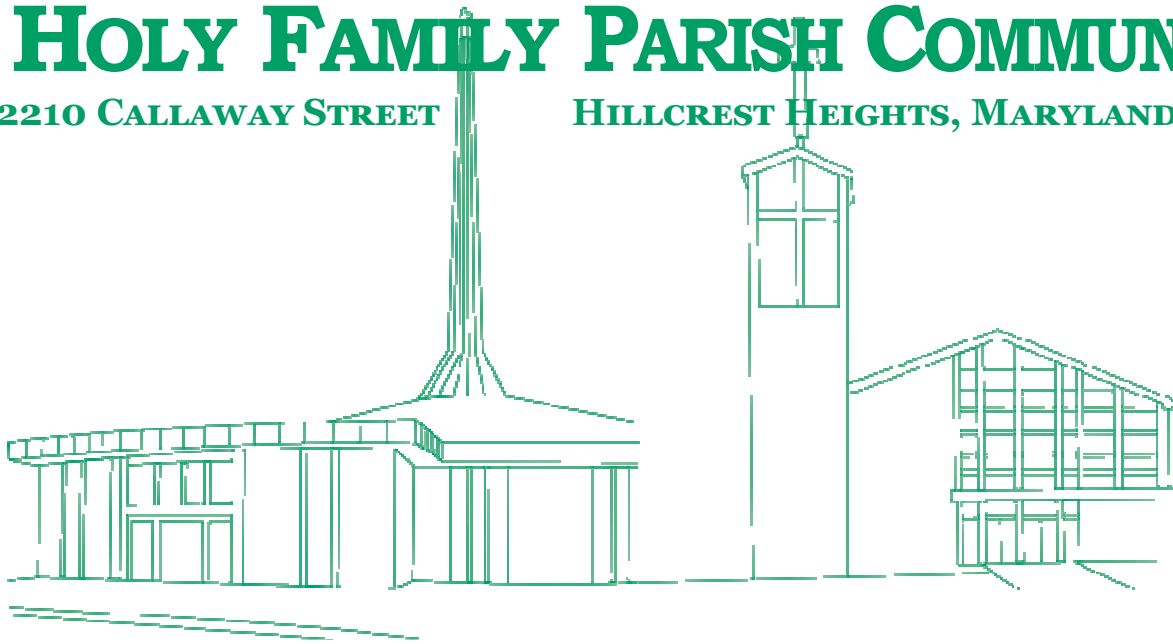


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To join our parish family, call or visit the Rectory, or complete the Census form found in the Church.

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:00pm

Sunday: 8:00 & 11:00am

Holy Days: As Announced

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

(Chapel of Saint Joseph)

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday:

7:00 am

Wednesday: School Mass 9:00 am (Church)

Saturday: 8:00 am

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

Saturday, 20 minutes before Masses.

Anytime by Appointment.

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Registration is open for the 2018-19 School Year.

We are a Regional School receiving the support of St Ignatius, Our Lady Queen of Peace, Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Church of the Incarnation, Saint Luke and Saint Teresa of Avila.

LET'S STAY CONNECTED:

Our schedules, events & activities are communicated also by email and phone. If you have not received any contact, please let us know who you are. If already registered in the parish you can use this to update.

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

- I'm new and want to stay connected.
- Update my info.
- I'd like to speak with Father Matt.

Please return in the offertory collection or email to rectory@holyfamilyparishmd.org.

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,
Starting next Saturday, we will begin a Religious Education series on Saturday Mornings, called "Catholicism". We'll be using a collection of videos and textbooks created by Bishop Robert Barron, Auxiliary Bishop of Los Angeles, and founder of the popular Catholic website, WordOnFire.com.

Bishop Barron is of the best teachers and communicators in the Church today. He is a native of Chicago, and was ordained a priest of that archdiocese. For many years he taught in their seminary there. He became well known for his many books, both scholarly and popular, his speaking at various Catholic conferences and venues, but perhaps most of all for his many videos on Youtube. In 2015, he was appointed and consecrated a bishop for the Archdiocese of Los Angeles.

The series "Catholicism" began as a special miniseries on PBS, but was eventually expanded into a full formation program for Catholic parishes and schools. This program explains not only what Catholics believe and why, but also displays in breathtaking visual and audio detail the richness of Church history and Catholic culture. It is, simply speaking, one of the best tools for understanding our faith, and coming to a deeper appreciation for the uniqueness of Catholicism.

Sometimes, we can think that Religious Education is something that only children do, in order to prepare for First Reconciliation, First Communion, and Confirmation. But really, learning about our faith is a lifelong journey for all of us. The more we come to know about the truth, goodness, and beauty of our Catholic faith, the more we will fall in love with it, and the more it will move and guide us to a greater knowledge and love of God. Isn't that the whole point? For how can we love that which we do not know?

Learning about our faith together with our fellow parishioners gives us the opportunity to share the richness and the commonality of our own experiences, as well as to grow closer together as we learn more about what unites us and gives us the greatest bond in this life: to be members of one Holy Family, the Body of Christ that is the Church. I hope you will consider attending these sessions! We'll begin with a light breakfast each week, and then start class at 9am, ending by 11am. And we always have Mass on Saturday mornings at 8am, which you are very welcome to come and attend.

In Christ,
Fr Matt

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PARISH LIFE

BLACK HISTORY MONTH

To celebrate the rich heritage of black catholics in America, the following guest speakers have been invited to share with our parish.

