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Tuesday & Thursday 9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m

Our Mission: love God, love others, make disciples

Parish Mission Statement: *Holy Family Parish thanks God for His gifts to us of time, talent and treasure. In following the Lord's command to "make disciples of all nations...." (Mt. 28:19), each of us will use these gifts in praising God. WE will work in the service of our community by encouraging and helping all to reconnect to our Church, renew our faith and rebuild our commitment to God.*

PASTOR:

Rev. Fr. Laszlo Nagy

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Rev Fr. Matthew McCarthy

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Tess Bondoc

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Youth Minister: Camille Herrera

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Adult Faith Formation	905-665-6470
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Daughters of Mary	905-668-8535
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Extraordinary Ministers	905-430-8552
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Holy Family Stitchers	905-668-0551
Homeless Mission	905-430-2515
Hospitality Ministry	905-665-6470
Intercessory Prayer Group	905-665-6470
Lectors	289-356-0246
Legion of Mary	905-666-8471
Marriage Preparation	905-665-6470
Mother's Group	289-240-8995
Outreach Ministry	905-430-2515
Praise & Worship Group	905-665-8177
ProLife	905-665-6470
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Seniors Group	289-200-3945
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Ushers	905-665-9385
Volunteer Screening	905-439-5805
Youth Ministry	905-665-6470

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SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 12:30 p.m.

DAILY MASSES:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday: 9:00 a.m.
Novena Mass to Our Lady of Perpetual Help is every Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. Exposition is 1 hour before all weekday Masses.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturday 4 p.m. to 4:55 p.m. or upon request.

BAPTISM: Contact the Parish office.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

"Couples planning to be married must contact the priest ONE YEAR in advance. You must take a Marriage Preparation course and be a registered member of Holy Family Parish. If either party has gone through any form of civil or religious marriage with another person, the priest is not permitted to set a date for the wedding until the Bishop's office has been contacted."

PARISH DEVOTIONS:

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

- Beginning one hour before all weekday Masses.
- Friday from noon to just before the 7 p.m. Mass.
- On the First Friday of the month, Adoration will continue after Mass until midnight.

Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet

- Rosary is recited 1/2 hr before all weekday masses.
- Scriptural Rosary is 1st Saturday of the month after the 9am Mass.
- Divine Mercy Chaplet is every Friday at 3 p.m.

**NEW PARISHIONERS ARE WELCOME TO REGISTER
AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH**



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:

Get involved - become a Knight. Please contact Grand Knight Norm Sawula at 905-668-1799. Meetings are 2nd (General) and 4th (Executive) Wednesday of every month.



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE:

CWL Meetings are held in the Holy Family Church Hall on the 1st Wednesday of each month. Please contact CWL President, Evette D' Cunha at 905-430-4594. The Rosary is at 6 p.m. followed by Mass at 7:00 p.m. There are no meetings held in the month of July and August.

EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Monday, March 4, 7pm

+Giuseppe Calabrese req by Family

Tuesday, March 5, 9am

+Dorothy Williams

ASH WEDNESDAY, March 6

9:00am Mass

7:00pm Mass

Thursday, March 7, 9am

Sp Int Shereen & Brett Herod req by Claudia Herod

Friday, March 8, 7pm

+Matteo Radoslovich req by Hilda Radoslovich

+Kevin McGouran req by Annie McGouran and Family

+Dante Molinaro req by Paul & Anna Colacicco & Family

Saturday March 9

9:00am +Lawrence Kehoe req by Legion of Mary Members

5:00pm +Camella Maria D'Itri req by Mr & Mrs Mazzona

SENIORS GROUP

Holy Family Seniors Group will meet on Wednesday, March 13 at 1:00pm in the Knights Room. Dr. Ellen Smith, a chiropractor will be giving a presentation. All seniors are invited to attend. Please Beth at 289 240 1499 for more details.

CWL ANNOUNCEMENT

The Catholic Women's League will be holding their next General Meeting on **Wed., March 6th starting with the 7:00 pm Mass**. All women parishioners and guests above the age of 16 are welcome to attend. See what we are all about and the work we do for our parish and our community. We can be contacted at cwlholyfamilywhitby@gmail.com.

