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Feast of the Holy Family



Monday December 28, 7 p.m.

Sp Int for Alexia Hawkins.

Tuesday December 29, 9 a.m.

+Savio Fernandes req by the Fernandes Family.

+Giovanni Rocchio req by his wife & children.

Wednesday December 30 7 p.m.

Sp Int for Sunny Crest Residents & Staff req by the Legion of Mary.

+Burke McInerney req by Carmen McInerney.

Sp Int Juanita Wade req by the Monahans.

Sp Int for Trudy Fitzsimmons req by Juanita Wade.

Thursday December 31

New Year's Eve

Friday January 1

New Year's Day

Saturday January 2

9am No Morning Mass

5pm Parishioners of Holy Family

NEW YEAR'S DAY MASSES

REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED TO ATTEND.

Thursday Dec 31: 5:00pm

Friday Jan 1: 11:00 & 12:30

Livestream: January 1 11:00 on

Facebook & YouTube.

Visit www.holyfamilywhitby.ca

MARRIAGE BANNS

Promise of Marriage Notice between Polycarp Ehidihamhen & Queen Unoma i on April 24th 2021 at St. Anthony Cathedral, Uromi Nigeria.

GOT QUESTIONS? TRY ALPHA



Got questions about life or faith?

Our next Alpha Course will start on February 9th every Tuesday from 7:00-8:30pm for 11 weeks. All are welcome – Catholic, Christian or not! Tell your family & friends! For more information or to register, visit: www.holyfamilywhitby.ca/alpha/

MOVIE NIGHT? TRY FORMED!

Looking for quality Catholic Content for the whole family this winter? Check out FORMED! Everyone in the parish has **FREE** access to all the content on FORMED. **It's our gift to you!** Simply visit www.holyfamilywhitby.ca/formed/ to set up your free account!

A FAMILY PRAYER

Heavenly Father, thank you for the gift of your family. Enlighten our hearts and minds that we may live more fully this vocation of love.

In our daily life and work,
May we reflect the self-giving love which you,
O Father, eternally show with your Son
and the Holy Spirit.

Let your love be evident in the peace that reigns in our home and in the faith, we profess and live.

may our family always be a place of generosity,
understanding, forgiveness and joy.

Kindly give us the wisdom and courage
to be witnesses to your eternal design for
the family; and grant that the Holy Family
of Nazareth may always guide our path
To holiness as a family.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ,
Your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the
unity of the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever.

**May the Holy Family guide and protect you
in the New Year.**

Fr. László

GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR YOU FOR THE NEW YEAR!

Are you Looking for a New Year's Resolution? Look no further!

When was the last time you asked for prayers for YOURSELF? Or, the last time you really prayed for someone else with them right there with you? If you want to feel cared for, loved and prayed for in a way that you have not experienced before, then you will want to be part of the "3 Conversations"!

Last fall, we started gathering with very small groups of people just like you - to grow in faith together. With physical distancing, masks and other safety protocols, groups of 4 or 5 have been coming together to share 3 simple conversations...simple, yet for so many people - transformational. If you'd like to feel the presence of Jesus in your life, in a way that brings you peace during this difficult time - we invite you to embark on this new faith journey!

Why not join us immediately after a weekday Mass? - Starts the week of January 11th!

GO to Mass and then come to PRAY with us! To register & for more information visit: <https://www.holyfamilywhitby.ca/our-mission/> **Come, join the movement!**

A Message from Stephanie

This has certainly been a challenging year for our youth and teens. What an absolute GIFT it has been to be able to meet with them safely and provide a safe space for them to heal, grow and live in community! We are social beings and God has provided so many opportunities for our ministry to strengthen its foundation and to focus on forming quality relationships with each other as we search for the meaning of our lives! Sometimes it takes losing "everything" to realize, we HAVE everything that we need to live purposeful lives. God uses all for His Good and we can Trust in that!

Have a blessed New Year!
Keep your eyes fixed on HIM!
Stephanie Paglia,
Youth Minister - Holy Family

NEW BIBLE STUDY JAN 14TH!

Find help & inspiration from the men & women who transformed the world!

Lectio Evangelization and the Acts of the Apostles. This FREE, online 10-week series combines Bible study with Church teaching and provides practical wisdom to show you how modern Catholics can effectively impact the people around them. Will meet online on Zoom every Thursday - am & pm sessions available, starting January 14 until March 18.



