# HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH



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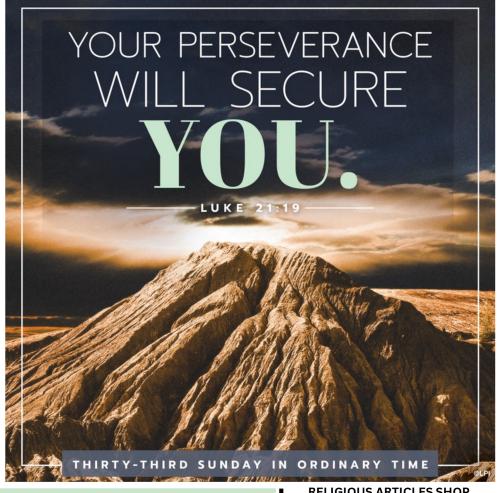
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### PARISH INFORMATION

### 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

Closed

# 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, November 21st after 8:00 am Mass

November 16, 2025

### WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS & READINGS

Saturday, 11/15

Wisdom 18:14-16; 19:6-9 | Luke 18:1-8

8:00 am: Pastor's Intentions

5:00 pm: Nancy D'Angelo + Mary Ann Pogoda & Children

Sunday, 11/16: 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Malachi 3:19-20a | 2 Thessalonians 3:7-12 | Luke 21:5-19 8:00 am: Emil Oscar + Frank Freitag

11:15 am: John Albertini + Richard & Arlene Leone

1:00 pm en espanol: Pro Populo

Monday, 11/17: St. Elizabeth of Hungary

1 Maccabees 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63 | Luke 18:35-43 8:00 am: Mary Ellen Walsh + Karen & Derek Dalton

Tuesday, 11/18

2 Maccabees 6:18-31 | Luke 19:1-10

8:00 am: Daniel J. Ryan, Jr. + Burns Family

Wednesday, 11/19

2 Maccabees 7:1, 20-31 | Luke 19:11-28

8:00 am: Intentions of Mary Ann Pogoda

Jayne Ramirez

Thursday, 11/20

1 Maccabees 2:15-29 | Luke 19:41-44

8:00 am: Douglas Dryburgh + Jack & Lynda Withiam

Friday, 11/21: Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

1 Maccabees 4:36-37, 52-59 | Luke 19:45-48 8:00 am: Angela Hagan +

Saturday, 11/22: St. Cecilia, Virgin & Martyr

1 Maccabees 6:1-13 | Luke 20:27-40

8:00 am: Pastor's Intentions

5:00 pm: The Ciofalo Family + Lvnn Family

### Sunday, 11/23: Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

2 Samuel 5:1-3 | Colossians 1:12-20 | Luke 23:35-43 8:00 am: Audrey Melber + Thappell Family 11:15 am: May Leong + Mary Schwarz

1:00 pm en espanol: Pro Populo

### **FAITHFUL DEPARTED**

During the month of November, we remember in a special way all our beloved dead. The Book of the Faithful Departed will be available in front of the altar throughout the month. You are invited to write the names of your deceased loved ones in this book so that they may be remembered in our prayers and at Mass during this holy month of remembrance.



### THIS WEEK'S GOSPEL FOCUS

### November 16, 2025 Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Luke 21:5-19



When I was a kid growing up in New England, I'd occasionally go on a whale watch. Once we went out with calm waters and clear skies. But on the way back in, the sea got rough. I was just a kid, and I remember thinking we should turn left or right toward the shoreline I could see. But the pilot of the boat kept going straight — right into the waves — focused on a small, discouragingly distant lighthouse. Even when it flickered in and out of sight, he stayed the course. He knew where he was going.

That image comes to mind when I hear Jesus' words in today's Gospel regarding false messiahs: "Do not follow them" (Luke 21:8). In times of chaos or uncertainty, there are always voices offering easier routes, promising false safety, claiming to speak for God. But Jesus isn't found in the loudest voice or the nearest shoreline. He is steady, like a lighthouse in the storm.

