

# Church of the Holy Family

## PARISH RECTORY

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### *Pastor*

Rev. Msgr. Patrick E. Sweeney  
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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](mailto: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:*

Jeanine Censi-Lamont

*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.*

SEPTEMBER 12<sup>TH</sup> 2021

24<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4<sup>th</sup> - 4:00pm**

Mary Ann Long., requested by Harry and Eileen Mullen

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5<sup>th</sup> - 9:00am**  
(live-streamed)

Our Parishioners

**11:00am**

Eileen Falchetta, requested by Marie Mueller

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 6<sup>th</sup> - 9:00am**

**LABOR DAY**

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6<sup>th</sup> - 8:00am**

Antonio Colubriale, requested by his grandchildren

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7<sup>th</sup> - 8:00am**

William O'Harra

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8<sup>th</sup> - 8:00am**

Doris and Charles Groom, requested by John Groom

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9<sup>th</sup> - 8:00am**

Special Intention

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10<sup>th</sup> - 4:00pm**

Helen Larkin, requested by Sister Mary Jo Larkin

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11<sup>th</sup> - 9:00am**  
(live-streamed)

Susan DeSimone, (1<sup>st</sup> Year Anniversary) requested by John and Teresa Spinks

**11:00am**

Our Parishioners



**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11<sup>th</sup> - 4:00pm**

Helen Larkin, requested by Sister Mary Jo Larkin

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12<sup>th</sup> - 9:00am**  
(live-streamed)

Susan DeSimone, (1<sup>st</sup> Year Anniversary) requested by John and Teresa Spinks

**11:00am**

Our Parishioners

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 13<sup>th</sup> - 9:00am**

Dave Thummel, requested by Harry and Eileen Mullen

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14<sup>th</sup> - 8:00am**

Edward Nizio, requested by Berth Volack

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15<sup>th</sup> - 8:00am**

Joseph Colubriale, requested by his nieces and nephews

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16<sup>th</sup> - 8:00am**

Adaline O'Harra

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 17<sup>th</sup> - 8:00am**

Special Intention

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 18<sup>th</sup> - 4:00pm**

Rita Carrato, requested by her family

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 19<sup>th</sup> - 9:00am**  
(live-streamed)

Our Parishioner

**11:00am**

Annie Swalla, requested by her family



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 the parish.

**WEEKLY COLLECTIONS**

Sunday, August 22 <sup>nd</sup> (106)	\$ 3,288.78
Catholic University (7)	\$ 222.00
Stewardship (2)	\$ 210.00
Feast of the Assumption (10)	\$ 130.00
2nd Collection	\$ 25.00

**TOTAL \$ 3,865.78**

**WEEKLY COLLECTIONS**

Sunday, August 29 <sup>th</sup> (105)	\$ 3,398.59
Stewardship (1)	\$ 300.00
2nd Collection	\$ 199.00
Feast of the Assumption (4)	\$ 43.00
Catholic University (2)	\$ 10.00
Black and Indian Mission (1)	\$ 5.00
Mission Co-Op (1)	\$ 5.00

**TOTAL \$ 3,960.59**



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, , 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 Sprengle, Joe Szewczak, Fran Thomas, and Roy (Toysie) Turvey, Jr..



LCPL. Shane Canavan, , 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



Please pray for the happy repose of all the faithful departed especially, Anne Marie Kerns and especially during the pandemic.



**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11<sup>th</sup> - 4:00pm**

Grace Welsh - Jocelyn Welsh

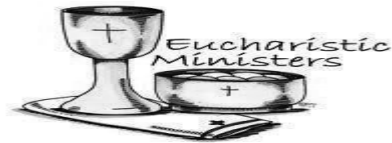
**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12<sup>th</sup>**

**9:00am**

Joseph Arturo

**11:00am**

Charlotte Welsh



**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11<sup>th</sup> - 4:00pm**

Mary Alice Missimer

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12<sup>th</sup>**

**9:00am**

Jay Feinshil

**11:00am**

Thomas Siegharter



**SATURDAY, 11<sup>th</sup> - 4:00pm**

Sister Mary Jo Larkin

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12<sup>th</sup>**

**9:00am**

Audrey Williams

**11:00am**

John Naab

## Important Notice

If you need to get Mass Cards or have any other reason for coming to the rectory please come to the front door of the rectory as you will not be able to come to the rectory back door due to closure of our parking lot.



