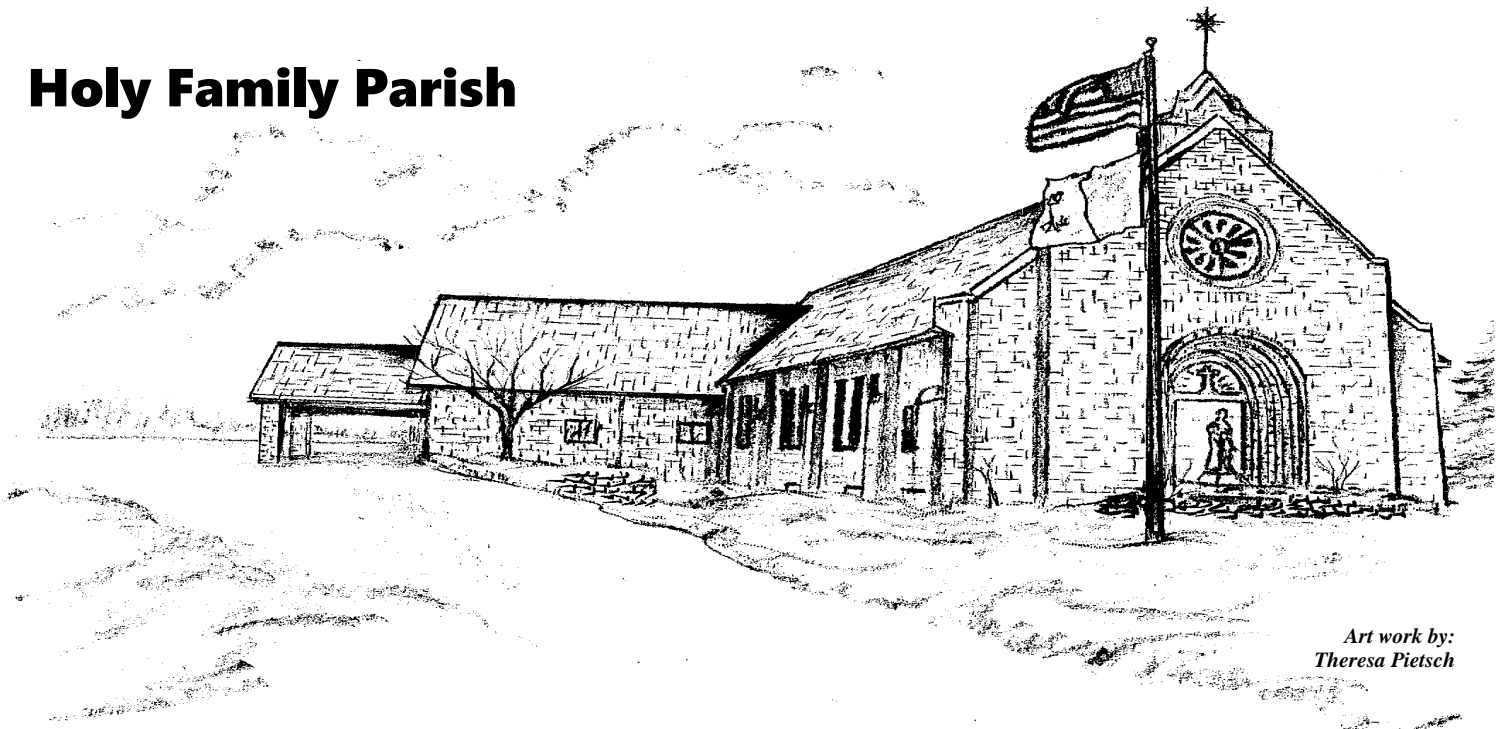


# Holy Family Parish



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## The Most Holy Trinity – June 7, 2020

### Parish Secretary

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### Faith Formation Coordinator

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### Pastoral Council Members

Pam Marenger – President Diane Danhoff  
Wanda Chenier - Secretary Harold Flagstad  
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Pam Marenger – Liturgy Committee  
Bob Berbohm – Evangelization Committee

### Finance Council Members

Gerald Miron Piper Desy  
Audrey Herioux Bill Smith  
Mary Kay Nolde

### Sacrament of Marriage

Notice of six months is required

### REQUIREMENT FOR SACRAMENTS

The basic requirement for the sacraments of First Communion, Confirmation and Marriage is that you be a practicing Catholic. One parent must be a practicing Catholic to present a child for Baptism

### Sacrament of Baptism

Please notify the pastor during the pregnancy in order to schedule sacramental instruction, if necessary.

### Sacrament of Penance

Saturday 3:00 to 3:30 P.M.

7:15 am - 7:45 am and 5:15 pm – 5:45 pm  
before daily Mass or by appointment

### Sacrament of the Sick

The sacrament is for anyone you know who has any continuing or serious illness, or is having surgery and would like to celebrate this healing sacrament.

