# HOLY FAMILY PARISH

A Catholic faith community called to serve God and others through Eucharist, prayer, education, and daily living of the Gospel values.

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#### WEEKEND MASSES

**ST. JOHN CHURCH** 1405 FIRST AVENUE SATURDAY 4:30 PM SUNDAY 10:30 AM

#### HOLY TRINITY CHURCH 201 CLARK STREET SUNDAY 9:00 AM This Mass Live Streamed

#### ADORATION POSTPONED

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION** ST. JOHN CHURCH SATURDAY 3:30 PM

July 18, 2021

# 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

# Beacons of Light — Pastoral Planning for Our Third Century

In last week's bulletin we inserted the letter from Archbishop Schnurr regarding the reality that there will be fewer priests who can serve as pastors in the future. You can find this letter on our parish website.



One page 3 of this bulletin you'll find statistics from the Official Catholic Directory comparing 1990 to 2020. Fr. Civille will discuss these statistics at all the Masses this weekend. You can find more information and sign up for the free monthly newsletter *Beacons Update* at <u>CatholicAOC.org/Beacons</u>.

# Holy Family Parish 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Outing Sunday, August 15<sup>th</sup> Wildwood Golf Club *Hosted by Fr. John Civille*



Golfers vary in age, experience, and skill level, but they all have

one thing in common when it comes to the HFP Golf Outing - **They Have FUN !** Don't golf? Why not come out after the golfing and enjoy good company, a delicious dinner and an entertaining awards ceremony? Look for the **Registration Form** on our website. Registration deadline - Wednesday, August 11<sup>th</sup>. *Check out photos from past golf outings at* <u>www.holyfamilymiddletown.com</u> - PHOTOS. The Ohio Challenge is Back! Friday & Saturday July 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> 5 - 10:30 PM Smith Park



Walk-in admission is \$5 / adult and free for children 12 and under. Parking is \$15 with free shuttle and admission for everyone in the car. Shuttle service will not be available inside Smith Park. Find more details at <u>www.ohiochallenge.com</u>.

# COMING EVENTS

Annual Parish Golf Outing	Sun Aug 15
State Rt #122 Clean Up Crew	. Sat Aug 28
SVDP 5th Sunday Collection	Sun Aug 29

## HOLY FAMILY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday and Sunday - July 17 and 18			
4:30 PM Mass SJ	Florence Fiessinger - Birthday Rem.		
9:00 AM Mass HT	Regina Chase - 50th Anniversary Rem.		
<u>9:00 AM Mass live streamed and available on the website anytime.</u>			
10:30 AM Mass SJ	Kiesewetter & Meister Family		

#### Tuesday, July 20

- 12:10 PM Mass HT Beverly Angel Birthday Remembrance Wednesday, July 21
- 12:10 PM Mass HT Joe Stugmyer Anniversary Rem.

#### Thursday, July 22

- 4:30 PM Mass SJ Linda Lyons Wedding Anniversary Rem.

#### Sunday, July 25 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 AM Mass HT	Jeannine & Roger Pfeffer - Wed Anniv Rem
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10:30 AM Mass SJ Margaret Hasselbach

#### Weekly Collections Stewardship Sunday, July 11<sup>th</sup> \$16,095

Thank you for your generous stewardship!

## MINISTERS NEXT WEEK

July 24/25	4:30 PM SAT	9:00 AM SUN	10:30 AM SUN
Eucharistic	Joy Rodenburgh 1B	Don Gillum 1B	John Lyons 1B
Ministers	Barbara Heinle 2B	Kathleen Wourms 2B	Sue Mulligan 2B
	Paul Presta 3B	Kathy Kraft 3B	Linda Jester 3B
Lector	Kelley Hale	John Herr	Melissa Bauer
Greeters	Joy Rodenburgh D1	Donna Kramer D1	Marcia Egelston D1
	Addie Rodenburgh D2	Don Accurso D2	Brad Egelston D2

"Look for solutions, instead of being difficult; be more thoughtful instead of allowing fear or anger to burn you out. Look at things from a different perspective, embrace change, look out for opportunities and you will feel much more in control." Steve Backley - The Champion in all of Us: 12 Rules for Success

#### Daily Scripture Readings

Mon: Ex 14:5-18 / Mt 12:38-42 Tues: Ex 14:21—15:1 / Mt 12:46-50 Wed: Ex 16:1-5,9-15 / Mt 13:1-9 Thurs: Sg 3:1-4b / Jn 20:1-2,11-18 Fri: Ex 20:1-17 / Mt 13:18-23 Sat: Ex 24:3-8 / Mt 13:24-30 Sun: 2 Kgs 4:42-44 / Eph 4:1-6 / Jn 6:1-15



#### Our Prayers & Sympathy are Extended

to the family and friends of Karen Crowe, who died July 12<sup>th</sup>.

