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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 **Fr. Corey** via phone at **585-969-0621** or email at fr.corey@protonmail.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

Praise the Lord, my soul!

Sunday Mass 10:00 AM

Sept 28 – Twenty-sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time
Amos 6:1a, 4-7; 1 Timothy 6:11-16; Luke 16:19-31
+ **Ron & Bernice George**
+ **Beatrice Johnson**

Oct 5 – Twenty-seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time
Hab 1:2-3; 2:2-4; 2 Tim 1:6-8, 13-14; Luke 17:5-10
+ **Joelle Luce**
+ **Robert & Elizabeth Bumbacher**

Lector Schedule

Sept 28	Donna Becker
Oct 5	Tom Kelsey
Oct 12	Howard Ridall
Oct 19	Meghan George

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**.

ENTRANCE HYMN

(Psalm 146:9-10)

- V. The Lord protects the stranger, sustains the orphan and the widow, but thwarts the way of the wicked.
- R. The Lord shall reign forever; your God, Zion, through all generations. Hallelujah!

Prayers of the Faithful Response

Lord, hear our prayer.

Weekly Reflection

If you have watched television, you have undoubtedly encountered advertisements requesting donations for charities.

Some are truly heart breaking circumstances that motivate us to act. In some circumstances, it can feel as if we are getting bombarded by those advertisements as they compete for donations. It can cause us to become desensitized, like the rich man was unsympathetic towards Lazarus, the beggar by the rich man's door.

Indeed, it can be difficult in discerning between a person in need and someone taking advantage of the generosity of others. Yet, there is also the added challenge to find the way to truly help without enabling the person.

Perhaps a good starting point is being engaged with the people around you to better understand their needs and what can be done to encourage participation. It would be similar to the proverb, *"give a man a fish and you feed him for a day; teach a man to fish and you feed him for a lifetime."*

Sadly, our world seems to tell us what we need, even if we don't truly need it. So while we chase after those glamorous things, our precious resources are being spent, taking away what could be used for the sake of others.

Yes, it is difficult to know the difference sometimes, but we have loving Father who is pleased to help guide us, if we spend the time to ask.

May the gracious Lord help open our hearts and minds to better serve those we encounter and encourage revival for a more loving and caring community of followers of Christ.

*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 - \$1086.00

Building - \$

Thank you for your support

NEEDED

Snow plow to clear Charlotte House and the church parking lot this winter.

Volunteers to help clear cut portions of a tree behind the church on Friday, October 3 at 9:00.

SPAGHETTI DINNER

Our Spaghetti Dinner is October 19 and it is our big fundraiser for the year! Please help sell raffle tickets and finding basket donations. ***Thank you for your continued support!***

CHARLOTTE HOUSE FUNDRAISERS

Candy bars for \$2.00 each in the back of the church. Also, bird seed orders will feed the birds and support Charlotte House.

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, Luis Alonzo, Joanne Almeter, Amy, Angela, Aurelia, Barbara, Ken & Edie Barber, Beau from Springville, Carol, Dylan Becker, Hans Boxler Jr., Jaysen Bray & family, Brian, Michael Campagna, Chandler, 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, Alexandra Getz, Logan Good, Dan H., Kathy Hamilton, Dan Hans, Ryan Hardicourt & family, Josh Harloff, Barry Hebrank, Wendel Hessler, Don & Jason Hopkins, Jack, Sandy Janes, Jason & crew, Julie, Justin, Jordan, Jennifer Kelly, Kelly, Denny Kibler, Ken Kibler, Kim, Tim King, Kirsch Family, Robert Kirsch, Tina Kirsch, 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, Dan McCormick, Charlene Mess, Jason Michalek, Janet Miller, Debbie Moore, Teri Mugler, Paul Murphy, Sharon Newton, Stanley Novak, Jake Noyes, Jason P., Suzanne Palmateer, Andy & Brenda Patrzalek, Mary Petrotto, Dan Quilty, Peter, Precious, Richter Family, Rita and family, Rita Marie, Fred Rose, G.R., Guy Rossi, Fr. Don & Yvonne Seekins, Shelly, Rudie & Ted Shiltz, Shorty, Mary & Ionia Smalley, Tom Sonnevill, Matthew Sparling, Stella Rose, Thomas M. Springer, Julie Swiatkowski & family, Davis Swyer, Peter Szemenciak, Valerie Taylor, Terri, Tom, Travis, Kevin Vickers, Gwen W., Wayne, Leo Wesley, Bob Wilson, Dick Wlos, Jim Woods, 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.

Lord, open my heart and mind to Your call to serve those in need.