

Holy Family Parish

BULLETIN

Holy Family Parish is a Roman Catholic community of believers. We are a caring, welcoming, diverse community called to live and share the Gospel message. We proclaim the presence of Christ in the world through Word, Sacraments and service as we strive to be faithful to Christ's command to evangelize all people.

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Registration is ongoing. Please contact the office.

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September 15, 2024
24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule

Weekdays Monday-Saturday

8:30 am Morning Mass

Weekends Saturday Eve & Sundays

Saturday: Confessions 4-4:45 pm and 5:00 pm Mass
Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am *with Live Stream*
12 Noon & 5:00 pm Masses

Rectory (9am-4pm)

Patricia Earl, *Parish Secretary*
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Mass Schedule & Intentions

MONDAY **September 16, 2024**

8:30 am Deceased Members of the Ketoucek Family
Miraculous Medal Novena Following Mass

TUESDAY **September 17, 2024**

8:30 am Andrew Caliendo

WEDNESDAY **September 18, 2024**

8:30 am Jay Arampulikan

THURSDAY **September 19, 2024**

8:30 am Frank Suckiel

FRIDAY **September 20, 2024**

8:30 am Melanie Teylan (L)

SATURDAY **September 21, 2024**

8:30 am William Krejci
5:00 pm Roman Gonzalez
Francisco Raz
Lourdes Gonzaga
Ida Salvacion
Dexter Papanio

SUNDAY **September 22, 2024**

7:30 am Ines Despinas
9:00am People of the Parish
10:30am Sister Marion McLinden, O.P.
12:00pm Vickie Carron
5:00pm Stanley Michael Mark



**This week the
Sacrificial Bread and Wine is
in memory of
*Anthony Lafferese***

on Behalf of Rosemary and Frank Mollo



**Holy Family Annual Formation Gathering
Open to All Parishioners
especially:**

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Lectors,
and Ushers.

All other ministries such as Greeters, Consolation, Baptism,
Choir, RCIA and Leaders of Faith Sharing
are encouraged to attend.

**This annual Formation Gathering
will take place on Saturday, September 28, 2024
from 9:00 AM to 12:00 Noon.**

Our Guest Speaker will be Fr. Alonso Cox.

A light Breakfast will be served.
Lector's workbooks will be distributed.

PLEASE RSVP and For more information please contact:

Sr. Beverly at 718-969-2448
Or email her at : Srbeverly@holyfamilyfm.org

Prayer to St. Joseph, Patron of the Universal Church

O glorious Saint Joseph
you were chosen by God to be
the foster-father of Jesus, the
Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary,
and head of the Holy Family.
You have been chosen by Christ's
Vicar as the Heavenly Patron and
Protector of the Church founded
by Christ. Therefore, with the
greatest confidence, we implore
your powerful intercession for
the whole Church today.

Guide in a special manner,
our Holy Father and all bishops,
priests, deacons, and all members
of the Body of Christ who try
to live the Gospel message.
Be our Protector amid the trials and
tribulations of this life. Obtain
for us great purity of heart and a
fervent love for the spiritual life.

Grant that, after your example,
all our actions may be directed to the
greater glory of God, in union with
the Sacred Heart of Jesus
the Immaculate Heart of Mary,
and your own paternal heart.
Finally, pray for us that we may
share in the peace and joy of your
holy death, in the company of
Jesus and Mary. Amen.



Prayer to St. Michael

Saint Michael, The Archangel,

**Defend us in battle. Be our protection
against the wickedness and snares of the devil.**

**May God rebuke him, We humbly pray;
And do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host,**

**By the power of God
cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits
who prowl throughout the world
Seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.**



Dear Parishioners,

In several weeks our nation will again hold elections. Voting is one of our greatest duties as Christian citizens. The Catholic bishops of the United States are pleased to offer once again to the Catholic faithful a document called, *Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship*, which is a teaching document on the political responsibility of Catholics. This document represents a snapshot of guidance for Catholics in the exercise of their rights and duties as participants in our democracy. As your pastor, I encourage you to use to read this document in preparation for the upcoming election.

As a Catholic voter it is important to weigh a candidate's position on each of these essential God-given rights that government has a duty to protect, beginning with the right to life. All persons of every race and nation are created in the image and likeness of God and therefore possess both dignity and a right to life from the first moment of conception. As Pope Francis personally expressed that the right to life for the unborn child is the preeminent issue because it is fundamental; without this first right, the right to life, there can be no other rights.

At the heart of the matter, our vote must also help us to love our neighbor by enacting policies that protect the voiceless, the weak, strengthen families, promote conditions that allow all of creation to flourish. Our vote needs to ensure that everyone can practice their faith and follow their conscience without fear of retaliation. In our country, civil society and religious institutions are an essential foundation of our nations freedom.

As we are a few weeks away, we pray for our leaders, those seeking to be leaders and those already elected. May they have the experience of being a beloved child of God and allow that love to transform their words and actions towards love and respect for all people.

