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“ The man called Jesus made some mud, rubbed it on my eyes and told me to go to Siloam and wash my face. So I went, and as soon as I washed, I could see.”
John 9:11

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MARCH 15, 2026. FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT YEAR A

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Daily Mass Times:

Month	Day	Time	
March 15 th	Sunday	9:00 am 12:00 (Noon)	English Spanish
March 16 th	Monday	8:30am	English
March 17 th St. Patrick	Tuesday	4:30 pm 7:00 pm	English Spanish
March 18 th	Wednesday	4:30 pm	English
March 19 th St. Joseph Feast	Thursday	11:00am	English
March 20 th	Friday	4:30 pm 7:00 pm	English Spanish
March 21 st	Saturday	9:00 am	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 of March 15th (Link for daily readings www.catholic.org)

Days of the week	First Reading	Psalms	Second Reading	Gospel
Monday, March 16 th	Is. 65:17-21	30:2,4-6,11-12,13		Jn. 4:43:54
Tuesday, March 17 th	Ez. 47:1-9,12	46:2-3,5-6,8-9		Jn.5:1-16
Wednesday, March 18 th	Is. 49:8-15	145:8-9,13-14,17-18		Jn. 5:17-30
Thursday, March 19 th	2 Sm. 7:4-5,12-14,16	89:2-5,27,29	Rom. 4:13,16-18,22	Mt.1:16,18-21,24
Friday, March 20 th	Wis. 2:1,12-22	34:17-21,23		Jn.7:1-2,10,25-30
Saturday, March 21 st	Jer. 11:18-20	7:2-3,9-12		Jn 7:40-53
Sunday, March 22 nd	Ez. 37:12-14	130:1-8	Rom 8:8-11	Jn. 11-1-45

Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers & Gift Bearers

March 15 th	March 22 nd	March 29 th	April 05 th
1.Rdg. Marg Korytkowski	1.Rdg. Nancy Nelson	1.Rdg. Keeley Carter	1.Rdg. Anna Breeding
2Rdg. Pete Norum	2.Rdg. Faye Fitzpatrick	2.Rdg. Patti Langford	2.Rdg. Shawn Carter
Prayers of the faithful John Wezet	Prayers of the faithful Jennifer Eastman	Prayer of the faithful Shawn Carter	Prayer of the faithful Jacki Cook
Extraordinary Ministers Diane Foltz & Yvette Baber	Extraordinary Ministers Anna Breeding & Beverly	Extraordinary Ministers Faye Fitzpatrick & Mark Kirts	Extraordinary Ministers Yvette Baber & Diane Foltz
Gift Bearers Langford Family	Gift Bearers Yvette & Gerohy O' Connell	Gift Bearers Beverly & Jerean Bramlage	Gift Bearers Frank & Annie Cronin

LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYERS: We ask you to pause to offer a prayer for the sick in our community.

Jerry Lee Willes	April Hesson	Sandy Neerhof	Sandra Rodríguez	Evan Hayes
Cathy Reynolds	Cherine Honeycutt	Lisa Nickerson	Nancy McPherson	David Lee Willis
Terry Bilbrey	Marie Ikerd	Richard Osborne	Sue Sawyer	Amanda Ke
Cindy Perrigo	Mike Keough	Gurtis Kufel	Kim Carnahan	Ernie Reed
Catherine Butler	Ken Kelly	Hunter Lee Payne	Paul Borba	James Reynolds
Benny Cannady	Tim Korytkowski	Kathy Retnoles	Pete & Mary	Ed Horton
Sandra Cross	Sharon Cannady	Madison Cliburn	Richardson	Glen Pedigo
Fr. Dan Dorsey, GHM	Jan Martin	Paul Madson	Fr. Bruce Brylinski	Frank Costilla
John George	Ray Mason	Debbie Murray	Fr. Vic Subb, GHM	
Chantelle Hawley	Brenda McDonald	Caryn Ruth La Spino	Jim Todd	

Pope's Prayer Intentions for March 2026: For disarmament and peace. Let us pray that nations move toward effective disarmament, particularly nuclear disarmament, and that world leaders choose the path of dialogue and diplomacy instead of violence.

Weekly Mass Intentions

MARCH 2026	MASS TIME	INTENTIONS FOR:
SUNDAY, 15th	9 AM English 12 NOON Spanish	Intentions of the parish Religious Education Time
MONDAY, 16th	8:30AM English	
TUESDAY, 17th	4:30 PM English 7:00 PM Spanish	Wendy Marcus (birthday)
WEDNESDAY, 18th	4:30PM English	Lana London (birthday)
THURSDAY, 19th	11.00PM English	
FRIDAY, 20th	4:30 PM English 7:00PM Spanish	Joe & Christine Hara (birthday)
SATURDAY, 21st	9:00 AM English	
SUNDAY 22nd	9:00 AM English 12:00 PM Spanish	For Cambria's mother & Samantha Thomas For the intentions of the parish



Stewardship Report

Last Week	Mortgage Balance	\$225, 377.32 as of the end of January 2026
Minimum Budget Needs Per Week \$ 4,257.00	Scheduled Monthly Mortgage Payment	3,160.00
Offertory Received 03/08/2026 \$ 1,986.00	Rate:	2.75% (through 6/30/29)
Surplus (Deficit) \$ (2,271.00)		

Bishop's Annual Appeal: Parish goal last year 2025 was **\$6,000.00** and **\$8,159.00** was raised. This year **2026**, the Diocese has given us a goal of **\$9,000.00**.

