

# 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

**MINISTRY COORDINATOR:** 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	905-995-2434
HF Kids	905-665-6470
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	905-442-8353
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 to Friday: 7:00 p.m.

Novena Mass to Our Lady of Perpetual Help is every Wednesday

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.

### PARISH SCHOOLS:

St. Bernard	905-668-3772
St. Mark	905-721-2460
St. Matthew	905-430-8597
St. Paul	905-728-7011
St. Theresa	905-668-8261
Fr. Leo J. Austin High School	905-666-2010
All Saints High School	905-666-7753

### 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:

Become a member and journey with us in faith, service and fellowship. We meet at the church hall. For more information contact Anita Pereira at 905-442-8163.

**NEW PARISHIONERS ARE WELCOME TO REGISTER  
AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH**

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday Sept 30, 7:00pm**

Sp Int Florence Blankhead req by Antonietta Orecchio.

**Tuesday Oct 1, 7:00pm**

Thanksgiving to St Joseph req by Joan Vanberkum.

**Wednesday Oct 2, 7:00pm**

Living & Deceased Member of the C.W.L.

Sp. Int Fr. Garfield Rochard req by Brenda Pagazani.

**Thursday Oct 3, 7:00pm**

Special Intention Niall Doyle req by the Doyle Family.

**Friday Oct 4, 7:00pm**

+Maria Isabel Henriques req by Jennifer Polack.

+Martin & Arnolta Raposo and Alfred & Mitalda Hannah req by Noel & Mary Hannah.

Sp Int Eucharistic Ministers of the Sick req by Mira Bulat.

**Saturday Oct 5, 5:00pm**

Sp Int Fatima Azevedo req by Claudia Herod.

## October Second Collections

Sept 28 & 29 – The Needs of the Canadian Church.  
Oct 5 & 6 – Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation.

*Thank you for your continued support!*

## SECOND COLLECTIONS

### *Next Weekend*

#### INDIGENOUS HEALING & RECONCILIATION

Catholics throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to participate in the collection being held the **weekend of Oct. 5/6** to support the Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation Fund. The collection is part of a national grassroots effort to assist healing and reconciliation with Indigenous Peoples of This Land. Let us join together and follow the invitation of the Holy Father for each one of us to become engaged in the healing and reconciliation journey. Thank you for your generosity. For more information or to donate online, visit: [archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation](http://archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation).

## FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION



Come and spend time with our Lord present in the Eucharist first **Friday, October 4<sup>th</sup>** from 12noon until 12midnight. To learn more about this form of prayer and worship please visit [holymfamilywhitby.ca/elementor-4280/](http://holymfamilywhitby.ca/elementor-4280/)

## ARE YOU THINKING OF BECOMING CATHOLIC?

➤ *Join us this Tuesday at 7:30pm!*



If you are interested in learning more about joining the Catholic Church (RCIA) or completing your initiation into the Catholic Church (receiving First Communion and/or being Confirmed), we encourage you to please call Bob at 905-925-6828 to discuss and inquire! We will meet every Tuesday.

## TEENS IN GRADES 8 to 12 – JOIN US THURSDAYS!

This year's EDGE and Life Teens program will focus on how we can become "more like Jesus" through 4 key avenues of fun, service, prayer and formation! Lots of awesome games, competitions, and snacks will keep our nights full of fun while building community. Join us and invite a few friends to join too! **Both Programs Start Now!**



**LIFE TEEN** for Teens in Grades 9 to 12 runs every 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday from 6:45pm to 9:00pm. Starts October 3<sup>rd</sup> - **JOIN US THIS WEEK!**

**EDGE** for Youth in Grades 6 to 8 will run every 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday from 6:45pm to 8:30pm. **JOIN US OCTOBER 10<sup>TH</sup>!**



Please visit us at the Welcome Desk at the back of the church after Mass, Scan the QR code or visit: [holymfamilywhitby.ca/youth/](http://holymfamilywhitby.ca/youth/) for additional details & for registration forms. Contact Samantha at [hfw.youth@gmail.com](mailto:hfw.youth@gmail.com)

## LOVE TO COOK? – OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE OUR TEENS!

We are looking for parishioners who love to cook to help serve our youth ministry by cooking meals for our LIFETEEN nights! Each LIFETEEN night begins by sharing a meal together to foster community amongst our teens. We are asking for your help by signing up to prepare a meal for the group sometime this year! If you are interested, please contact Samantha at [hfw.youth@gmail.com](mailto:hfw.youth@gmail.com) for more information! Thank you.

## PRO-LIFE LIFE CHAIN – NEXT SUNDAY OCT. 6<sup>TH</sup> 2PM

Pro-Life Ministry invites everyone to join the National wide Life Chain on Sunday Oct. 06, 2024 at the intersection of Dundas St. & Thickson Rd. from 2:00 - 3:00 p.m. Please come out to be a witness of protecting the human life of the unborn. If you have questions, please contact Gwen at 905-259-8504. **JOIN US!**



## ROSARY RALLY, SAT. OCT 12<sup>TH</sup> 12PM

The month of October is one of the best known of all Catholic devotions. Join thousands of people across Canada as we pray the rosary together in different time zones! We will meet in the parking lot. Please contact Anne Provenzano at 905-439-5805 or [anneprovenzano@yahoo.ca](mailto:anneprovenzano@yahoo.ca) with your prayer intentions. **JOIN US!**

## NEW TO HOLY FAMILY? ON OUR EMAIL LIST?

Whether you are new to our parish or just passing through, we would like to take this opportunity to warmly welcome you to Holy Family. We encourage you to visit our website and get to know a little more about us; you'll find many resources to help you and your family grow in faith, as well as links to **Register as a Parishioner** and to sign up to our **Email List!** Visit us at [holymfamilywhitby.ca](http://holymfamilywhitby.ca)

# HFkids

## Holy Family Parish

### HFkids EVERY SUNDAY

9:30 & 11:00 MASS.