### Mass Schedule for June 8<sup>th</sup> thru June 14<sup>th</sup>

Monday.....8:00 A.M.....Father Raymond Valerio  
Tuesday.....6:00 P.M.....Ronald Hughes  
Wednesday.....8:00 A.M.....John Marcella  
Thursday.....8:00 A.M.....Elaine Gareau  
Friday.....8:00 A.M.....Leda Chenier  
Saturday.....4:00 P.M.....Joe & Emma Neuens  
Sunday.....8:00 A.M.....For the people of our parish  
10:00 A.M.....Marianne Poe

### PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

*We will strive to imitate the Holy Family: by being a loving, welcoming, and forgiving community – fully alive in the Spirit of God; by teaching our children the Gospel way of life and encouraging them always to share fully in the life of our parish; by celebrating the Liturgy as a joyful remembrance of our Lord's Sacrifice for us; by being a family of prayer; by respecting all life, and by having our arms open always to embrace the sick and needy.*

### **WORLD CHURCH COMBINED COLLECTION - JUNE 13/14TH, 2020**

#### **Catholic Relief Services Overseas Fund**

Catholic Relief Services is the official international humanitarian agency of the Catholic community in the United States.

#### **Holy Land & National Communications Collection**

The political, religious, and military challengers in the Holy Land are more complex than ever. The wars, unrest, and instability have been especially hard on Christians. The Holy Land Collection offers hope to the Holy Land Christians in these times of hardship. The National Communications collection helps connect people to Christ, here and around the world, through the internet, television, radio, and print media. A portion of the funds collected will remain here in the Diocese of Marquette to support our local efforts.

#### **Peter's Pence Collection (Collection for the Holy Father)**

The Peter's Pence Collection provides the faithful with a tangible opportunity to assist the Holy Father.

*~from your pastor*

Most priests like to be away for Trinity Sunday or have a guest preacher or a priest representing some charitable cause in for the weekend. Wrestling with the doctrine of the Holy Trinity is a sport eschewed by many if not most of the clergy. With this in mind and with the trepidation it implies, I determined to share with you a "lightning Meditation" written by Monsignor Ronald Knox. No hesitation on his part and no sailing near the shoals of heresy.

### THE BLESSED TRINITY

We are too apt to let the prayer value of the Christian mysteries pass us by. How can they aid us in prayer, these remote doctrines which defy the familiar currents of our thought? At the best, they will distract us; at the worst, we shall be led away into heretical speculation. Yes, but mysteries are not barren impossibilities. They are truths hazily perceived, like the tantalizing half-memories you retain of last night's dream. And they can float. At least, on the surface of one's prayer. It is not a bad prelude to any devotional exercise, to put yourself in the posture of praying in union with the Life of the Blessed Trinity.

You can begin by reaching out toward God the Father, and the unutterable Source of all being; try to get outside of yourself, replace that busy, agitated self which is the centre of all our thought by the naked idea of God. He is the ultimate Centre and Term from which existence flows and into which it flows again. You can want to be nothing and to feel nothing, in comparison with and in the presence of that ever-awing Personality.

And then—it will be clearer for our present purpose if we reverse the proper order, not of precedence but of procedence—you can think of the Holy Spirit, under the figure of all that stir and motion which God sets up in his creation as a response to himself. You can make of him, as it were, not the object but the subject of your thought; be conscious of his part in your prayer by envisaging him, not as the God to whom we pray, but rather the God who prays in us.

And in the third place, with more difficulty perhaps, but with the confidence that it is St. Paul's own doctrine, you can think of the Divine Word as the self-expression, everywhere, of the eternal Father, and therefore, here and now, his self-expression in you. In him and through him, our Head and Representative, you reach upward toward the Centre of all being. You have come into God's presence to offer yourself to him, and, once you are there, find after all it is not yourself you want to offer, a thing so miserably insufficient. Rather, in your place you want to offer God his own Son, tabernacle in your heart and putting his infinite worth at your disposal—Jacob in Esau's disguise winning the Father's blessing, but for Esau. God above you, God at your side, God within you—a mirror of Divine Life by which the three Persons of the Godhead eternally subsist.

