

August 13, 2023



# HOLY FAMILY CHURCH

## MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR

**The National Collection for the Retirement Fund for Religious** will be held this weekend, August 12-13. The funds donated to this collection go to religious communities across the nation that face the critical task of caring for their elderly and retired men and women. Most congregations depend on this assistance since the number of elderly religious far exceeds the number of religious who are able to serve in active ministry this time. Please be as generous as possible; any and every gift is deeply appreciated.

**Diocesan Chapter 11 Reorganization.** Thank you to all who have reached out and shared regarding the recent announcement on the Diocesan Chapter 11 Reorganization. Your thoughts, insights, comments, and support are appreciated and helpful. Please continue to pray for all victims of abuse. Please pray for our Church in the Diocese of Syracuse and throughout the world. Fr. Manno will keep our parish updated as we go through this process. Please stay tuned to the bulletin or the parish email for updates.

**Subscribe to Parish Emails.** If you would like to receive parish emails (your inbox will not be flooded) please send an email to [holyfamily@holyfamilysyr.org](mailto:holyfamily@holyfamilysyr.org) and you will be added to the list. Parish emails allow for quick and timely communication with parishioners. Please be sure to sign up.

## MASS SCHEDULE

### Daily Mass

Monday/Wednesday: 6:45 a.m.

Tuesday/Thursday/Friday: 9:00 a.m.

Saturday: 8:00 a.m.

### Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil Mass: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 a.m., 4:00 p.m.

### Confessions

No Confessions this week

### Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Monday (Vigil): 5:30 p.m.

Tuesday: 6:45 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m.

For any of our parishioners who are unable to attend Mass and are at home – if you would like a friendly, prayerful visit and receive Holy Communion from one of our volunteer ministers, call Kris McGuire at the Pastoral Center: 315-488-3139.

4:00 p.m. Vigil Masses, 10:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Sunday Masses are livestreamed on our Facebook page or at [holyfamilysyr.org/live](https://www.holyfamilysyr.org/live).

## PRAYER CHAIN

Prayer chain requests may be made to Mary and John Milligan at [jrmk2007@aol.com](mailto:jrmk2007@aol.com) or 315-468-1029. Please have requests in by noon on Saturdays. In the case of elective surgeries, please send requests two weeks in advance. Emergency requests may be made at any time.

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Monday, August 14 / Memorial of Saint Maximilian Mary Kolbe, priest and martyr

6:45 a.m. Ruben Baccay, Jr./Baby Yeng

5:30 p.m. James & Mary Shanley/Family

### Tuesday, August 15 / Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

6:45 a.m. Marcus Valerino/Bob Steves

9:00 a.m. Dave Masterpole/Nick Kowalczyk & Family

12:00 p.m. Amy Purdy Godleski/Family

### Wednesday, August 16

6:45 a.m. Mass for the People of Holy Family Parish

### Thursday, August 17

9:00 a.m. Reid & Marion Filkins/Jeanne Sofsky

### Friday, August 18

9:00 a.m. Theresa Ancona/Patricia Matrone

### Saturday, August 19

8:00 a.m. Sr. Anna Maria & Sr. Theresa Ann/DSMP's

4:00 p.m. Ralph & Kathy Cavallo/The Wheeler Family

### Sunday, August 20

7:30 a.m. Matthew Cacossa/Merilee Palerino

9:00 a.m. Thomas Burke/Sue & Joe Barry

10:30 a.m. Maria Kuzawinska/Eligia

4:00 p.m. Dcn. Timothy Joseph/Dcn. Mark Kay

## BEREAVEMENT

Whatever wars rage in your life, lay them at the foot of the cross and ask Jesus to give you His peace.

## PRAY FOR US

Marie Wing, Ed Campagna, Hank Smith, Gabe, Kenneth Wood, Joseph Mandolfo, Neil & Rose Marie Devine, Mike Kelly, Tom Kehoskie, Bill Scheutzow, Patricia Reschke, Dana Paradise-Knowlton, Geraldine Riley, Susan McGough, Karen Crisafi, Ginny Barrett, Mary Rose Kishman, Deb and Bob Somerville, Chris Malys, Marylyn Dardeno, Luke Michael Boskovski, Dan Gallagher, Patricia Kaiser, Tom Hackett, Ann Schattner, A Special Intention, Edward Zebrowski, Tim Donigan, Adam Carr, Laurie Siniscarco, Joe Hubert, Rita Connor, Pauline Baird, Yvonne Cesta

We print the “Pray for List” on a month-to-month basis. If you would like your loved one on the list, please call the parish office.

## WEEKLY GIVING UPDATE

**August 5 & 6:** \$23,865.19

Thank you for your generosity in supporting our Parish. Please consider making a lasting gift through your will or trust, retirement assets, or life insurance.



