



Holy Family Children's Liturgy

All Are Welcome

Special Mass

Holy Family will be holding a special mass at the site of our new church on Tully Road on September 10, at 10am! We will still be having children's liturgy at this special outdoor celebration.

Website Relaunch

Check out holyfamilymodesto.org! We have launched a new and updated version of our website that is more informative, interactive, and user friendly. We are very excited for this change.



Following the rules never seems to be very fun. We always want to do what we are told we can't. It can be hard to understand why God and others who say they love us and want us to be happy make rules that keep us from doing or having things that we want. Today's readings are about the importance of following the rules and how happy we will be if we do. Jesus talks about entering through a narrow door. He means that it will not be easy to follow the rules but if we do, we will get through that narrow door and get into His house/heaven where there will be an awesome party.



Why do you think following the rules is so important? Rules help us to live together safely. They help us lead happy lives. What would happen if your parents let you stay up every night as late as you wanted? You would be too sleepy in school to learn, if you went to school. If you don't learn, you will have a harder time getting a job and taking care of yourself and your family. How happy would that make you? What would happen if you could ignore every stop sign while driving? There would be car crashes and you could be hurt. How happy would you be if you were hurt? What if you were allowed to eat all the ice cream and candy you wanted? Eventually you would get sick. That would not be very fun, either. God really does want us to be happy which is why we have been given rules to help us live good lives.



CatholicMom.com Gospel Activity – Luke 13:22–30



ABRAHAM

GATE

JACOB

KNOCKING

NARROW

TAUGHT

VILLAGES

COMPANY

GRINDING

JERUSALEM

LOCKED

SAVED

TEACHING

WAILING

EVILDOERS

ISAAC

KINGDOM

MASTER

STIVE

TEETH