

# 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
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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 Jan 20, 7:00pm**

+Maria Gaetano req by Mena Lombardi & Family.

**Tuesday Jan 21, 7:00pm**

+Michael Burke req by Sue & Tom Forest.

**Wednesday Jan 22, 7:00pm**

+Francisco & Felipa Cuenta req by Violeta & Ray Berry.

+Pedro & Patrocinio Elasique.

+Theresa Hayde req by Cyndy Elasique.

+Leticia E. Carreon req by Cyndy Elasique.

Joe & Lou Abutin req by Cyndy Elasique.

**Thursday Jan 23, 7:00pm**

+Shane Reymes req by Marlene St John.

**Friday Jan 24, 7:00pm**

+Paul Maddiss req by his sister Jane and his brother Daniel.

+Margaret Tavani.

+Bu-an Little.

Sp Int Ray & Violeta Berry req by Nancy Fernandes.

Sp Int Antonetta Orecchio req by the Family.

Sp Int Mary Kingsley req by Legion of Mary.

**Saturday Jan 25, 5:00pm**

+Gerry Monaghan req by Mary Celebre.

## UPCOMING COLLECTIONS

**Building Fund - January 18 & 19.**

*Thank you for your ongoing support!*

## JANUARY CALENDAR

**HORIZONS OF HOPE** – Monday **JAN 20** & **JAN 27**, 10am or 7:30pm

**HFkids** – **SUNDAYS** 9:30 & 11:00 Masses

**PLAYGROUP** – **THURSDAYS** 9:30am

**CONFESSIONS** – **SATURDAYS** 4 to 4:45pm

**EDGE** – Youth Gr. 6-8 **JAN 23** 6:45pm

**LIFETEEN** – High School **FEB 6** 6:45pm

### CONFIRMATION CLASSES

St Bernard, St Mark, Public & Other - Sat, **JAN 25** at 2pm.

St Matthew, St Paul & St Theresa - Sat, **FEB 1** at 2pm.

### FIRST COMMUNION PREP

Group 1 - Saturday **JAN 25**, 9:30am

Group 2 - Saturday **JAN 25**, 11:45am

Group 3 - Saturday **FEB 1**, 9:30am

Group 4 - Saturday **FEB 1**, 11:45am

Grade 4 to 6 – Sunday **FEB 2**, 1:30pm

**MATURING ADULTS** - Tuesday **JAN 28**

Lunch & Talk, 11am

**NEW CATHOLIC MOTHERS GROUP** –

Launching Wednesday **JAN 29**, 7:30pm.

**MY CATHOLIC WORSHIP** - Book Study

Starts Friday **JAN 31** at 9:30am.

**BIBLE STUDY** Gospel of Luke Study

Monday, **FEB 3<sup>rd</sup>** 10:30 am or 7:30pm.

## CALLING ALL MOMS – JOIN OUR MOTHERS GROUP!



We are adding an exciting new group geared towards uplifting the vocation of motherhood. Come and be a part of an encouraging and supportive community of women and go deeper in your faith life. It really does take a village to raise children and as moms, we are not meant to figure it out all on our own. We have each other! **Our first**

**Mother's Group Night is on Wednesday January 29<sup>th</sup>** in the parish hall and we will meet monthly on the last Wednesday of each month moving forward.

**SIGN UP...** See us at the back of the church, scan QR code or visit: [holyfamilywhitby.ca/catholic-mom/](http://holyfamilywhitby.ca/catholic-mom/) to add your name! For more information please contact Sue at [holyfamily.sue@gmail.com](mailto:holyfamily.sue@gmail.com)



## NEW GOSPEL OF LUKE STUDY STARTS FEB. 3RD



Join us **starting Feb 3<sup>rd</sup>** as we explore the Gospel of Luke. Hear of the mercy and compassion that Jesus has for each one of His children. See the beautiful Biblical roots for Mary, the Rosary, and the Mass that are found in Luke, strengthening your prayer life like never before. **Luke: The Story of Salvation Fulfilled**, starts **FEBRUARY 3<sup>rd</sup>** and runs for 8 weeks! Morning & Evening Sessions available. **Registration and participant guides are available at the back of the church for \$40.** Watch the Promo Video at [holyfamilywhitby.ca/bible-study/](http://holyfamilywhitby.ca/bible-study/)

## FR LASZLO'S NEW BOOK - NOW AVAILABLE!

➤ *Jesus in the Eyes of Luke* by Fr. László Nagy



Discover the Gospel of Luke like never before! Experience Jesus through the compassionate and vivid storytelling of one of His closest followers and be inspired to follow Him more closely. "Jesus in the Eyes of Luke" is a deeply engaging exploration of the third Gospel, perfect for Catholics seeking to grow in faith and understanding. This book is perfect for individual reading or group discussion. Books are available at the back of the church for \$20.

## WANT TO LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR CATHOLIC FAITH?

➤ *We are called to love the Lord with our whole heart, mind, soul & strength... How do we do this? THE KEY IS WORSHIP!*

Join us for a casual Small Group **Book Study** on Friday mornings to reflect on the book: **My Catholic WORSHIP**. In this book, we will dive into the meaning of Prayer & each of the Sacraments and discover the many graces received.

**NOTE START DATE CHANGE:** This Book Study will start on Friday, January 31<sup>st</sup> 9:30am for 11 weeks. NO COST, the book is available for **free online** but a hard copy can also be purchased for around \$10 on Amazon. The short weekly chapter only takes 5-6 minutes a day (30 min/week) to read and is so informative and easy to read!

