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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

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
Outreach Ministry	905-430-2515
Praise & Worship Group	905-665-8177
ProLife	905-665-6470
R.C.I.A.	905-925-6828
Rosary Apostolate	905-666-5763
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 Gwen Schulte-Albert at 905-435 4673. There are no meetings held in the month of July and August.



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



Monday January 24, 7:00pm

+ Helen Lunny req by Jack and Helena O'Rouke.

Tuesday January 25, 9:00am

+Carmine Plastina req by Mary Celebre.
+Dorothy Van Warmerdam req by Frank & Elly Verwery.

Wednesday January 26, 7:00pm

+Esther Nowotny
+Lorraine Bertol-Kress req by Laurie Blank & Family.

Thursday January 27, 9:00am

+Vladimir Bulat req by Mira Bulat
+Vitaliana Ruelos req by Zonita Reid.
+Michael McGuigan req by Catherine McGuigan.

Sp Int Nicole Herod req by Claudia Herod.

Friday January 28, 7:00pm

Sp Int Stephanie Paglia.
+Angelina Chiodo and Antonietta Paglia.

+Arsenio & Ofelia Ramos req by Jun Padua & Family.

+Alice Mary Cooper req by June Refearo & the Cooper Family.

+Lucy D'Souza req by Joyce D'Souza.

Saturday, January 29, 9:00am

+Francesco & Maria Albis and
+Cono Miragliotta req by the Family.
+Martin Kenny and Deceased
Members of the Kenny Family req by Family.

Saturday, January 29, 5:00pm

Sp Int Raquel & Michael Robinson req by Cheryl Robinson.



Why not start 2022 differently?

Are you feeling disconnected? Looking for a place to belong and grow in your faith? This is a great time to connect with a Small Group! Many of our Small groups are once again meeting online. Get connected Today! For more information, visit: holymfamilywhitby.ca/online-small-groups/

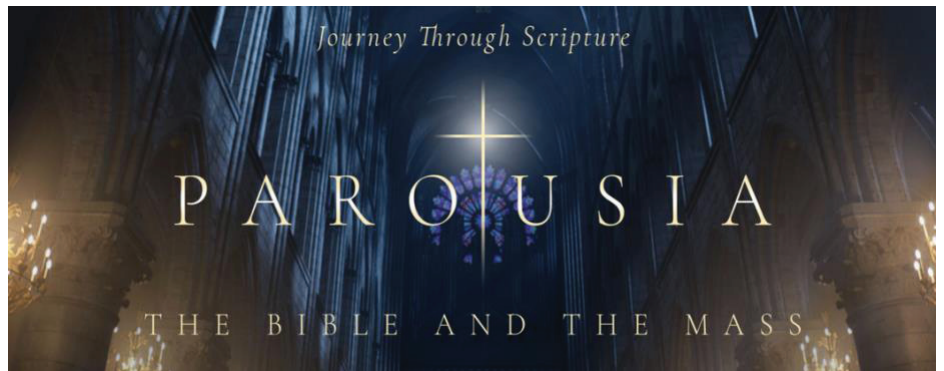
WHY DO WE COME TO MASS?

We come to Mass not for 'information' but rather we come to Mass for 'transformation'. We come to be TRANSFORMED! Fr. László

The Eucharist can transform our lives and bring us closer to God and the life He wants for us, **BUT our inner receptivity is critical.** To receive love, we need to be open to it. The sacrificial gift of self at every Mass is the best way to be continuously transformed into Christ. Renew your relationship with God this year & commit to drawing closer to Him and allow yourself to be transformed! Re-discover the awesome power, the incredible gift, that is the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass...

Parousia: The Bible and the Mass is truly for **EVERYONE!** Whether you've wandered away, like the prodigal son, and need to renew your relationship with God or you've never been closer to Him – you can get closer and experience real transformation in your life.

JOIN US FOR PAROUSIA: THE BIBLE AND THE MASS



Starts January 31st – Two Session times available: **Mornings 10:30am** and **Evenings 7:45pm** online on ZOOM. Workbooks are for sale at the back of the church for **\$25.00**. You will need to purchase the workbook to get the zoom link for the study. For more information, visit the Welcome desk after Mass or, holymfamilywhitby.ca/bible-study/ or email the parish office at holym.family@rogers.com

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Thank you to all the Intercessory Group members of our parish who selflessly lift up in prayer the needs of our parish, our community, the Church and all of the many Prayer Requests received from our dear parishioners. There are many ways to love one's neighbor, but Intercessory Prayer 'praying on behalf of other people' has got to be one of the most powerful...

