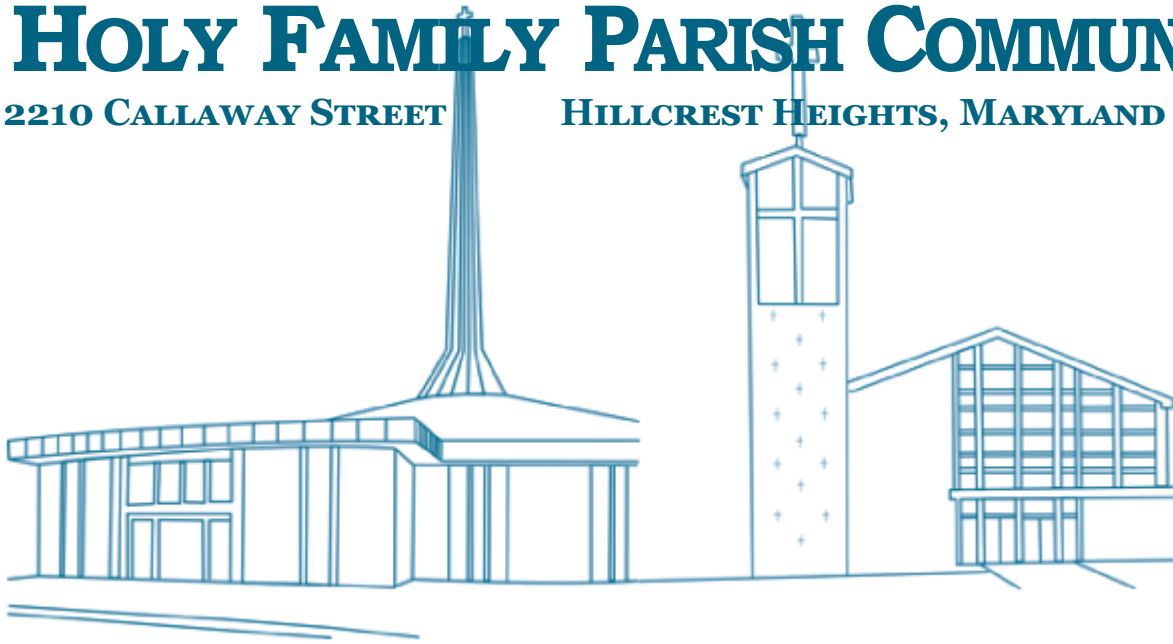


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To join our parish family, call or visit the Rectory, or complete the Census form found in the Church.

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 pm
Thursday: 8:30 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.

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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.



THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

This weekend we celebrate the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord: the saving mystery when Our Blessed Mother and St Joseph brought Jesus to the Temple in order to make an offering for their first born. The new presence of God, his true tabernacle, was coming to Zion, the fulfillment of all of God's promises and signs he gave to Israel: the Word made flesh.

Why February 2nd? Today we celebrate the final end of the Christmas season, forty days from Christmas. This day is the halfway point between the darkest day of the year, the winter solstice, and the spring equinox, when day and night are perfectly divided: the sun is making its sure advance toward the bright light of summer. So too, our Lord Jesus Christ, the true light of the world, is beginning to emerge from the obscurity of his nativity to the sure glory of his Resurrection: today we celebrate the first public sign by which this light is made known, a sign still mostly unknown, but now recognized by a few faithful ones, who have trusted patiently in God's promises.

The Office of Readings tells us today:

“In honor of the divine mystery that we celebrate, let us all hasten to meet Christ. Everyone should be eager to join the procession and to carry a light. Our lighted candles are a sign of the divine splendor of the one who comes to expel the dark shadows of evil and to make the whole universe radiant with the brilliance of his eternal light. Our candles also show how bright our souls should be when we go to meet Christ.

The Mother of God, the most pure Virgin, carried the true light in her arms and brought him to those who lay in darkness. We too should carry a light for all to see and reflect the radiance of the true light as we hasten to meet him. The light has come and has shone upon a world enveloped in shadows; the Dayspring from on high has visited us and given light to those who lived in darkness.

This, then, is our feast, and we join in procession with lighted candles to reveal the light that has shone upon us and the glory that is yet to come to us through him. So let us hasten all together to meet our God. The true light has come, the light that enlightens every man who is born into this world. Let all of us, my brethren, be enlightened and made radiant by this light. Let all of us share in its splendor, and be so filled with it that no one remains in the darkness.”

In Christ,

Fr Matt

Offertory for January 26th

Offertory Collected - \$4,786.00
Budget Goal - \$5,769.23
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Thanks for you continued support.

