

Holy Family Parish

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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: PARISH MINISTRIES:

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Adult Faith Formation Alpha Altar Servers Choir Daughters of Mary Eucharistic Ministers Extraordinary Ministers for the Sick Gift Store HF Kids Holy Family Stitchers Homeless Mission Hospitality Ministry Intercessory Prayer Group Lectors Legion of Mary Marriage Preparation Mothers Group Outreach Ministry Praise & Worship Group ProLife R.C.I.A. Rosary Apostolate Seniors Group Small Group Coordinator St. Vincent's Kitchen Society of Saint Vincent de Paul Sacramental Prep Class Ushers Volunteer Coordinator Volunteer Screening Young Adult Ministry Youth Ministry	905-665-6470 905-668-8353 905-668-8353 905-556-1958 905-556-1958 905-721-8909 905-668-8353 905-668-0551 905-665-6470 905-665-6470 905-665-6470 905-665-6470 905-665-6470 905-665-6470 905-665-6470 905-668-8353 905-668-8353 905-668-8353 905-665-6470 905-665-6470 905-665-6470 905-665-6470 905-665-6470 905-665-6470

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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.

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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

Rev. Fr. Laszlo Nagy ASSOCIATE PASTOR: Fr. Ravibabu Kakumanu

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

PALM SUNDAY



MASS INTENTIONS

Monday March 29, 7pm

+Savio Fernandes req by the Fernandes Family.

+Patrick & Madeline Way +Bill, Jerry, Joe & Greg Way.

Tuesday March 30, 9am +Luz Ruelos req by Zonita Reid.

Wednesday March 31, 7pm

+Mary Walsh reg by the Wood Family. +Christotero Zenarosa reg by his Family. +Eileen Belanger req by Mary Anne Belanger.

Sp Int Mary Anne Etorma & Pinky Medina reg by Mary Anne Etorma.

LET'S STAY CONNECTED!



Stay on top of all the happenings at Holy Family - Join our email list on Flocknote! Sign up at: holyfamilywhitby.ca/get-connected/

PRAYER REQUESTS

If you or a loved one is in need of prayer, please use our Online Prayer Request to send us your prayer request. Our dedicated Intercessory Prayer Team and our priests will pray for you! For the link and other prayer resources visit **PRAYER** on our website.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

A deep and heartfelt thank you to all the many parishioners who continuously support the parish! The offertory collection during the Mass is an act of worship, placing your offering in the collection basket each week is your chance to 'empty yourself' so that your offering may be joined to those of Christ's at the altar and used for God's kingdom. Even those who are using our PAG for their alms giving are encouraged to participate they do this by marking their empty envelope with "PAG" and placing it in the collection basket as it passes by. Visit GIVE for more info on PAG.



Please visit our website to Register to attend Holy Week & Easter Masses.

While some aspects of Holy Week will look a little different this year; no palms on Palm Sunday, no washing of the feet on Holy Thursday, no public veneration (kissing/touching) of the cross on Good Friday, we rejoice in the fact that, this year, we are able journey with Jesus to the cross and celebrate the joy of His triumphant Resurrection together as a parish community! Visit our website and click on 'Register for Mass' for the schedule, to register and to read the safety protocols put in place to help make Holy Family a safe place for you & your family to worship. https://www.holyfamilywhitby.ca/sunday-mass-registration/ CLICK HERE

We Invite you to Bring a Small Cross to Mass on Good Friday!

You are invited to bring a small cross with you to our Good Friday Mass where we encourage you to venerate your cross privately while Father venerates the cross in the sanctuary.

PALM SUNDAY

'Jesus Christ's triumphal entry into Jerusalem' There will be **no** distribution of palms this year.

March 28th - Sat 5:00pm, Sun 8:00am, 9:30, 11:00 and 12:30pm (Reservations Required) Live-streamed at 11:00am

CHRISM MASS

'Blessing of the Holy Oils at St Michaels Cathedral Basilica' March 30th 11am Live-streamed from the Cathedral: www.stmichaelscathedral.com/livestream

HOLY THURDAY

'Celebrating our Lord's Giving of the Eucharist' Washing of the feet will be omitted this year. At the end of the Mass, the Blessed Sacrament will be placed in the tabernacle and the church will remain open private Adoration until midnight. Thursday April 1st - 7:00 pm (Reservations Required for Mass) Followed by EUCHARISTIC ADORATION Until Midnight

GOOD FRIDAY - bring your own SMALL cross!

