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Pastor

# Holy Family Parish

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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](mailto: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

*In every age, O Lord, You have been our refuge.*

## Sunday Mass 10:00 AM

### Sept 7 – Twenty-third Sunday of Ordinary Time

Wisdom 9:13-18; Philemon 9-10, 12-17; Lk 14:25-33

+ **Beatrice Johnson**

**HFP Prayer List**

### Sept 14 – Solemnity of Brotherly Love

Jer. 31:31-34; 1 John 4: 17-21; Luke 10: 25-37

+ **Francis Gebel**

+ **Beatrice Johnson**

+ **Teri Schabloski**

### Lector Schedule

Sept 7	Meghan George
Sept 14	Donna Kibler
Sept 21	Karen Wilson
Sept 28	Donna Becker

### 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

*(Romans 11:34-35; Job 40:2)*

- V. For who has known the mind of the Lord or who has been His counselor? Or who has given Him anything that He may be repaid?
- R. Will we have arguing with the Almighty by the critic? Let him who would correct God give answer!

### Prayers of the Faithful Response

*Strengthen our trust in You, Lord.*

### ***Weekly Reflection***

For a number of years I often hear someone says, "I woke up on the right side of the grass today."

Yet, I wonder if that perspective is the correct view we should hold. Yes, we are still alive and meeting each day and each challenge as they come along, and that is a good thing. However, to be in God's presence without fear, hunger, pain, sorrow, or any other ailment is indeed a welcoming thought.

What holds us back from embracing being with God for all eternity?

My first thoughts tell me love and fear. Love of others and serving their needs; participating in the growth and joy of the people around us. But also fear because of the unknown of what is ahead and even what would be left behind.

It's not always easy sorting out what to do, or even why certain things happen, especially in regards to tragedies upon the young, innocent, and gentle people of our world.

Yet, even in those moments we are being challenged by the Lord to not look back, but rather look forward and follow Him.

Placing our trust in the Lord may not be easy, but He does know what He is doing. Think of those moments to the time we encouraged our young children to start walking. As their strength, balance, and trust grew, they needed less support from us until that moment they are walking on their own.

Let your trust grow in the Lord and you will be amazed at the progress you have made when your walk into His loving arms.

*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 - \$971.00

Building - \$

*Thank you for your support*

### **NEEDED: SNOW PLOWER THIS WINTER**

We are seeking some one to snow plow at Charlotte House and the church parking lot this winter.

### **COMMUNITY PICNIC NEXT WEEK**

Please pray for beautiful weather, a wonderful time, and many blessings to go around.

### **RAFFLE TICKETS AVAILABLE**

Raffle tickets are available to sell with more chances to win. Tickets are \$10 each.

### **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, Ryan Hardicourt & family, Josh Harloff, 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, 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 Sonnevile, 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, 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.

***Let your trust grow in the Lord and you will find a greater joy than you ever imagined!***