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MASS SCHEDULES

Saturday: 5:30 p.m. **Sunday:** 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.
Weekdays: Check weekly bulletin for Mass times

Office Hours Church: Mon-Fri. 8 a.m. - 5p.m.
School: Mon-Fri. 8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
**Deadline for Bulletin: Monday 12 Noon -
bulletin and schedules available on website at
www.myhollyfamily.com**

MISSION: *Holy Family Faith Community is called to live out the mission of Jesus. Empowered by God through Baptism and centered in the Eucharist, we strive to proclaim the good news of salvation, build community, serve the needs of others, celebrate our faith, and welcome all in one spirit of Christ.*

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - Religious Education Classes are on Wednesday from 6:30-7:45 p.m. **Call Sr. Mary Essner at 573-221-1078** for more information, or the parish office to register.
RCIA CLASSES are on Thursday from 7:00-9:00 p.m. in the Parish Center.

SACRAMENT PREPARATION/CELEBRATION

+Baptism Prep - Call Deacon Troy Egbert at 573-221-4542.
Please register by calling the parish office prior to date of baptism.
+ Marriage - Contact the Church office at least 6 months prior to wedding date.
+Anointing of the Sick- can be done privately at home, at Church or in the hospital

MINISTRY TO THE SICK - Please notify the Church office if you are aware of someone who is homebound. If someone is in the hospital and would like to see Fr. Mike, call the rectory or the office.

NEW PARISHIONERS - *Newcomers* are always welcome! Please stop by the Church office to obtain a registration form. Or register by online form at www.myhollyfamily.com

CHURCH/SCHOOL FACILITIES - If the event is to be held in the gym, please call the school office. If the event is to be held in St. Michael's Hall or the Parish Center Hall, please call the parish office.

In this time of increased nationalism, erecting barriers, and labeling others as threats or enemies, this feast calls us to a powerful counter-message. Our field of vision and inclusion must be much larger than that of the status-quo. It must have been shocking to learn that God's love extended not only to the Gentiles, but to the whole world. It may be equally shocking to realize that our boundaries are also too narrow. This feast is an epiphany about God's will for Christ's impact and ours on the world.



*All kings shall pay him homage,
all nations shall serve him.*

- Psalm 72:11

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Where on earth would you go to honor the magi? Iran or Saudi Arabia, Tarshish or the Isles come to mind, but Cologne, Germany would be a good choice. There the Shrine of the Three Kings has been the centerpiece of the city's cathedral since the fourth century. Today it is the largest reliquary in the world: a gilded and ornamented triple casket gleaming high above the altar. In the fourth century, the supposed relics of the wise men were taken from Constantinople to Milan, where they remained until the German Emperor with the unlikely name Frederick Barbarossa (Red Beard) gave them to the Archbishop of Cologne. Ever since, pilgrims have streamed into the city to honor the magi, the first of all pilgrims, and thus the heavenly patrons of all who have some holy wanderlust. This largest Gothic cathedral in Europe today was begun in the mid-1200s to house the relics. In medieval times, the relics in a city's possession were often the key to a sound international economy. The reliquary was last opened in 1864, and the remains of three men were indeed discovered. The cathedral is well worth a visit, with enormous twin spires forming the largest façade of any church in the world (it is the model for St. Patrick's in New York). Construction began in 1248 and ended in 1880, a six-hundred-year project. Today, it is a World Heritage Site, described by the U.N. as "an exceptional work of human creative genius." This great treasure of our tradition suffered fourteen direct bomb hits in World War II but did not collapse. It survived while the city burned around it, preserved, the townspeople say, by three heavenly patrons.

WE ASK ETERNAL REST O LORD FOR THE

SOULS OF: Mary Liberson, mother of Gail Hedges, of our parish
Patricia "Tish" Rockwood, sister of Rene' Krehmeier, of our parish
Wayne Smith, of our parish
Catherine Murawski, of our parish
Becky Goodhart Motzkus, sister of Sparky Goodhart, and aunt of Heather Crane, of our parish
Jeana (Lukowski) Hutchinson, mother of Vince Lukowski, of our parish
Cathy (Richmond) Bouey, former parishioner

Altar Ministers - January, 2018

5:30 p.m. Ministers of Eucharist:

Doug Keim, Harlan & Doris Haughton, Tina Hagan, Libby Cody, David McChristy, Betty Pfaff - alt.

Minister of the Word: Mark Grieshaber

8:00 a.m. Ministers of Eucharist:

Susie Henderson, Lisa Allen, Judy Kaylor, Kris Steinman, Gail Terrill, Renee Fisher, Katie Hammock - alt

Minister of the Word: Deborah Johnson

10:00 a.m. Ministers of Eucharist:

Angela Peters, Becky Thomas, Sue Webster, Stephanie Prenger, Carol & Steve Orscheln, Anne Hayes - alt.

