

Holy Family Parish is a joyful Catholic community that encourages growth in prayer, faith in God, and lives of service.

HOLY FAMILY

CATHOLIC CHURCH



PASTORAL CENTER HOURS

Monday - Thursday 8:30 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

1:00 P.M. - 4:30 P.M.

Friday 8:30 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.

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September 14, 2025

The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

Events

September 14 SUNDAY

Faith Formation

10:30 A.M.

September 15 MONDA

Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary

6:30 P.M.

St. Vincent De Paul

6:15 P.M.

New member registration scan the QR Code.



MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, Wednesday, Friday
Thursday
8:15 A.M.
Tuesday (Morning Prayer)
8:15 A.M.
Saturday
8:15 A.M.
Saturday (Vigil)
5:00 P.M.
Sunday
7:45 A.M., 9:15 A.M., and 12:00 P.M.
Special Needs Mass (Second Saturday of every month)
Sacrament of Reconciliation
6:30 P.M.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:00 P.M.-4:30 P.M.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Thursday 9:00 A.M.-6:00 P.M.



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HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWS

Holy Family Catholic School will be celebrating 80 years of learning, serving, and leading students. Watch the bulletin for ways to celebrate this mile-stone birthday.



MASS INTENTIONS

WEEK OF September 14, 2025

Monday, Sept. 15	5:30 P.M.	+Larry Rolen
Wed., Sept. 17	5:30 P.M.	+Timothy O'Neill
Thursday, Sept. 18	8:15 A.M.	Tristan Haun
Friday, Sept. 19	5:30 P.M.	Naomi Trevino
Saturday, Sept. 20	8:15 A.M.	+Mike O'Donnell
	5:00 P.M.	+Adam Pacheco, III
Sunday, Sept. 21	7:45 A.M.	+Wayne Tate
	9:15A.M.	+Ryan Cussnick
	12:00 P.M.	Holy Family Community

DAILY READINGS

WEEK OF September 14

Our Lady of Sorrows

Monday I Tim 2:1-8; Jn 19:25-27or Lk 2:33-35 Sts. Cornelius, Pope, and Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs

Tuesday | 1 Tim 3:1-13; Lk 7:11-17 Wednesday | 1 Tim 3:14-16; Lk 7:31-35 Thursday | 1 Tim 4:12-16; Lk 7:36-50 Friday | 1 Tim 6:2c-12; Lk 8:1-3

Sts. Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Priest, and Paul Chong Ha-sang, and

Companions, Martyrs

Saturday I Tim 6:13-16; Lk 8:4-15 Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Am 8:4-7; 1 Tim 2:1-8; Lk 16:1-13 or 16:10-13

STEWARDSHIP

September 14, 2025

The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

"For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son." JOHN 3:16 God created us to be in relationship with Him. Sin broke that relationship. Jesus come to earth so that we may reconcile our relationship with God. Following Jesus' example, we can be blessed with a joy-filled life on earth and eternal life in Heaven. These four points are known as the "kerygma" – the first proclamation of the Gospel. This core message is the basis of our Catholic faith. How do you live this out in your daily life?

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

These are accurate numbers for our parish for the given month.

Month	July Actual
Offertory	214,280.00
Expenses	180,712.00

Thank you for continuing to support our parish. Your generous donations and commitment to support us with your Time, Talent and Treasure is greatly appreciated and needed to meet our financial obligations and support the programs of the Church. The staff and I continue to pray for you. Please continue to pray for us, our parishioners and the world community. Peace be with you! +++ Father Hoa

"As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied grace" (IPt 4:0)

YOUR GIFTS AT WORK



Learn more here:

https://www.advancementfoundation.org/ annual-diocesan-appeal-annual-report

CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY OF AMERICA

Thank you for your generous support during the last week of the collection for the Catholic University of America! As a parish, we raised \$1,686 to support the Catholic Education and form tomorrow's Catholic leaders. If you missed the collection, it's not too late to give! Scan the QR code on the provided envelopes or visit: collection.catholic.edu.