Give online by scanning the QR code above or by visiting [holyfamilysyr.org/donate](https://www.holyfamilysyr.org/donate). Call the Parish Office at 315-488-3139 if you have any problems accessing our online giving.

Questions about giving? Contact our business manager, **Dave Callahan** at 315-488-3139 x 103 or by email at [dave@holyfamilysyr.org](mailto:dave@holyfamilysyr.org).

## CONTACT

### Holy Family Church

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Syracuse, NY 13219

**Questions?** Contact our office manager, Donna Alvaro, or administrative assistant, Patti Brigati

Office Hours: M-Th, 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

\*The office will be closed on Tuesday, August 15

315-488-3139

[holyfamily@holyfamilysyr.org](mailto:holyfamily@holyfamilysyr.org)

### Parish Clergy

Rev. John D. Manno, Pastor

Rev. Malachi F. Clark, Parochial Vicar

Rev. William Muench, In Residence

Msgr. J. Robert Yeazel, Senior Priest

Deacon Robert Fangio

Deacon Scott Harris

Deacon Edward Terzolo

Deacon Mark Kay

### Holy Family School

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### School Staff

Daryl Hall, Principal

Anne Colon, Business Administrator

## FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL

Join our online community and stay up-to-date with the latest information by following along on social media [@holyfamilysyr](https://www.instagram.com/holyfamilysyr).



# NEWS & UPDATES

## **HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE**

Help our Holy Family Teachers with their supply needs as they prepare for the 2023-2024 school year! You will find a “path to school” display in our gathering spaces with tags of what the teachers need. You are invited to take a tag or two - and bring the items back to Church by August 27 for distribution. Please remember to return the tag with the item to get it to the right teacher! Our Holy Family School is a warm, loving, excellence in education facility and they need our help.

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## **OCTAGON HOUSE FARM DAY**

**Sunday, August 13, 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.**

Join us for the Octagon House of Camillus’s Annual Farm Day. Local farmers will be there with home grown vegetables. We will also have various craft vendors. Hot Dogs and beverages will also be available. The house will be open for tours for anyone interested. Stop by and see us! Committee: Phyllis Kehoskie, Karen Donovan, Sue Shannon

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## **MARTHA’S MINISTRY CLEANERS NEEDED!**

**Wednesday, August 16, 6:00 p.m.**

Help clean our beautiful Church! Please use the Stella’s side door, bring your gloves and a willing spirit to help us dust, vacuum, and polish. We had glitter removers join us last month - they were AWESOME! I see more glitter that needs collecting! Thank you!

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## **WOMEN’S DISCERNMENT GROUP: FIAT**

Are you a woman between the ages of 18 – 40 discerning a vocation, whether to marriage or consecrated life? Fiat! is a group of ladies on any stage in their discernment journey who meet monthly via Zoom for fellowship, prayer, and discussion centered on discernment. Please contact the Vocations Office at [Vocations@syriodio.org](mailto:Vocations@syriodio.org)

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## **MARRIAGE PREPARATION**

**Saturday, August 19, 8:30 a.m.**

Come join other engaged couples at CTK Retreat House for Marriage Preparation, sponsored by the Diocese of Syracuse. It’s a wonderful opportunity to learn more about your future spouse, your faith, and married life. To learn more or to find a link to all available session dates, visit: [www.syracusediocese.org/offices/familyrespect-life/marriage-preparation/](http://www.syracusediocese.org/offices/familyrespect-life/marriage-preparation/)

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## **PRAY IT OFF WEIGHT LOSS GROUP**

**Thursday, September 7, 6:00 p.m.**

LOSE WEIGHT – Eat smart, move more, and pray! Men & women are invited to join the next session of Holy Family’s successful weight loss group, Pray it Off! It’s a FREE, one-of-a-kind, Catholic program that began in January of 2008 and is still going strong. The next session begins on September 7th and runs till the end of December. The group meets every Thursday from 6-7 pm in the Parish Hall. \$10.00 Materials Fee. Please call Ellen M. McCauley, 315-447-4676, before September 4, to join, or with questions.

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## **SENIOR PICNIC**

**Tuesday, August 15th, 11:30 a.m.**

Join us for at CTK Retreat House for an 11:30 Mass of the Assumption of the Blessed Mother and a picnic lunch following. This will be a time of fellowship and sharing. There will be time to enjoy a garden stroll. Offering: \$15. Register at [www.ctkretreat.com](http://www.ctkretreat.com) or call 315-446-2680.

