



# 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:

Rev. Fr. Laszlo Nagy

### ASSOCIATE PASTOR:

Fr. Ravibabu Kakumanu

**OFFICE MANAGER:** Tess Bondoc

**Youth Minister:** Stephanie Paglia

**Office Assistant:** Sue Kanemy

**Lay Pastoral Assistant:** Karina Doyle

### 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
FNE Explorers	416-435-6593
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

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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.

**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 Sept 12 7:00pm

Special Intentions.

### Tuesday Sept 13, 9:00am

+Mary Shrieves, Anna Knight & Fr. Harold J. Shrieves req by Marguerite Gillard.

### Wednesday Sept 14, 7:00pm

+Edith Savelle req by the Legion of Mary. Living & Deceased Members of Knight of Columbus.

### Thursday Sept 15, 9:00am

Special Intentions.

### Friday Sept 16, 7:00pm

Sp Int Jenny Cisneros req by Agnes Ferraz. +Souls in Purgatory req by John Machado.

### Saturday Sept 17, 9:00am

Sp Int Jenny Cisneros req by Sheila Tobin.

### Saturday Sept 17, 5:00pm

Thanksgiving for many Graces received by Marguerite Gillard.

## NEW TO THE PARISH?

If you are new to the parish we would like to 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 as a parishioner at: [holymfamilywhitby.ca/welcome-to-holy-family/](http://holymfamilywhitby.ca/welcome-to-holy-family/)

## **HFkids** Holy Family Parish

Our Kids programs will start on Sunday October 2<sup>nd</sup> during the 9:30, 11:00 and 12:30 Masses every Sunday!

**Adventurers** for kids in JK to Gr 1 and **Time Travellers** for youth in Gr2 to Gr 6.

### ➤ OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE!

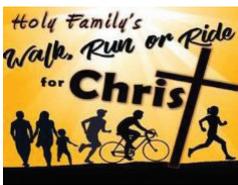
If you are interested in this exciting HFkids Ministry, please visit the Welcome Desk after Mass to sign up! Training meeting will take place soon!

## EGYPT AND HOLY LAND

Join Father László on a Pilgrimage to Egypt & the Holy Land April 11<sup>th</sup> to April 25<sup>th</sup> 2023 \$4999/person. Please see itinerary at the back of the church or on our website for additional details. Please email the parish office to reserve your spot as space is limited! There will also an Information Session scheduled for in the hall on Oct 23<sup>rd</sup> at 1:30 with Halina.

## LAST CALL!! 5K WALK, RUN OR 15K RIDE FOR CHRIST

➤ *DEADLINE - Registration forms are due on Sept 11<sup>th</sup>*



**Live Worship Music and a BBQ lunch will be provided.**  
**NOTE: Everyone MUST pre-register to attend this event.**

Our 5K Walk, Run or 15K Bike for Christ will take place on Saturday September 17<sup>th</sup> at Heydenshore park! There is a \$20.00 Registration Fee per individual **OR** \$40.00 Registration fee per family (2 or more persons in the same household). Your Registration Fee must accompany your Registration Form. Have your family, friends, co-workers sponsor you in this event (*pledges of \$50.00 or more will receive an Income Tax Receipt*). **All Registration forms and fees as well as pledges and pledge money are all due back no later than September 11, 2022.** Prizes for the 3 people who obtain the most pledges.

If you are unable to take part in the is event, you may wish to consider making a donation towards this event. Donations will be accepted after all Masses.

## LOOKING TO BECOME CATHOLIC? - RCIA IS FOR YOU!



Are you interested in learning more about joining the Catholic Church or completing your initiation into the Church (receiving First Communion/Confirmation)? We are here to help you discover your faith and journey with you to discern and take the next steps towards Jesus. Sessions starts soon (date TBA) in the church hall and will be on Tuesday evenings. For more

information and to register call Bob at 905-925-6828 or email us at [holymfamily@rogers.com](mailto:holymfamily@rogers.com) or visit our website: <https://holymfamilywhitby.ca/rcia/>

## FNE EXPLORERS COME AND SEE - Tuesdays in September!



We invite all boys ages 8 to 12 who are potentially interested in the FNE Timberwolf Program and their parents to a 'Come & See' on Tuesday evenings Sept 13, 20 & 27 in the parish hall at 7:00pm. FNE is also seeking fathers or other adult men to become a leader! No previous experience is required. Contact Paul Ritchi at 416-435-6593, email [paul.ritchi@gmail.com](mailto:paul.ritchi@gmail.com) or visit [holymfamilywhitby.ca/explorers/](http://holymfamilywhitby.ca/explorers/) for more information.

