

Church of the Holy Family

PARISH RECTORY

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Pastor

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Pastor Emeritus

Rev. Francis X. McKee

Sunday Visitor

Rev. John P. Collins

Pastoral Service Director and Permanent Deacon

Deacon James Browne

Music Director

Joseph O'Brien

Child Care & Summer Camp

Ages: Infant (6 wks.)-PreK (4)

Hours: 6:00am-6:00pm (year-round care)

Phone: 610-952-9186

Email: childcare@holyfamilychurch.org

Holy Hour: Second Sunday of each month
after the 11:00am Mass Miraculous Medal

Novena: every Friday after 8:00am Mass

Altar Servers: Bernadette Welsh

Cantors: Joseph O'Brien

Extraordinary Ministers: Marie Jennings

Lectors: Kathy Duffy

RCIA: Wednesday at 7:00pm

PREP: Sundays from 9:30-10:45am

Pre-Cana Team: Program for engaged
couples – John and Beth Delaney



CHURCH SERVICES

Saturday Evening Mass: 4:00pm

Sunday Mass: 9:00am, 11:00am

Weekday Mass: 8:00am

Holy Day Vigil Mass: 7:00pm

Holy Day Mass: 8:00am

BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated every Sunday
after the 11:00am Mass. Please
contact the rectory for details about
the Pre-Jordan program which is
held on the first Sunday of the month
at 12:00pm in the rectory.

CONFESSION

Saturday: 3:00-3:45pm or any time
upon request.

MARRIAGE

Couples must make arrangements at
Holy Family at least 6 months prior
to the wedding. Call the rectory at
215-482-0450 for an appointment.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK & ELDERLY

Visit those unable to attend Mass due to
sickness or age on the first Monday of
each month from 11:00am to 12:30pm

AJAX Committee: Cleans sanctuary &
church two times/month – Rosemary Fuges
Finance Committee: Meets six times/year to
advise the Pastor

Liturgy Committee: Plans religious services
– Jim Browne

Parish Pastoral Council: meets first Monday
of the month to confer on Pastoral planning

Women's Club: Meets six times/year and
sponsors social activities

**Please note:* If you are interested in
participating any of these activities, please
contact the rectory at 215-482-0450.

Welcome

*We welcome all who join us for worship, and we invite you to become part of our parish family.
You may register as a parishioner in the rectory on any Sunday morning after the Masses or any time online.*

MAY 16, 2021

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



SATURDAY, MAY 15th - 4:00pm

Robert Firth, requested by Harry and Eileen Mullen

SUNDAY, MAY 16th - 9:00am

(live-streamed)

Our Parishioners

11:00am

Sue DeSimone, requested by John and Rosemarie Davis

MONDAY, MAY 17th - 8:00am

Patricia Stanczyk, requested by Mimi Shepherdson Murphy

TUESDAY, 18th - 8:00am

Geraldine Trimber, requested by Marie Mueller and family

WEDNESDAY, MAY 19th - 8:00am

Margaret O’Harra

THURSDAY, MAY 20th - 8:00am

Mary Lou Tucker and family, requested by Al and Rose Augustine

FRIDAY, MAY 21st - 8:00am

Special Intention

SATURDAY, MAY 22nd - 4:00pm

Eleanor Hallinger, requested by their daughter

SUNDAY, MAY 23rd - 9:00am

(live-streamed)

Rita Cerrato, requested by Maryann Coppola

11:00am

Our Parishioners



Please remember your Church Weekly Offering during this time. You can either mail it in or do it by Electronic Giving.

The second collection this weekend will be for Catholic Charities.

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

Sunday, May 2 nd (121)	\$ 3,983.50
Catholic Home Mission (26)	\$ 442.00
Easter (53)	\$ 160.00
Ascension (3)	\$ 60.00
TOTAL	\$ 4,645.50



In your prayers, you are asked to pray for all the sick of the parish and those who care for them especially, Anna Marie Barry, Theresa Barthold, Ashley Brown, Linda Brown, Christopher Browne, Margaret Davidson, Daniel Evans, Terry Flanagan, Anne Marie Kearns, Jane Latta, Edward Lawnton, Candida Leodora, Lisa Long, Rocky Long, Erin McFarlane, Megan McHugh, Conchetta Miller, Robert Price, John Ray, Ronald Rigler, Daniel Seddon, Bill and Theresa Sherwin, Fred Smeltzer, Ava Snick, Frances Sprenkle, Joe Szewczak, Fran Thomas, and Roy (Toysie) Turvey, Jr..



Please pray for the happy repose of all the faithful departed especially, Delores Lenox and especially during the pandemic.



LCPL. Shane Canavan, A1C Matt Dandrea, Nicholas DiCicco, SPEC Michael D’Intino, SPEC Chase Dixon, PFC Tyler Manigly, RTC Dominic Remolde, Captain Zach Schwatka, Col. Scott Shore, and Cpl. Christopher Starrett.