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## **CONGRATULATIONS**

To Andrea Ogden and Jared Young, who were united in the Holy Sacrament of Marriage on Saturday, July 29, 2023! May this couple have many wonderful years together. May their love for one another in marriage be a sign of God’s love in our world today! “The love of husband and wife for one another is the force that welds society together.” St. John Chrysostom

# NEWS & UPDATES

## THE THIRD OPTION

**Sunday, August 13, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.**

“Ending the Hurt Spiral and Start Loving Again”  
Come learn how! A Program to build better marriages. Come build your marriage in the comfort of your own home or in-person at the Church of St. Michael/St. Peter Parish Center, 4780 W. Seneca Turnpike, Syracuse. All are welcome to this hybrid meeting. All are welcome! For more information or to join, please contact Stephanie Stewart at [sstewart@syrdio.org](mailto:ssewart@syrdio.org) or (315)472-6728.

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## HCA THEATRE SUMMER CAMP

Registration is open for Holy Cross Academy’s summer week-long theatre camp for students in the community (grades 9-12). From August 21-27 (3pm-9pm), students will have a full theatre experience, ending in a weekend performance of the one-act comedy “Mr. Efficiency”. Registration and spots are limited. Cost is \$100 for the week. To register or for more information, call 315-363-1669 or email [tbodoh@holycrossacademy.com](mailto:tbodoh@holycrossacademy.com). The school is located at 4020 Barrington Rd in Oneida.

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## COLLECTION COUNTING VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are in need of some volunteers to help with the collection counting. Team volunteers count the collection once a month on Monday mornings from 10am to noon at the latest. No previous experience with money counting is necessary. We can really use the help as a regular counter (once per month) or as a substitute when needed.

Please call Dave Callahan at the office -315-488-3139 or send an email to [dave@holyfamilysyr.org](mailto:dave@holyfamilysyr.org).

## REGISTER FOR UPCOMING SAFE ENVIRONMENT SESSIONS

Sessions will be held in the Church Hall from 6-8pm. Registration is required. No walk-ins. Register online: [syracusediocese.org/safeenvironment/](http://syracusediocese.org/safeenvironment/) or call the Safe Environment Office at 315-470-1421.

Initial Training Sessions: Wednesday, September 6 or Tuesday, September 19.  
Recertification Training Sessions: Tuesday, Sept. 12 or Wednesday, Sept. 27.

The diocesan Child and Youth Protection policy requires completing the initial Safe Environment training session upon the assumption of duties, employment, or volunteering whose ministry or role places them in regular contact with children, young people, or vulnerable adults. Recertification every five years is required if you remain active in your ministry.

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## BULLETIN UPDATES

If you have something you’d like to submit for consideration for the bulletin you can do so by completing our online form found on our website’s “Bulletin” page:

[www.holyfamilysyr.org/bulletin](http://www.holyfamilysyr.org/bulletin)

## CALENDAR



To view the calendar of events online, visit [holyfamilysyr.org/calendar](http://holyfamilysyr.org/calendar) or scan the QR code.





We are so excited to announce that registrations for all of our faith formation, sacramental preparation, and youth ministry is now available and open on our parish website. Please go to [holyfamilysyr.org/registration](http://holyfamilysyr.org/registration) to get your child(s) registered for their program today!

Also, there is an important schedule and programming change that is important for all parents of high school age teens who are interested or already attend our Life Teen program:

**Beginning this Fall, the Life Teen program will now be held on Mondays from 6:30pm - 8pm in the Church Hall.**

Our team couldn't be more excited about this change; as we believe that it will foster more leadership from our upclassment and more peer mentorship provided for our middle school youth. Ultimately, we think this collaboration between Life Teen & EDGE will encourage greater participation and grow our youth as disciples of Jesus more effectively.

God bless,  
Nick, Patty, Vince

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#### **LIFE TEEN (Grades 9 - 12)**

#### **FAMILIES OF FAITH (Grades K- 4)**

Sundays 10:15am & Wednesdays at 5:45pm  
in Church Hall

#### **FAITH DISCOVERY (Grades 5&6)**

Mondays 6:30-8pm in School Cafeteria

#### **EDGE (Grades 7&8)**

Mondays 6:30-8pm in Church Hall

#### **FIRST SACRAMENTS (Grade 2)**

Sundays 10:15am & 11:15am in Church Hall

#### **CONFIRMATION (Grades 9&10)**

Tuesdays 7:00pm in Church Hall

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#### **PLEASE NOTE THE SCHEDULE CHANGE FOR THE UPCOMING MINISTRY YEAR:**

#### **LIFE TEEN WILL NOW BE MEETING ON MONDAY EVENINGS FROM 6:30PM - 8PM**

This year our Life Teen and EDGE ministries will be joining forces together to help lead our middle school and high school teens closer to Jesus Christ! Almost everything about the two ministries will be the same - we will just be joining the high schoolers and middle schoolers together on one night.

