



Holy Family

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Diocese of Toledo, St. Francis of Assisi Deanery, Twinned with Immaculate Conception, Deshler, Ohio

PASTOR: Rev. Arthur J. Niewiadomski

Parish Staff: Pastor: Fr. Art Niewiadomski

Adm. Assist./Sec. : Dan Ford

Business Mgr/Bookkeeper: Janet Wilhelm

Parish Leaders: Council Pastoral: Marilyn Heitkamp

Finance Council: Dan Ford • **Maintenance Committee:** Jim Gerdeman

For Funeral Arrangements, Please contact the parish office/ Fr Art

Ministries:

Religious Ed: Margaret Bobb

Liturgical Music: Cheri Curry

RCIA: Fr Art

Prayer Chain: We would like to expand our prayer chain members.

For details about the prayer chain and/or to join, please contact: Suzanne Poole (419-299-3692) or Linda Mathias (419-655-3782)

Parish Office Hours: Mon. & Tues. 10 am - 3 pm • **Closed on Wednesdays** • Thurs. & Fri. 10 am - 3 pm

Weekend Liturgy Schedule: **N.B. Sat. 5 pm & Sun. 8:30 am** > ICC (Deshler) **Sun. 10:30 am**
 Sacrament of Reconciliation: **Sat. 4:15 - 4:45 pm** (Before the 5 pm Mass) or by appointment

† HOLY FAMILY WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE suspended until further notice.
 Weekday Mass at Immaculate Conception in Deshler = Thursdays at 8:30 am

- Please call the parish office:*
- When a family member goes into any hospital as hospitals do not inform us.
 - If someone is unable to attend mass and would like to receive Communion at home or in a nursing home.
 - Register as a member of the parish.



Please pray for all the sick and infirm of our parish, especially: Carol Marlow, Sue Ebersole, Violet Huff, Helen Rodriquez, Rena Hummel, Linda McGuire, Mary Woodruff, Ethel Ferguson, and Diane Hendren.

Prayers have been requested for: Jennifer Straley, friend of Rich & Linda Mathias, Sally Koenig, very dear friend of Linda Mathias, Margie Grove, Sonia Herman's mom, Samantha Clayton, niece of Kathy Christensen, Laynee McGough, great-great niece of Rich & Linda Mathias, Oliver John Wilhelm, grandson of

David & Janet Wilhelm, Jude Chambers, granddaughter of Walt & Anna Marie Chambers, Jim Mathias, Rich Mathias's brother, Kelly Borders, great niece of Rich & Linda Mathias, Lana Morrison, Emily Miller, great-grand niece of Rich & Linda Mathias, Paige Jacobs, grand-daughter of Jim & Violet Jacobs.

FYI: Please know that even though masks are not mandatory any more while attending Mass, you still have the option to wear a mask if you so desire.
Masks are still available in the church vestibule.

All are invited to come early to participate in praying the rosary prior to the 5 pm Mass on Saturdays lead by Jesse Rodriquez and/or Kathy Christensen. If you would like to help out in leading the rosary just talk to Jesse or Kathy after Mass.



Weekend Offerings for Aug. 21st & Aug. 22nd	
Reg. Envelopes	\$ 1972.00
Loose	\$ 41.00
Assumption of the BVM Envs.	\$ 25.00
Religious Ed. Program	\$ 55.00
Candles & Votives	\$ 20.00

~~~ "Thank You" for your continued support ~~~  
 Last weekend's mass attendance  
 Sat. (8/21/21) 5 pm mass = 28  
 Sun. (8/22/21) 8:30 am = 43

### **\$\$Community Cash Rewards \$\$\$**

Holy Family Catholic Church is the recipient of the 1% "cash back" on the grand total of all cash register tapes turned in. Please turn in the **"whole"** register tape and **"unrolled"**. Please!

### **NB Community Food Pantry**

Holy Family's food pantry donation for the month of **September** is: **Shampoo, Toothpaste, and Deodorant.**

### **Next Weekend's Lectors**

Sat. Sept. 4th = Will Schafer  
Sun. Sept. 5th = Sarah Simons

### **Sunday, Sept. 5th Counters**

**Danilda & Irene**

### **Haitian Humanitarian Relief Collection**

Our prayers go out to the thousands who perished, their families, and untold numbers of people who are suffering from the devastation wrought by the recent earthquake in Haiti and Tropical Storm Grace. While hundreds remain missing, more than 12,000 persons are injured and now homeless, in Haiti's southern peninsula, an area without medical resources in normal times. Catholic Relief Services (CRS) is reaching out to help the destitute, distributing emergency supplies, clearing rubble, and preparing medical and mental health teams for dispatch. Growing numbers of families need food, safe shelter, hygiene, water and cooking fuel to live.

Most Reverend José H. Gomez, Archbishop of Los Angeles, and U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops President, is making a special appeal for a voluntary special collection to support the USCCB Bishops Emergency Disaster Relief Fund. The funds collected in this special appeal will be used to support the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops for pastoral and reconstruction needs of the Church, as well as the efforts of Catholic Relief Services, as they respond to immediate emergency needs and aid in long-term rebuilding and recovery efforts in Haiti in response to the earthquake and Tropical Storm Grace.

You may donate to this Disaster Relief Fund by placing your **"Marked"** donation (Cash or Check) in the collection basket at any weekend Mass. Please make checks payable to: **Holy Family**. We will then send all donations received to Catholic Charities Diocese of Toledo which is collecting and forwarding donations dollar for dollar for this international humanitarian relief effort.

**Thank you for generously supporting those in need.**

### **Twenty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8/29/21

Have Mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long. O Lord, you are good and forgiving, full of mercy to all who call to you.

*cf. Psalm 86 (85):3, 5*

The greatest gift each of us has ever received was the gift of life itself. That gift was given to us most directly by our parents, whose life in turn was given to them by their parents, and so on. But ultimately the author of all life, the giver of every great gift, is God. We come together today in thanksgiving for that precious gift, which led to the gift of eternal life, promised by God's Son to all who follow him.

### **Introduction to the Liturgy of the Word**

**Deuteronomy** 4:1-2, 6-8

*You shall not add to what I command you . . . keep the commandments of the Lord*

**Psalms** 15     *"The one who does justice will live in presence of the Lord."*

**James** 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27

*Be doers of the Word.*

**Mark** 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23     *You disregard God's commandments but cling to human tradition.*

Do we take God's word to heart and act upon it? Moses--about to reveal the commandments--calls on the people to observe God's word carefully and faithfully. In his letter, James asks us to welcome God's word and put it into action. In the Gospel, Jesus warns the scribes and Pharisees that they confuse human tradition with God's commands. As we listen to or read God's word, let us consider how it guides our actions.

In the reading from the letter of St. James we are urged to be "doers" of the Gospel, not just listeners. Being a "steward" of God's Word is a matter of listening to the Good News, embracing the Good News and putting the Good News into action in our day-to-day lives. And whenever we are uncertain as to what decisions to make or actions to take as good stewards of the Gospel, St. James reminds us: ***We can never go wrong if we resist popular values that are not compatible with the Gospel, and we come to the aid of those who are burdened, distressed and poor.***