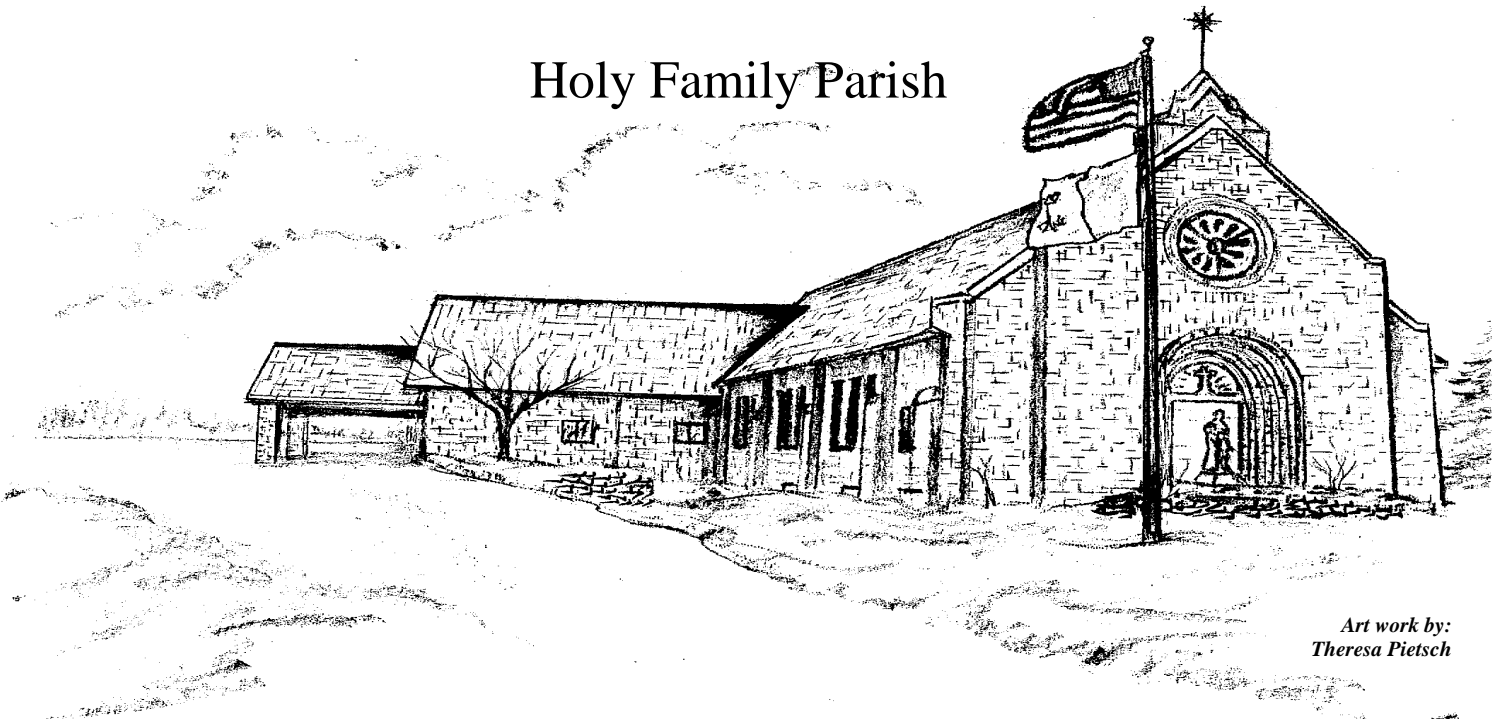


# Holy Family Parish



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## 30<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – October 25, 2015

### Parish Secretary

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### Faith Formation Coordinator

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### Pastoral Council Members

Brian Smith – President Barb Tardiff

Joe Menard Steve Benoit

Cookie Gascon Karen Berbohm

Mark Hallfrisch Doris Newhouse

Cathy Flagstadt – Education Committee

Sally Young – Liturgy Committee

Bob Berbohm – Evangelization Committee

### Finance Council Members

Jim Rivard Gerald Miron Piper Desy

Audrey Herioux Bob Spring

### REQUIREMENT FOR SACRAMENTS

The basic requirement for the sacraments of Baptism, First Communion and Marriage is that you be a practicing Catholic.

