

# JOIN US FOR TOTUS TUUS CAMP THIS SUMMER!



## At Holy Family Parish July 16-21, 2023

Day Camp Grades 1-6 Learn & grow in your Catholic faith in a fun and interactive way through songs, games, prayer, Scripture and the Sacraments. This day-camp runs from Monday July 17 to Friday July 21 - 9:00am to 2:30pm at Holy Family Parish.

Teen Program Grades 7-12

Deepen your relationship with Jesus through discussions, fellowship, prayer, Scripture & the Sacraments. This teencamp runs from Sun. July 16 to Thur. July 20 - 7:00-9:00PM.

Day Camp Early Bird Fee (ends May 30th): \$100 first child - Siblings \$80 each.

Regular Price: \$125 first child - Siblings \$100 each.

Teen Evening Program Fee: \$50





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#### **MONDAY MAY 8, 7:00PM**

Sp Int Joe Collura req by Tony & Francesca Luele.

#### **TUESDAY MAY 9, 9:00AM**

+Dennis Naval req by Agnes Bewarosia. Sp Int Lauren Ramdhanny req by Sheila Tobin.

#### WEDNESDAY MAY 10, 7:00PM

+Medard Legere req by Brian & Lise Watt. +Delfina Osso req by the Family. Living & Deceased Members of the Knights of Columbus.

#### THURSDAY MAY 11, 9:00AM

+Rita Joseph & Deceased Relatives req by Claudia Herod.

+Joyce & Jeanette Coe req by Maurice Coe.

#### **FRIDAY MAY 12, 7:00PM**

+David Onley req by the Family. +Nicole Cobain req by her Family. Sp Int Agnes Ferraz.

#### SATURDAY MAY 13, 9:00AM

+Angela Adriano & Anna Campanelli req by Angie & Frank Campanelli. Sp Int Agnes Ferraz req by Sheila Tobin. Sp Int Alexia Hawkins. Sp Int Sophie Mikolajczyk.

#### SATURDAY MAY 13, 5:00PM

+Lawrence Ramdhanny req by Sheila Tobin. Holy Souls in Purgatory req by Marlaine. Honour of Our Lady of Fatima for Healing & Graces req by Marguerite Gillard.

#### SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEK

There will be a special collection next weekend for the Pope's Pastoral Works.

### **NEW TO THE PARISH?**

Are you new to our 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 as a Holy Family Parishioner at: holyfamilywhitby.ca/welcome-to-holy-family/

### **GET CONNECTED!**

Stay up to date on all the happenings at Holy Family! Join our email list at holyfamilyparishwhitby.flocknote.com/dashboard

### **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.

## TOTUS TUUS CAMP - Early Bird Prices Ends Soon!

#### TOTUS DAY CAMP Gr 1-6 - July 17 to July 21 - 9am to 2:30pm.

Learn and Grow in your Catholic Faith in a fun and interactive way through songs, games, prayers, Scripture and the Sacraments. Campers bring their lunches & drinks. **DAY CAMP FEE:** Early Bird Registration (by May 30) fee is \$100 for first child; additional siblings are \$80 each. **REGULAR PRICE**: (after May 30<sup>th</sup>) \$125 first child, additional siblings \$100 each.

#### TOTUS TEEN PROGRAM Gr 7-12 - July 16 to July 20 - 7pm to 9pm.

Deepen your relationship with Jesus through discussions, fellowship with other teens, prayer, Scripture & the Sacraments. **TEEN PROGRAM FEE IS:** \$50

Contact Samantha for more info. youthministryholyfamily@gmail.com

#### HELP US CREATE A GREAT SUNDAY EXPERIENCE...

Each week people just like you give their time so that Holy Family can be a warm, welcoming place for people to encounter, follow and share Jesus Christ. Whether greeting guests, serving during the Mass or working behind the scenes — every volunteer makes a difference in our church and helps create a great Sunday Experience for all those who enter our church!

#### Are you being called to serve?

<u>PARKING ATTENDANTS</u> ~ This team is your very first contact when you arrive at church every weekend. Can you be a friendly face and stand outside and direct traffic?

<u>GREETERS</u> ~ An opportunity to greet parishioners with a friendly hello, hold open the door before Mass or provide information at the welcome desk.

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

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

<u>GATHER CAFÉ BAKING</u> ~ Do you love baking? We welcome donations of freshly baked goods to our Gather Café to be enjoyed by parishioners in our Gather Café after Mass on Sundays.

➤ If you are interested in serving in one of the above ministries, please visit the Welcome Desk or complete the Volunteer Application form on our website: <a href="https://example.com/



#### **CONGRATULATIONS NELSON TELLIS!**

Congratulations to Nelson Tellis, winner of the 2023 Mayor's Senior Volunteer Award. Nelson was recognized for his outstanding and ongoing commitment to volunteerism in the community. We would like to take this opportunity to thank Nelson for his selfless giving and dedication to serving Holy Family where he is a warm, welcoming & familiar face!

