



Holy Family Catholic Church

307 Black Oak Ridge Road
Seymour, Tennessee 37865

Diocese of Knoxville

Welcome to our Community!

*“The Lord set His heart on you and chose you, the smallest of all because He loves you ...the faithful God who is true to His covenant.”
Dt 7:7-9*

Office Contacts

Pastor—Fr. Gilbert M. Diaz

FrG@holyfamilyseymour.org

Deacon—Deacon Dean Burry 865-579-9196

Deacon Gil Campos 865-805-9040

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Sacramental Ministry

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 5:30pm

Sunday: 8:00am and 10:30am

Mon, Tues, Thurs 8:30am & Wed 7:00pm

Holy Days: 7:00pm Vigil & 8:30am

1st Friday of the Month: Mass 8:30am followed by

Adoration 9:00am-5:30pm & Benediction 5:30pm

Reconciliation

Saturday 4:30 to 5:00pm (or by appointment)

Anointing of the Sick-Contact the office 865-573-1203

Communion for the Sick and Home Bound-

Contact the office 865-573-1203 or Claudia Burton 573-0056

Baptism-Contact Deacon Dean Burry (865)579-9196,
one month in advance.

1st Communion-Contact Office (865)573-1203

Confirmation-Contact Office (865)573-1203

RCIA-Contact Deacon Gil Campos (865)805-9040

Marriage-Contact Fr. Gilbert (865)573-1203 or Deacon Dean Burry (865)579-9196, four months in advance for preparation and scheduling **registered parishioners only

Annulments-Contact Fr. Gilbert M. Diaz (865)573-1203
Deacon Gil Campos (865)805-9040

Parish Contacts

Parish Council—Meeting 3rd Monday of every other month

Parish Chair

Erik Preske

865-607-2209, pcchair@holyfamilyseymour.org

Administration

Juan Rivera

Charlie Robinson

Education

Misti DeGroot

Parish Life

Ellen Renchko

Social Action

Scott Hosea

Liturgy/Spiritual Life

Fr. Gilbert Diaz,

Deacon Dean, Deacon Gil

Communications

Owen Poveda

Family Life

Lisa Happ

Recorder

Misti DeGroot

Finance Council Chair:

Kathy Taylor

Coordinator of Religious Ed/CCD

Todd DeGroot

865-719-8744

cre@holyfamilyseymour.org

Youth Ministry - Vacant

Call the office

865-573-1203

Facilities Management/Custodial

Charlie Robinson

865-983-3448

Office

865-573-1203

Ministry Contacts

Liturgy Committee Secretary

Karen Burry

865-579-9196

Readers

Deacon Gil Campos

865-805-9040

Extraordinary Ministers Of Holy Communion

Deacon Dean Burry

865-579-9196

Ushers

Juan Rivera

865-850-5229

Altar Servers

Deacon Dean Burry

865-579-9196

Music/Choir—

Michael Sawyer

5:30pm

Kristofer Rucinski

8am & 10:30am

Office Information

Mon, Tues, Wed & Thurs—9:00am to 2:00pm

865-573-1203, FAX 865-579-3645

Website: www.holyfamilyseymour.org

St. Vincent de Paul —————865-360-5202

svdp@holyfamilyseymour.org

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Holy Family Financial Report

07/2018 - 06/2019 Fiscal Year

Yearly Budget \$ 351,441.14
Weekly Budget \$ 6,758.48

Last Weeks Collection
Regular \$4691.50
Renovate/Repair \$ 448.00
Charity \$ 614.00

Year to date:
Expenditures \$131,446.34
Surplus/Deficit (\$ 2553.41)



We extend a warm welcome to all the visitors who are celebrating Mass with us this weekend. We are blessed with many "visitors" who regularly attend our liturgies and generously contribute to our offertory. We would like to extend an invitation to "officially" register with Holy Family. Registration forms are available in the magazine rack in the vestibule. You may drop off your registration to the office or just drop it in the collection basket. By registering you will be included in all communications and invitations that pertain to Holy Family.



Legion of Mary

Meeting Time: Every Monday 9:00am
In the Family Life Center
Contact David Burton 865-573-0056

HELP is only a phone call away

If you have thoughts of suicide or have been involved in self-harm or injury there is National support groups, Suicide support at:

Suicide Help Line 1-800-273-TALK (8255) or www.suicideforum.com
Self-Harm at 1-800-DONTCUT (800)366-8288, info@selfinjury.com or www.selfinjury.com



Pray for the Sick:

Please call Claudia Burton at 573-0056 to be added

Ed Bigelow, Joe DeBergalis, Kevin Evans, Carmen Fernandez, Paula Goan, Donna Haskett, Peggy Hood, Mike Hugh, Dorothy Jenkins, Roger Jessup, Regina Long, Hennie & Maggie Mauer, Jeanette Ormazabal, Gloria Pizzolongo, Joan Renaud, Judy Sevin, Ted Zwolinski

(To be added to the pray list, or to have a visit from Clergy the request must come from a family member. Per HIPPA Law)

Catholic Charities of East Tennessee offer *counseling* for individuals and couples coping with concerns such as depression, relationship problems, grief, anxiety, and life transition/adjustment issues. Fees are based on a sliding scale, determined by income and other variables. Services are available to clients regardless of religious affiliation. The contact number for our Knoxville counseling has changed: contact Fr. Michael Maples, PhD, at **865-314-8870**.



