



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

OFFICE MANAGER: Tess Bondoc

YOUTH MINISTER: Samantha Kanemy

OFFICE ASSISTANT: Sue Kanemy

LAY PASTORAL ASSISTANT: Karina Doyle

PASTOR:

Rev. Fr. Laszlo Nagy

ASSOCIATE PASTOR:

Rev. Fr. Sean Jacob

PARISH MINISTRIES:

Adult Faith Formation	905-665-6470
Alpha	905-665-6470
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	905-665-6470
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	905-442-8353
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 Lindse Morillo at 905-409-7715. 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 OCT 30, 7:00PM

+Cristofero Zenarosa req by Family.
 +Dr. Paul Kolodej req by Dr. Vera Kolodej.
 +Gladys Ramdhanny req by Sheila Tobin.
 St Int Maylani Sebastiampillai.
 Sp Int Greg & Anna-Lisa Athaide Wedding Anniversary.

TUESDAY OCT 31, 9:00AM

+Jack Coe & Basil Hirth req by Maurice Coe.
 +Dr Paul Kolodej req by Dr. Vera Kolodej.
 +Vladimir Bulat & Jung Family req by Mira Bulat.
 Sp Int Ronald McGarry req by Liz McKenzie.

WEDNESDAY Nov 1, 7:00PM

All Saints Day

THURSDAY Nov 2, 9:00AM

All Souls Day

FRIDAY Nov 3, 7:00PM

+Alfred & Matilda Hannah req by Noel & Mary Hannah.
 +Martin & Arnolta Rapos req by Noel & Mary Hannah.
 +All Dearly Departed req by Carmela & Donato De Filippis.
 Sp Int Clifford & Jessica D'Souza & Family.

SATURDAY Nov 4, 9:00AM

+Alois Sescnel req by the Ziebert Family.

SATURDAY Nov 4, 5:00PM

+Marie Cunningham req by the Larkin Family.
 +Leigh Jay Davidson req by Antonelle & Adelina.
 +Joseph Cavallari req by Josephine.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP!

We would like to offer our heartfelt thanks to **GINO & LUISA ROMANO** for offering their time and talents to fix the railings going up the ramp for us. Thank you so much!!

YOUTH GR 5 to 12

LIFE TEEN (Gr 9 to 12) 1st & 3rd Thur –
Join us this Thur, Nov 2nd at 6:45pm!

EDGE (Gr 5 to 8) every 2nd & 4th
Thursday – Join us on Nov 9th at 6:45!

Visit us at the Welcome Desk at the back of the church after Mass, or visit: hollyfamilywhitby.ca/youth/ for more information & for registration forms or contact Youth Minister Samantha at hfw.youth@gmail.com

WHEN YOU PRAY ~ STARTS THIS MONDAY!

➤ *Starts this Monday, Oct 30th – 10:30am OR 7:30pm*

When you pray...Do you ever feel restless & distracted, like you don't know what to do in prayer or like God isn't close to you when you pray? If you have any of these feelings, you are not alone! Many Saints struggled in prayer; they were like us. But each time they fell, they got up again and learned to rely more on God's grace...

INTRODUCING: WHEN YOU PRAY - A Clear Path to a Deeper Relationship with God

This new study is about the journey of prayer God wants to take us on. Join us! Registration is now open, **cost is \$50** and includes a workbook & handbook, please see us at the back of the church this weekend! Visit hollyfamilywhitby.ca/bible-study/ to watch the trailer.

CURIOUS ABOUT ALPHA OR AN ALPHA ALUMNI?



ALPHA REUNION: If you have participated in ANY Alpha, or are curious about the Alpha course, please join us for a reunion gathering on **Wednesday, November 8th at 7:30 p.m.** The purpose of the evening is for people who

have taken the Alpha, and those who are interested, to enjoy an opportunity for fellowship, conversation and community. We look forward to welcoming you to this special social evening. **Sign-ups will begin Sun. Oct. 22nd.**

LIFE SHARED: After the Alpha Reunion, we will run the 3-week sessions of the **ALPHA LIFE SHARED COURSE.** This course follows the structure of an Alpha evening: begin with a meal, followed by the video talk and then small group discussion. The focus of Life Shared is just that, prayerfully exploring how and why we can live our life of faith shared with others. This course helps to empower and equip us to be comfortable to talk about our faith, and to invite others to join us in faith life experiences. Please see our website for more information and or to register: hollyfamilywhitby.ca/alpha/

HELP PROVIDE FOR THOSE IN NEED ON NOV 25th & 26th

On the weekend of November 25th & 26th after Masses, both the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul and Holy Family Homeless Mission Ministry will hold their Bundle Weekend Clothing Drive and Homeless Mission Winter Drive. **WE KINDLY ASK THAT YOU SEPARATE YOUR DONATIONS AND WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

➤ THE SOCIETY of ST. VINCENT de PAUL BUNDLE CLOTHING DRIVE.

The Saint Vincent de Paul truck will be in the parking lot before and after each Mass and members of Saint Vincent will be available to collect "gently used clothing" for our Clothing Store in Oshawa.

