



**DECEMBER 20, 2020**

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**Parish Mission**  
**“Engaged in Christ, Engaged with Each Other, Engaged in our Community”**

*For a complete list of staff emails and ministries, visit our website at [www.holyfamilychurch.com](http://www.holyfamilychurch.com)*

**SCHEDULE OF SERVICES FOR CATHOLIC PARISHES IN SOUTH ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY**  
 Holy Family  
 Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday: 9:00a.m., Saturday: 5:00p.m., Sunday: 8:45am & 11:15am

Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Edgewater . . . . 443-203-1002  
 Saturday: 4:00p.m. Sunday: 8:30 & 11:00a.m.  
 Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 9:00a.m.  
 Wednesday 9:00a.m. Communion Service  
 Mass in Spanish: Saturdays at 6:00p.m.  
 (except first Sat. of the month)  
**“For Mass times call the office.”**

Our Lady of Sorrows, Owensville . . . . . 410-867-2059  
 Saturday: 5:00p.m. Sunday: 8:00 & 10:30a.m.  
 Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 9:00a.m.  
 Wednesday 9:00a.m. Communion Service  
**“For Mass times call the office.”**

**Baptism:** Call the Parish Office as early as possible to make arrangements. A Baptism Preparation Class is required for first time parents.  
**Reconciliation:** Saturday at 3:30 p.m. through 4:45 p.m., and by appointment.  
**Communion Calls:** Call the Parish Office if you wish Holy Communion brought to a member of your family.  
**Marriage:** Call the Parish Office at least 6 months before the anticipated date of the wedding.  
**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.):** Email Charles Burk at [burkce53@gmail.com](mailto:burkce53@gmail.com) to learn about the Catholic faith.  
**Rite of Christian Initiation of Children & Youth (R.C.I.C.), Reconciliation & First Communion:** Shannon Payne, Coordinator of Sacramental Preparation at [firstsacraments@hfccmail.org](mailto:firstsacraments@hfccmail.org).  
**Perpetual Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Oratory:** For information, email Cindy Daily at [cindy.daily@verizon.net](mailto:cindy.daily@verizon.net).  
**Rosary:** Monday at 6:30 p.m. in the Chapel.  
**Prayer Network:** To have prayers said for a special intention, call Chuck & Sally Miller at 410-798-4884.

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<https://www.facebook.com/Holy-Family-Catholic-Church-Davidsonville-Maryland>

## HOLY FAMILY

*Dear Brothers & Sisters,*

**1. Be a light this Advent Season.** Help us “make a bed for Baby Jesus” like the straws of Bethlehem so many years ago. Mangers where you can place your good deeds written on yellow slips of paper will be in the JMJ Café, as you enter **UNITY HALL** for Mass and also in the Narthex, as you enter the **CHURCH** for Mass.

**2.** We'll be posting, in the flocknote and on the Facebook page, **one to three minute long videos about faith and the Advent/Christmas season** through Christmas Day. Some videos will be by myself, Deacon Doug, Deacon Moise, staff members or parishioners. This is just a way to try to make Advent more personal for everyone this year in a less personal environment.

**3. TWO SEMINARIANS FROM CAMEROON MOVED INTO THE RECTORY ON DEC. 13th:** Their names are Shiadrik and Clinton. I am not 100% sure when they will be able to mix with folks in the parish since they arrived from overseas by plane (from Cameroon) on Dec 13th. But I am hoping that you all can see them soon. In January Shiadrik will begin at Mt. St. Mary's in Emmitsburg and Clinton will begin at St. Mary's in Baltimore. Please pray for them, and if you would like to help us in getting them some basic things like warm clothing, bedding for the seminary room, shampoo, a laptop, etc, you can **DONATE TO THE POOR BOX** the weekend of Dec. 19th-20th and those funds will go to helping these two fellows.

**4. CHRISTMAS SINGALONG ON DEC. 20th:** With the help of Mr. Ron Brown and the choir, we'll have a **VIRTUAL CHRISTMAS SINGALONG** with favorite Advent and Christmas hymns sung and the Christmas Nativity story read, in sections, in between songs. We will be sending out the music to you all to sing with from home on the Facebook and in our email blast. You'll be able to watch this live on Facebook or Youtube.