Every evening we will begin with opening prayer, snacks, games, and icebreakers as a large group. Second, we will together as a large group hear a joint teaching. Thirdly, we will break for age specific small groups - this part of the night high schoolers are with high schoolers and middle schoolers are with middle schoolers - and we will dive deeper in the content from the teaching and how it relates to our lives. Finally, we will have a large group closing prayer.

## SCHOOL UPDATES



It has been a great summer so far and we still have a month left to prepare for the opening of another school year. While we have been busy getting extra cleaning done, moving some classrooms around and hiring the majority of our teachers and staff, we are still looking for a teaching assistant for Pre-K and a part time administrative assistant. If anyone is interested in either of these positions (or if you know someone who is looking for either of these positions) please contact our Main Office for more information at 315-487-8515. We are interviewing now and would like to begin training as soon as possible. Thank you for your support!

## OUTREACH & FOOD PANTRY

Matthew 25 Farms has been providing wonderful fruits and vegetables for our clients. We have been able to provide zucchini, cucumbers, peppers, berries, yellow squash to all of our clients.

Thank you Matthew 25 Farms for your blessings to others.

Blessings,  
Liz and Margo

### OUTREACH CONTACTS

#### **Liz & Margo**

Phone: 315-466-2885

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## GOSPEL REFLECTION

### Matthew 14: 22 - 33

This week's gospel reading is one of the quintessential moments in the Bible – Jesus walking across the crashing waves, Peter calling out to join Him, successfully stepping across the water before wavering in his trust and sinking.

There are many lessons we can take away from this, but one in particular struck me – Jesus is calling us to **ACT**. When Peter steps out of his boat, he is not trying to escape the threat. He is stepping right into the chaos and danger of the tumultuous sea. But Jesus is there reshaping the view of what is possible!

While it is comfortable knowing that God is here with us in our safe corner of the world, we might also acknowledge that God can be encountered everywhere. Imagine how our faith might grow if we pushed our boundaries past what is safe and familiar and find God in those turbulent places where regular expectations and predictable endings don't apply. How can we be like Peter and step off our boat into the tumult and show God to others? Our faith calls us to be active.

Now more than ever, the world right outside our comfort zone needs our action. Just like the disciples in the boat, fear of the chaos and unknown is an instinctual reaction. This fear erupts because we assume how the story will end. But imagine how stepping into someone else's disorderly world could change their life and leave an indelible mark on your own. We can join Jesus and change what seems impossible, if only we find the courage to take that step out of our boat.

- Patty D'Angelo

# MUSICAL NOTES

## THIS WEEKEND

Aug. 12-13

### Saturday

**4:00 p.m.** Lily Young, Rob Morey, Gina Giufre

### Sunday

**9:00 a.m.** Lily Young, Rob Morey, Tony Alvaro

**10:30 a.m.** Lily Young, Rob Morey, Tony Alvaro

**4:00 p.m.** Holy Family Praise & Worship Band

## NEXT WEEKEND

Aug. 19-20

### Saturday

**4:00** Gabriella Giacobelli, Rob Morey, Gina Giufre

### Sunday

**9:00** Lily Young, Rob Morey, Tony Alvaro

**10:30** Lily Young, Rob Morey, Tony Alvaro

**4:00** Holy Family Praise & Worship Band

# LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

AUGUST 19 & 20

## LECTORS

### Saturday

**4:00 p.m.** Sister Rosemary Bell

### Sunday

**7:30 a.m.** Ken Theurer

**9:00 a.m.** J.R. Pirro

**10:30 a.m.** Mary Fangio

**4:00 p.m.** Marty Breen

## EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

### Saturday

**4:00 p.m.** Teresa Filipski, Michael Filipski, Kathy Kendrick, Sharon Wells

### Sunday

**7:30 a.m.** Kathleen Corso, Daryl Hall, Kris McGuire, Ed McLaughlin

**9:00 a.m.** Susan Cutri, Carol LaGuardia

**10:30 a.m.** Andrew Bowman, Elaine Lynch, James Lynch, Adelaide Silvia

**4:00 p.m.** Elizabeth Garn, Eileen Mack

## ALTAR SERVERS

### Saturday

**4:00 p.m.** Noah Vetter

### Sunday

**7:30 a.m.** AJ Brusa

**9:00 a.m.** Aiden Bishop

**10:30 a.m.** Isabella, Justyna and Isaiah Apps

**4:00 p.m.** Zachariah Straight, Alexander Straight

**Note:** Ministers can pick up printed copies of the new schedule in the gathering space or website.

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