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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 Nov 17, 7:00pm

+Lois Jensen req by Marleen St John.

Tuesday Nov 18, 7:00pm

Sp Int Clara Doyle req by the Family.

Wednesday Nov 19, 7:00pm

+James & Albert Peter req by Rosim Martin.

+George Herod & Wendell Allsopp req by Claudia Herod.

+Rosa Zingone & Joe Giusti req by the De Palma Family.

+Onorato Alow & Angelina Aloe req by the Family.

+Evelyn D'Souza req by Michael & Joyce D'Souza.

+Elaine Vander Bruggen req by the Family.
Sp Int Legion of Mary Active Members.

For Aid to the Church in, Need Red
Wednesday, United in Prayer for the
Persecuted Christians, Req by the CWL.

Thursday Nov 20, 7:00pm

+Hiran Germaine req by Reggie Nigel Reeves.

Friday Nov 21, 7:00pm

+Brian Pappin req by Alana & Family.

+Dan Covelli req by Anne Mc Gouran.

+Marjorie Shields req by Anne Mc Gouran.

+Laverne Lavarone req by Anne Mc Gouran.

+Enrico & Delfina Osso req by the Family.

+Dr. Paul Kolodej req by Vera Kolodej.

+Renee Salem req by Daughters.

Saturday Nov 22, 5:00pm

+Hector Cortez req by Susan Rivera.

2026 MISSALS AVAILABLE

Sunday Missals are now available at the Holy Family Gift Shop at the back of the church for \$10. The Gift Shop is open 15 minutes before and after all Saturday and Sunday Masses.

HELP CLEAN OUR CHURCH!

Keep God's House Shining! Our parish is a home for prayer, worship, and community and we need your helping hands to keep it beautiful! With new spaces like the Atrium and meeting rooms opening soon, we're looking for volunteers to help keep our church bright and welcoming. No special skills needed — just a willing heart and joyful spirit! If you can offer a little time each week to tidy, dust, or care for our sacred spaces, please contact Tess at 905-665-6470 ext. 201 or email holy.family@rogers.com.

Gratitude for Our CWL President, Anita Pereira

On behalf of our parish community, I would like to extend my heartfelt thanks and deep appreciation to our Catholic Women's League President, Anita Pereira, for her extraordinary service, dedication, and leadership.

When the CWL faced a time of uncertainty and no one else was able to take on the responsibility, Anita stepped forward without hesitation. Through her selfless decision to lead, she not only kept our council alive but helped it flourish. Her commitment has been nothing short of inspiring. Because of her willingness to serve, the CWL at our parish continues to be a vital presence in the life of our faith community — active, welcoming, and mission-driven.

Anita brought to her role a spirit of positivity, transparency, and deep faith. She led with clarity and purpose, always ensuring that every decision was made with integrity and in the best interest of both the CWL and our parish. She kept the administration running smoothly, cared for both active and non-active members, and made sure everyone felt valued and included. Her leadership reflected the true essence of Christian service - humble, steadfast, and full of grace.

Her support extended far beyond the CWL itself. She has been a consistent ally of our youth ministry, an advocate for parish mission and evangelization, and a generous supporter of our parish both spiritually and financially. Her commitment to fostering unity and growth in our faith community has strengthened our parish family and enriched our shared mission of discipleship.

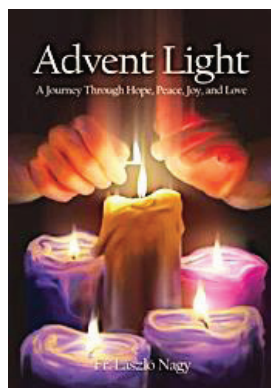
Throughout her term, Anita maintained excellent communication with me, the parish leadership, and the entire council. She modeled honesty, transparency, and dedication — qualities that inspired those around her to serve with the same love and purpose. Her thoughtful leadership, built bridges, encouraged collaboration, and reminded us all of the value of service done with joy.

As pastor, I am deeply grateful for all she has given — her time, her talents, her energy, and her faith. The countless hours she has devoted to planning, organizing, listening, and leading have made a lasting impact. She leaves behind a strong, vibrant CWL council that continues to serve as a cornerstone of our parish life.

Anita, thank you for saying "yes" when it mattered most. Thank you for guiding with heart and for showing what faithful leadership looks like in action. May God bless you abundantly for all that you have done and continue to do for our parish.

With gratitude and prayers, Fr. László

DISCOVER ADVENT LIGHT NEW BOOK BY FR. LÁSZLÓ!



