

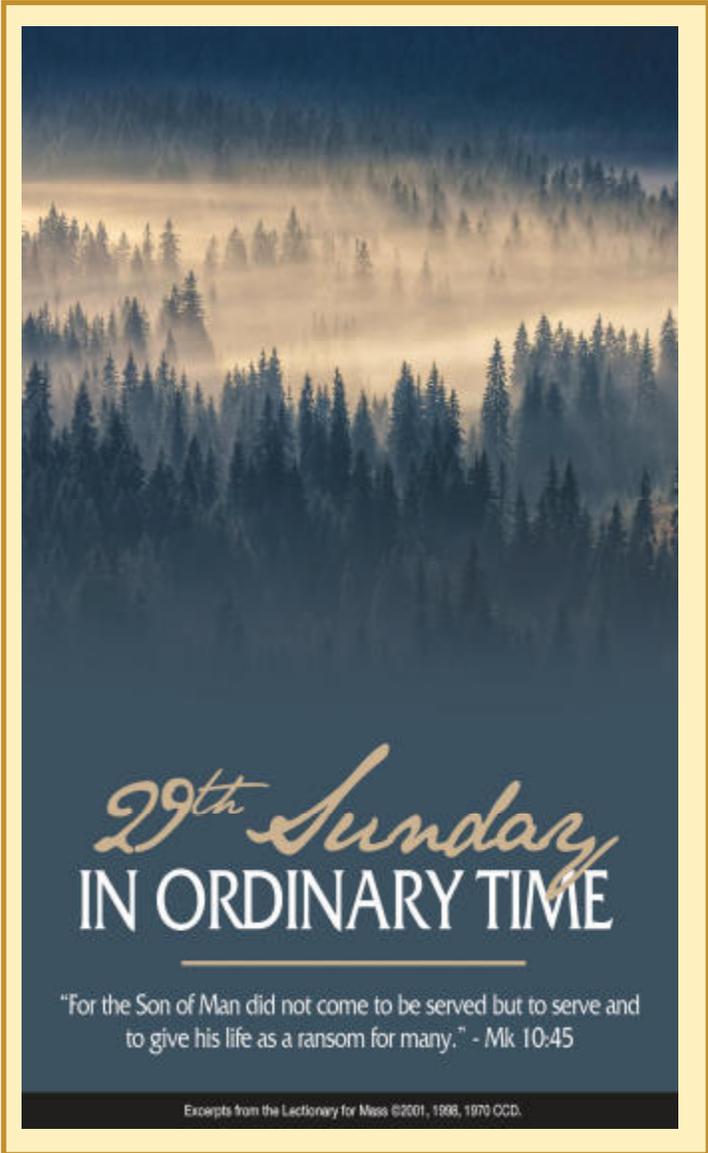


# Holy Family

## Catholic Church

Reverend Patrick Dolan, Pastor 4380 Ulica St. Denver, 80212  
www.holyfamilydenver.com

### Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time, October 17, 2021



### 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.

## A LETTER FROM OUR PASTOR

*Dear Friends:*

Within the next week or so, I hope to begin a video series entitled Cornerstones In Faith, that will be offered weekly on our website. This is a continuation of a ministry which I began at my previous parish when the pandemic first shut down all of our regular ways of coming together as a community. That series was called "Touchstones Across Sacred Space" and functions to be exactly that: a way for us to stay in touch during a time of isolation and worry.

"Touchstones" became a weekly (at first, several times a week!) reflection on various readings from the week's liturgy for which we were unable to gather. This series will be a little different. At this point, as we are able to come together regularly and share the scriptures at mass. What I want now is to present some of the foundational pieces of our faith that don't always come up in the context of mass.

These will be "bigger topics", and so I want to create various "series within the series." By this I mean, that I hope to do several weeks on a particular topic. While each small video is usually between 10 and 15 minutes, this allows me to dissect topics that might normally be done in an evening session of continuing education. Some thoughts I have going forward would be to do several weeks on the Sacraments, the various Liturgical Seasons of the year, or the Jewish roots of our Christian faith. These are all far too complex for a single 15 minute reflection, but might lend themselves to this new extended format.

Therefore, within the next week or so I am hoping to begin our first series, in which we will see the mass with new eyes. I want to spend some time talking about the postures we use and where they came from. I hope to explain a little bit about why we stand, kneel or make certain gestures. I want to look at some of the physical rituals we use around the tabernacle and the altar, how we use music in our prayer, and explain the differences between the *Liturgy Of The Word* and the *Liturgy Of The Eucharist*.

