

Holy Name Catholic Church

Established in 1857

521 Woodland Street
Nashville, TN. 37206

(615) 254-8847

Fax: (615) 730-8352

Email: holynamechurchnashville@comcast.net
www.holynamenashville.com

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

Our Lord Jesus Christ
King of the Universe
November 21, 2021



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

Gan Nyawello

Outreach Coordinator

Elizabeth Fielding

Director of Music

Thomas Habib

Maintenance

Orbain Owens

COUNCILS & COMMITTEES

Parish Pastoral Council

Glenn Hutchens, Chairperson

Finance Board

Joe Gigante, Chairperson

Hospitality Committee

Connie Ransom, Chairperson

Building Committee

Peter Laurence, Chairperson

Haitian Sister Parish Committee

Gwen Blount, Chairperson

LITURGY SCHEDULE

Sunday Mass Obligation

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 8:00 am

10:30am

Sudanese 12:00pm

French 5:00pm

11/21/21

*Rosary before 8am Mass on
Sundays.*

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:

Nov. 20 & 21	5:00pm	8:00am	10:30am
Announcer	G. Drifmeyer	K. Caddigan	J. Gigante
Lector	C. Azor	J. Szeffcyk	N. Brien
Eucharistic Ministers	OFF	OFF	OFF
Altar Servers	A. Wakefield	A. Szeffcyk	D. Badhera
Nov. 27 & 28	5:00pm	8:00am	10:30am
Announcer	R. DeBock	D. Coleman	J. Gigante
Lector	L. Treuting	G. Wooten	D. McDermott
Eucharistic Ministers	OFF	OFF	OFF
Altar Servers	A. Wakefield		J. Mupipi

MASS READINGS: Cycle B

1st: *Daniel 7:13-14*

Responsorial: *Psalm 93:1,1-2,5*

2nd: *Revelation 1:5-8*

Gospel: *John 18:33b-37*

Today's Missal, 5/30-11/27/21



WEEKDAY READINGS: (Year I)

November 22 — Monday, St. Cecilia (Memorial)

Reading 1: Daniel 1:1-6, 8-20

Responsorial: Daniel 3:52-56

Gospel: Luke 21:1-4

November 23 — Tuesday, 34th Week in Ordinary Time

Reading 1: Daniel 2:31-45

Responsorial: Daniel 3:57-61

Gospel: Luke 21:5-11

November 24 — Wednesday, St. Andrew Dung-Lac & Companions (Memorial)

Reading 1: Daniel 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28

Responsorial: Daniel 3:62-67

Gospel: Luke 21:12-19

November 25 — Thursday, Thanksgiving Day

Reading 1: Sirach 50:22-24

Responsorial: Psalm 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8

Reading 2: 1 Corinthians 1:3-9

Gospel: Luke 21:20-28

November 26 — Friday

Reading 1: Daniel 7:2-14

Responsorial: Daniel 3:75-81

Gospel: Luke 21:29-33

November 27 — Saturday, (Daily Reading)

Reading 1: Daniel 7:15-27

Responsorial: Daniel 3:82-87

Gospel: Luke 21:34-36

1st Sunday of Advent (Cycle B) - 11/28/2021

1st: *Jeremiah 33:14-16* **2nd:** *1 Thessalonians 3:12-4:2*

Responsorial: *Ps 25:4-5,8-9,10,14* **Gospel:** *Luke 21:25-28,34-36*

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:	\$3,563.00
Bldg. Maintenance Fund	780.00
Seminarian Ed. Fund	100.00
Coffee & Donuts	25.00
All Saints Day	10.00
All Souls Day	15.00
Avg. Weekly Expenses	5,855.00

Thank you for your generosity!

