

February 11, 2024

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH



MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR

Masses for Ash Wednesday – February 14, 2024

Masses for Ash Wednesday, February 14, 2024 are:
6:45 AM, 9 AM, 12 Noon, and 5:30 PM
Ashes will be distributed at all Masses

Stations of the Cross

Every Friday during Lent at 5:30 PM

Rules on Fasting and Abstinence from the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence.

For members of the Latin Catholic Church, the norms on fasting are obligatory from age 18 until age 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal. The norms concerning abstinence from meat are binding upon members of the Latin Catholic Church from age 14 onwards.

If possible, the fast on Good Friday is continued until the Easter Vigil (on Holy Saturday night) as the “paschal fast” to honor the suffering and death of the Lord Jesus and to prepare ourselves to share more fully and to celebrate more readily his Resurrection.

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

Mondays 5:00 p.m. - 6:30 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.

GREENBACK WINNERS

#5409 - Anne Perkins - \$100

#3136 - NOT SOLD

\$200 JACKPOT NEXT WEEK

PRAYER CHAIN

Prayer chain requests may be made to Mary and John Milligan at 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, FEBRUARY 12

6:45 AM Holy Souls in Purgatory

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13

9:00 AM Henry Kent/Family

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14

ASH WEDNESDAY

6:45 AM Yolanda Petruzzi/Paul S. Leo

9:00 AM Vincent Anthony/Family

12:00 PM Paul Merante/John & Mary Anne Ondrako

5:30 PM Steven Dimarco/Raymond Hart

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15

9:00 AM Josephine DeJohn/Jacqueline DeJohn

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16

9:00 AM Linda Wilson/Mary Anne Venditti

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17

8:00 AM Ann Dillon Mintie/D.S.M.P.'s

4:00 PM Norbert Lukacs/Wife & Family

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18

7:30 AM Thomas Schmidt/Family

9:00 AM Brenda Smith/Steve & Kathy Rudy

10:30 AM Michael & Catherine Barsuch/
Daughter - Ann Curran

4:00 PM Kathleen Zepp/Eileen Simiele

BEREAVEMENT

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

May they rest in peace.

Robert Walsh

Laurie Bono Siniscarco - Barb Snell's Sister

PRAY FOR US

Marie Wing, Ed Campagna, Gabe, Kenneth Wood, Joseph Mandolfo, Neil & Rose Marie Devine, Mike Kelly, Patricia Reschke, Dana Paradise-Knowlton, Geraldine Riley, Ginny Barrett, Mary Rose Kishman, Edward Zebrowski, Tim Donigan, Rita Connor, Pauline Baird, Yvonne Cesta, Mary Perry, Esther Wood, Ruth Bliss, Tom Hackett, Ann Schattner, Laurie S, Bill & Jan Valletta, Deborah & Bob Somerville, Richard Quinn, Lisa Duffy, Joanne Sabatino, Theresa McGarry, Keon Kellogg, Kayleigh Modugo, Kyle Dorosz, Stephanie Modugno, Tisha Sweeney, Lori DeCola, Nancy Stark & Steve, Melinda J., Ellen Hart, Sr. Noel Hart, Marie McCarthy.

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

February 3rd & 4th: \$36,685.92

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.

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

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NEWS & UPDATES

MARDI GRAS - HOLY FAMILY STYLE

Enjoy coffee, donuts and beads (Rosary) following the morning Masses in celebration of Mardi Gras. Sponsored by the Hospitality Ministry.

JOSEPH'S HOUSE BABY BOTTLE DRIVE

Support the lives of women and babies at Joseph's House throughout Lent. Pick up your bottle February 17th & 18th. Fill it with cash, check or change. Return it by Palm Sunday, March 24th. You can also donate online or mail your gift to 802 Court Street, Syracuse, NY 13208.

IGNITE CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE Saturday, March 23, 8:00 a.m.

The IGNITE Men's Conference will be held on Saturday, March 23rd at Bishop Ludden Junior/Senior High School. Speakers include internationally renowned Chris Stefanick, along with Jim Towey and Deacon Ralph Poyo. Bishop Lucia will start the day with Holy Mass. Mark your calendar NOW. We challenge everyone to not only register themselves but also bring a family member or friend or both to share the day. Please go to www.ignitecatholicmen.org for speaker bios, event schedule, and to register.

VIGIL FOR PEACE AT ST. CHARLES Sunday, February 11, 2:00 p.m.

The Vigil For Peace will consist of the Rosary prayed in 5 different languages from countries currently at war or suffering from oppression. There will be Scripture readings on peace, hymns of peace, prayers for unity & reflections from various peacemakers. The Vigil is open to all Faiths and we encourage families to bring their children & friends. Join us in prayer as we offer the Rosary to our Blessed Virgin to ask for her intercession for our troubled world. By uniting in prayer, we join our hearts together in a desire to live in peace.

