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# Holy Family Catholic Church

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Fr. Richard Altine, V.F.

Parochial Vicar  
Fr. Mike Rejent, OSFS

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**Mass Schedule:**

Weekdays: Tuesday 8:30am  
Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm  
Sunday: 8:00am

**Reconciliation:** Saturday, 2:30-3:30pm at Sacred Heart  
3:30-4:30pm at Holy Family  
Or by appointment.

**Sacrament of Matrimony:** Arrange with Fr. Richard at least six months in advance.

**Sacrament of the Sick:** Please notify when persons are shut-in or hospitalized.

**Sacrament of Baptism:** By appointment.

**Director of Religious Education:** Daniel Northrup

**Collaborative Website:** [holymotherparishes.com](http://holymotherparishes.com)

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**Parish Secretary/Bulletin Editor:** Jackie Bohn; Thursday 9a-3p

**Bulletin items are due in writing by 10am Thursday.**  
**Parish Bookkeeper:** Allycia Rudlaff; Tuesday 9a-3p

**Parish Organizations:**  
**Finance Committee:** Tim Ritchie (President), Lou Ann Conklin, Ron Verleger, Emelee Rajzer

**Pastoral Council:** Carl Druskovich, Lonnie Mortimore, Sandy Eich, Terri Karasch, Bev Mroczek, Steve Rajzer, Tim Ritchie

**Men's Club:** Henry Karasch

**Women's Group:** Kathy Northrup

Welcome to Holy Family Catholic Church

If you would like to become a member of our parish family, please complete this form and place it in the collection basket or mail it to the above address. If you are moving out of our parish please let us know so we can update our records.

- New address
- Remove name/Moving away from parish.
- I need offertory envelopes
- I am interested in parish membership.
- I have a special prayer request.
- I am going to the hospital.
- I would appreciate a visit by the pastor.
- I would like to learn more about the Catholic faith.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

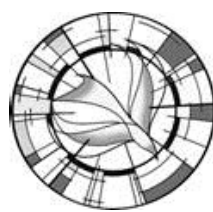
**Bishop's Annual Appeal 2017/18**

Our 2017 Bishop's Appeal is almost accomplished! Thank you to each family who have made an extra contribution to this campaign. We have just \$500.00 to go!

**Goal: \$15,913**  
**Pledges: \$14,914**  
**Collected: \$15,413.**

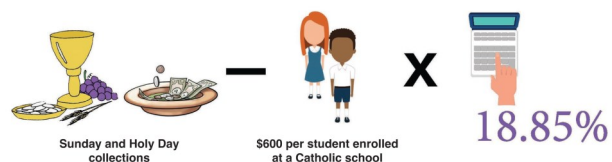
**Bishop's Annual Appeal 2018/19**

Thank you to the families who made their pledge or contribution to the Bishop's Annual Appeal. We are grateful for our blessings and seek ways to give back, to return some of these gifts to show our love for the Lord and one another. As disciples of Jesus Christ, all of us share in the mission of the Catholic Diocese of Kalamazoo. Only when we work together can we accomplish God's work. Please prayerfully consider a very generous gift to this year's appeal. Our parish goals are 100% participation and \$15,876.



**Goal: \$15,876.00**  
**Pledges: \$7,341.00**  
**Collected: \$5,751.00**

**HOW ARE PARISH GOALS DETERMINED?**



Parish goals may decrease no more than 15% and increase no more than 7.5%

**Wheelbarrow Sunday**

The last Sunday of the month has been designated "Wheelbarrow Sunday". All nonperishable food donations placed in the wheelbarrow will be donated to Decatur Human Services.



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**Annual Chicken Dinner**

Plans have started for our Annual Chicken Dinner. The date for dinner has been set for August 12, 2018 from 11:00 am to 3:00 pm. Pre-sale

tickets are \$10.00. Price at the door will be \$12.00. Dinner includes 1/2 chicken, baked potato, fresh sweet corn, cole slaw and dessert. More information to come as to when tickets will be available. Check the bulletin in the weeks to come. Hope to see everyone there!

**Tuesday, July 17th**

**8:30am Mass** † Arnold and Catherine Carlson

**Saturday, July 21st**

**5:00pm Mass** † Lisa Haselburger req. Shirley & Tom Haselburger

**Sunday, July 22nd**

**8:00am Mass** † Vince Malinauskas req. Pat Malinauskas

**Readers, EMHC, Ushers, Altar Servers**

**Sat, July 21st 5:00pm** **Reader:** Nicholas Gaikis  
**Sun, July 22nd 8:00am** **Readers:** Henry Karasch

**EMHC:** Tracy Smola **EMHC:** Judy Janssen  
Tim Janssen  
Lonnie Mortimore

**Ushers:** Tom Houser **Ushers:** Bob Stambek  
George Wilder Ed Stambek  
Chris Kadulski Steve Rajzer  
Bob Smola Gabe Newhouse