#### In Your Prayers Please Remember

Henry Craycraft at Atrium this week. Going into the Hospital or a Rehab Facility? Please call or have a family member or friend call us 422-0602 and let us know!

We need *your* help in ministering to parishioners who are ill or in need!



#### Children's Worship Bulletins

Bulletins are available in two age groups — 3 to 6 and 7 to 12 — and they're free!

#### **Introductions to Sunday Readings**

by Bishop Ken Untener, in collaboration with Catherine Haven and Fr. Bill Taylor First Reading - Jeremiah 23:1-6



The prophet Jeremiah preached some 500 years before Christ, at a time when unworthy kings ruled the Jewish people. He looked to the day when God would raise up a good shepherd from the House of David. Later, the Gospel writers emphasized that Jesus was born of the House of David, and Christians have seen him as the fulfillment of this prophecy.

Second Reading - Ephesians 2:13-18

Our second reading is from the letter to the Ephesians. Ephesus was a community made up of Jewish people who had become Christians, and Gentiles who had become Christians. In this part of the letter, the author is addressing Gentiles — people who were once "far off" from the true God, but have "come near." As a result, both Jews and Gentiles are together as one "new person," namely the Body of Christ which is the Church.

# **BEACONS OF LIGHT**

Some statistics about priests in the Archdiocese of Cincinnati from the Official Catholic Directory comparing 1990 to 2020.

1990		2020	
Number of Parishes	247	211	(1)
Number of Diocesan Priests	409	241	
Active and Working in the Diocese	287	143	(2)
Retired or Sick	100	95	
Number of Religious Priests (e.g. Jesuits, Franciscans)	310	179	
Number of Visiting Priests (e.g. foreign students)	7	19	
Total Number of Priests	709	470	(3)

- 1. This Fall the Archbishop will announce what the "50-60 Families of Parishes" will be. You will have the opportunity to comment on the plan before it is finalized.
- 2. The age range of current priests is 29 82, with the median age of 58. There are 45 pastors who will be 70 or older by the completion of Beacons of Light in 2027.
- 3. There were 435 diocesan priests and 468 religious priests (*e.g. Jesuit, Franciscan*) for a total of 903 priests in 1966, the year Fr. Civille was ordained.

OTHER STATISTICS		
	1990	2020
Baptisms		
Infant	9,588	4,546
Adult	1,033	935
First Communions	8,320	5,291
Marriages		
Catholic (both)	2,072	1,094
Mixed	1,489	354
Permanent Deacons	110	229
Funerals	4,526	3,784
Catholic Population	538,400	442,218

# **Readings for Saturday and Sunday**

# First Reading - Jeremiah 23:1-6

Woe to the shepherds who mislead and scatter the flock of my pasture, says the Lord. Therefore, thus says the Lord, the God of Israel, against the shepherds who shepherd my people: You have scattered my sheep and driven them away. You have not cared for them, but I will take care to punish your evil deeds. I myself will gather the remnant of my flock from all the lands to which I have driven them and bring them back to their meadow; there they shall increase and multiply. I will appoint shepherds for them who will shepherd them so that they need no longer fear and tremble; and none shall be missing, says the Lord. Behold, the days are coming, says the Lord, when I will raise up a righteous shoot to David; as king he shall reign and govern wisely, he shall do what is just and right in the land. In his days Judah shall be saved, Israel shall dwell in security. This is the name they give him: "The Lord our justice."

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

# Second Reading - Ephesians 2:13-18

Brothers and sisters: In Christ Jesus you who once were far off have become near by the blood of Christ. For he is our peace, he who made both one and broke down the dividing wall of enmity, through his flesh, abolishing the law with its commandments and legal claims, that he might create in himself one new person in place of the two, thus establishing peace, and might reconcile both with God, in one body, through the cross, putting that enmity to death by it. He came and preached peace to you who were far off and peace to those who were near, for through him we both have access in one Spirit to the Father.

The word of the Lord.

# Gospel - Mark 6:30-34

The Lord be with you. A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark.

The apostles gathered together with Jesus and reported all they had done and taught. He said to them, "Come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest a while." People were coming and going in great numbers, and they had no opportunity even to eat. So they went off in the boat by themselves to a deserted place. People saw them leaving and many came to know about it. They hastened there on foot from all the towns and arrived at the place before them. When he disembarked and saw the vast crowd, his heart was moved with pity for them, for they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things.

The Gospel of the Lord.

