

# Holy Family Catholic Church



**Holy Family Church & St. Joseph Catholic Mission**  
**CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF VICTORIA IN TEXAS**  
**2011 Briar Lane Wharton, Texas 77488**  
**Phone: 979-532-3593**

#### **Reconciliation:**

**Holy Family**—Saturday---3:30 p.m. to 4:20 p.m.  
15 minutes before weekday Masses

**St. Joseph**---Sunday—7:30 a.m. to 7:50 a.m.

**Baptism:** Call parish office to schedule.

**Marriage:** Contact the pastor at least 6 months prior to desired date

**Family Life Center Rental:** Anton Peter 979-533-9509

**Pope** His Holiness Pope Francis  
**Bishop** The Most Rev. Brendan J. Cahill, S.T.D.  
**Pastor** Rev. Robert Knippenberg  
**Permanent Deacon** Mr. Alvin A. Matthys  
**Permanent Deacon** Mr. David Valdez

**Holy Family's PCL:** Vicki Simper 979-453-1331  
**St. Joseph's PCL:** Dawn Villasana 979-943-6784  
**Youth Minister:** Deborah Alexander 979-533-3413

**Bulletin Deadline:** Wednesday -12 noon  
**Website address:** [www.hfwharton.org](http://www.hfwharton.org)  
[www.facebook.com/HolyFamilyWharton](https://www.facebook.com/HolyFamilyWharton)

**Sunday, July 12, 2015**  
**The Fifteenth Sunday**  
**In Ordinary Time**

#### **"Our Commission"**

Holy Family Church and St. Joseph Mission are communities of believers called to worship God and celebrate the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist.

We provide spiritual growth to all and service to the parish and community through evangelization, education and stewardship.

We journey together in faith and love for one another to live out the call of Jesus Christ.

#### **New Parishioners**

A special welcome to our new parishioners! Please complete the New Parishioner Registration Form in the "Documents" section on the parish website home page. Then mail to the Parish Office or put it in the collection basket.

#### **On-Line Giving**

Interested in on-line giving? Click on the Online Giving logo on the parish website home page.

#### **Adoration**

Holy Family has Adoration on Thursdays from 8:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. Please enter and exit in 'reverence and silence'. Stop in if only for a few minutes to say a prayer and/or stay as long as you like.

#### **Holy Family Purgatorial Society**

Please contact the Parish Office or visit the parish website for more information about the Holy Family Purgatorial Society or to enroll a deceased loved one.

## MASS INTENTION

<b>Monday, July 13</b>	7:30AM (H.F.)
†Pyka & Orsak Families-living & deceased	
<b>Tuesday, July 14</b>	5:30PM (H.F.)
†Lena Qunitannilla	
<b>Wednesday, July 15</b>	7:30AM (H.F.)
†Calvin Hohensee	
<b>Thursday, July 16</b>	7:30AM (H.F.)
†Stazie Horelica	
<b>Thursday, July 16</b>	10:00AM (WNR)
†Julia Krenek	
<b>Friday, July 17</b>	6:30AM (H.F.)
†Dalton Tobola	
<b>Friday, July 17</b>	9:00AM (EC)
†Adeline Macek	
<b>Saturday, July 18</b>	4:30PM (H.F.)
†People & Benefactors of Holy Family & St. Joseph	
<b>Sunday, July 19</b>	8:00AM (ST.J.)
†Marsden John 'Pic' Dupuy	
<b>Sunday, July 19</b>	10:00AM (H.F.)
†Daniel Janik Sr. & Daniel Janik Jr.	
<b>Sunday, July 19</b>	12:00PM (H.F.)
Paul Leininger Jr. & Family	
<b>Sunday, July 19</b>	4:30PM (H.F.)
†Patsy Kulak	

### Our Gifts to God 6/28/15

Holy Family	\$ 4561.75	St. Joseph	\$1489.00
Reg. Coll.	\$ 3595.75	Reg. Coll.	\$1169.00
Peter's Pence	\$ 946.00	Peter's Pence	\$ 320.00
StVdP	\$ 20.00		

