

# Holy Family Parish



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## Third Sunday of Easter – May 5, 2019

### Parish Secretary

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*by Noon on Wednesdays*

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### Faith Formation Coordinator

Cathy Flagstadt 786-1209 (H) 786-5034

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### Maintenance

Dennis Menard (H) 786-3689

### Pastoral Council Members

Pam Marenger – President Diane Danhoff

Wanda Chenier - Secretary Harold Flagstadt

Kevin Dubord Tina Cryderman

Cathy Flagstadt – Education Committee

Pam Marenger – Liturgy Committee

Bob Berbohm – Evangelization Committee

### Finance Council Members

Gerald Miron Piper Desy

Audrey Herioux Bill Smith

Mary Kay Nolde

### REQUIREMENT FOR SACRAMENTS

The basic requirement for the sacraments of First Communion 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 Reconciliation

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 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 May 6<sup>th</sup> thru May 12<sup>th</sup>

Monday.....8:00 A.M.....Special Intention

Tuesday.....**6:00 P.M.**.....Amy Chenier Kositzke

Wednesday....8:00 A.M.....Intention of Dr. John Pap

Thursday.....8:00 A.M.....Prayer Shawl Ministry

Friday.....8:00 A.M.....Mary Ann Marcella

Saturday.....4:00 P.M.....Donald Pellegrini

Sunday.....8:00 A.M.....Elaine Gareau (1<sup>st</sup> Anniv.)

10:00 A.M.....For the People of our parish

## 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: May 11<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>**

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. – Tom Desy  
Sun. at 8:00 AM – Beverly Plimpton  
10:00 AM – Rosemary Beauchamp

### **MASS SERVERS: May 11<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>**

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. - Isabel & Abraham Seymour,  
Bob Berbohm, Larry LaPalm  
Sun. at 8:00 A.M. - Wanda Chenier & Eli Gardner  
10:00 AM - Gabe, Daniel, Ben Smith, Jake Lippens

### **EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OF COMMUNION: May 11<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>**

Sat. at 4:00 PM – Piper Desy  
Sun. at 8:00 AM – Marvin Chouinard  
10:00 AM – Harold Flagstadt

### **MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY: May 11<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>**

Sat. at 4:00 P.M. – Kevin Dubord & Art Caron  
Sun. at 8:00 A.M. – Don Anderson & Dale Richer  
10:00 AM – Brian Smith & Harold Young

## *From your pastor*

### **Personnel Changes**

Cathy Flagstadt, the parish Faith Formation Coordinator, is retiring after eighteen years of service to the parish. It is a sad day for the parish and for Cathy. On the bright side, Cathy and her husband, Harold will be retiring at the same time and adjusting together to the new adventure the retirement affords.

In consultation with the parish finance council, I have determined that the parish will need to manage with a part-time maintenance employee. A new job description is being prepared and the job will be posted soon. Interviews should be completed by mid-June with employment to begin at the beginning of July. Holy Family is the last of the area parish to face this exigency. Our current Maintenance Coordinator, Dennis Menard, has been informed about the change in the job and is free to apply for the new position.

## *Parish Faith & Family News*



We ask God's blessings on our First Communicants as they receive our Lord for the first time in Holy Communion this weekend. We are very thankful for their teachers, Tina Kelloniemi and Mark Chouinard who helped prepare them for First Communion. Our First Communicants are:

Dana Bittner  
Addison Flagstadt  
Kenzie Krutina  
Wyatt Moreau

Kyle Cass  
Mason Jacques  
Gunnar LaMarche  
Kyle Smith

May your love for God increase each time you receive him in the Eucharist.  
*God bless you.*

### THIS WEEK AT HOLY FAMILY

Mon.	May 6 <sup>th</sup>	7:15 A.M. - 8:00 A.M. -	Confessions Mass
Tues.	May 7 <sup>th</sup>	5:15 P.M. - 6:00 P.M. - 6:45 P.M. -	Confessions Mass Ladies Altar Society meets
Wed.	May 8 <sup>th</sup>	7:15 A.M. - 8:00 A.M. -	Confessions Mass
Thurs.	May 9 <sup>th</sup>	7:15 A.M. - 8:00 A.M. - 8:45 A.M. -	Confessions Mass Prayer Shawl Ministry
Fri.	May 10 <sup>th</sup>	7:15 A.M. - 8:00 A.M. -	Confessions Mass
Sat.	May 11 <sup>th</sup>	3:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M. -	Confessions heard until 3:30 PM Mass
Sun.	May 12 <sup>th</sup>	8:00 A.M. - 9:00 A.M. - 10:00 AM -	Mass Breakfast served to all mothers and daughters Mass

#### **St. Vincent de Paul Corner News**

In this Sunday's Gospel, the disciples in their struggle finally recognize Jesus and proclaim "It is the Lord!"

Have you considered answering the call to "help the poor recognize the Lord in their life" by joining the Society of St. Vincent de Paul?

