

# Holy Name Catholic Church

*Established in 1857*

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*Office Hours: 9am-4pm, Monday - Friday*  
*Bulletin Deadline: Wednesdays at Noon*

**14th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**July 5, 2020**



## *Parish Mission Statement*

*We, at the Church of the Most Holy Name of Jesus, strive to be a vibrant, welcoming community of faith. We are unified by our participation in the liturgy, the sacraments, and service. We are a diverse family fully alive in Christ. We serve our God, our Church, and our community through effective stewardship of God's gifts of time, talent, and treasure.*

### **PARISH STAFF:**

#### **Pastor**

Rev. Fr. Theophilus Ebulueme

#### **Deacon**

Rev. Mr. Bob Mahoney

#### **Parish Secretary**

Renee Szefcyk

#### **Director of Religious Education**

Mary Evans

#### **Outreach Coordinator**

Elizabeth Fielding

#### **Director of Music**

Thomas Habib

#### **Maintenance**

Orbain Owens

### **COUNCILS & COMMITTEES**

#### **Parish Pastoral Council**

Diane McDermott, Chairperson

#### **Finance Board**

Joe Gigante, Chairperson

#### **Hospitality Committee**

Connie Ransom, Chairperson

#### **Building Committee**

Derrell Clem, Chairperson

#### **Haitian Sister Parish Committee**

Gwen Blount, Chairperson

#### **Stewardship Committee**

Lauren Folk, Chairperson

### **LITURGY SCHEDULE**

#### **Sunday Mass Obligation**

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 8:00 am

10:30am

Sudanese 12:00pm

French 5:00pm

*No July Mass*

#### **Weekdays**

Mondays 8:00am

*Communion Service*

Tuesdays & Thursdays 11:30am

Wednesdays & Fridays 8:00am

*Daily Mass*

*Please prayerfully consider Holy Name in your will!*

**Ministers of the Altar Schedules:**

<b>July 4 &amp; 5</b>	<b>5:00pm</b>	<b>8:00am</b>	<b>10:30am</b>
<b>Announcer</b>	R. DeBock	D. Coleman	J. Gigante
<b>Lectors</b>	P. Novotny	C. Ransom	G. Hutchens
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	OFF	OFF	OFF
<b>Altar Servers</b>	OFF	OFF	OFF
<b>July 11 &amp; 12</b>	<b>5:00pm</b>	<b>8:00am</b>	<b>10:30am</b>
<b>Announcer</b>	C. Auten	K. Caddigan	G. Hutchens
<b>Lector</b>	R. DeBock	J. Szeffcyk	E. Hutchens
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**MASS READINGS: Cycle**

**1st:** *Zechariah 9:9-10*  
**Responsorial:** *Psalm 145: 1-2,8-11,13-14*  
**2nd:** *Romans 8:9,11-13*  
**Gospel:** *Matthew 11:25-30*



**WEEKDAY READINGS: (Year II)**

**July 6 — Monday, 14th Week in Ordinary Time**

Reading 1: Hosea 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22  
 Responsorial: Psalm 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9  
 Gospel: Matthew 9:18-26

**July 7 — Tuesday**

Reading 1: Hosea 8:4-7, 11-13  
 Responsorial: Psalm 115:3-4, 5-6, 7ab-8, 9-10  
 Gospel: Matthew 9:32-38

**July 8 — Wednesday**

Reading 1: Hosea 10:1-3, 7-8, 12  
 Responsorial: Psalm 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7  
 Gospel: Matthew 10:1-7

**July 9 — Thursday**

Reading 1: Hosea 11:1-4, 8e-9  
 Responsorial: Psalm 80:2ac & 3b, 15-16  
 Gospel: Matthew 10:7-15

**July 10 — Friday**

Reading 1: Hosea 14:2-10  
 Responsorial: Psalm 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-13, 14 & 17  
 Gospel: Matthew 10:16-23

**July 11 — Saturday, St. Benedict (Memorial)**

Reading 1: Isaiah 6:1-8  
 Responsorial: Psalm 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5  
 Gospel: Matthew 10:24-33

**15th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Cycle A) - 7/12/2020**

**1st:** *Isaiah 55:10-11* **2nd:** *Romans 8:18-23*

**Responsorial:** *Ps 65:10-14* **Gospel:** *Matthew 13:1-23*

**Parish Registration Forms**

New parishioner registration forms are available in the vestibule (on the bulletin board) to the right of the main entrance. Registration with the parish is required for programs, such as CCD, and/or for those wishing to celebrate the various sacraments. It helps us to stay in touch with everyone, and properly track contributions.