**Prayer Request:** Viola Anders, Stephen Alexander, Bentley Bacak, Hannah Beck, Bennie Brod, Alma Buenger, Roy Buenger, Tom & Jackie Carlson, Diana Clayton, Ella Engbrock, Charles Erdelt, Cindy Muniza Fisher, Bernice Farris, Gunter Ferm, Patricia Gavranovic, Martha Gajewsky, Laura Gwosdz, Bessie Hlavinka, Mary Hohensee, Noah Hollingsworth, Scottie House, Frank & Helen Janik, George Janik, Tommy Jansky, Evelyn Jetelina, Clay Joines, Betty Jo Kahanak, David Konvicka, John Korenek, Clara Kostka, Glen Kulak, David Lopries, Junior Luera, Douglas Mach, Anna Mae Mahalitic, Joe Masek, Deacon Alvin Mathtys, Caroline Mathtys, Genevieve Maerz, Jerri McWilliams, Wanda Martin, Tommy Merchura, Josie Mican, Leona Miller, Betty Miori, Janie Munoz, Carol Nowak, Katie Ondiras, Mackie Pavlu, Shirley Pyka, Bobby & Zada Pyssen, Todd Roschetzky, Carrie Mechura Sebesta, Martha Schulz, Laurine Schwertner, Mattie Sciba, Dolores Sliva, Leona Shimek, Donnie Smith, Franklin Sommer, Chase Springer, Linda Sopchak, Nelga Stavena, Alvin Stavinoha, Evelyn Stavinoha, Birdie Stolle, Dolores Svatek, Jody Svatek, Laddie Svatek, Jace Tobin (2yrs. Old), Dalton Tobola (infant), Leona Tydlacka., Dr. Raymond Torp, Cynthia Whitaker, Anthony Yamada, Summer Zarate, the homebound and those in nursing homes and the elderly Religious.

**Pray for those in the Military:** O.J. Esquivel; Keith Wayne Svatek, Matthew Mata, Jesse Orea, Luis Roldan, Jr., Gabriel Torres, Joe Ray Esparza, Brian Heimann, August Joel Koch.

### Pray for the Seminarians of the Diocese of Victoria:

Peter Oscar Kofi -Amo, Chase Goodman, James Dvorak, Ryan Kapavik, Max Landman, Adam Shimek, Stephen Vacek, Jacob Mendoza, Blayne Jemelka, Dalton Ervin, Nick Aparicio

If a parishioner would like to receive *The Catholic Lighthouse*, call (361) 573-0828, e-mail [lighthouse@victoriadiocese.org](mailto:lighthouse@victoriadiocese.org), or visit [www.victoriadiocese.org](http://www.victoriadiocese.org). Click on Subscription under TCL tab to submit an online form.

**To Love As God** Loves Marriage Preparation Program dates: September 27, 2015. Updated information, and the brochure with registration form, can be downloaded from the diocesan website under the Marriage tab. Visit [www.victoriadiocese.org](http://www.victoriadiocese.org).

## Announcements

July & August Liturgy Schedules are available on the Liturgy Table in back of the church.

**Holy Family is in need of a chairperson or chairpersons for the 2016 Gala. If interested contact Father Bob.**

**David Konvicka**, son of Stanley & Bessie Konvicka is in need of a kidney. Candidates for the donation should be between 25-60 years of age, living a reasonably good and healthy life-style and have blood type "O". All medical care is free of charge to the donor. If interested contact Fr. Bob at 979-532-3593 or [pastor@hfwharton.org](mailto:pastor@hfwharton.org). *There is no greater love than this: To lay down one's life for one's friend.*

### Holy Family Youth Ministry Summer Event FUND

Available to any Junior High or High School teen who will be attending a Catholic Summer Camp or Retreat such as, but not limited to Quo Vadis, Camp David, Rocky Mountain High, or Teen ACTS. Please contact Deborah Alexander for information at 979-533-3413 or [HFLTholynights@yahoo.com](mailto:HFLTholynights@yahoo.com)

**R.C.I.A.:** Are you interested in learning more about your Catholic Faith? Do you know someone who is interested in becoming Catholic? Do you know a baptized Catholic who needs to complete his/hers sacraments? Holy Family's 2015—2016 RCIA program begins in September. Please contact Georgia Kincer at 979-532-3519 or the church office at 979-532-3593.