**5. CHRISTMAS EVE AND CHRISTMAS MASSES:**

- ◆ 1pm & 3pm Masses on Christmas Eve, **OUTSIDE (weather permitting)**, no registration needed. The 1pm Mass will be cancelled if there is precipitation or if the temperatures are below freezing and the 3pm will **require registering** on line if it's moved inside.
- ◆ The following Masses will require pre-registration: CHRISTMAS EVE - 3pm & 5:30pm Masses in the Church 7:30pm & 10pm in the Church. **CHRISTMAS DAY**, 10am in the Church. Go to [holyfamilychurch.com](http://holyfamilychurch.com) to register. If you do not do a computer, please call the Parish Office and leave a message for Donna at extension 35. Please do not leave a message for her after noon on Monday Dec. 21st. Any message left after that time will not be answered.
- ◆ We are providing more Masses than normal...and just aren't sure what to expect in terms of attendance this year. **BUT**, if the Masses become **FULL**, we have been told by the Archdiocese that **JUST FOR CHRISTMAS EVE / and CHRISTMAS THIS YEAR**, we can allow people to watch the Mass from their phones in their cars. **EVEN IF PEOPLE HAVE NOT REGISTERED**, they can come into the Church at communion time and then go back to their car. This also is an option if you simply don't want to come into the building for Mass this Christmas.



**Peace,**

**Fr. Andy**



Then the angel said to her, “Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God. Behold, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you shall name him Jesus. He will be great and will be called Son of the Most High, and the Lord God will give him the throne of David his father.”

**Lk 1:30-32**

*Dec. 21st- Dec. 27th*

<b>Mon.</b>	9:00 a.m.	<b>No Communion Service</b>
<b>Tues.</b>	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Zachary O'Meara
<b>Wed.</b>	9:00 a.m.	For the repose of the souls of Lucille & Joseph Lins
<b>Thurs.</b>	<b>1:00 p.m. Rear Parking Lot (Outside)</b>	For the repose of the soul of Sue Gordon
<b>Thurs.</b>	<b>3:00 p.m. Church</b>	For the repose of the soul of Isidoro Armenta
<b>Thurs.</b>	<b>3:00 p.m. Rear Parking Lot (Outside)</b>	For the repose of the soul of Samuel Garcia
<b>Thurs.</b>	<b>5:30 p.m. Church</b>	For the repose of the soul of Josephine Lucente
<b>Thurs.</b>	<b>5:30 p.m. Unity Hall</b>	For the repose of the soul of Michael Budowski
<b>Thurs.</b>	<b>7:30 p.m. Church</b>	For the repose of the soul of Jamison Dickey
<b>Thurs.</b>	<b>10:00 p.m. Church</b>	For the repose of the soul of Kevin Collins
<b>Fri.</b>	<b>10:00 a.m. Church</b>	For the repose of the souls of Daniel W. Collins and Margaret E. Collins
<b>Sat.</b>	5:00 p.m.	For the intentions of Ryan McCulloch
<b>Sun.</b>	7:45 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Michael Budowski
<b>Sun.</b>	9:15 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Eileen Zogby
<b>Sun.</b>	11:00 a.m.	For the repose of the soul of Isidoro Armenta