We pray for our United States of America. May we seek understanding first and listen attentively to those who disagree with us, seeking to be examples of love and peace.

We pray for our Church. May the love of Christ inspire us, guide and direct our actions by living out Jesus's example to love each person.

I encourage you to study prayerfully the political platforms of the parties. While it is not my role to endorse a specific candidate, or political party, it is my responsibility as your pastor, to carry out the teaching and mission of the church that God is love and is the author of every human life from the moment of conception to natural death.

Our Lady Seat of Wisdom...Pray for us! Give us the grace and wisdom that we need to make the best informed decision we can make, based upon truth and not our feelings our emotions as we vote in the upcoming elections.

245th Sunday in Ordinary Time / September 15, 2024

First Reading:

I gave my back to those who beat me, my cheeks to those who plucked my beard; my face I did not shield from buffets and spitting. (Is 50:6)

Psalm:

I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living. (Ps 116)

Or: Alleluia.

Second Reading:

So also faith of itself, if it does not have works, is dead. (Jas 2:17)

Gospel:

“But who do you say that I am?” Peter said to him in reply, “You are the Christ.” (Mk 8:29)



Weekly Offering

September 8, 2024

Parish Offering First Collection:

\$ 7,689.00

2nd collection: Catholic University of America

\$ 2,559.00

Your generosity and kindness is very appreciated.

Mass Attendance

Saturday 5:00 pm: 127

Sunday: 7:30 am 152

9:00 am 181

10:30 am 400

12:00 pm 207

5:00 pm 162

Total: 1229

Readings for the week of September 15, 2024

Sunday: Is 50:4c-9a/Ps 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 (9)/
Jas 2:14-18/Mk 8:27-35

Monday: 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17/
Lk 7:1-10

Tuesday: 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/
Lk 7:11-17

Wednesday: 1 Cor 12:31—13:13/Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 12
and 22/Lk 7:31-35

Thursday: 1 Cor 15:1-11/Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28/
Lk 7:36-50

Friday: 1 Cor 15:12-20/Ps 49:6-7, 8-10, 17-18, 19-20/
Lk 8:1-3

Saturday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Mt 9:9-13

Next Sunday: Wis 2:12, 17-20/Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6-8 (6b)/
Jas 3:16—4:3/Mk 9:30-37

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Observances for the week of September 15, 2024

Sunday: 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Catechetical Sunday

Monday: Sts. Cornelius, Pope, and Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs

Tuesday: St. Robert Bellarmine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church; Saint Hildegard of Bingen, Virgin and Doctor of the Church

Thursday: St. Januarius, Bishop and Martyr

Friday: Sts. Andrew Kim Tae-gön, Priest, and Paul Chöng Ha-sang and Companions, Martyrs

Saturday: St. Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist

Next Sunday: 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Please remember our Deceased

Joan J. Griffen

Eternal rest grant unto them O' Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them.

May their soul and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God, Rest in Peace. Amen



Let us pray for the Sick

Rico Adelane, Claire Albino, John Amato, Tomi Anello, Ralph & Josephine Ashton,

Melissa Bersamin, John Betro, Angela Blardony, Hannah Bocker, Maria Carrillo,

Shannon Costello, Cedric Tess Cordoba, Cedric Cortes, Giovanna Conte, Theresa Cooney, Patrick Creegan,

Peter Cruz, Arnulfo Deangkinay, Yolanda Delacruz, George Dionisio, Luke Enriquez, Virginia Falzarano,

Sr. Barbara Flossie, Grace Ganios, Janet Ann Gillen, John Andrew Gillen, Annie Gong, Rhonda Healey, Tom Hennelly, Paul Hickey,

Maria Jara, Josephine Joseph, Jerry Kerth, Jr., Kenneth Kerwin, Lillian Kienle, Jerry Korth, Jr. Kurt Lacuas, Fanny Leon, James Leung,

James Leung, James Lung, Lauren Mamba, Evelyn Manding, Vivian Mariano, Elaine Mark, Richard Mark, Diana Medina,

Rochi Mirasol, Vincent Murray, Christine Olzanski, Kolbe Olzanski, Elmo Paluspre, Angela Parisi, Frances Powierski, Aura Quintero,

Carol Quintero, Trudy Rafael, Gregory Restrepo, Cleoty Reyes, Miguel Rivera, Catherine, Mary Roth, Berta Sagurda, Marlyn Samudio,

Lourdes Gomez Santos, Ethel Schweitzer, Lilia Slampiak, Gertrude Slavin, John Smalley, Carmen Rosa Smith, Graysen Smith,


Helen Schlenkermann, Ethel Schweitzer, Cynthia Simpson, Sebastiao Guerra Sobrinho, Joe Sonenfeld, Ana Stafford,

Remington Stafford, Lyndon Swammy, Irene Swidler, Rosa Anabela Tavares, Frank Thomas, Jessica Thomas, Judy Toltzman,

Ricky Torres, Charlie Talludo, Norma Vaccaro, Myra Valencia, Socorro A. Venturanza, Leon Weinstein, Thomas and Janice Whiten,

Diane Widmer, John Willis, Meg Wong, Gustavo Wu, Patricia Wu, John Zaptin,

Please contact the Rectory to add a name to our Sick List. If you feel you or your family member no longer need to be on the sick list please notify us.