The tribulation of which Jesus speaks — it's real. It happened to the Temple, it happened to him, it happens in the Church, and it will come to each of us. But the command is not to panic. It's to endure. To keep steering toward him. Faith isn't about having all the answers or dodging every wave. It's about knowing where the lighthouse is — and trusting it enough to keep going, especially when false safety beckons us to stop. 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 OR 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** 11/2/2025 \$17,464.00 \$3,648.70 \$21,112.70 \$1,291.59

### **SECOND COLLECTION**

Reserve Fund All Saints Day \$1,755.00 \$20,945.40

All Souls Day \$1,410.01



**Daily Rosary** Monday - Saturday 7:30 am | Church

### **Ladies Guild Rosary**

Monday 10:00 am l Church

### **Pro-Life Rosary** Wednesday

4:45 pm | Adoration Chapel 8:30 am | Adoration Chapel

### **Patriotic Rosary**

Wednesday 3:30 pm | Adoration Chapel

### **Our Lady of Sorrows Rosary**

Saturday

### Online

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



Scan with your smartphone's camera to join!

# Holy Family's new Compassion Ministry

Mission:

The Compassion Ministry offers prayerful support and practical assistance to families during times of loss, sharing Christ's comfort at funerals.



- Greet & Usher at funerals
- Distribute worship aides at funerals
- Sacristan (training required)
- Extraordinary Minister at funerals, as needed
- Lector at funerals, as needed
- Bake a dessert and/or provide a meal for home
- The Parish Office will coordinate the volunteers
- No regular meeting times, though there will be an organizational meeting in the coming weeks

If you would like to join this ministry, please contact Merideth at 843.785.2895, ext. 230 or email info@holyfamilyhhi.org



Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Nov 21

Join us this Advent at HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH

Feast of the Immaculate Conception\*

> Monday, December 8th 8:00 am Mass 7:30 pm Mass en español

Infancy Narratives Bible Study

Wednesday, December 10th 5:30 - 6:30 pm

Our Lady of Guadalupe Novena

Wednesday, December 4-12th

. 6:00 – 8:00 pm at the Shrine in the event of inclement weather, novena will be prayed in the church

Our Lady of Guadalupe

Thursday, December 11th 6:00 pm Rosary 7:00 pm Mass 8:00 - 10:00 pm Celebration

Christmas Concert
Sunday, December 14th
3:00 pm

Advent Penance Service

Wednesday, December 17th 5:30 - 6:30 pm

**Posadas**December 15-23rd
6:30 - 9:00 pm

CHRISTMAS Season

MASS TIMES

Christmas Vigil

Wednesday, December 24th 4:00 pm | 6:30 pm

Christmas Day\*

Thursday, December 25th 9:00 am | 11:00 am | 1:00 pm en espanol

> Friday, December 26th No Mass

Feast of the Holy Family

Sunday, December 28th 5:00 pm Saturday vigil 8:00 am | 11:15 am | 1:00 pm en espanol

Solemnity of Mary Vigil\*

Wednesday, December 31st 8:00 am Daily Mass 6:00 pm | 7:30 pm en espanol

Solemnity of Mary\*

Thursday, January 1st 8:00 am

\* Holy Day of Obligation

### **VINTAGE HUMMEL NATIVITY SET**

Stop by the Religious Articles Shop after Mass or during the week to check out the beautiful vintage oversized Hummel Nativity set available!





### **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.

### **HOLY FAMILY BLOOD DRIVE**

Thank you to all those that participated in the recent Big Red Bus Blood Drive on November 1<sup>st</sup>. Due to your efforts, 27 units of blood were collected! Special thanks to Joe Hagan for organizing this very important event for our parish and island community. Keep an eye out for the date of our next blood drive!

### PREPARING FOR ADVENT

The season of Advent is almost here—a time of quiet anticipation, reflection, and hope. As we prepare our hearts for the coming of Christ, we also prepare our homes. Have you dusted off your Advent wreath yet?

Whether it's simple or ornate, your wreath is more than decoration—it's a weekly invitation to pause, pray, and draw closer to the light of the world. Stop by the Religious Articles Shop to pick up your Advent candles!



### SPEND TIME WITH JESUS THIS ADVENT

The Adoration Chapel is located to the left of the main entrance of the church. Door auto-locks and locks. Please push door open and do not turn the knob. Thank you!

