HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH

Hilton Head Island, SC 29928



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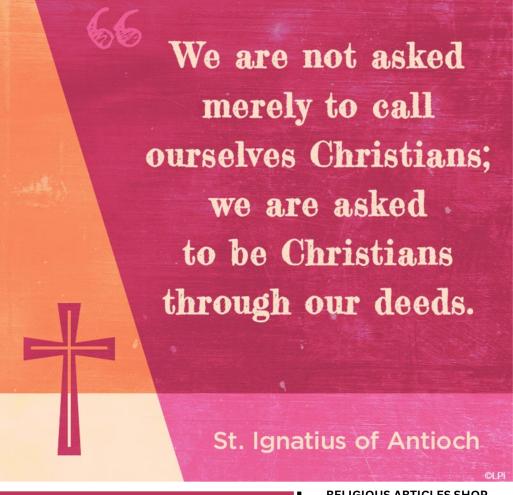
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PARISH INFORMATION

OFFICE HOURS Monday - Thursday

8:30 am - 4:00 pm

Friday

8:30 am - Noon

Closed on federal holidays and holy days of obligation

MASS SCHEDULE Monday - Saturday

8:00 am

Wednesday

7:00 pm en espanol

Saturday Vigil

5:00 pm

Sunday*

8:00 am & 11:15 am

1:00 pm en espanol

* Memorial Day - Labor Day an additional Sunday Mass

is celebrated at 9:30 am

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Every first Saturday at the 8:00 am Mass

Close to Death **Emergencies**

843-785-2895, ext. 225 to reach the on-call priest

CONFESSION Monday - Friday

after the 8:00 am

Daily Mass

Saturday

3:30 - 4:30 pm

FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTION

After the 8:00 am Mass

FIRST SATURDAY **DEVOTION**

7:30 am Rosary

ADORATION CHAPEL HOURS

Monday - Friday

7:00 am - 6:00 pm

Saturday

7:00 am - 4:00 pm Sunday

2:00 pm - 6:00 pm

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET & BENEDICTION Wednesday

3:00 pm

SACRAMENT INQUIRIES **Baptism**, First Communion & Confirmation

education@holyfamilyhhi.org

Marriage

If you are seeking to be married at Holy Family, please contact Deacon Bill at deacon@holyfamilyhhi.org

RELIGIOUS ARTICLES SHOP Monday - Thursday

8:30 am - 4:00 pm

Friday

8:30 am - Noon

Saturday

4:30 pm - 5:15 pm

Sunday

Open after Mass

RECURRING MINISTRY MEETINGS Ladies Guild

10:00 am | Parish Hall 3rd Wednesday of the month (September - April)

Knights of Columbus

7:30 pm | Parish Hall 3rd Wednesday of the month

Prayer Shawl Ministry

10:30 am

3rd Thursday of the month (September - May)

Rosary Making

Friday, October 3rd after 8:00 am Mass

October 12, 2025

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS & READINGS

Saturday, 10/11: St. John XXIII, Pope

Joel 4:12-21 | Luke 11:27-28 8:00 am: Pastor's Intentions

5:00 pm: Intentions of Anne Nykiel Mary Ann Pogoda

Sunday, 10/12: 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

2 Kings 5:14-17 | 2 Timothy 2:8-13 | Luke 17:11-19

8:00 am: Arthur Arsenault + Arsenault Family

11:15 am: Pro Populo

1:00 pm en espanol: Pro Populo

Monday, 10/13: Indigenous Peoples' Day

Romans 1:1-7 | Luke 11:29-32 8:00 am: Mollie Helm +

Her Parents

Tuesday, 10/14: St. Callistus I, Pope & Martyr

Romans 1:16-25 | Luke 11:37-41

8:00 am: Justin J. Karl + The Karl Family

Romans 2:1-11 | Luke 11:42-46

8:00 am: Larry Heichel + Trish Heichel

Thursday, 10/16: St. Hedwig; St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin

Romans 3:21-30 | Luke 11:47-54

8:00 am: Roberta Manzie + Gemma Koch Family

Friday, 10/17: St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop & Martyr