VALENTINE'S LUNCHEON

Saturday, February 10, 1:00 p.m.

All single or married senior parishioners are invited to our Valentine's Luncheon. You will be treated to music, lunch, and more! RSVP Maureen at 315-391-4181. No cost to attend! Bring a friend - have fun! Sponsored by Hospitality Ministry.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE February 14- March 24

Help save lives in Syracuse by joining in prayer, fasting and peaceful vigil for an end to abortion. God is doing great things in Syracuse and calls us to be present at the Planned Parenthood abortion center to be a sign of Hope and a source of help to pregnant women in need! No experience is necessary, just a heart full of compassion for moms and their little ones. Call Jeanie 315-956-7772, Shannon 315-664-5067 or email syracuse4daysforlife@gmail.com with questions or to sign up for your hour of prayer!

SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAININGS

The Syracuse Diocese continues to provide Safe Environment sessions throughout the diocese for both Initial and Recertification training. A complete schedule of all available sessions can be found on the Safe Environment website at: <https://syracusediocese.org/safe-environment/> or call 315 470-1421.

DINNER WITH YOUR VALENTINE Saturday, February 17, 6:00 p.m.

Save the date for Embrace with Chris and Linda Padgett at Holy Trinity Church, 309 Buffalo St, Fulton! Dinner, desserts, engaging presentation, and real-life discussions. Childcare provided. Register at: embraceht217.eventbrite.com

NEWS & UPDATES

NATIONAL MARRIAGE WEEK Feb 7-14th, 2024

To celebrate and affirm the vocation of marriage, we are holding a drawing for all married couples, THIS weekend, Feb 10-11th. Please visit our table in the Gathering Space after all Masses to have a chance to win one of 20 prizes. Nineteen couples will receive a copy of the book *Be Devoted: Restoring Friendship, Passion, and Communication in Your Marriage* by Bob Schuchts. The first prize couple will receive the book and a gift card to a The Inn Between!

MARTHA'S MINISTRY February 21, 6:00 p.m.

Martha's Ministry cleans our beautiful Church. If you'd like to help - we will be cleaning on February 21, 2024 beginning at 6pm. Please bring your own gloves and willing spirit to help.

The shiny pews and clean floors are thanks to Kelly, Pat, Paul and his children Evan and Nora and our window cleaner Marty! Thank you!

QUO VADIS LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE Saturday, March 2nd at IC Fayetteville

Taking Registrations Now! Quo Vadis (Where are you going?) is a one-day Catholic leadership camp filled with dynamic talks, small group discussion, prayer experiences, and fun. Quo Vadis is open to all young people (co-ed) ages 13-18 from the Diocese of Syracuse who seek to grow in their Faith. This event will take place on Saturday, March 2, 2024 at Immaculate Conception Church in Fayetteville. Go to <https://vocations-syracuse.org/events-news/> to register.

HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH MEET OUR TEAM



DONNA ALVARO

My name is Donna Alvaro and I was hired here at Holy Family in March of 1995 to do the data entry for the capital campaign to build the new church! I was appointed Office Manager in 2016. My favorite part of the job is working with the Staff to make Fr. Manno's job a little easier!

In my personal time, I am an avid reader & swimmer, a huge Bills fan, and love spending time with my family - especially my "Squishies"!

CALENDAR



To view the calendar of events online, visit holyfamilysyr.org/calendar or scan the QR code.



Our youth in middle school and high school just completed a mini-series about how much God shows his love to us, especially through the Holy Eucharist.

Next, We are going to dive into a mini-series for a pre-Lent theme to participate in our Lenten 1-1-1 Challenge.

Join this Lenten Challenge with us. The challenge is as follows:

- Choose 1 thing to remove from your daily life to make more room for Jesus (No binging Netflix shows, for example).
- Add 1 thing into your daily life that will bring you closer to Jesus (If you gave up Netflix, instead of watching, replace that time with an added Bible study time, for example).
- Choose 1 Sin in your life to commit to removing to the best of your ability with the help of God's grace.

We hope this challenge helps you have a blessed Lent!

God bless!
Nick, Patty, Vince

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YOUTH GROUP: LIFE TEEN, EDGE, & FAITH DISCOVERY

(Grades 5 - 12)

Mondays 6:30-8pm

- School Cafeteria for Grades 5 & 6
- Church Hall for Grades 7 - 12

2/12 - Life Teen, EDGE, Faith Discovery

3/4 - Attending Parish Mission at HF

3/11 - Life Teen, EDGE, Faith Discovery

3/25 - Life Teen, EDGE, Faith Discovery

CONFIRMATION

(Grades 9&10)

Wednesdays 7:00pm in Church Hall

- 9th Grade First Wednesday of Month

- 10th Grade Second Wednesday of Month

3/6 - Confirmation Year 1

3/13 - Confirmation Year 2

FAMILIES OF FAITH

(Grades K- 4)

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

3/3 - Families of Faith

3/20 - Families of Faith

FIRST SACRAMENTS

(Grade 2)

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

2/11 - First Sacraments

3/10 - First Sacraments

3/24 - First Sacraments

SCHOOL UPDATES

Holy Family School had a fabulous Catholic Schools Week. The grand finale was our Daddy Daughter Dance. The event was sold out very quickly. Our team of Parents turned our cafeteria into a “Once Upon a Time” dreamscape. You can check out many of the wonderful things that occurred on our Holy Family School website and Facebook. We thank all of you who came to our Mass and then visited our Open House. It was an awesome way to begin Catholic Schools Week.

