

The Good News

October 22-23, 2022

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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)
St Peter: 8:30 am
Sacred Heart: 7:00 am (Spanish)
9:00 am | 11:00 am
Our Risen Savior: 10:00 am
Presentation: 10:00 am

Weekday

Monday, Wednesday | St. Mary: 12:10 pm
Tuesday, Thurs., Friday |
Holy Family: 7:00 am
Thursday | Presentation 7:30 pm
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 – 6:30 pm to 7:30 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

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High School and Young Adult Minister, Christian Formation Administrative Assistant needed

Holy Family Catholic Community is now hiring for two positions within the Christian Formation Ministry: a High School and Young Adult Minister, as well as an Administrative Assistant for Christian Formation. The High School and Young Adult Minister will work to cultivate an authentic Christian Formation High School and Young Adult community in the parish and enrich the faith lives of those in that demographic through evangelization. Inspired by their own love of the Catholic faith, the person in this role will coordinate weekly Bible study and other group meetings and religious experiences; meet with young adults one-on-one; and minister to high school students alongside with our High School Coordinator. This full-time position requires the employee to work outside of normal work hours and on weekends. The Administrative Assistant will work with those in the Christian Formation Ministry to organize and support its programs and events. The person in this part-time role will help with background clerical work and record maintenance, including sacraments, as well as coordinate important details for events and work with families receiving the sacrament of Baptism. For application materials and further job descriptions, please visit hffdl.org/jobs.

Volunteer Appreciation Packer Party, November 6

We will host a Volunteer Appreciation Packer Party on Sunday, November 6 in the Holy Family Hall following the 10:00 am Mass. We want to celebrate all of the volunteers from all of our sites. If you volunteer in any capacity at Holy Family Catholic Community, be it as an Usher, Choir Member, Catechist, or with lawn care or bringing Communion to the homebound, we want to celebrate **you and your family!** We will have pizza, snacks, and soda available and the Packer vs. Lions Game playing on the large wall screen in the hall. Door prizes will be drawn at half-time. Come for the fun and encourage other volunteers to join you! Please RSVP by calling the Parish Office at (920) 921-0580 by Thursday, November 3.

Lector books available for pickup

The lector workbooks are available for pickup. Lectors, please pick yours up from the church site where you regularly lector.

Memorial Mass at Holy Family November 6

We will remember parishioners who passed away between October 1, 2021 and September 30, 2022 at the 8:00 am Mass on Sunday, November 6 at Holy Family Church. All are welcome to attend.

Faith Builders Club to begin

Coming up is our first Faith Builders Club for kids. Join us for a quick video lesson and craft to learn about the saints, our Church traditions, and your faith. Our kickoff Faith Builders Club for kids will be on Sunday, October 30 in the Gathering Space at Holy Family right after the 10:00 am Mass. Stay an extra 15 minutes for your kids to learn all about St. Francis of Assisi. This will be targeted to families with kids from Pre-K through 6th grade but all kids are welcome!

Next session for Altar Servers scheduled

The next group formation session for Altar Servers is at 6:00 pm on Monday, November 7 at Holy Family Church. This is for all current, weekend altar servers at all our church sites to attend.

Health Care Worker Mass Sunday, October 30

Holy Family will celebrate and honor all health care workers – those at hospitals, clinics, pharmacies, mental health treatment centers, nursing homes, long-term care facilities, etc. – at Mass on Sunday, October 30 at 10:00 am at Holy Family Church. All health care workers are invited to join us as we pray for their success, safety, and health at this Mass.

Improve your Mobility and Balance with Mary Jo Neumann

Mary Jo Neumann will once again help you gain strength and balance when her six-week Balance and Mobility class returns this week. The class will be held on Mondays from 10:00 to 10:30 am on October 24–November 28. All classes will be held in the Sacred Heart School Gym, except the November 7th session, which will be held at Holy Family. The function of balance and mobility training is to help a person feel safe when moving. Participants should be able to walk without assistive devices, such as canes, walkers, and wheelchairs. Registration is limited. Register by contacting the Parish Office at (920) 921-0580. The program free for parishioners.