**Parishioners:** please use your contribution envelopes the parish is billed for the envelopes so let's not waste parish funds. The money counters informed the office that the amount of loose checks has increased. If you have not been receiving your envelopes please contact the parish office by phone or online: [dkocian@hfwharton.org](mailto:dkocian@hfwharton.org)

**Fr. Bob Knippenberg**, Pastor of Holy Family Catholic Church and Journey's Faith with CeCi—invites you to join them on a Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Guadalupe & Shrines in Mexico **December 10-16, 2015**. \$1595.00 per person from Houston, Texas air, land and airport taxes of \$125.00 (subject to change)  
**For more info: contact [www.selectinternationaltours.com](http://www.selectinternationaltours.com)**

### Holy Family 2015 DSA:

As of May 11, 2015  
Pledge Goal: \$47,388.00  
#of Pledges: 88  
Amount Pledged: \$19,521.00  
Amount Received: \$14,076.00

### Saint Joseph 2015 DSA:

As of May 11, 2015  
# of Pledges: 13  
Pledge Amount: \$11,406.00  
Amount Pledged: \$2,850.00  
Amount Received: \$1935.00

Holy Family has ADORATION on Thursdays from 8:00am to 9:00pm. **Please enter and exit in "Reverence and Silence".** Stop in if only for a few minutes or to say a prayer and/or stay as long as you like.

**Special Collections::**  
July 12—SHARE  
July 26—St. Vincent de Paul

**+++ Holy Family +++**

**Floral Donation** at the main altar for July 11 & 12 are given by: Ruby Nuspliger in memory of Charles Nuspliger Sr., Jeremy Nuspliger, and Joan Nuspliger Miller.

Blessed Virgin Mary Vigil Light Intentions  
**For the week of July 10 to July 16 are:**  
*In memory of Joe & Evelyn Janik  
And in Thanksgiving for Family Blessings  
by Robert & Pat Abbott*

**Parishioners** are invited to have one or two of the Blessed Virgin Mary vigil candles burn in memory or in honor of their loved ones/event. The suggested donation is \$10 per candle and you may reserve 1 or 2 candles for the week.

Candles will burn continuously for 7 days and your intention will be published in the weekly church bulletin. This is a very special and unique way to remember events and people in your life. The Intention form is located on the parish website or you may contact Kay Kunkel at 532-0780 or rubykunkel@yahoo.com.

**Forms are available on the tables in back of the church.**

**Please Note:** The small red votive candles located next to the Blessed Mother statue may still be lighted at anytime for personal intentions, with a suggested donation of \$1.00

**Holy Family Altar Society July 2015  
Cleaning Crew: Kay Kunkel,  
Eleonor Schunka, Barbara Cunningham**

WITH PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING TO ALMIGHTY GOD,  
THE DIOCESE OF VICTORIA IN TEXAS  
JOYFULLY ANNOUNCES THE  
EPISCOPAL ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF  
**His Excellency**

**The Most Rev. Brendan J. Cahill, S.T.D.**  
AS THE THIRD BISHOP OF VICTORIA

For more information, visit [www.ewtn.com](http://www.ewtn.com) and  
[www.victoriadiocese.org](http://www.victoriadiocese.org).

