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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

Lord, it is good to give thanks to you.

Sunday Mass 10:00 AM

Mar 2- Pre-Lent 3 (Quinquagesima)

Sirach 27:4-7; 1 Cor 15:54-58; Luke 6:39-45
+ **Beth Sokol**

Health and Healing of Prayer List

Mar 9- First Sunday of Lent

Deut 26:4-10; Romans 10:8-13; Luke 4:1-13
+ **Margaret Eddy**

Health and Healing of Prayer List

Lector Schedule

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| Mar 2 | Tom Kelsey |
| Mar 9 | Meghan George |
| Mar 16 | Donna Kibler |
| Mar 23 | Donna Becker |

DAILY READINGS

Mon: Sir 17:20-24; Ps 32:1-2, 5-7; Mark 10:17-27
Tues: Sir 35:1-12; Ps 50:5-8, 14, 23; Mark 10:28-31
Wed: Joel 2:12-18; 2 Cor 5:20-6:2; Matt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thur: Deut 30:15-20; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Luke 9:22-25
Fri: Isaiah 58:1-9a; Ps 51:3-6, 18-19; Matt 9:14-15
Sat: Isaiah 58:9b-14; Ps 86:1-2; Luke 5:27-32

LOVE BLANKET MINISTRY

This ministry is on pause while the few regulars receive healing and a greater interest grows from others. If you have an interest in helping make blankets and shawls on your time, please contact **Mary Smalley** at **585-535-7720**.

Prayers of the Faithful Response

Lord, guide us on the road to life.

Weekly Reflection

I have worked for a manufacturer for over thirty-six years and have seen many changes as well as ideas that came and went.

The creative spirit of humanity can be marvelous; however, it is always recommended to do research on ideas, look at innovations around us, and test the product to ensure it will stand up to the claims and desires.

Some inspirations that seemed like a good idea include Sony Betamax, the Ford Pinto, DeLorian DMC-12, opioid painkillers, the New Coke, and Colgate Lasagna (yes, it really was a thing during the 1980s).

All of these innovations eventually failed due to poor preparations, which exemplifies the need to test things to ensure they are safe, reliable, and desired.

That is what we are finding in our readings this week. Testing to find whether something is truly reliable to the claim of following our Lord.

Instead of products, it will be individuals getting tested. Yet, there is a culture that seems to be in denial of what tests shall be encountered, such as a group of Christians that believe they will not see the tribulations of the end times because they have faith.

In reality, Christ, the apostles, and the saints were strong in faith, and they all faced times of testing.

We need to be aware of our weaknesses and seek for ways to improve ourselves so we are prepared for the time of our own tribulations.

*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 - \$715.00

Building - \$

Thank you for your support

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE AT 7 PM

STATIONS OF THE CROSS THIS FRIDAY AT 6:30 PM

HEALING MASS THIS FRIDAY AT 7 PM

LENT IS RIGHT AROUND THE CORNER

We have booklets available for daily reflections during Lent. Please take a copy home.

HMRC EVENTS

Paczki Day on March 2, from 1-6. Music, Folk Dance Show, Homemade Polish foods, and Theme Basket Raffle. Pre-sale tickets are \$10 each; \$12 at the door.

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 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, Fred Rose, G.R., Guy Rossi, Yvonne Seekins, Rudie & Ted Shiltz, Shorty, Mary Simons, Tom Sonnevile, 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.

We are more precious in the eyes of God than all the treasures of the earth!