We will send out the Zoom link and further instructions in early January to everyone on the Holy Family Email List through Flocknote so please make sure to sign up if you are not yet receiving the Holy Family Parish Emails. To do so simply Visit: <https://holyfamilyparishwhitby.flocknote.com/dashboard> For more information about this Bible Study and to download the FREE participant guide visit our website.

Everyone is welcome, it's completely free & there is no registration needed!
<https://www.holyfamilywhitby.ca/bible-study/>

2021 ENVELOPES READY

Your 2021 envelopes are available for pick up at the back of the church.

YEAR END GIVING

2020 Tax Receipt Deadline is Dec 31st! ❤️

**Simplify your giving for 2021
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➤ YEAR- END GIVING ~ 2020 TAX RECEIPT DEADLINE IS DEC 31

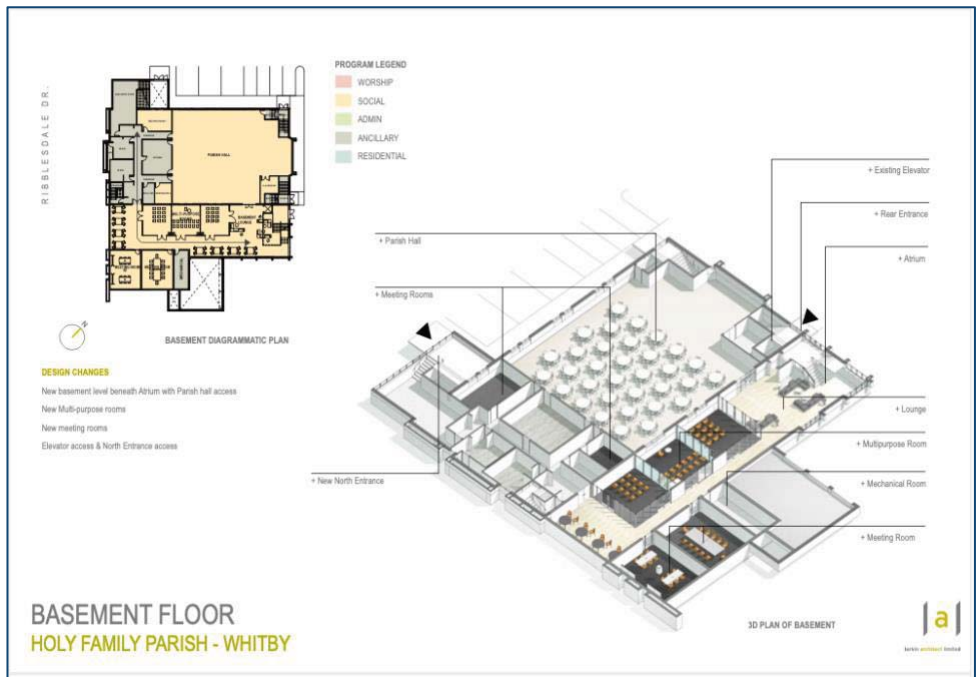
Thank you to all the many parishioners who have continued to support the parish this year! We are so grateful to all of you! Anyone wishing their year-end donation to be reflected on their 2020 tax receipt should have it in by December 31, 2020.

Why not simplify your giving for 2021 and join the over 200 families currently using PAG - Pre-Authorized Giving? Enrolment to the PAG program is easy and convenient. When you enroll, your offering will be automatically withdrawn from your bank account on the 20th day of each month. This will then be electronically deposited to the Parish's operating account. It's convenient, it reduces the need for submitting envelopes each week with cash or writing cheques, its secure and enables better planning of annual contributions. PAG also offers regular and dependable cash flow to operate our parish.

In order to ensure that we are able to meet the very basic operations & maintenance of our parish next year, we are aiming for a total monthly contribution PAG of \$20,000. We're so close with approx. \$1300 in monthly donations still needed to reach our goal. Please pray about your giving and visit www.holyfamilywhitby.ca/tithe-give/ if you would like to join or increase your current plan. Thank you!

PROPOSED BUILDING PLANS FOR HOLY FAMILY PARISH

Over the past couple of weeks, we've been highlighting different areas of the proposed plans, the image below shows the plans for the basement. If you haven't had a chance to look over the drawings yet, we encourage you to visit our website and then please share your insights with us! The development of Holy Family Building Plan is a significant undertaking to address our parish needs for additional physical space to allow for more faith and gathering opportunities. We hope and pray that this new vision for our church will spark enthusiasm and inspire people to deepen their engagement in their faith and in our parish. Visit www.holyfamilywhitby.ca/building-plans/



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