We invite **ALL KIDS** from grades **JK to GRADE 6** to join us after the procession (just listen to when Father calls on them) in the hall for our HFkids Programs. Your children will return to join you in your pew after the offertory collection. We are offering 2 programs this fall **Adventurers** for KIDS in JK to Gr 1 and **Time Travellers** for YOUTH in Gr 2 to Gr 6. For more information, visit: [holyfamilywhitby.ca/hfkids-2/](http://holyfamilywhitby.ca/hfkids-2/)

## SIMPLIFY YOUR GIVING

*God doesn't need anything from us BUT because we want to show our love for Him, we give generously and sacrificially.*

There are several different ways to give at Holy Family! In addition to our regular offertory collection, parishioners and guest are invited to try our POS Tap Machines located at the Welcome Desk, these machines can be used anytime. Our website also offers PayPal options for monthly & one-time giving, as well as a downloadable Pre-Authorized Payment (PAG) option for convenient monthly offering. For more information and links visit: [holyfamilywhitby.ca/tithe-give/](http://holyfamilywhitby.ca/tithe-give/)

## MINISTRY FAIR THANK YOU!



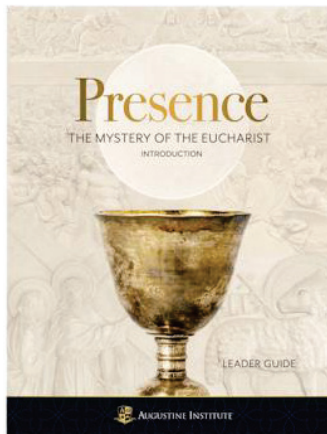
Thank you to all who stopped by the Ministry Fair last Sunday. If you are interested in serving but you didn't get a chance to drop by the fair last week, it's not too late! You can still

indicate your interest in joining one of Holy Family's ministries by filling out a ministry card found at our Welcome Desk. Pick up a copy of the Holy Family Ministries Booklet for a list of all ministries and opportunities.

## FIRST COMMUNION / CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION

Online Registration is now open on our website for First Communion and Confirmation. First Communion for children in grades 2 to 6 and Confirmation for youth in grades 7 & up are all invited to prepare for these sacraments if they have not done so yet. Please visit our website for important Parent Letter, Important Dates and the Registration Link [holyfamilywhitby.ca](http://holyfamilywhitby.ca) – click on First Communion or Confirmation Tab at the top.

## DISCOVER THE BEAUTY OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST



**Presence: The Mystery of the Eucharist**  
*Learn about the truth and beauty of Christ's real presence in the Eucharist...*

**Join us starting Monday November 4<sup>th</sup>.**

Discover the powerful way that God is present to us in the Eucharist, inviting us into an intimate union with himself... During this 5-week program, we will examine the effects of the sacrament and its setting in the Mass, explore the scriptural foundation of the sacrament, and discover the beauty of Holy Communion and the transformative power of the grace God offers us in this sacrament.

Workbooks are available this Sunday at the back of the church for \$40 and includes 'This is MY Body' book by Bishop Barron from this summer's Eucharistic Revival. Runs for 5 weeks from Monday Nov 4<sup>th</sup> to Monday Dec 2. Choose 10:30am or 7:30pm.

## OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE YOUR PARISH...

### Volunteer Associates Needed

There is an immediate need for Volunteer Associates to assist our Volunteer Coordinator in identifying & connecting parishioners with ministry & organizing the many volunteers here at Holy Family. If you have an outgoing personality, like talking to people and would enjoy getting to know your fellow parishioners we'd love for you to use these gifts to serve the parish! Please call the parish office to let us know.

**SUNDAY EXPERIENCE:** Honor the Lord and help provide an awesome experience to parishioners before, during and after Mass

**KIDS, YOUTH & FAMILIES:** Help children and families grow in their love of Jesus by sharing your gifts & talents in one of our kids, family or sacramental prep ministries.

**FAITH FORMATION:** Help bring the faith to others through formation programs like Alpha, RCIA, Small Group or Bible Study;

**OUTREACH:** Go beyond our walls and model Christ's love to those outside our parish.

**Pick up a copy of our new Ministries Booklet for a detailed summary of all the service opportunities available at Holy Family! You can also visit the Welcome Desk to discuss your options or complete the Volunteer Inquiry form on our website: [holyfamilywhitby.ca/volunteer/](http://holyfamilywhitby.ca/volunteer/)**

## YOUNG ADULT CONFERENCE RENEW! NOV. 4TH

Renew Toronto Young Adult Catholic Conference for young adult aged 19-39 is happening Saturday **November 4<sup>th</sup>** at Canada Christian College here in **WHITBY**. It's a unique gathering designed specifically for young adults seeking spiritual growth, meaningful connections, and a deeper understanding of our faith. Tickets now on sale. For more info, visit [renewtoronto.org](http://renewtoronto.org). **Early-Bird Deadline is Tomorrow!**



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