



**love God
love others
make disciples**

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 Stitchers	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.

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT



Monday Dec 12, 7:00pm

+Margot Weindorfer req by Bob Weindorfer
Sp Int Claudia Herod & Nora Rodrigues
Req by Nancy Fernandes

Tuesday Dec 13, 9:00am

+Joseph Stanislaus Gillard req by
Marguerite Gillard
+Pasquale & Maria Pelosi req by
Daughter Domenica & Family
+Rosa Zingone req by Paul & Sarina de Palma
+Jose Giusti req by Paul & Sarina de Palma
+Douglas & Grace Hancock req by
Hancock Family

Wednesday Dec 14, 7:00pm

Knights of Columbus Members, Living and
Deceased

Thursday Dec 15, 9:00am

+Fr. Nolasco Dias req by Reggie Fernandes
and Family
+Robert Fillion req by Cathy Fillion
+Anna Marie Struss req by M.C. & Lou Leaver
Sp Int Paul Pagazani req by Brenda Pagazani

Friday Dec 16, 7:00pm

Sp Int for Fr. László & Fr. Ravibabu req by
Nancy Fernandes
+Pat Bourke req by Bill and Marg Vetzal
and Helen Cheng

Saturday Dec 17, 9:00am

Sp Int Frank Azevedo req by Claudia Herod

Saturday Dec 17 5:00pm

+Oreste & Emanuela Mizzi req by Family
+Michael Mansour req by Gary and Donna Tiller



CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

Christmas Eve Mass, Saturday, December 24th

6:00 pm 8:00 pm, 10:00 pm and 12:00 Midnight (with Incense)

Christmas Day, Sunday December 25th

8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am & 12:30pm

New Year's Eve, Saturday, December 31st 5:00pm

New Year's Day, Sunday, Jan. 1st, 2023

8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am & 12:30pm

**Office closed on December 26 and 27
and on January 2, 2023**



2023 Offertory envelopes

are ready for pick up at the back of the church. We encourage everyone to have church envelopes. The act of putting your envelope in the collection bag is a sign of your worship and love for God. Scan the QR Code to request for 2023 envelopes:



Thank You!

**Immerse yourself in God's love this Advent.
Join us for a 9-day Novena Mass- Dec. 15 to 23 @ 7:00pm.
For more details, email Paul: pslagahit_04@yahoo.com**



Men's Social & Night of Prayer Gr 8-12 Dec. 16th, 6pm-8pm

The goal of the night will be to share the power of prayer and how that power is made even stronger when we come together and unite as brothers! We will also talk about how we can conquer our temptations and literally break them! Plus enjoy another night of fun, games and brotherhood. All new friends are welcome. Please email our youth minister Stephanie to confirm your spot.



Welcoming Visitors & Guests for Christmas!

Many of us share the celebration of Christmas with family and friends who may come from another city. If you are hosting this year, we invite you to consider the type of invitational environment and welcome you would like them to receive when they come to Holy Family for Mass. Or, if you are not hosting, we ask you to think about how we all contribute to the friendly and caring experience we can extend to the people who come to visit at our church.

Some suggestions - perhaps you can:

1. park your vehicle at the plaza or the school to leave room in the parking lot for visitors;
2. step in to be a greeter at one of the doors to welcome people arriving for Mass;
3. "move up and in" - when finding a seat for Mass, move up as far as you can, and into the middle of the pew so that there will be lots of room for others arriving after you (this would help on a regular basis so that people don't feel the need to stand at the back and block the entrances or the Welcome Desk);
4. extend a friendly smile and greeting to others coming for Mass
5. invite people to join you for a coffee in the father Café after the weekend Mass



Come and see our Family **Lending Library** in our Gather Café on Sundays after the 9:30 and 11:00 Masses! The Family Ministry has been collecting quality Catholic Children's Story and Picture Books for the purpose of helping our families share the faith with their children. It will work very much like an ordinary library with families borrowing from the church's collection of carefully chosen Catholic Children books on Sunday after Mass and returning them the following week. Families will need to register, so in the meantime, we suggest that you register your family with our Family Ministry by scanning the QR code or visiting the Parent page of our website at: hollyfamilywhitby.ca/parent/

CHRISTMAS TREE - MEMORIAL RIBBON

All Parishioners are invited to write the names of their deceased loved ones on the Memorial ribbon. This Ribbon will be wrapped around a Christmas tree in the Church. We request a donation of \$1.00 per name. All proceeds will be donated to Holy Family, Society of Saint Vincent de Paul. Please see a CWL member at the back of the Church area after each Mass next weekend, December 17th-18th.

NEW FALL PILGRIMAGE

Join Fr. László on an 11-day Pilgrimage to Cathedrals, Basilicas and Chateaux of France, Belgium and the Netherlands Sept. 12-22, 2023. \$4190/per person. See flyer at the back of the church for more information including the itinerary.

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