



# Holy Family Old Cathedral

ROMAN CATHOLIC ARCHDIOCESE OF ANCHORAGE-JUNEAU  
The Most Reverend Andrew Bellisario, CM, Archbishop  
*Staffed by the Friars of the Dominican Province of the Most Holy Name of Jesus*



## WELCOME TO HOLY FAMILY OLD CATHEDRAL ON THE *25th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

*September 19, 2021*

### THIS WEEK

- 9/18-19. S/S CHURCH IN CENTRAL AND EASTERN EUROPE AND HAITI DISASTER RELIEF second collections.
- 9/19. Sunday. CCD. Grades 7-10: 845A-920A; Grades 1-6: 1045A-1145A.
- 9/20. Monday. ANGELS IN THE BIBLE. Zoom Bible study. 7P. Contact Deacon Dave, 885-9992, for connection information.
- 9/21. Tuesday. RCIA. "Creation and Fall." Ministry Center. 7P.
- 9/25. Saturday. YOUNG ADULT HIKE. Contact Fr. Andy, [andy.opsahl@holyfamilycathedral.org](mailto:andy.opsahl@holyfamilycathedral.org)
- 9/25. Saturday. NAPA TALK. "NOW IS THE TIME." Chris Martin, Founder and CEO of FOCUS. Parish Hall. 10A. Taped.



*"Jesus Christ with the Children"*  
Carl Heinrich Bloch (1834-1890)

### PASTOR'S CORNER

"Then he sat down, called the Twelve, and said to them, 'If anyone wishes to be first, he shall be the last of all and the servant of all.'" Mark 9:35

Last week Jesus told Peter: "Get back into line." Today he tells the Twelve Apostles to do it too. Those who wish to lead from the front must do so from behind Jesus. Jesus is the servant of all. To lead, they must follow the example of Jesus and be a servant of all.

The phrase, "Rank has its privileges." is widely used to acknowledge that with responsibility and authority often come benefits fitting to one's position or rank: a reserved

### MASS SCHEDULE

\*Livestreamed Masses, and in person

**Sunday:** 730 AM, \*930 AM, 12 PM;  
Spanish, \*2 PM; Dominican Rite, \*4 PM; 6 PM  
**Monday - Friday:** 8 AM, 12 noon  
**Wednesday:** Dominican Rite, 4 PM  
**Saturday:** 9 AM; Vigil 530 PM

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parking place, a corner office, access to people and places within the organization where the ordinary worker cannot go. Rank also limits people's access to that person of rank. They often must speak with a "door keeper" like a receptionist, administrative assistant, manager or department head before they can speak with the person of rank.

Officially, there are ranks in the Church when it comes to the offices of the ordained diaconate, priesthood and episcopacy. Today Jesus speaks of rank in two different senses. The first sense is that of office. He addresses the 12 Apostles knowing they are to become the first bishops of the Church. The second and more broad sense flows from the charity of Christ which is worthy of everyone's imitation. To grow in charity will lead people to serve one another regardless of their particular vocation. Their particular vocation will dictate the way they are to live charity and serve God and neighbor.

It is in this second sense of rank that we can see the beneficial privileges that come with it. First, it is most satisfying to the soul to live in the image and likeness of God, which is what happens when one seeks to imitate the charity of Christ. Second, the person becomes more accessible to God. By turning away from sin and embracing a life of charity they are drawn to an increasing intimacy with God. Third, the person becomes more accessible to neighbor. Charity allows them to see and understand the meaning of the Communion of Saints. It also allows them to see the dignity and desire the good of their neighbors, despite whatever sins or evils their neighbors may have done. This is what Jesus does on the Cross. His perfect charity will not allow him to hate his persecutors or sinners. He hates only their sins which keeps them separated from himself and his Father.

Thus, the privilege of Christian rank in holiness is not one of exclusivity, being separated from others, but universality, being increasingly united with God and neighbor.

The Blessed Virgin Mary is an example par excellence of Christian rank. Her reward for being the faithful, loving, holy Mother of God is not isolation from humanity. Her privilege is that of becoming the mother and intercessor of all who profess their faith in Jesus, and by extension all of humanity. Mary, like her son, is a servant of all.

Today, Fr. Andy is in Talkeetna and Trapper Creek. Starting on Tuesday I will be away in California for the quarterly Dominican provincial council meeting. I return late next Saturday.

Fr. Steve Maekawa, OP - Pastor

## NAPA TALK

### “Now is the Time”

Chris Martin, Founder and CEO of FOCUS.  
Parish Hall. 10A. Taped.

## CHURCH INFORMATION

### CONFESSIONS

M - F 1130A – 12P; Sat. 830A – 915A. Also, by appointment. Visit the website to contact individual friars. [www.holyfamilycathedral.org](http://www.holyfamilycathedral.org) or call 276-3455.

### MASS INTENTIONS

Contact office at 276-3455 or email [frontdesk@holyfamilycathedral.org](mailto:frontdesk@holyfamilycathedral.org).

### PRAYER REQUESTS

Call the office at 276-3455.

