

Holy Family

Catholic Church

Reverend Patrick Dolan, Pastor

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Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time, September 12, 2021

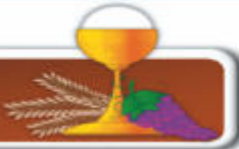
SO ALSO FAITH OF ITSELF, IF IT DOES NOT
HAVE WORKS, IS DEAD.



What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if someone says he has faith but does not have works? Can that faith save him? If a brother or sister has nothing to wear and has no food for the day, and one of you says to them, "Go in peace, keep warm, and eat well," but you do not give them the necessities of the body, what good is it? So also faith of itself, if it does not have works, is dead. Indeed someone might say, "You have faith and I have works." Demonstrate your faith to me without works, and I will demonstrate my faith to you from my works.

James 2: 14-18

Mass Schedule



Weekday

Monday—Friday (Church).....7:30 am

Sunday

Saturday.....4:00 pm

Sunday.....8:00 am, 9:30 am

Sunday.....11:00 am (Bilingual)

Chapel is open for prayer:

Tuesday & Thursday.....10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Confessions

Saturday (Church).....3:00 - 3:45 pm

Or by appointment

Parish Office Hours

Tue., Wed., Thur., Fri. 9 am - 5 pm

Closed on Mondays

Please Note New Closure Policy

When it's announced on TV Channels 4, 7 or 9 that Arrupe High School is either closed or on remote learning status, there will be no Masses or other activities at Holy Family.

MISSION STATEMENT

Holy Family Parish is a community that builds on a long tradition of bringing people to a closer relationship with God through prayer, sacraments, celebrations, education, and service to those in need.



HAPPENINGS AT HOLY FAMILY

◆ Faith Formation Sister Sharon Ford

For Children: You may register now at www.holyfamilydenver.com

For Adults: RCIA Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults Do you know someone who would like to become a Catholic? Invite them to RCIA. You may register online at the above web site.

◆ Sunday, September 12th at all Masses: Back to school children, bring your backpacks to be blessed by Fr. Pat.

◆ Altar & Rosary Meeting Saturday, Sept. 18
2 pm Hospitality Room (next to the bathrooms)

All women of the Parish are invited to this meeting. See what the year's agenda is, and how you may be a part of the happenings. The meeting begins with the recitation of the Rosary.

In October the Altar & Rosary will begin its Membership Drive. They would love to have you become a member!

◆ Holy Family Picnic Sunday, September 19th
Berkeley Park Pavilion 12 - 4 pm
(Please see insert for more information)

◆ We will welcome back the choir next weekend with new members. What a blessing for all of us!

"I hope you realize that every day is a fresh start for you. That every sunrise is a new chapter in your life waiting to be written."



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I take such strength from Peter. He got it right about half the time. But he got it REALLY RIGHT at the beginning of today's gospel, when he confessed Jesus as the Christ, the Messiah. And then, just a few verses later, he admonished Jesus that OF COURSE he wouldn't suffer and die. That's not how Messiahs work!

And just like that he was back at the end of the line, "getting behind" Jesus instead of walking with him in the front. Like so many who encountered Jesus in Mark's gospel, Peter took his place with the others who were following Jesus on the Way.

When Jesus announced that those who followed him would have crosses as well, I would have headed for the hills. *Nobody told me that the price of admission to the kingdom involves suffering! Where is the escape clause in this contract?*

Way back when we were baptized, we (or our parents and God-parents), renounced Satan and all his empty promises. And one of those empty promises, probably the most seductive of all, is that there are ways to get through life without suffering.

Turn these stones to bread! Satan tempted a hungry Jesus. *Throw yourself down from the Temple parapet and let the angels catch you!* a mocking Satan invited Jesus to break the laws of nature.

God bless St. Peter. He was confused, and afraid. But still he followed Jesus. Years later, utterly joyous to meet his Risen Lord, he invited his executioners to crucify him upside down. He felt unworthy to die in the same posture as his Christ. And he knew that the gates of heaven were reaching down to receive him. *What crosses in your life do you take up every day?*

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FALL MORNING RETREAT: WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE?

Presenter: Kathy McGovern

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SEPTEMBER 18th, 10:30am-Noon Donations gladly accepted.

We made it. We survived the most challenging epidemic of our lifetimes. We are not the same, and it's not over, but it's time to find each other again. What have we experienced, and where do we go from here? Come and bask in the blessed company of the scriptures. They have much to tell us about faith in the midst of trials. Questions? Donna at donnatuttle1@gmail.com

Join us ~

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Come and learn more about the Ignatian Associates at Regis University, 3333 Regis Blvd., Denver, CO 80221. We will hold three sessions: immediately following the 9:30am and 11:00am Regis Chapel masses and from 4:00-5:00pm on

Wednesday September 15. All sessions will be in Main Hall, Rm. 136. For more information, contact Ronald Mejia, at milrm16@gmail.com or Sharon Bramante, *Ignatian Associates Member* at sharon.bramante@gmail.com.

