



# Holy Family Catholic Church

307 Black Oak Ridge Road  
Seymour, Tennessee 37865

## Diocese of Knoxville

### Welcome to our Community!

*“The Lord set His heart on you and chose you, the smallest of all because He loves you ...the faithful God who is true to His covenant.”  
Dt 7:7-9*

### Office Contacts

**Pastor—Fr. Gilbert M. Diaz**

FrG@holyfamilyseymour.org

**Deacon—Deacon Dean Burry 865-579-9196**

**Deacon Gil Campos 865-805-9040**

**Office Manager—Louise De Lucia 865-804-9012**

secretary@holyfamilyseymour.org

**Office Assistant—Patricia Hosea 865-573-1203**

phosea@holyfamilyseymour.org

### Sacramental Ministry

#### **Mass Schedule**

Saturday Vigil: 5:30pm

Sunday: 8:00am and 10:30am

Mon, Tues, Thurs 8:30am & Wed 7:00pm

Holy Days: 7:00pm Vigil & 8:30am

1st Friday of the Month: Mass 8:30am followed by

Adoration 9:00am-5:30pm & Benediction 5:30pm

#### **Reconciliation**

Saturday 4:30 to 5:00pm (or by appointment)

**Anointing of the Sick**-Contact the office 865-573-1203

#### **Communion for the Sick and Home Bound-**

Contact the office 865-573-1203 or Claudia Burton 573-0056

**Baptism**-Contact Deacon Dean Burry (865)579-9196,

one month in advance.

**1<sup>st</sup> Communion**-Contact Office (865)573-1203

**Confirmation**-Contact Office (865)573-1203

**RCIA-** Contact Fr. Gilbert M. Diaz (865)573-1203

**Marriage**-Contact Fr. Gilbert (865)573-1203 or Deacon Dean

Burry (865)579-9196, four months in advance for preparation and scheduling. **\*Annulments:** Contact Fr. Gilbert M. Diaz

(865)573-1203, Deacon Gil Campos 865-805-9040,

Victor Whelan, Delegate 577-3100

### Parish Contacts

**Parish Council**—Meeting 3rd Monday of every other month

**Parish Chair**

Erik Preske

865-607-2209, pcchair@holyfamilyseymour.org

**Administration**

Juan Rivera

Charlie Robinson

Misti DeGroot

**Education**

**Parish Life**

**Social Action**

Scott Hosea

**Liturgy/Spiritual Life**

Fr. Gilbert Diaz,

Deacon Dean, Deacon Gil

Owen Poveda

**Communications**

**Family Life**

**Recorder**

Misti DeGroot

Bob & Lark Ryan

**Finance Council**

Joyce Guerrero, Chair

**Religious Education/CCD**

Bill Voight

865-573-4597

wtvoight@gmail.com

**Youth Ministry**

Call the office

865-573-1203

**Facilities Management/Custodial**

Charlie Robinson

865-983-3448

Office

865-573-1203

### Ministry Contacts

**Liturgy Committee Secretary**

Karen Burry

865-579-9196

**Readers**

Deacon Gil Campos

865-805-9040

**Extraordinary Ministers Of Holy Communion**

Deacon Dean Burry

865-579-9196

**Ushers**

Juan Rivera

865-850-5229

**Altar Servers**

Deacon Dean Burry

865-579-9196

**Music/Choir Consultant-5:30pm, 8am & 10:30am**

Todd

865-573-1203

**Choir Practice: Saturday 4:30 & Sunday 7:30am & 9:30am**

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**St Vincent de Paul** ----- 865-360-5202

svdp@holyfamilyseymour.org

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**Diocese Office for Young Adult Ministry**

Thomas Idzik

tidzik@dioknox.org

### **Office Information**

**Mon, Tues, Wed & Thurs—9:00am to 2:00pm**

**865-573-1203, FAX 865-579-3645**

**Website:** www.holyfamilyseymour.org

## Second Sunday of Lent

### Holy Family Financial Report

07/2015 - 06/2016 Fiscal Year

Yearly Budget	\$380,733.90
Weekly Budget	\$ 7321.81
Last Weeks Collection	8,831.76
Regular	\$ 5,825.75
Debt Reduction	\$ 747.00
Renovate/Repair	\$ 695.00
Charity	\$ 1,564.01

Year to date:  
Expenditures \$290,998.50  
Surplus/Deficit \$ 5,005.66

### Ministry Schedule

**March 18** 5:30 PM

Reader: **Janet Brown**  
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:  
**Deacon, Howard, Alice**  
Altar Server: **Domonic Burry, Toby Mikusicak**  
Usher: **Dennis Conner, Robert Ruiz, John Casey**

**March 19** 08:00 AM

Reader: **Leo Seewaldt**  
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:  
**Deacon, Charlotte, Donna**  
Altar Server: **Ava Williamson**  
Usher: **Paul Scrudder, Matt Scrudder**

**March 19** 10:30 AM

Reader: **David Eichinger**  
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:  
**Deacon, Connie, Margaret**  
Altar Server: **Bryson Hager, Angelina Hager**  
Usher: **Jason Davis, Mathew Cum**

*Readers, Ministers of the Eucharist, Altar Servers & Ushers:* If you ever know ahead of time that you will be unable to serve on your scheduled week please let the Mass coordinator know or ask someone in your group to trade with you.

