

Holy Family Church

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Parish Rentals Only 301-249-2266

MASS SCHEDULE:
Weekends
Saturday: 5:30 PM
Sunday: 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM & 12 Noon
4th Sunday: 2:00 PM Filipino American Mass
Weekdays
Mon., Tues., Thurs. & Fri.: 8:00 AM
Wednesday: 7:30 PM
Saturday: 9:00 AM
Holy Days
Vigil: 7:30 PM, Holy Day: 8:00 AM & 7:30 PM
Visit our Web Page: www.holyfamilywoodmore.org

REGIONAL SCHOOL: St. Mary of the Assumption School,
4610 Largo Road, Upper Marlboro, MD 20772
Principal – Steven M. Showalter (301-627-4170) / showalters@adwschool.org.

MARRIAGES: Arrangements should be made with the Pastor six months in advance of the desired wedding date.
Pre-Cana classes must be scheduled.

CONFESSIONS: Saturday 4:30 to 5:00 PM or by appointment.

BAPTISMS: By appointment. Classes on First Saturday at 10 AM.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: First Saturday at 9:30 AM to 5:00 PM

NEW PARISHIONERS: We would like to extend a warm welcome to the new members of our congregation.
Please pick up a registration form in the back of the Church or call the Rectory.

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Monday 10:00 AM – All announcements should be faxed or submitted in writing to the Rectory.

PARISH COUNCIL: Meets 4th Thursday of each month at 7:00 PM in the hall.

PRINCE GEORGE'S COMMUNITY RESOURCES (PGCR) - a parish ministry serving older teens and adults with disabilities. Phone: 301-442-3708. Email: PGCRemail@gmail.com, Web Page: www.PGCR.org





Jesus said to them in reply, "Do you think that because these Galileans suffered in this way they were greater sinners than all other Galileans? By no means! But I tell you, if you do not repent, you will all perish as they did!" - Lk 13:2-3

Readings for the week of March 24, 2019

Sunday: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 11 [8a]/1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12/Lk 13:1-9
 Monday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Ps 40:7-8, 8b-9, 10, 11 [8a, 9a]/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38
 Tuesday: Dn 3:25, 34-43/Ps 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9 [6a]/Mt 18:21-35
 Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9/Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20 [12a]/Mt 5:17-19
 Thursday: Jer 7:23-28/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 [8]/Lk 11:14-23
 Friday: Hos 14:2-10/Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17 [cf. 11 and 9a]/Mk 12:28-34
 Saturday: Hos 6:1-6/Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab [cf. Hos 6:6]/Lk 18:9-14
 Next Sunday: Jos 5:9a, 10-12/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [9a]/2 Cor 5:17-21/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

MASS INTENTIONS

03/23 5:30 Manuel Estrado (D)/Nelly Okamoto
 03/24 7:30 Albert & Agnes Bongjoh (D)/Marie Oyalowo
 03/24 9:30 Daniel C. Concepcion (D)/Concepcion Family
 03/24 12:00 Holy Family Parishioners
 03/25 8:00 Praxedes Fragante (D)/Fragante Family
 03/26 8:00 Delores Williams (D)/Mary Simmons
 03/27 7:30 Harbrant Family (D)/MJ Thomas
 03/28 8:00 Carmen Hugya (D)/Peggy Marosy
 03/29 8:00 Trader Family (D)/Phyllis Shanklin
 03/30 9:00 Communion Service

May the soul of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen

Pray for Our Sick Rita Schiavone, Charles Hartley, Willie & Nellie Reyes, Maurice Davis, Alfred Tawney, Bernard & Gloria Peters, Woodrow Bell, Ursula Bell, Charles Brown, Angela Brown, Sharon Diaz, Suzanne Herbert, Lisa Ramsey, Joseph Stevenson, Maurice Thomas, Faith Brock, Willie Brown, Patricia Carroll, Amelia V. Centeno, Eleanor Hawkins, Agnes Marshall, Remy Cabrera, Wilfredo Justimbaste, Greg Syfert, Gloria Marshall, Veronica Nagel, Jennifer Babb, Jerry Clark, Bill Schultz, Darlene McDonald, Samuel Jones, Jr., Jack Pettigrew, Natika and Noah Brown, Kurleigh Bayrd, Alex Wong