Hours: Mon-Fri 7:00 am-6:00 pm Sat 7:00 am-4:00 pm Sun Closed





September 18–26, 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

### **FIRST ANNUAL HOLYWINS!**

A good time was had by all at our first annual Holywins celebration on October 31<sup>st</sup>! Trunks were festively decorated, candy was flowing, music was grooving, games were being played, and the laughter could be heard! Father Christopher was also seen being carried around by a strange alien all night! Special thanks to Daisy Lopez and Alelhi Sanchez for leading the event and for the many other volunteers who helped bring it all together!







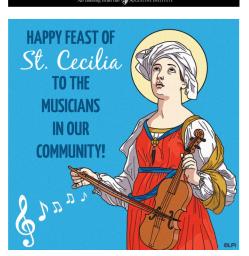


### St. Elizabeth of Hungary | Littlest Saints

A group of kids stages a play about St. Elizabeth of Hungary, focusing on her love for the poor and her devotion to serving others. The episode highlights her life, including the Miracle of the Roses, where her hidden acts of charity are revealed.

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to create your account and select our parish
to get free access to this content and much more!







# SPONSOR A CHRISTMAS POINSETTIA

Honor a loved one this Christmas by sponsoring a beautiful poinsettia to adorn Holy Family. Each plant serves as a living tribute, bringing beauty to our church and remembrance to our hearts.

Donations may be made in memory of or in honor of family and friends.

### **POINSETTIA DONOR FORM**

Please list my voluntary donation as follows:

In Honor of

and/or

In Memory of

Please return your completed form & payment to the Parish Office by December 15, 2025.

Your donation is tax-deductible.

You may also complete the online form and make your donation by visiting www.holyfamilyhhi.org



# TO OUR NEWLY REGISTERED FAMILIES AT HOLY FAMILY!

Maria del Carmen Reyna Almazan and Family Jeannie Lee Gerardo & Noemi Rivera and 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!

















### Calling HOLY FAMILY children!

It's time to sign-up for our

### Christmas Children's Choir



- The Children's Choir is open to those in grades 2 8
- Practices will be held from 5:00-5:45 pm on Mondays beginning November 24th
- We have lots of opportunities this winter which include singing at our Christmas Concert, Christmas Eve
   4:00 pm Mass, and the Hilton Head Prep Festival of Trees
- Register your child by emailing Dr. Kane at music@holyfamilyhhi.org



Holy Family Christmas Concert & Festivities: Sunday, December 14<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 pm

### Rosary Makers

The next meeting will take place in the Parish Hall on Friday, November 21st following 8:00 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. The last session will be November 19th



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



bags of oranges
bags of apples
canned pineapple
& black beans
1-pound bag of lentils
jarred pasta sauce
canned corn (not creamed)
Gift cards to purchase fresh
produce

# **Prayer**RECUESTS

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:
William Oberheim

# 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

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### November 15 & 16, 2025

### <u>Prelude</u>

"Cantabile"

Georg Philipp Telemann (1681–1767)

"God's Time Is Best" from Cantata #106 Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)

"Here, O My Lord" Edward Dearle (1806-1891)/arr. David Paxton

> "It Is Well with My Soul" Philip Bliss (1838-1876) setting by Eleanor Whitsett (b. 1955)

### Communion Meditation

"No Hands but Yours"

Text: St. Teresa of Avila, 16th c.

Music: J. Jerome Williams (b. 1938)

sung by The Holy Family Choirs at 8:00 & 11:15

### Postlude

"Toccata on 'Love Divine All Love's Excelling'" Rowland H. Prichard (1811-1887) setting by Page C. Long (b. 1933)

### November 22 & 23, 2025

### Prelude

"Crown Him with Many Crowns" George J. Elvey (1816-1893) setting by Michael Burkhardt (b. 1957)

"Prelude on *ST COLUMBA*" Irish tune/setting by Healey Willan (1880-1968)

"When in Our Music God Is Glorified" CV Stanford (1852–1924) setting by Anna Laura Page (b. 1943)

in honor of St. Cecilia, Patron Saint of Music (feast Nov. 22), please join the choir in singing "When in Our Music God Is Glorified" Worship #608

### Communion Meditation

"In Christ Alone"

Keith Getty/Stuart Townsend/arr. Mark Hayes sung by The Holy Family Choirs at 8:00 & 11:15

### **Postlude**

"Festive Trumpet Tune" David German (b. 1954)

