



Exaltation of the Holy Cross

*We adore thee, O Christ and we praise thee.
Because by thy Holy Cross
thou hast redeemed the world.*

Have mercy on me,
O God,
in your goodness;
in the greatness of
your compassion
wipe out my offense.
Thoroughly wash me
from my guilt
of my sin cleanse me...
Cleanse me of sin
with hyssop,
that I might be purified;
wash me, and I shall
be whiter than snow...
A clean heart create for me,
O God,
and a steadfast spirit
renew within me.
Cast me not out
from your presence,
and your Holy Spirit
take not from me.
Give me back the joy of
your salvation,
and a willing spirit
sustain in me...
My sacrifice,
O God,
is a contrite spirit;
a heart contrite and humbled,
O God,
you will not spurn.

Psalm 51

Church of the Holy Family

5900 West Lake Street ✦ St. Louis Park, MN 55416

September 12, 2010

Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reverend Thomas W. Dufner, Pastor
Reverend James Stromberg, Weekend Associate

Mass Times:

Sunday Masses 9:00AM and 11:00AM
Saturday Mass 5:00PM
Weekday Masses 8:00AM (Rosary 7:35AM)

Confessions:

Saturday 3:30PM to 4:50PM
Sunday 8:00AM to 9:00AM

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Registration in Parish:

Required for baptism and marriage. Adults 18 and over call the parish office 952.929.0113.

Marriages:

Registered parishioners must make application 3 months prior.

Baptisms:

First Sunday of the month. Must be registered parishioners. Baptism class required. Please call 3 months in advance.

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The Pastor's Page

Holy Family's response to the Archbishop's Marriage Initiative

Together!

Last winter, Paul and Libbie Sellers, the founders of Together! (and the original founders of Familia), came to Holy Family to help us get Together! off the ground. A number of people stepped forward as leaders and many more signed up for the groups.

We knew all along that the real start up would be this September so we were "greasing the skids" in preparation. Now it's time to get going.

We have Men's Groups, Women's Groups, and Couples Groups forming and you are invited to participate.

Jodi Pellegrine is coordinating our Together! Program and I invite you to call her for more information and to sign up with a group in your area. There are groups that meet in the evening, in the morning and on weekends. Jodi can be reached at 763-577-9825.

Why should you do this? While Bible Studies are good and everyone interprets it his own way, Together! uses the Catechism of the Catholic Church in study form, saturated with Bible, which gives an authoritative voice to the teaching and inviting real change in our lives!

Check it out on the web at:

www.togetherinc.net



Fall Festival 2010

The preliminary totals indicate this year's Fall Festival is one of the most successful ever! Our net income is \$70,311, and there is still the Back Yard BBQ which will no doubt contribute to the success!

Thank You to Jay and Lynn Tomaszewski for Chairing the Festival!
Thank You to all who helped make it such a Great Success!

Fr. Thomas Dufner

Fall Festival Raffle Winners!

Kathy Knapp	\$2,000.00
Carl Luxem	\$1,000.00
Janet Daras	\$ 500.00
Ken & Mary Barron	\$ 300.00
John Ringquist	\$ 200.00
Paul Miterko	\$ 200.00
Craig Havlicek	\$ 100.00
Walter Farnham	\$ 100.00
Margaret Keating	\$ 100.00
Cindy Nieman	\$ 100.00

Early Bird Winners

Rick Nichols, Sheryl Delke, Zach Lavone, Robb Ekstrum, Marie Perner each win \$100.00

Congratulations to all our winners!

Theology A La Carte

Sunday, Sept 19th - The first Theology A La Carte of the school year! Alyssa Bormes will be our speaker, and her talk is "The road to hope." Pizza dinner will be served! Join us 6-8pm at the Youth House! Questions? Call Lynn Tomaszewski @ 952-929-0113 x 21

BIBLE STUDY

Ben Barron will be leading a Bible Study on the Gospel of John and the Eucharist for students 9-12th grade on the following dates: Sept 29th, Oct 6th, Oct 13th, Oct 27th.

It will take place at the Youth House 6:30-8:00PM. Cost is \$20 per student. Please contact Lynn Tomaszewski to sign up 952.929.0113 x 21 or ctomaszewski@hotmail.com



Altar and Rosary Society

SAVE THE DATE!