Romans 4:1-8 | Luke 12:1-7

8:00 am: Al Alvaro + Gemma Koch Family

Saturday, 10/18: St. Luke, Evangelist

2 Timothy 4:10-17b | Luke 10:1-9

8:00 am: Ron Reinhardt + Frank Freitag 5:00 pm: Intentions of Mary Ann Pogoda

Jan & Darren Pogoda

Sunday, 10/19: 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Exodus 17:8-13 | 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2 | Luke 18:1-8

8:00 am: Tim Jones + Roy & Tish Jones

11:15 am: Pro Populo

1:00 pm en espanol: Pro Populo

YEAR OF EVANGELIZATION

MONTHLY ACTIVITY - October | Pray

Pray the rosary! Ask for Mary's intercession for our families and diocese, to share her Son in the same way she shared Him with us. Use the rosary mysteries as a starting point for a conversation about Jesus.

VIA FIDELIS:

PROCLAIM THE FAITH

THIS WEEK'S GOSPEL FOCUS

October 12, 2025 Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time Luke 17:11-19



Dorothy Day, the great Catholic activist, doubted God's existence. At least in her early adult years. But something changed when after giving birth to her daughter, she experienced an overwhelming gratitude. She later described how, as she held her daughter, the only appropriate response was a kind of unlimited gratitude. She had done nothing to deserve such a gift — this tiny, miraculous life — but there she was, flooded with gratitude, completely undone by the love of such a Giver. Something similar occurs in Luke 17:19 when Jesus tells a healed leper, "Stand up and go; your faith has saved you." This man had already received physical healing through his faith. But the moment of an even deeper transformation came when he turned back, fell at Jesus' feet, Wednesday, 10/15: St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin & Doctor of the Church and gave thanks. Like Dorothy, this man's gratitude led him to encounter the Giver. Isn't that what we want, too? Gratitude to God has the power to break our chains of sadness, bitterness, and disenchantment. It empowers us to step out of the prison of self-pity and into the reality of God's abundant love. It shifts our focus from what we lack to what we have received, from what wounds us to what heals us. Where do we learn this? The Mass. The priest prays: "It is truly right and just, our duty and our salvation, always and everywhere to give you thanks." Always. Everywhere. Not just when life is easy. Not just when prayers are answered as we expect. Gratitude is not a passive feeling; it is an act of faith. In the eucharist, we remember that Christ himself has given everything for us. And in this act of gratitude, we are healed. - Father John Muir ©LPi

STEWARDSHIP

Your financial support funds all ministries and daily operations at Holy Family. Your contributions enable us to maintain a safe, spiritual, and inspiring environment. If you wish, you may register for online giving by scanning the QR code with your smartphone's camera, or you may place your gift in the offering basket each week. If you have any questions, please contact the Parish Office. Thank you for your generosity!



WEEKLY NEED: \$19,821.11

Basket Online TOTAL **DIFFERENCE** 9/28/2025 \$32,202.00 \$6,277.95 \$38,479.95 \$18,658.84

SECOND COLLECTION

Reserve Fund St. Vincent de Paul Society \$1,591.00 \$7,532.00



Daily Rosary Monday - Saturday 7:30 am | Church

Ladies Guild Rosary Monday 10:00 am | Church

Pro-Life Rosary

Wednesday

4:45 pm | Adoration Chapel

Patriotic Rosary Wednesday 3:30 pm | Adoration Chapel

Our Lady of Sorrows Rosary Saturday 8:30 am | Adoration Chapel

Online

Monday - Friday Join Rick Kane on YouTube as he prays the daily Rosary along with original scripture-based reflections on each mystery



smartphone's



Where:

memory

Presents

MY AGING BRAIN:

"IS THIS NORMAL?"

TUESDAY, **OCTOBER 28TH AT 10:00 AM AT HOLY FAMILY**

Who Should Attend?

✓ Anyone wanting to learn more about their health and well-being



For more information

www.holyfamilyhhi.org

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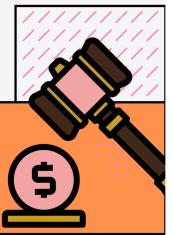


Join us in the Parish Hall for coffee,

Debbie Anderson, from Memory Matters, all about brain health. Debbie will be available for questions following the presentation.

refreshments, and a presentation by





SILENT AUCTION OUR GOLF SILENT AUCTION IS NOW OPEN!



TEE IT UP FOR LIFE

USE THE QR CODE BELOW TO BID!



