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To join our parish family, call or visit the Rectory, or complete the Census form found in the Church.

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:00pm

Sunday: 8:00 & 11:00am

Holy Days: As Announced

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

(Chapel of Saint Joseph)

Wednesday: 12:10

Thursday: 9:00 am (School Mass)

Friday: 7:00 am

Friday: Adoration and Confession

7:30 am - 8:30 am

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

Saturday, 20 minutes before Masses.

SCHOOL STAFF

Mrs. Michelle Taylor, School Principal ext. 22

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Registration is open for the 2019-20 School Year.

We are a Regional School receiving the support of St Ignatius, Our Lady Queen of Peace, Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Church of the Incarnation, Saint Luke and Saint Teresa of Avila.

LET'S STAY CONNECTED:

Our schedules, events & activities are communicated also on our website. If you are new to our parish, please let us know who you are. If already registered in the parish you can use this to update.

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

I'm new and want to stay connected.

Update my info.

I'd like to speak with Father Matt.

Please return in the offertory collection or email to rectory@holyfamilyparishmd.org.

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,
 As I mentioned last weekend, something special is happening in the worldwide Church this month. In honor of the 100th anniversary of Pope Benedict XV's letter on missionary work, Pope Francis has declared this October, Extraordinary Missionary Month. Its theme is: *Baptized and Sent: The Church of Christ on Mission in the World*. By this special focus, Pope Francis is praying that the Church may renew her missionary commitment, to proclaim the Gospel to all peoples; that we may realize that all of us, baptized men and women, that each one of us is on mission. Here is part of what Pope Francis has said, in his letter announcing this Extraordinary Missionary Month:

Our filial relationship with God is not something simply private, but always in relation to the Church. Through our communion with God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, we, together with so many of our other brothers and sisters, are born to new life. This divine life is not a product for sale...but a treasure to be given, communicated and proclaimed: that is the meaning of mission....

A Church that presses forward to the farthest frontiers requires a constant and ongoing missionary conversion. How many saints, how many men and women of faith, witness to the fact that this unlimited openness, this going forth in mercy, is indeed possible and realistic, for it is driven by love and its deepest meaning as gift, sacrifice and gratuitousness....

This missionary mandate touches us personally: I am a mission, always; you are a mission, always; every baptized man and woman is a mission. People in love never stand still: they are drawn out of themselves; they are attracted and attract others in turn; they give themselves to others and build relationships that are life-giving. As far as God's love is concerned, no one is useless or insignificant. Each of us is a mission to the world, for each of us is the fruit of God's love....

Today too, the Church needs men and women who, by virtue of their baptism, respond generously to the call to leave behind home,

family, country, language and local Church, and to be sent forth to the nations, to a world not yet transformed by the sacraments of Jesus Christ and his holy Church. By proclaiming God's word, bearing witness to the Gospel and celebrating the life of the Spirit, they summon to conversion, baptize and offer Christian salvation, with respect for the freedom of each person and in dialogue with the cultures and religions of the peoples to whom they are sent....

I look forward to speaking more about this mission we as a parish family have received to proclaim the Gospel and make disciples, to build up this Body of Christ. Let us pray together that we may be open to the mission to which God is calling us.

God bless,
 Fr Matt

Offertory for September 29th


Offertory Collected - \$4,954.00
 Budget Goal - \$5,769.23
 Surplus/(Deficit) - (\$815.23)

Thank you for your continued support.

The **World Missions** collection is next Sunday, October 13th. This collection is a global effort for the entire Church. It is a moment to provide for the building up of churches in Asia and Africa, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, covering more 1/2 of the globe.

PARISH LIFE

The Holy Family Men's Club will sponsor the **Annual Jazz Concert** on Sunday, October 20th, from 4:00 to 8:00pm in the Allen Drury Room. Music and vocals presented by "One Spirit / One Groove" with refreshments, dancing and other activities. Tickets are \$35.00 per person. See any Men's Club member or online at www.EventBrite.com.

Do you  to read! Join **Holy Family's new Book Club** today after the 8:00 mass in the Mother Lange Library. First book option for discussion about Josephine Bakhtita: Survivor of Human Trafficking.

HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- 10/7 Double Good Popcorn Fundraiser begins.
- 10/11 Breast Cancer Awareness Dress Down Day.