**THIS WEEK AT HOLY FAMILY**

Mon.	June 8 <sup>th</sup>	7:15 A.M. - 8:00 A.M. -	Confessions until 7:45 AM Mass
Tues.	June 9 <sup>th</sup>	<b>5:15 P.M. -</b> <b>6:00 P.M. -</b>	Confessions until 5:45 PM Mass
Wed.	June 10 <sup>th</sup>	7:15 A.M. - 8:00 A.M. -	Confessions until 7:45 AM Mass
Thurs.	June 11 <sup>th</sup>	7:15 A.M. - 8:00 A.M. -	Confessions until 7:45 AM Mass
Fri.	June 12 <sup>th</sup>	7:15 A.M. - 8:00 A.M. - -----	Confessions until 7:45 AM Mass Parish office closed
Sat.	June 13 <sup>th</sup>	3:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M. -	Confessions heard until 3:30 PM Mass
Sun.	June 14 <sup>th</sup>	8:00 A.M. - 10:00 AM -	Mass Mass

**STEWARDSHIP CORNER**

52 envelopes were returned Sunday, May 31<sup>st</sup>

Adults.....	\$3,565.00
Loose.....	150.00
General Maintenance.....	25.00
Fuel.....	20.00
Donation.....	13.50
St. Vincent DePaul Society.....	243.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$4,016.50</b>

***Thank you to all who sent in or dropped off your weekly contribution to Holy Family. We are very grateful for your support of our parish.***

***Holy Family Altar Society Fundraiser  
Pureamitea.com***

Order from pureamitea.com and use discount code "AMEN" at check-out.

**Custodian Job Opening for  
St. Anthony of Padua Parish  
8-10 hours/week.  
Applications are available in the  
Parish Office, by mail or email. Call 786-4627**

Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

## **SPIRIT LIFTERS**

**June 7<sup>th</sup>** - To some people a tree is something so incredibly beautiful that it brings tears to the eyes. To others it is just a green thing that stands in the way.

**June 8<sup>th</sup>** - Children are the only people wise enough to enjoy today...without regretting yesterday or fearing tomorrow.

**June 9<sup>th</sup>** - If a thought comes to you of doing a kindness to someone, do it that very minute! Don't put it off; don't wait! What's the use of doing kindness if you do it a day too late?

**June 10<sup>th</sup>** - Father, we are blind to so many things, especially the inner needs of others. Improve our vision.

**June 11<sup>th</sup>** - When saving for old age, be sure to lay up a few pleasant thoughts.

**June 12<sup>th</sup>** - Jesus has said: "Truly, I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brethren, you did it to me." Matthew 25:40

**June 13<sup>th</sup>** - Prayer is the key to heaven, and faith unlocks the door.

### **Here are a few resources to help you:**

#### **Masses**

Livestreaming and on demand Vatican Masses:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCxIsefyI9g9A5SGWA4FvGIA/>

Livestreaming of Masses and other content is available through EWTN on cable, streaming device channels such as Roku, Amazon Fire, and online at [ewtn.com/tv/watch-live/united-states](http://ewtn.com/tv/watch-live/united-states). On demand streaming of Masses is available through EWTN at [video.ewtn.com/daily-mass/](http://video.ewtn.com/daily-mass/)

Livestreaming of Masses and other content is available through Relevant Radio at [relevantradio.com/faith/daily-mass-video/](http://relevantradio.com/faith/daily-mass-video/)

### ***TIME TO BE THINKING!***

If you are willing to create a "Thematic Basket" for the Harvest Dinner this year which will be Sunday, October 18th please call the parish office.

## **THIS WEEK'S READINGS**

**Monday**  
1 Kgs 17:1-6  
Mt 5:1-12

**Wednesday**  
1 Kgs 18:20-39  
3Mt 5:17-19

**Friday**  
1 Kgs 19:9a,11-16  
Mt 5:27-32

**Sunday**  
Dt 8:2-3,14b-16a    1 Cor 10:16-17    Jn 6:51-58

**Tuesday**  
1 Kgs 17:7-16  
Mt 5:13-16

**Thursday**  
Acts 11:21b-26;13:1-  
Mt 5:20-26

**Saturday**  
1 Kgs 19:19-21  
Mt 5:33-37

## **DIOCESAN VICTIM'S ASSISTANCE**

If you know of an incident of the sexual abuse of a minor by anyone in Church service including a member of the clergy, a religious, a lay employee or volunteer we encourage you to come forward so that we can take action to protect others and help those who have been harmed to find healing.

We are open to and respect your complaint; you are important. We want to make this process as safe as possible. Victims Assistance Coordinators are there to help those who have been harmed through the difficult and sometimes painful process of healing and hope.

To contact a Victim's Assistance Coordinator, call: Stephen Lynott at (844) 495-4330 or Diane Tryan at (844) 694-4362. Or write: Victims Assistance Coordinator; c/o Catholic Social Services of the UP; 1100 Ludington St. Suite 401; Escanaba MI 49829 Please mark the letter "Personal and Confidential" and indicate in your letter how you wish to be contacted (by phone or by letter).

To contact the Michigan Attorney General's office, call: (844) 324-3374 or send an email to: [aginvestigations@michigan.gov](mailto:aginvestigations@michigan.gov)

The Diocese of Marquette reports all allegations to the appropriate civil authorities.