Minister of the Word: John Watkins

Greeters - January, 2018

5:30 p.m. Joe Loren & Joan Hays

8:00 a.m. Ron & Cindy Craven

10:00 a.m. Bud & Linda Purvis

Servers - Jan. 13-14

5:30 p.m. Isaac Gray, Alexander Rose
Samuel Rose

8:00 a.m. Nathan Dodd, Nicholas Lawson,
Noah Lawson

10:00 a.m. Bethany Devlin, Jessica Friedersdorf
Zach Friedersdorf

MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR NATIONAL OBSERVANCE

The National Observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. is Monday, January 15, 2018. Holy Family School and Parish Office will be closed in observance of this day.

THIS WEEK ...



Your Gifts to God & Parish

Sun., 1/7 EPIPHANY

8 & 10 am Masses - all welcome!
11 am - 1 pm Confirmation Class - Parish Ctr
2-4 pm Seasons of Hope Grief Ministry Meeting - Conf Rm

Mon., 1/8

5:30 pm Bible Study - Parish Ctr

Tues., 1/9

8:15 pm Mass - all welcome!
9:00 am Co-Ed exercise - St. Michael's Hall
5:15 pm Parish Council Meeting - Conf. Rm
7:00 pm Home & School Meeting - St. Michael's Hall

Wed., 1/10

7 am Mass in the chapel - all welcome!
8:30-10:30 am Ehrhardt Bible Study - Conf. Rm
6:30-7:45 pm Religious Ed. Class in school

Thurs., 1/11

8:15 am Mass - in church - all welcome!
9:00 am Co-Ed exercise - St. Michael's Hall
7-9 pm RCIA - Parish Ctr

Fri., 1/12 10:30 am Willow Care Mass - all welcome!

1 pm Holy Family School Dismissal

Sat., 1/13

HAPPY BIRTHDAY SR. MARY!

5:30 pm Mass - all welcome!
7 pm Misa - church



Sun., 1/14

8 & 10 am Masses
2 pm Martin Luther King Celebration - church
4 pm Seasons of Hope Meeting - Conf. Rm
5 pm Life Teen Mass - Church

EASTERN STAR Fair eastern star, that art ordain'd to run
Before the sages, to the rising Sun,
Here cease thy course, and wonder that the cloud
Of this poor stable can thy Maker shroud.



- Sir John Beaumont

Dec. 30-31

Offertory Budget	52 Weeks	1,291,380.48
Needed to Date	27 Weeks	670,524.48
Received to Date		651,881.45
Over (Under) for Year		(18,643.03)
Needed Each Week		24,834.24
Received Dec. 30-31		54,536.09

The Total for Dec. 30-31 is comprised of:

Regular Envelopes, Loose & Online	50,474.00
School Support	3,445.00
Youth Envelopes	23.09
Stole Fees	125.00
Masses	10.00
Immaculate Conception	11.00
Holy Days - Solemnity of Mary	301.00
Votive/Religious Articles	10.00
1st Offering	137.00
Christmas/Seminary	1,580.00
Building Fund	630.00

GRIEF MINISTRY... Stewardship Council is pleased to announce that we are introducing a grief support ministry in 2018. Linda Dinges will be our leader establishing the program, *Seasons of Hope*. We will have an introductory session on Sunday, January 7th from 2-4:00 pm in the Parish Center conference room. Anyone interested in the program is invited to come and learn more about it, particularly if you would be willing to assist in getting this ministry running. Susan Fohey will be the Stewardship liaison for this program. Each session will have a leader and assistant and there will be four different sessions.

Please pray for the success of this ministry and come make 2018 your year to be involved in serving our faith family on this mission of healing.

STEWARDSHIP LETTER... A Stewardship letter reflecting on 2017 and planning for 2018 is available on the table at the back of church. Our wish for 2018 is for you to get involved...or even more involved in your parish. There are a number of ministries where we can use your help. There is something for everyone in addition to the blessing of meeting new people and growing in your faith. Prayerfully consider your gifts of time and talent...how can you best use these gifts to serve your parish family? May we all be called to a special year of faith-filled service to God and one another!

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK - Jan. 7-14, 2018

Sunday: Is 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-13; Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12

Monday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 55:1-11 or Acts 10:34-38 or 1 Jn 5:1-9; Ps 29:1-4, 3, 9-10 or Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Mk 1:7-11

Tuesday: 1 Sm 1:9-20 or 1 Sm 1:1-8 and 1 Sm 1:9-20; 1 Sm 2:1, 4-8abcd; Mk 1:21-28 or Mk 1:14-20 and Mk 1:21-28

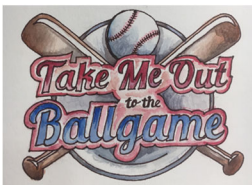
Wednesday: 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20; Ps 40:2, 5, 7-10; Mk 1:29-39

Thursday: 1 Sm 4:1-11; Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25; Mk 1:40-45

Friday: 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a; Ps 89:16-19; Mk 2:1-12

Saturday: 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a; Ps 21:2-7; Mk 2:13-17

Sunday: 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19; Ps 40:2, 4, 7-10; 1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20; Jn 1:35-42



SAVE THE DATE!! 7th Annual Holy Family Dinner Auction -
 Saturday, February 24, 2018

AUCTION ITEMS NEEDED! Forms are located at the back of church to give you some ideas on how you can help make our school auction a success. Donation forms are included with the information. This is our school's biggest fundraiser by far and we everyone's help!