On *February 10th, at the 11:00 am* Mass, we welcome **Gloria Purvis**, a Cornell University graduate who has served as Chairperson of the Culture of Life Committee and Coordinator of the Young Adult Association at Saint Augustine Catholic Church in D.C., she has also served on the Archdiocesan Pastoral Council for the ADW, on the National Black Catholic Congress' Leadership Commission on Social Justice and is the Chairperson for Black Catholics United for Life which seeks to increase the size and strength of active Black Catholics participating in the pro-life movement.

On *February 17th*, also at the *11:00 am* Mass, we welcome **Fr. Robert Boxie**, who is from Lake Charles, Louisiana, and a graduate of Vanderbilt University and Harvard Law School. He attended seminary at the Catholic University of America and the Pontifical North American College in Rome, and has a License in Sacred Scripture from the Pontifical Gregorian University in Rome. Since 2017, he has been the Parochial Vicar at St Joseph Catholic Church in Largo, MD.

Thanks to all that participated in the **Campus Cleanup**. Much was accomplished to beautify our surroundings here at the parish.

Starting *Saturday, February 9th @ 9:00 am* in the Mary Lange Library, the **Catholicism Adult Faith Formation** series will enhance and support the Church's mission to evangelize and teach the Faith. This program explains not only what Catholics believe and why, but also displays in visual details the richness of the Church's global culture. Facilitator: Father Matt. Continental breakfast will be provided.

HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

2/27	School Open House	10am -12pm
3/2	Mardi Gras	8pm - 12am
3/23	School Open House	10am -12pm

Volunteers are needed to assist in serving daily lunch to the children at the school. For more information contact the school or the rectory.

PARISH LIFE CONT.

The Men's Club continues to sell tickets for their **Annual Valentine Day Raffle**. The drawing will be held on next Sunday, February 10th after the 11:00 mass. Tickets on sell after each mass. See any Men's Club member for tickets. Tickets are \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00.

COMMUNITY LIFE

You are invited to attend **St. Thomas More Jazz** on February 9th at 7:00 pm featuring music by jazz saxophonist Keith Kool. Regular tickets are \$25.00 and VIP tickets are \$40.00. go to STM@catholicacademies.org. for more.

Loyola on the Potomac offers **Lenten Days of Prayer** on March 18th and April 15th The Lord Hears Our Cry. Each day of Prayer begins at 9:00 am and includes: Continental Breakfast, Lunch and mass. Fee \$40.00. Call (301) 392-0801 to make a reservation or go to www.loyolaonthepotomac.com

ARCHDIOCESE LIFE

A workshop for **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHC)** in English will be offered on Saturday, April 6th 9:00am to 12:00pm at St. Matthias Church (Lanham, MD). This workshop will instruct the faithful on how to serve effectively as an EMHC in the parish and when taking Holy Communion to the sick and shut-ins. A \$5 registration fee can be paid at the door. Please RSVP by emailing liturgy@adw.org. If you have additional questions, you may call Maria Hamm in the Office of Worship at 301-853-4594.

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WE KNOW AND LOVE:

<u>Our Parishioners</u>	<u>Homebound</u>	<u>Elsewhere</u>
Denise Richards	Mary Byus	Walter Alexander
Cynthia Washington	Bennie Hooks Jr.	Wendell Young
William Green	Andre Johnson	Dorothy Nelson
Demetrius Butler	Rose Sparrow	Kathleen Guidry
Barbara Smith	Alease Terry	Alpha Banks
Francis Smith	Clarence King	Roy Banks
Angela Hewins	Samuel Jones	Joan Collette
Richard Hewins	Mildred Jones	Betty Furr
Barbara Price	Marsha Harper	David M. Smith Sr.
Leroy Owens	Barbara Moore	Francis Briscoe
Iris Pierce	Margaret Kennerly	
Ethel Handon	Hilda Reeves	
Angela McNair	Juanita Presley	
James Tarleton	Frank Wilson	
Michelle Handon	Rufus Thornton	

In Memoriam - we remember Helen Birdsong, mother of Mrs. Jessie Owens. Funeral Mass to be held at Holy Family on February 9, 2019. Visitation at 10:00 am Mass at 11:00. Repast to follow in ADR.

Prayers for Healing for James Tarleton, Michelle Handon, Rufus Thornton and Barbara Williams, Mary Hooper, Leona Stevenson and Rev. Everett Pearson.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK OF FEB 3 - FEB 10

Feb. 3rd 4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIMES
 4:00 pm (Sat.) **Rosa Gavidia deBaiza +**
 8:00 am John Manning +
 11:00 am **Janyce Prince +**

Daily Masses

Tues. 7:00 am **Mrs. Gloria Smith +**
 Wed. 7:00 am Federal Employees
 9:00 am Holy Family School
 Thurs. 7:00 am **Rosa Gavidia deBaiza+**
 Fri. 7:00 am **Leona Stevenson (L)**
 Sat. 8:00 am African-American Families

Feb. 10th 5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIMES
 4:00 pm (Sat.) **Mr & Mrs Edwin deSilva +**
 8:00 am **Rosa Gavidia deBaiza+**
 11:00 am Helen Birdsong +

2018 Contribution Statements - if you have contributed in a known way, more than \$250 to the church in the last year, your contribution statement for tax purposes will be in the rear of the church. If you do not see one there and would like a copy, please contact the rectory.

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