**TO SIGN UP:** We like to keep the discussion group pretty small so please sign up to let us know you want to attend! Scan the QR code, visit: [holyfamilywhitby.ca/faith/](http://holyfamilywhitby.ca/faith/) or contact Sue at [holyfamily.sue@gmail.com](mailto:holyfamily.sue@gmail.com).



## MATURING ADULTS

Holy Family Parish Mature Adults group will be having a welcoming talk and lunch session with fun times on **Tuesday, January 28th** from 11am to 1:00pm in the church hall. Please come and join us for this event and enjoy a good time. For more information about the Maturing Adults group and events, email Alan Perron at [alandioper@gmail.com](mailto:alandioper@gmail.com)

## PANCAKE BREAKFAST

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting a Pancake Breakfast on **Sunday February 9th** after the 8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 Masses. The Breakfast includes pancakes, peameal bacon and eggs. The price is \$10 per person. Please support our breakfast in support of our Knights of Columbus charitable donations.

## IN NEED OF PRAYER?

If you are need of prayer, please use our Prayer Request Box located in the back of the church or our Online Prayer Request form on our website. Our dedicated Intercessory Prayer Teams will pray for you! Visit our website at [holyfamilywhiby.ca/prayer/](http://holyfamilywhiby.ca/prayer/)

## JOIN YOUTH GROUP!

*Calling Youth & Teens in Gr. 6 to 12.*

**EDGE - YOUTH** in grades 6 to 8, runs every 2nd & 4th Thursday. Next Edge is this **Thursday, January 23rd at 6:45pm.**

**LIFE TEEN - TEENS** in grades 9 to 12, runs every 1st & 3rd Thursday and includes dinner! Next Life Teen is this coming **Thursday, Feb 6th at 6:45pm.**

Visit the Welcome Desk for a youth card with dates & times or for more information, visit our website or scan the **PARENT PORTAL QR** code and click on YOUTH GROUP, or contact our youth minister Samantha at [hfw.youth@gmail.com](mailto:hfw.youth@gmail.com)



## STEUBENVILLE YOUTH CONFERENCE - OHIO

Steubenville Youth Conference is a Weekend-long conference for High School Students in Steubenville Ohio, USA. After the success of last year's trip, we have decided to return for Steubenville 2025, happening the weekend of June 27 to 29th! This is an amazing opportunity to enter into a vibrant young Catholic community and encounter Christ in a powerful way. Cost is \$500 (all inclusive) per teen. Anyone interested in possibly coming to Steubenville with us **MUST** complete the **"Steubenville Interest Form" ASAP as we need to reserve our tickets this week.** If you are interested, please contact Samantha, our youth minister, by **this Thursday, January 23rd** at [hfw.youth@gmail.com](mailto:hfw.youth@gmail.com).

## MILESTONE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASSES

Sunday February 9th is Marriage Sunday! In honour of this, we will be offering an opportunity for parishioners celebrating a **Milestone Wedding Anniversary** (10th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th ...) in 2025 to RENEW their wedding vows during the **5:00pm Mass on Saturday Feb 8th** OR during the **12:30pm Mass on Sunday Feb 9th.**

**PLEASE REGISTER:** Scan the QR code to register online or email the parish office at [holy.family@rogers.com](mailto:holy.family@rogers.com) and include: both your names, the date of our milestone anniversary, the number of years as well as the Mass you will be attending. You are most welcome to invite your friends and family!



## FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR Sat. FEB.1

Join us on Zoom on Saturday February 1st at 9:00am for a free webinar. Learn how to avoid problems: in your Will, in the Powers of Attorney, and through proper Estate Trustee selection. Learn how to create your own legacy and also about our Catholic traditions around cremation, burials and funerals. To Register, Scan the QR code, copy this link: [qrco.de/WebFeb01](http://qrco.de/WebFeb01) or send an email to: [Development@ArchToronto.org](mailto:Development@ArchToronto.org), write "Webinar February 1" in the title line & your name(s) in the message. For more information, contact Peter Okonski, 416-934-3400 x 519



## JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE WITH FR. LASZLO TO ITALY!



Join Fr. László on a Jubilee Pilgrimage to **Italy - MAY 22 TO JUNE 2.** Visiting Milan, Lake Como, Verona, La Spezia, Assisi... just to name a few! Our last stop on this magnificent journey is Rome /Vatican. Cost is \$4990/person. The full Itinerary is available at the back of the church.

## OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE FROM HOME!

**Mass Bag Ambassadors:** We are seeking individuals or families who would be willing to occasionally bring home the Toddler Mass Bags BASKET for cleaning and re-organizing. We would create a schedule for interested persons or families to sign up and will provide training. Get the children involved and let them see you serving your community!

**Playgroup Crafts:** *Are you crafty?* We are seeking parishioners who would be interested in supporting our young parents attending the Thursday Morning Playgroup by occasionally creating and providing very simple crafts for approximately 15 toddlers on a rotating basis. We would set up a schedule and your craft could be dropped off anytime.

**If you, and/or your family are interested in serving as either a Mass Bags Ambassador or helping with our Playgroup Crafts, please contact Sue at [holyfamily.sue@gmail.com](mailto:holyfamily.sue@gmail.com) for more information and or to sign up!**

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