Parishioners are invited to make a donation for placement of flowers in the Sanctuary in memory of, or in honor of a loved one or for a special occasion. Please contact the office at 573-1203 or email secretary@hollyfamily

Mass Intentions

Nov 24 05:30 PM *People of the Parish*
Nov 25 08:00 AM *For the Intentions of Ann Wojda*
10:30 AM *Kyle Moroney* † by Family
Nov 26 08:30 AM *Communion Service*
Nov 27 08:30 AM *Communion Service*
Nov 28 07:00 PM *For the Parents of Joe & Fran Martin*
Nov 29 08:30 AM *Lorraine LeCoqu* †
Nov 30 08:30 AM NO MASS
Dec 01 05:30 PM *Mildred Banks* †
Dec 02 08:00 AM *Joseph LeBlanc* † by Family
10:30 AM *People of the Parish*

† *May the souls of all our Faithful departed through the Mercy of God rest in peace. Amen* †deceased

Parish Calendar

C=Church, GL= Garden Level, FLC= Family Life Center, P=Pavilion

11/24 Sat: 04:00pm **Choir Practice-C**
05:00pm **Rosary-C**
11/25 Sun: 09:00am **NO CCD**
09:30am **Choir Practice-C**
10:30am **Rosary-C**
11/26 Mon: 09:00am **Legion of Mary-FLC**
11/27 Tues: _____
11/28 Wed: 07:30pm **RCIA-FLC**
11/29 Thur _____
11/30 Fri _____
12/01 Sat: 04:00pm **Choir Practice-C**
05:00pm **Rosary-C**
12/02 Sun: 09:00am **CCD**
09:30am **Choir Practice-C**
10:30am **Rosary-C**

Just because they have finished the rosary does not mean its social time. Please be quiet while in church. Once you enter the sanctuary – it is not the time or place to visit with those around you. If you must talk do so as quietly and briefly as possible. Remember that your conversation might be disturbing someone who is in prayer, which is much more important. **Sssshhhhhh!**



Our true worth does not consist in what human beings think of us. What we really are consists in what God knows us to be. ~ St. John Berchman(1599-1621), Patron Saint of Altar Servers, Feast Day November 26

The Lord sits as King for ever. The Lord will bless his people with peace. ~ Psalm 29:10-11

First Sunday of Advent
Sunday, December 2, 2018
Jeremiah 33:14-16
Psalms 25:4-5, 8-9, 10, 14
1 Thessalonians 3:12-4:2
Luke 21:25-28, 34-36



Today as we celebrate Christ the King, may we open the door of our heart so wide that we may listen to the voice of Jesus calling us to help build his kingdom here on earth.

This month, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to bring God's kingdom of love and mercy to local families. God Bless You!

Society of St. Vincent de Paul 865-360-5202
svdp@hollyfamilyseymour.org

**C.R.O.S.S. DONATION REQUEST
December 1st & 2nd**

1. **"Cookies for Santa"**: This is and will always be a December request because Santa needs a lot of energy to deliver all of those packages in a short period of time. Of course, leftover cookies are always appreciated by CROSS children.
2. **"Special Request"** Please support our Knights of Columbus with their Coats for Kids program. All coats will be donated to CROSS Ministries.
3. **"Peanut Butter"** is the regular CROSS food request for December.
4. **Plastic and paper bags!**

Confirmation class is collecting small stuffed animals to be put in the CROSS Christmas Baskets. Last drop off date will be December 16.

Support for those faced with divorce

St. John Neumann Family & Parish Life is partnering with the Diocesan Office of Marriage Preparation & Enrichment to offer Divorce Support. Divorce & Beyond is a support group for Catholic men and women who have experienced or are experiencing divorce. You will find a safe environment to explore the myriad of feelings that divorce brings. We invite each one of you with a need for healing and help to move beyond separation and to participate in this 9-week Catholic-based program beginning Sunday, January 13, 2019. Meetings will be held at St. John Neumann School Library 4:00-5:30 pm. Cost for supplies is \$15.00. For more information, contact your facilitator, Mary Coffey at 865-966-3237 or email mccoffey86@gmail.com. To register, contact Marilyn Derbyshire, Family & Parish Life Ministry Coordinator, at 865-966-4540 or mderbyshire@sjknnox.org.

