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Rectory Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday & Friday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

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

ASSOCIATE PASTOR:

Fr. Ravibabu Kakumanu

OFFICE MANAGER:

Tess Bondoc

Director of New

Evangelization: Mary Kay Boase

Lay Pastoral Assistant: John Reid

Youth Minister: Stephanie Paglia

Office Assistant: Sue Kanemy

PARISH MINISTRIES:

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Alpha	905-668-8353
Altar Servers	905-665-6470
Children's Liturgy of the Word	905-668-8353
Daughters of Mary	905-668-8535
Eucharistic Ministers	905-430-8552
Extraordinary Ministers	905-430-8552
Gift Store	905-721-8909
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
Mothers Group	905-725-0868
Outreach Ministry	905-430-2515
Praise & Worship Group	905-665-8177
ProLife	905-665-6470
R.C.I.A.	905-925-6828
Rosary Apostolate	905-743-9466
Seniors Group	289-200-3945
Small Groups	905-665-6470
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Volunteer Screening	905-439-5805
Youth Ministry	905-665-6470

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make disciples

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 4:00 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 7:00 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 9 a.m. Mass.
- Divine Mercy Chaplet is every Friday at 3:00 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.



Monday September 23, 7pm

Thanksgiving to Padre Pio req by Mary Anne Fernando

Tuesday, September 24, 9am

+Jeanette & Joyce Coe req by Maurice Coe

Wednesday, September 25, 7pm

+Gil Tumangday req by Gloria and Family

Thursday, September 26, 9am

+Holy Souls in Purgatory

Friday September 27, 7pm

+Pedro Urcia req by Family
+Sebastiano Ruscia req by Family
+Irene Caffrey req by McGouran Family

Saturday, September 28

9:00 am +Bruno Adriano & Rocco Campanelli req by Angie & Frank Campanelli

5:00 pm +Mike Pulla req by Cessina Pulla & Family



In order to have Pastoral Letters signed, you must be a registered parishioner, attending Sunday Mass regularly and have volunteered in different parish ministries for **at least 4 months**. Father László cannot sign a reference form if he does not know the person and has no personal knowledge of the individual's involvement in the parish. For volunteer opportunities and to be more involved especially in our Children's Ministry and Youth Ministry, check out our website: holymfamilywhitby.ca

Confirmation



REGISTRATION: Sept. 24 @ 7pm

First Holy Communion



REGISTRATION: Sept. 26 @ 7pm

Please follow these registration procedures:

- 1) Complete the ON-LINE Registration form found on our NEW Website at holymfamilywhitby.ca
- 2) You will an receive the email notification, please **print the PDF attachment**.
- 3) Attend the **Registration night (dates above) in the church** and bring with you the following: Printed email notification, your child's original Baptismal certificate & a copy and the \$50.00 registration fee.

HFKids

New Sunday Programs Start on October 6th for Grades 1-6!

We want to set your child's heart on fire for Jesus!! **Starting October 6th**, we are offering a new program designed to help them learn more about Jesus and help them grow in faith in a small group setting and encounter God in a new & creative way. This convenient Sunday program for **children in grades 1-6**, will take place right after the 9:30 Mass when you are already here! While your child is in class, you and the rest of your family will be invited for fellowship & discussion in a small group setting of your own in the church hall. Please visit the youth page of our new website to register or for more information. holymfamilywhitby.ca

Register your child on-line or at the Welcome Desk!

...Equipping you and your family to love God, love others & make disciples.

INTRODUCING TIME TRAVELLERS FOR GRADES K-6!

Time travellers will be replacing our current Children's Liturgy Program **starting on October 6th**.

We are currently seeking **TEENS & YOUNG ADULTS** to share their gifts & talents with our youth in a new & exciting way...**tech crew, stage lighting, dancers, catechists, teachers, helpers, creative thinkers, administrative help with planning & coordinating**. Please visit the youth page of our new website holymfamilywhitby.ca if you are interested in this exciting opportunity to be involved!



Holy Family Youth Ministry invites any students from **Gr.9-12** who are looking for fun and creative ways to get their community hours! Join our enthusiastic Core Team for our Youth nights, events and socials. Find out which volunteer opportunities are available for you!



REGISTRATION OPEN FOR:

Registration forms with start dates and details are now available online under "Youth Ministry Programs". Please return all forms and payments to the office.

If you are interested in volunteering or learning more about our youth programs please visit our website or email Stephanie: youthministryholymfamilywhitby.com

SUNDAY SMALL GROUP DROP IN AFTER THE 9:30AM MASS!

