



Holy Family Catholic Church

Seymour, Tennessee

Diocese of Knoxville

“The Lord set His heart on you and chose you, the smallest of all because He loves you ...the faithful God who is true to His covenant.” Dt 7:7-9

Welcome to our Community!

Sacramental Ministry

Mass

Saturday Vigil: 5:30pm
Sunday: 8:00am and 10:30am
Tues, Wed, Thurs: 8:15am

Reconciliation

Saturday 4:45 to 5:15pm (or by appointment)

Anointing of the sick

Contact the office 865-573-1203 or
Ann Dennis 865-573-1586 or
Louise De Lucia 865-804-9012

Marriage

Contact church office four months in advance for
preparation and scheduling.

Baptism

Contact church office one month in advance.

Communion for the Sick and Home Bound

Contact Ann Dennis 865-573-1586 or
Claudia Burton 865-573-0056

Confirmation

Contact church office for sacramental
preparation course details.

Ministers

Music-	Jackie Barbarette	865-573-9500
Cantors-	Karen Burry	865-579-9196
Readers/Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist		
	Connie Bigelow	865-577-3881
Ushers-	Alan Settle	865-579-2269
RCIA-	Jay Craft	865-984-5440

Parish Staff

Pastor—Fr. Ragan Schriver, ACSW
865-684-1887, frragan@holymfamilyseymour.org

Deacon—Deacon Dean Burry - 865-579-9196

Office Manager—Louise De Lucia
865-573-1203 office, 865-804-9012 cell
secretary@holymfamilyseymour.org

Parish Council—Tracy Staller, Chair
865-573-2876 pcchair@holymfamilyseymour.org

Health Ministry—Ann Dennis - 865-573-1586

Youth Ministry—Tom Miklusicak - 865-405-0207

Religious Education/CCD

Cathy Qualls	865-804-3900
Karen Quilliams	865-805-6122

Custodial—Robert Serafin 865-573-1321

Facilities Management

Scott Halstead — General	865-579-9342
Grace McIntyre— Admin	865-577-9287
Joe Roy— Physical Plant	865-429-1978

Holy Family Catholic Church

307 Black Oak Ridge Road

Seymour, TN 37865

865-573-1203, FAX 865-579-3645

Rectory:

407 Overlook Drive
Seymour, TN 37865

Website:

www.holymfamilyseymour.org

Office Hours:

Mon—12pm to 3pm, Wed & Thurs—10am to 1pm

First Sunday of Lent

Holy Family Financial Report

Budget 07/2010-06/2011	\$257,674.00
Year to date Income	\$154,387.69
Last Week Collection	\$5221.15
Year to date Building Fund	\$19192.00
Last Weeks Building Fund	\$600.00
Year to Date Other (ASA, SVP, etc.)	\$12,592.19
Last Weeks Other	\$670.08
Year to Date Miscellaneous	\$23,072.49
Last Week Miscellaneous	\$305.63
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Year to date Expenditures	\$217,403.38
Year to date surplus/deficit	(\$6715.31)
Mortgage Balance	\$631,961.49

Ministry Schedule

March 19

5:30 PM

Reader: **JoAnnTusinski**

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Marie Kruzel, Doug LeDoux, Bill Voight

Ushers: **Robert Ruiz - Johnny Mayor**

Altar Servers: **Kyle Halstead, Kristen Halstead,
Garrison Holliday**

March 20

8:00 AM

Reader: **Carol Idol**

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Sue Craft, Anna Marie Smith, Tom Glenn

Ushers: **Tracy Staller - Steven Smith**

Altar Servers: **Stephen Quilliams, Justin Glenn,
Angelo De Lucia**

10:30 AM

Reader: **Ralph Ihli**

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

Tom Miklusicak, Ann Dennis, Grace McIntyre

Ushers: **Tim McIntyre - Ed Anderson**

Altar Servers: **Eric White, Noah Miklusicak, Domonic Burry,
Lillia Poveda**

***If you can not serve for your scheduled mass, please find a substitute. If you can not find a substitute, please call the person in charge of that ministry.

“Our actions have a tongue of their own; they have an eloquence of their own, even when the tongue is silent. For deeds prove the lover more than words.”

- Saint Cyril of Jerusalem (313-386), Feast Day March 18



Pray for the Sick:

Please call the office or Claudia Burton at 573-0056 to be added to the prayer line



Acute:

Deborah Walker, Tura Loose, Nancy Lynam, Lorraine Hendricks.

Long term prayer need:

Ed Bigelow, Mildred Banks, John Kruzel, Clara Quint, Greg & Lorraine Lennon, Rachelle Rodarte.

