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Holy Family Parish

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FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT **DECEMBER 20, 2020**

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Liturgical Roles Dec 26 & 27	5:15 pm	9:30 am	11:00 am
Readers:	Grace Eves	Marie Sardinha	Maria Victoria
Eucharistic Ministers:	Dan McParland	David Ibbott	Tito Santos
Musicians:	Elisabeth Santos	Tom Ward	Elisabeth Santos
Ushers:	Nicole Chenier-Hogan	Jack Berry	Donna Addison
	Kaz Gora	Jeannette Berry	Magdalene Mloszewska
	Chris Hogan	Jennifer Girard	Evodius Rutta
	Debbie Lee	Marlene, Mary Teresa &	Lidia Santos
		Adam Joslin	
		Ann Omordia	
		Jane Tyers	
Cleaners:	Nicole Chenier-Hogan	Elijah Bisung	Magdalene Mloszewska
	Donna Johnson	Tom & Trish Black	Jeanette Robson
	Lisa Paszkowski	Jennifer Girard	Evodius Rutta
	Chris Hogan	Marlene, Mary Teresa &	Lidia Santos
		Adam Joslin	Sabine Thungu
		Ann Omordia	

Christmas flowers in memory of our dear ones were gratefully received. Please see a list of remembrances on the bulletin boards and accompanying this bulletin.

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL: Please remember in your prayers the following: Dale Ezard, Doreen Saunders, David Joseph Tessier, Steve Black, Deacon John Ezard, Bernadette Murphy, Maureen Sherboneau, Tony DeSousa, Pauline Winn, Freda Coyle, Pat Delli Pizzi, Bernadine Myers, Richard Martin, Tom Fukes, Veronica Fukes, Bill Sedore, Jerry Kusters, Dennis Gergeley, Kevin Lance, Barbara Hubley, Janet Carey, Ida Murray, Bill Greznig & Brian Bush.



2020 Dec 6: Regular parish receipts \$3,645 plus \$45 for Priests' Retirement Fund and \$350 for people in need

2019 Dec 8: Regular parish receipts \$6,048 including \$2,306 from the Holly Jolly Christmas Craft and Bake Sale

Registration for Christmas Masses & New Year's Day Mass

The 5:15 pm Christmas Eve mass is full. We are still accepting reservations for the 8:00 pm mass on Christmas Eve and the 10:00 am on Christmas Day. Please call or email the parish office, giving your name and phone number, the number of people in your family attending, and the Mass you wish to attend. There will be one mass for New Year's on Friday, January 1st at 10:00 am

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Guidelines regarding Christmas Masses

The following guidelines were among those received from Archbishop Mulhall in late November:

- The Christmas season has 12 days. It may be prudent for some parishioners and visitors to attend a public Mass sometime other than the first day of Christmas.
- The obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and holy days, such as Christmas and New Years, continues to be suspended. Anyone who is not well or uncomfortable attending a public Mass should stay at home and view the live-streamed Mass.

<u>Donations</u> If you are unable to attend Mass but wish to make donations to Holy Family, you may do so by mailing a cheque to Holy Family Parish, 130 Wiley Street, Kingston, ON K7K 5B5, by dropping donations through the mail slot in the parish office door (please don't use the mailbox), by signing up for Automatic Debit by calling the office to request a form, or if you wish to send an e-transfer, please use the email address holyfamily1payments@cogeco.ca.

Thank you for your continued support during these difficult times.

<u>We Still Have Christmas</u> Tom Ward has written and recorded a Christmas song, his first one, inspired by the Covid pandemic and its impacts on Christmas celebrations, and pointing to the true meaning of Christmas. For your listening pleasure.

https://tomward2.bandcamp.com/track/we-still-have-christmas

<u>Holy Innocents Mass</u> at **7:00 pm on Monday Dec. 28, 2020** at St. Mary's Cathedral. Plan to attend with family and friends to pray for our innocent victims of abortion who have died at Kingston General Hospital, their parents, doctors and staff and for an end to the sin of abortion. May God Bless you. Campaign Life Coalition 613-389-4472.

Rise Up – Virtual Conference

Catholic Christian Outreach is moving their annual young adult Rise Up conference online this year. Excellent workshop presenters and keynotes, music and more! December 28 & 29, 2020 For more information visit www.cco.ca/rise-up/



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