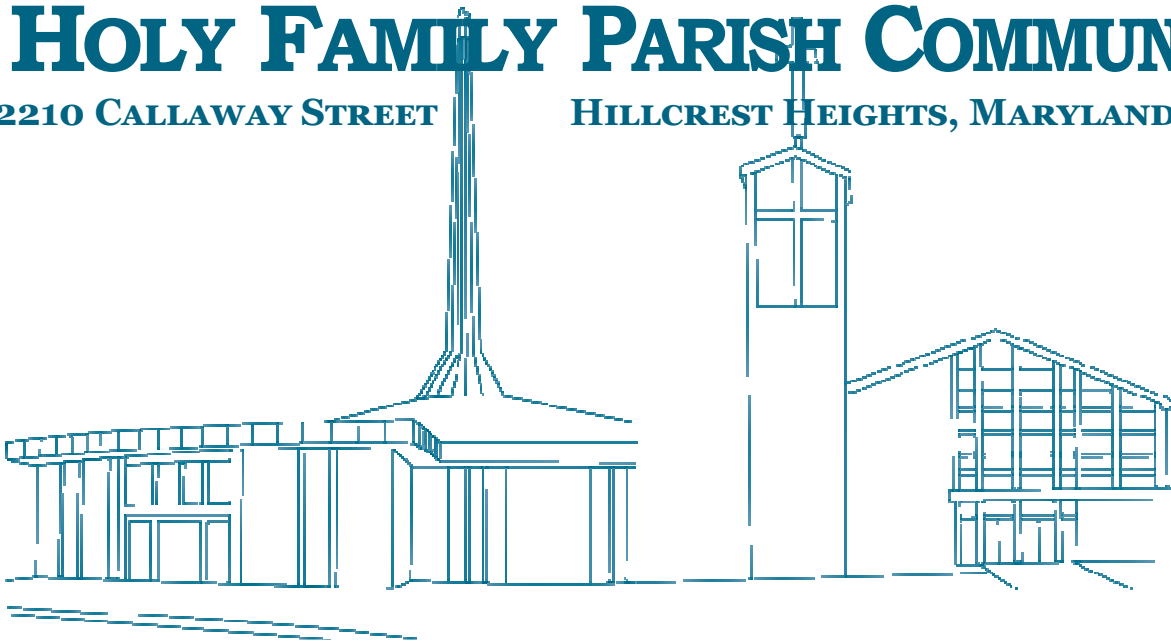


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To join our parish family, call or visit the Rectory, or complete the Census form found in the Church.

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:00pm

Sunday: 8:00 & 11:00am

Holy Days: As Announced

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

(Chapel of Saint Joseph)

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday:

7:00 am

Wednesday: School Mass 9:00 am (Church)

Friday: Adoration and Confession

7:30 am - 8:30 am

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

Saturday, 20 minutes before Masses.

Anytime by Appointment.

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Registration is open for the 2019-20 School Year.

We are a Regional School receiving the support of St Ignatius, Our Lady Queen of Peace, Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Church of the Incarnation, Saint Luke and Saint Teresa of Avila.

LET'S STAY CONNECTED:

Our schedules, events & activities are communicated also by email and phone. If you have not received any contact, please let us know who you are. If already registered in the parish you can use this to update.

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

I'm new and want to stay connected.

Update my info.

I'd like to speak with Father Matt.

Please return in the offertory collection or email to rectory@holyfamilyparishmd.org.

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,
Happy Easter! We had a blessed Holy Week and Triduum here at Holy Family, with some beautiful celebrations and liturgies. In particular, the Easter Vigil was a wonderful celebration. It was a blessing to baptize and receive Deborah Adams into the Church, as well as to baptize Adom Hawkins this last weekend on the Second Sunday of Easter, son of Madeleine Hawkins.

The celebration of the Sacrament of Baptism reminds us of what our Christian Life is all about: the passage from death to life, the sharing in the Passion and Death of Christ that is our victory over death, and the beginning of our entrance into eternal life. We continue this theme throughout these forty days of the Easter Season, recalling what it means to live in the Resurrection, to be an Easter people.

St. Paul tell us, "If then you were raised with Christ, seek what is above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. Think of what is above, not of what is on earth. For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God." (Col 3:1-3) It's all too easy to keep "looking for the living one among the dead", as the angels admonished the women against at the tomb of Christ. So we need to be reminded, even for forty days, as well as every Sunday: do you not know that you have died with Christ, and been raised with him? *Seek then what is above.*

It's all too tempting because this world still has its hooks in us: its demands and its attractions still call us. We still have to live in this world: we still have to worry about our day-to-day needs, our livelihood, about the need for justice and the care of others.

How then to resist the draw to what is earthly, and stay focused on the reality of Easter? We are not called to escape the world: of course, we have to live in it! Even for the monk or contemplative nun, their removal from society is not a removal from the world. Indeed, the Church in the world depends on their prayers, as well as their example, to help us be faithful to our mission.

The key is both a matter of perspective, and a decision. We need to develop within us that vision, that perspective, whereby we begin *seeing* things differently, according to this new light of Christ. The more we see and judge things by their eternal value, the more we will begin to seek that which is above. And the more we build that daily habit, by our *decisions*, to "put to death the parts of [us] that are earthly" (Col 3:5), renouncing the pleasures and glories of the flesh and the world, the more inclined we will be to desire that which is above.

Therefore, the lessons of Lent never end! But by the grace of Easter, we understand now more deeply that such efforts of self-denial and service are not merely for their own sake: they're so that we can begin to live that heavenly life now, so that when, one day, "Christ [our] life appears, then [we] too will appear with him in glory." (Col 3:4) May our Lord grant you a Spirit-filled Easter Season, so that you may be brought closer to him.