LITURGY & WORSHIP
SCHEDULE FOR MARCH 30 & 31, 2019

	<u>Readers</u>	<u>EMOHCs</u>	<u>Servers</u>
5:30	M. Tuano	L. McDonald	D. & R. Geronilla
7:30	R. Daniels	C. Bowie	D. Rupal
9:30	T. Reinhart	M. Oyalowo	K. & C. Lord
		E. Vargas	K. & D. Kameni
12:00	K. Zemrowski	R. Panga	RA & RE Bandong G. Jones/S. Lagrana

Altar Guild for Friday, March 29 - Eileen Richards, Rosita Stewart, Phyllis Minkah, Julie Catloth

MARCH/APRIL PARISH SCHEDULE

03/24 Haiti Coffee Sales – after all masses (hall)
 03/24 American Filipino Mass 2:00 PM (church)
 03/25 RCIA 6:15 PM (rectory)
 03/27 The Light is On 6:30 - 7:30 PM (church)
 03/28 Bible Study 7:00 - 8:30 PM (hall)
 03/28 Our Lady, Queen of the Holy Family 7:00 PM
 03/29 Stations of the Cross 7:30 PM (church)
 03/31 PREP & Real Faith 10:40 AM (hall)
 03/31 Chorale Society Concert 3:00 PM (church)
 04/01 RCIA 6:15 PM (rectory)
 04/01 KOC & LOHFM Meeting 7:30 PM (hall)
 04/03 2nd Year Confirmation Class 6:30 PM (hall)
 04/03 The Light is On 6:30 - 7:30 PM (church)
 04/04 Bible Study 7:00 - 8:30 PM (hall)
 04/04 Our Lady, Queen of the Holy Family 7:00 PM
 04/05 Lenten Soup 6:00 - 7:15 PM (hall)
 04/05 Stations of the Cross 7:30 PM (church)
 04/06 Eucharistic Adoration 9:30 AM (church)
 04/06 Baptismal Class 10:00 AM (rectory)
 04/06 PREP & Real Faith 10:40 AM (hall)
 04/07 KOC Fish Fry 10:30 - 1:30 PM (church grounds)
 04/08 RCIA 6:15 PM (rectory)
 04/10 The Light is On 6:30 - 7:30 PM (church)
 04/11 Bible Study 7:00 - 8:30 PM (hall)
 04/11 Our Lady, Queen of the Holy Family 7:00 PM
 04/12 Stations of the Cross 7:30 PM (church)
 04/14 PREP & Real Faith 10:40 AM (hall)
 04/14 KOSJ Ladies Aux. Meeting 1:30 PM (hall)
 04/15 KOC & LOHFM Meeting 7:30 PM (hall)
 04/17 The Light is On 6:30 - 7:30 PM (church)
 04/18 Holy Thursday - Lords Last Supper 7:30 PM (church)
 04/18 Eucharistic Adoration after Mass until 11:00 PM (hall)
 04/19 Rectory Closed
 04/19 Stations of the Cross 3:00 PM (church)
 04/19 Veneration of the Cross 7:30 PM (church)
 04/20 Holy Saturday Easter Vigil Mass 7:30 PM (church)
 04/21 Easter Sunday Masses 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM, 12:00 NN



Lenten Food Drive - We will be collecting for the Archdiocesan Lenten Food Drive. Please take a bag from the back of the church and return it filled by March 31, 2019. All food collected will be stored in our parish pantry to be distributed locally to those in need.

PREP Updates for March/April 2019

- **Classes will be held on March 31.** During classes students in grades 3-8 will take their Faith Knowledge Assessment. Please make sure to have your child to class on time.
- **Homework** – Every student should be completing his/her homework. Cumulative scores for the year will count as one Unit Test score (100 points).
- **Catechist Meeting** – Wednesday, March 27, 2019 at 6:00 PM in the parish hall.
- **Parent Meeting for children preparing for 1st Holy Communion** will be held on Thursday, April 4, 2019 at 7:00 PM in the parish hall

The Penitential Season of Lent is Upon Us!

Lenten Soup Dinner - A Lenten soup dinner will be held before Stations of the Cross on April 5 from 6:00 —7:15 PM. The dinner is FREE, but we ask that you sign up in the back of the church so that we can prepare accordingly.

