

HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH



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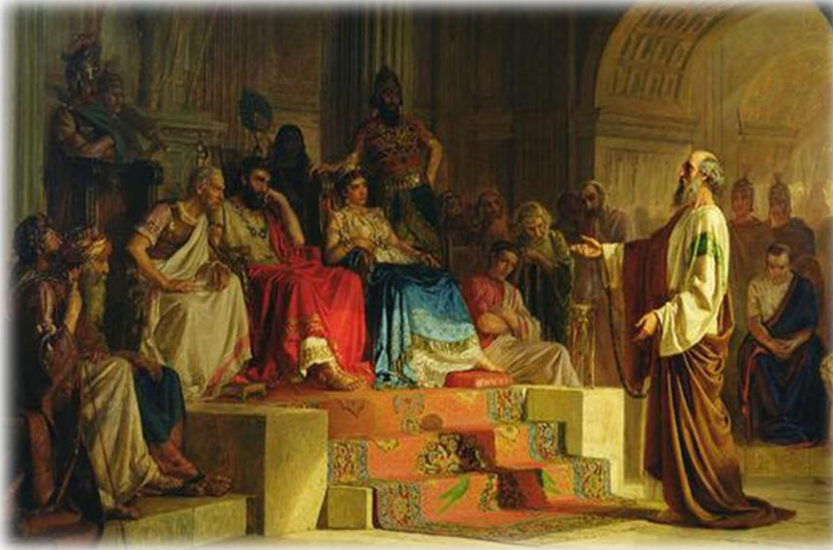
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"Who then, can separate us from the love of Christ? Can trouble, hardship, persecution, hunger, poverty, danger of death, do it? Rm 8:35

AUGUST 2, 2026
EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR A

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Daily Mass Times

Month	Day	Time	
August 2 nd	Sunday	9:00am 12:00 (Noon)	English Spanish
August 3 rd	Monday		
August 4 th	Tuesday	4:30pm 7:00pm	English Spanish
August 5 th	Wednesday	4:30pm	English
August 6 th	Thursday	No Mass	Meeting
August 7 th	Friday	4:30pm	English
August 8 th	Saturday	9:00am	English

"The Church is called to walk together, to be synodal. Christians are called to walk at the side of others, and never as lone travellers". Pope Francis.

Mission Statement:

We, the parishioners of Holy Family Catholic Church, commit to building the kingdom of God through the use of our time, talent, and treasure for the spiritual growth of ourselves, our parish, our community, and the Roman Catholic Church.

Readings for the Week (Link for daily readings www.catholic.org)

Days of the week	First Reading	Psalms	Second Reading	Gospel
Monday, August 3rd	Jer 28:1-17	119:29,43,79-80,95,102		Mt 14:22-36
Tuesday, August 4th	Jer 30:1-2,12-15,18-22	102:16-23,29		Mt 9:35-10:1
Wednesday, August 5th	Jer 31:1-7	Jer 31:10-12		Mt 15:21-28
Thursday, August 6th	Dn 7:9-10,13-14	97:1-2,5-6,9	2 Pt 1:16-19	Mt 17:1-9
Friday, August 7th	Na 2:1,3;1-3,6-7	Dt 32:35-36,39,41		Mt 16:24-28
Saturday, August 8th	Hb 1:12-2:4	9:8-13		Mt 17:14-20
Sunday, August 9th	1 Kgs 19:9,11-13	85:9-14	Rom 9:1-5	Mt 14:22-33

Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers & Gift Bearers

August 2 nd	August 9 th	August 16 th	August 23 rd
1.Rdg. Jacki Cook	1.Rdg. Mark Kirts	1.Rdg. Nancy Nelson	1.Rdg. Pete Norum
2.Rdg. Faye Fitzpatrick	2.Rdg. Anna Breeding	2.Rdg. John Wezet	2.Rdg. Shawn Carter
Prayer of the faithful Peter Norum	Prayer of the faithful Marg Korytkowski	Prayer of the faithful Jennifer Eastman	Prayer of the faithful Patti Langford
Extraordinary Ministers Mark Kirts & Faye Fitzpatrick	Extraordinary Ministers Jacki Cook & Patti Langford	Extraordinary Ministers Anna Breeding & Diane Foltz	Extraordinary Ministers Faye Fitzpatrick & Beverly Glaser
Gift Bearers: Debrosse Family	Gift Bearers: Bob & Faye Fitzpatrick	Gift Bearers: John & Maria Borba	Gift Bearers: Danny Kempf & Donna Kirby

LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYERS: for the sick members of our Community

Jerry Lee Willes Cathy Reynolds Terry Bilbrey Cindy Perrigo Catherine Butler Benny Cannady Sandra Cross Fr. Dan Dorsey, GHM Joanna Austin Chantelle Hawley April Hesson Cherine Honeycutt Marie Ikerd Mike Keough	Ken Kelly Ed Horton Sharon Cannady Jan Martin Paul Madson Brenda McDonald Sandy Neerhof Lisa Nickerson Richard Osborne Frank Costilla Hunter Lee Payne Caryn Ruth La Spino Madison Cliburn Evans Hayes	Sandra Rodrigues Nancy McPherson Sophie Orozco Kim Carnahan Paul Borba David Lee Willis Rosa Maria Nieva Fr. Bruce Brylinski Fr. Vic Subb, GHM Jim Todd Anna Breeding Jeanne Pelletier Matias Amesquita	May they experience the touch of God's healing hand and be filled with His peace and comfort.
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BISHOP'S ANNUAL APPEAL FOR MINISTRIES

PARISH GOAL 2026: \$9,000.00

RAISED (up to July 12, 2026): \$1,345.00

BALANCE: \$7,655.00

PERCENTAGE RAISED: 28%

WHY THIS APPEAL?

The Bishop's Annual Appeal for Ministries is the lifeline of our Catholic church in the Diocese of Nashville. Your support goes a long way in providing resources for our many thriving ministries in Middle Tennessee. Your 'yes' helps to bring college students closer to Christ through University Catholic, provides excellent formation to our seminarians, creates opportunities for young people to encounter Jesus in transformative ways, helps meet the daily needs of our brothers and sisters, and so much more. Through your generosity, we are able to inspire faith and build a vibrant, Christ-centered community for future generations.

<https://dioceseofnashville.com>

Kindly submit the envelop you received for the appeal.

Pope's Prayer Intention for August 2026

For the care of water; Let us pray for a just and sustainable management of water, a vital resource, so that everyone may have equal access to it.

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS – AUGUST 2026

DAYS/DATES	TIME	MASS	INTENTION(S)
SUNDAY, 2nd	9:00am 12:00noon	English Spanish	John O Phillips (Birthday) Intentions of the Parish
MONDAY, 3rd			
TUESDAY, 4th	4:40pm 7:00pm	English Spanish	
WEDNESDAY, 5th	4:30pm	English	John Cook (Birthday)
THURSDAY, 6th		No Mass	Glenmary cluster meeting
FRIDAY, 7th	4:30pm	English	
SATURDAY, 8th	9:00am	English	
SUNDAY, 9th	9:00am 12:00noon	English Spanish	Dewey & Larry B Tucker RIP Intentions of the Parish

Stewardship Report

Last Week	Mortgage Balance	\$212,077.36 as of the end of June 2026
Minimum Budget Needs Per Week \$ 4,257.00	Scheduled Monthly Mortgage Payment	3,160.00
Offertory Received 7/26/2026 \$ 1,500.00	Rate:	2.75% (through 6/30/29)
Surplus (Deficit) \$ (2,757.00)		

PRAY FOR SEMINARIANS

Raphael Kavita, GHM	Griffin Brewster	Jason Koeneman
Evarist Mukama, GHM	Francis Izundu	Skylar Cummings
Moses Ndung'u, GHM	Tyler Marcum	Michael Falcone
Aloysius Ssenyondo, GHM	Sebastian Gaspar	William Rocha
Alex Omari, GHM	Benjamin Sloan	Augustine Ruhamyia
Hilary Ladema, GHM	Henry Barrow	
Bro. Jude Smith, GHM	Jesus Hermande Cruz	Almighty and eternal
Emmanuel Ezechukwu	Savannah Bontry	God, in your unfailing
Liam Farris	Jaime Hernandez	love, inspire these
Griffin Gartner	Dalton Beard	young men to
Juan Hernandez	Pablo Oseil Garcia	generously response
Christian Cimorelli	Ryan Delgato	to your call.
Andy Ketch	Zachary McCormick	