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Sun.	Adoration continues, Oratory Masses at 8:45am, Church & Unity Hall Rel. Ed. PreK-8 8:45am-10am & 11:15am-12:30pm, Classrooms 2-6 & 10-18 Contemporary Music Group Rehearsal 9am, Library Children's Liturgy of the Word 9am-Noon, Off-site Mass, 11:15am, Outside Back Lot Advent Sing Along 12:30pm-1:30pm, Church High School Youth Group 6pm-8pm, Youth Room
Mon.	Adoration continues, Oratory Liturgy Committee 9:30am, Church, Narthex & Unity Hall Rel. Edu. Classes (Grades K-8) 4:30pm-5:45pm, Lower Level Classrooms 2-6 & 10-18 Rosary Group 6:30pm-7pm, Chapel
Tues.	Adoration continues, Oratory Liturgy Committee 9:30am, Church, Narthex & Unity Hall Making Music Program 10am-Noon, Off-site
Wed.	Adoration continues, Oratory Liturgy Committee 9:30am, Church, Narthex & Unity Hall Confessions 5pm-6pm & 7pm-8pm, Outside Chapel
Thurs.	Adoration continues, Oratory Parish Office Closed Christmas Eve Mass 1pm, Back Parking Lot Christmas Eve Masses 3:00pm & 5:30pm, Church & Unity Hall Christmas Eve Masses 7:30pm & 10pm, Church
Fri.	Adoration continues, Oratory Parish Office Closed Christmas Day Mass 10am, Church
Sat.	Adoration continues, Oratory Liturgy Committee 9:30am, Unity Hall



**HOLIDAY GREETINGS from Fr. Andy, Deacon Doug, Deacon Moise and the staff!** The parish office will be closed on Thursday, December 24th and Friday, December 25th and will reopen at 8:30am on Monday, December 28th. Have a blessed and safe Christmas!



**COLLECTION REPORT:** The collection report for December 12th & 13th and 19th & 20th will be in a later bulletin due to early publication deadlines.



**POOR BOX DONATIONS** through Faith Direct is now available. Help those in need in South County through Holy Family's St. Vincent de Paul Society. You can add a donation weekly or monthly by using this link: <https://membership.faithdirect.net/enroll/MD61> or a one-time donation can be made at <https://membership.faithdirect.net/givenow/MD61>. **Thank you for your continued support.**



**STEWARDSHIP:** Offertory donations are essential for Holy Family's parish operations. We rely heavily on the Sunday offertory to maintain operational budgets, and fund staff positions and outreach activities in our community. Many of you have asked how to continue your support while you are unable to attend Mass in person. Holy Family uses Faith Direct to facilitate electronic giving directly to the parish accounts. If you are not already enrolled in Faith Direct you can use this link <https://membership.faithdirect.net/MD61> or use the link on the Holy Family website. You can join Faith Direct, using the Holy Family code of MD61 and make a one time or recurring donation from either your checking account or credit card. Options for giving include Offertory, Second Collection and special collections, such as Easter. Those of you who are already enrolled in Faith Direct can also use these links to increase your recurring donations if you believe that you are able to do this. Other options for supporting your parish include setting up your offertory donation through your personal online banking bill pay function. You may also mail your offertory envelopes to the Church office at Holy Family, PO Box 130, Davidsonville, MD 21035. If you have any questions or concerns, you may contact Donna at [office@hfccmail.org](mailto:office@hfccmail.org).



**STOCK DONATIONS TO HOLY FAMILY:** Donating appreciated stock is an efficient way to make a charitable gift. It's easy and it saves the donor from paying capital gains taxes. If you itemize your deductions you are eligible to deduct the full fair market value of the stock, up to IRS limits. With the stock market near all time highs, utilizing appreciated stock for charitable gifting is worth considering. Effectively you're able to contribute 20% more than if you sold the stock and paid capital gains taxes. Please contact Donna at [office@hfccmail.org](mailto:office@hfccmail.org) in the parish office for information on the process for doing this.

**PARISHIONERS 70½ YEARS AND OLDER:** Please remember that if you choose to make a charitable distribution from your traditional IRA account, Holy Family is qualified to receive such a distribution under applicable tax law. There are specific tax advantages for those over 70 and ½ years of age who choose to make these types of charitable donations. The donation must be made directly to the qualified charity and Holy Family will acknowledge each charitable donation in writing as required by tax law. **You should of course consult your tax advisor before making a federally tax-free charitable distribution from your IRA.**