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Reflection


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Homilist


His Eminence
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Cardinal Dolan
Benediction

2:00 pm: Veneration of Blessed Carlo Acutis Relic
3:00 pm: Holy Hour, Confession, Rosary
4:00 pm: Holy Mass at St. Patrick's Cathedral
4:45-5:45 pm: Eucharistic Procession Through Manhattan
5:50 pm: Benediction
6:15 pm: Event Concludes
6:15-8:30 pm: Veneration of Blessed Carlo Acutis Relic

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Parish Ministry 2024 Fair

After all
the Masses

9:30-1:30pm

Sunday, September 22nd

Learn more about the
different ministries in our
parish and how you can
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and talents.






2024
Blessing of
**First Responders &
Medical Personnel**



Sunday, September 29th
2PM
in the Church Parking Lot




Come to the “Transitus”

On Thursday, October 3, 2024 at 7:00 pm ,
We will celebrate the “Transitus”
of St. Francis of Assisi.

The “Transitus” is his passage from earthly life and death to
everlasting glory!

We will gather to listen, pray, sing and
Venerate the Relic of St. Francis .

All are Welcome!



Religious Education Faith Formation Program

We are happy to announce that our Religious Education Faith Formation Program will begin on
Sunday, September 29, 2024

Classes will be held from 9:15 am to 10:15 am in the school.

Then the children will be brought over to the 10:30 am Mass where they will be seated with their parents or guardians.

Please contact the Religious Education office or the Rectory office for more information. The tuition to register is \$150.per child and \$240 per family.

Contact:Religious Education Office: 718-591-6438
Rectory Office: 718-969-2448
Email: Faithformation@holyfamilyfm.org



Holy Family Sports Fall Registration for 2024-2025 Season

For Pre-K through 9th Grade

Boys and Girls 2024-2025 Season

Swimming and Track

Clinics:

T-Ball and Soccer Clinic

Registration: Sunday Sept. 15, 2024

10:00 am to 12:00 Noon in Monsignor Mahoney Hall and

Monday, Sept. 16, 2024 from 8:00 am 8:30 am and 2:30 pm to 3:00 pm in the School Hall.

WE ARE IN NEED OF A SOCCER COACH:K-3DRD GRADE

Please Contact:

Linda Grolimund at her email:

AVONGAL101@aol.com Or 718-380-0159



BAPTISM

Please call for an appointment to register.

To register, please call the Rectory to arrange an appointment and bring the child's **Birth Certificate**, and a \$10.00 non-refundable registration fee to the Rectory.

There are preparatory events:

1. INITIAL INTERVIEW
2. BAPTISM CATECHESIS
- 3, THE BLESSING OF THE INFANT

Marriage



Please contact the rectory to make an appointment to see a Priest at least **Six Months** prior to your desired date.



Night at the Races Derby Event All are Welcome

Join the Luigi Pirandello Lodge 2875 for a fun, derby-style party on **Saturday, October 12th**, in the Holy Family School Hall.

Doors open at 6:00 pm. Dinner is served at 7:00 pm and First Race is at 7:30 pm. Tickets are \$25. per person

Your admission includes 6 Ft. hero's , salads, wine, soda, dessert and coffee.

There will be 6 races plus 1 special race and a 50/50 raffle. Reservations are needed as seating at the door will be limited.

Please RSVP to Carin Powierski 516-924-3778

Mail Check to Luigi Pirandello Lodge
C/O Gen Ferrante 212-05 41 Avenue Bayside, N.Y. 11361

Name: _____

of Guests _____ Total Amt: \$ _____ Ck# _____

Phone # _____

Welcome to Holy Family

We kindly invite you to come to the Parish Office and register as a member of Holy Family.

It is important because then we are able to issue you official letters if and when you need to become a sponsor for Baptism or Confirmation.

If you do **not** register we do not have a permanent record of you being a Parishioner. If you decide you want donation envelopes we can also issue you a tax statement of your contributions that you have offered during the year. Your registration will also help us with our parish census.

Thank you and welcome!

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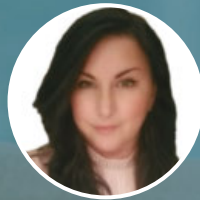
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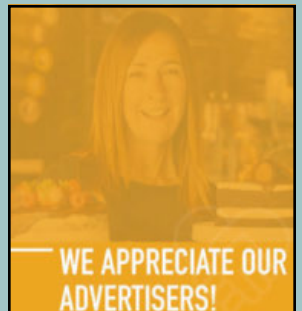
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