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Holy Family Parish

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Rectory Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9:30 a.m. to 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:

Rev. Fr. Alex D'Silva

OFFICE MANAGER: Tess Bondoc

YOUTH MINISTER: Samantha Kanemy

OFFICE ASSISTANT: Sue Kanemy

MINISTRY COORDINATOR: Karina Doyle

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
Horizons of Hope	905-441-0957
Intercessory Prayer Group	905-665-6470
Lectors	905-665-6470
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.	905-243-9466
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.

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



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:

Get involved - become a Knight. Please contact Grand Knight Lindsey Morillo at 905-409-7715. General Meetings are 2nd Wednesdays 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.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday Oct 20, 7:00pm

+Nigel Reeves req by Kenneth, Christine & Chantal Reeves.

Tuesday Oct 21, 7:00pm

+Alosius Fernando req by Yolen Fernando.

Wednesday Oct 22, 7:00pm

+Lilian Pascoe req by the Family.

+Domenico Rocchio req by Maria Marino.

+Yesu Dass req by Yesu.

+Melissa George req by Mum & Dad.

Thursday Oct 23, 7:00pm

+Vito Di Bernardo req by Maria Savino.

Friday Oct 24, 7:00pm

+Vito Di Bernardo req by Stella Composeo.

Saturday Oct 25, 5:00pm

+Colgan & Daniel req by the Family

+Stan McDonnell req by the Family.

CONFIRMATION INSCRIPTION

All Confirmation Candidates along with their parents are to attend the Confirmation Inscription Mass during any of the Sunday Liturgy Masses Next Weekend, October 25 & 26. Please visit holyfamlywhitby.ca and click on Confirmation for details.

NEW TO THE PARISH?

Welcome to Holy Family! Please stop by the Welcome Desk to say hello! We invite you and your family to register as parishioners and join our email list! Scan the QR code or visit the Welcome page of our website where you will find links to our email list, and Parishioner Registration Form.

holyfamlywhitby.ca/welcome-to-holy-family/



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HELP PROVIDE FOR THOSE IN NEED NOV 29 & 30

On the weekend of November 29th & 30th 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!**

ST. VINCENT de PAUL: The Saint Vincent de Paul truck will be in the parking lot before & 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 Saint 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, Jogging Pants**
- New or gently used men's & women's **Winter Hats & Winter Gloves**
- **Packages of Hand & Feet Warmers**



Additionally, for the Homeless Mission Ministry, 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.

JOURNEY WITH A NEW CATHOLIC THIS YEAR!

Our Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) program is underway, and we are seeking dedicated, practicing Catholics to serve as sponsors for our new candidates.

What Does an RCIA Sponsor Do?

- You will be a companion & link to the parish community for someone on their faith journey.
- You'll help them grow in their relationship with God and the Church.
- You'll introduce them to other parishioners and invite them to parish events.

Who Can Be a Sponsor?

- You must be a fully initiated Catholic, having been confirmed & received the Eucharist.
- You must be a practicing Catholic (attending Sunday Mass regularly), in good standing with the Church: If you are married, you have to be married in the Catholic church and NOT cohabitating or common-law.

If you are interested or to know more, call our coordinator Ryan at 905 243 9466.

HELP A FAMILY IN NEED – CHRISTMAS ENVELOPES

The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will be at the back of the church starting on Oct 18/19th and Oct 25/26 to hand out the Christmas Envelopes. Each envelope will help a family in need within our community have a "Joyful Christmas". The Envelopes are to be returned to the church on or before the weekend of Nov. 15/16 for distribution to the families. **The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul Thank you for your continued support.**

HFKIDS TEEN VOLUNTEER MEETING OCT 25 - 3PM

We are now revamping our HF Kids Teen volunteer program! New T-Shirts and new responsibilities are coming your way in an effort to get you all more involved and to liven up our Sunday parish experience! To launch this new teen volunteer program, we will be having an important volunteer meeting on **SATURDAY, OCT 25TH AT 3PM** at the parish. This meeting is mandatory for all teens (grades 7-12) who wish to volunteer or continue volunteering at our HF Kids program. Please email Samantha at hfw.youth@gmail.com to confirm your attendance.

