

# The Good News

Holy Family Catholic Community  
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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  
St Peter: 8:30 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

### Thank you to all Oktoberfest helpers!

Holy Family would like to thank everyone who donated their time, talent, and treasure to help make our Oktoberfest event a success! We are grateful to have such a wonderful parish community and hope that everyone who attended had a great time!

### Blessed Bites celebrates one year

Holy Family Catholic Community's meal-to-go program, Blessed Bites, is celebrating its first year of providing free meals and care items to those in need in our community. To help us celebrate, we are collecting donations to give out during our program on Tuesdays. Needed items include: Kleenex, toilet paper, feminine hygiene products, shampoo, conditioner, Chapstick, and laundry detergent. You can drop off donations at Holy Family Church and the Parish Office. Thank you for your continued support!

### Holy Family looking for funeral servers

Holy Family is looking for volunteers to offer their time as funeral servers throughout the parish. Volunteers need to be available in the late morning, as that is when most funerals are held. Training will be given. If you are interested, please call (920) 921-0580 ext. 302 or email mdenzin@hffdl.org.

### Taste of Mexico postponed

Due to unforeseen circumstances, Holy Family's Taste of Mexico event has been postponed. We look forward to celebrating the event in 2022!

### Grief Share: Surviving the Holidays

Are you or someone you know grieving? To help you through the holidays, Holy Family will host Grief Share's Surviving the Holidays seminar from 1:00 to 3:00 pm and 4:00 to 6:00 pm on Thursday, November 4 in the Holy Family Board Room. Call (920) 921-0580 ext. 302 or email mdenzin@hffdl.org to reserve your spot.

### Brat Fry set

The KC ladies Auxiliary will hold a brat fry after Holy Family and Sacred Heart masses this on October 23 and 24. This is a goodwill offering fundraiser for the group.

### St. Peter Altar and Rosary Society Meeting

Everyone is welcome to attend the St. Peter Altar and Rosary Society Meeting on Monday, October 25 in the St. Peter Church basement. The Rosary will begin at 6:30 pm and the meeting at 7:00 pm. A light meal will follow.

### Volunteers sought to clean

Volunteers are needed to help clean Holy Family Church once a month. The cleaning group meets the third Monday of the month from 7:30 to 8:30 am. If you have the time and interest, please call Sue Stephany at 920-539-0387. Many thanks to all of our cleaners!

### Holy Family to host screening of *Roe V. Wade*

Holy Family Catholic Community will host a screening and discussion of the 2020 film *Roe V. Wade* from 6:00 to 9:00 pm on Friday, October 29 in Holy Family Church Hall. The movie offers a dramatized look at the events that led to the court ruling in the early 1970s. Fr. Justin Weber will lead a discussion following the film.

### Catechist Substitutes Needed

Christian Formation is looking for "on-call substitutes" for 1st-11th grade classes. If you cannot commit to something every week, but still want to help out, please prayerfully consider filling out the form at [hffdl.org](http://hffdl.org).

### Thank you from St. Patrick's Rosary Guild

The St. Patrick's Rosary Guild would like to thank everyone who volunteered, donated, or shopped at their rummage sale and helped to make it a success.

### Space still available for Called & Gifted Workshop

Come to Holy Family Church on October 30 from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm to participate in the Catherine of Sienna Institute's Called & Gifted Workshop. Through this workshop, you will learn to uncover your gifts and discern your charisms, which enable you to be a channel of God's love, truth, beauty, mercy, healing, and provision for others. Registration fee is \$40, which covers materials, continental breakfast, and lunch. No one will be denied due to financial circumstances. Limited number of Holy Family parishioners can use scholarship coupon code HFFDL\$10 for registration discount. Pre-registration required. To register, visit [archmil.regfox.com/called-gifted-103021](http://archmil.regfox.com/called-gifted-103021).

*A letter from your Holy Family priest | "A sincere respect for your gifts"*

*Grant us, Lord, we pray, a sincere respect for your gifts.* This is part of the Prayer over the Offerings that we heard at Mass this week. The Prayer over the Offerings is said after the priest sets the gifts of bread and wine on the altar. At that point the gifts of bread and wine truly become offerings (*oblations*) since they will be transformed into the perfect offering that was wrought, once and for all, on Calvary by Christ. This Sunday's Prayer over the Offerings remind us of the respect we show for this immense gift of God, that is, the tremendous transformation of bread and wine into Christ's Body and Blood.

It is often said that one drop of Our Lord's Blood could wash away the sins of the world. Hence, as our prayer invites us to, we pay *sincere respect* for the gift of our Lord's Body and Blood in the Most Holy Eucharist even when we are dealing with the drops in the chalice or the particles in the ciborium after Holy Communion. Whether the priest cleanses the vessels at the altar or if they are cleansed after Mass in the Sacristy, it is a careful process such that *sincere respect* is shown for the gift of Our Lord's Body which we receive at Mass.

- Fr. Justin

## PARISH COLLECTION SUMMARY

**July 1, 2021 through October 3, 2021**

Budgeted Revenue:     \$621,000  
Actual Revenue:        \$640,539  
Variance or (shortfall): \$19,539

## OUR DEARLY DEPARTED

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

**Steve Anderson, Rosemary Fortunato, Dawn Pass,  
Jim Pollard, George Zasada & Bonney Zimmer**

## CARE FOR CREATION: GREEN TIP OF THE WEEK

Examine your trash and recycling. How much of your recycling bin is filled with paper bills? Most companies and organizations now have paperless billing/notification options. Time to make the switch.

## MASS INTENTIONS & WEDDING BANS

To view Mass Intentions for the coming week, please visit [hffdl.org/mass\\_schedules/mass-intentions](http://hffdl.org/mass_schedules/mass-intentions).

To view wedding bans, please visit [hffdl.org/mass\\_schedules/wedding-bans](http://hffdl.org/mass_schedules/wedding-bans).

*Did you pick up your Oktoberfest stein?*

Steins from our first Oktoberfest festival are still available for \$7 each at the Parish Office, 271 Fourth Street Way.

*Stop by to pick up your limited edition stein today!*

