

# The Good News

July 20-21, 2024

16th 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  
Marian University: 5:00 pm

### *Weekday*

Monday & Friday | Sacred Heart: 12:00 pm  
Monday - Friday | Holy Family: 7:00 am  
Wednesday | Marian University: 12:00 pm  
Wednesday | Sacred Heart: 6:00 pm  
Saturday | Holy Family: 8:00 am

## RECONCILIATION SCHEDULE

### *Monday - Friday*

Following 7:00 am Mass at Holy Family

### *Monday, Friday*

11:15 to 11:45 am at Sacred Heart

### *Wednesday*

11:15 to 11:45 am at Marian University  
5:00 pm at Sacred Heart

### *Friday*

7:00 to 7:45 pm at St. Mary (Spanish)

### *Saturday*

After 8:00 am Mass at Holy Family  
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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## Beware scamming attempts

Recently, parishioners shared with us that they received text messages from someone posing as Fr. Ryan Pruess, asking for assistance, specifically financial assistance in the form of gift cards. These messages are scams. Holy Family clergy and staff will never initiate an email, call, or text to request gift cards, or bank account/credit card information. If you receive such a message or call, please do not reply, but delete it immediately. If you have any questions about a call or message, contact the Parish Office at (920) 921-0580 to verify if the communication is real.

## Sacred Heart Mass time to change for August 9

On Friday, August 9, the Mass at Sacred Heart Church will take place at 1:00 pm rather than noon. We thank you for your understanding.

## Liturgical Minister Retreat August 10

Calling all Liturgical Ministers! You are invited to join us for our Liturgical Ministry Retreat on Saturday, August 10 at Holy Family Church. This retreat is for all Sacristans, Lectors, Greeters, Ushers, Liturgical Musicians, Choir Members, Communion Distributors, and Altar Servers. The day will begin at 8:00 am with Mass, followed by enrichment and formation by Bishop Sklba. A light breakfast and lunch will be provided. We expect the retreat to end around noon. To attend, please RSVP by Tuesday, August 3 at [hffdl.org/event/liturgical-ministry-retreat/](https://hffdl.org/event/liturgical-ministry-retreat/).

## Back to School FDL School Supply Drive now underway

You can help more than 2,000 Fond du Lac County children go to school with the supplies they need by donating our to Back to School FDL Supply Drive July 20-August 4! This drive benefits the Back to School FDL program, which is a community effort to help students throughout Fond du Lac County. If you would like to contribute to this effort, Holy Family is collecting: 1-inch binders, colored pencils, composition notebooks, Crayola washable markers, crayons, dry erase markers, folders, glue/glue sticks, graph paper, wide-ruled looseleaf paper, no. 2 pencils, pencil bags (plain colors), black or blue pens, rulers, pointed 7-inch scissors, 3x3 Post-It notes, Sharpie markers, and spiral notebooks (plain colors). Please drop off all donations in boxes at Sacred Heart and Holy Family by **August 4**. Thank you for your support!

## Grief Share support group to return in September

Are you struggling with grief? Holy Family will host "Grief Share," a 13-week support group and seminar designed to help people rebuild their lives after loss. The group will meet Mondays, beginning September 9 from 4:00 to 5:30 pm in the Holy Family Board Room. Those interested in joining the group must register but can join the program after the start date. To sign up, please email Mary at [mdenzin@hffdl.org](mailto:mdenzin@hffdl.org)

## Men's Group Gathering at Holy Family Rectory July 31

On Wednesday, July 31, the men of Holy Family can enjoy a night of fraternity at the Holy Smokes Men's Group Gathering from 6:00 to 9:00 pm at the Holy Family Rectory, W4587 Fourth Street Road. The night will begin with evening prayer at 6:00 pm, followed by food and drinks at 6:15 pm. Holy Smokes gatherings will take place throughout the summer, including on August 28 and September 25.

## Blood Drive on August 7

You can help ensure local patients in Wisconsin area hospitals receive the blood products they need daily by donating blood at the Holy Family Blood Drive on Wednesday, August 7 from 12:00 to 5:00 pm in Holy Family Hall. All attempting donors can enjoy a \$50 off coupon on the Wilderness Resort while supplies last. To make an appointment, at <https://tinyurl.com/hfcc8724> or call 877-232-4376.