These are our Prayer Warriors.

Prayer is the most potent force known to humanity. Because we have been made partakers in Jesus' victory over sin and death 1Jn 4:4, we have the authority as sons & daughters of God to pray for others, pushing back the darkness of sin and oppression. In prayer, we have a weapon that has divine power to destroy strongholds 2Cor 10:4.

That kind of weaponry - the power of prayer - is something God invites us to use as we seek not only our own transformation but the transformation of others and of the world as well. An intercessor is one who takes up a "burden" that goes far beyond his or her own needs and intentions.

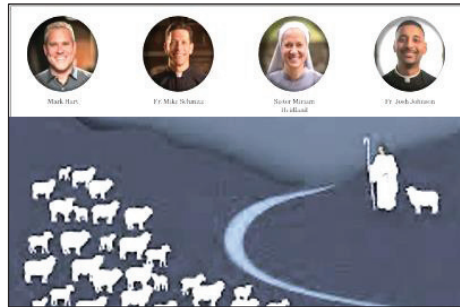
Are you willing to raise your hand and say "Jesus, I want to be your Prayer Warrior?"

If you feel in your heart that you are being called to pray for the needs of others, we encourage you to join one of our Intercessory Prayer Groups. To find the group that's right for you, or to look over the Intercessory Prayer Information Package, visit holymfamilywhitby.ca/prayer-groups/

IF YOU ARE IN NEED OF PRAYER

Please use our **Prayer Request Box** located in the back of the church or submit your prayer request using our **Online Prayer Request Form** which can be found on our website. Whatever your needs are or whatever situation you may be faced with, trust in the Lord and rest assured your prayers requests will be handled with the utmost respect. Visit the Payer Page of our website for the link at: holymfamilywhitby.ca/prayer/

WE'RE GATHERING SHEPHERDS TO LEAD OUR FLOCK!



We will soon begin a 6-session training called **THE 99 MASTER CLASS**, intended to form & train leaders (Shepherds) in the principles of effective evangelization from seasoned experts in the field, with the specific focus on helping to prepare them as facilitators/table hosts, for a 3-night Parish-wide (the Flock) Lenten Retreat called **THE 99 EXPERIENCE** scheduled for later this spring.

The format of these sessions is very familiar to us: gathering of small groups, video learning/presentation and then guided discussions and more. Our objective with **THE MASTER CLASS** is to inspire the hearts of the facilitators/hosts to know God and to use them as His disciples to welcome the Flock to the 3-night Parish-Wide **THE 99 EXPERIENCE** we will share as our Lenten Retreat. The first 99 Master Class session will be on Monday, January 31st at 7:40 for 6 weeks. Please don't let our scheduled Bible Study on Mondays stop you from joining the master class team – an alternative could be that you join the morning Bible Study?

If you would like more information, or think you would be interested in being part of this team, please contact the office at 905-665-6470.

ANSWERING A CALL FROM OUR LORD TO SERVE HIM

Become a leader in our FNE Explorer Movement at Holy Family Parish!



Leaders in our FNE movement are generally not very important men or women as seen through society's eyes. Most of us do not have great wealth, control a large company, or occupy a position of great honour, status or power. Yet you will help mould destiny. It is within our power to become one of the most important people in our youth's lives by being an FNE leader. Every child can become a great person and thereby help

change human history in positive ways that we can't even begin to realize in this life.

We are all about the youth that we lead and help. If we can guide them through our FNE Explorer movement and its program, we can help shape tomorrow's future leaders. We can help them not only save their soul, but they help save the souls of others. Their yes is a yes, a promise kept, being willing and able to help others and to see that their time on this earth is but just a brief moment compared to forever in the afterlife.

To live for and to do the will of God, to love him with our entire being is the example that we, as FNE leaders, can and will set for FNE youth to follow. In 50 or more years from now, it will matter not what job title we held, the collection of earthly belongings, but that the world will be a better place with happier people whom one day in some way follow in our footsteps. Do we not all want to hear when we stand before our Lord to be judged – "Well done good and faithful servant"?

Are you being called to serve the Lord & our youth boys?

We encourage the men of our parish, the leaders of tomorrow - to say YES! ... Jump onboard for an adventure of a lifetime as we help our youth boys ages 8-12, here at Holy Family, to explore their faith and the world around them constructively and safely.

Please join us for an information meeting at the parish on Tuesday, February 22 at 7.30 pm to learn more or contact Paul Ritchi at paul.ritchi@gmail.com

Thank you,
Paul Ritchi, Fellow Parishioner & Founder of FNE.





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