I'm planning a seven part series on this first topic, and I simply want to see if it is helpful or not. By next week we may have something in the bulletin letting you know where on our website to look if you are wanting to check it out. I hope it will provide a chance to deepen our faith, and for those who may have less physical access to the community, a chance for connection. As with a lot of things in ministry, I will reevaluate in a few months to see if it is valuable or not.

God Bless and have a great week.

*Fr. Pat*



The Story and You



Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Oh, James. Oh, John. You were the eyewitnesses. You were called by Jesus himself, straight off your father's boat. You were with him from the beginning of his public life. You witnessed heart-stopping things, like crippling unclean spirits expelled, and blind eyes opened, and a paralyzed man dropped down the roof so that Jesus could heal him, body and soul.

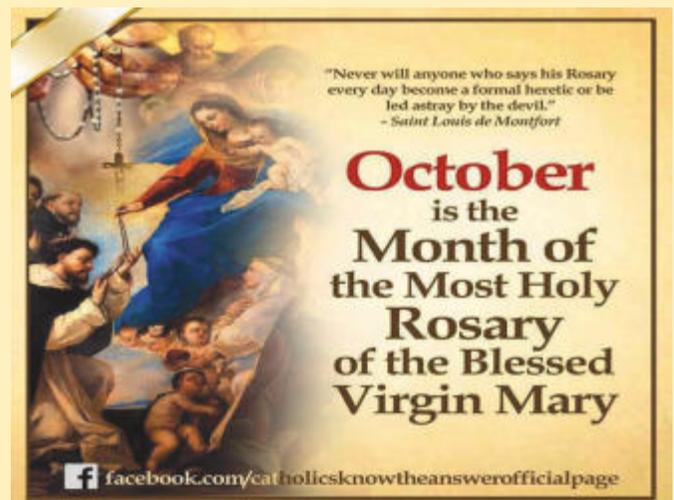
You alone, with Peter, were part of the privileged triad Jesus allowed to witness the raising of Jairus' daughter (Mk. 5:37), and the blinding light of the Transfiguration (Mark 9:2-13). How is it that, after your nearness to him, you didn't grasp that to drink the cup that he would drink meant you would join him in suffering?

Remember when Peter tried to remove Jesus from that suffering, assuring him that he would never die a violent death? Jesus was looking RIGHT AT YOU when he said to Peter, "Get behind me, Satan" (Mk. 8:33)!

That's okay. We would have thought the same thing. After all, look at all the miracles! But surely you realized, that terrible night in Gethsemane, when you were once again singled out, with Peter, to stay awake and pray with him (Mark 14: 32-36), that when he prayed the cup be taken away from him, that cup must be terrible? And did you remember, then, how you had once begged for that cup?

We don't know how you died, John. Tradition believes you lived a long life and died in Ephesus. But you, James, were stoned by order of Herod Agrippa I. According to Spanish tradition, your body was taken to Santiago de Compostela, where your shrine attracts Christian pilgrims from all over the world. And the cup of suffering continues for martyrs even today. *What cup of suffering do you accept every day?* Kathy McGovern ©2021

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## OCTOBER

### What's happening at Holy Family:

#### ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

The Holy Family Altar & Rosary Society is having its membership drive during the month of October. Membership dues are \$5.00 a year or \$60.00 for lifetime membership. The dues support the purchase of altar supplies (e.g. flowers, communion hosts, candlesticks, altar cloths, linens and vestments). There will be a basket in the back of the church with membership envelopes, please put completed envelopes in the collection basket. You may also sign-up on line at [holyfamillydenver.com](http://holyfamillydenver.com) under Quick Links.

The next Altar & Rosary Meeting will be Saturday, October 16th at 2 pm, in the Hospitality Room.

**CINNAMON ROLL & RAFFLE SALE November 13/14.**  
**INSERT THIS WEEKEND WITH MORE INFORMATION.**

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#### SACK LUNCHES – OCT. 24, (SACKS OUT OCT. 17)

Take as many sacks as lunches you can make. In each lunch place 2 sandwiches, chips, a dessert (cookies, snack bar), and a fruit. You may add water or a drink. You could put a note of encouragement in the lunch. The lunches go to the Volunteers of America, then to the needy on the streets of Denver.

#### MINISTRY FAIR AFTER ALL MASSES OCT. 30/31

From Father's letter last week: Liturgical Ministries–

For Mass to happen we always need more than “the clergy”. For our weekend services to truly reflect a communal experience we need readers, Eucharistic ministers, ushers and altar servers. We also need musicians, as well as people who are interested in art and environment.