**CARING FOR CREATION:** *It seems like lots of folks are doing live Christmas Trees this year. Did you know,* you can make your cut Christmas tree **fire resistant** and help it to stay greener longer and stop those falling needles? Fill a bucket with two cups of Karo syrup, two ounces liquid chlorine bleach, two pinches Epsom salts, one-half teaspoon Borax and one teaspoon chelated iron. Add hot water to a two gallon bucket and stir.. Ideally, after cutting off an inch or so from the bottom, **soak the tree in the bucket overnight.** If you must put in the stand right away, carefully monitor the water level several times a day and top off as needed, especially for the first few days and thereafter, top off daily with your mixture. **If the tree stand dries out the cut end can seal itself and cease taking up water.** Using this mixture will keep branches flexible throughout its time in your home. If lots of thin needles are falling to the ground it is time to move outside to be recycled by the county. With live balled and burlap trees, plain water should be used, be sure it remains moist the entire time it is in your home. (*hint: dig your hole now*) Turn off your lights when you are away and when you go to sleep.

**WINTER IS COMING** and it is a great time to create a emergency kit for your car. Some things to include are: a first aid kit, snow shovel, jacket and poncho, blanket, ice scraper, gloves, hat, coat and pull over rubber boots. Be sure to top off your windshield wiper fluid with a winter mix. Water and snacks are always a good idea. Jumper cables could save you or someone else in an emergency. Carefully read the instructions on the proper way to connect them or look the instructions up on the web. There are many plastic tubs in different sizes at the stores to organize your emergency kit and keep everything nice and dry. Be safe out there! Chris Gordon, OFS at [christophergordon@verizon.net](mailto:christophergordon@verizon.net).



**MEN'S GROUPS:** Fraternity, discussion and faith. We meet every other week. Choose from a variety of meeting times. For more information and to find a time that works for you contact Dave Springer at [HFMM24@gmail.com](mailto:HFMM24@gmail.com).



**WOMEN'S MINISTRY:** Are you looking for sisters in Christ to share in faith and friendship? A place where you can ask for prayers and know you will be lifted up and supported in any way possible. A place where you can grow in your knowledge of scripture and how it applies to your daily life. Contact Christy Cosgrove at [adulted@hfccmail.org](mailto:adulted@hfccmail.org) and find out how to participate in this beautiful ministry.



**DIVORCECARE FOR KIDS (DC4K)** support group is a safe, fun place where your children can learn skills that will help them heal. DC4K groups blend, games, music, stories, videos and discussion to help kids process the divorce and move forward. Groups meet weekly and are designed for children ages 5-12. DC4K has many online groups and meets different days of the week. Sign in at <https://www.dc4k.org>.

- ◆ We would like to host our own group online (virtually) in the New Year and need group facilitators. If you have an interest in leading, co-leading or assisting in a group, please reach out to Cyndi at [familyministry@hfccmail.org](mailto:familyministry@hfccmail.org).



**PRAY FOR:** Michael Strange, Buddy Reio, John Dempsey, Craig Witz, Dorothy Wright, Brayden Chesnick, Richard Addair, Augusta Hunt, Tom Schall, Tracy Joyce, Jenny Worrell, Maria Witz, Edie Humler, Gene, Ron, & Sandy Albright, Baby Giovanni LiCalzi, Morgan Earp, Bobby Bender, Oliver Moses Jaquez, Emma Webster, Tamara Huggins, Debi Greenfield, Thomas Scarduzio, Mike Greenwell, Larry & Katy Novicki, Liam O'Brien, Pauline Lukash, Lexi Woepler, Kevin Shaw, Elizabeth Coe, Jessica Connell, Bradley Abell, Ricky Smith, Lauren Scalici, Edward Stromberg, Jr., Noah Haas, John Kelly, Bill Hoffman, Mary Markuski, Steve Arapian, Linda Markuski, Ken Carter, Pam Thayer, Geri McCarthy, Lloyd Shelton, Sandi Matthews, Adam & Christine Palmer, Mary Fenton, Priscilla Snyder, Jerry Jones, Laura Ruitberg and for those on the prayer network.