\*\*\*Also, check in with the Mass coordinator when you arrive.

### Pray for the Sick:

Please call **Claudia Burton** at 573-0056 to be added

Ed Bigelow, John Kruzal, Dorothy Runevitch, Steve Smith, Mary Lu Shipstad, Lorraine LeCocq, Carmen Fernandez, Joan Renaud, Hennie & Maggie Mauer, Gloria Pizzolongo, Leo Fragapagne, Lorraine Hendricks, Elaine Shields Bryant, Lorraine Quilliams, Bella Manna, Paula Goan, Jen Sabol, Donna Haskett, Warren Hager, Dorothy Jenkins, Victor Whelan, Roger Jessup, Mike Hugh, Mary Sheahan, Andrew Renchko, Betty Boyer, Mike Muga, Jeanette Ormazabal, Peggy Hood, Rita Stuekerjuergen

### Legion of Mary

Meeting Time: Every Monday 9:15am  
In the Family Life Center  
Contact David Burton 865-573-0056

### Mass Intentions

Mar 11 05:30 PM **Mary Alice Schweb** † by Legion of Mary  
Mar 12 08:00 AM **People of the Parish**  
10:30 AM **Betty Princing** † by Bernice Lohmeier  
Mar 13 08:30 AM **People of the Parish**  
Mar 14 08:30 AM **Ralph Ihli** † by **Jerry & Al Moore**  
Mar 15 07:00 PM **People of the Parish**  
Mar 16 08:30 AM **People of the Parish**  
Mar 17 08:30 AM **NO MASS**  
Mar 18 05:30 PM **People of the Parish**  
Mar 19 08:00 AM **People of the Parish**  
10:30 AM **People of the Parish**

May the souls of all our Faithful departed through the  
Mercy of God rest in peace. Amen †deceased

### Parish Calendar

C=Church, GL= Garden Level, FLC= Family Life Center, P=Pavilion

03/11 Sat: 09:00am **St. Vincent de Paul-FLC**  
04:30pm **Choir Practice-C**  
05:00pm **Rosary-C**  
03/12 Sun: 09:00am **CCD-GL & FLC**  
09:30am **Choir Practice-C**  
10:05am **Rosary-C**  
03/13 Mon: 09:15am **Legion of Mary-FLC**  
03/14 Tues: 09:30am **Crafty Ladies-FLC**  
03/15 Wed: 07:30pm **RCIA-FLC**  
03/16 Thur: -----  
03/17 Fri: 06:30pm **Stations of the Cross-C**  
03/18 Sat: 04:30pm **Choir Practice-C**  
05:00pm **Rosary-C**  
03/19 Sun: 09:00am **CCD-GL & FLC**  
09:30am **Choir Practice-C**  
10:05am **Rosary-C**

May the strength of God pilot us, may the wisdom of God instruct us, may the hand of God protect us, may the word of God direct us. Be always ours this day and for evermore.

~St. Patrick (385-461), Bishop, Feast Day March 17



This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him.

~Matthew 17:5

### Third Sunday of Lent Sunday, March 19, 2017

**Exodus 17:3-7**  
**Psalm 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9**  
**Romans 5:1-2, 5-8**  
**John 4:42,15**



March 12, 2017



In the Gospel Jesus is transfigured and a voice from heaven said "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased: Listen to him."

Do we listen to Jesus when he asks us to take care of our brothers and sisters who are suffering? Your gift in the St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box will help the poor to celebrate the grace of god's love this Easter.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul 865-360-5202  
svdp@hollyfamilyseymour.org

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul meetings are every second and fourth Saturday of the month at 9:00am in the Family Life Center.



### Easter Flower Donation Envelopes

In Memory of / In Honor of a loved one may be found in the pews or vestibule.

Please call office with any questions 865-573-1203.

### Pastoral Juvenil Concert

Come join us for this amazing concert for youth and young adults sponsored by Cristo Rey ministry in collaboration with the Pastoral Juvenil Hispana Diocesan ministry. The concert will take place in the gymnasium of the Sacred Heart Cathedral on April 29<sup>th</sup> from noon until 9 PM. You can expect to hear great music from Jon Carlo, El Coro El Sembrador, El Ministerio de Alabanza-Jesús el Rey Divino. The young Catholic preacher, Rafael Diaz, will also be joining us from Los Angeles to share his testimony. This concert will be in Spanish and is an event open to the whole family. Youth must come accompanied by a parent. The cost is \$10 per person or \$25 per family. Food will be available for sale. For more information call Cristo Rey at 865-384-0175 or Brittany of the Pastoral Juvenil office at 865-776-9635. You can also visit dioknox.org.

Don't miss this evening of praise & worship and fun!