CWL CARD PARTY

Holy Family CWL is hosting a Card Party (Euchre night) on Saturday, March 16, in the Parish Hall. Entry tickets \$10/- per person. The doors open at 6:15 pm and we start at 7:00 pm sharp. There are 12 games with a light luncheon during the half time. There are 50/50 draw, great prizes and much fun! Come out and support our Parish Catholic Women's League. For more information contact: Mary Hawley 905 668 1644 or Cindy Merey 905 576 1218.



MARCH 6, 9:00AM AND 7:00PM MASSES

NO GREATER LOVE: A BIBLICAL WALK THROUGH CHRIST'S PASSION



Experience a deeper understanding and appreciation of God's immeasurable and unconditional love as you draw closer to Jesus than you ever have before. We begin the Bible experience through the Passion of Christ on **March 11, Monday, 2 sessions, morning at 10:30am and evening 7:30pm**. The 2 books as well as the video presentations over six weeks will now be \$50. Also, if a couple is participating in the Study there will be a registration fee of \$10 for the second person who will not need to purchase the books.

YOUNG ADULT MEN'S GROUP

We are inviting all young adult men ages 18 yrs. to 36 yrs. to join us in a small group setting. The topic is on Dr. Edward Sri's Who Am I to Judge? Responding to Relativism with Logic and Love. In an age in which preference has replaced morality, many people find it difficult to speak the truth, afraid of the reactions they will receive if they say something is right or wrong. This study will help young men to understand the view of morality and will equip them to engage relativism, appealing to both the head and the heart. **Fr. Matthew McCarthy** will lead the discussions. The study will begin on **Wednesday, March 13 to May 8 (excluding April 10) from 7:30pm to 9:00pm in the Knights Room**. Email holy.family@rogers.com to register.

THE ARTWORK OF THE SISTINE CHAPEL CEILING:

BEAUTY, PROPHECY AND GOD'S PLAN FOR THE SALVATION OF MANKIND.

On **March 13 at 7:30 PM**, speaker and art professional, Deanne Macewko will be presenting a talk here at Holy Family Parish, on the historic artwork of the Sistine Chapel Ceiling, created by the great Renaissance artist, Michelangelo. In this talk she will outline the prophetic program depicted on the ceiling focusing on the theological, allegorical, and symbolic meanings embedded within this great work of art. This talk is a good accompaniment to the Lenten Journey and celebration of the Easter Triduum.

YOUNG ADULT MASS

We are inviting all young adults in the parish, ages 18 years to 36 yrs. to join us on **Sunday March 24 at 7pm for Mass**, followed by a young adult event in the church hall. If you have a young adult in your family, or know someone, especially those who have not been to church in a while, please invite them to attend the Mass. All the greeters, choir, readers and servers will be young adults of our parish. This will be a great opportunity for them to reconnect and renew their faith and have conversations with people their age about life and faith.

HOLY FAMILY LENTEN RETREAT

Holy Family Lenten Retreat will be on **April 8 to April 10, Monday to Wednesday** at 7pm. Lenten Reconciliation will follow after the retreat on Wednesday, April 10. The retreat will be given by Fr. Allan MacDonald, General Superior of the Companion of the Cross

YOUTH MINISTRY

Over the next few weeks, you'll notice that there a donation board up in the foyer. In order to send our youth to our camps and conferences, we need your help to alleviate the costs. All donations that are received will go toward the registration of our youth and sustenance of our ministry! We ask you to prayerfully consider picking up an envelope and being a part of our team.

STEBENVILLE, LIFETEEN CAMP, EDGE CAMP: To register and for more information, email Camille at hfwym91@gmail.com or see her this Sunday at the back of the church.

MARCH 3, 2019

OUR MISSION: WHAT IS THE REBUILT BOOK CLUB ALL ABOUT?

WEEK FIVE: ARE YOU READY?

Over the past weeks you have been hearing a lot about the Rebuilt Book Club that we have had at Holy Family, both in the homilies at Masses and in the bulletin. There is also a page on our new website (holyfamilywhitby.ca) dedicated to all of the resources and materials for the book club. (So please feel free to take a look at the session outlines and the videos of Fr. Michael White.) You might wonder why we have gone to such lengths to make this all so available to the whole parish. While we had over 400 people take a copy of the “Rebuilt” book, and over 300 who were able to participate in the actual sessions, what has become very clear is that the message of how to grow in faith in order to support our mission is for all parishioners of Holy Family. But even more importantly, we believe that this path of faith is what God wants for all of us.