For more information about the Holy Family Conference contact Cindy Hurthibise at 384-6927.

The St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store and Warehouse in Escanaba needs volunteers. You can contact Cindy to volunteer at the warehouse (789-1281) or for more information. If you would like to assist in the thrift store, please visit the store at 1014 Ludington Street and speak with Robin or Joyce or call 786-2808. Also, please remember that clean paper bags are always needed. Thank you for your consideration.

*Ladies of the parish will be meeting on Tuesday May 7<sup>th</sup> for a fun night of bingo. Church area is in charge*

#### **Knights of Columbus Council #640 Women's Auxiliary**

The Women's Auxiliary is having a rummage sale on Friday, May 17, 2019, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Club House. The address for the Club House is 1812 Ninth Ave. North in Escanaba. If you have items you would like to donate to the rummage sale and need them picked up, please call Sally Young at 384-6929 or Cathy Flagstadt at 786-5034. We are not accepting furniture at this time. Thank you.

**Holy Family Prayer Shawl Ministry** will meet Thursday, May 9th. after 8 a.m. Mass. Members meet once a month and present finished shawls at morning Mass. A short meeting and fellowship follow Mass, and shawls are prepared for delivery. New members are always welcome. If you cannot knit or crochet and would like to learn, we will be happy to teach you.

**Next Sunday, May 12<sup>th</sup> is Mother's Day.** The men of the parish will serve breakfast to all mothers and daughters after the 8:00 am Mass in the Fr. Matt Hall.

## SPIRIT LIFTERS

**May 5<sup>th</sup>** - He that planteth a tree is the servant of God, He provideth a kindness for many generations, And faces that he hath not seen shall bless him.

**May 6<sup>th</sup>** - Our Lord has written the promise of the resurrection, not only in the Bible, but in every leaf of springtime.

**May 7<sup>th</sup>** - Keeping house is like threading beads on a string with no knot at the end.

**May 8<sup>th</sup>** - A mother is the only person on earth who can divide her love among ten children and each child still have all her love.

**May 9<sup>th</sup>** - There is nothing human so dependable, so irresistible, so unselfish as true mother love.

**May 10<sup>th</sup>** - The mother's heart is the child's schoolroom.

**May 11<sup>th</sup>** - You may have tangible wealth untold; Caskets of jewels and coffers of gold; Richer than I you can never be - I had a mother who read to me.

### HOSPITALITY LECTURE - MAY 29

Registration for the 34th annual Hospitality Lecture is now open. It will be held on Wednesday, May 29, 2019 at the Holiday Inn, Marquette. You can register by going to <https://form.jotform.com/ggostomski2003/HospitalityLecture> Direct any questions to Denise Foye, [dfoye@dioceseofmarquette.org](mailto:dfoye@dioceseofmarquette.org). or 906-227-9130.

**Holy Name Catholic School** is seeking a full-time middle-school religion teacher and faith formation coordinator. The position will begin in August, 2019. This person must be a faithful, practicing Catholic, preferably with teaching experience and a bachelor's degree in theology, Catholics studies or an equivalent degree. In addition to teaching the 6th, 7th and 8th grade Catholic Faith Classes, this person would also be responsible for school-wide faith formation activities. Please submit a resume and letter outlining your relationship with Jesus and His Church to [jcarlson@holynamercrusaders.com](mailto:jcarlson@holynamercrusaders.com) Resumes will be accepted through May 7, 2019.

## THIS WEEK'S READINGS

**Monday**  
Acts 6:8-15  
Jn 6:22-29

**Wednesday**  
Acts 8:1b-8  
Jn 6:35-40

**Friday**  
Acts 9:1-20  
Jn 6:52-59

**Tuesday**  
Acts 7:51—8:1a  
Jn 6:30-35

**Thursday**  
Acts 8:26-40  
Jn 6:44-51

**Saturday**  
Acts 9:31-42  
Jn 6:60-69

**Sunday**  
Acts 13:14,43-52 Rv 7:9,14b-17  
Jn 10:27-30

### STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Adults.....	\$3,058.00
Loose.....	150.00
General Maintenance.....	12.00
Fuel.....	5.00
Retirement collection.....	5.00
Roof Fund.....	150.00
St. Vincent DePaul Society.....	521.00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$3,901.00</b>

**119 envelopes returned for April 28<sup>th</sup>**

### Diocesan Retired Priest Collection

Retired priests of the Diocese of Marquette receive health and automobile insurance and a monthly pension from the St. Joseph Association, the diocesan priest retirement fund. Diocesan priests live independently during their retirement, and they use their pension for basic needs, such as food, housing and transportation. Parish assessments, plus growth in the St. Joseph Association, have fallen short of what is needed to provide necessary benefits to our retired priests.

All parishes and missions in the Diocese of Marquette will participate in a special collection on May 11-12 to help "bridge the gap." It is essential that we ensure adequate retirement and health coverage in the years ahead for our priests. Please return your collection envelope during next weekends' Masses.