The Altar and Rosary Society fall dinner meeting will be on October 26 at 6:15PM.

Also mark your calendars for the "All in God's Plan" dates for this year: **November 12** - Father and Sons and **November 14** - Mother and Daughters

HFC Wednesday Night Religious Education Classes

We look forward to welcoming the students of Holy Family for another grace filled year beginning Wednesday, September 29th from 6:30pm-8pm, for grades 1 through 8.

Our evening begins with large group Gathering Time where we anchor ourselves in prayer with a meditative decade of the Rosary followed by a short talk from Mrs. Prather in elementary grades or Mr. Brandel in junior high. This helps prepare us to go into class open to what Our Lord wants us to learn during class time from 7-8pm. Once a month we have Eucharistic Adoration Gathering Time. This is when we cross over to Church, come into the sanctuary and kneel before Jesus, truly present in the Most Blessed Sacrament, to love and adore Him!

Our HFC Wednesday year also includes Advent and Lent Confession Nights, Ash Wednesday Mass, Lent Stations of the Cross with Benediction and our Ice Cream Social.

We are blessed to have the finest group of catechists, including an opportunity for the junior high 7th and 8th grade students to be taught by two seminarians this year, one of them being our own Chris Miller.

The complete list of our curriculum, schedule for the year and registration forms can be found on our website: hfcmn.org or look for the envelopes on all Church bulletin boards with registrations and schedule.

Questions? Call or email Mrs. Jean Prather, Director of Elementary Religious Education at 952-929-0113 x12 or jean@hfcmn.org



There's Still Time to Join Your Friends at the... **Gourmet Backyard BBQ**

A Fall Festival Group Event to Raise Money for Holy Family Church
Hosted by Patrick & Sarah Mealey, Norm & Ann Coone, John & Janet Murphy,
Loren & Stacey Klassen, David & Laura Hemler, and Steve & Jody Pellegrine

Date: Saturday, October 2, 2010
Time: 5:30 pm to ??
Where: Mealey's in Bloomington
Cost: \$60 per person (it all goes to the church as a tax-deductible donation!)

To make your donation and
secure your reservation:

Call Kathy Vansickle at 952-929-0113

It's an evening of fun, fellowship, and great food with fellow Holy Family folks! Enjoy a truly gourmet dinner from the grill, including beef tenderloin, grilled salmon, marinated grilled veggies, gourmet sides and desserts, fine wines and much more!

Married Couples Date Night with speaker Father Andrew Cozzens!

A Fall Festival Group Event to
Raise Money for Holy Family Church

Hosted by: Jack & Judy Cozzens
Date: Friday, October 15th, 2010**
Time: 6:30pm
Where: Moorman Hall
Cost: \$50/couple, includes dinner, a marriage building talk by Father Andrew Cozzens, Adoration and Confession.

RSVP to Lynn Tomaszewski at 952.929.0113

**Child care is available, please let us know if you will need child care when you RSVP



✠ Weekly Calendar of Events ✠

Sunday, September 12 ~ 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Donut/New Member

8:00 am Confessions
9:00 am Mass
11:00 am Mass

Monday, September 13

8:00 am Mass
8:30 am Exercise Class (Gathering Place)
3:00 pm WOW Holy Hour (Chapel)
6:30 pm Carmel (MH/C)
7:00 pm ACCL (GP)

Tuesday, September 14

8:00 am Mass
6:00 pm Squires (GP)

Wednesday, September 15

8:00 am Mass
8:30 am Coffee & Rolls
11:45 am Exercise Class (Moorman Hall)
7:00 pm Confirmation Parent Mtg. (MH)

Thursday, September 16

8:00 am Mass
7:00 pm Choir
7:00 pm NFP (GP)

Friday, September 17

8:00 am Mass
8:30 am Exercise Class (Gathering Place)

Saturday, September 18

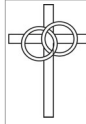
6:30 am Holy Name Society (Gathering Place)
10:00 am Rosaries For Life
3:30 pm Confessions
5:00 pm Mass

Sunday, September 19 ~ 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Collection for the Cathedral Restoration

Food Drive Sunday

8:00 am Confessions
9:00 am Mass
11:00 am Mass
6:30 pm Theology A La Carte (YH)



Banns III

Andrew Miller and Cassie Smith

Banns II

Keith Moran and Rachel Footh

Minneapolis Deanery Meeting

Please join us on Monday, September 27th from 9:00AM to 2:30PM at St. Raphael in Crystal.