## And with your spirit. Glory to you, O Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Thanks be to God.

## Permanent Deacon Application Cycle to Begin in September 2022

Men of the archdiocese who are interested in applying for the Permanent Deacon Formation class which will begin in September 2022, should contact Deacon Mark Machuga, Director of the Office of the Diaconate at 513-263-6641 or <u>deaconoffice@catholicaoc.org</u>. The application cycle for the



next class has begun. Pre-requisites, qualifications and procedures will be discussed with each man considering the Diaconate. **Deacon John Lyons is happy to share his experiences as Deacon here at Holy Family for 8+** years and will discuss your questions about the Diaconate process with any men considering this ministry.

# **Mass Prayers and Responses**

# Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High,

Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father.

Amen.

# Invitation to Communion

- Priest: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the lamb.
- All: Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

# **Profession of Faith**

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, *At the words that follow, up to and including* and became man, *all 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.



**OUR DOORS ARE OPEN:** No matter what your present status in the Catholic Church, no matter what your current family and marital situation, no matter what your age, race, background, personal history, etc., no matter what your own self-image — you are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved and respected here at Holy Family Parish. Our doors are open!

# Hymns for Saturday and Sunday

# Entrance

### The King of Love

- The King of love my shepherd is, Whose goodness fails me never; I nothing lack if I am his, And he is mine forever.
- Where streams of living water flow My ransomed soul he's leading, And where the verdant pastures grow With food celestial feeding.

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# Are you interested in: Being an informed Christian? Being an effective Christian? Sharing the Good News?



# Putting Christ in the center of your world?

If the answer to any question above is **YES**, then please explore the upcoming Women's Cursillo Weekend at Our Lady of the Holy Spirit Center, Norwood, Ohio Thursday, September 16<sup>th</sup> to Sunday, September 19<sup>th</sup>? The Spanish word Cursillo (cur-SEE-oh) means Little Course. The Cursillo is a little course in Christianity. It is an encounter with Christ in a small community of the Church so that His love and grace can be brought to every aspect of life. The Weekend starts on Thursday evening and ends Sunday evening. During those three days the attendees live, learn and worship together, attended and nurtured by members of the greater Cursillo community. Clergy and laypersons share themed talks with attendees, who then participate in small group discussions to delve deeper into the themes of each talk. The talks include topics which deal with life, the Christian ideal, the Catholic faith and a method to bring Christ into the modern world. To learn more, please visit www.cincinnati-cursillo.org, or call Kathi Mangus in the parish office 422-0602 or parishioner Rick Gregosky 937-371-8184. Both Kathi and Rick are active members of the Cursillo Movement.

## Communion

#### Taste and See

Refrain:

Taste and see, taste and see the goodness of the Lord. O, taste and see, taste and see the goodness of the Lord, of the Lord.

- I will bless the Lord at all times; Praise shall always be on my lips. My soul shall glory in the Lord For God has been so good to me.
- Glorify the Lord with me; Together let us all praise God's name. I called the Lord, who answered me; From all my troubles I was set free.
- Worship the Lord, all you people; You'll want for nothing if you ask. Taste and see that the Lord is good; In God we need put all our trust.

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# Closing

## We Are the Light of the World

 Blessed are they who are poor in spirit, Theirs is the Kingdom of God.
Bless us, O Lord, make us poor in spirit; Bless us, O Lord, our God.

#### Refrain

We are the light of the world, May our light shine before all, That they may see the good that we do, And give glory to God.

 Blessed are they who are meek and humble, They will inherit the earth.
Bless us, O Lord, make us meek and humble; Bless us, O Lord, our God.

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**Baptism Preparation Class - These classes are held quarterly**: March, June, September and December. The actual date, time and location will be announced in the weekly bulletin. Please call the parish office to register. **Baptisms** - Please call the parish office to schedule a baptism.

**Becoming a Member of Holy Family Parish** - Fill out a Census Form at the parish office or download it under FORMS at <u>www.holyfamilymiddletown.com</u>. Drop your completed form in the collection basket or mail it to the parish office. **Becoming Catholic** - Please call the parish office to find out more about the RCIA process.

Bulletin Deadline - Submit announcements in hard copy or to monica@holyfamilymiddletown.com by noon Tuesday.

Hospitalization or Death in the Family - Please notify the pastor as soon as possible by calling the parish office.

Marriages - Couples wishing to be married must set the date with the pastor at least six months in advance.

Nursery - Due to the coronavirus, the 10:30 AM Mass Nursery is temporarily closed.

**Parish Religious Education Program** - Due to the coronavirus, Sunday Preschool is canceled and Monday K-8th Grade have an in home program. Contact Dee Golembiewski, DRE, with questions.

St. John XXIII Catholic School - Parish school for Preschool - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade - <u>www.stjohn23school.org</u>.





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