The Good News

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday

Holy Family: 4:00 pm St. Peter: 4:00 pm Sacred Heart: 4:00 pm

Sunday

St. Mary: 7:15 am
Holy Family: 8:00 am | 10:00 am
12:00 pm (Spanish)
Presentation: 8:00 am
Sacred Heart: 9:00 am | 11:00 am
Our Risen Savior: 10:00 am

Weekday

Monday, Wednesday | St. Mary: 12:10 pm Tuesday, Thurs., Friday | Holy Family: 7:00 am Saturday | Presentation: 8:00am

RECONCILIATION SCHEDULE

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday Following 7:00 am Mass at Holy Family

Monday, Wednesday 11:30 am to 12:00 pm at St. Mary

Wednesday

Our Risen Savior - 7:30 pm to 8:30 pm with Adoration

Thursday
Presentation - 6:30 - 7:15 pm with
Adoration

Saturday

After 8:00 am Mass at Presentation 3:00 to 3:45 pm at Sacred Heart 3:00 to 3:45 pm at Holy Family 3:00 to 3:45 pm at St. Peter

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time | July 31-August 1, 2021

Grief Share starts August 16

Holy Family Catholic Community will host Grief Share, a support group and seminar designed to help people rebuild their lives after loss, beginning August 16. As each of the 13 session are self-contained, participants can attend Grief Share at any point and do not have to attend in sequence. The group will meet Mondays from 4:00 to 6:00 pm August 16 to November 15 (except on Labor Day) in Holy Family Church Hall. To sign up, please call Mary at (920) 921-0580 or email mdenzin@hffdl.org.

Attend the St. Francis de Sales Seminary Dinner with Holy Family priests

In celebration of the priesthood, St. Francis de Sales Seminary will once again host an in-person dinner at the Wisconsin Center in Milwaukee on Friday, September 24. Holy Family Catholic Community has always been well represented at the Seminary Dinners and we'd like to invite you to be a part of this amazing evening. Join Fr. Ryan, Fr. Justin, Fr. Edward, Fr. Fabian and the nearly 70 seminarians currently studying at St. Francis de Sales. Tickets are \$150 per person so if you are interested in joining us at one of our parish tables, please contact Fr. Ryan Pruess at rpruess@hffdl.org to reserve your spot. For more information on the dinner please visit sfs.edu/annualdinner.

Our Risen Savior Choir to begin this week

Anyone interested in joining the Our Risen Savior Choir is invited to attend rehearsal on August 3. The choir will practice at 7:00 pm on Tuesdays at Our Risen Savior, and lead the music at Mass on the third Sunday of the month as well on holidays and feast days. For more information, contact Martha at 920-948-0979.

Cor Jesu at St. Mary Church Thursday

Experience a night of Mass, Adoration, and Confession at Cor Jesu on Thursday, August 5 at St. Mary Church. The night will begin at 6:40 pm with the Rosary, followed by Adoration and Reconciliation at 7:00 pm, and Mass at 8:00 pm. Cor Jesu is held the first Thursday of each month.

Adoration at Presentation to resume on Thursdays beginning August 12

Parishioners young and old are invited to join us for Adoration, Confession, Benediction, and Mass on Thursday nights at Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church. Adoration and Confession will take place at 6:30 pm, Benediction at 7:15 pm, and Mass at 7:30 pm. As Cor Jesu will take place at St. Mary on August 5, Adoration at Presentation will resume on August 12.

Calvary Cemetery Memorial Mass

Calvary Cemetery and Chapel of the Risen Christ Mausoleum will offer Memorial Masses on the First Saturday of the Month at the Chapel of the Risen Christ Mausoleum, 686 Fond du Lac Ave. The next Mass will be held at 9:00 am on August 7.

Cookie and Donut Weekends

On the second weekend of August, and September, Holy Family will give out cookies and donuts following Saturday evening and Sunday Masses at rotating sites. Cookies will be available at the 4:00 pm Mass at St. Peter on August 7 and Holy Family Spanish Mass at noon on August 8. Donuts will be available on August 8 at the 8:00 am Mass at Holy Family, 10:00 am Mass at Our Risen Savior, and 11:00 am at Sacred Heart.

Donate blood at Holy Family Community Blood Drive

Help save lives by donating blood at the Holy Family Catholic Community Blood Drive from 12:00 to 5:00 pm on August 11 in the Holy Family Church Hall. To reserve your spot, visit versiti.org/FDL or call 877-BE-A-HERO (877-232-4376). Those who attempt to donate will receive a code to redeem for general admission to Summerfest.

Back to School FDL School Supply Drive to end next weekend

Holy Family Catholic Community is hosting a school supply drive for the Back to School FDL program through August 8. Boxes to drop off donated supplies are available at each church site. Needed supplies include: 1" binders; calculators including TI 30X IIS; colored pencils; Crayola washable markers; erasers; dry erase markers; graph paper; loose leaf paper; no. 2 pencils; pencil boxes; 3x3 Post-It notes; scissors – pointed 5" and 7"; watercolors; spiral notebooks; and sketchbooks.

A letter from your Holy Family priest | "I Am the Bread of Life"

The multiplication of the barley loaves and fish was a great sign performed by Jesus for those who followed him. The people were not only satisfied with what they are but also were amazed at what Jesus did. Jesus offered those people a sign to see beyond, to see him as real food, but the people did not see the sign. They saw what Jesus did as a motivation to seek power. They wanted to make him king.

Certainly, there are so many materials needs in the world that are waiting to be transformed by us. I remember when I was beginning to decide on the path of priesthood. In a vocational retreat I was asked the following question: Why do you want to be a priest? And my answer was: "to help people," and my formator told me, "For that you don't need to be a priest, there are so many ways to help people." I understood that the main reason must be to follow Jesus and help others follow him.

The people that the Gospel tells us about, after the miracle of multiplication, began to follow Jesus, but unfortunately, their motivation was different, their motivation was material. Jesus challenges you to perfect your following of him, and he proposes such a challenge with these words: "work for the food that lasts for eternal life and that the Son of man will give you." What is that food that He will give us? It is nothing less than his own life: his divinity, his forgiveness, his gospel, his mission, his salvation, his love for his Father. Our great act of faith will be to say to the Lord: "Lord, always give us that bread."

- Fr. Fabián

PARISH COLLECTION SUMMARY

July 1, 2021 through July 18, 2021

Budgeted Revenue: \$140,000 Actual Revenue: \$118,285 Variance or (shortfall): (\$21,715)

MASS INTENTIONS

To view Mass Intentions for the coming week, please visit hffdl.org/mass_schedules/mass-intentions. They are updated every Friday.

OUR DEARLY DEPARTED

May their souls, and the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace:

Kathy Aigner & Gilberto Barrera

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