THE DIOCESE OF VICTORIA IS PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE  
THAT ALL WILL BE ABLE TO PRAY AND PARTICIPATE  
THROUGH EWTN'S WEBSITE AND

AT THE DIOCESAN RECEPTIONS TO BE HELD:

July 13 \* VICTORIA \* 7:00 P.M. \* HOLY FAMILY

JULY 15 \* HALLETTSVILLE \* 7:00 P.M. KC HALL

July 20 \* PALACIOS \* 5:30PM

MASS/RECEPTION AT THE VIETNAMESE APOSTOLATE

**Engaged Encounter dates:** August 28-30 &  
October 16 -18. Brochures and online registration  
forms may be found on the website under the  
Marriage Tab For more information, call 361-0828  
or visit [www.victoriadiocese.org](http://www.victoriadiocese.org)

**Holy Family CCD** registration for students entering  
Grades 1-12 has begun. Contact Vicki Simper for more  
information or to volunteer to help with this program:  
979-453-1331 or [vsimper@hfwharton.org](mailto:vsimper@hfwharton.org).

**Retrouvaille Marriage Help**

**Retrouvaille has helped tens of thousands of couples at all stages of disillusionment or misery in their marriage. For confidential information about or to register for the August program beginning with a weekend on Aug. 14-16, contact John or Jennifer Vincent at 361-580,jbvjov@sbcglobal.net, or [www.retrouvaille.org](http://www.retrouvaille.org)**

**+++ St. Joseph Mission +++**

**Floral Offering for Sunday, July 12 at the Main Altar:**

Is donated by Gary & Elizabeth Mach in memory of Mildred Mach.

**Start Thinking RAFFLE:** FOR ST. JOE'S Fall Fund-Raiser

**YOUTH MINISTRY**

**Youth Ministry's Summer Trip**

**Saturday, August 8, to Fiesta Texas in San Antonio.**

**For Life Teen's "Inspiration".**

**It is to be a fun filled day with rides, talks,  
music and Adoration.**

**All teens, boy and girls, grades 7th-12th are invited!**

We will be leaving from Holy Family early that morning and coming in late that night. The more to sign up the bigger the rental, so invite a friend. Tickets for Holy Family and St. Joe's teens will be paid for, all other get a free ride and pay \$45 for the ticket. Contact Deborah Alexander to get registered with our group, 979-533-3413.

**TEEN A.C.T.S. RETREAT — July 16-19**

This weekend retreat is designed to give teens an opportunity to enter into a deeper relationship with our Lord. Teens now is the time to sign up! Space is limited and you don't want to miss out!

Application forms can be found at the back of the church.

Registration is from June 8th-June 29th.

For more information, feel free to contact

Gloria Vela, at (979) 533-2895.

**Blood**

**Drive**

**Free T-Shirts!  
Free Hot Dogs!**

St. Joseph Mission  
106 Lalla Rookh  
BOLING, TX  
**BLOOD DRIVE!**  
Sunday, July 12, 2015  
7:30am-1:30pm

Knights of Columbus 3262, Wharton

Invites family and friends to the

**2015 Installation of Officers**

Tuesday, July 14, 2015 @ 7:00pm

Installation/Dinner to follow

Knights of Columbus Hall 2820 N. Fulton Street

All ARE INVITED —to hear Shibly Kando of Bethlehem talk about the Dead Sea Scrolls, the Holy Land and raising Awareness of the Christians who live there on Wednesday, July 8, 2015 at 7:00pm in the Mikeska Fellowship Hall at St. Philip Church in El Campo.

All are welcome! For more information call CeCi Triska  
#979-543-8575.

**In Case of Suspected Abuse—**

If a person is in immediate danger, call 911 or call the Department of Family & Protective Services at 1-800-252-5400 or report the abuse online.

Written allegations (marked "Personal & Confidential") may be sent to: Office of the Bishop, Diocese of Victoria in Texas, P. O. BOX 4070 Victoria, Texas 77903-4070. To report suspected or known abuse by church personnel, please contact the diocesan Coordinators of Pastoral Care and Outreach:

Fr. Gary Janak, Chancellor (361) 575-4741 or 361-573-0828, or Sr. Emilie Eilers, IWBS (361)-575-7111.

Holy Family's Safe Environment Coordinator is Clarice Kutach. St. Joseph's Safe Environment Coordinator is Delores Kocian.

Both may be contacted at 979-532-3593.