**Stewardship of Treasure**

Offertory	\$1,361.00
Peter's Pence	88.00
Special Offertory Donation	1,000.00
Operation Rice Bowl (Lent 2020)	26.00
Kroger Community Rewards	124.41
<b>Avg. Weekly Expenses</b>	<b>5,855.00</b>

*Thank you for your generosity.*

**Mass Intentions**

**Saturday, 7/4**

- *For peace in our nation this Independence Day.* **5:00p**

**Sunday, 7/5**

- *Prayer intentions of Holy Name parishioners.* **8:00a**

- *For our first responders, doctors and nurses.* **10:30a**

- *For an end to the Covid-19 pandemic.* **Noon**

**Monday, 7/6**

*Communion Service.* **8:00a**  
 No prayer intentions.

**Tuesday, 7/7**

- *For the intentions of Roselyn Martin.* **11:30a**

**Wednesday, 7/8**

- *For Anne Szymczak who will be baptized today.* **8:00a**

**Thursday, 7/9**

- *For the intentions of Linda Morrow.* **11:30a**

**Friday, 7/10**

- *For the intentions of Ben & Willa Cook.* **8:00a**

**Sacraments**

**Baptism**

Parents & Godparents are required to attend a Baptism class. Parents must also be a parishioner for at least three (3) months. For more information please contact the parish office.

**First Communion**

Children are prepared for First Holy Communion by participating in the CCD program. Students must be enrolled for at least one (1) year prior to enrolling in the sacramental preparation class.

**Reconciliation**

Confessions are heard on Wednesdays after the 8am daily mass, Saturdays from 4:15 to 4:45pm, Sundays before Mass or by appointment.

**Confirmation**

Preparation classes are conducted through our CCD program. Candidates must be enrolled for at least one (1) year prior to enroll in the Confirmation class.

**Matrimony**

Preparation is conducted by parish clergymen and the Diocese of Nashville. You must be a registered parishioner for at least six (6) (months) and then contact the parish office at least six (6) months before the proposed date.

**Anointing of the Sick**

Anyone may request for major or minor health problems. If you anticipate surgery or a stay in the hospital, request the sacrament before (surgery).

**PRAYER LIST**

- Erin Worsham
- Anniece Tisdale
- JoAnn Coffey
- Emil Holloway
- Constance Guerrier
- Gerald Johnson
- Catherine Halima Bungulu
- Pat McRae
- Barbara Harding
- Earlene Johnson
- Jerry Dortch
- Maureen Boyd
- Jeff Drifmeyer
- Barbara Corlew

*"Almighty and Eternal God, You are the everlasting health of those who believe in You. Hear us for Your sick servants for whom we implore the aid of Your tender mercy, that being restored to bodily health, they may give thanks to You in Your Church. Through Christ Our Lord. Amen."*

**Source: Catholic Prayers for the Sick**

## SUNDAY CONNECTION.

Loyola Press, 7/5/2020

Today's reading from Matthew's Gospel comes after a discourse in which Jesus reproaches people who have witnessed his mighty deeds yet still lack belief. In this context, today's Gospel explains the reason for this unbelief and reveals what is necessary for faith. Today's Gospel also continues to enhance our understanding of discipleship as last week's Gospel did.

Jesus first prays in thanksgiving to God who has made himself known to Jesus' disciples. He praises God who has made himself known to the "little ones" and not to the wise and learned. As in other recent readings from Matthew's Gospel, a contrast is made here between the unbelieving Pharisees, who are wise and learned, and the faithful disciples, tax collectors, and sinners with whom Jesus keeps company.