THE PREGNANCY CENTER & CLINIC OF THE LOW COUNTRY IS A 501(C)3 NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION PROVIDING FREE PRENATAL MEDICAL CARE FOR WOMEN AND BABIES IN HHI & BLUFFTON.



LOURDES PILGRIMAGE

Do you have a chronic and/or terminal medical or mental health condition? Are you being called by Mary to be healed, be it physically, emotionally or spiritually? Would you and a

companion consider joining with others from around the world for an all-expenses paid pilgrimage to Lourdes, France from April 29 - May 6, 2026.

The Order of Malta is now accepting applications until Friday, December 1, 2025. If interested, please leave your contact information at the Parish Office, 843-785-2895, and someone from the Order of Malta will notify you to provide further details about the 2026 pilgrimage.

LETTER OF GOOD STANDING REQUESTS

If you have been asked to be a sponsor for baptism or confirmation, please visit our website and select the "Sacraments" tab, or scan the QR code with your smartphone's camera. Requests will be mailed to the church where the sacrament will be celebrated within 3 business days. Many parishes, including Holy Family, require letters of good standing weeks before the baptism/confirmation, so please plan ahead with your family/friend who you will be sponsoring.

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

Thank you to Father Christopher and our Altar Servers for a lovely Blessing of the Pets on Saturday, October 4th in celebration of the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi! It was a beautiful morning at Holy Family, and also a great day for the pets at the Hilton Head Humane who benefitted from the generous donations of our parishioners!

To view more photos from Saturday, please visit our website or scan the QR code with your smartphone's camera.



NOTRE DAME CLUB 26TH ANNUAL GOLF OUTING SUPPORTING CATHOLIC EDUCATION

WHEN: MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2025 WHERE: COUNTRY CLUB OF HILTON HEAD

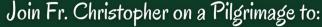
All friends of Notre Dame are invited. The format is a best ball scramble with a shotgun start at 12:00 PM. Men and women of all skill levels will enjoy this format, and the sumptuous buffet dinner following golf. Many golf and door prizes will be awarded plus our great auction and raffle for high-value items is featured.

Non-golfers are invited to join in the camaraderie and dinner that follows golf.

Fees: \$200 per person for golf and dinner (\$175 per person for couples), \$70 for dinner only.

The event benefits the Club's Scholarship Fund, which provides tuition support to local University students and St. Francis, St. Gregory, St. Peters & John Paul II students.

To register, or for more information, go online to: https://hiltonhead.undclub.org/events/139847 or contact Carol Froman at 804-310-4410





Prepare for a trip of a lifetime!

September 8-18, 2026

Fr. Christopher and Holy Family Parish invite you on a pilgrimage to Ireland, where our Catholic faith is woven into the fabric of Irish history, culture, and the stunning landscapes. This journey is designed for pilgrims seeking a meaningful connection with their faith in a land steeped in religious tradition.

Double Occupancy: \$5,950

Single Occupancy: + \$1,375

payment discounts available

For a detailed itinerary and to register, please visit: www.holyfamilyhhi.org



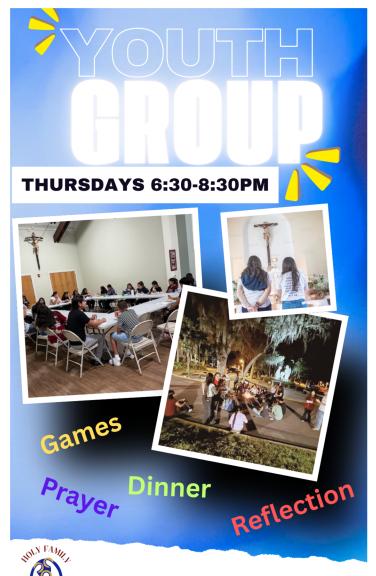


As a reminder, in the event of severe weather ALL updates regarding the parish schedule will be communicated via Flocknote emails to your inbox and shared on our website: www.holyfamilyhhi.org

TOWN OF HILTON HEAD EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS GUIDE

Visit www.hiltonheadislandsc.gov to learn how you can prepare in the event of an emergency on Hilton Head Island.





HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH AGES 13-18



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Forming Catholics for Life.