ALTAR MINISTERS... Please check the January, 2018 Altar Minister list on the first page of the bulletin to see if you are serving. All ministries are important and if you are aware that you are unable to serve, please call the parish office or email: miller@myhollyfamily.com so we can get a substitute for you. You are also welcome to find a substitute if you are unable to serve. Thanks!



AMERICAN RED CROSS Blood Drive -- Monday, January 15, - 11:30 AM to 5:30 PM Sponsored by The K of C Women's Auxiliary at Knights of Columbus Hall - call 1-800-733-2767 to make an appointment

Mass Intentions - Week of Jan. 7-14

- 1/7 Sun. 8:00 am Jean Chapman, People of the Parish
10:00 am Danny Sawyer, John Novak
- 1/9 Tues. 8:15 am Jeana (Lukowski) Hutchinson
- 1/10 Wed. 7:00 am Wayne Smith
- 1/11 Thurs. 8:15 am John A. Essner
- 1/12 Fri. 10:30 am Special Intention (WCR)
- 1/13 Sat. 5:30 pm Mr. & Mrs. James Lawless
- 1/14 Sun. 8:00 am Lee & Angie Viorel
10:00 am Andrew & Brian Zielinski
Ron & Amelia McKenzie



Magi from the east arrived

Country Estates Swim Club INDOOR GARAGE SALE



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will be held Saturday, January 13th from 7am to noon at the Knights of Columbus Hall. If you have any items to donate, they may be dropped off at the hall on Friday, January 12th after 3:00pm.

Country Estates Swim Club annual TRIVIA NIGHT will be on Saturday, February 3rd at the Knights of Columbus hall. Mark your calendars and be on the look out for more info!

SUNDAY SOUNDBITE...By Fr. Greg Friedman, for the Feast of the Epiphany

Today's feast of the Epiphany of the Lord is a feast that celebrates *communication*. The *Gospel* we read today portrays Jesus the Word Made Flesh, revealed to the nations, as the wise men arrive to pay him homage. Whatever the historical facts behind the story, the *message of faith* is that God is reaching out to us, communicating to us the Word Made Flesh. That's communication that has transformed human history.

God's revelation in Jesus has a power surpassing all our modern technological "miracles," because it speaks to our hearts. Are we listening? Are we open to the Word?

Let's become modern channels of God's communication to the world in this new year, using our gifts, whatever they may be, to pass on the message of the Good News, that Love is born in our midst.

Franciscan Father Greg Friedman is the former host of *American Catholic Radio*. During his years at Franciscan Media, Father Greg wrote and directed, *Assisi Pilgrimage: Walking in Faith with Francis and Clare*, which appeared on ABC-TV stations nationwide, and received a 2008 Telly Award for Excellence. Currently, Father Greg is stationed at the Franciscan Monastery of the Holy Land in Washington, D.C.

The Epiphany of the Lord***Little Drummer Boy***

Did you know that the only reason we say that there were three wise men is that they brought three gifts? The Bible never says their number or their names. The gifts tell us about the givers. And these special gifts--gold, frankincense, and myrrh--tell us much.

When one king visited or sent an ambassador to another, he would give a gift of gold to show that he acknowledged the kingship of the other. So the first gift of the wise men tells us they recognized Jesus as King. The second gift is a type of incense, which was used in Jesus time to worship God. So this gift shows the wise men paying homage to Jesus' divinity. The gift of myrrh is oil used to anoint the dying. It reminds us of Jesus suffering and death on the cross.

So what gifts do we have for Jesus? Maybe we can take a hint from the wise men. If we acknowledge Jesus as king, maybe a better gift than gold would be to pledge our obedience to him. Each day we can promise to live our vocation as best we can, to love those around us, and forgive those who hurt us. A better way than burning incense to pay homage to Jesus' divinity is to take time to pray throughout the day. Some people are able to attend daily Mass, others spend time in adoration before the Eucharist, or even a few minutes of their lunch break to say the rosary.

As for the gift of myrrh, we can give Jesus the crosses we bear each day. When we accept suffering in our lives, especially that caused by our sins, we give ourselves to Jesus as he gave himself for us on the cross.

The song "Little Drummer Boy" reminds us that the best gift is not necessarily the most expensive. Instead, it is the simple gift that only we can give. Let Epiphany remind us to offer our lives to Jesus each day. - **Tom Schmidt**, Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co.

LIFE TEEN MASS... Our next Life Teen Mass is scheduled for Sunday, January 14, 2018 at 5:00 pm in church. Everyone is welcome to attend the Life Teen Mass.

**Does your marriage need a tune up? Or even a major overhaul?
Sometimes a marriage can run along fine and then things change.
They may need your time and attention.**

Retrouvaille is marriage program for couples whose marriage has become off course. It begins with a weekend program that can help get your relationship back on track. It's an effective program that has worked for thousands of couples & it can work for your marriage. The next program begins with the weekend of February 2 - 4, 2018. For further information, call 800-470-2230 or visit www.HelpOurMarriage.com or contact Kerry at 314-753-2022 or Tom at 314-409-4199