The second part of this reading calls to our attention the unity between the Father and the Son. God has made himself known through Jesus, and in knowing Jesus, we come to know the Father. In Jesus' life and in his person, God reveals himself to us.

In the concluding sentences of today's Gospel, Jesus' teaching is again contrasted to the teaching of the Pharisees. This common theme of Matthew's Gospel probably reflects tension that existed between Jesus and the Pharisees and between the Pharisees and the community of Christians for whom Matthew wrote. Pharisaic Judaism became the predominant form of Judaism after the destruction of the Temple in Jerusalem about 70 A.D. Here that tension is expressed as alternative paths of holiness. The careful observance of the Mosaic law taught by the Pharisees could be experienced by some as difficult and burdensome. In contrast, Jesus' way of holiness is presented as uncomplicated and even restful.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

### Public Masses and Temporary Dispensation Information.

Mass on Tuesdays and Thursdays is at 11:30am and at 8:00am on Wednesdays and Fridays. The dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass has been extended by Bishop Spalding through August 3. **All weekend Mass times remain the same.** We will continue to stream the Sunday Mass at 8am on our Facebook page during this time.

**Family Room CLOSED Notice.** Formerly the "Crying room" in the church, the family room is closed until further notice.

**This Weekend's 2nd Collection** is for the Building Maintenance Fund. Also available via online giving.

**Francophone Mass for July** has been cancelled due to the increased uncertainty with Covid-19 over the last week. Father Carré sends his prayers and best wishes to all Holy Name parishioners during this time. We will update again in August.

**Offerings and Stipends.** Unless the Bishop of the Province determines otherwise, the offering for a Mass shall be \$5, and the stipend for administering other sacraments shall be \$25 (Canon 1264). Portions in excess of these amounts may be considered a gift to the priest.

**Mass Intentions.** Please contact the parish office if you wish to schedule a Mass. You are welcome to book Masses for various intentions.

**Bishop's Annual Appeal for Ministries 2020.** Holy Name parishioners have currently raised \$7,881.00. you can give online by texting "BISHOP" to 31996 or visit <https://dioceseofnashville.com/appeal>.

## SPECIAL ATTENTION

**Adoration.** Wednesdays after the 8:00am daily Mass until Noon.

**Loaves & Fishes will not re-open for indoor guests in July** due to continued uncertainty with Covid-19. Holy Name Group please make note that we **will not** serve in July.

**Join Us On Flocknote.** Holy Name is using Flocknote to send messages via email and text about upcoming events and ministry programs. Flocknote is a safe and confidential app. You don't have to set up an account, nor a password, and you can unsubscribe at any time. Signing up is easy and free. Text to 84576, the letters "HN", or online [www.flocknote.com/HolyNameCatholicChurch/5](http://www.flocknote.com/HolyNameCatholicChurch/5)

**HOME OR AWAY? Use Online Giving!** Holy Name offers a **convenient and secure** way to support our parish through Online Giving with no hassle; home or away! Visit our website and click on "Make a Gift" in the menu bar.

**FAQ's and other Covid-19 Information.** We have linked information from Father Theo, Bishop Spalding and the diocese, Metro Nashville Government, the State of Tennessee and the CDC to our parish website. See our "home page" for designated links.

**THANK YOU.** We have had many parishioners sign up for the Online Giving program. We appreciate your willingness to change over. We also appreciate everyone who has taken the time to either mail in or drop off their contributions.

**Confessions.** Available 45 minutes prior to the Saturday, 5:00pm Mass or by appointment. Call (615) 254-8847 to schedule.

**Adjustments for Mass due to Covid-19.** Highlights from Fr. Theo's letter dated May 8, with recent updates from Bishop Spalding (June 24). Visit our website for full details: [www.holynamenashville.com](http://www.holynamenashville.com). Information for *Confirmation* is on the *back page* of this bulletin.

