

The Good News

November 11-12, 2023

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Holy Family Catholic Community

271 Fourth Street Way

Fond du Lac, WI 54937

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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 to offer showing of Lifemark

Holy Family will show the movie *Lifemark* on Thursday, November 16 at 6:00 pm in Holy Family Hall. This film follows a young man who learns that his birth mother almost aborted him, but instead chose to give him up for adoption. Fr. Kevin will answer questions and lead a short discussion session.

Grief Share: Surviving the Holidays

Are you or someone you know grieving? The holiday season can be difficult for those who have lost a loved one. To help you through this time, Holy Family will host Grief Share's "Surviving the Holidays" seminar from 4:00-5:00 pm on Wednesday, November 15 at Holy Family. Call (920) 921-0580 ext. 305 or email mdenzin@hffdl.org to sign up.

Select a tag from Advent Giving Tree, make a child's Christmas

Share the joy of giving this season by purchasing a gift for a child on the Holy Family Advent Giving Tree. Beginning Saturday, November 18 you can select a tag from the tree at one of our Holy Family sites and return it along with your unwrapped gift by Sunday, December 3 to the site from which you selected your tag. If you are homebound, you can call the Parish Office at (920) 921-0580 to have a staff member select a gift for you, and then send the gift directly to the Parish Office. Volunteers are needed to transport gifts from Holy Family Church to Fairgrounds at 9:00 am on December 7. Call (920) 921-0580 ext. 301 if interested.

Thank you for your continued generosity to our Christmas Flowers Donations

Every year, your donations help us to decorate our churches at Christmas with beautiful flowers. If you would like to donate to these flowers in memory or in honor of someone, we invite you to send in your donation with the names of those you wish to honor/remember listed in or on the envelope. If you receive weekly donation envelopes from our parish, you can use the included envelope for Christmas Flowers to make your donation. Please have all donations to us by Monday, December 11 to be included on our Christmas Remembrances listing here in *The Good News*.

Find the true meaning of Christmas at The Living Nativity

Celebrate the meaning of the Christmas season at our Living Nativity on Sunday, December 3 at 4:00 pm at Holy Family Church. This re-telling of the first Christmas will feature live animals, beautiful music from our choirs and a brass quintet, and your fellow Holy Family parishioners! Tickets are going fast! Get yours now at hometowntickets.com/hf or the Parish Office for \$12 each plus tax. Children age 3 and under are free, but still must reserve a seat.

Do good with your IRA by donating to Holy Family

If you are age 70.5 and older and would like to make a tax-free distribution up to \$100,000 to our parish from your individual retirement account, please consider End of Year Qualified Charitable Distribution (QCD). Not only can you do good with your donation to the parish, but you can also possibly receive significant tax savings and lower your overall tax liability. To learn more and see if you are eligible, please contact Michelle at the Parish Office at ext. 104 or michelle@hffdl.org.

Now hiring for Director of Worship

We are now hiring for our Director of Worship position. Responsible for the liturgical life of the six churches within the parish, the Director of Worship will give particular attention to sacred music in our worship of the Lord. In collaboration with parishioners and the priest team, the Director of Worship will work to maintain the liturgical norms of the parish and to manifest the parish's vision for the liturgical year and season, as well sacramental celebrations. This person will plan music for all liturgies, coordinate schedules for musicians and liturgical ministers, direct and accompany multiple parish choirs, and lead the music at 2-3 weekend Masses, as well as on Holy Days and holidays. For an expanded job description and application materials, please visit hffdl.org/jobs. Please send a resume and the completed Archdiocese of Milwaukee application to Director of Finance and Human Resources Ellen Kant at ellenk@hffdl.org.

Thanksgiving Mass, Parish Office closure

Join us to give thanks to our Lord this Thanksgiving at our Thanksgiving Mass at 9:00 am on November 23 at Holy Family. The Parish Office will be closed November 22-24 for the holiday.