PARISH LIFE

Valentines Day Raffle tickets are now on sale by members of the Men's Club each week after Mass from now until Valentine's Day. Prize will be drawn on February

The next meeting of **Women's Ministry** is scheduled to be held on Monday, February 3rd

The **Sodality** meets on the 2nd Sunday of the month after the 8:00 am Mass in the ADR. Next meeting will be February 9th.

The **Leisure Club** meets at 12:00 pm on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month in the Mother Lange Library. Next meeting, February 4th

The **Men's Club** will meet on the 3rd Sunday of the month after the 8:00am Mass. The next meeting, February 16th.

Yearly Tax Statements. If you contributed in a known way, more than \$250 to the Holy Family Church last year, **your Contribution Statement** for tax purposes will be distributed from the rear of the church. If you do not receive one by the end of the month, and you would like a copy, please contact the rectory.

On Saturday, February 29th from 9:00 am—2:00 pm join Father Bonaventure Chapman of the Dominican House of Studies in the Allen Drury Room for a **Lenten Retreat**. The topic will be “**Forgiveness, Divine and Human**”. A continental breakfast and a light lunch will be provided.

COMMUNITY LIFE

The William J. O'Brien Jr., Memorial High School Scholarship is open to any Catholic student who is a resident in MD which includes children and grandchildren of a Knight; paying tuition at a Catholic High School. Grants of \$1,500 each year for up to four years. All applications must be received no later than February 1, 2020 (www.kofc-md.org and click on scholarship opportunities).

The Frederick M. Gossman Memorial High School Scholarship is designed to assist members of the Knights of Columbus of Maryland in paying tuition for their sons and daughters at accredited Catholic High Schools, three (3) grants of \$1,500.00 per year for up to four years, and one (1) additional grant of \$1,500.00 per year for up to four years funded by the Maryland Knights of Columbus Insurance Advisors. All applications must be received no later than February 1, 2020 (www.kofc-md.org click on scholarship opportunities).

Mass for the Shut-in - Mass is aired at 10:30am on WDCW Ch. 50, Comcast: Ch. 23 or Ch. 3, RCN: Ch. 15, Verizon: Ch. 3. and on the ABC Family Channel at 6:30am each Sunday. For more information call 301-853-4517 or stark@adw.org.

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WE KNOW AND LOVE:

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| Michelle Handon | Hilda Reeves | Anne Vaughn |
| Candace Griffin-Miles | Juanita Presley | |
| Frances Fisher | Frank Wilson | |
| | Ethel Handon | |

We continue to pray for Healing of Elaine Richardson.

Birthday Blessings to Aaliyah Smith, Angela Jackson, Frances Bean, Clevester Johnson, Janice Cole, Martha Duckett, Joseph Mason, Barney Kennerly, Lynn Johnson and Jeremy McCauley.

MASSES FOR WEEK OF FEB 2—FEB 9

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| <u>Feb 2nd</u> | <u>THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD</u> |
| Sat. 4:00 pm | Carmelo Chillari + |
| 8:00 am | Holy Family Parishioners |
| 11:00 am | Catholic Schools |
| <u>Daily Masses</u> | |
| Wed. 12:10 am | Ethel Handon & Family(L) |
| Thurs. 8:30 am | Gloria Ann Smith + |
| Fri. 7:00 am | St Margaret of Scotland Parish |
| <u>Feb 9th</u> | <u>5TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME</u> |
| Sat. 4:00 pm | Carmelo Chillari + |
| 8:00 am | Joe Messina Jr. + |
| 11:00 am | Holy Family Parishioners |

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

Altar Arrangements and Mass Intention. Offerings in honor of a deceased or living loved one, a person's birthday, anniversary, or any another special occasion. These Mass Intentions will be offered by our priests on Sundays in the Church and on weekdays in the Chapel of St Joseph in the Rectory. Mass cards are available to share your intention. A simple visit to the rectory or a phone call to give both spiritual support for your loved ones. Also, Altar floral arrangements will begin again in the joy of the Easter Season. Request yours today.

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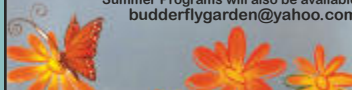
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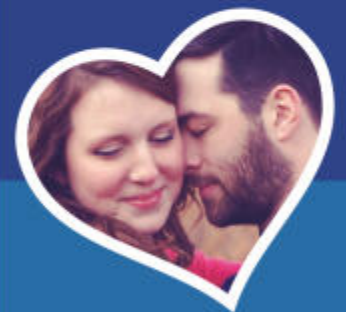
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