ADMINISTRATION

SAFE ENVIRONMENT

ALL VOLUNTEERS MUST BE COMPLIANT IN SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING TO CONTINUE IN MINISTRY.

Proceed to the diocesan website: www.fwdioc.org click on SAFE ENVIRONMENT click on AWARENESS SESSIONS click I NEED A VIRTUS PROFILE

All volunteers must:

- Attend the current safe environment program entitled Protecting God's Children for Adults. All sessions are in person and to be renewed every two years.
- Authorize a background check (credit check and/or motor vehicle check is required depending on ministry requirements).
- Complete the Volunteer Ministry Application. (Download and return to the Parish Office)
- Read and sign the Code of Conduct.

Contact Star Fedor at safeenvironment@holyfamiilyfw.org for questions.

Retraining Sessions

- A Plan to Protect -Wednesday, September 24, 2025, 6:00 P.M.-7:30 P.M. in Rooms B & C
- A Plan to Protect-Monday, November 10, 2025, 6:00 P.M.-7:30 P.M. in Room A

If someone is in immediate danger call 911

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS:

CPS (Texas Dept. of Family & Protective Services)..800.252.5400

CPS On-line Reporting Websitewww.TxAbuseHotline.org

Diocesan Director of Safe Environment817.945.9334

Chancellor/Moderator of the Curia817.945.9315

Victim Assistance Hotline......817.945.9345

HOW TO MAKE A REPORT:

If you suspect abuse or neglect of a child, elder or vulnerable adult*, or if abuse has been disclosed to you:

1. Call CPS (800-252-5400); get a case number or copy of report.

AND /OR

Call the Police or 911; get a case number or copy of report.

AND

2. Immediately report the alleged abuse to your supervisor, Priest or Principal <u>and</u> submit the Confidential Notice of Concern with CPS report information.

https://fwdioc.org/report-abuse-concern

In the case of alleged abuse by clergy or Church personnel, contact the Victim Assistance Hotline, Director of Safe Environment, or Chancellor of the Diocese directly.

*A vulnerable adult can include someone who habitually lacks the use of reason.

CHURCH DIRECTORIES ARE HERE!

The new church directories are in! You may pick up your copy from the office during business hours. A limited number of extra directories are available for donation. Contact the parish office for questions at 817.737.6768.

Thank you from the Parish Directory Committee

PASTORAL COUNCIL MEMBER NOMINATION

Pastoral Council is a consulting body who will advise and assist the pastor in establishing the spiritual vision and the pastoral plan for the parish. Please nominate someone who is an active member and in good standing with the Church to represent you on this council. Nominations can be placed in the collection baskets or information containing the nominees name, address, phone number, and your name can be emailed to Alison Vigland at kavi-gland@gmail.com. Please make sure that your nominee has knowledge of his /her nomination. We ask that you return your nomination form by **Monday, September 15**.

SERVICE

ALL YOUNG AT HEART

All Young At Heart (AYAH) Holy Family's senior ministry will celebrate a Mass of Anointing on **Wednesday, September 17** at **11:30 A.M**. We will meet for Mass in the Church. Mass will be followed with an enchilada lunch in Rooms B & C. Please bring a side dish, salad, or dessert. For more information call Barbara Skipper at 817.909.7951.

HOMEBOUND OR HOSPITAL MINISTRY

If you cannot come to church, the church comes to you. Are you or someone you know about to have surgery and will be on bed rest? Are you or someone you know homebound? Please reach out so that a homebound/hospital minister can give you the Eucharist. Please contact Mary Pacheco at (817) 360-0672 or call the office at (817) 737-6768.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS LADIES AUXILIARY

The Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary will meet on **Monday, September 15** in the church library (behind the Altar) at **6:30 P.M.** All ladies are invited to attend. We will plan for upcoming events and programs for this year. For more information call Barbara Skipper at 817.909.7951.