Pray for our seminarian: Jimmy Mitchell Mary-Augustus Ndubuisi Szymon Sierega Matthew walker Deybi Coronado

Rev. Mr. Reed Robinson	William Rocha	Sebastian Gaspar	Ryan Delgatto	Jason Koenemann
James Grossheim	SkyLAR Cummings	Benjamin Sloan	Evarist Mukama, GHM	Sean McDevitt
David Herrera	Liam Farris	Henry Barrow	Moses Ndung'u, GHM	Bro. Jude Smith, GHM
Juan Hernandez	Zachary McCormick	Jesus Hernandez Cruz	Emmanuel Ezechukwu	Aloysius Ssenyondo, GHM
Christian Cimorelli	Jaime Hernandez	Savannah Bontry	Alex Omari, GHM	Hillary Ladema, GHM
Andy Ketch	Griffin Brewster	Raphael Kavita, GHM	Frank Gallagher	Angel Barocio, GHM
Michael Falcone	Francis Izundu	Dalton Beard	Pablo Oseil Garcia	
Augustine Ruhamvya	Tyler Marcum	Benjamin Claiborne	Griffin Gartner	

UP THE ROAD

- Collection on March 15, 2026 for the Catholic Relief Services.
- Safe Environment Training shall take place on Wednesday March 25 at the Pastoral Center at Nashville from 8.30am to 2.00pm.
- Holy Week Program to be announced next week.
- **Confessions/Sacrament of Reconciliation:** There will be no formal Lenten Penance this Year. However;
 - **Fr. Mike Kerin** will be available for penance (confession) on **March 21st from 10am to 11.30am**. Use side doors.
 - **Fr. Steve and Fr Francis** will be available on **Saturday March 28th from 9.30am to 11.30am**
 - **Fr. Francis and Fr. Steve** will be in the Pastor's Office on Sunday from **8:15am to 8.45am, and 11am to 11.45am**
- Stewardship letters for taxes are available. Contact Br. Larry after Mass for your tax letters.

- Holy Family Catholic Church is accepting donations for Yard Sales 2026. Please contact Helen **615 572 1212** to arrange for drop off.
- Bake sale on 22nd March after both Masses. Contact Melody Engle for more information.
- **Mass intentions:** We are appealing to you to offer Mass intentions. **Contact Fr Francis or Fr Steve.**
- Last Sunday I was very impressed by the Spirit and organization of the parish. I witnessed two wonderful faith formation programs after each Mass, and a committee meeting very well run, and lots of folks, enjoyed doughnuts, pan and fellowship. This filled me with joy seeing the strength of this Community. **Fr. Steve Pawelk, GHM**

MARCH BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Isabella Boxold	Roberto Mireles	Alison Jijon
Matthew Minshey	Gracie Hagan	Ernesto Camona
Jasmine Cruz	Kathy Fuller	Jade Osorio
María Hernández	Nicholas Baxley	Doug Hunt
Leanne Bilbrey	Eduardo Mireles	Gretchen Kufel
Jeanne Pelletier	Kim Patterson	
Morgan Burgener	Miguel Cervantes	
Debbie Wezet	Violet Hackert	
Xavier Rodríguez	Luz Santos	
	Oralia Mireles	

ANNIVERSARIES



CHURCH MEETINGS

- Holy family Meetings on every 1st Sunday after mass
- Knights of Columbus meets every 2nd Sunday of each Month at 10.00 AM.
- 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**
- The Pastoral Council Meetings shall hold on Friday **March 20th at 3pm.**
- **OCIA** classes on Sundays at 10.00am

MARRIAGE: Marriage is an indissoluble covenant for the whole life. We believe every effort should be made to help individuals properly prepare for this covenant. To allow enough time for this preparation, arrangements for marriage must begin at least six months before the intended wedding date

RECONCILIATION: 9:00 AM – 11:00 am on Saturday.
Tuesday 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm
Wednesday 5:00 PM-6:00 PM, Or by appointment.

BAPTISM: Please notify Father Francis two (2) months prior to Baptismal Date. Baptismal preparation will include two (2) classes. Both Godparents must be Christian and ONE must be Catholic.

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:



ADORATION HOURS –

SATURDAYS: After 9am Mass

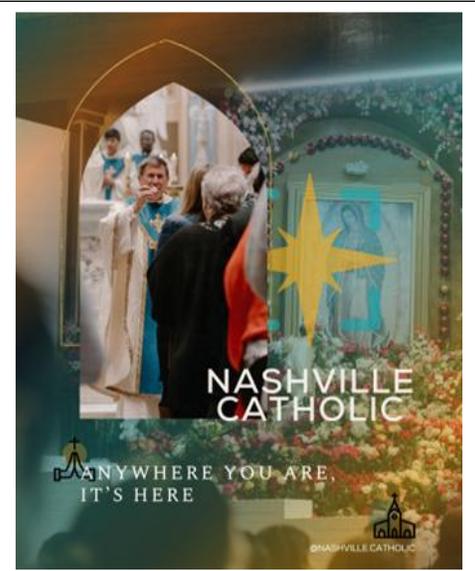
ENGLISH COMMUNITY: 8am every last Sundays of the month.

SPANISH COMMUNITY: 11am every Sunday.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

4:00PM IN ENGLISH

6:30PM IN SPANISH



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“ In the healing of the blind, we see not just physical restoration but the call to see with the heart, to recognize the divine presence in our lives” **St. Teresa of Avila.** **“The purpose of Lent is not to force on us a few formal obligations, but to ‘soften’ our heart so that it may open itself to the realities of the spirit, to experience the hidden ‘thirst’ for communion with God”** St. John Paul II. **“Lent is a privileged time of interior pilgrimage towards Him who is the fount of mercy.”** Pope Benedict XIV.