Mass Intentions

Monday, November 13

St. Mary (SM) 12:10 pm: Margaret Kelly, Patrick Wyer, Eleanor Wengert, Gail Welter & John Barouski

Tuesday, November 14

Holy Family (HF) 7:00 am: Janet Switlick

Wednesday, November 15

SM 12:10 pm: Leo & Antonia Sippel

Thursday, November 16

HF 7:00 am: Louis & Michael Romuald
Presentation (P) 7:30 pm: Ron Schmitz

Friday, November 17

HF 7:00 am: Laura Fox-Thomas

Saturday, November 18

P 8:00 am: Fr. Ed Sippel

HF 4:00 pm: Ervin & Dorothy Klumpyan

St. Peter (SP) 4:00 pm: Adrian Kaull

- Greg, Irene & Danell Halfmann, Herbie Stephanie, and Esther Freund

- Joan Schmitz

- Gerry & Diane Hodkiewicz

- For the 100th birthday of Julitta Bertram

- Rose Roehrig

- Rita Kugler & the Bergman and Lamers Families

Saturday, November 18

Sacred Heart (SH) 4:00 pm: Lucille Kaslauskas & Family

Sunday, November 19

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

SM 7:15 am: Tom Francis (Anniversary)

HF 8:00 am: Pat & Fran Brux

- Bob Pittler

- Thomas Kescenovitz

- Richard & Isabelle Schingen

- John Broennimann

- Marion Steffes

- Jenna Razner

SP 8:30 am: Rodney Brajdic & Dawn Smyre

SH 9:00 am: Eugene Smet

P 10:00 am: Jack Webb

ORS 10:00 am: Mary Ann & Robert Giebel

HF 10:00 am: Brian & Kevin Ruch and the

Deceased Members of the Eileen & Ambrose Liner Family

SH 11:00 am: For the Parishioners

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

Dear Friends,

A letter from your Holy Family Priest | "The souls of the faithful departed"

Praised be Jesus Christ!

In these hallowed days of November, the Church invites us to turn our gaze not only to the Lord, but also to the souls of the faithful departed, those members of our families, friends, and fellow parishioners whom we have loved and lost, both recently, and throughout our lives.

Often at funeral Masses, the same second reading that we hear proclaimed this weekend is also proclaimed on that occasion, as Saint Paul summons us to lay claim to our sure and certain hope in the Cross and Resurrection of Our Lord Jesus Christ.

While our hope is certain, unceasing is our responsibility to pray for those departed souls, both known and unknown to us. The Church even counts this as one of the spiritual works of mercy!

Within our local community, we are blessed with many beautiful cemeteries where many of our family members and friends – those holy souls – now await the Lord's own *word of command*.

Especially before the snow begins to fall again, these November weeks offer us the perfect opportunity to make a pilgrimage to those places to pray for the ones who sleep there in peace.

If you are unable to visit one of the cemeteries connected to our own parish, like Saint Charles in Fond du Lac, Saint John the Baptist in Woodhull, Saint Mary in Eldorado, or Saint Peter in Saint Peter, consider offering your own Mass intention or another act of penance or prayer for those holy souls this month.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen. And may their souls, and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Very truly yours,
Fr. Michael J. Malucha

<p style="text-align: center;">PARISH COLLECTION SUMMARY July 1, 2023 through October 22, 2023</p> <p>Budgeted Revenue: \$782,000 Actual Revenue: \$822,879 Over (Under) Budget: \$40,879</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">OUR DEARLY DEPARTED</p> <p style="text-align: center;">May their souls, and the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Ken Krueger, Dan Reinhold, Sharleen Sawyer & Vernon Steffes</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">WIDOWS WELCOMING WIDOWS TO MEET TUESDAY</p> <p>Widows Welcoming Widows will meet Nov. 14 at 2:00 pm in Holy Family Hall. This is a day filled with thankfulness for the Holy Family Warming Shelter and Thanksgiving thoughts to share. We will be collecting non-perishable finger foods for breakfasts at the Warming Shelter, such as juice boxes, and individually wrapped breakfast or granola bars (foods that can be eaten on the go).</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">OUR RISEN SAVIOR FELLOWSHIP, CHANGE TO CONFESSION</p> <p>On Sunday, November 19, there will be no confessions offered at the 10:00 am Mass at Our Risen Savior. However, following the 10:00 am Mass that day, we will host a fellowship with a hot breakfast and desserts. On Sunday, December 3, there will be a St. Nicholas fellowship featuring St. Nick, homemade pies. and desserts. Come join us for good food and fellowship!</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">ADVENT PRIEST TALKS</p> <p>Join our Holy Family Priest Team as they share the virtues of the Holy Family that we can seek to emulate in our own lives. Talks will take place Tuesdays from 6:30-7:30 pm at Sacred Heart Church, November 28-December 19. Treats will follow. For more information, please visit hffdl.org/adult.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">WEDDING BANS</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p>November 18, 2023 Dixon Castillo & Bianca Ramirez at Holy Family</p>  </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p>November 25, 2023 Silvestre Maldonado & Miriam Facundo at Holy Family</p>  </div> </div>
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