➤ FOR THE HOMELESS MISSION MINISTRY

We will be in the parking lot beside the St. Vincent truck. We are seeking **ONLY** the following items: New or gently used Sleeping Bags, New or gently used men's & women's Winter Boots, New or gently used men's & women's Warm Sweaters, New or gently used men's & women's Winter Jackets, New or gently used men's & women's Thermal Socks, New or gently used men's & women's Long Johns, New or gently used men's & women's Winter Hats & Winter Gloves, Packages of Hand & Feet Warmers

Additionally, for the Homeless Mission, we are also accepting monetary donations. Any single donation of \$50.00 or more will receive an Income Tax Receipt. Donations may be made by way of cheque or cash.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PANCAKE BREAKFAST- NOV 12



The Knights will be hosting a Pancake Breakfast in church hall on Sunday November 12th served up to 1:00 p.m. Price is \$7.00 per person or \$20 for family of four. We hope to see you there!

30th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

*As we approach the big day...
You are being called to serve!*

The CWL would like to ask for your donations of the following items, please contact the person in charge...

KNITTING - Jean 905-728-9017

BOOKS & TOYS – Alys 905-447-8197

VINTAGE TREASURES/ CHRISTMAS DÉCOR - Angie 905 721-8878

NEW ITEMS FOR PENNY SOCIAL/ AUCTION – Angie 905-721-8878

BAKERY – Mary 905 550-2595

KITCHEN - Amanda & Matthew 905-721-8878

PRESERVES, JAMS, JELLIES, SAUCES-
Cindy 905-576-1218

DROP OFF DATES:

All Vintage Treasures will be received in the church basement from Oct 29TH until Nov 2ND ONLY. **Please do not drop off before.**

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY FOR TEENS

Student Volunteers looking for community service hours are please asked to help. Contact- Angie @ 905-721-8878. It takes a VILLAGE!

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

The Book of Remembrance will be in front of the altar later this week. Parishioners are invited to write the names of their departed relatives & friends in this book. Offertory Envelopes will be available as well.

JOIN OUR EMAIL LIST!

Welcome to Holy Family! Please visit us at the Welcome Desk after Mass, we'd love to meet you! We also invite you and your family to register as parishioners and **join our email list!** Scan the QR code to take you to the Welcome page of our website where you will find links to our email list, social media, Parishioner Registration form and more or follow this link: holymfamilywhitby.ca/welcome-to-holy-family/

BUILDING PLAN AND CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE - OCT 2023

Where we are today.

The Site Plan Agreement was entered into with Town of Whitby and the Chancery Office in May 2023, while the Building Permit application was submitted to the Town of Whitby in June 2023 and is currently being processed. We are hopeful that this will be issued prior to Christmas.

Larkin Architect is finalizing details on the Sacristy layout, fixture selection and switch locations, audio visual and Internet connectivity, and Security system.

Over the past several months a committee has been working hard to put forward recommendations surrounding the details of:

1. **Recognition Display** to acknowledge those who have so generously donated to this project
2. **Dedication Display** to remember those who have passed into God's loving arms

What's next?

The tender process for the building expansion is tentatively scheduled for mid-January 2024. Project and funding approval from the Chancery Office will be submitted based on tender results (to account for inflation and any higher than expected contract rates over estimate).

Subject to the approval of the Chancery Office of this project, ground-breaking would commence in the spring of 2024 which would kick off an estimated 18 - 24 month construction period.

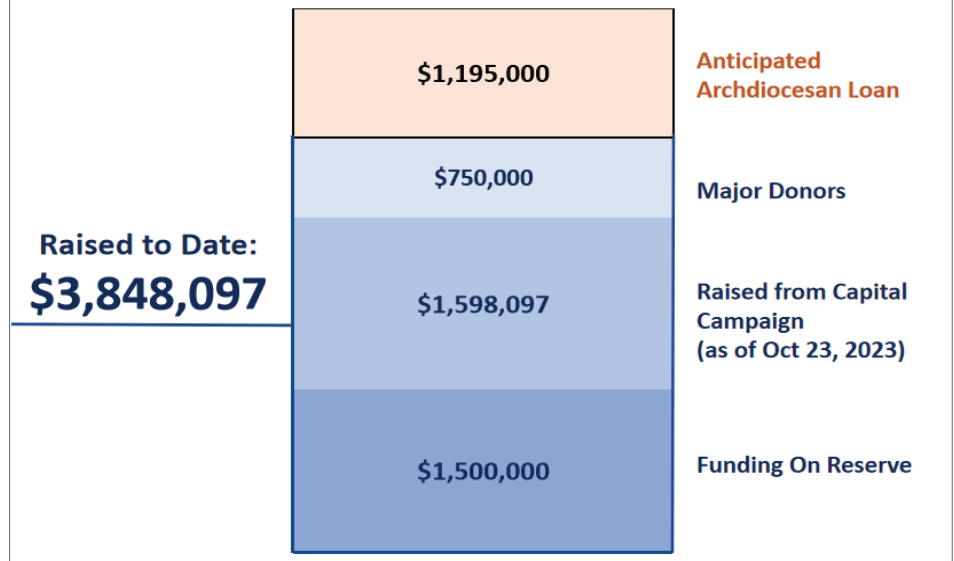
We anticipate minimal disruption to ongoing activities and Mass schedule at the parish during this time, though the parish office and Priests residence would be temporarily relocated off site.

Living Our Faith, Building Our Future Campaign

While the primary focus of the Capital Campaign is now on appealing to local businesses, builders, community partners and governments for financial support, that doesn't mean that you can't donate!

We invite all parishioners who haven't yet had an opportunity to be part of building for Holy Family's future to prayerfully consider how you can help. Pledge cards are available in the pews, or you can pick up a campaign package at the back of the church. **All donations are welcome and appreciated!**

Anticipated Project Cost of \$5,095,000



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