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make disciples**

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 27, 7:00pm

+Kathy Bobnic req by Marlene St John.

Tuesday Oct 28, 7:00pm

+Sheldon Hannah req by Noel & Mary Hannah.

Wednesday Oct 29, 7:00pm

+Cecilio Saguisag req by Lesley Saguisag.

+Cyril Turgeon req by John & Vera Hugel.

Sp Int for Peace in Africa req by the Holy Family Parish African Community.

Thursday Oct 30, 7:00pm

+Gladys & Lawrence Ramdhanny req by Sheila Tobin.

Sp Int Greg & Anna-Lisa Athaide.

Friday Oct 31, 7:00pm

Sp. Int for Sabu & Anu's Family.

Saturday Oct 25, 5:00pm

ALL SAINTS DAY

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.

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



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HORIZONS HOLY HOUR

Horizons of Hope ministry will be hosting the Eucharistic Adoration hour the first Friday of the month on **November 7th from 1 to 2pm** for our parish sick and suffering and heavenly souls. Please do join us within God's grace and peace. **Refreshments after the hour in the parish hall**

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR NEXT SATURDAY!

➤ Opportunity to serve for Teens & Adults

Our parish **Family All Saints' Day Party** is happening next Saturday, November 1, and we need your help to make it a joyful success! The event is being **hosted by our Moms Group** who are working hard behind the scenes preparing all the saint-themed games, activities, and donating the food. However, many of these wonderful moms will be busy helping their little ones enjoy the festivities during the party —so we looking for **extra helping hands** from our parish community! Please click on the QR code to sign up as a Party Volunteer or send an email to Sue at holyfamily.sue@gmail.com.

We're looking for **TEEN & ADULTS to help during the party** with setup, most especially to **assist at game stations**, and cleanup.



FAMILY ADVENT WREATH & DINNER!

Join us on **Sunday November 30th at 3pm** for our annual Family Advent Event - this year we are making live-greenery Family Advent Wreaths! The Event will be hosted by the Family Ministry and HFkids! This event is open to ALL parishioners! Bring the family, we will have snacks & hot chocolate, Pasta Dinner, kids craft area, wreath blessing, and of course, the main event - building your own fresh Advent Wreath to take home with a prayer sheet to help you pray as your family lights your candle each week. Registration is now open and will close once we reach capacity – your spot will be confirmed once payment is received as there is limited space. **There is a cost of \$35 per family** to cover some of the expenses - 1 wreath per family. If you have any questions, please contact Sue at: [hollyfamily.sue@gmail.com](mailto:holyfamily.sue@gmail.com). Scan the QR code to register or register at the Welcome Desk after Mass.



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.

ALTAR SERVERS AWARD



Congratulations to **Leanna Arcena**, award of this year's recipient of the Ken MacDonald Award. We are so grateful for your dedication and service. We also wish to congratulate the following altar servers who received the Bishop Award this weekend for their faithfulness and dedication as altar servers; **Daphnie Agaga, David Agaga, Stephanie Agaga, Joseph Ah-Hone, Matteo D'Aliesio, Miguel Gonzales, Michael Kondzior & Erick Oliver**. If your child would like to become an altar server. Please visit hollyfamilywhitby.ca/altar-server/

HELP A FAMILY IN NEED

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 Society thanks for your continued support!

GATHER CAFÉ SUNDAYS

With grateful hearts the kitchen angels of our Gather Cafe would like to extend a huge thank you to the many people who have been contributing wonderful homemade goodies, supplies and donations to help provide the warm hospitality that is offered after each Sunday morning Mass! Sometimes we are able to see you and thank you in person, sometimes delicious treats just show up, and we truly appreciate all of our "baking angels"! Thank you for your generosity and contributions to what has become the happy fellowship in our Gather Cafe.

MASS FOR PEACE IN AFRICA – OCT 29TH 7PM

The Africa Community of Holy Family Parish warmly invites all parishioners to join in a Mass for Peace in Africa this Wednesday, **Oct 29, at 7pm**. This Mass is offered with compassion for those suffering from the ongoing violence especially in Nigeria, the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC), and Sudan.

We encourage everyone to participate in the rosary prayer before the Holy Mass and stand together in heartfelt prayer for peace and healing across the continent.

WHAT IS EUCHARISTIC ADORATION?

At every Mass the priest consecrates simple bread and wine, which, through the power of the Holy Spirit, truly become the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ. This is the Eucharist, and in the Eucharist is the *Real Presence* of Jesus: **in the Eucharist, Jesus is really present to us just as He was present to His disciples two thousand years ago**, the only difference is the *way* He is present, but the *reality* of His presence is the same. Jesus is really here with us! We are very blessed to have in every Catholic church, at all times, Jesus in the Eucharist reposed in the tabernacle. This makes the church a particularly special and holy place for us to come and pray. **At certain times, the consecrated host is placed on the altar for all in the church to see. This is what we call Eucharistic Adoration.** Here, in a unique way, we are able to adore Jesus truly present with us. Eucharistic Adoration is a time of prayer filled with many graces and blessings.

Come out and spend some time in Adoration of Jesus in the Eucharist! There are many opportunities here at Holy Family: One hour before all weekday Masses, Every Friday, from noon until 7:00pm and Every First Friday of the month, from 12noon until 12midnight **Next week's bulletin: "Why should I spend time in Adoration?"**

CWL CHRISTMAS BAZAAR NOV 7 & 8

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

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

We are asking for the Following Donations:

- new giftable items for the penny social table
- new giftable items for children 6 months to 8 years
- Christmas décor that is gently used
- artificial Christmas trees new or gently used
- cello wrap/bows/ribbon/clear cello bags
- homemade baked goods and shelf stable preserves

Student Volunteers are Welcome and Needed!

Please contact Angie at 905-721-8878.

*If you or your place of employment would be interested in donating large prize items, please contact Angie at 905-721-8878.

Calling all Bakers: We need help from your kitchen to bake apple pies, apple crisps & other baked goods to sell at the bazaar. To help - please call Anita at 905-442-8163.

SENIORS GROUP EVENT – TUESDAY OCT 28TH!

The Holy Family Ministry of Maturing Adults – Seniors Group, will be hosting a cozy movie morning with munchies and light lunch on Tues Oct 28th from 11am - 1:00pm. Please join us in the spirit of companionship and Christ's blessings. Please RSVP to Bianca at: biancarizutti@gmail.com or call Alan 289-200-1697. **Please RSVP before Oct. 24th.** We welcome you all with open arms and BRING a friend!

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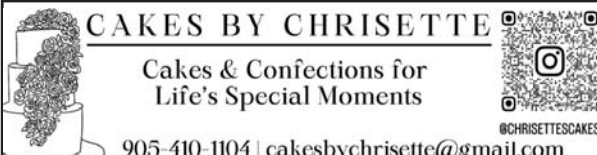
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