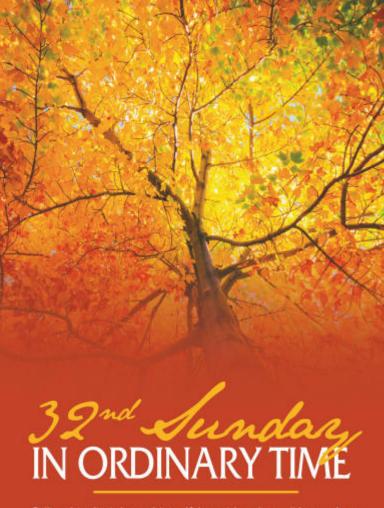
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Welcome to Holy Family Parish!

You are a stranger but once; you are a child of God, redeemed by our Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ. We bid you welcome in His name. Through our loving and praying family may you find friendship, peace and serenity in His house.

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Calling his disciples to himself, he said to them, "Amen, I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury." - Mk 12:43

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass @2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

November 7, 2021 • 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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AROUND THE ALTAR

Monday – Nov 8 Weekday Wig 1:1-7/Ps 139:15-3, 4-6, 7-8, 9-10 [245]/[k 17

Wis 1:1-7/Ps 139:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8, 9-10 [24b]/Lk 17:1-6

Tuesday – Nov 9 Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9 [5]/1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22

*8:15 am †Virginia Huhnke by Katie & Dane Kasper

Wednesday – Nov 10 St. Leo the Great School Mass - Masks Required Wis 6:1-11/Ps 82:3-4, 6-7 [8a]/Lk 17:11-19

*8:15 am †Mike Kabara by Len & Dianne Stecklein

Thursday – Nov 11 St. Martin of Tours

Wis 7:22b-8:1/Ps 119:89, 90, 91, 130, 135, 175 [89a]/Lk 17:20-25 *7:00 am †Paul & Mona Petrykowski by Family

Friday – Nov 12 St. Josaphat

Wis 13:1-9/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5ab [2a]/Lk 17:26-37 *7:00 am †Earl Jaeger by his daughters

Saturday – Nov 13 St. Frances Xavier Cabrini

Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9/Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43 [5a]/Lk 18:1-8 4:30 pm †Mary Borman by Penny Kelsey

Sunday – Nov 14 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dn 12:1-3/Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 [1]/Heb 10:11-14, 18/Mk 13:24-32 8:00 am People of Holy Family 10:30 am †Paul & Mona Petrykowski by Family

* These weekday Masses are in the Church

Weekday Masses are offered four days a week at both Holy Family and St. Robert Masses at Holy Family are at 8:15 am on Tuesday & Wednesday, 7:00 am on Thursday & Friday in the church Masses at St. Robert are at 7:00 am on Tuesday & Wednesday, 8:15 am on Thursday & Friday in the church The weekend Mass schedule at St. Robert is Saturday at 4:30 pm; Sunday at 8:30 am, 11:00 am and 5:30 pm

PARISH NEWS AND NOTES

National Vocations Awareness Week November 7-13

During this week, please pray for vocations, and pray about how God is calling you to live your vocation more deeply. Encourage the young people in your life – children, grandchildren, students, and friends to be open if God calls them to the priesthood or religious life. For more information about vocation events or discernment resources visit <u>thinkpriest.org</u> or contact the Vocation Office at <u>vocationoffice@sfs.edu</u>.



Volunteer Tutors Needed

Help at-risk students in Milwaukee schools strengthen reading and math skills. Tutors are needed during the school day, after school, and on Saturday morning. Orientation is provided. Please contact Laura Harvancik at 262-787-1018 or visit

risingstars@ssndcp.org. Rising Stars is a supported ministry of the School Sisters of Notre Dame.

RESURRECTION TO NEW LIFE

In your prayers please remember Michael Koerner, whom God has called into eternity.



Early Bulletin Deadlines

The upcoming holiday season will mean early printing deadlines for most of the Sunday bulletins through January 2nd. Please note:

- The deadline to submit articles for the November 21 bulletin, usually noon on Monday, November 15, is now noon on Friday, November 12
- Articles for the November 28 bulletin, usually due by noon on Monday, November 22, are now due by noon on Friday, November 19
- The deadlines for Sunday, December 5 & 12 remain unchanged at noon on the preceding Monday
- Articles for the December 19 bulletin, usually due by noon on Monday, December 13, are now due by noon on Friday, December 10
- Articles for the December 26 bulletin, usually due by noon on Monday, December 20, are now due by noon on Thursday, December 16.
- Articles for the January 2 bulletin, usually due by noon on Monday, December 27, are now due by noon on Wednesday, December 22.

Bulletin articles should be sent to holyfam@hfparish.org.



As I wrote this, I was preparing to return to the United States after assisting as a chaplain for a pilgrimage to France - a long delayed one. I was invited while at my old parish assignment, and as many things were, this one was delayed because of COVID. Thankfully, it was rescheduled and I was able to attend, getting back home on October 26th. Amid being tired and jet lagged, I also am beginning to reflect upon the various experiences.

The theme of the trip was to walk in the footsteps of female saints of France, among them St. Joan of Arc, St. Therese of Lisieux, St. Bernadette of Lourdes, St. Catherine Laboure, St. Louise de Marillac, and others. Some of them had relics we could venerate, such as St. Therese and St. Catherine. Other relics were nowhere to be found, such as Joan of Arc whose relics (that is the ashes after she had been burnt at the stake) were thrown into the Seine River. They were from all generations (15th,

17th, 18th, 19th centuries) and spread out throughout the country. Almost without fail however, they had one thing in common. They were all ordinary people who sought to follow the commandments - namely love of God and neighbor, and not according to their own version of love, but according to the commandments. Love for them was not relative.