Our speaker will be Phyllis Plum, speaking on "Morality and the Media." Our afternoon speaker will be International Mission Appeals. Lunch will be paid for by the Altar & Rosary Society. For reservations call Terry Berthiaume at 952.929.3155

SAVE THE DATE!

St. Joseph's Parish in Hopkins is blessed to have **Father Jim Livingston** return on **October 23rd** for another all-day retreat. Mark your calendars! This is always a very special day full of many blessings. Watch the bulletin for details.

The weekend of the September 18/19 the second collection will be for the Restoration of the Cathedral of Saint Paul.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33; Lk 7:1-10
Tuesday: Nm 21:4b-9; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17
Wednesday: 1 Cor 12:31 - 13:13; Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35
Thursday: 1 Cor 15:1-11; Lk 7:36-50
Friday: 1 Cor 15:12-20; Lk 8:1-3
Saturday: 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49; Lk 8:4-15
Sunday: Am 8:4-7; Ps 113; 1 Tm 2:1-8; Lk 16:1-13 [10-13]

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Monday: St. John Chrysostom
Tuesday: The Exaltation of the Holy Cross
Wednesday: Our Lady of Sorrows
Thursday: Ss. Cornelius and Cyprian
Friday: St. Robert Bellarmine
Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

Holy Family Weekly Offering

Weekend Masses - September 4/5

Regular Envelopes	\$15,992.00
Plate	\$ 1,142.72
Adoration Chapel Collection	\$ 5,275.19

Thank You For Your Generosity!

Mass Intentions for the Week

Sept 13 The Lietzke Family
Sept 14 Pat Corcoran †
Sept 15 Melvin & Hope Frisch
Sept 16 Rev. Fredrick A. Mertz †
Sept 17 HFA Staff
Sept 18 Mabel Kariya †
Sept 19 For the Parish (9am)
Sept 19 Norm Rung (11am)



Knights of Columbus

Men of the parish, Monday Night Football TV ratings continue to decline. Our Monday Knights of Columbus ranks continue to grow. Find out why on the first Monday evening of each month, and without all those annoying commercials. Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism are at work here. Contact our membership director Dan Betlock for more details at 612.735.5454.

All Holy Family Home Educator (HFHE) families are invited to our annual **Homeschool Potluck Picnic** on Sunday, September 19 from 4 to 8PM at Oak Hill Park in St. Louis Park.

Natural Family Planning

The Billings Ovulation Method-Plan your family the natural way. Learn about this complete way of life honoring your marriage, sexuality and fertility. It is loving-naturally-the way God designed it! A First Instruction in the Billings Ovulation Method will be offered on September 16th. To register, call Lorena Dillon at 612.396.4019.

CONFIRMATION 2010-2011!!

Are you ready to take your Faith to a new level? Are you ready to become an Apostle for Christ, responsible for and strengthened to bring your Catholic Faith to those around you? Then you need to get Confirmed!

Youth entering grades 9-12 are welcome to begin preparation for the great Sacrament of Confirmation here at Holy Family. Classes are held Wednesday evenings from 6:30-8:00PM beginning Sept. 29 in Moorman Hall. **A mandatory parent (only) meeting will be held Weds., Sept. 15, 7:00PM in Moorman Hall.** Registration forms can be found in all the Church entrances or may be filled out at the parent meeting. *For forms and more information, see our website: www.hfcmn.org and click on Youth-Religious education.* Questions, please call Elizabeth Brown, 952.929.0113, ex. 19 or email browns@usfamily.net.

IT'S TIME TO REGISTER for the FLU SHOT CLINIC

The Minnesota Visiting Nurse Agency (MVNA) will be at Holy Family on **Wednesday, October 13, 2010 ~ 9:00AM to 1:00PM in Moorman Hall** to administer flu vaccinations. If you wish to receive a flu vaccination, **please call Sharon at 952.929.0113 Ext. 13 to schedule your time.** Staffing adjustments will be made depending on the number registered, so it's important to register **AS SOON AS POSSIBLE!** MVNA accepts most major insurance companies. Seniors, if you wish to have Medicare billed for your vaccination, you must bring your Medicare Card (Medicare Part B) and any other insurance card you may have. The charge for the flu vaccination is \$26.00.



