

Mass Intentions for the Week

Sat	Oct 30	5:00 pm	Claude Valle, Jr.
Sun	Oct 31	7:30 am	Thomas Greene
		9:30 am	Felipe Silva
		11:30 am	Edgar Krueger
			Nancy Rocco Mazzeo
			Josephine Mazzeo
Wed	Nov 3	7:00 am	George Coleman
Thur	Nov 4	9:00 am	Robyn Lees
Fri	Nov 5	7:00 am	James Alexander
Sat	Nov 6	5:00 pm	Julie Casey
Sun	Nov 7	9:30 am	Janet Miles

Prayer Requests

Please Pray for...

Kay, Carmen, Sally, Francesca, Frank, Ellen, Julie, Warren, Margaret Jungers, Deb A, Mary O, Norman, Marie P., Sr. Marjorie, Steve, Dean N., Jerry M., Ted, M.J., Kevin F., Tom Kelley, Jim, Jeanne A., Dan, Bill & family, Richard N., Martha, the Castelin family, Marion, John, Joan, Robert, Thelma, Marian Height, Vivian Terella, Diane Y., Bob S., Steve R., Joan M., Bob J., Dylan DeWitt, Joe B., Avery, Tony, Spag, Diane B., Hugh Carroll, Vicki Wright, and the residents, patients, and staff of area nursing homes and Emerson Hospital.

If there is someone who is sick and whose name you would like in the bulletin so that our parish may hold them in prayer, please contact the Parish Center. We will leave a name on the list until you call and tell us otherwise or until our periodic clearing of the list. Please remember that some people would prefer their names not be published here

Inquiry Group

The Inquiry program is open to all those who have never been baptized, those who have been baptized as an infant but never instructed in the faith, and those who are from another faith community but are interested in receiving formation in the Catholic faith. The next meeting will take place on Tuesday, November 2nd at 7:00 pm at the Parish Center. For details, please contact Sister Rose Marie at 978-369-7442.

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Children's Liturgy of the Word is in full swing! All children in grades K- 5 are invited to attend and hear age-appropriate reflections on the Scripture readings at the 9:30 am Mass on Sunday mornings. Preschoolers are also welcome, but must be accompanied by a parent.



Bereavement Support Group Meeting Scheduled

The next Bereavement Group meeting is Wed Nov 3rd at 7:00 pm at the Parish Center. For more information, please contact Sister Rose Marie at 978-369-7442 or rosel55church@aol.com.

Bereavement Workshop Offered: Handling Grief Through the Holidays

With the holidays fast approaching there are many people in our community who are experiencing the pain of 'loss' of a loved one—a parent, spouse, child, friend, etc. The holiday season can be very challenging. How does one survive, deal or cope with the 'empty chair'? Being sensitive to the difficulties that arise this time of year, Holy Family is sponsoring a workshop *Handling Grief through the Holidays*, on Wed Nov 17 at 7:00 pm at the Parish Center in West Concord. Gloria Clough, MDiv, RN, CS, from Concord Counseling Service will be the keynote speaker. Her presentation will address the 'given' that the holidays may bring feelings of sadness, loneliness, isolation, and stress. Suggestions, ideas, ways of coping, skills and techniques will be shared to help ease your pain. It is an opportunity to explore and experience new ideas in your grief process. For more information, please call Sr. Rose Marie at 978-369-7442.

Service and Justice News

Thanksgiving Food Drive in Progress

The Service and Justice Commission has begun its Thanksgiving Food Drive. Please donate whatever non-perishable items you feel would complement a traditional Thanksgiving meal. *Thank you!*

Sign-Ups for ARISE: Space is Limited

Sign-ups for ARISE will be held this weekend, October 30 and 31. Space is limited for this program and groups form on a first come, first served basis. The ARISE program will convene the first week of November and will meet for 6 weeks. ARISE provides a wonderful opportunity to build community as you meet to explore how Scripture works through your life. This is not Bible studies, but rather a way to listen to how God is speaking to you.

We still need more Host sites! If you can host a group in your home, please call Deacon Gregory Burch at 978-371-9696.

Special Events Committee

Chair: Joanne Cormier 978-369-3085
 Co-Chair: Bernadette Jaros 978-369-7687

The next meeting of the Special Events Committee will be on Thur Nov 11 at 6:30 pm at the Parish Center. New members are always welcome!

