

Holy Family Catholic Church



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SUNDAY, MARCH 7, 2021

3RD SUNDAY OF LENT

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WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday: 5 pm

Sunday: 8am, 10:30am, 6pm

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Monday: 8am (Lent only)

Tuesday: 6:00pm

Wednesday-Saturday: 8am

RECONCILIATION

Tuesday: 5:30-5:50pm

Saturday: 8:30-9am

4-4:45pm

Sunday: 5-5:45pm

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Mon-Thur: 8:30am-12:30pm

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Holy Family Catholic Parish

Mass Intentions

March 8	Monday, Lenten Weekday
8am	Margaret Read
March 9	Tuesday, Lenten Weekday
6pm	Fred & John Thomas Williams
March 10	Wednesday, Lenten Weekday
8am	Mathy Natumba
March 11	Thursday, Lenten Weekday
8am	Martha Burke
March 12	Friday, Lenten Weekday
8am	Mary Alice Jones & Peggy Banet
March 13	Saturday, Lenten Weekday
8am	Souls in Purgatory
5pm	Timothy Mooney
March 14	4th Sunday of Lent
8am	Harold Uhl
10:30am	Parishioners of Holy Family Parish
6pm	Francis "Bud" & Vera Ricke

Parish Information

To Schedule a Mass Intention: Please contact the parish office to request an intention. The suggested stipend for a Mass intention is \$10. We will schedule on or as close as possible to the date(s) you request.

Prayers: Please write in the Book of Intercessory Prayers located at the east entrance to the church, sitting below the statue of the Holy Family.

Bulletin Deadline is 10 days prior to the Sunday of publication.

Anointing of the Sick or Hospital Ministry: Celebrated upon request at home or in the hospital. In an emergency call Fr. Jeremy Gries at (812) 944-8283x1. If you or someone you assist is in the hospital and would like Fr. Gries to visit, please call the parish office.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults: This is the process for those who wish to enter the Catholic Church. Meetings take place weekly from late August to a few weeks after Easter Sunday as you learn about the Catholic faith and discern if you are being called to join the Roman Catholic Church.
Contact: Fr. Gries

Infant Baptism: Parents are required to attend a Baptism Preparation Session prior to the Baptism of their first child or if it has been more than three years since you last attended this class. *Contact: Theresa Shaw*

First Communion, First Reconciliation & Confirmation: Preparation begins in August each year. For First Communion and Reconciliation, contact Theresa Shaw. For Confirmation, contact Abbi Hamm.

Attendance Report: Feb 27-28

Saturday, 5:00 pm.	105
Sunday, 8:00 am	90
Sunday, 10:30 am	125
Sunday, 6:00 pm.	81
Total	401
6 Month Average	342

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Welcome! If you're interested in registering to be a member of Holy Family, visit our website and click "I'm new" or contact Karen Schoenfelder in the parish office.

Online Giving

Simplify your giving and provide consistent support by enrolling in online giving. Visit faith.direct/IN585 to get started.

First Holy Communion – Caring Weekend

This weekend we will have members of this year's First Holy Communion class presenting letters to members of the parish community as part of the "Caring Weekend". There are also small displays about the family and community of the children on display at the church entrance. This annual weekend of recognition accomplishes many things. First, it reminds the children that as they prepare to receive our Lord Jesus Christ Truly Present in the Eucharist that it is not just Holy Communion with Jesus but also Holy Communion with the Church (and our Holy Family parish). The Church is the Body of Christ. And as Jesus instructed us to Love God and Neighbor, when these children receive their first Holy Communion, it will be a new level of communion for them with God and neighbor. The intimate, tender, loving Communion made possible by physically and spiritually receiving the Body & Blood, Soul & Divinity of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist necessarily leads to a similar tender, loving Communion with fellow Catholic Christians in the parish and Church. This reminder can moderate a tendency in the Faithful about a 'Me & Jesus' attitude of their faith, their prayer, or even their Communion.