### Sacrament of Baptism

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

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

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

30 minutes before Daily Mass or by appointment

### Sacrament of Marriage

Notice of six months is required

### 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 Oct. 27<sup>th</sup> thru Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>

Tuesday.....6:00 P.M.....Connie Malnor

Wednesday....8:00 A.M.....Thomas Moreau

Thursday.....8:00 A.M.....Julius Piekutowski

Friday.....8:00 A.M.....Andrew Wiecech

Saturday.....4:00 P.M.....For the People of our Parish

Sunday.....8:00 A.M.....Margaret Patz

10:00 A.M.....Gert Kutches

*The Rosary is recited 20 minutes before daily Mass.*

## 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.*

### **READERS: Oct. 31<sup>st</sup> – Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>**

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. – Barb Tardiff  
Sun. at 8:00 AM – Beverly Plimpton  
10:00 AM - Scott Shepeck

### **MASS SERVERS: Oct. 31<sup>st</sup> – Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>**

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. - Gabe & Daniel Smith  
Sun. at 8:00 A.M. - Lucas Hughes & Laura Hallfrisch  
10:00 AM - Gregory Chenier

### **MINISTERS OF COMMUNION: Oct. 31<sup>st</sup> – Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>**

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. – Phyllis Theoret, **Steve Benoit**, Anne DeShambo  
Sun. at 8:00 A.M. – Ron & Cathy Chouinard, **Clint Miles**  
10:00 AM – **Bob Tourangeau**, Rosemary Beauchamp, Cindi Shepeck

### **MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY: Oct. 31<sup>st</sup> – Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>**

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. – Ron Smith, Kevin Dubord, Jim Chenier, Richard Newhouse  
Sun. at 8:00 AM – Don Anderson, Don Pellegrini, John King, Neil VanDrese  
10:00 AM – Bob Tourangeau, Galen VanDrese, Alfred Gareau, Roger Chenier

### **VIDEO LIBRARY ASSISTANTS: Oct. 31<sup>st</sup> – Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>**

Sat. at 4:00 PM – The Gascons      Sun. at 8:00 AM – Ruth Anderson      Sun. at 10:00 AM – Tami Chouinard

## The Pastor's Mind's Eye

In the weeks and months to come, let us remember at our Mass in which Jesus Christ once again **come into our lives** through the ministry of his priest, let's do so; let's **thank** God for the sacrament of Holy Orders.

Let's **pray** for the academic, formational and spirituality professors in all of the College and Theology seminaries around the world. And let's pray for God to raise up many **more** priests - holy, dedicated, humble servants of the Church, **courageous** enough to leave behind the seductions of popular culture in order to devote themselves entirely to Christ's Eternal Kingdom.

"...I know whose ministers we are, where we find ourselves and to where we strive. I know God's greatness and man's weakness, but also his potential. [Who then is the priest? He is] the defender of truth, who stands with angels, gives glory with archangels, causes sacrifices to rise to the altar on high, shares Christ's priesthood, refashions creation, restores it in God's image, recreates it for the world on high and, even greater, is divinized and divinizes."  
[reproduced in the Catechism, #1589]      St Gregory Nazianzus

**Holy Name Catholic School to host All Saints Festival on October 31—(Note new time: 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.)**

**Address for our Seminarians.....** Sacred Heart Major Seminary, c/o (Seminarian Name), 2701 W. Chicago Blvd, Detroit, MI 48206



***We welcome the following families to Holy Family:***

Donny & Vicki Caron, and Matthew, Michael, and Macus  
Wendy Charles and Jeffrey Sustarich, and baby Jeffrey  
Mark & Jessica Chouinard, Amelia and Jonah

### THIS WEEK AT HOLY FAMILY

Sun.	Oct. 25 <sup>th</sup>	11:00 AM -	Confirmation and Adult Enrichment Class
Tues.	Oct. 27 <sup>th</sup>	4:30 P.M. - 6:00 P.M. -	St. Vincent dePaul Society Mass
Wed.	Oct. 28 <sup>th</sup>	12:00 PM -	Senior Citizens meet
Thurs.	Oct. 29 <sup>th</sup>	7:30 P.M. -	Smear League
Sat.	Oct. 31 <sup>st</sup>	3:00 P.M. -	Confessions heard until 3:30 PM
Sun.	Nov. 1 <sup>st</sup>	----- 11:00 AM -	Coffee Social after the 8 & 10 AM Masses Confirmation and Adult Enrichment Class

### PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Jesus, you are God's gift of healing love. While on earth, you healed the sick who came for help. We believe that you continue to heal the sick today. Heal all those for whom we pray, and those on our prayer list:

Tom Flagstadt, Baby Girl King, Donette Ostrander  
Donna Seymour, Jim Vandermission, Pam Houle  
Alex Larson, Diane Helman, Tina Kelloniemi  
Pat McGlynn, Laurie Gardner, Ruth Chouinard  
Yvonne Arnold, Lynn Johnson, Kim Bigley  
Gracie Wickham, Lulu Johnson, Michael Dawson  
Amanda Chenier, Susan VanDrese, Janet Gazan  
Nick Nolde, Darlene McGeary, Christine Kleiman  
Rex & Kathy McGinn, Traci Frappier, Shirley Frazer  
Gerald Luft, James Paquin, Matt Smith, Justin Bjork  
Michael Dombe, Allie Grenier, Frank Novak  
Joanne Popkowski, Tom Forvilly, Carol Lancour  
Mary Starnes, Tabitha Brunette, Dustin Berube  
Sally Luft, Marion Sodergren, Jean Way, Sue Mulzer  
Roger Arnold, Nancy Paquin, Coda Meadors  
Kathryn Fudala, Janet Shelley, Shelly Polakcyk  
Kathy LaCosse, Joanne Lohfink, Payten LaMarch  
Brenda Chouinard, Virginia Paquin, Kay Edington  
Peggy Verbrigghe, Darlene Kelloniemi, Bill Whitney

~Harvest Dinner report will be in next week's bulletin~

### Special All Souls Day Mass

Next Sunday at the 10:00 AM Mass we will be remembering our parish members who have passed away during the last year.