Please check out the Giving Tree in the FLC



Please contact the office, 865-573-1203, for information on how to obtain a leaf for you or your loved ones.



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

When: 1st Friday of the month
December 7th - 9:00 am
5:30pm Benediction

Where: Holy Family Catholic Church

"Adoration, a cure for the false idolatry of this age."
-Pope Benedict XVI

There will be a sign up sheet on the bulletin board



Please welcome Fr. Tim O'Toole who will speak at all the Masses on behalf of Cross Catholic Outreach which was founded to create a meaningful link between parishes in America and the priests and nuns working in the Church overseas in the Caribbean, Africa, Asia, Central and South America. Please be generous in your response to Father's appeal. Brochures will be provided if you wish to support this worthy Catholic ministry.



Holy Family Parish App

Please Text App to 88202 to download.

Select our Parish (Holy Family Seymour) after opening. Holy Family Catholic Church has launched our own app for iPhone and Android smart phones. This will allow us to better communicate with you throughout the week and keep you updated with relevant parish news or updates. The app is very well designed and very intuitive. It will be a great resource for parishioners by providing daily Mass readings, Catholic news and prayers, convenient prayer and Confession reminders, our bulletins and more.

We hope for our new app to be a tool for fostering stronger parish life at Holy Family Catholic Church and better engaging the New Evangelization.



From Bishop Stika: "Congratulations on a job well done! Holy Family has exceeded the 2018 Bishop's Appeal Goal!"



October 2018
Holy Family, Seymour
Thank you for your support!

Parish Goal: \$23,100.00
Total Committed: \$29,677.86
Collections to Date: \$25,129.86
Needed to Reach Goal: \$0.00

May Our Lady of Fatima Statue Come into Your Home?

Parishioners speak of miracles, both little and large, happening when her statue has been present in their homes.



Our lady has brought feelings of peace, possibilities and hope where there was confusion, chaos and despair. A beautiful novena booklet accompanies her to be prayed during each of the nine days she is in your home.

To receive "OUR LADY" into your home, please contact Claudia Burton at 573-0056.

Christians Reaching Out Serving Seymour



There is always a need at **CROSS** to help stock their shelves with food for local families. Would you like to be a volunteer or do you need assistance call **865-579-6192** or go visit C.R.O.S.S. at **406 Boyds Creek Hwy Seymour TN 37865** and see all the good works they do. Open M,T,W, 10-2 Th, F, 10-12

Interested in discerning a possible vocation of service within the Church?



Interested in supporting the work of vocation promotion in the Church? Check out the Diocese of Knoxville Office of Vocations Facebook and Twitter pages:

- Facebook - <http://www.facebook.com/DOKvocations>,
- Twitter - www.twitter.com/DofKVocations.



**Diocese of Knoxville
Sexual Abuse Reporting Requirements**

If the abuse is in regards to a minor contact the Sexual Abuse Hotline at 1-877-237-0004 immediately. After filing a report with the Sexual Abuse Hotline, contact Marla Lenihan, the Victim Assistance Coordinator, at 865-482-1388.

If the abuse is in regards to an adult who was abused as a minor, encourage the victim to contact the Sexual Abuse Hotline at 1-877-237-0004. You will then provide them with Marla Lenihan's contact information 865-482-1388. You then will contact the Sexual Abuse Hotline and Marla Lenihan yourself.

If the abuse is in regards to an adult who has been abused, encourage the victim to contact the The 24/7 Sexual Abuse hotline at (865) 522-7273. You will then provide them with Marla Lenihan's contact information, 865-482-1388. You then will contact Marla Lenihan yourself.



Pregnancy & Adoption services, including post-abortion counseling, available 24/7/365 by calling 1-877-990-4673

Empowering and protecting the poor and vulnerable through: Columbus Home Children's Services -Housing for Special Populations- Outreach to those in Hardship -Counseling & Education.

For information or help, go to www.cctn.org for services And contact information in your community.

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2725 Asbury Rd. Ste 102

Knoxville, Tn 37914

329-FEET

Holy Ghost Parishioner

Do you have a need for a Notary?

We have two Notaries in the office.

Please stop by during of-
fice hours for all of your Notary needs.

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Jesus, Mary and Joseph,
I love you very much.

I beg you to spare the life
of the unborn child

I have spiritually adopted,
who is in danger of abor-
tion.

Amen.

Please cut this prayer out
and pray it daily.

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Holy Family Giving Tree

You can honor a loved one by purchasing a leaf, acorn or stone on the Holy Family Giving Tree in the Family Life Center. They make a great birthday, anniversary, and/or a memorial gift for a loved one.

All monies go directly to the special projects.