UPCOMING OTHER COLLECTIONS

- Catholic Campaign for Human Development **Nov.15,2026**. This collection addresses the root causes of poverty in America through promotion and support of community-controlled, self-help organizations and transformative education. Grants are awarded by the Subcommittee on the Catholic Capaign for Human Development with the approval of the local bishops.
- Retirement Fund for Religious **December 13,2026**

CHURCH NOTICES (ANNOUNCEMENTS)

- **YARD SALE:** We sincerely thank everyone who donated, volunteered, and helped prepare items for our parish yard sale. We are truly grateful for your time, energy, and generosity. Your dedication and commitment played an important role in making this year's yard sale a great success. We look forward to your continued support at future Parish events. The remaining yard sale items are now available **free of charge** to anyone who may need them. You are welcome to pick them up after Mass today. Grocery bags will be given out after Mass.
- **Fr. Francis Silver Jubilee as a priest.** A list of items needed, donation opportunities, and volunteer sign-up sheet is available on the **Church Notice Board**.
- **Parish Finance Council meeting:** Wednesday August 12, 2026 at 5.00pm.
- **The Order of Christian Initiation for Adults**, known as OCIA, for the coming year will begin on Sunday, August 16, at 10:30 AM, shortly after mass. If you are considering entering the Catholic faith or are already Catholic but want to know more about your faith, please join us! If you are new to the Catholic faith, please talk with Fr Francis before signing up. Contact Jacki Cook after mass or at **615-670-0930**. **Meanwhile registration for religious classes continues today after Mass.**

Is God calling you
to be a Catholic missionary working
in the Rural South, USA?

THINK about it.
PRAY about it.

Then—contact our Vocations Director.



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- Parish Youths Soccer: Sunday August 2, 2026 at 5pm

JULY BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

BIRTHDAYS

Alex Santos
Jaden Cruz
Raechelle Aliazas
Rennelle Dorero
Madilyn Griggs
Camerina Valdiva
Ray Tesauro
Arthur Murphy
Andres Osorio
Adam Bowlds
Vic Subb
Deborah Clyncke

ANNIVERSARIES

Greg & Deann
Claude

**Wishing you
happy birthdays
and happy
anniversaries.
May you be filled
with success and
blessings in the
years ahead!**

CHURCH MEETINGS

- Holy Family Ministries Meeting on every 1st Sunday after Mass
- Knights of Columbus meets every 2nd Sunday of each month at 10AM.
- Adult Bible study on Wednesday at 3:00 PM before Mass
- Finance council meets quarterly.
- St. Vincent De Paul prayer group meets on the 2nd Thursday of every month at 6: 00 PM
- Pastoral Council Meetings are on the 3rd Friday of each month at **5.30pm**.
- **OCIA** classes on Sundays at 10.00am

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Holy Family Online Giving

Giving made easy while you are on the go. Online giving allows you to make donations, payments, and pledges via your mobile phone, smart device, or computer to our church. Use the QR Code provided OR go to the church website and click the Online Giving Link to get started. Please get in touch with the church office if you have any questions.

Use the QR Code below:



PARISH ADORATION HOURS

SATURDAYS: After 9am Mass

ENGLISH COMMUNITY: 8am every last Sundays of the month.

SPANISH COMMUNITY: 11am every Sunday.



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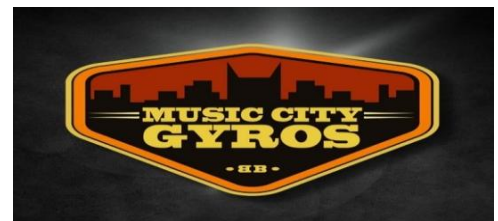
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“ Merely identifying your problems can help you feel better about them. Make a list of all the things that depress you. Divide the items into two categories: those you can’t do anything about and those you can. Take the former and place them in God’s hands; then take the latter and, starting with the easiest one, do something! Father Joseph Esper” **Father Joseph Esper.**