*Still looking for someone to head up our next  
Pasty Sale, Nov. 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup>.*

### Parish Faith & Family News

We have been on line for almost 2 months. Is everyone caught up to where they should be? Or have you not started yet?! Teachers, keep the children going with questions and or challenges too.

We need to pray harder for our 3<sup>rd</sup> grade teacher. If you are feeling a nudge, please respond because yes, God is talking to you. Do not be afraid. I will be with you always. Isn't that what God has been telling us all along?

No classes here at church this week but be sure to check your schedule to see if you have a chapter to do. If you can't seem to find your schedule, they are all on our parish website, right at your finger tips. Even the dates for CCD classes and Family Group Gatherings are listed. Go online and find out when our next Family Group Gathering is and plan to attend. You'll find it under the faith formation tab.

This weekend we celebrate Priesthood Sunday. Let us join everyone across the United States in praying for our priests, and praising God for their courage and generosity in answering the call to the priesthood. Today we ask God to bless Father John. May the Holy Spirit uphold you always in your service to the people of this parish.

### U.P. CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL

If you received a pledge card in the mail from the parish, please return it and there are still a few saddle bags out there. To date we have \$26,648 pledged toward our goal of \$44,274.00. What we fall short must come from our general fund. Anything we go over goal comes back to the church.

## SPIRIT LIFTERS

- Oct. 25<sup>th</sup>** - Unless you can control yourself, you will never be able to control others.
- Oct. 26<sup>th</sup>** - An old man was asked what had most robbed him of joy in his life. His reply was "things that never happened."
- Oct. 27<sup>th</sup>** - O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever!
- Oct. 28<sup>th</sup>** - Do not worry about whether or not the sun will rise. Be prepared to enjoy it.
- Oct. 29<sup>th</sup>** - You shall judge a man by his foes as well as by his friends.
- Oct. 30<sup>th</sup>** - Take a tip from nature - man's ears weren't made to shut - his mouth was.
- Oct. 31<sup>st</sup>** - Good intentions are no substitute for action; failure usually follows the path of least persistence.

### Knights of Columbus Council 640

There is an Open House this Sunday, October 25, 2015, from 12:00 noon until 3:00 p.m. at the K of C clubhouse for anyone interested in becoming a Knight. The KC clubhouse is by St. Thomas Church in Escanaba. Come and see what we have to offer you. We will have lunch and refreshments.

Our monthly social meeting is Monday, October 26, at 7:00 p.m. with a guest speaker at 7:30 p.m.

This is Priesthood Sunday and the Knights wish to express their gratitude and appreciation to Fr. John Longbucco, Fr. Rick Courier, Fr. Eric Olson, Fr. Francis DeGroot, and Fr. Emmett Norden for answering the call to the priesthood. God bless!



October is the month of the Rosary. Brother Knights from the parish will lead the rosary 30 minutes before all the weekend Masses for the month of October.

## THIS WEEK'S READINGS

**Monday**  
Rom 8:12-17  
Lk 13:10-17

**Tuesday**  
Rom 8:18-25  
Lk 13:18-21

**Wednesday**  
Eph 2:19-22  
Lk 6:12-16

**Thursday**  
Rom 8:31b-39  
Lk 13:31-35

**Friday**  
Rom 9:1-5  
Lk 14:1-6

**Saturday**  
Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29  
Lk 14:1, 7-11

**Sunday**  
Rv 7:2-4, 9-14    1 Jn 3:1-3    Mt 5:1-12a

### STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Adults Envelopes.....	\$3,123.00
Loose.....	335.21
Fuel.....	30.00
General Maintenance.....	45.00
St. Vincent DePaul Society.....	45.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$3,578.21</b>

138 parishioners used envelopes for Oct. 18, 2015

### OTHER EVENTS IN THE AREA

**St. Joseph & St. Patrick Parish Fall Festival** will be Sunday, Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>, from 11:00 am to 2:30 PM, in their parish hall. Dinner includes Chicken & spaghetti with meat/Alfredo sauce, all the trimmings and homemade pies. All are invited.

**CMA WHITE MASS & DINNER** on Friday, October 30, at St Anne's Parish in Escanaba with a 5:30 pm ET Mass followed by a catered dinner in the parish hall. RSVP by October 27th if you will attend the dinner by calling 233-0357.



*If you have dropped your  
landline, or changed your  
cell phone number, please  
call the Parish Office so we  
can update our records.  
**THANK YOU!***