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Today's Gospel reminds us of God's love for us -- a love so great that He sent His son not to condemn the world, but to save it through His sacrifice and death on the cross, that we might have eternal life. Many of our neighbors are embracing their own personal crosses, such as illness, abuse, loneliness, or job loss. We visit them, bringing God's love and helping them to trust His plan for their life. This week, if you are able, please consider placing a donation in the St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box, or mailing a check to SVdP, 201 Ranch House Rd, Willow Park, TX 76087. God will use your sacrifice to extend His love to those in need. (Helpline: 817.727.0121). We will meet on **Monday, September 15** at **6:15 P.M.** in Room A.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PANCAKE BREAKFASTS

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting a pancake breakfast today and next **Sunday**, **September 21** after **7:45 A.M.** and **9:15 A.M.** masses in Scantlin hall. All are welcome!

ST. ANNE'S LEGACY SERVICE GROUP

We would like to invite mothers and daughters in grades 6 through 12 to join the St. Anne's Legacy Service Group. Our inaugural service event is the Light the Night Walk. This is an annual event sponsored by the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society. If you are interested in joining the St. Anne's Legacy for this event, you may sign up to volunteer to cheer on the walkers on **Sunday, November 9** from **4:00 P.M.** - **8:00 P.M.** by scanning the QR Code. Please note in the comment section that you are with Holy Family Catholic Church St. Anne's Legacy. To volunteer, adults will need to be current on Safe Environment training, and all teens 14+ years will need to have taken the Teen Leader Safe Environment training. For more information, please contact Nelda Cacciotti at nelda1973@hotmail.com or Michelle Romero at MRomero@HolyFamilyFW.org.



FORMATION

ST. MONICA MINISTRY

The St. Monica Ministry invites all parishioners to join in praying for the conversion of our loved ones and friends who no longer practice the Catholic faith. We gather on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month to pray following the **5:30 P.M.** Mass. May we all demonstrate the unwavering dedication to prayer that St. Monica displayed in her pleas to God on behalf of her son. Please contact Melissa Murnane at melimurn@att.net for more info.

BECOMING CATHOLIC

Are you interested in becoming Catholic? We have begun a new cycle of our preparation process for Adults called OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation for Adults) on **Thursdays** from **6:30 P.M.**-8:00 P.M. We also have adapted classes for children ages 7-17. If you or someone you know is interested in learning more about the Catholic Church or is interested in becoming Catholic, please contact Genni Sayers, Director of Religious Education at GSayers@HolyFamilyFW.org for more information.

BAPTISM CLASS

Our next Baptism class for parents and godparents will be held **Thursday, October 2** from **6:00 P.M.-7:30 P.M**. Reservations are required. Register online at https://www.holyfamilyfw.org/baptism. Click on children under the age of 7 years old.

LITURGY

IN SYMPATHY

The Parish Community extends their prayers and sympathy to the family and friends of Mary Ann Buchtan, May her soul rest in peace and may her family and friends be consoled.

ALTAR FLOWERS

If you would like to donate altar flowers in memory or in honor of someone, envelopes may be picked up in information racks in the Narthex or at the Pastoral Office.

CHOIR REHEARSALS START SOON!

We have place for you...

Bell Choir (must have some music reading ability) 6:30 P.M. – 8:00 P.M. **Tuesday, September 2**

Noon Mass Traditional Choir 7 – 8:30 PM Wednesday, Wednesday, September 3

Children's Choir (reading age - 5th grade) 6 - 7 PM Wednesday, September 3

Youth Choir (6th – 12th grade) 7:15 – 8:15 PM Wednesday, September 3

9:15 Mass Contemporary Choir 7 – 8:30 PM Thursday, September 4

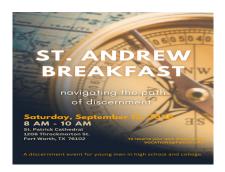
Family Choir 4:15 PM rehearsal September 13 followed by 5 PM Mass

Contact Keisha Matthews at <u>KMatthews@HolyFamilyFW.org</u> or 817-502-7884 for more information.