### OPTIONS FOR VULNERABLE PARISHIONERS

The cry room can be reserved at all Masses for especially vulnerable parishioners – family groups or individuals. Call Deacon Dave at 646-3002 at least 48 hours in advance.

### CHURCH OPEN HOURS

30 minutes before Masses; one hour before weekday noon Mass.

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday – Thursday, 10A - 4P. Closed Mondays and Fridays. And by appointment. Call 276-3455.

### ST. PAULS CORNER BOOKS AND GIFTS

Sundays, 1030A – 230P; Wednesdays, 11A – 2P.

### CLERGY

#### Parish Dominicans

Fr. Steven Maekawa, OP	Pastor
Fr. Dismas Sayre, OP	Parochial Vicar
Fr. Andrew Opsahl, OP	Parochial Vicar
Br. Benedict Mary Bartsch, OP	Residency Brother

#### Deacons

Deacon David E. Van Tuyl	Permanent Deacon
Deacon Gustavo Azpilcueta	Permanent Deacon

#### Paid and Unpaid Staff

Peter Alvarez (P)	Rel. Education Coordinator	Contact at 276-3455
Mary Beth Bragiel (P)	Operations Consultant	
Dan Concepcion (P)	Maintenance	
Letha Flint	Administration/Music	
Bernardette Frost	Manager, St. Paul's Corner	
Darlene Perkins (P)	Bookkeeper	

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**STEWARDSHIP OF TIME**  
Prayer and Study



**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**



“Run to the feet of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.”

St. Padre Pio of Pietrelcina

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**  
Wednesdays. 7P – 8P.  
Fridays. 830A – 12P.  
First Fridays. 830A – 8P.

**ADORERS NEEDED.** Contact Katie Reed at 348-7300.

**LITURGICAL SCHEDULE AND MASS READINGS**

**Sept. 19 – Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time.**  
Wisdom 2:12, 17-20; Psalm 54:3-6, 8; James 3:16 – 4:3; Mark 9:30-37.

**Sept. 20 – Memorial of Saints Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Priest, and Paul Chong Ha-sang, and Companions, Martyrs.** Ezra 1:1-6; Psalm 126:1b-6; Luke 8:16-18.

**Sept. 21 – Feast of Saint Matthew, Apostle and evangelist.** Ephesians 4:1-7, 11-13; Psalm 19:2-5; Matthew 9:9-13.

**Sept. 22 – Wednesday of the 25th Week in Ordinary Time.** Ezra 9:5-9; Tobit 13:2-4, 7-8; Luke 9:1-6.

**Sept. 23 – Memorial of Saint Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest.** Haggai 1:1-8; Psalm 149:1b-6a, 9b; Luke 9:7-9.

**Sept. 24 – Friday of the 25th Week in Ordinary Time.** Haggai 2:1-9; Psalm 43:1-4; Luke 9:18-22.

**Sept. 25 – Saturday of the 25th Week in Ordinary Time.** Zechariah 2:5-9, 14-15a; “Psalm” Jeremiah 31:10-13; Luke 9:43b-45.

**Sept. 26 – Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time.** Numbers 11:25-29; Psalm 19:8, 10,12-14; James 5:1-6.

**STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE;**

**OFFERTORY**

FY22 Offertory through September 12:	\$144,574
Offertory September 12:	\$13,389
Cash and checks:	\$10,818
E-giving:	\$ 2,571
Religious Education 2 <sup>nd</sup> collection:	\$ 2,643

**MASS INTENTIONS\***

<b>Sept. 18</b>	<b>9A</b>	<b>Rita Wichorek</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>530P</b>	<b>+Sandy Lopinsky</b>
<b>Sept. 19</b>	<b>730A</b>	<b>Harrison, Kosmos and Stephanie</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>930A</b>	<b>Rita Wichorek</b>
	<b>12P</b>	<b>Fr. Gregory Tatum, OP</b>
	<b>2P</b>	<b>Pulido, Castaneda and Bach Family</b>
	<b>4P</b>	<b>People of Holy Family</b>
	<b>6P</b>	<b>Increase to Secular Carmelite Vocations</b>
<b>Sept. 20</b>	<b>9A</b>	<b>Rita Wichorek</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>12P</b>	<b>Healing of all divisions</b>
<b>Sept. 21</b>	<b>8A</b>	<b>Letha and Bob Flint</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>12P</b>	<b>Rita Wichorek</b>
<b>Sept. 22</b>	<b>8A</b>	<b>Rita Wichorek</b>
<b>Wed.</b>	<b>12P</b>	
	<b>4P</b>	<b>All fallen away Catholics</b>
<b>Sept. 23</b>	<b>8A</b>	<b>Louges, Newman and Arnold Families, L&amp;D</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>12P</b>	<b>Opus Angelorum Retreat</b>
<b>Sept. 24</b>	<b>8A</b>	<b>+Carole Frost</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>12P</b>	<b>Rita Wichorek</b>
<b>Sept. 25</b>	<b>9A</b>	<b>Cook and Jones Families, L&amp;D</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>530P</b>	<b>+Walter Lopinsky</b>
<b>Sept. 26</b>	<b>730A</b>	<b>John and Mary Hallinan</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>930A</b>	
	<b>12P</b>	<b>+Arthur Striebich</b>
	<b>2P</b>	<b>Fr. Gregory Tatum, OP</b>
	<b>4P</b>	<b>People of Holy Family</b>
	<b>6P</b>	

