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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

Young Adult Minister: John Rugosi

Youth Minister: Stephanie Paglia

Office Assistant: Sue Kanemy

PARISH MINISTRIES:

Adult Faith Formation	905-665-6470
Alpha	905-668-8353
Altar Servers	905-665-6470
Choir	905-449-1337
Daughters of Mary	905-668-8535
Eucharistic Ministers	905-556-1958
Extraordinary Ministers for the Sick	905-430-8552
Gift Store	905-721-8909
HF Kids	905-668-8353
Holy Family Stitches	905-668-0551
Homeless Mission	905-903-5153
Hospitality Ministry	905-665-6470
Intercessory Prayer Group	905-665-6470
Lectors	905-809-1750
Legion of Mary	905-430-2368
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 Group Coordinator	905-665-6470
St. Vincent's Kitchen	905-668-8353
Society of Saint Vincent de Paul	905-668-8752
Sacramental Prep Class	905-665-6470
Ushers	905-665-9385
Volunteer Coordinator	905-447-8197
Volunteer Screening	905-439-5805
Young Adult Ministry	905-665-6470
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 4:00 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.

PARISH SCHOOLS:

St. Bernard	905-668-3772
St. Mark	905-721-2460
St. Matthew	905-430-8597
St. Paul	905-728-7011
St. Theresa	905-668-8261
Fr. Leo J. Austin High School	905-666-2010
All Saints High School	905-666-7753

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.



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



**Save the date: June 7, Sunday, Fr. László's
25th Ordination Anniversary**

6:00pm at Tosca Banquet Hall
Dinner Buffet (and Dance) with Open Bar
Dessert, Coffee/Tea included

Tickets will be available at the office soon! Price: \$80.00



Mass Intentions

Monday February 24, 7 p.m.

+George McGuigan req by Kay and Family

Tuesday February 25, 9 a.m.

+Francis Xavier and Roger Tyron Fernando req by May Ann Fernando

ASH Wednesday February 26

9:00am and 7:00pm Masses

Thursday February 27, 9 a.m.

+Francis Gordon req by Joan Fernandes

Friday February 28, 7 p.m.

+Lucia Tardivo req by Paola Polzi

+Marcella Fortino req by

Joe & Mena Lombardi

Saturday February 29

9 a.m. Sp Int for Fr. László & Fr. Ravi

5 p.m. +Ted Mizzi req by Wife & Family

**MASS FOR OUR LADY OF
CONSTANTINOPOLI**

The Mass for Our Lady of Constantinopoli is today at the 12:30pm Mass. Blessed bread will be distributed in the hall after the Mass.

**CWL HOSTS GATHER CAFE
BREAKFAST: MARCH 1ST**

Please come and join your fellow parishioners for breakfast & fellowship after all Sunday Masses on March 1st. Delicious homemade breakfast burritos, egg salad sandwiches, assorted muffins, yogurt parfait, fruit and beverages will be served. All foods are nut free. Cost is \$5.00 for Adults; \$3.00 Kids 10 & Under. Please Join us!

PRAYER REQUESTS

If you are in need of prayer, please use our Prayer Box located at the back of the church. Our Intercessory Prayer Groups will pray for you! Rest assured, all Prayer Requests are kept strictly confidential.



FAMILY OF FAITH

LAY PASTORAL SUBSIDY AND YOUTH MINISTRY SUBSIDY

The Family of Faith Campaign has not only supported projects of the Archdiocese of Toronto's pastoral plan but also assisted parishes like Holy Family to fund staff positions like the Lay Pastoral Associate and Youth Minister. This assistance that we are receiving is on top of our parish goal for our campaign. We would like to share with you the payment schedule to outline how much we have received as subsidy from the start of the campaign.

Lay Pastoral Associate Subsidy Payment Schedule:

Time Frame	Paid to Holy Family on	Amount
Sep -Dec 2017 4/12 x \$25,000	Sep 29,2017	\$ 8,300
Jan - Dec 2018	Jan 22,2018	\$25,000
Jan - Dec 2019	Jan 31,2019	\$25,000
Jan -Aug 2020: 8/12 x \$25,000	Jan 27,2020	\$16,700
Total Subsidy		\$75,000

Youth Minister Subsidy Payment Schedule:

Time Frame	Paid to Holy Family on	Amount
May -Dec 2016 8/12 x \$25,000	Apr 15,2016	\$16,650
Jan - Dec 2017	Jan 15,2017	\$25,000
Jan - April 2018:4/12 x\$25,000	Jan 23,2018	\$ 8,350
Year 2018	Jan 23,2018	\$25,000
Jan - Dec 2019	Feb 28, 2019	\$25,000
Jan - Jun 2020	Feb 4, 2020	\$12,500
Total Subsidy		\$112,500

Our parish is very grounded intentionally in our mission, reliant on God's inspiration, and present to the people who are part of Holy Family parish. As we continue to further explore and deepen our faith formation, we pray for the lives of each and every one of you to be touched in some way by God this year so that you experience the joy, peace and love of faith in your hearts.

NEXT SUNDAY, MARCH 1ST IS SMALL GROUP SUNDAY!



Wondering if a small group is what you need?

Have questions about small groups you need answered? Looking for fulfilment? Come see me, and my team, at the back of the church after each Mass, to get answers to all your questions, and get connected! See you then!