AROUND THE DIOCESE

COURAGE APOSTOLATE

If you are struggling with same sex attraction and wish to live a chaste life, according to the teachings of the Catholic Church, contact Courage Ft. Worth at (817) 259-0745 or email: couragefortworth@googlegroups.com All inquiries are confidential.



DIOCESAN NOTICE

"PURSUANT TO SECTION 30.06, PENAL CODE (TRESPASS BY LICENSE HOLDER WITH A CONCEALED HANDGUN) A PERSON LICENSED UNDER SUBCHAPTER H, CHAPTER 411, GOVERNMENT CODE (HANDGUN LICENSING LAW), MAY NOT ENTER THIS PROPERTY WITH A CONCEALED HANDGUN."

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Holy Family Adult Formation and Education

Women of the Bible

Walking With Purpose Women's Small Group Bible Study Mondays 7PM OR Thursdays 9:30AM (starting week of Sept 8th) Contact Kaci: knd929@gmail.com

Acts

Women's Bible Study, The Spread of the Kingdom by Ascension Wednesdays 9:30AM (starting Sept 11th)
Contact Teresa: m.gannaway@sbcglobal.net

Book Study

Women's Book Study

Every other Tuesday 7:00PM (starting Sept 9th)

Contact Hilary: hilaryboley@gmail.com or

Sara: txwilson42@yahoo.com

Book Club

Monthly Book Club - Men and Women 2nd Tuesday of each month 6:00pm (starting Sept 9th) Contact Veronica: joeroni01@aol.com

Men's Bible Study

The Early Church, by Ascension Press

Thursdays 6:30PM OR Saturdays 6:30AM (starting Sept 18th)

Contact Marc: marc@meadowsanalysis.com or

Greg: millsgregorya@yahoo.com

Catholicism 101

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Thursdays 6:30PM (starting August 7th)
Contact Genni: gsayers@holyfamilyfw.org





Fall Festival Event Sponsorship Form

Date:		
Business Name:		
Address:	City:	ST: ZIP:
Name of Business Contact:		
Phone:	Email:	
Acquired by:		
\$3500 - Harvest Title Sponsor Golden Leaf level benefits PLUS: • An additional \$100 worth of food and activity passes (\$200 total) PLUS additional 10 wristbands (total of 17) • VIP parking spot at event • Name/logo on main stage banner	\$1000 - Pumpkin Patch Sponsor Haystack level benefits PLUS: • Company logo or name in carline two weeks prior to event • Additional \$40 worth of food and activity passes (\$50 total) PLUS 2 wristbands (\$40 value) • Logo on select marketing materials	\$250 - Acorn Sponsor Name will be listed on social media and HF website Mention in sponsor thank you posts
\$2000 - Golden Leaf Sponsor Pumpkin Patch level benefits PLUS: • Company logo or name on all event flyers, posters, etc. • An additional \$50 worth of food and activity tlokets (\$100 total) PLUS 5 additional wristbands (7 total)	\$500 - Haystack Sponsor Acorn level benefits PLUS: • \$10 worth of food and activity passes • Highlighted in the HF church bulletin two weeks prior to event	Other: \$

Donations may be mailed, dropped off, or picked up. Please contact the Fall Festival Planning Committee for more information at hffallfestivalcommittee@gmail.com. **Deadline for event sponsorship is September 26, 2025.** Please make a copy of this form for your records and return the original with your donation.



