

February 26, 2023



HOLY FAMILY CHURCH

MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR

Dear Holy Family Parishioners and Friends,

During this holy season of Lent, I wanted to be sure to welcome all newcomers to Holy Family Church. Over the past few months, I have had many stop and introduce themselves and tell me they are new to the parish. I have met people from all over the Syracuse area and as far away as Auburn. No matter where you are from, you are welcome!

For all new parishioners and even those who have been here for some time, please be sure to sign up to be a member of the parish. You can sign up via the website at holyfamilysyr.org by simply clicking on the link "Join Our Parish" on the home page. This will give you the opportunity to sign up online. If this doesn't work for you, please stop by the parish office during regular office hours and they will help you sign up. Or, just call our parish office at (315) 488-3139 and our office staff will assist you in this process.

Again, please know how happy we are that you are worshiping with us. I invite you to take advantage of all that Holy Family has to offer. We are a large suburban parish with a great school and many ministries that help us to know, love, and serve our Lord.

Welcome and let's journey together on this earthly pilgrimage!

Peace and all good things,
Father Manno

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

Confessions

Monday: 5:00 to 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.

All Masses are livestreamed on our Facebook page or at [holyfamilysyr.org/live](https://www.holyfamilysyr.org/live).

HOLY FAMILY PRESENTS

Re-listen to the Sunday Homily by tuning in to our podcast, *Holy Family Presents*. Available anywhere you listen to podcasts.



MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, February 27

6:45 a.m. Mary Rose Manno/Fr. Robert Chryst

Tuesday, February 28

9:00 a.m. Kathleen O'Hara/Husband

Wednesday, March 1

6:45 a.m. Agnes & Robert Campbell/Jim Campbell

Thursday, March 2

9:00 a.m. James Brown, Sr./Wife

Friday, March 3

9:00 a.m. Robert & Anne Schrank/Son & Daughter

Saturday, March 4

8:00 a.m. First Saturday Mass League

2:00 p.m. Wedding: Megan Cardish & Eric Scherer

4:00 p.m. Jim Snell/Family

Sunday, March 5

7:30 a.m. Matthew Cacossa/Jill & David Richmond

9:00 a.m. Kazimiez, Joseph & Maria Wszolek/Family

10:30 a.m. Jeremiah O'Keefe/Connie & Maureen

4:00 p.m. John Fallat/Daughter, Karen

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

Dr. Joseph Thornton, Marie Wing, Ed Campagna, Hank Smith, Gabe, Tatum Foster, Cathy Hubert, Kenneth Wood, Joseph Mandolfo, Camryn Scott, Maureen Connelly, Neal & Rosemary Devine, Mike Kelly, Tom Kehoskie, Amy Purdy Godleski, Karen Hamm, Pauline Baird, Jack Salinetti, Kara Horvath, Eileen Smith, Bill Scheutzow, Carol Tantos, Lisa Maestri, Teresa Hart, Janet Neil, Jerry Cassalia, Thomas Hackett, Ann Schattner, Sonny DeCarr, Sandra Jenkins Bryant, Richard & Patricia Reschke, Dana Paradise-Knowlton, Laurie S., Nelida J, Geraldine Riley, Susan McGough, Joan Davoli, Sharon Testone, Jim Evans, Karen Crisafi, Janet Gleason Rose, Ginny Barrett, Mary Rose Kishman, Dr. Jim Mosey, Deb and Bob Somerville, Chris Malys.

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 18 & 19: \$20,915.22

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).

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

CONTACT

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

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Deacon Scott Harris
Deacon Edward Terzolo
Deacon Mark Kay

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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

FIRST SATURDAY MASS LEAGUE

The Walsh Family, Deceased Members of the D'Aloise & Wing Families, The Barrett, Walsh & Kendrick Families, Michele Albin, Patricia Scanlon, Ernest Osier, Charles & Vera Welsh, Deceased Members of the Hoey & Corrigan Families, Robert Kuzma, Joseph & Josephine Marascalchi, Martin & Helen Maestri, Angelo Cavedine, Martin S. Maestri, Madeline Burgess, Carl Dudley, Paul Cerullo, Salvatore Cerullo, Richard Kadlubowski, John Graham, Dorothy Pirro, Darwin Fesler, The Flannagan Family, Neal Quigley, Helen Procanick, Joan Bellso, Edward Zebrowski, Deceased Members of the McCarthy & Falcone Families, William Gleason, Esther Gleason, Margaret Gleason, Dennis Gleason, Ellen Gleason, John Cashel, Helen Cashel, Jennie Marko, Larry Page, Mary Jane Train, Mary Rose Manno, Henry & Helen Ponti, John Testone, Harold & Florence McHugh, Living & Deceased Members of the Sikora & Streiff Families, Richard & Patricia Wheeler, Jim Hockey, The Griffin & O'Brien Families, The Hackett Family, The Walsh Family, The Trivison Family, Angela Maria "Rita" Lampredas

WORLD MARRIAGE DAY SUCCESS!

