

The Good News

September 30 - October 1, 2023

26th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Holy Family Catholic Community

271 Fourth Street Way

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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

Thursday

Presentation - 6:30 - 7:15 pm

with Adoration

Friday

St. Mary - 7:00-8:00 pm primarily

in Spanish 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

Sunday

9:00 to 9:45 am at Our Risen Savior

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Holy Family Christian Women to meet October 2

The October meeting of Holy Family Christian Women will be held at 6:00 pm on Monday, October 2 in Holy Family Hall. The night will start by praying the Rosary, followed by the meeting, snacks, and games. Please wear your favorite fall or Halloween costume.

First Friday Mass at 9:00 am on October 6

All are invited to attend the First Friday Mass at Sacred Heart Church on October 6. We will pray the Rosary from 8:30 to 9:00 am, followed by Mass and the Litany of the Sacred Heart of Christ.

Pet Blessing on Saturday, October 7

In honor of Saint Francis of Assisi's feast day, all pets are welcome to come to the Presentation Church parking lot on Saturday, October 7 following the 8:00 am Mass to receive a blessing!

Oktoberfest is almost here!

There will be plenty of fun for everyone at Oktoberfest this Saturday, October 7! The festivities will kick off at 4:00 pm with Mass at Holy Family Church. Around 5:00 pm, we will head into the Prayer Garden, where you can taste a variety of food, such as delectable desserts and traditional German and Hispanic fare, as well as sip on various beers. People young and old will find something to enjoy, including giant Connect Four, a Makers Market, inflatable obstacle course, petting zoo, basket raffle, balloon animals, and live music from Dorf Kapelle! At 8:15 pm, come into Holy Family Hall for trivia with a cash prize! Free admission. Food, drink, raffle tickets available for purchase.

Pray for Public Safety Officials at Blue Mass on October 8

All those in the public safety field are invited to attend Holy Family's Blue Mass at 10:00 am on Sunday, October 8 at Holy Family Church. The Mass will honor all those who protect our community in the public safety field and pray for their protection. Those who attend are encouraged to wear their uniforms and have a flag representing their agency in the Gathering Space. People of all faiths are welcome! A social with refreshments will follow.

Faith Builders Club for Kids to talk St. Therese of Lisieux

Parents are invited to join their child to learn about St. Therese of Lisieux at our Faith Builders Club for Kids following the 10:00 am Mass at Holy Family on Sunday, October 8! In about 15 minutes, children will learn more about their faith and make a fun craft to take home!

Unite Our Nation Eucharistic Procession & Rosary Rally

Pray for our country during our Eucharistic Procession and Rosary Rally at 2:00 pm Sunday, October 8. The Procession with the Blessed Sacrament will begin at St. Mary and end at Veterans Park on the corner of Main Street and Western Avenue. In the event of inclement weather, the rally will take place at St. Mary Church.

Widows Welcoming Widows to host game day

Widows Welcoming Widows will meet at 2:00 pm on Tuesday, October 10 in Holy Family Hall. This is a game day, so please bring your favorite game/cards and "dress to clash/not to match" (in the spirit of Halloween). Any questions, please call Kathy at (920) 904-1065 or Joanne at (920) 904-5521.

Learn more about the experience of the homeless at screening of *The Invisible Class*

Holy Family, in conjunction with the Fond du Lac Area United Way and Marian University, will present a screening of *The Invisible Class* at 5:30 pm on Monday, October 9 at the Marian University Stayer Center, located near the corner of Second Street and National Avenue. Join us to see what it looks like to be homeless in America and to learn about its systemic causes.

Altar Server Training set for October 14

We will offer Altar Server training from 8:00 to 10:00 am on Saturday, October 14 at Holy Family for any children who are new to Altar Serving or who are in need of a refresher. This is open to boys and girls in the 3rd grade or older that are interested in serving for Saturday or Sunday Masses at any of our church sites. All young disciples of Christ - siblings, cousins, grandchildren, or friends - whose families are parishioners are all welcome!

Mass Intentions

Monday, October 2

St. Mary (SM) 12:10 pm: Alec Hufford and the Living & Deceased Members of the Cayen & Hufford Families

Tuesday, October 3

HF 7:00 am: Fr. Ron Smith

Wednesday, October 4

SM 12:10 pm: Sr. Celenia S.Sp.S.