For more information, email Kim: holyfamily.kim@gmail.com

YOUTH MINISTRY

Holy Family's Youth Ministry team invites all youth to come & check out our evening programs: Jr. Edge Gr.3-5, Edge Gr.6-8 and Life Teen Gr.9-12.

Next Jr. Edge Feb. 26th 6-7:30pm, **Next Life Teen** Feb. 27th 6-8pm

Next Edge: March 5th 6-8pm

Steubenville Toronto

Attention TEENS, Registration for Steubenville Toronto is now open!

Steubenville will take place July 3-5th at the U.O.I.T campus. It is a two night, 3 day stay filled with exciting praise and worship, talks and social events. Most importantly Steubenville provides an opportunity to encounter Christ in an authentic way, with thousands of teens across North America. We will be travelling together as a parish and arriving home together. The total cost is \$295 for each teen. Please contact our youth minister for more details!

PASTORAL REFERENCE LETTERS

In order for people seeking teaching positions within the Catholic school system to have their Pastoral Letters to be signed:

- You must be a registered parishioner,
- Attending Sunday Mass regularly,
- Have participated in the sacramental and pastoral life of the Church community,
- Volunteered in different parish ministries for at least 4 months.
- Be in good canonical standing within the Church, that is not living in common law or married outside the church.
- Financially support the work and mission of the church particularly ShareLife, the Missions and your own Parish.


Please be aware that all pastoral references are positive but honest expressions of the Pastor's assessment of the candidate's current level of faith, faith practice and involvement. This assessment is based on personal knowledge and the responses given by the candidate in the interview. Fr. 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.

ESTATE PLANNING SEMINAR - MARCH 23

On March 23rd 7:30pm, in our parish hall, Catholic Cemeteries and Office of Development- Archdiocese of Toronto will share information about: The importance of a proper will; information about Powers of Attorney, the peace of mind that comes from pre-arranging funeral, entombments, burial and cremation plans, the cost savings of planning in advance, securing your final resting place in consecrated grounds, affordable extended interest free monthly payment options, our Catholic traditions around burial and funerals, final phase of Resurrection Mausoleum. *A Guide to Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services and an Estate Planning Kit will be provided at no cost. Refreshments will be provided.*

CONVERSION CORNER

On March 1st, our RCIA candidates and catechumens will meet with the Bishop for the Rite of Election, which is one of the final steps in their preparations for becoming fully initiated into the Roman Catholic Church. Please continue to pray for Tony Xu, Katie Deng, Joseph Young, Matthew Major, Brendan Gamble and Tom Vidinu. They have been preparing intensely in anticipation of the Easter Vigil since as early as September 2019, and will still be working hard with their sponsors and the RCIA Team until Pentecost.



LENT
BEGINS ASH WEDNESDAY – FEB 26th

Christ's love for you is bursting forth. Embrace him and let his mercy pierce your heart during this Lenten season. Here are 4 easy ways to experience Lent more deeply:

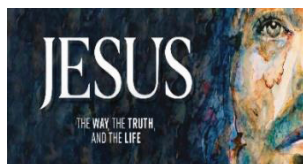
Ash Wednesday Mass – 9am or 7pm
"Remember that you are dust, and to dust you shall return."
Join us for Mass and invite someone to join you.

Bishop Barron's Lenten Reflection Book
Spend your time with Christ in the Gospel this Lent. Get a copy of Bishop Barron's Lenten Reflection Book with Stations of the Cross at the gift store for \$5.

Small Group Drop In - Sundays 10:35-10:55am
Join us every Sunday of Lent after the 9:30am Mass as we gather for a short video followed by an open discussion on a different Lenten theme each week.

***In the Gather Café (downstairs in the church basement).

Holy Rosary & Stations of the Cross – Fridays at 6pm
Every Friday of Lent, the Holy Rosary will be recited at 6pm, followed by Stations of the Cross at 6:30pm. Come and experience the passion, death and resurrection of Jesus as we journey towards Easter.



NEW BIBLE STUDY

Catholics who desire a personal relationship with Jesus are finding it much simpler once they actually know a bit more about who he is. **Jesus:**

The Way, the Truth, and the Life, is a 10 part study that is helping Catholics get to know Jesus more intimately than ever before. See the places Jesus lived, worked, and taught so you can visualize the scenes in the Bible in their real-life setting and Learn about the culture Jesus was raised in. The *Jesus* study starts April 20, morning session at 10:30am & evening sessions at 7:30pm. Study sets are available for sale at the back of the church after all Masses for \$40 each. Join us!

PARISH LENTEN RETREAT March 30, 31 & April 1 @7pm.



Finding Jesus as He Finds You

Join us for our Parish Lenten Retreat with guest speaker, Augustinian Retreat Director, Fr. Gary McCloskey. Join us as we take time to listen to God's voice coming to us and connecting with us through Scripture. Spend time discovering the sacraments, especially Reconciliation as Christ the Healing Physician embracing us and breaking into our lives to heal us. Celebrate the Eucharist as God coming into our lives to empower us with His grace to be the Body of Christ in the world. Three evenings; Monday March 30th, Tuesday March 31st and Wednesday April 1st 7:00pm. **Sacrament of Reconciliation will be offered on TUESDAY MARCH 31ST.**

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