Stations of the Cross will be held on the following Friday evenings during Lent at 7:30 PM: 3/29, 4/05, and 4/12. On Good Friday, April 19, Stations of the Cross will be at 3:00 PM. We invite you to join fellow parishioners in this beautiful Lenten devotion.

“The Light is on for You” - This Lent take the opportunity to receive Christ's mercy in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. It will be available every Wednesday evening during Lent from 6:30 to 7:30 PM and every Saturday from 4:30 to 5:00 PM.

CRS Rice Bowl - You're invited to participate in the CRS Rice Bowl during Lent. Please be sure to take home a Rice Bowl box in the back of the church and use the fun and easy resource to deepen your family's Lenten experience.



Fish Fry - The Knights of Columbus will be selling fried fish baskets TO GO on April 7 starting after the 9:30 AM Mass until 1:30 PM. Baskets will be available for the price of \$8.00 per basket.

Each basket will include filet fish, potato wedges, bread and coleslaw. Tickets can be purchased after each mass or by signing up on the sign-up sheet located at the back of the church. For more information contact Leon Alexander at 240-441-2463 or Emmanuel Abongwa 301-538-4193.

2019 Annual Jubilarian Mass - The annual Jubilarian Celebration of marriage honoring couples married 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50 and 51+ years will be held on Sunday, June 23, 2019 at 2:00 PM at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. Please call the parish office to register. Names of jubilarians need to be turned in to the parish office by April 19, 2019.

Flock Note – We will be using flock notes to send reminders for Religious Education, but you can also sign up to get notifications for other ministries and parish organizations as well. There are two easy ways to connect (pick one): go to www.flocknote.com/hfmitchellville or you can text HF315 to 84576.

Prince George Choral Society - Come join us for the Choral Society's 55th Season at Holy Family on March 31, 2019 at 3:00 PM. Concert to include popular/religious songs.

Quo Vadis Hiking - All high school aged men who are interested in the priesthood are invited to go on a Quo Vadis hiking trip on Sunday, March 31, 2019 from 10:00 AM to 5:15 PM. The day will include Mass, lunch, Eucharistic Adoration, dinner, and the opportunity to spend time with priests, seminarians, and other high school aged men who are open to the priesthood. Bus transportation will be available from throughout the archdiocese. More information is available and registration is open at www.DCpriest.org! Please contact the Office of Priest Vocations (vocations@adw.org or 202-636-9020) with any questions.

The Way Retreat for Survivors of Abuse - As the Church continues to minister to all survivors of abuse, the Archdiocese of Washington is sponsoring retreats for survivors. The Archdiocese will offer a men's retreat on April 5-7, 2019, and a women's retreat on April 12-14, 2019 for survivors. These retreats are an occasion for survivors to reflect on God's plan for their lives and for healing through prayer and the sacraments. For more information and to register go to <https://adw.org/the-way-retreat/> or call Deborah McDonald at 301-853-4466.

Workshop for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion will be offered on April 6 at St. Matthias Church (Lanham). A \$5 registration fee can be paid at the door. Please RSVP by contacting Mia Hamm in the Office of Worship at liturgy@adw.org or 301-853-4594.

40 Days for Life - Our local 40 Days for Life mission invites people of faith to pray every day in peaceful vigil outside of the Metropolitan Family Planning abortion facility in College Park from March 6 through April 14. The goal is to have continuous peaceful prayer coverage from 6:00 AM to 10:00 PM DAILY.

Knights of Columbus Summer Camp - Registration for the Knights of Columbus Summer Camp has begun! We are preparing for our nineteenth summer in College Park, MD. We offer swim lessons, arts and crafts, games, sports and free swim at our extensive facility. The registration form can be downloaded at <http://kofccamp.wordpress.com>. Please direct any questions to Anne Irwin at (240) 389-2267 (voice or text) or email at kofccamp@gmail.com.

Catholic Singles of Greater Washington is an organization for single Catholics, ages 21 to 65-plus, enjoying each other's company in a wide variety of social, religious, and cultural settings. Please find out more about us at <http://CatholicSinglesOfGreaterWashington.org> or call Tricia at 301-460-9195.

Light the World at CUA - Light the World! is a Summer Institute that takes place at The Catholic University of America. Rising Juniors and Seniors are invited to join us either June 23 -29 or July 7-13 as we explore how our faith is lived within the fields and careers of Art, Science, Sport, Business, and Politics. Visit lighttheworldcuu.org for more information and application materials.

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