- The Living & Deceased of the Art Lyness Family
- Judah Krohn
- The Living & Deceased of the Warren & Lucille Francis and the Norm & Phyllis Radtke Families
- Rusty Butzen
- Bob Landreman
- Margie Jackl

Thursday, October 5

HF 7:00 am: Vincent & Monica Haessly

Presentation (P) 7:30 pm: Edwin Uban

Friday, October 6

HF 7:00 am: David Kescenovitz

Sacred Heart (SH) 9:00 am: John & Amanda

Zinthefer (Wedding Anniversary)

Saturday, October 7 continued

P 8:00 am: Charlotte Halverson

Saturday, October 7 continued

Sacred Heart 4:00 pm: Helen Nett

- Laura Havey & Jane Havey
- The Living & Deceased Members of the McGuire and Hoepfner Families
- The Living & Deceased of the Bob Lang Family
- The Living & Deceased of the David & JoAnn King Family
- Rock Matera
- The Robert & Mary Jean Krueger Family

Saint Peter (SP) 4:00 pm: Herbie Stephanie & Esther Freund

HF 4:00 pm: Waclawa Wodecka (Anniversary)

Sunday, October 8

SH (Spanish) 7:00 am: For the Parishioners

SM 7:15 am: Elizabeth Koenigs

HF 8:00 am: Jeannine Guilfoile (Anniversary)

SP 8:30 am: June Kraus

SH 9:00 am: Benno Wagner & Orville Ruplinger

P 10:00 am: Paul Jasman

ORS 10:00 am: Michael & Ethel Andrew

HF 10:00 am: William Hoepfner

SH 11:00 am: Martin O'Hearn Jr. & Sheila

O'Hearn-Radke

HF(Spanish) 12:00 pm: For the Parishioners

Dear Holy Family Catholic Community Parishioner(s),

I am very happy to share with you that come November 15, the Holy Family Warming Shelter will open in Fond du Lac, ready to serve those most in need in our community. Earlier this month, we received permission from the City of Fond du Lac to move forward with the shelter at its location on East First Street. Since then, we have begun renovations to convert what was formerly office space into a place of warmth and safety for those who are homeless. Already, we are seeing great progress!

Following our announcement about the shelter, we received an outpouring of support from both parishioners like you and the greater Fond du Lac community. Just last week, St. Mary's Springs Academy elementary school families raised money to make meals for the shelter through their Homecoming Week Penny War, collecting more than \$2,600 in donations. We have also received grants and donations from local organizations, as well as donations from our parishioners. This month, area churches will launch their own drives to raise money for the shelter. This support is remarkable, and a true testament to the care and generosity of Fond du Lac.

To address an issue like homelessness requires the work of a community, and our parish is an integral part of that. I would like to thank the many parishioners who have already stepped forward to help the shelter, be it through volunteering or making a donation. You have not only our deepest gratitude, but that of the Fond du Lac community's as well. If you have not done so already, we ask that you consider supporting the Holy Family Warming Shelter in whatever way you can. We are currently looking for volunteers, meal donations, and monetary donations, as well as contributions via our [Amazon Wish List](#). You can also donate to our upcoming **Sock Drive taking place at our Oktoberfest event on Saturday, October 7**. When you come to Oktoberfest at Holy Family Church (Mass at 4:00 pm, festival at 5:00 pm), we ask that you bring along a pack of warm socks, ankle-length or above, which will be used by guests of the Holy Family Warming Shelter. If you are unable to attend the event, we will also accept donations at our Parish Office. To learn more about how you can become involved, please visit hffdl.org/warming-shelter or use the QR code below.

Every sock and every cent collected counts, and together they will make a huge difference in our efforts to care for those in need.

God bless,
Fr. Matthew Kirk



BLOOD DRIVE OCTOBER 11

Help to save lives by donating blood at our Holy Family Blood Drive on Wednesday, October 11 from noon to 5:00 pm in Holy Family Hall, 271 Fourth Street Way. Sign up today at bit.ly/holyfamilycatholicoct11 or by calling 877-232-4376. Those who donate will receive a pair of Versiti Halloween socks while supplies last.

OUR DEARLY DEPARTED

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

**David Balthazor, Charlene Gau, Constance Keys,
Doris King & Fr. Edward Sippel**

September 22, 2023

Trenten Hauser & Sarah Mereness
at Holy Family



WEDDING BANS



September 23, 2023

Marcelino Gomez & Belsis Perez
at Holy Family

October 7, 2023

Ryan Theisen & Lindsay Jo Vander Grinten
at Holy Family

October 7, 2023

Paul Steininger & Rosalba Steininger
at Sacred Heart

MILWAUKEE ARCHDIOCESE COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN FALL MEETING

The Milwaukee Archdiocese Council of Catholic Women Fall Meeting will be held on Thursday, October 12 in Holy Family Parish Hall, 271 Fourth St. Way, Fond du Lac. Registration and continental breakfast will begin at 8:30 am, followed by the business meeting. The day will include a talk from Patty King on the subject of Eucharist Miracles, Mass at 11:00 am, and a luncheon to follow. Reservations are due by October 9 to Charmaine Jenkins by calling (920) 251-1440. Cost is \$10 per person.

Thank you for your donation to Holy Family! Please support those who support our parish:

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