**Altar Servers:** Nolan Gaikis **Altar Servers:** Karol Nunez  
Hallie Mortimore  
Trinity Mortimore

**Offertory Gifts:** Volunteer **Offertory Gifts:** Ron & Mary Verleger  
**Tamborine:** Morgan Silvia

**Readings July 22, 2018**

Amos 7: 12-15  
Ephesians 1:3-14  
Mark 6: 7-13

**2017/18 Weekly Income July 7/8**

Sunday/Holy Day:	\$1,526.00
Maintenance:	\$957.00
Amount needed each week:	\$1,930.00
Amount Ahead/(Behind) for week:	\$553.00
Bishop's Annual Appeal 18/19	
Bishop's Annual Appeal 17/18	\$157.00
Peter's Pence	\$319.00

**Holy Mother's Sacred Family Mass Schedules**

<u>Saturday</u>	<u>Sunday</u>
4:00pm Sacred Heart	8:00am Holy Family
5:00pm Holy Family	9:30am Holy Maternity
6:30pm Holy Maternity	11:00am Sacred Heart

**Weekdays: 8:30am**

**Mon/Wed/Fri:** Holy Maternity  
**Tues:** Holy Family **Thurs:** Sacred Heart  
**Reconciliation - Saturday**  
2:30-3:30pm at Sacred Heart  
3:30-4:30pm at Holy Family  
(no reconciliation when there is a substitute )

Sat. July 28th	10- 4	Quilters Group in the hall
Wed. July 11	6:30 pm	Women's Group Meeting
Thurs. July 19	6pm	Men's Club work Meeting
Sun, Aug. 12		Chicken Dinner

**Please Pray for the Sick and Shut-in**

Bob Barkman, Karen Cabras, Anne Creagan, Karen Creagan, Theresa Jewell, Carl Lindel, Bev Rajzer, Sophie Sienkiewicz, Dorothy Smola, Ed Stambek, Chuck Strickler, Pastor Carl O. Wright., Baby Katie, Naomi and Ramona, Bethany

**Praying For Our Troops**

Let us pray for the protection and safe return home of the following and all military personnel:

Tyler Prostka
James M. Jewell
David Sheppard
Jason Wolff
Daniel Johnson
Ryan Miller
Greg Johnson
Thomas Leiter
Alex Agens

**Help Needed**

The new door for the rectory has been delivered and we are in need of some volunteers to accomplish this task. If you have some knowledge, tools and time, please contact Paul Lamoreaux. Thank you!

**Joy Filled Marriage preparation weekends for the engaged 2018 dates**

The Joy-Filled Marriage is a comprehensive marriage preparation program rooted in virtues as well as the Theology of the Body. The program incorporates rich Catholic theology with sound psychology. If you are planning to marry in the Catholic Church, one of the components for marriage preparation is experiencing a JFM weekend before the wedding day. Please register early because spaces fill up fast. 2018 weekend dates are: July 7-8, September 22-23, and November 17-18. Visit the website to download a registration form: <http://www.diokzoo.org/marriage-preparation> Questions about this marriage preparation weekend? Contact Socorro Truchan at (269) 903-0199 or via email: [struchan@diokzoo.org](mailto:struchan@diokzoo.org)

**A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar**

Jesus sent out His apostles without a lot of "things" because THINGS distract. We collect, argue about and protect our "things." Garage sales only transfer "things." We even ignore each other because we have "things" to do. What "things" are separating you from your family?

**A Report of Sexual Misconduct**

A report of sexual misconduct can be initiated at the Diocese of Kalamazoo's Sexual Misconduct Question and Reporting Line: (877) 802-0115. A caller will be requested to provide his or her name and telephone number. All calls regarding sexual misconduct will be returned, usually within one hour. This toll-free telephone number has been established as a part of the Diocese's effort to protect children, young people and other vulnerable people in our schools, parishes and ministries. This line is for reporting suspected sexual misconduct or child abuse within Diocesan institutions and ministries only. If you have some other concern about Diocesan schools, parishes or ministries, please contact the appropriate Diocesan school, parish or office directly.

**Visiting Missionaries**

This weekend Holy Mothers Sacred Family of Parishes will welcome priests from the Missionaries of the Sacred Heart (MSC; from the Latin Missionarii Sacratissimi Cordis). They are an international community founded in France dedicated to sharing the love of God around the world. They are a missionary order of Roman Catholic priests and brothers living in communities, teaching, and offering pastoral care. Fr. Jules Chevalier founded the MSC in 1854 with the motto, "May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be loved everywhere." Their efforts in ministry, community building, fundraising, and education share the love, mercy, and healing power of the Sacred Heart of Jesus with all people. Today, there are more than 1,900 MSCs working in 54 countries..

**Family Day Mass and Picnic for Persons with Disabilities**

Persons with Disabilities, their families and caregivers are invited to the 5th annual Family Day Mass and Picnic, Sunday, August 12th from 2:00 – 5:00 pm at St. Jerome Parish, 229 Collier Ave., Battle Creek. Individuals of all ages and disability types are invited. Gather at 2:00p.m. Mass with Bishop Bradley at 2:30p.m. Food and fellowship follow Mass from 3:30 - 5:00p. Food will be provided free of charge. RSVP requested by August 3rd. For more information or to RSVP contact Lisa Irwin at 269-903-0177 or [lirwin@diokzoo.org](mailto:lirwin@diokzoo.org)