Many people in our own day and age, lacking in humility, look at their own lives, and not wishing to change anything, say that the way they live is the norm. Each of these saints, and in fact every saint, asked the brave question that the Lord desires all of us to ask: what do you want of me? What courageous risk do you want me to take? What ways of living and acting do you want me to get rid of? None of these Saints were well received at first. Therese was told she was not very remarkable. Bernadette was disbelieved and mocked by her village and Church leaders. Joan of Arc was arrested and killed. But they were not living for human respect, but out of their integrity of following Jesus whom they loved and his commandments which he himself followed, and asked us ourselves to follow.

There is a temptation when we ask this question which I alluded to above - to ask this question without discernment. We very easily like to see ourselves as the martyr waiting to be canonized, as opposed to seeing ourselves as the little peasant girl (like St. Bernadette) waiting to be called. We can see in the hardships and the injustices we have received in our lives as a burden weighing heavily on us, and say, "look at all that I have done for you God and no one notices or appreciates this!" Instead of reading scripture and the lives of the saints and looking for an insight to align our lives more with the love of God, they mine the scriptures and the tradition of the Church for things that confirm their ways of thinking. In finding it (because the cafeteria style study of faith can justify literally anything) they pronounce themselves sainted, and carry on. Instead of saying "Jesus what do you want from me?" they say, "Jesus, I don't know how you could have done it without me!"

As we reflect on the Gospel for this weekend, I encourage each one of us to listen to ask the Lord in prayer, "what do you want of me" and ask for the courage to make one small step in the path the Lord lays out before us.

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Andrew



A message from your Stewardship Committee

Dear Holy Family Parishioners,

Our annual Stewardship Campaign is underway! Our theme for this year is "Committing To Our Beliefs."

You will be receiving your time, talent, and treasure packet in the mail this week... DO NOT THROW IT AWAY!! Please take time to reflect and pray on your ability to contribute to your parish community. Then bring your completed packets to Mass on Commitment weekend, November 13th and 14th.

Thank you for your time and consideration in devoting your skills and resources to our parish.

Parish Trustee Election

Wisconsin law requires that every parish have two trustees, each serving a two-year renewable term. They serve as the legal Board for the parish along with the pastor, the Archbishop and the Vicar General of the Archdiocese. They must be registered parish members, practicing Catholics, and at least 25 years old. Our current trustees are Bob Kowalsky and Bob Roenitz. Bob Kowalsky has served as parish trustee since 2015 and is ready to step down. Father Enrique has nominated Katie Kasper to fill the open position for trustee.

Katie grew up at Holy Family Parish and rejoined with her husband, Dane, in 2018. Her professional background is in financial advisory, and she has served on the boards of several local non-profits. She is a member of the Finance Council, volunteers for the school, and teaches high school religious education. Dane and Katie have five young children, including two who attend Holy Family Parish School.

The parish charter allows any qualified parish member to be nominated or to place his/her own name in nomination by submitting a written nomination signed by 10 or more registered adult parish members who are practicing Catholics. Nominations should be received in the parish office by noon on Monday, November 22, 2021. Please contact the parish office at 414-332-9220 if you have any questions. If there is more than one candidate for the trustee position, an election will be held the weekend of December 11 & 12, 2021.



Christ Child Society of Milwaukee Autumn Savings at the Resale Shop

The Milwaukee Chapter of the Christ Child Society runs a Resale Shop at 4033 W. Good Hope Road. You'll find stylish clothing, vintage glassware, quality furniture and more. Or check us out on Craigslist and eBay, then pick

up items at the shop! Open Tuesdays and Thursdays, and the first and third Saturdays of the month. Visit <u>ChristChildMilwaukee.org</u> or call 414-540-0489.

PARISH INFORMATION

Worship

Weekend Liturgies: Saturday at 4:30 pm & Sunday at 8 am & 10:30 am.

Weekday Liturgies

Tuesday & Wednesday at 8:15 am in the church Thursday & Friday at 7:00 am in the church (Check the bulletin for schedule changes.)

Baptism

Please contact the parish office for information on scheduling a Baptism

Reconciliation

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) is available on Saturdays from 3:30 to 4:00 pm. Please arrive promptly. The Sacrament may also be celebrated by appointment. Seasonal communal celebrations of Reconciliation are observed in collaboration with all the North Shore parishes.

Matrimony

At least six months preparation is required. Please contact the parish office for more information.

Parish Membership

All interested Catholics are invited to register as active members in our parish. Please call the parish office to register by phone. Non-Catholics are invited to call for information on the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA).

Parish School Registration

Families interested in our Parish School, grades K4-8, please contact the School Office. Half day and full day options are available for K3, K4 and K5. Please call the school at 414-332-8175 for more information.

Parish Office – Kerstein Center Phone: 414-332-9220

Please email us at holyfam@hfparish.org or call call 414-332-9220

Bulletin Deadline

Noon on Monday prior to publication, but subject to change due to holiday printing schedules. Send articles to holyfam@hfparish.org. Submission of an article does not guarantee it will appear in the bulletin.

Pastoral Council Information

As a parishioner you have a vital role to play in the life of your parish. If you would like to make a suggestion regarding an important aspect of Holy Family Parish please contact one of the parish trustees listed on the front of the bulletin. Thank you and may God bless you.



Open Door Café Desserts

The November deadline to drop off desserts is Noon on



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Friday, November 12th at 4961 N. Woodruff Ave. Open Door Café remains unable to accept home baked goods at this time. Please d o n a t e a n y of the following boxes of individually packaged: Granola Bars, Little

Debbie or Hostess Snack Cakes, Single Serve Bags of Chips/Crackers/Cookies. Thank you to our many volunteers who donate to this ministry.





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