In Christ,
Fr Matt

STEWARDSHIP & SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Offertory for Apr. 28th - \$4,959.28

Month of April

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Easter - \$3,287.00

Budget - \$25,916.67

Maintenance - \$1,476.00

Next weekend, donations will be collected for The Catholic Relief Services to help **Jesus in Disguise**. These funds provide food to the hungry, support displaced refugees, and bring Christ's love and mercy to all people here and abroad. Please prayerfully consider how you can support the collection.

Thanks for your continued generosity!

PARISH LIFE

On Thursday, April 4th, Pope Francis named Archbishop Wilton D. Gregory as the 7th Archbishop of Washington. The **Installation Mass for Archbishop Wilton Gregory** will be held on Tuesday, May 21st at 2:00 pm at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. The Liturgical Procession will begin at 1:30 pm with a reception immediately following the Mass. ***Holy Family will provide bus transportation to and from the Basilica.*** Sign up sheet is in the rear of the church. Cost will be \$15.00 per person due and will be collected next weekend.

Congratulations to Adom Hawkins and family. Adom, son of Madeleine Hawkins, received the sacrament of baptism last Sunday at the 11:00 Mass. Your continued prayers and support are needed as he and the family continue in their spiritual growth.

Thanks to all who participated in the **Photo Event** either by helping to organize the shoot or by having family photos taken to update the directory. Special thanks to Charlene Gaskins, Stephanie & Michael Lewis, Yvonne Jackson and Karen Poindexter who contributed so much of their time to make this a successful endeavor. All participants will receive a **free 8 X 10 standard print** and a **church directory**. If you were unable to make an appointment and still want to be included in the directory, please contact the rectory as soon as possible.

On Sunday, May 12th, join the Men's Club for Holy Family's **Annual Mother's Day Breakfast** in the Allen Drury Room. Breakfast will be served between the 8:00 am and the 11:00 am Masses. All are invited.

The deadline for submitting **2019 Scholarship applications** is rapidly approaching. Students enrolling in a Catholic High School or transitioning from High School to an Institution of Higher Learning should submit an application now for consideration.

Join the Sodality on Saturday, May 11th, in the Allen Drury Room, from Noon - 4:00 for an **Afternoon at the Movies**. Showing will be the "Green Book". Please sign-up on sheets in the rear of the church. For more information contact: Shirley Brawner at (202) 525-0688, Essie Shorter at (240) 320-3980, or Robbie Edmonds at (301) 423-2411

ARCHDIOCESE LIFE

Archbishop Gregory will offer a **Mass of Thanksgiving** on Sunday, May 26, 2019 at 10:00 AM at the Cathedral of Saint Matthew the Apostle in Washington.

Are you looking for an opportunity to grow in your faith and extend that gift to others through your personal witness and service to the Church? Become a **Docent (Tour Guide) or Tour Desk Receptionist** at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. Hours and days are flexible and training will be provided. Interested? Contact: Dee Steel (Director of Visitor Services) at 202 526-8300, ext.111, or via email dsteel@bnsic.org.

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WE KNOW AND LOVE:

<u>Our Parishioners</u>	<u>Homebound</u>	<u>Elsewhere</u>
Denise Richards	Mary Byus	Wendell Young
Cynthia Washington	Bennie Hooks Jr.	Dorothy Nelson
William Green	Andre Johnson	Kathleen Guidry
Demetrius Butler	Rose Sparrow	Alpha Banks
Barbara Smith	Alease Terry	Roy Banks
Francis Smith	Clarence King	Betty Furr
Angela Hewins	Samuel Jones	David M. Smith Sr.
Richard Hewins	Mildred Jones	Francis Briscoe
Barbara Price	Marsha Harper	Barbara Williams
Iris Pierce	Barbara Moore	
Ethel Handon	Margaret Kennerly	
Angela McNair	Hilda Reeves	
Michelle Handon	Juanita Presley	
	Frank Wilson	

In memoriam - we remember Walter Alexander, father of Mrs. Cynthia Washington, Robert Burns Lewis, father of Stephanie Lewis, Women's ministry leader and Mrs. Katherine V. Burrow, mother of Mrs. Barbara Lathan, Holy Family Choir Director.

Prayers for Healing for Rafaela Richardson and Darlene Banks.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 5 - MAY 12

<u>May 5th</u>	<u>THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER</u>
Sat. 4:00pm	Jacquelyn Jackson-Jenifer +
8:00am	Holy Family Parishioners
11:00am	Intentions of the Celebrant
<u>Daily Masses</u>	
<u>Daily Masses will be limited while Father is away on mission</u>	
Thurs. 7:00am	Robert Burns Lewis +
Fri. 7:00am	Katherine V. Burrows +
<u>May 12th</u>	<u>FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER</u>
Sat. 4:00pm	Mr & Mrs Edwin deSilva +
8:00am	Special Intentions of Mothers of Holy Family Parish
11:00am	Intentions of Holy Family Parishioners

Daily readings can be found at <http://usccb.org/bible/readings/index.cfm>.

Altar Arrangements and Mass Intentions: You can make an offering in honor of a deceased or living loved one, a person's birthday, anniversary, or any another special occasion. These Mass Intentions will be offered by our priests on Sundays in the Church and on weekdays in the Chapel of St Joseph in the Rectory. Mass cards are available to share your intention with your loved ones. Also, altar floral arrangements will begin again after Easter. Request yours today.

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