'Remembering the Sacrifice of our Lord Jesus Christ' Public Veneration (kissing or touching the cross) will be omitted this year; however, you are encouraged to bring your own small cross for private veneration while Father venerates the Cross in the sanctuary. Friday April 2nd - 11:00am, 1:00pm and 3:00pm (Reservations Required)

Live-streamed at 3pm

STATION OF THE CROSS

Friday April 2nd 7:00PM

EASTER VIGIL

'Celebrating Christ's Rising and the Easter Sacraments' April 3rd - 8:00 pm (Reservations Required)

EASTER SUNDAY - Alleluia He is Risen!

'Celebrating the Resurrection of Our Lord' Sunday April 4th - 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am and 12:30pm (Reservations Required) Live-streamed at 11:00a



MEMORIAL MASS MONDAY MARCH 29th at 7PM

The circumstances of this pandemic have meant that many victims of Covid have died without their family by their side, deprived of the visit, affection and embrace of their loved ones & family members. Few had the benefits of the blessings of the Sacrament of Anointing and the Holy Eucharist. It is with this in our hearts that we invite you, as parish community, to join us on **Monday March 29th at 7:00pm** for a Memorial Mass in honour of those who have died of Covid.

If you have lost a loved one to Covid-19, we encourage you to please email us their name and then join us on Monday as we pray for you and for the soul of your dearly departed. All Are Welcome. Please send your email to: <u>holy.family@rogers.com</u> and provide your name and the name of the deceased. CLICK HERE

SL ShareLife

Supporting mental health in our community

Our parish's ShareLife Campaign is now underway. ShareLife Sunday is April 18th. In this time of Lent, please reflect on the great needs of our brothers and sisters who are helped through your generous support of ShareLife. Last year, generous ShareLife supporters enabled 21,000 people to receive affordable mental health care through family service agencies across the Archdiocese of Toronto, including our own community here in Whitby and around Durham. Please give Generously. ShareLife.org

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HOLY FAMILY YOUTH MINISTRY



Please visit the Youth Page of our website or contact our Youth Minister, Stephanie to find out more about our three youth groups – Jr Edge Grades 3-5, Edge Grades 6-8 and LifeTeen for Grades 9-12. ALL youth are welcome to join us anytime! Visit <u>holyfamilywhitby.ca/youthministry-corner/</u>. Contact Stephanie for current meeting days & times at: <u>youthministryholyfamily@gmail.com</u>

FORMED Pick of the Week

Use your FREE FORMED subscription to watch the video series below...If you are not yet subscribed, simply visit our website for the special link to get your free subscription. <u>holyfamilywhitby.ca/formed/</u>



Triduum: A Spiritual Pilgrimage.

As we pray through Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday and Easter Sunday it can be easy to forget that these things really, truly happened. The people are real, the events are real, and the places are

real. Seeing the actual physical locations of Jesus' last days of His earthly ministry can be helpful for our faith. Watch "Triduum: A Spiritual Pilgrimage" and take a walk through the locations of the Holy Week story in this beautifully narrated & meditative tour of the Holy Land.

To watch Triduum A Spiritual Pilgrimage - CLICK HERE

FOR THE KIDS! "He is Risen"

Let Brother Francis take you and your child through **Holy Week and the Easter Triduum.** Steeped in Scripture and instruction, Brother Francis: 'He Is Risen!' follows Jesus through key points in His Life. His Death on the



Cross, triumph over death, and Ascension to the Father. **He Is Risen!** is a wonderful reminder of the reality of God's power and presence.

To watch He is Risen the Power of the Resurrection - CLICK HERE

PROPOSED BUILING PLANS FOR OUR PARISH



Visit the back of the church to see the proposed vision for the future of Holy Family! You can also view the information and images of the proposed <u>Building Plan on our website</u>. Then, share with us your thoughts, questions, or ideas about the parish's need for more space, and the master plan for the proposed expansion. You'll find a handy link at the bottom of the webpage to share your feedback with us. - **Your opinion matters!**