St. Teresa of Avila - Episode 1 (subtitled)

A powerful epic mini-series shot on location in Spain that tells the story of one of the most amazing women in history, St. Teresa of Avila. With meticulous attention to detail and historical accuracy, this acclaimed major

Our parish has a free Formed subscription for you! Simply scan the QR code or visit formed org/signup to create your account and select our parish











TO OUR NEWLY REGISTERED FAMILIES TO HOLY FAMILY!



JOIN OUR PARISH!

Are you new to the area? Visit our website or scan the QR code with your smartphone's camera to register!



CONNECT WITH US!

















-SACRAMENTS-



MANY BLESSINGS TO THOSE THAT RECENTLY CELEBRATED SACRAMENTS AT HOLY FAMILY:

MARRIAGE

Mr. & Mrs. Samuel & Rose (Naylor) Martin September 26, 2025

Mr. & Mrs. Nicholas & Rachel (Rosenthal) Broerman October 10, 2025

Mr. & Mrs. Joseph & Madison (Dengler) Coogan October 11, 2025



Rosary Makers

The next meeting will take place in the Parish Hall on Friday, October 17th following 8:30 am Mass. Please join this great group, as they are in need of more volunteers! Supplies are provided!



Men's Sunday Scripture Bible Study

Meet with other men to delve into the scriptures for the upcoming Sunday readings.

When:Thursdays after 8:00 am Mass **Where:** Parish Hall

Interested Please contact Rick Kane at rtkane563@gmail.com to register and receive the weekly notes

THE CHOSEN SEASON 4

Come and see what the disciples of Jesus discovered. All are welcome to check out The Chosen in the Parish Hall on Wednesdays after the 8:00 am Mass.

Wednesdays: 10/22; 10/29; 11/5; 11/19



Please bring your donations to the baskets in the church narthex, or to the SVDP office Monday-Friday, before noon.

We appreciate your generosity!

Questions? Please call the SDVP office at 843-785-2895, ext. 222



PrayerREQUESTS

The Prayer Chain Ministry is an email group that prays for the intentions of Holy Family parishioners. Submit a prayer request by emailing info@holyfamilyhhi.org or by calling the Parish Office.

Listing will remain in the bulletin for 1 month.



PRAYER INTENTIONS

For those that have recently died, especially:

Kristine De Rubertis William Fitzpatrick Joanne Knauss

For the sick in our community, especially:

Margaret Donnelly
John Fitzpatrick
Angel Gerena
Ed Gruchacz
Michael Luchino
Nancy Mahoney
Mary Mendoni
Fr. Ronald Farrell
Brendan Reilley



ALTAR FLOWERS

Fresh altar flower arrangements may be donated:

- to honor a friend or family member
- to remember a loved one
- to celebrate an anniversary or for any reason you wish.

To donate and dedicate altar flowers, please contact info@holyfamilyhhi.org

Music Ministry Notes



October 11 & 12, 2025

Prelude

"Ciacona"

Dietrich Buxtehude (1637-1707)

2 settings of "Balm in Gilead" Gullah Spiritual setting 1 by Robert Lau (b. 1943) setting 2 by Edwin T. Childs (b. 1945)

Communion Meditation

"All My Days"

based on Psalm 8/Dan Schutte (b. 1947) sung by The Holy Family Choirs at 8:00 & 11:15

Postlude

"Now Thank We All Our God" from Cantata No. 79 J. S. Bach (1695-1750/arr. Virgl Fox (1912-1980)

October 18 & 19, 2025

Prelude

"THAXTED: O God, Beyond All Praising" Gustav Holst (1874-1934) setting by Charles Callahan (1951-2023)

"Be Not Afraid" Bob Dufford, SI (b. 1943) setting by Mark Hayes (born 1953)

Communion Meditation

"Sweet Hour of Prayer" music by William B. Bradbury (1816-1868) text by William Walford (1772-1850) setting by Paul Busslelberg (b. 1969) sung by The Holy Family Choirs at 8:00 & 11:15

Postlude

"Prelude in G Major" BWV 568 Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750) DR. KANE was so happy to reunite with former members of her SAINT GREGORY the GREAT CHOIR at a recent retreat here at HOLY FAMILY. Many sing with the JP2 CHOIR which will be singing at the 5:00 MASS on SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25th.

Be sure to stay after Mass to hear BACH'S famous "Toccata and Fugue in D minor" and other **SPOOKY** organ solos at our yearly

ORGAN SPOOKTACULAR!