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**2021 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL – WEEK 12**

**United in Mission:**  
**God's Word in Our Hands**

**NO RECENT UPDATES**

GIVE SECURELY ONLINE: [gocatholic.org](https://www.gocatholic.org)

Holy Family 2021 Assessment: \$ 84,500

Received to date: \$28,069

Pledge balance: \$6,846. Balance: \$49,585

Gifts: 45 households of 637; \$776 average



## STEWARDSHIP OF TALENT

### LITURGICAL MINISTERS

**Extraordinary Ministers**                      **Lectors**

September 25		
530P	Bernardette Frost	Sr. Josephine Aloralrea
September 26		
730A	Toni Berkenbush	Geri Forbes
930A		Larry Nakata
Noon	Steve Luna	Flor Maymi-Luna
6P	Rowena Carrillo	Beth Kenney

Our English extraordinary ministers and lector lists are very short. Please contact Marianne Berus at 248-4707 to volunteer or to reactivate your participation.

### THANKS! THANKS!

To our religious education teachers starting a new year of faith development for our children!

To many volunteers who made the Ministry Fair a lively event in our new outdoor venue!

To Holy Family parishioners sharing and keeping the faith in these difficult times!



ST. PAUL'S CORNER

...be transformed by the renewing of your mind...

**FRIENDS OF ST. PAUL'S CORNER.** We could use some help with our one day physical inventory, Thursday, September 30, 10A – 5P. Please contact us at the store for more details and to sign up. Thank you.

DID YOU MISS IT??

## PARISH WORKDAY



**Saturday, September 18**  
**After 9A Mass**

## Parish Ministries and Groups

### LITURGICAL MINISTRIES:

**Altar Servers** English. . . . . Deacon Dave, 885-9992  
 Dominican Rite. . . . . Jason Fouch, 903-7965  
 Spanish. . . . . Dulce Martinez, 339-7118

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion / Lectors**  
 English. . . . . Marianne Berus, 248-4707  
 Spanish. . . . . Lupe Ortega, 350-2667

**Liturgical Art & Environment** Florence Ward, 301-4613

**Music.** Music Coordinator: . . . . . Letha Flint, 227-3201  
 2P Spanish. . . . . Juan Ortega, 250-2027  
 4P Schola. . . . . Mario Bird, 205-9390  
 6P Choir. . . . . Liz Janezich, 947-8335

**Ushers.** English . . . . . Deacon Dave, 885-9992  
 Spanish . . . . . Jacobo, Carlos Sanchez

### PRAYER:

**Adoration.** . . . . . Katie Reed, 348-7300

**Centering Prayer.** . . . . . English: Kess Frey, 338-2894  
 Spanish: Cristina Azpilcueta, 903-6297

**El Shaddai.** . . . . . Rowena Carrillo, 250-0823

**Llamas del Espiritu.** . . . . . Griselda Martinez, 339-7118

**Prayer Line Requests.** . . . . Use the form on the website

**Legion of Mary, Junior.** . . . . Meyoung Wolfe, 360-0996

**Legion of Mary, Senior.** . . . . Office, 276-3455

### WORKS OF MERCY:

**St. Vincent de Paul.** . . . . . Richard Whitney, 330-9637

**Homebound Ministry.** . . . . . Paul Lariviere, 276-3074

**Pioneer Home.** . . . . . Sheila Barrett, 334-9503

**Parish Nurses.** . . . . . Office, 276-3455

**Prison Ministry.** . . . . . Deacon Dave, 885-9992

### SERVICE AND FELLOWSHIP:

**Knights of Columbus.** . . . . . Bill Fasser, 907-903-3145

**Women of Holy Family.** . . . . Florence Ward, 301-4613

**Earth Angels.** . . . . . Office, 276-3455

**Coffee & Donuts.** . . . . . Bill Fasser, 907-903-3145

**Trail Life.** . . . . . [tlusatroop251@gmail.com](mailto:tlusatroop251@gmail.com)

**Adoration Guardians.** . . . . . Katie Reed, 348-7300

### EVANGELIZATION AND EDUCATION:

**Religious Education.** . . . . . Peter Alvarez, 276-3455

**St. Paul's Corner.** . . . . . 646-3070

**Catholics Read book group.** . . . . . 646-3070

**Project Rachel Healing after Abortion.** . . . . . 297-7781

**Catholic Men for Life.** . . . . . Dennis Deering, 258-0386

**Natural Family Planning.** . . . . . [www.aknfp.com](http://www.aknfp.com)

**Website/Parish App.** . . . . . [geolochner@gmail.com](mailto:geolochner@gmail.com)

### ADMINISTRATION:

**Finance Council.** . . . . . Joe Babka, 337-2335

**Parish Council.** . . . . Fr. Steven Mackawa, OP, 276-3455