**MAKING MUSIC PRAYING TWICE:** For the past five years we have been holding preschool musical classes at Holy Family. It has been very successful. With the change in our social distancing environment we have been publishing an online program. Now, we would like to take one additional step. We are hoping to have virtual/interactive classes soon. We are looking for individuals over the age of 17 who are willing to teach online music to our young ones and their guardians. If you are interested, please email Cyndi at [familyministry@hfccmail.org](mailto:familyministry@hfccmail.org).



**2021 CALENDARS ARE HERE!** "Feasts & Saints!" Pick yours up any weekday or weekend in December on the table/s in the Upper Gallery & JMJ Cafe. Please take one per family so everyone gets a calendar!



**"CHRISTMAS EVE & CHRISTMAS DAY MASS TIMES"**

- December 24** - 1pm Mass Outside (Weather Permitting)  
Fr. Andy - Music - Ron Brown
- December 24** - 3pm Mass Outside (Weather Permitting) -  
Fr. Andy-Music-Ron Brown (**Live streamed**)
- December 24** - 5:30pm Mass - Church - Fr. Russo  
Music - Ron Brown (**Live streamed**)
- December 24** - 5:30pm Mass - Unity Hall - Fr. Andy  
(**Children's Message**) Music - Joe Morson
- December 24** - 7:30pm Mass - Church - Fr. Gene Nickol  
Music - Ron Brown
- December 24** - 10pm Mass - Church - Fr. Andy  
Music - Ron Brown
- December 25** - 10am Mass-Church - Fr. Chris Moore  
Music - Ron Brown

**Pre-registration is necessary for all but the outdoor 1pm & 3pm Masses (unless the 3pm is moved into Unity Hall because of weather) on Christmas Eve. Visit our website at [www.holyfamilychurch.com](http://www.holyfamilychurch.com) for instructions starting Monday, December 14th.**



**LIGHT OF THE NEW COVENANT PRAYER GROUP:** The prayer group is on winter recess. Blessings this holiday season. Stay safe and well! For prayer requests email Joan Pawloski, [joan.pawloski@yahoo.com](mailto:joan.pawloski@yahoo.com).

For more information contact Mela Dempsey, Prayer Group Leader, at [hermed219@comcast.net](mailto:hermed219@comcast.net).



**DEACON DOUG'S Q & A: Question:** When did the Church begin to celebrate Advent.

**Answer to question about Matthew and**

**Luke:** Luke writes about Mary from Chapter 1:2 through 2:52. He writes about John the Baptist, the Annunciation and Visitation, Birth of Jesus, the Presentation and Jesus lost in the Temple. The focus of Matthew is more on Joseph, from 1:13 through 2:22. He writes about the angel's message to Joseph, the Magi, the Flight to Egypt and return to Nazareth.



**CELEBRATORY BRICKS AT THE CHAPEL:** Holy Family offers the opportunity to purchase a brick (4" x 8" \$150 or 8" x 8"

\$250) in memory of a loved one or to celebrate a family achievement. Interested parties should contact Jeanne Collins, office receptionist, at [rcpt@hfccmail.org](mailto:rcpt@hfccmail.org). Forms are available on the Parish website, [www.holyfamilychurch.com](http://www.holyfamilychurch.com) or through the Parish Office. The donation for a brick goes directly to Holy Family Catholic Church.



**CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD:** Visit the website homepage and scroll to the "CLOW" ICON. Search the dates and click on the link to a power point presentation with that weeks lesson. God Bless!



**BOOK CLUB:** Join us Monday, January 11, 2021 at 7pm as we dive into *Hope to Die* by Scott Hahn and share in faith, friendship and lively discussion. We will meet in the JMJ Café. You must wear a

mask. All social distancing practices will be in place. For more information, please contact Betty Ryon at [eryon0037@aol.com](mailto:eryon0037@aol.com) or 240-375-6344.

**DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SUPPORT GROUP:** This group is held online on Wednesdays at 4 pm. If you are interested, please contact the YWCA at 410-626-7800 so you can be invited to the group. Nancy Frank is the contact person there. If you would like additional resources you can also email [familyministry@hfccmail.org](mailto:familyministry@hfccmail.org).