We are now preparing for our Gertrude Hawks candy sale. This is one of our big fundraisers for the school year. All of our families received their packets for ordering this past week. We can have ordering forms available for you if you want to place an order. Call us at 315-487-8515. As we move into Lent it will be a great way to prepare for Easter. Delivery of orders will be on March 26th to Holy Family School. Pick up times will be announced shortly before the 26th, once we see how much was ordered. Thanks again for all your support!

OUTREACH & FOOD PANTRY

We are preparing our Easter program for our clients. The program will take place for Pantry on March 16 and we will deliver to our other clients on March 18 and 19.

The gift cards are very successful in helping to supply needed items for food.

If you are considering donating to the Easter program, gift cards from Wegmans, TOPS, Walmart, and ALDIs work very well for our clients.

Monetary donations can be mailed, dropped off at the parish center, or placed in the collection basket at mass. Please make sure to indicate that your donations are for the food pantry.

OUTREACH CONTACTS

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GOSPEL REFLECTION

Mark 1: 40 - 45

Have you ever tried looking directly at another person for an extended period of time? It can be a very powerful yet unsettling experience. Studies have shown that 3 seconds is the perfect length of eye contact and anything longer than 9 seconds makes us feel uncomfortable. Why is this?

It's possible that as we allow another person to gaze upon us we become more self-conscious, acutely aware that they are focusing exclusively upon us. Normally it's easy for us to hide or cover all those things we don't want others to see (or often want to ignore ourselves). But when someone focuses solely upon us, those things tend to bubble up to the surface. These are the pieces of ourselves we find untouchable that separate us from others and ultimately from God.

In today's gospel we hear the story of a leper who didn't have the luxury of hiding his illness. His brokenness was highlighted publicly for everyone to see. I'm struck by the opening line when we hear that the leper came to Jesus and that it wasn't the other way around. The leper had the **confidence** and **faith** to approach Jesus with an ailment that was considered untouchable and terminal.

As we turn towards Lent this week, there's an opportunity to reflect on those things we want to hide away or consider impossible to overcome. Our task is to find the courage to allow God to gaze upon us and **all** our brokenness. As we consider his intense desire to provide grace and mend even those untouchable things, we'll grow to appreciate his love even more. What is it in our lives that we can approach Jesus with this Lent and courageously ask for healing?

~Vince

MUSICAL NOTES

THIS WEEKEND

February 10-11

Saturday

4:00 p.m. Kristy Morgan, Rob Morey,
Chrissy Camuglia

Sunday

9:00 a.m. Kristy Morgan, Rob Morey,
Tony Alvaro

10:30 a.m. Kristy Morgan, Rob Morey,
Tony Alvaro, Trinity Choir

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

NEXT WEEKEND

February 17-18

Saturday

4:00 Gabriella Giacobelli, Rob Morey, Gina
Giufre

Sunday

9:00 Camryn Cortez, Rob Morey, Tony Alvaro

10:30 Camryn Cortez, Rob Morey,
Tony Alvaro, Trinity Choir

4:00 Holy Family Praise & Worship Band

TRINITY CHOIR:

NOTE: Next Mass - Ash Wednesday, Feb. 14 @
5:30pm

Next Sunday Mass: Feb. 18 @ 10:30am

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

February 10 & 11

LECTORS

Saturday

4:00 p.m. Raj Dewan

Sunday

7:30 a.m. Shelly Terzolo

9:00 a.m. Joe Assaf

10:30 a.m. Janet Gleason-Rose

4:00 p.m. Eileen Mack

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Saturday

4:00 p.m. Douglas Craner, Carol Latini, Anne
Milewski-Craner, Linda Szatanek

Sunday

7:30 a.m. Kathleen Corso, Paul Morrell, Daryl
Hall, Linda Vishnesky

9:00 a.m. Joseph Antonio, Susan Cutri

10:30 a.m. David Abert, Peter Petrone, Francis
Stepien, Pam Stepien

4:00 p.m. Adelaide Silvia, Elizabeth Garn

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday

4:00 p.m. Manny Sandoval, Eva Sandoval

Sunday

7:30 a.m.

9:00 a.m. Juliet Sierotnik, Graeme Sierotnik

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

4:00 p.m. Ava Brown, Parker Brown

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