Our mission of “love God, love others, make disciples” is biblical, it is based on the word of God through the scripture of the greatest of the ten commandments explained by Jesus, and the great commission that He gave to his apostles. And so, it follows that in trying to determine how we can take actions, make choices and decisions in our lives to embrace this mission, and even grow in faith to actively support its execution, we can turn to scripture. When we read the bible and listen carefully, it does have the messages needed to inspire us, even in our lives and this world today.

We have now launched our carefully and prayerfully prepared “NextSTEPS” booklet which is available to all parishioners to use as a way to consider where we each are on our faith journey, and what we might possibly do to take some steps of growth. There is no specific sequence to the steps, no giant actions required, and no set timeline – what is important is that we try to do something. Even one, single small step taken when we are able, is a step in the right direction. And, we have seen again and again, how even the smallest action humbly taken by a sincere believer with faith in their heart, can have a huge impact on the family of God. But let’s be clear that the steps of discipleship are not to be taken out of a sense of obligation, that is not what Jesus asked, he did not even use the word. But discipleship is based on a relationship with Jesus so that when we hear Him invite us to “follow me” (Matthew 4:19) we do so out of love.

For many people, the idea of movement forward or of growth is a challenge when they do not know where they are going, or what is expected. That is true of many things in life, we may know the destination of a trip for example, but if we have no idea about how we are getting there, where we will stay, who we will see, or what is expected of us, it makes us very uneasy, and the journey more difficult than it needs to be. Within the context of our modern world, and the fast-paced busy lives that we have, we need to feel that we are able to maximize our efforts for a worthwhile purpose. It is our hope that the NextSTEPS booklet will give you what Fr. László has been calling a “GPS for growing in faith”, both in the direction and purpose of taking the journey. The five parts of this journey of faith are identified by the acronym “STEPS”, and each has a biblical foundation.

The first “S” is to “Serve in Ministry”, and we know service is essential to our growth as followers of Jesus Christ. “For even the Son of Man came not to be served, but to serve.” (Mark 10:45) There are many varied opportunities to be able to use the gifts God has given us in ways that will serve His people and His church.

“T” invites us to “Tithe or Give” so that through our financial support we are demonstrating our support of all that the church is trying to accomplish. It is also a way that we can share what God has given us as a means of worshipping Him. Our money and possessions can be the greatest competition for God’s place in our hearts. “...everything we have is a gift from God, and to be used in His service.” (Luke 12:33)

A most powerful way to journey in our faith is found under “E”, when we “Engage in a Small Group” and through the relationships, conversations and support of an extended family grow our faith in the circle of friends. The early church was all about small communities of people who followed Jesus together. (Acts 2:42-47)

We are reminded by the “P” that as we try to navigate through life, and certainly as we undertake possible actions to develop our faith, we can rely on the “Practice of Prayer; and Celebration of the Sacraments” to bring the presence of God to the forefront of our life to guide and support us. “Pray continually.” (Thess 5:17)

As a true community of faith, and to follow our mission to make disciples, the final “S” is about “Sharing Faith Through Evangelization”, telling our stories of the presence and impact of God’s love in our lives. It is through the example of how we live our life and speaking about our faith in a way that is authentic and personal that we do have the power to invite others to come closer in a relationship with Jesus Christ. “That is, that we may be mutually encouraged by each other’s faith, both yours and mine.” (Romans 1:12)

Over the next weeks, you will hear the homily messages explore and explain more about each of these steps for your own possible journey of growth in faith. Please take a copy of the booklet and bring it each week with you to Mass so that you may make notes, reflect, pray, and consider where you are in your faith life, and what steps might be next for you. Please know that through our Mission Prayer, everyone is in our intentions, and that we are here to support your journey in any way that we can. God invites all of us to follow His son, Jesus. Do you know where you are going, how to get there and are you ready?

Mary Kay Boase
Director of New Evangelization

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