The renewal of marriage vows was very touching and we had 132 raffle entries for the drawing. All winners have been contacted. The winners are:

Barb and Tony Mercurio - Grand Prize
Barb and Marty Hanscomb
Travis and Dahlia Law
Lisa and Pete Norris
Katie and Shawn Halstead
Douglas and Lisa Leonhardt
Linda and Tom Mahan
Mary and Mike Hearn
Bill and Amy McGrath
Kathy and Mike Ammann

Celebrate your marriage!

THE THIRD OPTION

Sunday, March 5, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

"Ending the Blame Game: It Feels Good." Come learn how! A virtual program to build better marriages. All are welcome! For more information or to join, please contact Stephanie Stewart at sstewart@syrдио.org or 315-472-6728.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION DIOCESE OF SYRACUSE

Saturday, March 4

Come join other engaged couples 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. The next session will be at Christ the King Retreat Center. To learn more or to find a link to all available session dates, visit: www.syracusedioocese.org/offices/familyrespect-life/marriage-preparation/

VOCATION CHATS PODCAST

"A Podcast from the Other Side of the Altar"
#PRIESTLIFE: New episodes release monthly on the first Fridays. Find us on social media at @vocations-syracuse and online at www.vocations-syracuse.org.

FIAT! WOMEN'S DISCERNMENT GROUP

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 on a monthly basis via Zoom for fellowship, prayer, and discussion centered on discernment. Please contact the Vocations Office at Vocations@syrдио.org for more info.

NEWS & UPDATES

If you are interested in assisting Holy Family Church in promoting vocations, contact **Laurie Theurer at 315-488-8010**.

Follow us on Facebook @**HFVocationMinistry**

HOLY FAMILY TRAVEL & SOCIAL CLUB Tuesday and Wednesday, June 6-7, 2023

Join us for a trip to Lancaster, PA where we will visit the Kitchen Kettle Village (Amish Shopping), see Elvis the Musical, see Moses live on stage at the Sight & Sound Theatre, and eat at the Greenfield Restaurant (chef worked at the White House). We have met our quota, but still have openings. Registrations are at the front door of church or the office. Contact Sr. Kathy with questions at 315-488-3139 ext.107 or srkathy@holyfamilysyr.org.

JOSEPH'S HOUSE BABY BOTTLE DRIVE Saturday, February 25 - Sunday, April 2

The BBD helps to support pregnant women and those parenting young children who are facing homelessness in CNY. Pick up your bottle at our parish and fill it with cash, check, or change! Return your bottle in the designated containers in the parish entryway. Learn more or give securely online at www.jhfw.org/baby-bottle-drive.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE February 22- April 2

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 syracuse40daysforlife@gmail.com with questions or to sign up for your hour of prayer!

DR. WEEK'S ELEMENTARY SCHOOL SHOE DRIVE Beginning Sunday, February 26

As a school that "sits on the frontlines of the nation's worst child poverty," one of the greatest needs of Syracuse City School, Dr. Week's Elementary's Community Support Closet is shoes. There will be receptacles at the entrances of the church for shoes, boots, sneakers - whatever your child may have outgrown that sits in a closet. Thanks in advance for helping these children!

ADDICTION EVENING SESSIONS Tuesday, February 28 & Thursday, March 2, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Join Mike Filipiski, a professor at Onondaga and Cayuga Community Colleges, for two evening sessions for people who struggle with family members who have chemical dependencies or addictions. Mike did a Marriage Enrichment Program here in the Fall of 2022 and was very well received! The sessions will be held in the Pastoral Center. If you are interested in attending, please call the Pastoral Center 315-488-3139 and leave a message at ext 104. Your information is confidential.

CALENDAR



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



Happy Lent Everyone!

We hope that you are having a blessed start to your Lenten season. Prayer, Fasting, and Almsgiving are the main focuses for all of us during this time of year.

Here are three tips for your Lent:

1. Pray: Bible Before Breakfast/Bed.
2. Fasting: Give something up that will make space for a new prayer habit.
3. Almsgiving: Practice doing random acts of kindness this week.

We hope these ideas help to spark your Lenten spirit into action. What are you doing this Lent? Let us know on social media @holyfamilysyr.