### ➤ ATTENTION ALL MOMS!

We are looking to expand our FNE Explorers to include a **GIRLS program!** If your daughter is interested in joining Explorers then this is a great opportunity for you to get involved and become a leader! No experience is required. Once we have a dedicated group of committed leaders, we will start this exciting program for your daughters. Contact Paul Ritchi at the number above to let him know!

## SIMPLIFY Your Giving - It's 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 account. It's convenient, it reduces the need for submitting envelopes each week with cash or writing cheques, **IT'S SECURE** and enables better planning of annual contributions. PAG also offers regular and dependable cash flow to operate our parish. Visit the [holymfamilywhitby.ca/tithe-give/](http://holymfamilywhitby.ca/tithe-give/) of our website to download the PAG Registration Form OR find a form in your pew next time your at church! **Thank you to all the many parishioners who have continued to support the parish this year!**

# TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## PICTORIAL DIRECTORY

Holy Family Parish will once again be launching their photo sessions for our Pictorial Directory. It is an excellent tool for helping people to get to know each other as well as a memorable keepsake for our church families. Everyone who's photo appears in the pictorial will receive a **FREE DIRECTORY** and a **FREE 8"x10"** colour portrait.

### Photoshoot Sessions at the Parish.

Please scan the QR Code to schedule your appointment.



Limited sessions are available on a first come first serve basis.

# Thank You!

## Society of Saint Vincent de Paul – Holy Family Conference

Many thanks to our parishioners for your donations to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

Because of your generosity, in the first eight months of 2022 we have made **387 visits** to **103 families**.

We have assisted these families with:

- \$27,180 worth of grocery gift cards.
- Distributed 398 bags of groceries.
- Paid \$864 for furniture.
- \$1,410 in gift cards for assistance in back-to-school expenses.

These items greatly help us to serve Christ through our Neighbours in Need with love, respect, justice and joy.

*The LORD bless you and keep you! The LORD let his face shine upon you and be gracious to you! The LORD look upon you kindly and give you peace! (Num 6:24 – 26)*

## PARISH MINISTRY FAIR SEPTEMBER 25<sup>th</sup>!

Are you looking for ways to give back to the parish community? Do you feel God calling you to share your faith, time, and talent? If so, come out to our Parish Ministry Fair on September 25th. The fair will showcase all our parish ministries, and provide opportunities to see the various ways in which the parish and others need you! Our Gather Café will also be open for fellowship. This is an event you don't want to miss!

## THEOLOGY OF THE BODY FOR YOUNG ADULTS



*Mondays 7-8:30pm from Sept 26<sup>th</sup> to Oct 24<sup>th</sup>*

After 2 long years without formal Young Adult Ministry, we are happy to announce that we will be hosting a 5-week program starting September 26th-October 24th, on an introduction to "Theology of the Body". "TOB" dives into the issues that young adults care about and desperately need to invite

God into today- relationships, purpose, identity and more. This will be a relaxed setting with coffee & goodies in the Knights room Mondays 7pm! We hope to see you there!

For more information, please contact Stephanie at: [youthministryhollyfamilywhitby@gmail.com](mailto:youthministryhollyfamilywhitby@gmail.com)

## YOUTH MINISTRY FOR YOUTH IN GRADES 6-12



This Year, our theme is centered around one of the oldest prayers of all time, "Come Holy Spirit"- God's Love in Motion. We will focus on the gift of the Holy Spirit that is in every Christian, and the incredible grace and strength that we have access to when we allow Him to move through us. In Him we can do all things who strengthens us, as we

cry "Veni Sancte Spiritus!" We will be running two youth programs this year:

**INTERMEDIATES:** GR 6 to 8 on the 1st & 3rd THURSDAY of each month, Oct 20th 6-8pm

**HIGH SCHOOL TEENS:** GR 9 to 12 on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> THURSDAY of each month, Oct 14<sup>th</sup> 6-8pm

Visit our Youth page for more information and to register! [hollyfamilywhitby.ca/youth/](http://hollyfamilywhitby.ca/youth/)

## SERVE

*Ministry Opportunities*

We are all called to serve – many of our programs are starting up so this is great time to get involved! Here are just a few of the many ways to serve. Visit us at the Welcome Desk!



### 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.



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