SATURDAY – MAY 15th – 4:00pm

Grace Welsh - Jocelyn Welsh

SUNDAY – MAY 16th

9:00am

Michael Torna - Charlotte Welsh

11:00am

Joseph Arturo



SATURDAY – MAY 15th – 4:00pm

Harry Mullen

SUNDAY, MAY 16th

9:00am

Jay Feinschil

11:00am

John Delaney



SATURDAY, MAY 15th – 4:00pm

Sister Mary Jo Larkin

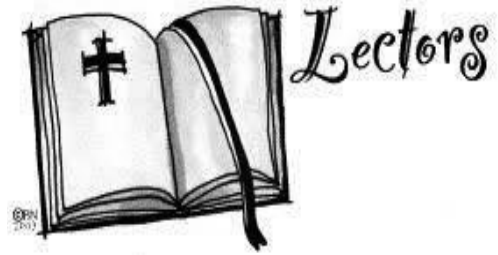
SUNDAY, MAY 16th

9:00am

Lolita Bennett

11:00am

John Delaney



As we slowly get back to normal, we are looking to increase our Lector pool. If you are currently a Lector who was waiting for the Pandemic situation to improve or have never been a Lector, but would like to become one, we would like to hear from you. If you are interested, please contact Kathy Duffy at (215) 518-2041 or Kathleen.duffy.kd@gmail.com. We would love to have you.



We are looking for Eucharistic Ministers as things slowly return to normal. If you are a Eucharistic Minister looking to return or have an interest in becoming a Eucharistic Minister, please contact Marie Jennings at the rectory 215-482-0450 or mjennings@holyfamilychurch.org



This past week the Holy Family Childcare Center welcomed its new director, Zakiyyah Joyce Lyons. We hope she found the position both challenging and to be fulfilling. She comes to us with many years of experience in the early childhood education. The parents and staff were given the opportunity to meet and greet Zakiyyah on Friday, May 7th. We wish her well as she settles into the position. We are always looking for new employees.

If you have any questions regarding the childcare center **Please visit the website at** www.HolyFamilyChildcare.org or contact the director at 610-952-9186.



ARCHDIOCESE OF PHILADELPHIA

222 North Seventeenth Street
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June 2021

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Soon our Archdiocese will take up the Peter's Pence Collection. Our participation supports the charitable work of Pope Francis as he reaches out to those who are marginalized and suffering around the globe.

In March of 2019, a powerful tropical cyclone struck southeaster Africa, devastating homes and vital infrastructure, destroying entire villages, killing hundreds of people, and displacing hundreds of thousands. In an expression of spiritual solidarity, the Holy Father prayed for all the victims during his General Audience, and he followed by contributing \$180,000 for the immediate relief of the people of Mozambique, Zimbabwe, and Malawi.

This year the Peter's Pence Collection will be taken up at all Masses on the weekend of June 19th and 20, 2021. Please join with our brothers and sisters in faith from around the globe to help Pope Francis reach those who are marginalized. Please prayerfully consider how you can best support the collection this year.

Gratefully and with best wishes in Jesus Christ

+Most Reverend Nelson J. Perez, D.D.

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Archbishop of Philadelphia

O'HARRA SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Anyone interested in the O'HARRA SCHOLARSHIP for Holy Family College age parishioners have one week to make their request known. Please call the rectory at 215-482-0450. The grant is for \$5,000.00 for those who qualify.



CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL

John Delaney will be speaking at all the masses today regarding the Catholic Charities Appeal.

Saturday and Sunday, May 15th and 16th is the only in-pew solicitation for the Catholic Charities Appeal this Sunday. If you would like more information go to www.HolyFamilyChurch.org/Appeal.

SPRING HOUSE CLEANING

Save the Date Immaculate Heart of Mary parish will be hosting a clothing and household goods drive to benefit The Society of St. Vincent de Paul at IHM on Sunday May 23 from 8am to 12 pm. SVDP will be using the services of Greendrop to support their clothing drive. Look for the Greendrop truck in the church parking lot where an attendant will be available to assist you with your donations. Tax receipts will be available. Please place your donations of usable men's, women's and children's clothing in plastic bags or boxes. Household items such as kitchenware, games/toys, small appliances (under 50 pounds), electronics, sporting goods, books, CD's & videos are also accepted. Unfortunately, furniture, large appliances, TV's and computer monitors cannot be accepted. For a full list of acceptable items visit: www.gogreendrop.com

PARKING LOT

We regret the fact that construction has made getting to our church property difficult for many drivers. The City has control of the construction. We do not have an ending date. We pray for a quick conclusion to the situation.

The church and daycare parking lot are open during scheduled weekend Masses and may be used for parking.



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MYSELF FOR THEM."**

JOHN 17:19

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