ATTENTION – NOTE THIS...

ALL CHOIR MEMBERS...and NEW MEMBERS, TOO!

Choir rehearsals have begun and are on Thursday evenings at 7:00PM in the choir loft. New members are most welcome.



Call Sharon at 952.929.0113 Ext. 13 for more information.

Father Frank Pavone at St. Raphael in Crystal

Mark Your Calendar! On Saturday, September 25, one of the most prominent pro-life leaders in the world, Father Frank Pavone, is coming to the Church of St. Raphael. Father Pavone is the National Director of Priests for Life. He will be speaking at St. Raphael's on Saturday, September 25th at 7:30PM. There will be Exposition and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. A free will offering will be taken. Father Pavone will be available after Benediction to sign copies of his books which will be available for purchase. Questions: Jim 763.300.6277. Directions: [ww.straphaelcrystal.org](http://www.straphaelcrystal.org)



Children of Mary

WE MEET THE First Saturday OF THE MONTH
October 2010 through May 2011!

For children in Kindergarten through grade 6. PK children are welcome with a parent. Teen helpers are welcome too.

♥ 4 - 4:25PM - Lesson on the lives of Jesus and Mary based on the mysteries of the Rosary & music time in Moorman Hall!

♥ 4:25 - 4:45PM - Children's Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament in the Church!

Children of Mary is a response to Our Lady of Fatima's request for The Reparation of Five First Saturdays for all members of your family. She requested we go to the Sacrament of Confession, receive Our Lord Jesus in Holy Communion and pray five decades of the Rosary with the specific intention of repairing the offenses committed against her Immaculate Heart. At Holy Family, the Sacrament of Confession will be available starting at 3:30PM. We will be learning about the lives of Jesus and Mary during our lesson time and praying a meditative decade of the Rosary during our Adoration time together in Church. Mass begins at 5PM with the opportunity to receive Our Lord in Holy Communion. Registration forms are available on our website: www.hfcmn.org or on Church bulletin boards. Questions? Mrs. Jean Prather at 952.929.0113 x12 or jean@hfcmn.org

CARMELITE SPIRITUALITY



Holy Family's Carmel Group meets the 2nd Monday of the month from September through

May beginning at 6:30pm downstairs in Moorman Hall. Our first meeting will be Monday, September 13th. Our time together consists of: Chanting *Evening Prayer*, Father Dufner leading us in our study time, quiet prayer before the Blessed Sacrament (mental prayer), chanting *Night Prayer* and Social Time. Since we are not an official secular Carmelite community, you are free to join us, any month, and experience Carmelite spirituality as your vocation and schedule allows. Questions? Jean at 952.929.0113 x12 or email: jean@hfcmn.org

This year our book is **The Interior Castle STUDY EDITION** by Saint Teresa of Avila, prepared by Kieran Kavanaugh, OCD and Carol Lisi, OCDS. You can order the book online at: www.icspublications.org ISBN: 978-0-935216-80-6.

Pro-Life Corner

August 23, 2010 (LifeSiteNews.com) A U.S. District Court Judge for the District of Columbia has intervened to block regulations issued by the Obama administration expanding embryo-destructive research. The newly-expanded research was made possible by an executive order signed by President Obama in March 2009. The plaintiffs argued that the new guidelines clearly violate a provision in U.S. law, the Dickey-Wicker amendment, that prevents taxpayer monies from funding research in which embryos "are destroyed, discarded, or knowingly subjected to risk of injury or death." In the opinion issued Monday, Judge Lamberth ruled that the Dickey-Wicker language was unambiguous, contrary to the arguments of lawyers with the Department of Health and Human Services, and that the NIH guidelines violated the "plain language of the statute." "Embryonic stem-cell research is clearly research in which an embryo is destroyed," wrote Lamberth.

The ACCL's first meeting after the summer break will be on September 13. We would be very glad to see some new faces, so feel free to join. It is a good thing to do.

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