HOLY FAMILY ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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PASTORAL TEAM:

Rev. Larry Léger, Pastor

Rev. David Gikonyo IMC, Associate Pastor

Robert Suthers, Deacon
Lydia Rogers, Secretary
Stephanie Benedetti, Youth Minister
Catherine Ecker, Catechist

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.

PARISH MINISTRIES and COMMITTEES

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.

Mike Stapleton 1-877-875-0771 Ext 652

WE INVITE YOU TO BECOME INVOLVED IN OUR PARISH MINISTRIES

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			Wike Stapleton 1-077-073-0771 Ext.052		
Altar Servers Choirs:	Deacon Robert Suthers	905-729-3974	Stewardship Committee	Lydia Rogers	905-857-1938
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R.C.I.A.	Catherine Ecker	905-857-1938			005 054 7070
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TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

October 19th, 2014

"Give the Lord glory and honour."

Psalter I



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

baptism During the preparation session, we invite the parents to pray using these words: "We praise God for the miracle of life. Each time a child is born into the human family, the face of God is revealed to the world. rejoice with the angels and saints, who sing a song of joy at the upcoming baptism of these children who will become the newest members of God's family. How wonderful that the people of God will be enriched by the addition of these little ones who will grow in God's love and who, one day, will be nourished by the body and blood of Christ."(Prayer Services for Parish *Life*, by Jerry Galipeau, WLP, 2004).

You are invited to remember in prayer the families who are preparing for and celebrating baptism with their young children.

Baptism is the first sacrament the church celebrates and leads to all other sacraments. If your child is 6 years of age or older and not baptized, or was baptized in another Christian Church (Anglican, Lutheran, etc.) and you would like your child to be a member of the Catholic Church, to celebrate Confirmation and receive Holy Communion, call the office and leave a message for Catherine Ecker.

2014-2015 Sunday missals are available in the Parish office.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS 2014 Cast Your Vote!

A municipal election will be held on Monday, October 27th, 2014. All Catholics are strongly encouraged to exercise their democratic right to vote. To help us all get to know the candidates for Catholic School Board trustee, Cardinal Collins has given permission for candidates to distribute literature to parishioners departing mass on weekends from September $27^{th}/28^{th}$ to October $25^{th}/26^{th}$. We hope you'll take the time to get to know those seeking elected office. To ensure your vote for Catholic School Trustee, at the polling booth verify that you are registered as a separate school supporter. If your support status is incorrect, ask for an application to Amend Voters' List. This form may be completed and submitted at the polling station. Thank you for your interest and involvement in this fall's municipal election!

FORMAL REGISTRATION FIRST COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION

Throughout the entire month of October, after all Sunday (Saturday) masses, you may register your child to celebrate Confirmation or Communion. At the information meeting, a package for each child was distributed to each family present. The completed parish registration form, the registration form for the sacrament, a legible photocopy of the baptismal certificate and the envelope with your contribution are to be submitted to one of the team in the parish hall, after the Mass has ended. Please do not put the registration form in an envelope. If you have any questions, you may contact Catherine Ecker, 905-857-1938, or email:

Catherine.ecker@holyfamilybolton.ca.

VOCATIONS

"Give...to God the things that are God's." That includes you! Is God calling you to service as a sister, brother, deacon, or priest? Call 416-968-0997, or email, vocations@vocations.ca.

PARENT MEETINGS: The Vocation of a Parent

All parents who have formally registered their child to celebrate Confirmation or First Communion are to attend **ONE** of the following meetings:

Thursday November 13th, 7:00 pm Sunday November 16th, 2:00 pm Tuesday November 18th, 7:00 pm

This meeting is for parents ONLY. If you have any questions, please contact <u>Catherine.Ecker@holyfamilybolton.ca.</u>, or call the parish office, 905-857-1938.

STEWARDSHIP

The bishops' pastoral letter on stewardship reminds us, "Jesus not only calls people to him, but also forms them and sends them out in his service. Being sent on a mission is a consequence of being a disciple."

