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The Lord will bless his people with peace.

January 12, 2025 The Baptism of the Lord

Weekday Masses

Monday, Tuesday7:15am
WednesdayASCS 8:30am
Thursday.....8:00am
First Friday.....5:30pm

Weekend Masses

Saturday.....8:00am & 4:00pm
Sunday 7:00 & 9:00am

Confessions

Thursday.....1:00-5:00pm
Saturday.....3:00pm
First Friday.....4:00pm

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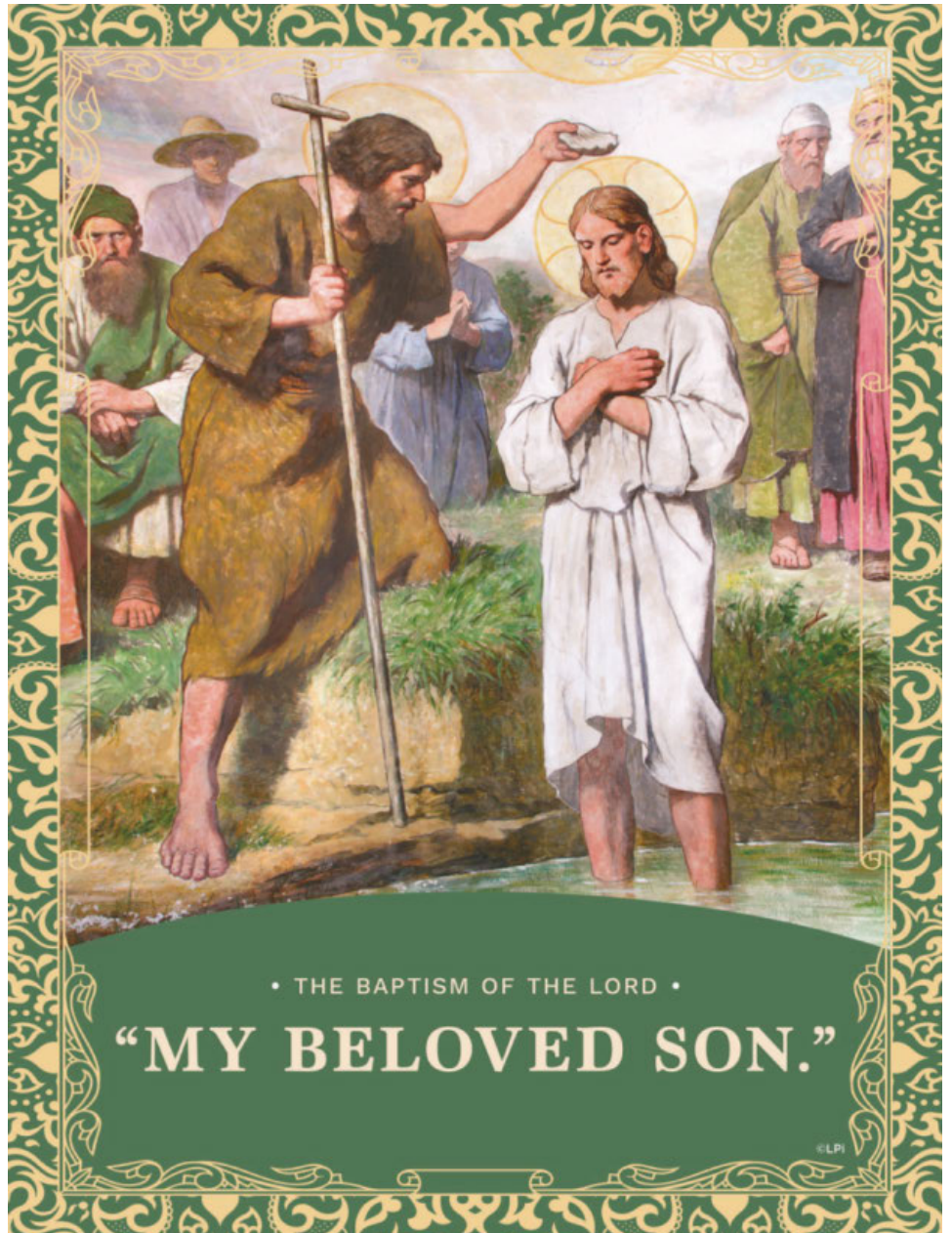
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Monday-Friday: 9:00 am-4:00 pm





Question of the Week for January 12, 2025:

Adults: Do you think that God was “well pleased” by your actions in recent weeks? Why?
 Kids: What good thing could you do this week that would be pleasing to God?

HOLY FAMILY PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, the people of Holy Family Parish, strive to live the Gospel of Jesus Christ through education and celebration of word, sacrament and service.