In Christ,
Nick, Patty, Vince

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FAMILIES OF FAITH

(Grades K-4)

Sundays 10:15 a.m. & Wednesdays at 5:45 p.m. in Church Hall

Sunday 3/5: I Will Not Leave You as Orphans

FAITH DISCOVERY (Grades 5 & 6)

Mondays: 6:30-8:00 p.m. in School Cafeteria

3/6: Courage of David

EDGE (Grades 7 & 8)

Mondays 6:30-8:00 p.m. in Church Hall

3/6: Holy Humor: An EDGE Night on Humor

FIRST SACRAMENTS

(Grade 2)

Sundays 10:15 a.m. & 11:15 a.m. in Church Hall

3/19: The Word of God

LIFE TEEN

(Grades 9 - 12)

Sundays: 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. in the Church Hall

2/26: Social Night

3/5: Life Night

3/12: Life Night

CONFIRMATION

(Grades 9 & 10)

Tuesdays: 7:00 p.m. in the Church Hall

2/28: Grade 9 (C1)

3/14: Grade 10 (C2)

Confirmation Retreat Options:

Both from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

2/25: Option 1 Grade 10 Retreat Day @ HF

3/4: Option 2 Grade 10 Retreat Day @ HF

SCHOOL UPDATES



We hope you all had a safe and fun February break! As a reminder, registration is open online at holyfamilyschoolsyr.org/registration.

OUTREACH & FOOD PANTRY

Our Easter program will take place on Saturday, April 1. Each year, we include a gift card that allows each family to buy their choice of protein or other items that are needed for Easter dinner. If you would like to donate a gift card, our clients shop anywhere groceries can be purchased. You can also provide a financial donation that we can apply to the gift cards we purchase.

Please call 315-466-2885 with any questions.

GREENBACK WINNERS

#5244 - Kristen Mass - \$100

#3577 - Yvonne Cesta - \$700

OUTREACH CONTACTS

Liz & Margo

Phone: 315-466-2885

Email: hfoutreach@holyfamilysyr.org

GOSPEL REFLECTION

Matthew 4: 1-11

How does the devil have the nerve to tempt God! I mean, he has to know that he can't ever win- right? What is most obvious to most, is that humanity was gifted with free will, and it is that quality that the evil one latches onto to try and capture our soul. YES, even Jesus himself, in his humanity was subject to this test as his free will was under attack.

Jesus was not immune to this because he was God. In his humanity, fully like us in all things but sin, he had to make choices and decisions that would either be pleasing to his father, or causing actions against his very nature, that of love. Why should we think that in this life, we would have it any different? Or that our road to heaven would even be an easy one?!

Jesus gave us his promise, as did God our Father to those in the Hebrew scripture, that he would be with us always and that he would never leave us. Do you believe this when you are tempted? How far is Jesus from you in those moments? As Jesus always gives us the example of how to live, our Gospel starts with the phrase that "Jesus was led by the Holy Spirit"; this could only occur if he asked for help, as he asked his father for everything and believed that God was with him always.

Although Jesus was divine, he defeated Satan by using a weapon that every human has at their disposal: "the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God" (Eph 6:17). Jesus met all three temptations with Scriptural truths from his faith tradition as learned from his community, his family, and in prayer.

May God bless you,

Deacon Mark Kay

MUSICAL NOTES

THIS WEEKEND

February 25-26

Saturday

4:00 p.m. Gabriella Giacobelli, Rob Morey,
Gina Guifre

Sunday

9:00 a.m. Kerryanna Elhage, Rob Morey,
Tony Alvaro

10:30 a.m. Kerryanna Elhage, Rob Morey,
Tony Alvaro, Trinity Choir

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

TRINITY CHOIR

Next Rehearsal: Wed, March 1 at 6:30 p.m.

Next Mass: Sunday, March 5 at 10:30 a.m.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

MARCH 4 & 5

LECTORS

Saturday

4:00 p.m. Shelly Terzolo

Sunday

7:30 a.m. Daryl Hall

9:00 a.m. Dan McGuire

10:30 a.m. Anne Milewski-Craner

4:00 p.m. Mary Fangio

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Saturday

4:00 p.m. Carol Latini, Sharon Wells

Sunday

7:30 a.m. Ed McCaughlin, Deb Troianor

9:00 a.m. Susan Cutri, Kris McGuire

10:30 a.m. Peter Petrone, Carol Pietraszek

4:00 p.m. Maryann Citti, Adelaide Silvia

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday

4:00 p.m. Leah Boronczyk, Rose Marcinkowski

Sunday

7:30 a.m.

9:00 a.m. Sydney Broton, Sammy Eskandar

10:30 a.m. Aiden Bishop, Andrew Bowmane

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

The Liturgical Schedule for January through March may be picked up in the front gathering space area on the windowsill under St. Paul - or you can visit our website at this link:

www.holyfamilysyr.org/liturgy

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