

# HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH



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"Some ignored the invitation and went away, one to his farm, another to his business" Mtt 22:5

**OCTOBER 11, 2026**  
**TWENTY EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR A**

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## Daily Mass Times

| Month                | Day       | Time                   |                    |
|----------------------|-----------|------------------------|--------------------|
| Oct 11 <sup>th</sup> | Sunday    | 9:00am<br>12:00 (Noon) | English<br>Spanish |
| Oct 12 <sup>th</sup> | Monday    | .....                  | .....              |
| Oct 13 <sup>th</sup> | Tuesday   | 4:30pm<br>7:00pm       | No Mass<br>No Mass |
| Oct 14 <sup>th</sup> | Wednesday | 4:30pm                 | No Mass            |
| Oct 15 <sup>th</sup> | Thursday  | 11:00am                | No Mass            |
| Oct 16 <sup>th</sup> | Friday    | 4:30pm                 | No Mass            |
| Oct 17 <sup>th</sup> | 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](http://www.catholic.org))

| Days of the week                          | First Reading            | Psalms             | Second Reading | Gospel      |
|-------------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|----------------|-------------|
| <b>Monday, October 12<sup>th</sup></b>    | Gal 4:22-24,26-27,31-5:1 | 113:1-5,6-7        |                | Lk 11:29-32 |
| <b>Tuesday, October 13<sup>th</sup></b>   | Gal 5:1-6                | 119:41,43-45,47-48 |                | Lk 11:37-41 |
| <b>Wednesday, October 14<sup>th</sup></b> | Gal 5:18-25              | 1:1-4,6            |                | Lk 11:42-46 |
| <b>Thursday, October 15<sup>th</sup></b>  | Eph 1:1-10               | 98:1-6             |                | Lk 11:47-54 |
| <b>Friday, October 16<sup>th</sup></b>    | Eph 1:11-14              | 33:1-2,4-5,12-13   |                | Lk 12:1-7   |
| <b>Saturday, October 17<sup>th</sup></b>  | Eph 1:15-23              | 8:2-3,4-7          |                | Lk 12:8-12  |
| <b>Sunday, October 18<sup>th</sup></b>    | Is 45:1,4-6              | 96:1,3-5,7-10      | 1 Thes 1:1-5   | Mt 22:15-21 |

### Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers & Gift Bearers

| October 11 <sup>th</sup>                               | October 18 <sup>th</sup>                                 | October 25 <sup>th</sup>                               | November 1 <sup>st</sup>                              |
|--------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| 1.Rdg. Mark Kirts                                      | 1.Rdg. Peter Norum                                       | 1.Rdg. Faye Fitzpatrick                                | 1.Rdg. Peter Norum                                    |
| 2.Rdg. Jennifer Eastman                                | 2.Rdg. Shawn Carter                                      | 2.Rdg. Keeley Carter                                   | 2.Rdg. Jennifer Eastman                               |
| <b>Prayer of the faithful</b><br><b>Patti Langford</b> | <b>Prayer of the faithful</b><br><b>Marg Korytkowski</b> | <b>Prayer of the faithful</b><br><b>Nancy Nelson</b>   | <b>Prayer of the faithful</b><br><b>Anna Breeding</b> |
| Extraordinary Ministers<br>Jacki Cook & Anna Breeding  | Extraordinary Ministers<br>Beverly Glaser & Diane Foltz  | Extraordinary Ministers<br>Jacki Cook & Patti Langford | Extraordinary Ministers<br>Mark Kirts & Yvette Baber  |
| <b>Gift Bearers: Mark &amp; Melody Engle</b>           | <b>Gift Bearers: Jacki Cook &amp; Jennifer Eastman</b>   | <b>Gift Bearers: Janet &amp; Art Janes</b>             | <b>Gift Bearers: Ray &amp; Kathy Tasaurus</b>         |

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

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

**PARISH GOAL 2026:** \$9,000.00

**RAISED (up to October 218, 2026):** \$5,285.71

**BALANCE:** \$3,714.29

#### 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.

### WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS AND OTHER CHURCH NOTICE

We continue to invite our parishioners to offer Mass intentions. Many weekdays remain open without a Mass intention. Offering a Mass intention is a beautiful way to pray for your loved ones, both living and deceased, while also supporting the mission and ministry of our parish. We kindly encourage our parishioners to consider offering a Mass for their loved ones. Thank you for your generosity, prayers, and continued support of our parish.

**SUNDAY OCTOBER 11,2026:** 9:00am Michael Kirts RIP

**Prayer lists and birthdays:** Kindly review the names listed in the Prayer Lists and Birthdays sections of the bulletin and indicate which names should remain on the lists and which names should be removed. Your assistance in keeping these lists accurate and up to date is greatly appreciated.

