

# 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** 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 Duffly

*RCIA:* Wednesday at 7:00pm

*PREP:* Sundays from 10:00-11:00am



## 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: 9:00am

## BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated every third 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 Thursday each week from 11:00am to 12:30pm

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

*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.*

APRIL 23<sup>RD</sup> 2023

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER



MONDAY, APRIL 24<sup>th</sup> - 8:00am

William O'Harra

TUESDAY, APRIL 25<sup>th</sup> - 8:00am

Our Parishioners

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26<sup>th</sup> - 8:00am

Kay Weber Hoy, requested by the Weber Family

THURSDAY, APRIL 27<sup>th</sup> - 8:00am

Larry Kolman, requested by Anne and Debbie Currier

FRIDAY, APRIL 28<sup>th</sup> - 8:00am

Special Intentions

SATURDAY, APRIL 29<sup>th</sup> - 4:00pm

Bridget Walsh, requested by the family

SUNDAY, APRIL 30<sup>rd</sup> - 9:00am

Rose and Calvin Patterson, requested by Nora Patterson

11:00am

Vincent and Patrick Kelly, Jr., requested by Bernadette Furia



Please remember your Church Weekly Offering. You can either mail it in or do it by Electronic Giving@www.HolyFamilyChurch.org/Give

E-Giving 4/5 (26)	\$ 1,095.00
Easter (3)	\$ 650.00
Easter Flowers (1)	\$ 10.00
Holy Land (1)	\$ 15.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 1,770.00</b>
Sunday 4/16 (52)	\$ 2,236.25
E-Giving (22)	\$ 587.00
Mail-In (8)	\$ 115.00
Second Collection	\$ 183.00
Easter (9)	\$ 955.00
Military Services (1)	\$ 100.00
Holy Thursday (5)	\$ 75.00
Holy Land (2)	\$ 40.00
Christmas Flowers (1)	\$ 10.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 4,301.25</b>

The second collection this weekend will be for the Parish.



In your prayers, you are asked to pray for all the sick of the parish and those who care for them especially, Josephine Barry, Ashley Brown, Christopher Browne, Megan Duffy, Daniel Evans, Terry Flanagan, Jane Latta, Edward Lawnton, Candida Leodora, Lisa Long, Maeve Mahon, Mary McCormick, Erin McFarlane, Megan McHugh, Floss Payne, Anthony Pelle, Ronald Rigler, Daniel Seddon, Bill and Theresa Sherwin, Fred Smeltzer, Ava Snick, Frances Sprenkle, and Roy (Toysie) Turvey, Jr.

PRAYER LIST REQUEST

If you have someone or know someone who is sick and would like them listed under the PRAYER REQUEST, please call Holy Family Rectory, 215-482-0450, Monday through Friday between 9 AM and 3 PM.



LCPL. Shane Canavan, Sgt. Shane Carlson, Sgt. Tyler Manigly, RTC Dominic Remolde, Captain Zach Schwatka, Col. Scott Shore, and Cpl. Christopher Starrett.

# IN LOVING Memory

Please pray for the happy repose of all the faithful departed especially Silvio (Rocky) Long and Catherine Mondì.



**SATURDAY, APRIL 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**4:00pm**

Grace Welsh

**SUNDAY, APRIL 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**9:00am**

Joseph Arturo

**11:00am**

Charlotte Welsh



**SATURDAY, APRIL 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**4:00pm**

Sr. Mary Joe Larkin

**SUNDAY, APRIL 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**9:00am**

Jamie Torna

**11:00am**

Jay Feinschil



**SATURDAY, APRIL 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**4:00 pm**

Sr. Mary Joe Larkin

**SUNDAY, APRIL 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**9:00am**

Audrey Williams

**11:00am**

Dorothea Richardson

## REQUEST MASS INTENTIONS

The Church Mass Book for 2023 is now opened. If you would like Masses said for this year contact Holy Family Rectory, 215-482-0450, Monday through Friday between 9 AM and 3 PM.



The Winner of the 50/50 Raffle for March was Tom Payne. Don't forget to get your 50/50 Raffle envelopes for April in. If you do not have an April envelope for the 50/50 or have 2 envelopes for May, cross one of the May out and write April on it, or just put it in a plain envelope.

### ENVELOPE PACKET

You will find new special envelopes in your monthly mailing. This product will not be as easy to use as our old envelopes. We hope to have an easier envelope to use in the future. In the meantime, please do not be discouraged. IT WILL GET FIXED.



With joyful hearts we welcome to Holy Family Parish newly baptized member:

**DELIA MARIE O'SHAUGHNESSY**



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## **HOLY FAMILY CHILDCARE NEWS**

At Holy Family Child Care, a number of exciting things are happening. **We are happy to introduce a new Classroom upstairs for our 2.5 – 3.5 years olds** as we welcome new families on a weekly basis. **Together with our new instructors**, I'd like to extend a warm welcome to those new families.

Our aim is to offer a high-quality early education program in a supportive and stimulating environment so that children can later venture out into the world and share the love of Christ to transform minds and hearts

### **Great Holy Family Childcare News!**

**Due to the increasing enrollment of our new and improved Childcare Center, we are looking for early childhood teachers to join our Family. Please send your resume to [APresley@holyfamilychildcare.org](mailto:APresley@holyfamilychildcare.org) or by calling 215-482-0450. Part-time and Full-time positions available**

## **HOLY LAND DISCOVERY TOUR**

**SEPTEMBER 1 – 8, 2023**

**CATHOLIC ITINERARY**

Mass is included. The roots of your faith will come to life on this extraordinary journey through Israel. Starting from Tel Aviv, visit some of the main archaeological, historical, and biblical sites, and follow in the footsteps of Jesus as you learn more about His life and ministry. To stand in the very places where history unfolded is a true highlight as you visit important sites of the Gospel, such as Nazareth, the Sea of Galilee, Cana, the Mount of Beatitudes, the River Jordan valley, Bethlehem, and last, but not least, Jerusalem. This extraordinary Israel tour is designed for value-minded travelers. Hotel; Transportation, Guides, Historians, 7 breakfasts, 4 Dinners are included.

Land price starts at \$1,979.00 per person (based on double Occupancy). An \$850 deposit per person will hold your space. For more information and reservations, call Brian at Catholic Cruises and Tours: (860)-399-1785.



**We are planning on having a covered dish dinner for all Parishioners on May 27, 2023 after the 4pm mass. If you are home during Memorial Day Weekend, bring a dish, play some games and have some great conversation with your fellow parishioners.**



## **MANNA CAN FOOD COLLECTION**

The MANNA Canned Food Collection affords our faith community an opportunity to express concern for needy people living within the geographic area of our own Archdiocese. Many struggling families and individuals turn to our emergency food cupboards for support during times of crisis. While all ages are represented in the face of hunger, sadly the burden of poverty rests most heavily on our children. Their lives are blessed by the generosity of the faithful of our parishes.



We welcome those to Holy Family Parish that were initiated into the Church at our Easter Vigil Mass. Congratulations to: Jillian Della Monica, Zach Preston, and Billy Karwoski.



Congratulations to those who received their Confirmation on Divine Mercy Sunday, Daniel Olivas and Brittany Rogers.

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