On **Sunday, October 6th**, we are offering a 30-minute small group drop in, right after the 9:30 Mass (starting at 10:30am) in the parish hall. These sessions will provide all parishioners the opportunity to enjoy hospitality & fellowship and connect with others, while sharing their reflections on the Sunday Mass, readings & homily.

Email pastoralassistant.holyfamily@gmail.com for more details.

FEDERAL ELECTION DEBATE

On **Thursday, Oct. 3rd at 7:30pm**, St Joseph the Worker in Oshawa will be livestreaming a federal election debate from the Catholic perspective at the John Bassett Theatre in Toronto. Free tickets must be acquired in advance from St Joseph's parish office or online via www.archtoronto.org/election to attend this live-streamed event.

ARE YOU IN NEED OF PRAYER?

We encourage you to use our Prayer Request Box located in the back of the church. Simply fill out the provided Prayer Request Card, place it in the envelope and drop it in the box. Our Intercessory Prayer Group will pray for you. Please rest assured that your request will remain strictly confidential.



INTERESTED IN
BECOMING
CATHOLIC?

Are you or anyone you know interested in becoming a Catholic? Are you baptized Catholic as a child and has not celebrated the Sacraments of First Communion and Confirmation? Are you a Catholic who would like to deepen your faith? Join us every Tuesday evening at 7:00pm in the Knights room. For details call Bob at 905-925-6828.

SSVP ANNUAL COIN COLLECTION

Members of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul will be at the back of the church after all masses on the weekend of **Sept 28th/29th & Oct 5th/6th** handing out coin cans for their annual Christmas fundraising drive. The funds raised are used to help families in need in our community at Christmas. The cans are to be returned by Sunday November 24th. Members of the society will be available to answer any questions you may have. Thank you for your support.

EMOTIONALLY HEALTHY RELATIONSHIP COURSE

Improve the relationships in your life.

Through this course, we bring our faith, key biblical teachings and God's love into our relationships in a very intentional way. With God's grace, we can create profound changes in our own lives and the lives of those around us. We have 2 sessions every Monday until October 28th: Morning at 10:00am and Evening at 7:30pm. Email: ehd.holyfamily@gmail.com for details.

ALPHA COURSE: Tuesdays until Dec. 3rd
@ 7PM in the hall

**SEEKING FOR ANSWERS
ABOUT LIFE**

Alpha

All are welcome- Catholics, Christian or not.
Enjoy free meal, fellowship & good
conversations.

HOLY FAMILY CAFÉ COMING SOON!

A brand new and exciting opportunity is coming soon to really put our warm and wonderful hospitality into practice. If this is one of your gifts and interests, please consider this next step to be engaged in the church. If you are interested in joining our amazing team who will be bringing this special Sunday morning cafe experience to our parish please email: mk.boase@rogers.com. There are different ways you can contribute to this new cafe: we are looking for people who are creative, or who enjoy welcoming people, or who like to work behind the scenes and help with the set-up and decor, or who would like to serve as part of our Kitchen Angels. Come be part of the team! Everyone interested in being a part of our Holy Family Café is invited to a gathering on **Saturday, September 28 at 3:00pm**. This is an important opportunity to see the vision for this new welcoming space, and to discover where your gifts would fit in. There will also be a baking day for kitchen angels on **Friday, October 4 from 9:30am - 1:00pm**.

Calling all young adults ages 18 to 39!
Join us for Mass & fellowship on
Sept 29 @ 7pm

**YOUNG ADULT
MINISTRY**

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NEW TO HOLY FAMILY-MARRIAGE AND FAMILY LIFE PRAYER MINISTRY

The Catholic Women's League of Holy Family is pleased to announce and promote the coming of the **Marriage and Family Life Prayer Ministry** to begin this October! This prayer ministry will ask parishioners to take 30 - 60 minutes once per month on the same day to **pray at home for families and marriages**. You will receive a free brochure written by Father Johnny Doherty to read. The brochure contains dynamic words and prayers to help revitalize you in prayer for these very special intentions. You may sign up to participate or ask any questions about this ministry at the welcome desk over the next two weeks. There will be a meeting on **Thursday, October 3 at 7:00** in the church to receive your brochure and instructions. On behalf of the CWL, you are invited to join the Marriage and Family Life Prayer Ministry to strengthen our faith and continue to build our commitment to families and to God.



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