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PASTORAL TEAM:

Rev. Larry Léger, Pastor
 Rev. Damian Young-Sam-You, Associate Pastor
 Robert Suthers, Deacon
 Lydia Rogers, Secretary
 Stephanie Benedetti, Youth Minister
 Catherine Ecker, Catechist
 Aldrin Fernandes, Seminararian

MASS TIMES:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
 Sunday: 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m.
 Monday & Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.
 Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 10:00 a.m.
Thursday Rosary: 2:00 p.m.

RECONCILIATION:

Saturday: 4:15 p.m.

DAY TIME OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
 12:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
 Monday to Thursday: 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
 Saturday: 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
 Sunday: 7:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

BAPTISM:

Please approach one of the parish priests, after Sunday mass only, for a Baptism Preparation Package. An interview with a parish priest is required. Parents of children to be baptized are expected to be members of our Parish Community.

MARRIAGE:

Couples, wishing to be married, must themselves contact the Pastor at least one full year in advance. A Marriage Preparation Course is required.

VISITATION OF THE SICK:

Anyone who cannot attend Mass with us in the Church, because of illness, handicap or age, or anyone who wishes to receive the Sacraments (Confession, Communion, Anointing of the Sick), please call the Parish Office. Please notify us of any hospitalizations so that we may visit.

PARISH SCHOOLS:

Holy Family	Elementary S.	905-857-1300
Pope John Paul II	Elementary S.	905-857-4241
St. John the Baptist	Elementary S.	905-951-8788
St. Nicholas	Elementary S.	905-857-7582
St. Michael	Secondary S.	905-951-8935
RF Hall	Secondary S.	905-584-1670

NEW PARISHIONERS AND REGISTRATION:

If you are new to the Parish, or have not yet completed a Registration Form, do take one from the rack in front of the office window. Completed forms may be handed into the office or put into the collection basket.

WE INVITE YOU TO BECOME INVOLVED IN OUR PARISH MINISTRIES

PARISH MINISTRIES and COMMITTEES

Altar Servers	Deacon Robert Suthers	905-729-3974
Choirs:		
5:00 Saturday Choir	Jolene Sunseri	905-859-2719
10:00 Choir	Angela Hay	905-951-2920
12:00 Choir	Nicholas Cifelli	
Eucharistic Ministers	Denyse Hınca	905-857-2134
Floral & Gardening		
Lectors	Michele Steko	416-587-3665
Pastoral Care Group	Molly Jakeman	905-857-1053
Property Committee	John Florian & Vince Limina	
R.C.I.A.	Catherine Ecker	905-857-1938
Share Life Co-Chairs:	Diana Ciarlandini	905-857-3287
	Frank D'Ettore	905-951-9665

Shepherds' Trust	Mike Stapleton	1-877-875-0771 Ext.652
Stewardship Committee	Lydia Rogers	905-857-1938
Ushers	Gabrielle Suthers	905-729-3974

PRAYER GROUPS

Charismatic Prayer Group	Betty-Anne Folkard	905-951-7273
Rosary Group	Margaret Mazza	905-857-3475

ORGANIZATIONS

Catholic Women's League	Joanne Wildfang	905-951-3868
Knights of Columbus	Josef Schweighofer	905-951-2610



SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

July 21st, 2013

"The just will live in the presence of the Lord."



Parents wishing to baptize their children at Holy Family, are invited to approach either Fr. Larry, Fr. Damian, or Deacon Robert, after any of the Sunday masses to obtain a Baptism Preparation Package

BECOMING A FULL MEMBER OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

If you have never been baptized and find yourself attracted to the Catholic faith, Holy Family Parish extends an invitation to explore the possibility of becoming a member of the Roman Catholic Church. If you have been baptized in another Christian Church, we offer the invitation to join in full communion with the Catholic Church. Or, perhaps you have already been baptized in the Catholic faith, but have never celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist. Your invitation is to complete your sacraments of initiation. Each of these invitations is to a new way of life, a way that draws one closer to God and to His people. For more information on becoming a full member of the Catholic Church, please speak to one of the priests, or contact Catherine Ecker, our parish catechist, at 905-857-1938, or by email: Catherine.ecker@hollyfamilybolton.ca.

PREPARING SCHOOL AGE CHILDREN FOR BAPTISM

Baptism is the first Sacrament of Initiation and it is the sacrament that prepares us to celebrate Confirmation and First Eucharist. If your child is not baptized, or if your child was baptized in another Christian Church (Anglican, Lutheran, etc.) and you would like your child to be a member of the Catholic Church, please call Catherine Ecker in the parish office, 905-857-1938, or by email: catherine.ecker@hollyfamilybolton.ca.

VITAMIN F: CELEBRATING YOUR BAPTISM Re-Discover This Great Gift!

The Church celebrates the sacrament of Baptism with deep joy and anticipation. The sacrament of baptism immerses us into life in Christ and makes us able to join the Body of Christ at the table of the Eucharist. Baptism is our entrance into life in the Eucharistic community.

You are invited to join us on Tuesday, August 6th for an evening of conversation, reflection and celebration as we remember the great gift of Baptism. NO pre-registration is needed – invite a friend to attend with you. We gather for refreshments at 7:15 pm and conclude at 9:00 pm.

