

The Good News

Holy Family Catholic Community
271 Fourth Street Way
Fond du Lac, WI 54937
(920) 921-0580 | hffdl.org

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: 8:00 am

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

Catholic Stewardship Appeal kicks off this weekend

The 2022 Catholic Stewardship Appeal will "kick-off" February 5-6 with parishioners Joe and Pam Mand, along with their children, as this year's chairpersons from Holy Family. You will be receiving information on the appeal from the Archdiocese of Milwaukee in the mail soon. Please be generous to this appeal which supports the many ministries of the Archdiocese! Last year, Holy Family Catholic Community exceeded its goal by \$31,190 thanks to the generosity of our parishioners. Please help us do so again! For information on how to donate, visit archmil.org/2021-Catholic-Stewardship-Appeal.htm.

Come to Our Risen Savior Fellowship Breakfast

Our Risen Savior Church will host a Fellowship Breakfast following the 10:00 am Mass on Sunday, February 20. Everyone is invited to come into the Our Risen Savior Church basement, meet new parishioners, catch up with familiar faces, and enjoy a full breakfast!

St. Peter Cemetery Annual Meeting

St. Peter Cemetery will hold its annual meeting at 7:00 pm on Thursday, February 17 in the St. Peter Church Basement. For any questions, contact Ann at 920-948-6330.

FORMED Pick of the Month

Have you ever found yourself wondering why Catholics do what we do during Mass? Do you wonder what the terminology is to describe parts of the Mass? *Elements of the Catholic Mass* is designed to help the faithful better appreciate the beauty of the Mass. This program includes 31 short videos on various aspects of the Mass. A 62-page PDF is available for download to accompany the videos. Go to <https://formed.org/> and search for "Elements of the Catholic Mass" to get started.

Blood drive set for Wednesday

Donate blood and help to save a life at our Holy Family Catholic Community Blood Drive on Wednesday, February 9 from noon to 5:00 pm in Holy Family Hall. Social distancing will be in place, and those who donate are asked to wear masks. Donors will receive a limited-edition pair of Versiti socks while supplies last. To reserve your spot, visit versiti.org/FDL or call 877-BE-A-HERO.

Sign up for fraud safety session

There is still time to sign up for our "Safety Tips to Prevent Fraudulent Activities" session featuring Mary Jo Neumann and guest speaker and retired police officer, David Raddatz, on Monday, February 14 from 10:00 to 11:00 am in Holy Family Hall. To register for the session, call the Parish Office at (920) 921-0580 ext. 301.

Devoted Marriage Retreat

The Archdiocese of Milwaukee's Galilee U is hosting a Devoted Marriage Retreat in Slinger on Saturday, February 19 from 9:00 am to noon at St. Peter's Church (optional Mass at 8:00 am, Adoration and confession at noon). Catholic marriage needs enrichment, renewal, and a deeper understanding of having Christ at the center. Join us for a retreat designed to help married couples of all ages encounter Christ through the beautiful gift of forgiveness in sacramental marriage. Register online: archmil.regfox.com/dmr-feb2022.

Adorers needed for weekly Adoration at Sacred Heart Adoration Chapel

Holy Family Catholic Community is seeking additional adorers to worship in front of the Blessed Sacrament at the Sacred Heart Adoration Chapel. The Chapel is open from 5:00 am to 10:00 pm Monday through Sunday, a number of weekly hour-long windows are available for those interested in taking a scheduled spot. To view open times, please visit hffdl.org/adoration. Contact Lisa Sutton if you would like to become a scheduled adorer at sutton_family01@charter.net or 920-579-2895.

Eucharistic Ministers needed for homebound

Holy Family Catholic Community is looking for volunteers to bring Holy Communion to the homebound in North Fond du Lac. If you are interested, please contact Erin at (920) 921-0580 ext. 301 or ecobb@hffdl.org.

Reserve your SMSA Singing Telegram for Valentine's Day!

Tired of flowers & chocolates? The SMSA Music Department is doing their annual Singing Telegram fundraiser. The high school vocal jazz members dressed in formal attire, will surprise that special recipient & serenade them in song. There is a video option as well. Go to: smsacademy.org/telegram to reserve yours today! Reservations due by February 13.

A letter from your Holy Family priest | Hello from Fr. Alejandro!

Hello,

I am Fr. Alejandro Umul from Guatemala. I belong to the Missionary Fraternity of Mary.

I want to share with you my experience of my vocation to become a priest. When I was 7 years old, I received my first holy communion and became an altar server. Since that day I became close to the priest, and of course, to Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. I was enjoying going to church every Sunday, I could not miss any service. When I was 14 years old, lay missionaries came to my village for Holy Week. Every day they visited the families, and in the evening, met with various groups for catechesis or formation. My house was very small, but we hosted 3 of them. Their testimony inspired me to become a missionary.

When I finished secondary school, I decided that I had to look for an institution where they formed missionaries. A friend from secondary school talked to me about the Missionary Fraternity of Mary, how the seminarians go every weekend to various villages to work and evangelize the people. I went to find out information, and I was given a schedule of vocational retreats, and the retreat of admission. I participated in all of them and finally I was admitted.

I started my formation in 1996. I was excited to go for my first missionary experience. I was sent to a village where travelling included walking for one hour. It was a small village in the south of Guatemala. Every Saturday we could visit families, sharing meals with them. In the evenings, we met the children, then the youth, and finally we had the Liturgy of the Word with the whole community. On Sundays, we visited a couple of families, had catechesis with the children, and at noon we were ready to walk one hour downhill to wait for the bus back to the seminary.

I enjoyed my formation in the classrooms, but I believe that the power that was attracting me to become a priest was the missionary life, the experience of working and sharing with the people.

- Fr. Alejandro

HOLY FAMILY VISION/VISIÓN DE HOLY FAMILY/ "HOLY FAMILY" LUB AEEM MAUG

Disciples in Christ living witness to the good news.

Ser discípulos en Cristo – testigos vivos de la Buena Nueva.

Cov thwj tim hauv leej Pleev ua tim khawv txog lub Moo Zoo.

OUR DEARLY DEPARTED

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

Connie Forester

MEMORIAL DONATIONS

Holy Family has received a donation in honor of:

Charlene Fuiten, Thomas Grebe, Don Huck, Adrian Kaull, Don Kind & Leo Ries

Please keep him and his family in your prayers.

MASS INTENTIONS & WEDDING BANS

To view Mass Intentions for the coming week, please visit hffdl.org/mass_schedules/mass-intentions.

To view wedding bans, please visit hffdl.org/mass_schedules/wedding-bans.

Come to Presentation Adoration

Parishioners young and old are invited to join us for Adoration, Confession, and Mass Thursday nights at Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church.

705 Michigan Ave., North Fond du Lac

6:30 pm: Adoration and Confession | 7:30 pm: Mass

Cor Jesu takes place at Presentation on the first Thursday of the month.