YOUTH GROUPS

EDGE (GRADES 5-8) – Our youth will learn to live a Christian life through the Beatitudes and the example of the Saints. Meetings are the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month, 6:45pm to 8:30pm. Games, competitions & snacks make it fun while building community & deepening faith. **Join us THIS Thursday, October 23rd!**

LIFETEEN (HIGH-SCHOOL). Teens will explore the “treasures” of Catholic faith and learn how to live out and share it. Our goal is to walk each young person on his or her faith journey. Sessions run the 1st and 3rd Thursday, 6:45pm – 9:00pm. **Join us on Thursday, November 6th!**

See **Samantha** at the back of the church after Mass. Registration forms are available at the back of the church & website: holyfamlywhitby.ca/youth/

GIVING MADE EASY WITH TIP TAP & PAG!

TIPTAP: Did you know that you can now support the parish with just a single tap? By using the “TipTap” device located at the back of the church — Make sure the first time you use it that you follow the instructions posted next to the device so you can register your payment for tax receipts!

PAG: Sign-up for Pre-Authorized Giving – PAG It’s convenient, it reduces the need for cash or writing cheques each week, **IT’S SECURE** and enables better planning of annual contributions. PAG also offers regular and dependable cash flow to operate our parish. Visit the [GIVING page](#) of our website to download the PAG Registration Form OR find a form at the back of the church!

Thank you to the many parishioners who support our parish!



FAMILY ALL SAINTS DAY PARTY NOV 1

➤ *Get Ready for a Heavenly Celebration on Nov 1st!*

The Catholic Moms Group & Family Ministry will be hosting a Family All-Saints’ Day Party honouring our Heavenly Friends on **Saturday November 1st at 11am!** We’ll have Saint-themed games and activities, a Saint parade, and **LUNCH** for everyone to enjoy. Kids can come dressed as their favourite Saint and grown-ups can join in the dress-up fun too! There is no cost, but **REGISTRATION IS A MUST!** Register now to save your spot as registration will close once we’ve reached our limit. Scan the QR code to sign up or use this link: forms.gle/PGiGSpK8quAb87zL7



Let’s celebrate our Heavenly Saints and the Joy of Following Jesus together!

CWL CHRISTMAS BAZAAR NOV 8 & 9

Raffle tickets will be sold after all Masses starting the weekend of Oct 11/12 and all weekends, closing Nov 8th. Tickets are \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00.

➤ **PRIZES-** 1st- **\$500.00**, 2nd- **\$100.00**, 3rd- **Beautiful Christmas Afghan**
CALLING ALL BAKERS:

We need help from your kitchen to bake apple pies, apple crisps & other baked goods to sell at the bazaar. If you can help, please call Anita at 905-442-8163.

FINAL CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION NIGHT ADDED!

We have added a second (**AND FINAL**) Parent Registration night this coming Wednesday, **Oct 22nd** at 7:30pm for those who were unable to attend the initial session. Please visit the Confirmation page on our website to complete the online registration form before attending registration night. **Registrations will generally not be accepted after this date as the program has already started.**

FIRST COMMUNION PARENT INFO NIGHT

The **last** Parent Information / Registration Night is happening this **Tuesday Oct 21st 7:30pm - this is our final Registration Night!** Registration is open for all children in **Grades 2 to 6**. Please note that there are **two parts** to the registration process...

1. **Completing the Online Registration**
2. **Attend the Parent Information Night (dates below)**

Please ensure you complete the online registration **BEFORE** the Information Night. Parent Information Night is scheduled as follows and **only parents need to attend**. Visit: holyfamlywhitby.ca/first-holy-communion/ to complete the online registration today! Please note that late registrations will generally not be accepted once our program starts!

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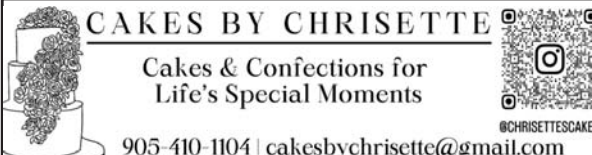
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