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High School Boys' Discernment Retreat

9 am – 5 pm,

Sunday, September 19, 2021

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1300 S. Steele St.

Bonfils Hall

1305 S. Monroe St.

Vocations Walk

10 am – 1 pm

Sunday, September 26, 2021

[Do you have a calling to serve as a Sacristan? If that sounds like something you would like to do, call the Parish Office at 303.455.1664.](#)

IN PRAYER

We remember our parish deceased

†Leonard O'Hayre †Frank James
†Lynn Wray

and the Holy Souls in Purgatory. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed Rest in Peace. We pray for the homebound, sick, caregivers, and those in the book of the sick.

We pray for our men & women in uniform.

We pray for the Afghan people, our military and the situation in Afghanistan.

Lord, Hear out Prayer!

FUN & GREAT WAY TO DIRECTLY HELP HOLY FAMILY

Help represent Holy Family and be a part of a growing volunteer team from all over the Archdiocese of Denver! Please consider being an Ambassador for our parish and connect with other volunteers through meetings and communications with Catholic Charities. Sharing your time as an Ambassador provides immediate connection with the ministries of Catholic Charities, and also helps make sure our happenings within the parish are shared far and wide. Commitment is minimal and will introduce you to other great Ambassadors and parishes in the community! For more information for if you have any questions, please feel free to contact Mark Hahn, Catholic Charities, mhahn@ccdenver.org or 720-799-9297 (or put a contact person at the parish if you wish!)



Happy Grandparents Day!



MASS INTENTIONS

September 11-19, 2021

11 Saturday, Weekday

4:00 †Pedro & †Cleotilde Baca by Baca/Barrios Family

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8:00 †Jack & †Hilda August by Family

9:30 †Lorenz & †Lillian Speicher, 80th Ann. by Family

11:00 People of Holy Family

13 Monday, St. John Chrysostom, Bishop & Doctor

7:30 Mary Hein, recovery/good health by Cindy/Bill

14 Tuesday, Exaltation of the Holy Cross

7:30 †Marge & Bill Markham by Sue Markham

15 Wednesday, Our Lady of Sorrows

7:30 †Maria Lombardi by Bambina Lombardi

16 Thursday, Sts. Cornelius, Pope & Cyprian, Bishop, Mts

7:30 †George Potter & †Mary Flores by Hebert Family

17 Friday, St. Robert Bellarmine, Bishop & Doctor

7:30 †Mark Hobbs by Bob Finnerty

18 Saturday, Weekday

4:00 †Nick Evancich, Jr. by Wife, JoAn

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8:00 †Lucille Havermann by Family

9:30 †John & Margie Conway by Conway Cousins

11:00 People of Holy Family

OFFERTORY CONTRIBUTIONS FOR:

WEEK ENDING SUNDAY, September 5, 2021

MASSES \$3,960.00

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ON-LINE \$3,122.00

TOTAL \$ 5,560.25

Thank you for your generosity.



Robert Bellarmine (Italian: Roberto Francesco Romolo Bellarmino; 4 October 1542 – 17 September 1621) was an Italian Jesuit and a cardinal of the Catholic Church. He was canonized a saint in 1930 and named Doctor of the Church, one of only 36. He was one of the most im-

portant figures in the Counter-Reformation.

Bellarmino was a professor of theology and later rector of the Roman College, and ... He supported the reform decrees of the [Council of Trent](#). He lived to be 78.

PARISH OFFICE

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MEET OUR STAFF

The Parish Office is closed on Mondays

Pastor.....Rev. Patrick Dolan

Pastoral AssistantDeacon Richard Vieira

Parish Business Manager..... Mike Brisnehan

Director of Faith Formation..... Sr. Sharon Ford

Administrative Assistant.....Regina Bowman

Administrative Assistant..... Anni Fassel

Administrative Assistant..... Sabina Doane

Music Ministry..... Patricia Doane

Sacristans..... Mary Ellen Iten, Mark Potter

Parish Hall Manager.....Gerri Faes

Plant Manager.....Dave Havermann

BIENVENIDOS FOOD BANK

Holy Family has a basket in the rear of the church to accept your food donations. Only non-perishable items are accepted. **Donate** at www.bienvenidosfoodbank.org or you may also send checks to: P.O. Box 11948, Denver, CO 80211.

Food Pantry location & hours:

3810 Pecos St., Denver 80211

Thursdays, 10 am—noon, 3:30 pm—5:30 pm

(Closed the third Thursday of the month)

Volunteer: Check out the website for volunteer opportunities. www.bienvenidosfoodbank.org.

Chuck & Madeline are our contact/delivery couple who have religiously taken any donations to the Food Bank.

Please Be aware: We are so thankful for your donations, but we cannot accept perishable or expired food. Because of the time it takes to deliver newly harvested fruits or vegetables they are not a good candidate for the Food Bank.

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