PARISH LIFE

Holy Family will host the **Black Catholic History Month Mass** sponsored by ADW Office of Cultural Diversity and Outreach on Saturday, November 9th. Praise and Worship at 3:30 pm, and Vigil Mass at 4:00 pm, celebrated by Bishop Mario Dorsonville, Auxillary Bishop of Washington with Rev. Anthony Bozeman, SSJ, homilist. Reception to follow in the Allen Drury Room. Volunteers are needed to help with parking and other duties. Contact Thelma Adams, (301) 630-0018.

New Parish Directories are available in the rear of the church.

Join Holy Family Sodality as they Pray, Meditate and **Walk with Mary** on Sunday, October 27th at 9:30 am in the Church.

COMMUNITY LIFE

SOME's 18th Annual Thanksgiving Day Trot for Hunger, will take place on Thursday, November 28th is a fundraising and community event that brings awareness to neighbors in DC experiencing poverty, homelessness and hunger. Last year this event provided 388,135 meals to hungry men, women and children, 13,554 showers, 38,086 sets of clothing, and also served 2,742 patients during doctor and dental appointments, and 2,954 clients at meetings with a counselor. Join **So Others Might Eat** on Thanksgiving morning at Freedom Plaza in Downtown, DC. For more information contact the Trot for Hunger Event Manager, Bianca Washington, at trotforhunger@some.org or call (202) 753.4960.

ARCHDIOCESAN LIFE

Saturday, October 19th from 9am to 12pm at Holy Comforter/St. Cyprian, a **Workshop for English Lectors** will be offered. RSVP by contacting the Office of Worship at liturgy@adw.org or (301) 853-4594 and leaving your name, phone, email, and parish name.

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WE KNOW AND LOVE:

<u>Our Parishioners</u>	<u>Homebound</u>	<u>Elsewhere</u>
Denise Richards	Mary Byus	Wendell Young
Cynthia Washington	Bennie Hooks Jr.	Dorothy Nelson
William Green	Andre Johnson	Kathleen Guidry
Demetrius Butler	Rose Sparrow	Alpha Banks
Barbara Smith	Alease Terry	Roy Banks
Angela Hewins	Clarence King	Betty Furr
Richard Hewins	Mildred Jones	David M. Smith Sr.
Barbara Price	Marsha Harper	Francis Briscoe
Iris Pierce	Barbara Moore	Barbara Williams
Angela McNair	Margaret Kennerly	Middleton Russell
Michelle Handon	Hilda Reeves	
Candace Griffin-Miles	Juanita Presley	
Frances Fisher	Frank Wilson	
	Ethel Handon	

We continue to pray for Healing of Candace Griffin-Miles, Celestine Warren, Michelle Handon and Elaine Richardson.

Birthday Blessings for Phyllis Biscoe who celebrated her 80th on 10/4 and for Za’Niyah Martin whose birthday is on 10/10.

Sanctuary Lamp will burn in the Church from 10/6—10/12 in memory of Helen Zamites from her daughters Elaine and Karen.

Sanctuary Lamp will burn in the Chapel of St. Joseph from 10/6—10/10 in memory of Mattie Toppen from Ramona C. Johnson.

MASSES FOR WEEK OF OCT 6—OCT 13

<u>Oct 6th</u>	<u>27th Sunday in Ordinary Time</u>
Sat. 4:00 pm	Carmelo Chillari +
8:00 am	Leon Adams +
11:00 am	Holy Family Parishioners
<u>Daily Masses</u>	
Wed. 12:10 pm	Za’Niyah Martin (L)
Thurs. 9:00 am	Ruby Cheseldine +
Fri. 7:00 am	Janice L. Cannon +
<u>Oct 13th</u>	<u>28th Sunday in Ordinary Time</u>
Sat. 4:00 pm	Carmelo Chillari +
8:00 am	Holy Family Parishioners
11:00 am	Mr & Mrs Edwin DeSilva +

Daily readings can be found at <http://usccb.org/bible/readings/index.cfm>.

Altar Arrangements and Mass Intentions: Offerings (\$5.00) can be made to honor a deceased or living loved one, or other special occasions. These Mass Intentions will be offered on Sundays in the Church and on weekdays in the Chapel of St Joseph. Altar floral arrangements are also accepted, starting at \$65.00.

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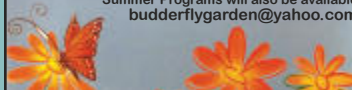
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