**CHECK OUT "Formed"** with lots of video content on-demand to help you grow in your faith on [www.holyfamilychurch.com](http://www.holyfamilychurch.com).



**OLPH FOOD PANTRY:** Bless you all for your continued generosity and thank you to the folks still delivering to the pantry! **WE NEED 1LB SIZE JARS OF PEANUT BUTTER!!** Please remember to bag all donated items that you leave in the blue shopping carts outside or in the Narthex.



**BE THE LIGHT THIS ADVENT SEASON:** Help us make a bed for "Baby Jesus," like the straws of Bethlehem so many years ago. Do a good deed for others and record it on a strip of paper from home, then place it in the basket in the Narthex & Unity Hall.

**SEW TIME: "Saving Lives one Mask at a Time."** As of October 30th the Sew Time Ministry, which is a combined effort of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, has distributed 12,044 masks, 472 scrub caps and 717 ear savers. We made a total of 66 fleece blankets in our September/October community service project for the homeless in Baltimore and patients at AAMC. **Do you love to sew or crochet?** We have kits, patterns, supplies and even sewing machines available. If you would like to be a part of this amazing ministry contact Barbara Harmel at [barbara.harmel@gmail.com](mailto:barbara.harmel@gmail.com) or Pam Hines at [hinesjp@verizon.net](mailto:hinesjp@verizon.net).



**MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER:** If you have taken a Marriage Encounter weekend and would like to join a monthly Marriage Encounter Prayer Circle please contact Eileen Dickey at 410-867-3542 for more information.



**HOLY FAMILY MOVIE CLUB** *scheduled in December was cancelled due to the new COVID-19 restrictions.* We will re-asses in January 2021. For more information about this ministry, contact Jeff Snively at [jeffsnively@gmail.com](mailto:jeffsnively@gmail.com).



**FLOWER MEMORIALS:** You are invited to memorialize a loved one for Christmas by making a donation to help cover the cost of plants and wreaths in the Church, Chapel and Unity Hall. Donation envelopes are available on the tables in the Narthex or in your envelope packet. Thank you for your generosity in making our sanctuary beautiful for the birth of our Savior.



**DO YOU SHOP ON-LINE AT AMAZON?** Christmas is right around the corner! Register at [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com) with the School of the Incarnation. The school will receive **.5% cash back** on your purchases. You'll know you are earning for the school when you see the AmazonSmile logo and **"Supporting: School of the Incarnation"** at the top of the screen. Thank you for supporting Catholic education!

**NEW AFTER HOURS DROP BOXES:** Can't make it to the Parish Office or Religious Education Office during regular business hours and need to drop something off or need a document signed (please leave best contact number)? We have installed two black boxes for your convenience. One is located on the brick wall across from the main entrance door to the Church and the other is located under the doorbell next to the main doors to the Religious Education Office. **NO CASH, PLEASE!**



**LUNCHABLES CHALLENGE:** Check our Facebook page on how one of our middle school aged young person is continuing to use part of her allowance money to purchase Lunchables to donate to the OLPH pantry. **So far she has purchased over 600 packages!** She is challenging other young people to do the same.



**HIGH SCHOOL/MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP:** We are very, very busy in the North Pole helping Santa's Elves prepare for December 24th travels. **Mr. & Mrs. Claus are being very cautious and making sure everyone in the North Pole is following COVID guidelines! The elves have the cutest masks and Santa had to trim his beard a bit this year to fit his mask!** We'll be in touch when we return. **Ho, Ho, Ho and have a "Very Merry Christmas!"**



**NO SUNDAY EVENING MASSES SCHEDULED AT THIS TIME.** Go to [www.holyfamilychurch.com](http://www.holyfamilychurch.com) and click on the Facebook icon. Video of Mass will be in the videos tab on the left.

## CHRISTMAS word search

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**ARE YOU AGAINST US OR AMONG US?** Join youth ministry on zoom every other Thursday from 6pm-8pm. Open to both Middle School and High School. Email [lingsay.wilk@hfccmail.org](mailto:lingsay.wilk@hfccmail.org) for the link. **Thursday, January 7th upcoming time.**

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