## *Mass Intentions*

### Monday, July 22

**Holy Family (HF) 7:00 am:** August Musso (Anniversary) and Mary Musso

**Sacred Heart (SH) 12:00 pm:** Terry Trent

### Tuesday, July 23

**HF 7:00 am:** Gerald Wagner (Anniversary)

### Wednesday, July 24

**HF 7:00 am:** The Living & Deceased of the Harvey & Rose Petrie Family

**Marian University (MU) 12:00 pm:** Bill Lewis

**SH 6:00 pm:** Patrick Wyer (Anniversary)

### Thursday, July 25

**HF 7:00 am:** Joan Schmitz

### Friday, July 26

**HF 7:00 am:** Ann Korb and Dr. Michael A. Korb

**SH 12:00 pm:** Repose of the Soul of Julie Hemaer

### Saturday, July 27

**HF 8:00 am:** Martin & Mary Schultz (Anniversary)

**SH 4:00 pm:** David McCullen and Thomas McCullen

- John and Cecilia Scannel
- The Deceased of Gerald Mand
- Margaret Schmitz
- Helen Heimerl
- Repose of the Soul of Dennis Seefeld
- Harvey Petrie

**St. Peter (SP) 4:00 pm:** Lillian Wagner-Kraus

**HF 4:00 pm:** Patricia Wilkum

- Specialist John O. Tollefson
- Rosalia & Manfred Grau, Sr. Jean Steffes, and John Louis Steffes
- JoAnn Mischo
- Christopher Holmes
- Steve Baseley

### Sunday, July 28

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

**St. Mary 7:15 am:** The Living & Deceased Members of the Peter & Patty McGalloway Family

**HF 8:00 am:** Carol Klamrowski

**SP 8:30 am:** B.W., E.W., A.K. D.K. and John Halcovich

**SH 9:00 am:** Roger Gonzalez

**Presentation 10:00 am:** The Living & Deceased of the Rose & Edgar Andrew Family

**Our Risen Savior 10:00 am:** The Poor Souls in Purgatory

**HF 10:00 am:** Richard & Isabelle Schingen

**SH 11:00 am:** The Living & Deceased of the Marvin & Jacquie Fleischman Family

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

**MU 5:00 pm:** For the Marian University Community

## A Letter from your Holy Family Priest | The Good Shepherd

Dear Parishioners,

My name is Fr. Kevin Durand. I am the newest priest here at Holy Family, having been ordained since only May 18th of this year. It has been a tremendous joy to be here, and I've already begun to feel very much a part of the wonderful community here. Thank you for your warm welcome and your genuine goodness. I grew up in Waterford, WI, and am the oldest of six children. My parents gave us the great gift of faith, and I'm so grateful to them for it. I graduated from Catholic Central High School in Burlington in 2011, and then from Ave Maria University in 2015. After graduation, I worked for a few years in Waukesha before entering St. Francis de Sales Seminary in Milwaukee. I lived the last six years there, while serving at Holy Trinity & St. Michael's in Kewaskum on the weekends. Those six years were a tremendous gift to me, as it was then that God began to form a priestly heart in me. I hope to bring the sense of belonging and joy that I received at St. Francis here to Fond du Lac, and to serve you faithfully as a priest.

In this week's readings, sheep are frequently referenced. Maybe you've heard a group of people dismissed as "sheep" before. It has always struck me as a rather odd insult. What makes a sheep a sheep? Well, famously, a sheep follows a shepherd. When one dismisses another as a "sheep" they mean to say that they follow another stupidly, or without thinking. It is another way of saying someone is easily duped, or fooled into following another's way. Yet this perspective is really rather cynical. Of course, there are bad shepherds - the first reading leaves no doubt about it. Yet the Lord does not dismiss the role of sheep or shepherds as inherently bad. On the contrary, Our Lord calls Himself the Good Shepherd, and He calls His people, "the sheep of his flock." We do not follow an ordinary shepherd. We do not follow a leader who wavers, gets emotional, makes rash decisions, retaliates, or harbors resentment. We follow the Good Shepherd, who refreshes our souls. Cynicism is foreign to Christianity. We have no need of it. We are never led astray by the Lord, for He is the Way, the Truth, and the Life. He is the Good Shepherd.

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Durand

### PARISH COLLECTION SUMMARY

**July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024**

Budgeted Revenue: \$2,941,700  
Actual Revenue: \$3,123,289  
Over (Under) Budget: \$181,598

### OUR DEARLY DEPARTED

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

**Patrick Feiereisen, David Haack & Joseph Pflum**

### MEMORIAL DONATIONS

Holy Family has received a donation in memory of:

**Jim Baldauf, Stephen Baseley, Julitta Bertram, Richard Dieter, Mary Gilgenbach, Helen Heimerl, Tom Hierl, Kathleen Holterman, Dr. John Lent, Verona Martin, Harvey Petrie, Joe Schmitz, Joe Thome, Joan Wendt & Jim Westphal**

Please keep them and their families in your prayers.

### NO HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP JULY 24

While our Holy Family High School Youth Group typically meets the second and fourth Wednesday of each month, please note the group will not meet on the fourth Wednesday this month, July 24.

### WEDDING BANS

July 13, 2024  
Riley Behnke & Allison Dorn  
Holy Family

July 20, 2024  
Charles Hauge & Erin Cole  
Marquette University

August 2, 2024  
Nicole Wittkopp & Thomas Rocko  
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