Mass Intentions

Monday, October 24

St. Mary (SM) 12:10 pm: John Theis (Anniversary)

Tuesday, October 25

HF 7:00 am: Ella Grace Ford

Wednesday, October 26

SM 12:10 pm: Sandy Will

- Bob DeGuire, Bill DeGuire & Henrietta Bailey
- David Duley
- Mary Kraus
- The Living & Deceased of the Earl & Dolores Hemauer Family

Thursday, October 27

HF 7:00 am: Thomas Kescenovitz

Presentation (P) 7:30 pm: Ervin Muellenbach

Friday, October 28

HF 7:00 am: The Living & Deceased Members of the Fleischman-Jacques Family

Saturday, October 29

P 8:00 am: For the Parishioners

Sacred Heart (SH) 4:00 pm: For the Living & Deceased of the Bernerd & Thelma Volz and Bernerd & Gertrude Kohlman Families

Saturday, October 29 continued

St. Peter 4:00 pm: Lydia Schneider

Holy Family 4:00 pm: Charlotte Ford

Sunday, October 30

SH 7:00 am (Spanish): Rev. Charles Henry Wester

SM 7:15 am: Rev. Larry Floyd Briske

HF 8:00 am: Charlene & Wilmer Fuiten

- Ann Sadowski (Anniversary), Alysia Sadowski, and Victor & Frances Schneider
- Florence Melichar
- Agnes Hermanns
- Jerome Koenig

St. Peter 8:30 am: The Living & Deceased

Members of the Victor Braun Family

SH 9:00 am: The Living & Deceased Members of

the Ben & Catherine Merkel Family

HF 10:00 am: AnnMarie Flood

P 10:00 am: Jack Webb

ORS 10:00 am: Robert Hilbert (Anniversary)

SH 11:00 am: Mary Hoffmann (Anniversary)

HF (Spanish) 12:00 pm: Rev. Thomas Aquin

LeMieux

A letter from your priest | "To pray without ceasing"

If you think back to last Sunday's Gospel, you will remember that Jesus told the parable of the persistent widow in order to encourage His disciples to pray without ceasing. Jesus' parable was making the case that, if a dishonest judge who neither fears God nor respects any human being is, at the end of the day, willing to listen to a persistent widow, then how much more are we to believe that when we pray to our Heavenly Father our prayers will be heard. To pray without ceasing is to keep a consistent recollection and attention to our relationship with God allowing us to hear His answer to our prayers which can be: "yes," "no," or "wait" according to His will (c.f. Romans 8:28). Prayer conforms our will to His and is the school of learning to trust Him.

The parable we heard in today's Gospel follows immediately from the parable we heard last week. Thus, the parable of the self-righteous Pharisee and the humbled tax-collector complement and complete, if you will, the parable we heard last week. If last week Jesus was correcting those who did not trust in God, then this week Jesus is correcting those who place their trust in themselves.

The parable is straightforward. The Pharisee's prayer reveals a pretentious heart. The verbs have the Pharisee as the subject. *I fast...I give...*, he says. Moreover, the Pharisee's prayer primarily has his neighbor as the object and his exaltation over them. After naming who he is not like: *the greedy, dishonest, and adulterous*, the Pharisee then points to a tax-collector saying, *I am not even like this tax-collector*. The tax-collector, on the other hand, keeps God as the object of His prayer and the subject of the verb. *O God, be merciful to me, a sinner*.

The Pharisee lives in a very small world, the tax-collector audaciously sets his sights higher. If our examination of conscience is only a comparison between ourselves and the rest of sinful humanity (which we are all members of) then we relegate ourselves to being a big fish in a little pond. A fish stuck there cannot grow. On the other hand, while humbly recognizing our sin can reveal the distance between us and God, if it is grounded in the confidence that God hears our prayer (c.f. above), then this gap becomes space in which we can continue to grow. That is the adventure of the Christian life. There is no limit to how much our love of God and our neighbor can grow.

-Fr. Justin

PARISH COLLECTION SUMMARY
July 1, 2022 through September 18, 2022

Budgeted Revenue: \$535,000
Actual Revenue: \$546,384
Over (Under) Budget: \$11,384

OUR DEARLY DEPARTED

May their souls, and the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace:
Joseph Golichnik, Theresa Schneider & Susan Witkowski

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MONTHLY BRUNCH

The Knights of Columbus will offer its monthly brunch on Sunday, October 30 at Avenue 795, 795 Fond du Lac Avenue, from 11:00 am to 2:00 pm. The brunch features assorted breakfast foods and lunch options, a salad and dessert bar, and a made-to-order omelet station. For more information please contact Avenue 795 at (920) 921-1290.

MEMORIAL DONATIONS

Holy Family has received a donation in memory of:
Carl Frazier, Tom Meyers & Mary Schultz
Please keep them and their family in your prayers.

WEDDING BANS

October 21, 2022

October 29, 2022

Hunter Kollman & Hailey Cramer
at Holy Family Church

David Keran & Samantha Streblov
at Holy Family Church

ST. PETER ALTAR SOCIETY TO MEET

The St. Peter Altar Society will meet on Monday, October 31 in the St. Peter Church basement. We will pray the rosary at 6:30 pm and begin our meeting at 7:00. All are welcome.

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