Mass Intentions

Saturday, 11/20	
- For God's protection over all travelers during the holiday this week.	5:00p
Sunday, 11/21	
- For those who are in need of healing.	8:00a
- For the intentions of Holy Name parishioners.	10:30a
Monday, 11/22	
- Communion Service.	8:00a
No intentions.	
Tuesday, 11/23	
- For the souls in purgatory.	11:30a
Wednesday, 11/24	
- Eternal repose of Carolyn Nwoye. (K. Nwoye)	8:00a
Thursday, 11/25	
- Thanksgiving to God for Holy Name parishioners.	9:00a
Friday, 11/26	
- No Mass and No Communion Service today.	8:00a

Sacraments

Baptism

Parents & Godparents are required to attend a Baptism class. **Parents must also be a parishioner for at least six (6) 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 one (1) year** 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

- Anniece Tisdale
- JoAnn Coffey
- Gerald Johnson
- Pat McRae
- Barbara Harding
- Earlene Johnson
- Maureen Boyd
- Barbara Corlew
- Cheryl Tisdale
- Roselyn Martin
- Connie Downs
- Casey Hicks

"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

PASTOR'S CORNER.

Today my brothers and sisters we celebrate the Solemnity of Christ the King and the end of the Church's liturgical year. We enter into Advent next weekend, which ushers in the new liturgical calendar. Previous Gospels focused on Mark, and today we are reading from John's Gospel. While the first and second readings present us with Jesus' majesty, the Gospel gives us a stark contrast – Jesus' trial before Pilate. Towards the end of the interrogation Jesus echoed the word "truth." "You say I am a king. For this I was born and for this I came into the world to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice." (John 18:36-37).

The truth here is that Jesus came to establish the Kingdom of God on earth. Christ's kingdom is the Divine Kingdom and His kingship is a unique one. His rule is that of truth and life, justice, love, and peace. As we celebrate the Solemnity of Christ the King today, let us identify with His kingship and prove to be people of His kingdom by being people of truth as He charges us to be on the truth.

We live today in a world full of lies and falsehood, tricks, maneuvers and deceptions. Our celebration today reminds us of all those times we have chosen falsehood against truth and charges us to be on the truth. When we pray "thy kingdom come on earth as it is in heaven," let's mean what we say and pray.

Meanwhile, this week we also celebrate Thanksgiving. What started as a family meal has become a national holiday. Let's not forget that "gratitude is an attitude." Be grateful all the time, with all that you have and has been given to you. Count your blessings and name them one by one. You will then see the goodness of the Lord. Regardless of what is going on in your life, gratitude is an attitude and outshines our battered nature.

May I thank you, brothers and sisters, for your continual support of our Church through your stewardship of *Time, Talent, and Treasure*. Together, we continue to build the faith, while maintaining the facilities built by those in whose footsteps we follow. THANK YOU!

PLEASE BE SAFE AND HAVE A HAPPY THANKSGIVING.
Fr. Theo

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

This weekend's 2nd Collection is for our sister parish in Haiti, St. Antoine.

This weekend we welcome Dr. Joe Gigante, Chairman of the parish Finance Board, who will give our annual report. Please refer to the insert this weekend in the bulletin.

Women's Group Bake Sale. The REAL Talk Ministry will have a bake sale after the Sunday Masses this weekend, November 21. Come support the women's group & purchase some delicious holiday goodies!

Thanksgiving Schedule. Mass on Thanksgiving Day will be at 9am. The parish office will be CLOSED on November 25 & 26. No Daily Mass or Communion Service on Friday, November 26.

Advent Presentation. Join us on Thursday, December 2, from 7-9pm, for a single night event with Dr. Edward Sri. Dr. Sri is a well known theologian and author of many books designed to enrich our faith lives. He will present two talks with a 15-minute intermission in between each and a question and answer period to close the night. Please help us spread the word by inviting your friends and neighbors. Flyers are available on the table in front of the family room this weekend!

Book of Repose. November is the month dedicated to the commemoration of All Saints and All Souls. This year our book will be located back by the ambry (holy oils area). Please list the names of your loved ones who have died. They will be remembered at each of the Masses this month.

