrative Assistant Carrie Capecci
Director of Evangelization Matthew Toohill
Evangelization Assistant Jen Legreid
Youth Minister
Director of Music Tamara Malebranche
Music Assistant Jacqueline Nawojski
Business Manager Tom Vertin
Billing Clerk Maria Velazquez
IT Network Administrator Aaron Souza
Director of Facilities Rob Kurns

School Office

Principal Anthony Wilkinson
School Office Manager Jill Gillespie
School Administrative Assistant Tawny Quinn

Religious Education Office

Director of Religious Education Leslie Krauledis
Administrative Assistant Susan Stachovic
Night Coordinator Therese Maringer
Office Assistant Maureen Schuchart
Office Assistant Judy Guthrie



CMAA Report By Parish

2023 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal through 1/7/2024

Parish # 103

Parish Name Holy Family Parish - Shorewood

	2023	2022	Inc/Dec	2022 (Final)
Goal	\$91,100	\$88,500	\$2,600	\$88,500
Amount Pledged	\$116,247	\$121,910	(\$5,663)	\$121,910
Amount Paid	\$115,444	\$118,020	(\$2,576)	\$118,070
Balance Due	\$803	\$3,890	(\$3,087)	\$3,840
Donor Count	484	486	-2	486
2023 Rebate	\$17,041			