This "Caring Weekend" also helps raise awareness in the children about the great Faith Tradition itself. The children are just the next generation in a long line of generations. They are receiving a special, unique, and vital Gift from those who have gone before them. This idea of being part of something greater than oneself, leads to greater belonging and believing. It builds interconnectedness. It sustains fraternity and unity. It helps them see their small but significant place in the greater whole of God's Plan of Salvation unfolding through time. It is for this reason, that we have the First Communion children send letters to some of the seniors

of the parish. Many a receiving parishioner has been encouraged that a new generation is carrying the Cross forward so that all may know the joy of the Resurrected Life in Christ. It also invites the seniors personally to pray for these 15 young people as they make this new and next step of their Faith Life.

This "Caring Weekend" isn't just about the children receiving First Holy Communion. It is intended to call us, the greater parish community, to be attentive, prayerful, and supportive of these particular young people (but also of all our young people) in this great Catholic Christian Faith Tradition. Each generation is steward of this great treasure of Faith which has continued nearly 2000 years from that Upper Room in Jerusalem to our own parish church in New Albany, IN. The Bread of Life, of which one may eat and drink to have Eternal life (Cf. Jn 6), is the very source and summit of our Faith (SC 10). Without the Eucharist – that is, Jesus Christ, there would be no Church, and without the Church, there would be no Eucharist.

These many lessons are worth remembering for us who have long ago received our First Holy Communion. These are deep lessons about who we are as Catholic Christians knowing, loving, and serving Jesus Christ in the Church. While we give special attention this "Caring Weekend", these realities really need to be more present and prominent in each of our daily and weekly gatherings at the Altar of the Lord. Each of us – personally and communally – is tasked to care about the community, our young people, our rich gift of Tradition, and our important role in handing on the Faith of True Religion each week and weekend.



Holy Family School - Silent Online Auction

A great way to support our parish Catholic school and score some nice items is to bid on and win at the HFS Silent Online Auction. There are some nice items for all people, no matter your taste... including a stained glassed window built by a certain pastor you might know... Visit the Auction at: holyfamilyeagles.org/auction.

Holy Family, Protected and Led by St Joseph, Pray for us.

~ Fr Jeremy M. Gries

LITURGY GUIDE

3rd Sunday of Lent

Opening Song: The Glory of These Forty Days

The glory of these forty days
we celebrate with songs of praise;
For Christ, through whom all things were made,
himself has fasted and has prayed.

Alone and fasting Moses saw
the loving God who have the law;
And to Elijah, fasting, came
the steeds and chariots of flame.

So Daniel trained his mystic sight,
delivered from the lion's might;
And John the bridegroom's friend, became
the herald of Messiah's name.

Then grant, O God, that we may, too,
return in fast and prayer to you.
Our spirits strengthen with your grace,
and give us joy to see your face.

Penitential Act

I confess to almighty God
and to you, my brothers and sisters,
that I have greatly sinned
in my thoughts and in my words,
in what I have done,
and in what I have failed to do;
(strike your breast 3 times)
through my fault, through my fault,
through my most grievous fault;
therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin,
all the Angels and Saints,
and you, my brothers and sisters,
to pray for me to the Lord our God.

First Reading: Exodus 20:1-17

In those days, God delivered all these commandments: "I, the LORD, am your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, that place of slavery. You shall not have other gods besides me. You shall not carve idols for yourselves in the shape of anything in the sky above or on the earth below or in the waters beneath the earth; you shall not bow down before them or worship them. For I, the LORD, your God, am a jealous God, inflicting punishment for their fathers' wickedness on the children of those who hate me, down to the

third and fourth generation; but bestowing mercy down to the thousandth generation on the children of those who love me and keep my commandments. "You shall not take the name of the LORD, your God, in vain. For the LORD will not leave unpunished the one who takes his name in vain. "Remember to keep holy the sabbath day. Six days you may labor and do all your work, but the seventh day is the sabbath of the LORD, your God. No work may be done then either by you, or your son or daughter, or your male or female slave, or your beast, or by the alien who lives with you. In six days the Lord made the heavens and the earth, the sea and all that is in them; but on the seventh day he rested. That is why the LORD has blessed the sabbath day and made it holy. "Honor your father and your mother, that you may have a long life in the land which the LORD, your God, is giving you. You shall not kill. You shall not commit adultery. You shall not steal. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor. You shall not covet your neighbor's house. You shall not covet your neighbor's wife, nor his male or female slave, nor his ox or ass, nor anything else that belongs to him."