AROUND OUR COMMUNITY



JPII 2025 UGLY SWEATER 5K RUN & WALK SPONSORED BY THE JPII PTO

Join us for a fun and festive morning on Saturday, December 6 at John Paul II Catholic School (4211 N. Okatie Hwy, Ridgeland). Proceeds benefit the JPII PTO.

Check-in: 9:00 AM | Race begins: 10:00 AM

Registration: \$35 (by Nov. 19, includes T-shirt); \$45 after Nov.

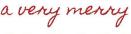
19 (T-shirts available for purchase).

Course: Mixed surface—grass, dirt, and pavement. **Prizes:** Top finishers by age group and Ugliest Sweaters!

The race is open to the public—bring family, friends, and neighbors! For details, contact Miranda Shipman at PTO@thejp2.org



DECEMBER 6, 2025





SWEATER RUN 5K & WALK



FOOD TRUCKS | VENDORS | BAKE SALE



REGISTRATION OPENS OCTOBER 6 SCAN THE QR CODE FOR SPONSORSHIP INFORMATION OR TO REGISTER

JOHN PAUL II CATHOLIC SCHOOL



GREAT





Part Time Program Manager and Neighborhood Liaison positions on Hilton Head Island

We are looking for people who are community minded and want to be actively involved in our programs.

Work Monday-Thursday 2:00-6:00 with additional designated Fridays

- help students excel academically
- help adults through Workforce and Health/Wellness Programs Pay is based on experience:
 - Program Manager \$27.50-\$35
 - Neighborhood Liaison \$22.50-\$27.50

To learn more contact us at

admin@noc-sc.org

843-681-4100







843-785-2895, ext. 223









Adquiere tus boletos para el peregrinaje del JUBILEO 2025! Despues de misa o en la oficina



PEREGRINAJE LA CATEDRAL PARA GANAR LA INDULGENCIA PLENARIA

8 de Nov

\$40 incluye

- Desayuno ligero
- Transporte de Holy Family a Catedral
- Tour de la catedral

Seriembre - Mes de la 8/

Gracias a las pequeñas comunidades que apoyaron con la Procession de la Palabra de Dios! Comunidades San Benito, San José Carpintero, San José, y San Santiago

Octubre - Mes de las Misiones del Santo Rosario



Jesús Eucaristía

Visita a Jesús



(843) 785-2895; ext. 223

LUNES - VIERNES

7:00AM - 6:00PM

SABADO

7:00AM - 4:00PM

DOMINGOS

2:00PM - 6:00PM

Preguntas o para anotarse |



Miercoles 7pm **Domingos 1pm**



ESCUELA DE LA FE

Las proximas clases seran el 22 de septiembre y 8 de octubre a las 7pm. ¿Preguntas? Comuniquese con la Sra. Gloria Benitez, al (843)816-9051

Emergencias Financieras

Si usted vive en Hilton Head, no dude en contactar a la oficina para analizar cómo podemos ayudarle. (843) 785-2895; ext 222

SABADO, 1 NOV 8AM-8PM - ĆOLUMBIA LLAME A LA OFICINA



Ora con María v recibe a la Virgen Peregrina en tu hogar! Llama a la

oficina

BE TRANSFORMED

Junior High Rally

UNITE A SERVIR COMO **MONAGUILLO**

Llama a la oficina; ext.223

Sacramentos

Bautismos para menores de años

> *Acta de nacimiento del niño *Formulario para bautizo (en oficina) *Formulario para padrinos Platica

Pre-bautismales

21 Oct (St Francis)
Por favor llamar a la oficina para registrarse

Emergencias Sacramentales

Llame al (843)785-2895; ext. 225
Unción de los Enfermos
Llame al (843)785-2895, ext. 223 ... si en su hogar hay una persona enferma que no pue calculado. condición de salud.







want to be actively involved in our programs.

To learn more contact us at admin@noc-sc.org 843-681-4100

day-Thursday 2:00-6:00 with additional designated Fridays

SÁBADO 25 DE OCTUBRE

2:00 A 6:00 PM HHI BOYS & GIRLS CLUB



HOLYVITAS TRUNK-OR-TREAT

+Concurso de disfraz de santos!

VIERRES, 31 DE OCTUERE

Fe, Juegos, Dulces, Comida, Concursos



Necesitaremos quien decore sus carros y den dulces a los niños. Llame a la oficina para registrar su carro.