Smile!
God loves you!!

CELEBRATING THE LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH CHILDREN

In the Directory for Masses with children, there is an allowance given for us to gather sometimes, with children to celebrate the Liturgy of the Word including a homiletic reflection. Adult members of our parish lead the Liturgy with the children.

We shall celebrate the Liturgy of the Word with children between the ages of four and eight on October 25th at the 5:00pm Mass and on October 26th at the 10:00 am and 12:00 noon Mass. If you have any questions, please speak with Catherine Ecker, parish catechist, 905-857-1938, or by email at: Catherine.ecker@holyfamilybolton.ca.

CELEBRATING THE GIFT OF MARRIAGE

We know that the wedding day for a couple is filled with joy, anticipation and hope. The sacrament of marriage begins on the wedding day and then for the rest of their lives the couple learn how to live the sacrament. The married couples in our parish are a sign to us of God's faithfulness and through their witness we are strengthened. If you have celebrated a wedding anniversary in October, we shall pray with you and share in your joy on Saturday October 25th at 5:00 pm, or on Sunday October 26th at 8:30, am, 10:00 am, or 12:00 noon. Please join us in thanking God for the gift of the married couples in our midst.

CELEBRATION WITH SAINT NICK

Volunteers Needed!

If you would like to become part of the St. Nicholas Committee and assist with planning Holy Family Parish's first "Celebration with Saint Nick" event, please join us on Wednesday October 22nd at 7:30 pm, following mass. If you are unable to attend, but want to help out, please call the parish office, leaving your name and email address. Thank you!

"May Christ's truth, which the Holy Spirit teaches us and gives us, always and totally affect our daily life."

Pope Francis

GIVING TREE VOLUNTEERS



It may seem too early to be thinking about Christmas, but it's never too early to think about giving. We need volunteers

to help with OUR ANNUAL GIVING TREE in support of Caledon Community Services. If you are available to help in any way, please call Charlene Saccon, 647-827-0292, or email; sury-saccon@hotmail.com.

SPIRITUAL GROWTH IN THE SECOND HALF OF LIFE PART TWO

Friday October 17th, 24th, 31st and November 5th, 10:45 am - 12:15 pm

This is a four part program of faith development for men and women in the pre-retirement and retirement years.

The topics to be covered will be:

- Spiritual strengths and inner resources
- Reaching out
- The challenge of forgiveness
- Gratitude and celebration.

Participation in Part One is not necessary for attendance in Part Two. The program will be facilitated by Sister Mary Rose Marrin, CSJ, who has worked with adults in the second half of life in a variety of different settings. Registration is appreciated, but walkins are welcome. To register, please call the parish office, 905-857-1938.

COME AND SEE WEEKEND October 31st - November 2nd St. Augustine's Seminary

This will be an opportunity for young men, 18 years and older, to spend a weekend with time for prayer, reflection and information on the process of becoming one of Christ's disciples through the Catholic priesthood. For further information, please call the vocations office, 416-968-0997.

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Saturdays 5:00pm Mass

Life Teen is open to all high school students.



Monday, October 20th 7:00 pm †Ed Hinca

Requested by Margaret Mazza

Tuesday, October 21st

10:00am In thanksgiving to St. Jude Anna Mercurio

Wednesday October 22nd

7:00pm †Emilia Altobello

Requested by Mary Falcone †Andy Anderson Requested by Teresa Anderson

†Lino Cracco

Requested by Ralph & Lani

Thurday, October 23rd 10:00am †Ed Hinca

Requested by a friend

Friday, October 24th

10:00am †Paul Olejniczak

Requested by Anne Olejniczak

Saturday, October 25th

5:00pm

Sunday, October 26th

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

SANCTUARY LAMPS

(October 15th – October 21st) Engelbert Sr., Frank & Jozefa Markovic Shirley Wakeman Letitia Grant

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