Please remember our loved ones in prayer:

Christine Cooperman, Stephanie Delleman, Andrea Greene, Lois Hartog, Hunter James, Michael Loos, Eileen Matson, Erin McFate, Ben Meyer, Katie Moore, Wylie Murphy, Peter Nagy, Ron Ochs, Molly B. Olson, Sally Reck, Elaine Snyder, Donna Turnmeyer, Dennis Woods, Donna Fiems, Gerilynn Gaeth, Chandler Wright-Lester, Sister Catherine Linnenkamp



“In the Eucharist, the Son of God comes to meet us and desires to become one with us; Eucharistic adoration is simply the natural consequence of the Eucharistic celebration, which is itself the Church's supreme act of adoration.”

Pope Benedict XVI

New Parishioners: Welcome to our parish family! Please see our website or contact the Church Office to register.

Ministry to the Homebound, Hospitalized & Nursing Home Residents: Call the Church Office to arrange visits.

Baptism: instruction for parents and Sponsors held on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 5:00pm.

Reconciliation: Saturday 3-4pm, Thursday 1-5pm, First Friday 4pm

Marriage: Arrangements are to be made at least six months prior to the wedding thru the Church Office.

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Readings

For the week of January 12, 2025

- Sunday: Is 40:1-5, 9-11/
Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7/
Lk 3:15-16, 21-22
- Monday: Heb 1:1-6/
Mk 1:14-20 /
- Tuesday: Heb 2:5-12
Mk 1:21-28
- Wednesday: Heb 2:14-18/
Mk 1:29-39
- Thursday: Heb 3:7-14/
Mk 1:40-45
- Friday: Heb 4:1-5, 11/
Mk 2:1-12
- Saturday: Heb 4:12-16
Mk 2:13-17
- Next Sunday: Is 62:1-5/
1 Cor 12:4-11/
Jn 2:1-11

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ADA
As of December 20
\$62,992.00 Total
\$59,502.00 Pledged
94.46%
\$3,490.00 needed

STEWARDSHIP

Giving of time, talent and treasure in gratitude for all God's gifts

Holy Family Weekly Budget Update December 23-January 6

Envelopes (Weekly).....	\$13801.00
Offertory (Loose).....	\$1313.00
Children.....	\$3.00
Other.....	\$3412.00
<i>(Holy Days, Generosity, Utilities, etc.)</i>	
Total Received.....	\$15529 .00

Thank you for your continued support!
**The envelopes and other gifts given by you, the parishioners, are the major source of income for Holy Family Church. Our budget goals are easy to meet if everyone does their part!*



From Father Nicholas' desk...
 Truth and Mercy Series (II)

Truth and Mercy series
 January 12, 2025

At the beginning of the year 2025, I am full of joy and anticipation for all the numerous graces and blessings this year holds for me and you all as a parish community. As individuals, corporate organizations map out strategies for the new year, it is important to set our priorities right. Our choices go a long way to fashion where we will be at the end of the year or what will be our portion of blessing received. Like everything in the world choices are so important.

As a parish community, we are gearing up to participate fully as much as possible in the Jubilee of Hope as called by our Holy Father. We are having conversations on paying a parish visit to nursing homes, praying with them. It will be an opportunity to offer them gifts and the sacrament of the anointing of the sick. We are currently considering Good Samaritan's and Vista. This kind of mission is an example of means of obtaining a plenary indulgence. We hope our visit can bring HOPE to our brothers and sisters, especially those who do not usually get visits.

This year as well, we are considering having what is tagged "Resurrected Treasures" sales. We plan to have parish members bring stuff from their homes for sale for missions to the poor and other priority areas to be decided as we go along. There is some buzz already created in this regard both within and outside our parish. Please check our bulletin for possible dates and how you might be willing to avail yourself of this wonderful event. If you have ideas on how this can be successful, please do not hesitate to volunteer this information to our parish office.

Another way of receiving a plenary indulgence is participating in a parish or diocesan program of teaching the faith. As a parish, we are discussing on launching a platform on a monthly basis, teaching various aspects of the faith to our parishioners and the Catholic community around us. This we are tagging: "Know your Faith". We are still in the infancy stages of the plans, so your prayers and suggestions are welcome.

This February, we shall begin celebrating the Holy Mass on Fridays in the parish with the blessing of the presence of Fr. William Kneemiller in our community. This Mass will be at 12:05 on Fridays except the first Friday of the month.

On a final note, this year, let us seek an area of growth in our spiritual life. This could be spending 10 minutes in private prayers, studying the Bible for 15 minutes, participating in one more Holy Mass during the week, offering up some prayers for holy souls in purgatory, you might consider visiting a nursing home or your old colleagues, family members in the nursing home, joining the Knights of Columbus or the Legionary as a means of being more active in your faith life. It could also be volunteering to be a lector, extraordinary minister of the Eucharist, an altar server or an usher in the parish. We also need help as animators of the newly formed Holy Childhood Association, or help us with your skill in livestreams of our parish prayer or liturgy.