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 19

R. Lord, you have the words of everlasting life.

- V. The law of the Lord is perfect, it revives the soul.
The decrees of the Lord are steadfast; they give wisdom to the simple.
- V. The precepts of the Lord are right; they gladden the heart.
The command of the Lord is clear; it gives light to the eyes.
- V. The fear of the Lord is pure, abiding forever.
The judgments of the Lord are true; they are, all of them just.
- V. They are more to be desired than gold, than quantities of gold.
And sweeter are they than honey, than honey flowing from the comb.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:22-25

Brothers and sisters: Jews demand signs and Greeks look for wisdom, but we proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles, but to those who are called, Jews and Greeks alike, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. For the foolishness of God is wiser than human wisdom, and the weakness of God is stronger than human strength.

Gospel Acclamation: John 3:16

R. Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ, King of endless glory.

V. God so loved the world that he gave his only Son,
so that everyone who believes in him might have eternal life.

Gospel Reading: John 2:13-25

Since the Passover of the Jews was near, Jesus went up to Jerusalem. He found in the temple area those who sold oxen, sheep, and doves, as well as the money changers seated there. He made a whip out of cords and drove them all out of the temple area, with the sheep and oxen, and spilled the coins of the money changers and overturned their tables, and to those who sold doves he said, "Take these out of here, and stop making my Father's house a marketplace." His disciples recalled the words of Scripture, Zeal for your house will consume me. At this the Jews answered and said to him, "What sign can you show us for doing this?" Jesus answered and said to them, "Destroy this temple and in three days I will raise it up." The Jews said, "This temple has been under construction for forty-six years, and you will raise it up in three days?" But he was speaking about the temple of his body. Therefore, when he was raised from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this, and they came to believe the Scripture and the word Jesus had spoken. While he was in Jerusalem for the feast of Passover, many began to believe in his name when they saw the signs he was doing. But Jesus would not trust himself to them because he knew them all, and did not need anyone to testify about human nature. He himself understood it well.

Profession of Faith: Nicene Creed

I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.
I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
(*bow*) and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,

and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day
in accordance with the Scriptures.

He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the
Father and the Son is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayer for Priestly Vocations

Priest: Lord Jesus Christ, You are the true High Priest.
Thank you for giving us Your saving Body and Blood in the
Eucharist.

All: Please raise up priests from Holy Family Parish to give us
this gift always. Amen.

Recessional Song: The Cross of Jesus

Come, O God, renew your people, we who long to see your face.
Strengthen hearts that have grown feeble;
fill our lives with truth and grace.
Only you can win our freedom; only you can bring us peace.
Only in the cross of Jesus will the captives find release.

In the darkness that surrounds us we have lost you from our sight.
Even though your love has found us,
we embrace the powers of night.
Scatter now our deepest darkness; guide our hearts into the light.
Join us to the cross of Jesus. Help us set our living right.

Call us forth to walk in justice; rescue us from sin and grave.
Through the power of your Spirit,
breathe in us the breath that saves.
Strengthen us in our communion,
One in word and cup and bread.
Here within the cross of Jesus all who hunger will be fed.