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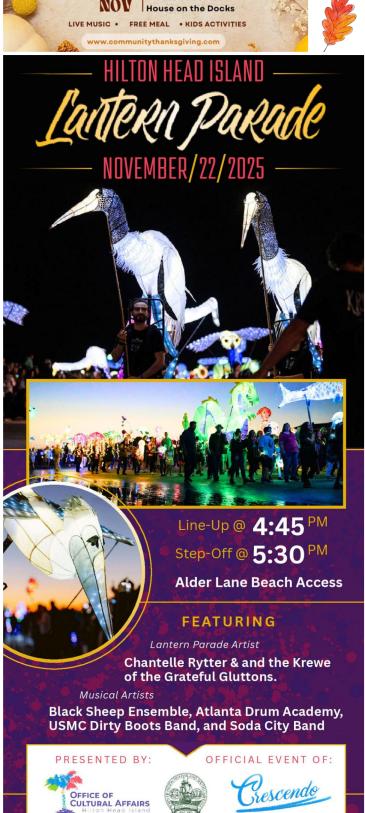
Dr. Pam was happy to reunite with Joan, one of her organ-loving fall visitors from Texas.

If you missed any of the Holy Family concerts or want to catch up on some of Dr. Pam's organ videos, check out her Youtube channel by scanning the QR code.



### AROUND OUR COMMUNITY











Too chilly for the beach or pool these days? Check out all that the Hilton Head Island Senior Center has to offer!

Visit

www.hiltonheadseniorcenter.org for information on upcoming activities, day trips, fitness, fun and games!

Are you receiving our email newsletter, "Holy Family Happenings!"?

If you are not,
please contact
info@holyfamilyhhi.org
to be added to our
distribution list so you
can be up-to-date on
important parish news!



SFCSHHI.com or call

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# PEREGRINOS DE ESPERANZA REGRINOS

### Jesús Eucaristía

### Visita a Jesús



**LUNES - VIERNES** 

7:00AM - 6:00PM

**SABADO** 

7:00AM - 4:00PM

**DOMINGOS** 

2:00PM - 6:00PM

Preguntas o para anotarse | (843) 785-2895; ext. 223

### **SANTA MISA EN ESPAÑOL:**

Domingos 1pm Misa bilingue MIERCOLES, 19 de NOV.

# 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 puede asistir a Misa por
su condición de salud.

### **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



**JUEVES DE** 6:30-8:30PM



### Sacramentos

### Bautismos para menores de \*Acta de nacimiento del niño \*Formulario para bautizo (en oficina) \*Formulario para padrinos Pre-bautismal 9 de diciembre (en St Francis by the Sea) Por favor llamar a la oficina para registrarse



Llamando a los Niños y niñas de **HOLY FAMILY** 

unanse al CORO de Niños Navideño Grados 2-8 Ensayos de 5:00-5:45 pm los LUNES, comenzando el

Contactar a la oficina del ministerio hispano o Dr. Pam Kane, directora de musica.

24 de Noviembre.

(843)785-2895; ext. 223





## Unase a nosotros este Adviento en HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH

Fiesta de la Inmaculada Concepción\*

Lunes, 8 de diciembre 8:00 am Misa 7:30 pm Misa en español



Novena de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe

4-12 de diciembre

6:00 - 8:00 pm en el Santuario de Nuestra Señora de Gudalupe en caso de mal clima, se rezará la novena en la ialesia

Estudio Bíblico Relatos de la Infancia de lesús

Miercoles, 10 de diciembre 5:30 - 6:30 pm

### Fiesta de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe

Jueves, 11 de diciembre

6:00 pm Rosario 7:00 pm Misa 8:00 - 10:00 pm Celebráción



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Horario de Misa

### Vigilia Navideña Miercoles, 24 de diciembre

4:00 pm | 6:30 pm

### Navidad\*

Jueves, 25 de diciembre 9:00 am | 11:00 am | 1:00 pm en español

> Viernes, 26 de Diciembre No habrá misa

### Fiesta de la Sagrada Familia

Domingo, 28 de diciembre 5:00 pm Vigilia del sábado 8:00 am | 11:15 am | 1:00 pm en español

# Solemnidad de Santa María, Madre de Dios\*

Miercoles, 31 de diciembre 6:00 pm | 7:30 pm en español

> Jueves, 1 de enero 8:00 am