Fr. Nicholas Akindele, JCL

Pastor

MASS INTENTIONS

FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 12 2025

MONDAY, JANUARY 13

7:15am † John Pierce Family

TUESDAY, JANUARY 14

4:00pm † Megan McCubbin

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15

9:00am † Brad Guy

10:30am † Timothy Castel (at Good Samaritan)

THURSDAY, JANUARY 16

8:00am † Linda Lootens

SATURDAY, JANUARY 18

8:00am Our Lady

4:00pm † Tim Carstens

SUNDAY, JANUARY 19 FELLOWSHIP SUNDAY

7:00am People of the Parish

9:00am † Paul Walters



WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Saturday, January 11

3:00pm—Confessions

4:00pm—Holy Mass

Sunday, January 12

7:00am—Holy Mass

8:00am—OCIA Meeting (E)

9:00am—Holy Mass/Children's Liturgy of the Word

6:30pm—Charismatic Prayer Group

Monday, January 13

7:15am—Holy Mass

5:30pm—Legion of Mary (E)

Tuesday, January 14

7:15am—Holy Mass

6:00pm—KC Officer 6:30pm KC Business Mtg.

Wednesday, January 15

8:30am—ASCS Holy Mass

10:30am—Holy Mass at Good Samaritan

6:00pm—Sacramental Prep & Religious Ed classes

6:00pm—Youth Night

Thursday, January 16

8:00am—Holy Mass

8:00am-5:00pm Adoration

Saturday, January 18 Family Bible Breakfast

8:00am—Holy Mass

3:00pm—Confessions

4:00pm—Holy Mass

Sunday, January 19 Fellowship Sunday

7:00am—Holy Mass

8:00am—OCIA Meeting (E)

9:00am—Holy Mass/Children's Liturgy of the Word

6:30pm-Charismatic Prayer Group

To schedule Mass intentions, please contact the parish office.

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION:

THIS WEEKEND: JANUARY 11-12, 2025

4:00pm Julie DeSalvo, Kate McGuire, Tammy O'Day

7:00am Sister Helen, Fred Ricketts, Connie Dyer

9:00am Steve Gaertner, Janice Gaertner, Trish Hoeg

NEXT WEEKEND: JANUARY 18-19, 2025

4:00pm Paul Roe, Mary O'Day, Tammy O'Day

7:00am Sister Helen, Fred Ricketts, Connie Dyer

9:00am Steve Gaertner, Janice Gaertner, Trish Hoeg

LECTORS:

THIS WEEKEND: JANUARY 11-12, 2025

4:00pm Julie DeSalvo

7:00am Diane Lannan

9:00am David Rericha

NEXT WEEKEND: JANUARY 18-19, 2025

4:00pm Paul Roe

7:00am Connie Dyer

9:00am David Rericha

Children's Christmas Party January 5, 2025



Thank You

Thank you to all who helped with this year's holiday bazaar or came and purchased items! The \$13,000.00 that was raised paid for the plumbing and electrical expenses at the new rectory. Unsold items from the Once Again Treasures sale were donated to the Disabled American Veterans.

Despite the icy weather, many generous bakers contributed to the cookie sale and \$1,000.00 was raised! Extra cookies were donated to Café on Vine and Project Renewal, and some were stored to be used for the children's Christmas party and the Meal for the Needy in February.

Heartfelt thanks to all who supported these parish events!

DO YOU HAVE STUFF?

We will be holding our first "Resurrected Treasures" sale during Lent on Friday and Saturday, March 14th and 15th in the gym at All Saints Catholic School. Father has challenged us to get rid of "stuff" we don't need and to declutter our lives.

We are looking for all sorts of items including Knick knacks, kitchen items, and holiday items. We are limiting clothing to team sport items and clothes in new or like new condition as we don't want to make it a used clothing sale. Everyone has something to get rid of and during the cold months, it's a great time to get started. Items can be dropped off immediately at the church office.

We hope to raise enough money to get a great start on a garage for Father so that when he's called out in the middle of the night to someone's sick bed, he won't waste time having to defrost his car as he did recently.

We will also use part of the funds to start a St. Vincent DePaul fund to help the needy who stop at the office seeking financial help. More on this to come.

This is the motivation you've been waiting for! So grab that charming parakeet statue that you no longer display or that almost new purse you decided wasn't for you, or that really nice Iowa Hawkeye sweatshirt that no longer fits after all of the holiday treats, and bring it to the office for our sale!

Also if you would like to help with this project, please contact the church office or Bob Jones.



**Infant Jesus
Visitation**
December 25, 2024
- February 1, 2025
Would you want to
welcome
the Baby Jesus
into your home?

**"For a child is born to us, a son given to us;
upon his shoulder dominion rests."**

-Isaiah 9:6
Registration at

Questions?

contact Hieu Nguyen
at davholymfamilym@diodav.org
or Holy Family Office: 563 322 0901



Would you like to make this Christmas season special? The Infant Jesus statue will be visiting homes from Christmas Day this year to February 1, 2025. Each family will have the Infant Jesus statue for a day, adore the Lord, and pray the Prayers to Infant Jesus.


Sign up link: <https://bit.ly/holyfamilybabyjesus>

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