NEWS & UPDATES

3rd Sunday of Lent

This Week at a Glance

MONDAY, MARCH 8

Middle School Small Group ————— 7pm
JMJ

TUESDAY, MARCH 9

Preached Holy Hour ————— 6:30pm
Church

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10

RCIA ————— 7pm
St. Guerin Room & Facebook Live

FRIDAY, MARCH 12

Fridays for Fathers: Patris Corde ————— 6:15am
Day Activities Center

Stations of the Cross ————— 6:00pm
Church

SATURDAY, MARCH 13

All Are Worthy Retreat ————— 6am-6pm
Holy Family

SUNDAY, MARCH 14

Lectio: Mark Bible Study ————— 9-10:15am
Day Activities Center

EASTER FLOWER DONATIONS - We are now accepting donations for Easter flowers in memory of a loved one. Donations can be made on Faith Direct, with the envelopes available at the exits of the church, or by mailing a check to the parish office. Please indicate in the memo line that it is for Easter Flowers and who the donation is in memory of. Money will be used to pay for the floral decorations in the church during the Easter season. Names of the loved ones will be printed in the bulletin on Easter weekend. *Deadline for donations is Tuesday, March 23.*

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MARCH 13
SATURDAY 6AM-6PM

The poster features a central image of many hands of various skin tones reaching up towards the center, symbolizing unity and service. The text is arranged around this central image, with contact information on the sides and the event details at the top and bottom.

**Lenten
Adoration
at Holy Family**

Monday,
Wednesday
& Thursday
9am-9pm

Tuesday
9am-6pm

Friday
9am-2pm

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The poster features a large, ornate monstrance with a glowing host inside, set against a dark background with rays of light emanating from it. The text is white and black, providing clear information about the adoration schedule and location.

 HOLY FAMILY
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Online
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March 8-18

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The poster has a dark blue background with a colorful, abstract pattern on the left side. The text is in white and yellow, with the words 'Online' and 'SILENT AUCTION' being the most prominent.

ST. JOSEPH CONSECRATION - Complete your Consecration to St. Joseph with Mass and a short ritual of consecration lead by Fr. Gries on Friday, March 19 after the 8am Mass. A few prayers, including the consecration prayer, will be prayed together. This is not required to complete the consecration, but is a fitting way to join the community as we entrust ourself to the paternal protection of St. Joseph.

NCYC SECOND COLLECTION - There will be a special collection next weekend, March 13-14, to support the high school Youth Ministry trip to the National Catholic Youth Conference happening in November.

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES of New Albany is offering an easy option to honor your loved ones with *Easter Flowers*. Order are will be taken through March 26. Also, *Spring clean up* for the cemeteries will begin soon. Please have your family gravesites in compliance by March 15. For information on both these items, see the recent posts on Holy Family's website or contact the cemetery office: teri@stmarysna.org or 812-944-0417x2106.

K OF C LENTEN FISH FRY - Join us at Cardinal Ritter Council 1221 Knights of Columbus 809 E. Main St in New Albany as we offer our Fish Fry **every Friday in Lent**. Lunch drive-thru only service is from 11 -1 and sit-down or carryout will be available from 4:30 - 7:30. Fish, shrimp, oysters (pan fried and rolled), crab cakes, hush puppies, baked potato (dinner only) or fries, slaw, and homemade dessert. Majority of proceeds will go towards our charitable outreach efforts. Come see our newly renovated hall. 944-0891.



INTRO TO NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING

THURSDAY, MARCH 11 / 6:30-8:00 PM
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Fridays for Fathers
Forty-Five Minutes for more Faithful Fathers

Fridays during Lent:
Reading and discussing Pope Francis's apostolic letter on St. Joseph *Patris Corde* ("With a Father's Heart")

Day Activity Center
6:15a to 7a



CO-ED ADULT BASKETBALL

INFO AND REGISTRATION AVAILABLE AT:
CATALYSTCATHOLIC.ORG/ATHLETIC MINISTRY

- Parish teams
- Wednesday / Thursday nights
- Games held at St. John the Baptist Church
- Childcare available

ADULT CO-ED BASKETBALL LEAGUE

For the young & young at heart! Teams are organized in each parish and must have a mix of men and women. If you are interested in being on or organizing a team for Holy Family, contact Kelli Reutman - For information on the league, see Catalyst Catholic's website.

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