Name on Fall Festival 2025 official t-shirt

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FALL festival

SAVE THE DATE
GATES OPEN AT 1 PM

HOLY FAMILY
CATHOLIC CHURCH
AND SCHOOL

ENTERTAINMENT - MUSIC - GAMES - FOOD







With Msgr. Rodger Landry

"Missionaries of Hope Among People"

Saturday September 20

9:30 A.M.-4:00 P.M.

St. Bartholomew Parish

Fort Worth, TX







DAY OF REFLECTION

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2025

"MISSIONARIES OF HOPE AMONG ALL PEOPLES"

9:30 AM	Arrival & Light Refreshments
10:00 AM	Welcome and Opening Prayer
10:15 AM	Reflection and Q&A
11:05 AM	Break
11:35 AM	Reflection and Q&A
12:30 PM	Lunch, Personal Prayer and Reflection
2:00 PM	World Mission Rosary
2:30 PM	Break
2:50 PM	Reflection and Q&A
2:50 PM 3:45 PM	Reflection and Q&A Closing Prayer & Sending Forth
3:45 PM	Closing Prayer & Sending Forth
3:45 PM	Closing Prayer & Sending Forth





"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you."



You can help mothers and protect the unborn by joining this worldwide mobilization! Through prayer and fasting, peaceful vigils and community outreach, 40 Days for Life has inspired 1,000,000+ volunteers and saved more than 25,000 babies!



Please join us for candlelight prayer vigils in front of the DFW Planned Parenthoods to kickoff the Fall 40 Days for Life campaign...

- Cedar Hill Monday, Sept 15th @ 6:30PM
- Plano Tuesday, Sept 16th @ 6:30PM (<u>Former Planned</u>
 <u>Parenthood manager, Ramona Trevino will be speaking.</u>)
- Dallas Wednesday, Sept 17th @ 6:30PM
- Addison Thursday, Sept 18th @ 6:30PM
- Fort Worth SW Friday, Sept 19th @ 6:30PM
- Arlington Saturday, Sept 20th @ 10AM (Food & fellowship following.)
- Mesquite Sunday, Sept 21st @ 1PM
- Bedford Monday, Sept 22nd @ 6:30PM
- Fort Worth SE Tuesday, Sept 23rd @ 6:30PM
- Denton Wednesday, Sept 23rd @ 6:30PM





SCAN HERE

Visit <u>prolifedfw.com</u> for more info & to sign up to pray.

DAY CAPTAINS are needed for all 10 vigil locations.

Questions or to help contact: Christine Antolin (817)307-1567 or

Clara Uribe (469)686-4916 Email: info@prolifedfw.com

DIOCESE OF FORT WORTH

Day of the

Month



Daily Prayer List

Fort Worth Seminarians 2025 - 2026

A Prayer for a Seminarian

God our Father, thank you for calling [name] to prepare for the priesthood. Grant him the grace to grow closer to You through daily prayer. Help him form his personality as a credible witness to others. Bless him while he studies Your word and the teachings of the Church and give him a generous heart to serve Your people. We ask this through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our great High Priest.

Thank you for your prayers and generous support.

1	Rev. Mr. Blake Thompson
2	Trent Barton
3	Jeffrey Ambreit, Jr.
4	Paul Trinh
5	Robert Weisberg
6	Michael Marincel
7	Quang Nguyen
8	Javier Escutia
9	Jesus Segura
10	Nicholas Hoelscher
11	Lane Tschirhart
12	Xavier Polisetty
13	Peter Nguyen
14	Carson Kitaif
15	Eric Hernandez
16	Alexander Jansen
17	Evan Lang
18	Cristian Diaz
19	Caleb Scott
20	Jacques Muhire
21	Nicholas Goodman
22	Joshua Keifer
23	Aidan Clark
24	Jose Segura
25	Andrew Notley
26	Sean Ankersen
27	Jude Webb
28	Luke Garland
29	For an increase in vocations to the priesthood
30	For seminarians to have the grace of perseveran
31	For seminarians in the pastoral year to know the support and love of our community

Please keep the following

seminarians in your prayers: