



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.*

love God
love others
make disciples

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
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	905-213-0316
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
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
Youth Ministry	905-665-6470

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 Gwen Schulte-Albert at 905-435 4673. There are no meetings held in the month of July and August.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday Aug 1, 7:00pm

+Jeanette & Joyce Coe req by Maurice Coe.

Tuesday Aug 2, 9:00am

+Lorraine Gauthier req by Liz McKenzie & Family.

Amni Cherain req by Devayani Decroos.
Thanksgiving for the Holy Family req by Joan Vanberkum.

Wednesday Aug 3, 7:00pm

+Kiran Rebello req by the Tellis Family.
+Gladys Ramdhanny req by Sheila Tobin.
Living & Deceased Members of the CWL.

Thursday Aug 4, 9:00am

Sp Int for the Family of Shane Reymes.

Friday Aug 5, 7:00pm

Sp Int of Clifford & Jessica D'Souza & Family

Saturday Aug 6, 9:00am

+Alvin Renaflor req by Jun Padua & Family.
Sp Int Katie & Patrick Conneely req by Bridget Conneely.

Saturday Aug 6, 5:00pm

+Leticia Moreto req by Anna Roseto.
Sp Int Brett & Cody Carson and Owen Family.

Monday Aug 8, 7:00pm

Sp Int Burian Family.

Tuesday Aug 9, 9:00am

Special Intentions

Wednesday Aug 10, 7:00pm

+Jeanette & Joyce Coe req by Maurice Coe.

Thursday Aug 11, 9:00am

+Shane Reymes & Sp Int for his Family req by Louise Brown.

+Arulandu Arokiam req by the Arokiam Family.

Friday Aug 12, 7:00pm

Holy Souls in Purgatory req by Marlaine Noujaim & Family.

Saturday Aug 13, 9:00am

Special Intentions.

Saturday Aug. 13, 5:00pm

Special Intentions.

NEW TO THE PARISH?

Welcome to Holy Family! Please visit us at the Welcome Desk after Mass, we'd love to meet you! We also invite you to register you and your family as parishioners at: holymfamilywhitby.ca/welcome-to-holy-family/

EGYPT & HOLY LAND

Join Father Laszlo on a Pilgrimage to Egypt & the Holy Land April 11th to April 25th 2023 - \$4999/person. Please see itinerary at the back of the church Email the office to reserve your spot as space is limited!

CONFESSIONS

Sacrament of Reconciliation is available every Saturday at 4:00-4:45 all summer!

SAVE THE DATE! - MINISTRY FAIR SEPT 25th!

Remember...*"If you really want to impress God, it's not by what you say or how pious you are, you impress God by your **generosity** & your **service**."* Fr. László



FAMILIES

FAMILY-CENTERED SERVING ~ We encourage all Families to come together to serve. Parents, Grandparents - invite your children & teens to serve alongside you! Be a Greeter Family, work together in the Gather Café, hand out bulletins after Mass together OR serve during the Mass as an Altar Server/Lector Team. Visit the Welcome Desk to discuss your options – Give your children a good example to follow!



HOSPITALITY

PARKING ATTENDANTS ~ Be a friendly face and stand outside to direct traffic!

GREETERS ~ An opportunity to greet parishioners with a friendly hello, hold open the door before Mass or work at the welcome desk.

USHERS ~ A wonderful way to extend our welcome, coordinate seating for participation during the Mass and assist with the offertory collections.

GATHER CAFE KITCHEN ANGELS ~ Are you available to serve in our Gather Café & offer a friendly smile? Participate in an engaging experience of fellowship after Mass.



OPERATIONS

AUDIO VISUAL TECHNOLOGY ~ Do you have computer skills? Serve by using your talent operating videos and power points during our Liturgies, workshops & events.

OPERATIONS & MAINTENANCE ~ There are various ways to serve by providing a helping hand with parish maintenance, sanitation team or setting up for various events!

GIFT STORE ~ Use your gifts by helping to display & sell religious items in our boutique.

GARDENING TEAM ~ Do you love gardening – why not use this passion to help make our parish gardens beautiful?



KIDS & YOUTH

HF Kids ~ Do you love children? Are you a parent or do you have experience in a daycare or school setting? Help make the Word of God come alive on Sundays!

GRAND CAMP ~ If you are a youth or adult interested in supporting our Grand Camp by sharing your time & skills, contact Mary Kay at mk.boase@rogers.com

YOUTH MINISTRY ~ Various opportunities to serve in our Youth & Teen Programs!

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES FOR TEENS

TEENS IN SERVICE ~ Teens looking to serve the parish are asked to contact Stephanie at youthministryholymfamilywhitby@gmail.com. She can help find the best way for you to use your gifts & talents to serve our community! Coming this fall – Children's Liturgy Helpers for **GRADE 7 & 8 STUDENTS** and Time Travellers Ministers for **HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS**. Plan to get involved this Fall!



LITURGICAL

ALTAR SERVERS ~ All children who have received First Communion are eligible. Visit holymfamilywhitby.ca/altar-server/ to complete the application.

LECTORS & EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS ~ Help proclaim the Word of God or assist the priest with the distribution of the Eucharist. These positions hold a great honour, please contact the parish office at holy.family@rogers.com to discuss.



OUTREACH

HOLY FAMILY OUTREACH ~ Helps provide for the needs of this specific community. For information, please contact Mary Anne Belanger at maryannebelanger1963@gmail.com

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL ~ Help serve the needs of the less fortunate in our community. For more information, contact Mary Leslie at leslieecm@hotmail.com

ST VINCENT PALOTTI'S KITCHEN ~ Serve at the facility in Oshawa on the first Thursday of each month contact: Shirley 905-579-6878 or Mary Kay 905-668-8353



FORMATION

NEW ALPHA TEAM ~ Help plan, coordinate and run regular Alpha sessions at the parish! Fill out the Alpha Team Inquiry form at: forms.gle/wCTMoNHmq9EGYTz16

SACRAMENTAL PREP TEAMS ~ Help prepare children or adults for: RCIA, Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation or Marriage - to join one of these teams, contact the office.

SMALL GROUP PLANNING TEAM ~ Help administer and grow this important ministry! Contact holymfamily.kim@gmail.com for more information.

FAMILY MINISTRY TEAM ~ Join this NEW MINISTRY and use your passion for families and your faith to help build this new ministry. Contact Sue: holymfamily.sue@gmail.com

These are just SOME of the available opportunities! If you are interested in serving, please visit the Welcome Desk or complete the Volunteer Application form found here: holymfamilywhitby.ca/volunteer/

Eighteenth & Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

PASTORAL REFERENCES

In order for anyone to have a Pastoral Letters signed by Father, you must... be a registered parishioner, attending Sunday Mass regularly, have 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 and financially supporting the work and mission of the Church particularly ShareLife, and your own Parish. All pastoral references are positive but also 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. Obviously, 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.

PARISH PICTORIAL

COMING SOON!!

Holy Family Parish will once again be launching their photo sessions for our Pictorial Directory. Holy Family has welcomed hundreds of new parishioners resulting in a larger, even more vibrant parish. It is a valuable communications reference and an excellent tool for helping people to get to know each other. It will be an excellent historical record and a memorable keepsake for our church families. Once you schedule your appointment through signup sheets at the back of the church, and you complete your photo session, you will be presented with a FREE DIRECTORY and a FREE 8"x10" colour portrait. In our efforts to support our church, we encourage you to join in on this project and have a memory to treasure for a lifetime. *Coming Soon!*

MASS FOR THE FAITHFULLY DEPARTED

Wed. August 17 at 7pm.

After two years of Covid restrictions, the Catholic Cemeteries and Archdiocese of Toronto is pleased to once again be able to celebrate Mass for the faithfully departed souls throughout the Greater Toronto area - Mass will be celebrated at Resurrection Cemetery here in Whitby, 355 Taunton Rd E. on August 17th at 7pm, the celebrant will be Most Rev. Vincent Nguyen. All are welcome! *Weather permitting.*

ST. JOSEPH ICON ON DISPLAY

August 4th TO 7th

The Knights of Columbus have arranged for a St. Joseph Icon to be on display at Holy Family from August 4th through 7th. The Icon will be on display near the sanctuary for devotional prayer - Prayer Cards with a prayer to St. Joseph will be available as well.

SUMMER FUN AT HOLY FAMILY!

Thank you to our parish families and youth who participated in our **TOTUS TUUS SUMMER CAMP!** We had a fantastic week full of songs, skits, lessons, Mass, prayer & fun!



Thank you to all of our **HOLY FAMILY GRAND CAMP** volunteers and participants! Our campers and their grandparents had a grand time! From learning more about our faith and having time to talk with each other about it; to crafts like hammering together our own birdfeeders; to a real African djembe drumming circle; to a hip hop dance lesson; to a special Mass with Fr. Ravi; to our baking/cooking for our picnic; to our trip to Windreach Farm, we were busy and active.



WALK, RUN or RIDE for CHRIST – SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 17TH

Registration starts the weekend of August 6th after all Masses. PRE-REGISTRATION IS A MUST. This event is open to all (young and old alike), experienced and inexperienced. You can choose to Walk or Run the 5kms or ride the 15kms (don't worry if you are unable to walk the full 5kms or ride the 15kms, do what you are able to do). A BBQ lunch will be provided. We will have live Worship Songs. Have your family, friends, co-workers sponsor you in this event (every pledge of \$50.00 or more will receive an Income Tax Receipt). There will be prizes for the 3 People who obtain the most pledges. The cost is: **\$20.00 per person OR \$40.00 per family** (family consists of 2 persons or more in the "same" household). This event is a perfect opportunity to bring both new and current Parishioners together in fellowship and faith. To form new friendships and rekindle old ones. Most importantly, to come together and give Praise & Glory to God for being our God, for his love, mercy, guidance, and protection especially during the past two years of a pandemic.



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