The Knights of Columbus councils at Sacred Heart Cathedral and All Saints Church will hold its second annual Knights Cup Lacrosse Tournament on April 21-22 at Knoxville Catholic High School. The tournament, which benefits Knights of Columbus

charities, will feature 15 lacrosse games at the youth, middle school, high school, and collegiate levels over the two-day event. For more information go to [knightscup.org](http://knightscup.org) or contact Tom Ciaccia at 865-765-4046 or [tciaccia@att.net](mailto:tciaccia@att.net).

### Happy St. Patrick's Day

St. Patrick's Day is an enchanted time - a day to begin transforming winter's dreams into summer's magic. ~Adrienne Cook



### Cancellation

The Knights of Columbus wine tasting event for March 12th has been cancelled.

### ✠STATIONS OF THE CROSS✠

6:30PM EVERY Friday during Lent

Meatless Soup Supper Pot Luck afterwards in the FLC

### Stations of the Cross Leaders

March 17—Deacon Gil Campos  
March 24—Knights of Columbus  
March 31—CCD Children  
April 7—Confirmation Kids



### Lenten Penance Service

Tuesday, March 28<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM

#### Fasting and Abstinence

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence.

For members of the Catholic Church, the norms on fasting are obligatory from age 18 until age 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal. The norms concerning abstinence from meat are binding upon members of the Catholic Church from age 14 onwards. Besides those outside the age limits, the sick, the frail, the pregnant and nursing women are excused from fasting and abstinence.

If possible, the fast on Good Friday is continued until the Easter Vigil (on Holy Saturday night) as the "paschal fast" to honor the suffering and death of the Lord Jesus, and to prepare ourselves to share more fully and to celebrate more readily his Resurrection.

**Special Note: St. Patrick's Day falls on a Friday this year during Lent. Bishop Stika is granting a Dispensation from abstinence from meat on Friday, March 17, 2017, under the condition that: those who choose to eat meat on this Friday use the previous day to abstain from meat and exercise other penitential practices, offer works of charity and exercises of piety.**

# Thank You

Many Thanks to the wonderful parishioners of Holy Family we were able to collect over \$2,000.00 to help St. Mary's after the fires.





### May Our Lady of Fatima Statue Come into Your Home?

Parishioners speak of miracles, both little and large, happening when her statue has been present in their homes. Our lady has brought feelings of peace, possibilities and hope where there was confusion, chaos and despair. A beautiful novena booklet accompanies her to be prayed during each of the nine days she is in your home. To receive "OUR LADY" into your home, please contact Claudia Burton at 573-0056.

**\*\*\*PLEASE continue to bring your aluminum cans and deposit them in the trailer out in the parking lot next to the dumpster. \*\*\*Please put large bags next to the garage.**



### Christians Reaching Out Serving Seymour

There is always a need at CROSS to help stock their shelves with food for local families. C.R.O.S.S. volunteer schedule is located on the stand in the vestibule. Would you like to be a volunteer or do you need assistance call **865-579-6192** or go visit C.R.O.S.S. at **406 Boyds Creek Hwy Seymour TN 37865** and see all the good works they do.



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10231 Chapman Hwy.  
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865-577-1992



Pregnancy & Adoption services, including post-abortion counseling, available 24/7/365 by calling 1-877-990-4673

#### Empowering and protecting the poor and vulnerable through:

- Columbus Home Children's Services
- Housing for Special Populations
- Outreach to those in Hardship
- Counseling & Education

For information or help, go to [www.cctn.org](http://www.cctn.org) for services  
And contact information in your community.



(865) 932-3532

[www.greatsmokiesfleamarket.com](http://www.greatsmokiesfleamarket.com)



### Knights of Columbus

George S. Kurtz Council 12961

Contact: Gene Haffner (419)944-7590

Business Meeting: First Thursday of every month, 7p.m.Church - lower level

#### Holy Family Giving Tree

You can honor a loved one by purchasing a leaf, acorn or stone on the Holy Family Giving Tree in the Family Life Center. They make a great birthday, anniversary, and/or a memorial gift for a loved one.



#### Atchley Funeral Home, Seymour & Seymour Memory Gardens

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[www.atchleyfuneralhome.com](http://www.atchleyfuneralhome.com)

122 Peacock Court, Seymour, TN 37865

865-577-2807

Obituary Line 865-429-3500

#### Foot Clinic Forks of the River

Carol A. Akerman, D.P.M.

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Holy Ghost Parishioner



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865-609-0080



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#### Interested in discerning a possible vocation of service within the Church?

Interested in supporting the work of vocation promotion in the Church? Check out the Diocese of Knoxville Office of Vocations Facebook and Twitter pages:

Facebook - <http://www.facebook.com/DOKvocations>,

Twitter - [www.twitter.com/DofKVocations](http://www.twitter.com/DofKVocations).



Jesus, Mary and Joseph,  
I love you very much.  
I beg you to spare the life of the unborn child  
I have spiritually adopted,  
who is in danger of abortion.  
Amen.

Please cut this prayer out and pray it daily.

**Would you like to have your fellow parishioners to patronize your business? Why not advertise in the church bulletin! For information call or email the Office at 865-573-1203 [secretary@holymfamilyseymour.org](mailto:secretary@holymfamilyseymour.org)**