- Since the dispensation from Sunday Mass remains in effect **through August 3**, parishioners 65 and older are encouraged to stay home, in addition to anyone with underlying health conditions or illnesses etc. We will continue to live-stream the 8am Mass for those affected. *Parishioners 65 and older are invited to attend Masses on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 11:30am during this period.*
- Proper social distancing guidelines and norms should be respected. Families living in the same household should also sit together whenever possible. Please also adhere to the marked pews for seating whether as an individual or family.
- The Sign of Peace and distribution of the Precious Blood both remain suspended. Holy Water receptacles will also remain empty during this period.
- Parishioners are encouraged to bring their own masks to church and wear them. Additionally, please follow CDC guidelines for maintaining proper personal hygiene.
- All meetings and events on church property, in excess of 10 people, remain cancelled through July 2020 at the discretion of the pastor. Federal, state and local phasing guidelines continue to be monitored closely.



# Parish Information and Sponsors

## Religious Education

**We need volunteers to teach and substitute teach for the 2020/2021 school year.** Teachers are provided a teacher's manual, with the curriculum and instructions for the classes and subject matter. Also needed: Volunteers for Children's Liturgy.

**Students needing service hours.** Please check back for updates on these opportunities. All events in the church are currently suspended until further notice.

**Sacrament of Confirmation.** The diocese will begin the rescheduling of Confirmation in September, 2020. We will update as soon as our date has been received. Please pray for our students who are preparing for the sacrament. Our candidates this year are: Lako Friday, Aliew Alyab, Awit Maiwen, Tina Abdous, Sito (Nadal) Mohamed, Finn (Theophan) Weishaar, and Adut Akok.

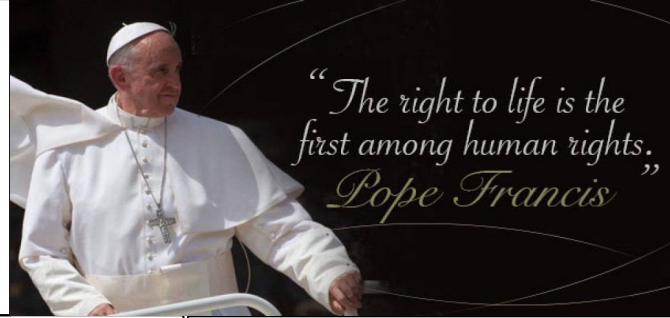
For these and other important items from Religious Education, please visit our website: [www.holynamenashville.com/religious-education](http://www.holynamenashville.com/religious-education)

### Copies of the 2019 Diocesan Annual Impact Report

are available at the back of the church and in the vestibule for all parishioners and guests of the Diocese of Nashville. This information also explains where your Bishop's Annual Appeal for Ministries donations go.

### Estate planning?

Bequests to Holy Name will help the parish continue sharing the Gospel for generations to come.



### Interested in joining the Knights of Columbus?

The K of C is a Catholic fraternal benefits organization. Holy Name is represented by Council #9211. For more information on how they serve our parish and community, as well as to get involved please see one of our Knights or you may also contact the Holy Name parish office to leave a message.



### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Please join us every Wednesday from 8:30am until Noon.

Note: Bible Study is scheduled to return in the fall due to the Covid-19 pandemic.



### Father Theo's Parish Email

Do you have a question for our pastor? Would you like to ask for prayers or schedule an appointment? Please feel free to contact Father at [pastorHN@comcast.net](mailto:pastorHN@comcast.net)

### Holy Name Church Rentals

The church is available for special masses such as weddings and funerals, funeral home visitations, memorial services and a variety of other related events. Please contact Connie in the office.



### The Holy Father's Prayer Intention

July 2020

### Our Families

We pray that today's families may be accompanied with love, respect and guidance.



### PARISH CENTER & AUDITORIUM RENTALS

CALL CONNIE FOR RATES (615) 254-8847

OUR PARISH CENTER IS A SPACIOUS AREA TO HOLD YOUR EVENTS OR OUR AUDITORIUM IS A COZY PLACE FOR YOUR SMALL GATHERINGS.