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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 <u>jgsg20@yahoo.com</u> 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 hope in the Lord.

Sunday Mass 10:00 AM

Feb 16- Pre-Lent 1 (Septuagesima)

Jer 17:5-8; 1 Cor. 15:12, 16-20; Luke 6:17, 20-26

+ Rich Eddy

+ Sharon Kellner

Health and Healing of Prayer List

Feb 23- Pre-Lent 2 (Sexagesima)

1 Sam 26:2,7-13,22-23; 1 Cor 15:45-49; Lk 6:27-38

+ Betty Bumbacher

Health and Healing of Prayer List

Lector Schedule

Feb 16	Donna Becker
Feb 23	Karen Wilson
Mar 2	Tom Kelsey
Mar 9	Meghan George

DAILY READINGS

Mon: Gen 4:1-15, 25; Ps 50:1,8, 16-17, 20-21; Mark 8:11-13 Tues: Gen 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10; Ps 29:1-4, 9c-10; Mark 8:14-21 Wed: Gen 8:6-13, 20-22; Ps 116:12-15, 18-19; Mark 8:22-26

Thur: Gen 9:1-13; Ps 102:16-23, 29; Mark 8:27-33 *Fri:* Gen 11:1-9; Ps 33:10-15; Mark 8:34-9:1 *Sat:* 1 Peter 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-6; Matthew 16:13-19

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, hear our prayer.

Weekly Reflection

Our readings today reflect on hope and trust. So what is the difference?

The dictionary defines hope as a feeling of expectation and a desire for a certain thing to happen. For example, "I hope I pass the test" or "I hope she will go out with me."

Trust, on the other hand, is a firm belief in the reliability, truth, ability, or strength of some one or something. Based on the previous examples, we have, "I'm confident that I passed the test" or "We're going on a date as soon as I ask her out."

Indeed, the trust examples could conceivably be just another form of hope with a mask of confidence to hide insecurities.

Yet, with our Lord and Savior, we can be confident because there is a history of His love, support, guidance, grace, and mercy.

Of course, questions may arise because we learn about the reliability of God with other people, not necessarily with ourselves.

This is where we have to learn to recognize God in our own lives, especially in the little things that occur. It is through this recognition that we find how much the Lord truly loves us.

When we can see Him in the little things, we have fewer questions or doubts about the bigger things of life. Thus, our confidence grows in this wonderful relationship, which helps deepen our faith.

Keep your eyes on the promises the Lord has given and trust that through whatever your journey brings, the Lord is faithful to the end. This we can truly trust!

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

Regular Collection - \$831.00 Building - \$25.00

Thank you for your support

COFFEE SOCIAL AFTER MASS TODAY!

HMRC EVENTS

Free movie night on Feb. 21 @ 7 pm. His Only Son, a biblical film recounting the moment when Abraham was commanded to sacrifice, Isaac. Popcorn & refreshments are included.

NATIONAL UNITED CHOIRS SCHOLARSHIPS

There are a number of endowments and awards available to members of the PNCC, whether instrument or voice, regardless of age. Visit www.nucmusicscholarship.weebly.com

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, Michael Campagna, Chandler, Tom Courtright, Jerry Crabb, 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, Denny Kibler, Dick Kibler, Matthew & Marcia Kiff and family, Kim, Tim King, Kirsch Family, Robert Kirsch, Tina Kirsch, Helen Leach, Lunn Knight, Ann Leo, Maria Lewandowski, Aiden Lindsy, 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 Ogrodowski, Jason P., Suzanne Palmateer, Andy & Brenda Patrzalek, Mary Petrotto, Dan Quilty, Peter, Richter Family, Rita and family, Rita Marie, Fred Rose, G.R., Guy Rossi, Yvonne Seekins, Rudie & Ted Shiltz, Shorty, Mary Simons, Tom Sonneville, 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.