## **LAST CALL!!** Register now - Young Adult TOB Starts Monday!



During this young adult Theology of the Body study, we will dive deep into Saint John Paul II's teachings on TOB and will apply them to our lives to uncover the goodness in God's beautiful creation.

The course will be led by Paul Coates and is open to all young adults aged 18-39! We will begin this Monday, April 24th and will continue for 8 sessions. We will host the study in the Nights Room at Holy Family and some really yummy snacks will be provided! For more information or to register visit: <a href="https://holyfamilywhitby.ca/young-adults/">holyfamilywhitby.ca/young-adults/</a>

### **LEGION OF MARY ACIES INVITATION TO ALL**

The Legion of Mary invites all active and auxiliary members for the ACIES (A consecration to Jesus through Mary) on May 13<sup>th</sup> at starting at 8:30 am with the Rosary and followed by Mass at 9:00 am at St. Gertrude's Parish in Oshawa (690 King St East). RSVP: durhamcuria@gmail.com or to cyndy\_elasigue@hotmail.com or 905-213-0316



#### **MARIAN CELEBRATION**

### > Saturday May 13th

Join us on Saturday, May 13th at 10 am to honour and celebrate Our Heavenly Mother on the Feast Day of Our Lady of Fatima! We will pray a living rosary featuring live music, a crowing on Mary and refreshments in the hall. Please contact Anne at <a href="mailto:anneprovenzano@yahoo.ca">anneprovenzano@yahoo.ca</a> or 905-439-5805 for more information.

#### **FOOD & BOTTLE DRIVE**

### > Weekend of June 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>

Knights will be conducting a parish food and bottle drive on the weekend of June 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> after all Masses. Please collect your bottles, cans & non-perishable food items in preparation for this event.

#### **BAKE & PLANT SALE**

#### Sunday June 18

There will be a baked goods and plants sales fundraiser on Sunday June 18, at all Masses hosted by the Catholic Women League. Please contact Gwen at 905-259-8504 for more information.

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#### **GRAND CAMP** at Holy Family July 11-13

Are you a grandparent who would like to spend some fun-filled days with your grandchild? We are offering a 3-day summer camp here at the parish on July 11 to 13 that focuses on Family! Fun! and Faith! Watch bulletin for more details - registration to start in the next week or so.

#### TASTE FESTIVAL PREFORMERS NEEDED...

Hello Holy Family! Taste Festival 2023 is happening on June 24,2023 and we are looking for fabulous performers to showcase their culture, talent and fashion. If you are a performer looking to represent your heritage, then please email us at <a href="mailto:tastefestival.holyfamily@gmail.com">tastefestival.holyfamily@gmail.com</a> and sign-up using the following link forms.gle/u2wzz2vPbrLuhNBM6 or the QR code.



#### **CALLING ALL GARDENERS!**

We are seeking volunteers who are can to use their gifts & talents to serve our parish by joining our gardening team! Our parish landscaping is always so beautiful and helps to provide a welcoming & inviting feel in our community. Please call the parish office at 905-665-6470.

> VISIT: HOLYFAMILYWHITBY.CA



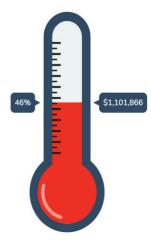
### CAMPAIGN UPDATE...

### Our History, Our Faith, Our Future

Holy Family Parish was established on June 19, 1980 by his Eminence Cardinal Carter to a humble beginning of 150 young families. Our founding Pastor, Rev. Fr. Gerard Breen (later Monsignor) held the first Mass in St. Paul's school gym on September 7, 1980 and over the next two years our numbers grew.

Construction of our new church building began in September 1982 with the financial support of the Archdiocese. Everyone pitched-in: financially as well as with time and talent doing everything from security at night and cooking meals for the crew to nailing, framing, lifting and leveling. On February 13, 1983, the first Mass was celebrated which opened our doors to embrace and accommodate all in our new parish home.

Although our parish has been very active since its conception, we have witnessed an explosion of new programs, ministries, and groups. This has increased our capacity to change lives but while our building has been well maintained, today it falls short due to lack of space.



We need to have sufficient room for all who come and seek to encounter Jesus and grow in faith as well as empowering His disciples to actively engage in parish life to deepen their faith journeys. Additional accessibility features are needed to make sure all feel welcome and are accommodated.

We invite you to pledge your support for the new building and be part of this next phase of Holy Family's story.

To date we have received 232 pledges totaling \$1,101,866. This represents 46% of our campaign goal of \$2.4 million.

Thank you for joining us in building our faith and our future!



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