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Mission Statement

*We welcome and love one another as God loves us, with open doors,
open minds, and open hearts.*

Welcome to Holy Family Parish!

Holy Family Parish of North Java, NY is a dynamic faith community of believers who genuinely care *about* and care *for* one another. Joyfully celebrating Mass (Eucharist) on Sunday mornings is the foundation for building and nurturing new and lasting friendships.

Newcomers and visitors are welcomed with warmth and compassion, without judgment. Committed to serving God, each other, and all those we touch with our time, talents, and treasure.

You are most warmly invited to visit, and to participate in the many programs, ministries and other activities here at the parish. Whether you are a lifetime Catholic, a member of a different faith, or exploring your spirituality, you will find a home at Holy Family.

With every blessing,
Holy Family Parish Community

SUNSHINE MINISTRY BRIGHTENS LIVES

If you know about someone's joy or sorrow, please contact **Shirley George** via phone at **585-535-7440** or email at jgsg20@yahoo.com and a card will be sent on Holy Family's behalf.

A TOUCH OF LOVE MINISTRY

If you know a person or family going through a critical time, please contact **Shirley George** at **(585) 535-7440** or **Judy Kerwin** at **(716) 491-5007** and some meals will be arranged.

Responsorial Psalm

Blessed are they who dwell in your house, O Lord.

Sunday Mass 10:00 AM

Jan 5- Solemnity of the Holy Family

Sirach 3:2-6; Col 3:12-21; Luke 2:41-52

+ **Beth Sokol**

Health and Healing of Prayer List

Jan 12- The Baptism of our Lord

Is 40:1-5, 9-11; Titus 2:11-14; 3:4-7; Luke 3:15-22

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Health and Healing of Prayer List

Lector Schedule

Jan 5	Donna Kibler
Jan 12	Donna Becker
Jan 19	Karen Wilson
Jan 26	Tom Kelsey

DAILY READINGS

Mon: Is 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-2, 7-13; Eph 3:2-3, 5-6; Matt 2:1-12

Tues: 1 John 4:7-10; Ps 72:1-4, 7-8; Mark 6:34-44

Wed: 1 John 4:11-18; Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13; Mark 6:45-52

Thur: 1 John 4:19-5:4; Ps 72:1-2, 14-17; Luke 4:14-22

Fri: 1 John 5:5-13; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Luke 5:12-16

Sat: 1 John 5:14-21; Ps 149:1-6, 9; John 3:22-30

LOVE BLANKET MINISTRY

Are you looking for a way to help cover others with more love through the talents of quilting, sewing, etc.? Please help with your talents and contact **Mary Smalley** at **585-535-7720**. The ministry meets in the parish hall every third Saturday from 9:30 to 12:00.

Prayers of the Faithful Response

Lord, bless your people.

Weekly Reflection

In our gospel reading, Jesus apparently had greater understanding than those around him, which appears to include Joseph and Mary. Yet He remained obedient to them.

This is because Jesus understood the role of His parents, including that obedience is not about who has greater knowledge, but rather proper relationship and authority.

We can find support to this from our first reading:

“For the Lord honors a father above his children, and he confirms a mother’s right over her children.

Those who honor their father atone for sins, and those who respect their mother are like those who lay up treasure.

Those who honor their father will have joy in their own children, and when they pray they will be heard.

Those who respect their father will have long life, and those who honor their mother obey the Lord”.

As children grow, we often see more challenges to the parental authority because the child has gained knowledge and a sense of identity with independence.

Yet, Jesus is a perfect example of both greater knowledge and greater understanding of identity without seeking His own desires. Jesus sought the will of His heavenly Father, even at one of the most critical times of His earthly life.

May we also follow this wonderful example of love, obedience, and sacrifice.

*With love,
Fr. Corey*

MEN'S CLUB

Are you looking for friendship and fun? The men's club gets together in the parish hall every second and fourth Tuesday of the month at 7:00 PM.

PARISH HALL AVAILABLE

The hall is available for renting. Please contact **Cheryl** by call or text at **585-689-7338**.

Last Week's Collection & Christmas

Regular Collection - \$1271.00

Building - \$525.00

Thank you for your support

COFFEE SOCIAL AFTER MASS TODAY

NEW SCHEDULE FOR EPIPHANY MASS

There has been a change for our Epiphany Mass. it has been moved to Sunday, January 5 at 5 pm.

THE DECORATING COMMITTEE GIVES THANKS

Holy Family Parishioners,

As always, we are grateful for your extremely generous contributions to our decorating ministry.

In appreciation,

The Decorating Committee

Prayer Intentions

Lord, you are the Great Physician and can heal; therefore, we ask for Your healing touch upon those for whom we pray:

John & Jane Aldershoff, Joanne Almeter, Amy, Angela, Aurelia, Barbara, Ken & Edie Barber, Beau from Springville, Dylan Becker, Hans Boxler Jr., Jaysen Bray & family, Brian, Chandler, Tom Courtright, Dave B, Diana, Divine Mercy Parish community, Cheryl Eckert, Ed, Emmet and family, Ferrino family, Genevieve, Georgie, Dan George, John George, Shirley George, Steve George, Alexandra Getz, Logan Good, Dan H., Kathy Hamilton, Ryan Hardicourt & family, Josh Harloff, Wendel Hessler, Jack, Sandy Janes, Jason & crew, Beatrice Johnson, Julie, Justin, Jordan, Jennifer Kelly, Matthew & Marcia Kiff and family, Kim, Tim King, Kirsch Family, Robert Kirsch, Tina Kirsch, Helen Leach, Lunn Knight, Ann Leo, Maria Lewandowski, Aiden Lindsay, Allison Long, Kristen Long, Leonard Long, Mary Alice Long, Michael Low, Jen M., Bp. John & Sherry Mack, Teresa Martin, Charlene Mess, Jason Michalek, Janet Miller, Tony Montenaro, Debbie Moore, Teri Mugler, Sharon Newton, Stanley Novak, Jake Noyes, Helen Ogradowski, Jason P., Suzanne Palmateer, Andy & Brenda Patrzalek, Mary Petrotto, Dan Quilty, Peter, Richter Family, Rita and family, Rita Marie, Belinda Rogers, Fred Rose, G.R., Guy Rossi, Yvonne Seekins, Rudie & Ted Shiltz, Mary Simons, Tom Sonnevill, Matthew Sparling, Thomas M. Springer, Julie Swiatkowski & family, Davis Swyer, Peter Szemenciak, Valerie Taylor, Terri, Maureen Thornton, Tom, Travis, Kevin Vickers, Gwen W., Wayne, Leo Wesley, Bob Wilson, Dick Wlos, Woody, Family of Derek A. Zakrzewski, Henry Zwolak, our military & their families, victims & their families who suffer from tragedy & loss, and those whom we hold quietly in our hearts.

If you know someone to be added to our prayer list, please contact Cheryl Foegen.

May the examples of the Holy Family inspire us to listen more attentively to our heavenly Father.