WORKING WONDERS



Thank you to everyone who contributed to the 2013 ShareLife Parish Campaign. You are helping ShareLife agencies continue the valuable work they do for the poor and marginalized in our region by giving generously. You have made the path to new opportunities much easier for thousands of the most vulnerable in our communities. For those who wish to make a donation, you are still welcome to do so. You can drop your ShareLife envelopes in the offertory basket until July 31st, 2013, or donate at www.sharelife.org.

PARISH TOTAL TO DATE: \$56,351.96

Please give generously. You can work WONDERS!

LIVING AND CELEBRATING THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

The expression, a wedding lasts a day, a marriage lasts a lifetime, highlights the importance of celebrating and living marriage vows, day after day. Taking time, even five minutes each day, to listen to your spouse, may help you to focus on your relationship. You could both answer the question, "What made you happy, or for what are you grateful today?"

The married couples in our parish are a sign to us of God's faithfulness and through their witness we are strengthened. If you celebrated a wedding anniversary in July, we shall pray with you and share in your joy on Saturday, July 27th at 5:00 pm, or on Sunday, July 28th, at 8:30 am, 10:00 am, or 12:00 pm. Please join us in thanking God for the gift of the married couples in our midst.

VOCATIONS

We are like Martha. There's plenty to be anxious about, but only one thing that is required of us. For five minutes today, be like Mary; rest with Jesus and ask Him what He requires of you. If God is calling you, contact Fr. Hansoo Park, 416-968-0997, or email: vocations@vocations.ca

STEWARDSHIP

Today's readings speak of hospitality. Abraham, who cheerfully did for his guests all that desert hospitality required, was rewarded with his heart's desire – a son. Martha also busied herself with all the details of hospitality, but grudgingly and with complaint. Am I a cheerful, or a grudging giver?

**REPARING TO CELEBRATE
CONFIRMATION AND FIRST COMMUNION
Vital Information for All Families**

The Church takes the preparation for and celebration of the sacraments very seriously because these celebrations are of the utmost importance in the life of the Church and each of its members. Weekly participation in Sunday (Saturday) Mass is a normal expectation for all Catholics.

At the time of baptism, parents declare their intention to assume responsibility as the first teachers of their children in the ways of the faith. The local church (the parish) assists the parents in their vocation and the Catholic schools provide education in a setting where Catholic Christian values are taught and reflected throughout the day.

The immediate preparation for the sacraments takes place at Holy Family Parish. All parents/guardians wishing to prepare their child to celebrate Confirmation or First Communion are asked to attend an important information meeting. Details regarding the registration, dates for the celebration of the sacraments and date of future gatherings will be shared at the meeting. All meetings will be held in the church. To accommodate family schedules, each meeting is offered twice; you are to attend one of the two meetings. If you have a child preparing to celebrate Confirmation and another child ready to celebrate First Communion, you will need to attend two meetings, as the preparation process is different. If your child was not baptized in the Catholic Church and he/she wishes to be confirmed or celebrate First Communion, at your earliest convenience, please contact Catherine Ecker, parish catechist, at 905-857-1938, or by email: Catherine.ecker@holyfamilybolton.ca.

Confirmation

If your child was baptized in the Roman Catholic Church and born in 2000, or earlier, and you wish to prepare your child to celebrate Confirmation, please attend one of the Parent and Candidate Information Meetings on Sunday, September 15th, 2:00 - 3:30pm, **OR**, Thursday September 26th, 7:30 - 9:00 pm. It is very important that you and you son/daughter attend the information meeting.

First Communion

If your child was baptized in the Roman Catholic Church and born in 2006 or earlier, and you wish to prepare your child to celebrate First Communion, please attend one of the Parent Information Meetings on: Thursday, September 12th, 7:30 - 9:00 pm, **OR**, Sunday, September 29th, 2:00 - 3:30 pm. To allow for your full participation, you are encouraged to arrange child care. It is very important that you attend the information meeting.

ROOTED

Holy Family Parish welcomes all parishioners in Grades 3-5 to join our interactive, fun, and faith-based ministry, *ROOTED*. Our next *ROOTED* gathering will be on Saturday August 17th, 10:00 - 11:30 am. More information and a registration form are posted at www.hfym.ca. Please contact Stephanie Benedetti, in the parish office: 905-857-1938.

**PARISH
PICNIC**


Thank you to the Knights of Columbus for a great day and thanks to the many parishioners who attended. See you next year!

Mass Intentions

for the Week

Monday July 22nd

7:00 pm †Luigi Colabrese
Requested by Albert & Josie Guhl

Tuesday, 23rd

10:00 am In Thanksgiving for Antonio Conguisti's Birthday
Requested by Anna Mercurio

Wednesday, July 24th

7:00 pm †Vito Cortese & Mary Cortese
Requested by the Cortese Family
†Mable Poropat
Requested by a Friend
†Vincenzo Monardo
Requested by the Oppedisano Family
†Cecilia Langley
Requested by Brenda Knight
†Mariangela Monardo
Requested by her Friends

Thursday, July 25th

10:00 am †John Rynn
Requested by John & Leonie Avery

Friday, July 26th

10:00 am †Carmen Bracco
Requested by Maria Clarot

Saturday, July 27th

5:00 pm

Sunday, July 28th

8:30 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 noon

SANCTUARY LAMPS

(July 17th - July 23rd)

Engelbert Sr., Frank & Jozefa Markovic

Filipo Mazzulla

Severino DeIuliis

Elio Iafrate

Safe Journey for Steven

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all the heads in the world."**

Edward George Bulwer-Lytton

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