Weekly Schedule

Rosary before and after daily Mass
Women's Bible Study Mon Nov 1 at 10:00 am at Monument Hall
Moms & Tots Tues Nov 2 at 9:30 am at Monument Hall
Prayer Before the Blessed Sacrament Tuesdays from 12:00-1:00 pm in the church
Inquiry Program (RCIA) Tues Nov 2 at 7:00 pm at the Parish Center
Adult Faith Formation Committee Tues Nov 2 at 7:30 pm at the Parish Center
Circle of Friends Wed Nov 3 at 9:30 am at Monument Hall
Religious Education Classes, Grades 1-5 Wed Nov 3 at 4:00 pm at Monument Hall
Youth Leadership Board Wed Nov 3 at 6:15 pm at Monument Hall
Youth Council Wed Nov 3 at 7:00 pm at Monument Hall
Faith Festival Planning Meeting Wed Nov 3 at 7:00 pm at Monument Hall
Bereavement Group Wed Nov 3 at 7:00 pm at the Parish Center
Handbell Choir Thur Nov 4 at 6:15 pm at the church
Choir Rehearsal Thur Nov 4 at 7:15 pm at the church

Mass Schedule for All Saints Day

Mass on All Saints Day will be celebrated Monday November 1 at 7:00 am and 9:00 am.

News From Our Bulletin Company

Liturgical Publications, Inc., our bulletin publisher, will have a sales representative available within the next few weeks for those interested in placing a new ad. This is your opportunity to secure a space for the new publication year. To place your advertisement, please contact Pete Silvestri at 800-888-4574 ext. 3335, or psilvestri@4lpi.com. We would like to thank our present advertisers for their continuing patronage.

HFP Monthly Fiscal Snapshot

Revenue, Sept 2010	
Offertory	29,622
Monthly	19,329
Total	48,951
Budgeted Revenue YTD	168,750
Actual Revenue YTD	134,651
Difference	(34,099)

Holy Family Variety Show

Mark your calendars for Friday Nov 5th at 7:00 pm at Monument Hall—the Holy Family Talent Show is an event you won't want to miss! More than twenty acts will be featured: musicians, vocal groups, soloists, skits, etc. For more information, please contact Music Minister Jim Barkovic at kapellmeisterJRB@aol.com, or 978-486-4377.

Youth News

Youth Council—The next Youth Council Meeting of the year will be Wednesday, November 3rd from 7:00 – 8:00 PM at Monument Hall. Youth Council is our version of youth group here at Holy Family Parish. The Youth Council serves as the primary idea-generating and decision-making group for our Youth Ministry Program and meets the first Wednesday and third Thursday of each month. Our meetings always start with games, include planning of upcoming youth activities, and close with a short program. Youth Council is youth-led and is a great casual way to get involved in youth ministry here at Holy Family Parish. Any youth (Grades 6-12) interested in being Christian leaders at Holy Family and in the local community are invited to join the Youth Council!

Youth Leadership Board—The next Youth Leadership Board Meeting of the year will be Wednesday, November 3rd from 6:15-7pm at Monument Hall. All student representatives and officers are welcome to come!

Summer Service Trip 2011 Informational Meeting—Wednesday, November 10, 2010, at Monument Hall. Any youth or adult volunteers interested in participating or just finding out more information about these weeklong service trips in July and August 2011 to various locations must attend this meeting. High school students and their parents are welcome to come! We will be collecting a \$200 deposit for all trip participants at this meeting! *Come and find out where we will be going this year!! We guarantee an experience you will never forget!*

If you have any questions, please contact Jaclyn Daniels at YouthMin55Church@aol.com or 978-369-7442.

**Faith Formation News
Volunteers STILL Needed!**

We still have the following needs for catechists: Tues 4pm Grades 1 and 5, Wed 4 pm Grade 1. There is also a need for childcare help on Tues nights, small group leaders for grades 7, 9, and 10, and classroom aides at various times. Please contact Tony Carbrello if you can help!

VIRTUS Reminder

One-time training needed for those who work in our faith formation programs. Upcoming opportunities include: Tues Nov 2 at 6:30 pm: St. Michael, North Andover, Sat Nov 13: 9:00 am, St Matthias, Marlboro, Sun Nov 21: 1:00 pm, **Holy Family Parish**, Concord. *Please contact the host parish directly to register. It is also helpful to let Tony Carbrello know which session you will attend.*

Circle of Friends News

Circle of Friends will meet on Wed Nov 3rd at 9:30 am. Join us for coffee and Book Day! Also, please bring in your completed pillowcases, or learn how to make one. See old friends, and make new friends. Please join us!