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

SPECIAL ATTENTION

NOON MASS SCHEDULE CHANGE. We will no longer offer Mass at Noon *when the Titans are playing at home* during the *same time frame*. Instead, those who attend Noon Mass are asked to attend the 10:30am Mass instead. **Affected Dates: 11/21, 12/12, and 1/22.**

Titans Parking. Parking is available beginning two hours prior to kick-off for \$20 per automobile when the Titans are playing here at Nissan Stadium. Spread the word and support Holy Name!

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Will you pray for 30 minutes or 1 hour with The Lord? Adoration is on Wednesdays from 8:30am until 10:30am.

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.

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 or password. You can unsubscribe at any time. Signing up is easy and free. Text the letters "HN" to 84576 or visit www.flocknote.com/HolyNameCatholicChurch/5.

Sunday Livestream Information. We will continue to stream the Sunday Mass at 8am on our Facebook page until further notice.

Bishop's Annual Appeal Update. As of November 17, Holy Name parishioners have raised a total of **\$16,718** of our \$18,838 goal amount. Thank you for your generosity. Giving brochures are available in the vestibule or more information is available at dioceseofnashville.com/appeal.

UPDATED 7/1/2021: Covid-19, Masses and Events.

Adjustments at Holy Name with recent updates from Bishop Spalding (March 17, 2021). Visit our website for a link to the Bishop's letter and decree and other details: www.holynamenashville.com.

- Parishioners are encouraged to receive their Covid-19 vaccines.
- As our church continues to open up more, based upon recent releases from the State and also Metro government, *we encourage all parishioners to get vaccinated*. It is an act of charity toward our fellow brothers and sisters in Christ.
- **Masks are no longer required for those parishioners who have been fully vaccinated.**
- **Masks remain mandatory at ALL Masses for those who have not been vaccinated.**
- **Additionally, please follow CDC guidelines for social distancing and maintaining proper personal hygiene.**
- Families living in the same household should also sit together whenever possible.
- The obligation to attend Sunday Mass and holy days of obligation was reinstated by decree of Bishop Spalding, dated March 17, 2021. We will continue to live-stream the 8am Mass for those with serious health conditions/risks.
- The Sign of Peace and distribution of the Precious Blood both remain suspended. Holy Water receptacles will also remain empty during this period.



Parish Information and Sponsors

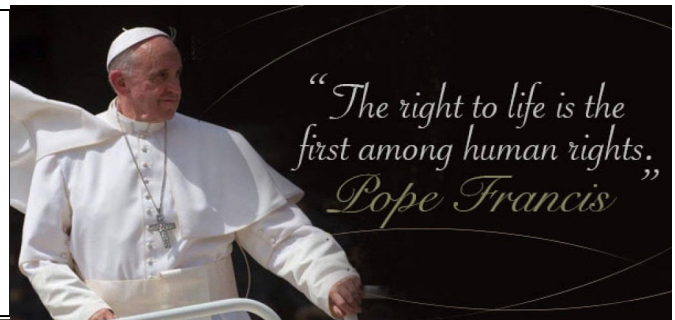
2021-2022 Religious Education

- **There will be no CCD class TODAY, Sunday 11/21** due to the Solemnity of Christ the King **and 11/28** because of Thanksgiving break.
- **CCD Students will return to class on December 5th. All students, volunteers and catechists must wear a mask.** Social distancing and proper cleaning procedures are being utilized in all classrooms and hallway spaces, including bathrooms. We also continue to encourage proper hand washing and hygiene.
- Please remember that **if you or your student is sick**, email Gan using the information below, and stay home until you recover and/or any quarantines have ended.
- **Gan Nyawello, DRE** may be reached via email at: religiouseducationHN@comcast.net. You may also contact the parish office and leave her a voice message by choosing: Option 4 (Ext. 203), from the main greeting menu.
- For more about our Religious Education program visit: <https://www.holynamenashville.com/religious-education>.



Estate planning?

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



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Please join us every Wednesday from 8:30am until 10:30am, praying the presence of Our Lord.



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

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.



St. Cecilia, Virgin & Martyr
November 22

The Holy Father's Prayer Intention

November 2021

People Who Suffer from Depression

We pray that people who suffer from depression or burn-out will find support and a light that opens them up to life.



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.