

# HOLY FAMILY PARISH COMMUNITY

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

## **INTENTIONS FOR WEEK OF MAY 2ND—MAY 9TH**

May 2 **Fifth SUNDAY OF EASTER**  
Sat. 4:00 pm Liam Joseph Young +  
Sun. 10:00am Holy Family Parishioners

Daily Masses  
Tues. 9:00 am Trish Naughton +  
Wed. 9:00 am Jane Marie Etienne  
Thurs. 9:00 am Joseph Brooks +  
Fri. 9:00 am Mary Ellen Naughton +

May 9 **Sixth SUNDAY OF EASTER**  
Sat. 4:00 pm Joan Williams  
Sun. 10:00am Holy Family Parishioners

## SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday: 4:00 pm**

**Sunday: 10:00 am**

**Holy Days: As Announced**

## WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

**(No Daily Mass May 4– May 7)**

**Tuesday–Friday: 9:00 am**

**Friday: Adoration and Confession**

**8:00 am—9:00 am**

## SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

**Saturday afternoon from 3:30 - 3:45 pm  
in the rear of the church at the back pew.**

## **PRAYERS FOR THOSE WE KNOW AND LOVE:**

### Our

#### Parishioners

Reggie Biscoe  
Joseph Booker  
Demetrius Butler  
Joanne Contee  
William Green  
Richard Hewins  
Lisa Makle-Brooks  
Miles Family  
Deneise Moore  
Iris Pierce  
Barbara Price  
Barbara Smith  
Kim Briscoe-Tonic

#### Homebound

Ethel Handon  
Bennie Hooks Jr.  
Andre Johnson  
Mildred Jones  
Peggy Kennerly  
Clarence King  
Barbara Moore  
Juanita Presley  
Rose Sparrow  
Alease Terry  
Frank Wilson

#### Elsewhere

Roy Banks  
Francis Briscoe  
Betty Furr  
Dorothy Nelson  
Barbara Williams  
Wendell Young

**In memoriam**—we remember the deceased members of the Polk-Polke family and **all** who have died as a result of COVID-19.

**The Sanctuary Lamp** will burn this Sunday, and every Sunday at the request of the HFS Class of 1977.

**OFFERTORY FOR APRIL 25TH, 2021**

Offertory Collected—\$2,273.00

Please continue to send in your financial offerings to the rectory office, as the parish depends on your contribution for payroll and our regular bills.

**ARCHDIOCESAN NEWS**

**Catholic Charities of Southern MD** offers rental assistance to P.G. residents in need. Contact Keith Poindexter at the rectory office, (301) 894-2222 for more information.

This year, **St. Ann's Center** is celebrating their 160th year of supporting vulnerable women and their children in the Washington DC area. The celebration begins with an event honoring The Daughters of Charity and St. Ann's CEO Sister Mary Bader. Please join St. Ann's in celebrating their history, founders, and benefactors for a virtual gala, Thursday, May 13<sup>th</sup> from 6:00-7:00 pm. Proceeds directly benefit St. Ann's three transitional housing programs and automatically enters you into a raffle drawing for dinner-for-four provided by D.C. celebrity restaurateur, Chef Geoff! Register at: <https://Hope2021.givesmart.com/>

**Join the Knights of Columbus** for an informative online presentation by finance expert and brother Knight, Joe Jordan. Joe will discuss "**Stress Free Retirement Planning**", including how to plan for your financial future and a secure retirement. His talk will give new insights into your financial affairs without losing sight of your faith and values. This webinar will be held on Monday May 12<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 pm. Contact Harold Sims at [harold.sims@yahoo.com](mailto:harold.sims@yahoo.com) for more.

**PARISH LIFE**

**The Holy Family Sodality** continues to pray the Rosary and recite the Glorious Mysteries on Wednesday evening at 7:00 pm. The conference call dial-in number is 978-990-5006 and the access code is 1344528.

**PARISH LIFE**

**Daily masses** are cancelled next week, April 4<sup>th</sup> through April 7<sup>th</sup> as Father Matt is away.

**Spring Clean up Day** has been scheduled for Saturday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> from 10:00 am—12:00 noon. Volunteers are needed. Grab your work gloves and mark your calendar to join us for our spring cleaning of our outside grounds. Light lunch will be provided.

**Save the Date: Saturday, June 19<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 am until 1:00 pm**, the Holy Family Men's Club will sponsor a Shredding Event free to the public on site here at Holy Family 2210 Callaway Street. Participants are asked to donate 2-3 non-perishable items for the Holy Family Church Food Pantry.

**To the youth of the parish and their parents.** We want to reconnect with our parish children, teens and young adults. Parents, let us know what they have been doing during this challenging school year. Share with us any accomplishments such as school/athletic honors, scholarships, awards, internships, and other exciting events or milestones so that we can spotlight. Send updates to Stephanie Lewis at [stephanielewis111@gmail.com](mailto:stephanielewis111@gmail.com). Please include the individual's name, grade/status and the accomplishment, event or milestone.

We continue to offer **Prayers of Healing** for Gera Christian, Lisa Makle-Brooks, Kim Briscoe-Tonic, Harriet Holly, Ashley Prentice, niece of Bertha Wilson, Shirley Baber and David Pugh.

**Birthday wishes** to Mabel Chriss, Mark Rozwodski, Lisa Pauls-Jones and Sherri Moxley.

**As we await a return to normalcy**

*Hold on just a little while longer  
Pray on just a little while longer  
Sing on just a little while longer  
Walk on Just a little while longer  
Fight on just a little while longer  
Everything will be alright.*

Traditional Gospel Hymn written by Rev. Cleophus Robinson Jr.