### Pope's Prayer Intention for Oct. 2026

*For mental health ministry; Let us pray that the mental health ministry be established throughout the Church, helping to overcome the stigma and discrimination of persons with mental illnesses.*

# Stewardship Report

| Last Week                     |               | Mortgage Balance                   | \$209,414.11 as of the end of July 2026 |
|-------------------------------|---------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| Minimum Budget Needs Per Week | \$ 4,257.00   | Scheduled Monthly Mortgage Payment | 3,160.00                                |
| Offertory Received 10//4/2026 | \$ 1,782.00   | Rate:                              | 2.75% (through 6/30/29)                 |
| Surplus (Deficit)             | \$ (2,475.00) |                                    |                                         |

## 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 Ruhanya                 |
| Hilary Ladema, GHM      | Henry Barrow        | Jamie Hagan                       |
| Bro. Jude Smith, GHM    | Jesus Hermande Cruz | Jose Luis R. Hernandez            |
| Emmanuel Ezechukwu      | Savannah Bontry     | Edwing Orta Velazquez             |
| Liam Farris             | Jaime Hernandez     |                                   |
| Griffin Gartner         | Dalton Beard        | <b>Almighty and eternal God,</b>  |
| Juan Hernandez          | Pablo Oseil Garcia  | <b>in your unfailing love,</b>    |
| Christian Cimorelli     | Ryan Delgato        | <b>inspire these young men to</b> |
| Andy Ketch              | Zachary McCormick   | <b>generously response to</b>     |
|                         |                     | <b>your call.</b>                 |

## UPCOMING OTHER COLLECTIONS

- World Mission Sunday **October 18, 2026**
- Priesthood Sunday **November 7-8, 2026**
- Catholic Campaign for Human Development **Nov.15,2026.**
- Retirement Fund for Religious **December 13,2026**
- Collection for the Church in Latin America **January 24, 2027**

## CHURCH NOTICES (ANNOUNCEMENTS)

- **October, the month of the Holy Rosary:** In honor of Our Blessed Mother and in response to the Church's call to pray the Rosary in the month of October, all parishioners are warmly invited to join every Sunday at **8:00am (English) & 11:00am (Spanish), and on Wednesdays after 4:30pm Mass** in the church for the Holy Rosary.
- **No Mass from Tuesday October 12 to Friday October 16, 2026:** Glenmary meeting.
- **Fr. Francis' Jubilee Celebration:** If you would like to donate items or make a monetary contribution, please contact: **Helen: 615-572-1212, Melissa: 615-609-6113.** For more information, check the Notice Board.
- **Bishop's Annual Appeal:** Those who have received envelopes for the **Bishop's Annual Appeal** and have not yet returned their contributions are kindly requested to do so. Those who have not yet received an envelope are kindly requested to meet **Fr. Francis** and collect one. Your generous support and contribution will help us fulfill our commitment to this important annual appeal.
- **Spaghetti Dinner:** The Knights of Columbus invite everyone to join them for a delicious Spaghetti Dinner on Saturday, October 17, 2026 from 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM in the Church Hall. \$8.00 per plate.

**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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## OCT. BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

### BIRTHDAYS

Shelby Torres  
Josh Kirts  
Placido Perez  
Jeff Keisling  
Dennis Holly  
Daniel Avila  
Kelly Carnahan  
Roberto Manduriao  
Jose Barrios  
Ana Barrios  
Bruno Jijon  
Carmen Santos  
Autumn Pedigo  
Shelby Torees  
Clay Carnahan

Josh Kirts  
Erika Rodriguez  
Grace Bilbery  
Daniel Avila  
Shelby Torees  
Terry & Leeanne  
Bilbery  
Lauren Carnahan  
**Happy Birthday to  
all those celebrating  
their birthdays this  
month! We thank  
God for the gift of  
your lives and for  
the blessings He has  
bestowed upon you.**

## CHURCH MEETINGS

- Holy Family Ministries Meeting on every 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday after Mass
- Knights of Columbus meets every 2<sup>nd</sup> 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 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of every month at 6: 00 PM
- Pastoral Council Meetings are on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of each month at **5.30pm.**
- **OCIA** classes on Sundays at 10.00am

## HOLY FAMILY PRAYER GARDEN 431 Old HWY, 52, Lafayette, TN 37083



### 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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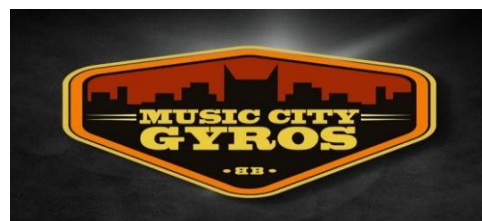
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“What is the wedding garment, but charity? For the Lord himself says, ‘By this shall all men know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another” **St. Gregory the Great**. “In what condition do we want to come to the feast in Heaven, if we are not wearing wedding clothes — that is, love, which alone can make us beautiful?” **Pope Benedict XVI**.