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](mailto: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 Jeanine Censi-Lamont at the rectory 215-482-0450 or [teethfiller1@aol.com](mailto:teethfiller1@aol.com)



Everyone is preparing for the new school year at the daycare! The classrooms and lessons are being prepared for the upcoming year! Back to circle time in the morning and prayers for a great school year! We have some new staff members joining our current staff and are looking for even more to help with the many incoming children!

If you are interested in a career in childcare or you have a need for our childcare service or information about the childcare center you can contact Ms. April Moore, the director at 610-952-9186 or visit our website at [www.holyfamilychildcare.org](http://www.holyfamilychildcare.org)



Parish Religious Education Program

To all parents of school age children, the parish PREP PROGRAM is opening for in person class on Tuesday, September 21<sup>st</sup> at 6:30pm. Note the change from Sunday morning to a week day night. This should be a more convenient time for parents and teachers. You should register online by August 30<sup>th</sup>.

If you miss the deadline, do it on September 12<sup>th</sup> in the rectory. Opening Mass on September 19<sup>th</sup> at 9:00am, Sunday Mass. A day time chance to meet your child's teacher.

Every child who needs the sacrament of Communion or Confirmation, should register now. It's the way you become a full member of the church. It is a grace that everyone needs.



Dear Parishioners,

We are sorry that we have to tell you that the parking lot is closed. City Construction had made it impossible to drive down Fowler Street any longer. Out entrance will be excavated to make way for new sewers. We expect the congregation will not have use of our lot until October. Parking is unavailable to all our friends' neighbors, sorry to say.

## ANNUAL PADRE PIO FESTIVAL SEPTEMBER. 18-19<sup>th</sup>

St. Bede the Venerable parish and Knights of Columbus Council 15478 present the sixth annual Padre Pio Festival from noon to 9 p.m. Sept. 18 and noon to 6 p.m. Sept. 19. A family picnic with food, games and amusements kicks off the festival on Sept. 18. A mass and blessing and relics will follow at 5 p.m. before the Jersey Tenors present an evening concert at 7:30 p.m. Solemn Mass at 12:30 followed by street procession and healing service

Location: St. Bede the Venerable Parish, 1071 Holland Rd. Holland Pa. More info: <https://padrepiofesiovalhollandpa.com/>



POLISH AMERICAN CULTURAL CENTER

The Polish American Festival:

Saturday September 11 and Sunday September 12th  
 National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa  
 12 noon - 8:00  
 \$12.00 admission covers all events and carnival rides  
 Polish and American Food and Refreshments are served



**Beginning September 15, 2021**

*Surviving Divorce: Hope and Healing for the Catholic Family* is a 12-week program addressing both practical and spiritual concerns of separated/divorced Catholics. With video testimonies from divorced Catholics who have moved from hurt to healing, along with wisdom from Catholic leaders such as Fr. Mitch Pakwa, Christopher West, and Dr. Ray Guarendi, this series helps you and your family navigate this difficult time and grow holier and happier through a closer relationship with God and with each other.

*Sample topics:* getting through your anger; dealing with depression; learning to forgive; handling money wisely; learning to let go; seeing God in romance; deciding about dating; dealing with your family; and more.



**FALL OPEN HOUSE**

**Sunday, September 26, 2021 from 10:00 am to 12:30 pm**

All the schools programs and facilities will be available to prospective students and their families. The program will include presentations, demonstrations and guided tours. Mass will be offered at 9:00am for those who attend.



Today, we give sincere thanks for everyone's kind and generous support making our Parish Stewardship Enhancement Initiative a great success for The Church of the Holy Family. Our parish family has shown an extraordinary display of stewardship, as our parishioners and parish community give their time, talent, and treasure in helping us reach our goal.

Together, we saw an increase of 10% in weekly offertory! These resources allow us to expand our services and ministries, maintain our church and spiritual home, support our growth as a parish, and provide care and resources for those in need.

I am inspired by your love and faith and grateful to you. Through your good works, our parish remains a light for all those seeking a deeper relationship with the Lord. On behalf of the Pastoral and Finance Councils, volunteers and staff, your generosity is deeply appreciated. Thank you.

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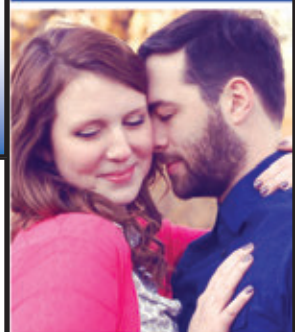
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