At the ministry Fair you will have an opportunity to learn more about a ministry, and after some discussion, choose one or more suited to your interests.



#### PUMPKINS INTO SAINTS OCT. 30 9:30 AM

Our tradition of turning Pumpkins into Saints is scheduled for 9:30 am on Oct. 30th in the Parish Hall. The “saints” will decorate the altar for All Saints Day. Pumpkins will be provided. All you need to bring is a can of vegetables for the food bank as your “ticket” to enter the fun, and great creativity that always happens. All are welcome. Please RSVP to [rsrsharon@holyfamillydenver.com](mailto:rsrsharon@holyfamillydenver.com).

## IN PRAYER

*We remember our parish deceased*

† Antonio Prado-Gutierrez

*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.*

*Take a moment to read the “Book of the Sick” so that you may know who needs prayer. Be sure to add your prayer intentions so that we can hold each other up in prayer each day!*

*We pray for our men & women in uniform.*

*Lord, Hear out Prayer!*

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### Arrupe Jesuit High School Open House: Sunday, October 24, 2021



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#### “DISCOVERING WHO GOD HAS CALLED YOU TO BE.”

November 5-6, 2021: Workshop with Kay Davis:

Nov 5 from 7-9pm and Nov 6 from 9am-3pm at the Lanteri Center for Ignatian Spirituality, or virtually online. Center is located at 416 22nd St., Denver, 80205.

For more information or to register please call 303-298-1498 or see the Lanteri Center for Ignatian Spirituality website at <https://www.omvusa.org/lanteri-center/about-us/upcoming-events/>



## MASS INTENTIONS

### October 16 – Oct. 17, 2021

#### 16 Saturday, Weekday

4:00 †Ray, Sr. & Ray Baca, Jr. by Baca-Barrios Family

#### 17 Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 †Connie Muñiz by Family

9:30 Ernie Beall by Friends at H.F.

11:00 People of Holy Family

#### 18 Monday, St. Luke, Evangelist

7:30 Intention of Fr. Tim Stoner by Sisters of St. Francis

#### 19 Tuesday, St. John de Brebeuf & Isaac Jogues, Mtyrs

7:30 †Annette Krieger by Carolyn Lutito

#### 20 Wednesday, St. Paul of the Cross, Priest

7:30 †Elizabeth Ross by Pete & Patty Doane

#### 21 Thursday, Weekday

7:30 †Ernie Spickler by Phil & Bobbie Jordan

#### 22 Friday, St. John Paul, II, Pope

7:30 †Ilene Basquez by George

#### 23 Saturday, Weekday

4:00 †Shaun Manchester by Sr. Leandra Schaller

#### 24 Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 †Bob Nelson by Family

9:30 †Theresa & †Michael Speicher by Speicher Family

11:00 People of Holy Family

### OFFERTORY CONTRIBUTIONS FOR:

#### WEEK ENDING SUNDAY, October 10, 2021

MASSES \$ 3,836.12

MAIL-IN \$ 50.00

ON-LINE \$ 5,215.00

TOTAL \$ 9,101.12

*Thank you for your generosity.*

#### HOLY FAMILY ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT

The Annual Financial Report is available for pick-up in the church vestibule next to the bulletins, or at the Church Office during regular business hours. Please feel free to take a copy with you. If you have any questions or comments on the report, please contact Mike Brisnehan at 303. 455. 1664 Ext. 112.



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## MEET OUR STAFF

*The Parish Office is closed on Mondays*

Pastor.....Rev. Patrick Dolan

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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, Rose Williamson

Parish Hall Manager.....Gerri Faes

Plant Manager.....Dave Havermann

### HOLY FAMILY PARISH CHAPEL

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**Visit the Chapel on Tuesdays and Thursdays  
from 10 am - 4 pm.**

**Sign the sheet and spend time with your "best friend".**

**Attendance at the Chapel is dropping off. Consider a visit.**

#### Good Advice about Life from Children

- ◆ When your dad is mad and asks, "Do I look stupid?" don't answer. Hannah, age 9
- ◆ When your mom is mad at your dad, don't let her brush your hair. Taylia, age 11
- ◆ When you get a bad grade in school, show it to your mom when she is on the phone. Sarah, age 8
- ◆ A puppy always has bad breath— even after eating a Tic-Tac. Andrew, age 9

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