Make this Advent truly meaningful! Fr. László's new book, *Advent Light: A Journey Through Hope, Peace, Joy, and Love*, invites you to slow down, pray, and prepare your heart for Christmas. Each chapter reflects on one of the four candles of the Advent wreath—Hope, Peace, Joy, and Love—guiding you week by week through the season. Discover strength in God's promises, find calm and harmony in your heart and home, rediscover the deep joy of knowing Christ's love, and reflect on God's boundless love made visible in Jesus. Perfect for personal reflection, family prayer, or small group sharing, *Advent Light* will help you welcome this holy season with renewed faith and joy. Copies will be available November 8 and 9 after all Masses.

Get yours early and let this Advent be filled with light.

ADVENT WREATH & DINNER

➤ Limited Space Left!

Join us on **Sunday, Nov. 30 at 4 PM** for our **Family Advent Wreath & Dinner** hosted by Family Ministry and HFkids! Create your own fresh greenery Advent wreath, enjoy crafts, snacks, hot chocolate, **PASTA DINNER**, and take part in a special wreath blessing with prayer resources to use at home. The cost is **\$35 per family** (one wreath per family). **Registration is a Must, Space is limited.** Register by **Nov. 24** or until capacity is reached. Sign up at the Welcome Desk after Mass OR register online using QR code. For more info at: contact Sue at: holyfamily.sue@gmail.com



PARISH DADS GROUP

FAITH - FRATERNITY – PRAYER

Come and be part of an uplifting fraternity of men who want to help each other grow in faith and become the leaders our Families need us to be.

Join us the 3rd Thursday of each month at 7:30pm at Holy Family! If you are a dad, grand-dad or future dad, there is a place for you here. Fatherhood is a divine institution established by God for the blessing and stability of humanity. When fathers take their rightful place, homes are healed, communities are built, and generations are secured. Come join us so we can help each other get there. **REGISTER Online: simply scan the QR code** holyfamilydads.com



PILGRIMAGE INFO SESSION

Join Fr. László from May 3 to 14, 2026 for a pilgrimage of the heart through Croatia, Medjugorje, Slovenia, and Budapest - a journey of prayer, reflection, & renewal in God's presence. Pilgrimage details and Itinerary can be found at the back of the church.

There will be an information session on **Saturday, November 29 at 4:00pm** in the church hall. For inquiries, please contact Halina at 647-294-4116.

REVIVE CONFERENCE NEXT SATURDAY!

Join us for a half-day of spiritual renewal and revival at Holy Family Next **Saturday, Nov 22nd 9am to 12pm**. We're thrilled to welcome back Fr. Allan MacDonald, Companions of the Cross (Ottawa), as our keynote speaker. The morning includes Mass, refreshments, praise and worship, and table discussions on parish renewal and personal faith.

If your faith needs a spark or your ministry a boost, the Revive Parish Conference is for you—come be renewed, inspired, and equipped to serve with joy! **Please sign up at the Welcome Desk after all Masses.**

HOLY FAMILY CWL BAZAAR – THANK YOU!!

On behalf of the Holy Family Parish CWL, we would like to express our heartfelt gratitude to everyone who contributed to making this year's Christmas bazaar a resounding success. **Thank you to the following teams:** The Holy Family Stitcher's Knitting – Jean, Christmas decor- Alys & Elaine, Pie's- Anita (all the famous pie bakers), Bakery- Bianca & Mary, Breakfast- Rebecca & Kavitha, Lunch - Major Family, many thanks to Pringle Creek Market (Plastina Family), Preserves-Marleen, Penny Social Paola, Ticket sales -CWL, JoAnne Drumm, Tom Vidinu & Alan Perron. Steve & Mary who took care of signs, Our in-house Social media team. It's a shining testament to what can be achieved when we come together as a community. From our dedicated student volunteers to our parishioners and all of the CWL ladies who tirelessly worked behind the scenes, your selflessness and dedication are truly inspiring. To the chefs who prepared a delicious turkey dinner, and to the generous sponsors who supported us, we are deeply thankful. To the ladies who attended our meetings leading up to the event, we appreciate the valuable time you took away from your families. We would also like to extend our sincere thanks to Santa Claus and Mrs. Claus for visiting us and spreading joy.

Our gratitude also goes to Tess, Fr. Laszlo, & Fr. Alex for their ongoing support and for helping us make this a memorable community event which raised \$14,835.00. Peace and Blessings, Angie Baglieri, Christmas Bazaar Coordinator and Anita Pereira, Holy Family CWL President.

A heartfelt thank you to the whole team and especially Angie & Anita, for their tireless dedication, hard work, and passion. Fr. László.

MOMS GROUP ALL SAINTS DAY PARTY – THANK YOU!!



Our All Saints' Day Party was such a joy—filled with laughter, faith, and fun as the kids learned about the Saints! A huge thank-you to everyone who joined us and to all our amazing volunteers who helped with setup, games, and cleanup. Special thanks to our **MOMS GROUP** for donating food, preparing games, and lending a hand wherever needed, and to Chef Nick for the lunch everyone loved. What a wonderful day for our families and parish community!

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