Mass Intentions

Mar 12 05:30 PM **Greg Peters** † by Gracee, Beth & Kieran

Mar 13 08:00 AM **People of the Parish**

10:30 AM **Fr. Jim Driscoll** † by M/M Dennis

Mar 15 08:15 AM **Helen Piech** †

Mar 16 08:15 AM **Sharon Caprio** †

Mar 17 08:15 AM **Helen Clancy** †

Mar 19 05:30 PM **Martha Austin** †

Mar 20 08:00 AM **Ralph Lawson** † by M/M Bicer

10:30 AM **People of the Parish**

*May the souls of all our
Faithful departed through the
Mercy of God rest in peace. Amen*
† = deceased

Parish Calendar

C=Church, GL= Garden Level, FLC= Family Life Center, P=Pavilion

03/13 Sun: 9:00am **CCD-GL & FLC**

9:00am **RCIA-FLC**

9:00am **Adult Scripture Study-FLC**

9:55am **Rosary-C**

12:00pm **FLC Kitchen Training-FLC**

03/14 Mon: 9:15am **Legion of Mary-FLC**

03/15 Tues: 9:30am **Crafty Ladies-GL**

6:30pm **Legion of Mary-FLC**

03/16 Wed: 7:30pm **Youth Group-FLC**

03/17 Thurs: 7:00pm **Knights of Columbus Meeting-FLC**

03/18 Fri: 6:30pm **Stations of the Cross-C**

7:00pm **Fish Fry-FLC**

03/20 Sun: 9:00am **CCD-GL & FLC**

9:00am **RCIA-FLC**

9:55am **Rosary-C**

Parish Announcements



Gift Bearers

We are developing a schedule for Gift-Bearers at all of the masses, If you and your family are interested in being a Gift-Bearer, please sign up on the sheet on the Bulletin Board outside the Sacristy or email Sharon Staller at sdstaller@aol.com.



Lent is a call not just to “give up something” but more important to “give something for the poor.” Wherever you live in the parish, there are poor families within walking distance of your home. When in need, they ring the church door bell. They are, in effect, ringing your doorbell.

Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul so that together we can help the suffering and poor.



C.R.O.S.S. - Holy Family Volunteer Schedule

January - June, 2011, Thursday's 10:00 a.m. - 12 Noon
Date Volunteers

March 03 Kay Jordan/JoAnn Tusinski/Nikki Templeton

10 Grace Baptist Church/Nikki Templeton

17 Joan Weis/Sue Craft/John & Emily Waszak

24 Connie & Ed Bigelow/Lucille Carleton

31 Sue Craft/John & Emily Waszak

***Due to Lenten services, Friday evenings 7-8 p.m. Adoration will be cancelled until after Easter.

Stations of the Cross will be every Friday during Lent at 6:30pm.



Needed: a ride to church on Sundays for the 10:30am Mass. The lady lives on Boyd's Creek Highway near McDonald's. Call Connie at 577-3881 for more information.

FLC Kitchen Training



There will be mandatory Kitchen Training for all users of the Kitchen to discuss new policies and procedures. Please plan on being present at one of the two sessions on either March 6 or March 13. Both Sessions will begin at 12:00. For more information contact Tracy Staller at 865-388-3649 or tstaller@aol.com

PARISHIONERS, you will find specially marked envelopes in the pews to make a donation for altar flowers for the EASTER masses. If you wish, you can make your donation in honor of or in memory of a loved one and this will be noted in the bulletin.



Our March outing will be "Christ In The Smokies" on River Road in Gatlinburg on March 20th. This is the old Christus Gardens. It is under new ownership and has been updated. With its life size figures, music and lighting, it tells the inspirational story of Christ. It's a perfect outing for lent. Please call Grace @ 577-9287 no later than March 13th if you plan on going. Once again, we need an accurate count. Cost is \$11.00 per person. You'll be on your own for lunch and then we'll meet at "Christ In The Smokies" at 2:00pm.



Mission in honor of the Divine Mercy of Jesus



"Mankind will have no peace until it turns with trust to my mercy." (Diary of St. Faustina Kowalska; # 300) Your journey through Lent can be a powerful spiritual experience by attending a Mission in honor of the Divine Mercy of Jesus. Polish priest, Fr. Simon F. Stefanowicz, OSPPE, (The Order of Saint Paul the First Hermit) a monk with the Pauline order in Poland will be conducting missions by preaching at weekend Masses and offering talks in March and April at three different parishes. Fr. Simon is from the Shrine of Czestochowa in Poland. Friend of Pope John Paul II, Fr. Simon knew him when he was the Archbishop of Cracow. With over 20 years of experience conducting Missions and Retreats he has gained a reputation for being an engaging, uplifting, and sought-after speaker. Appearing on EWTN about a year ago, he is well-known and recognized as an authority on The Black Madonna and The Divine Mercy message and St. Faustina Kowalska. The purpose of the Mission is to strengthen and increase your faith. All are welcome to these Missions and bring a friend.

The Missions will be held at : 1) Sacred Heart Cathedral, Knoxville, Mar. 28-30 (for information call 865-588-0249), 2) St. Francis of Assisi Church, Fairfield Glade, April 3-7, (for information call 931-484-3628), 3) Our Lady of Fatima, Alcoa, 860 Louisville Rd. Alcoa, TN April 12-15 (for information call 865-982-3672)

Topics will be Physical and Spiritual Healing that comes through God's Mercy, The Eucharist, the presence of Mercy in the world, Reconciliation as the Tribunal of God's Mercy.

FAQ's About Lent - Catholic Online

The key to understanding the meaning of Lent is simple: **Baptism**. Preparation for Baptism and for renewing baptismal commitment lies at the heart of the season. Since the Second Vatican Council, the Church has reemphasized the baptismal character of Lent, especially through the restoration of the Catechumenate and its Lenten rituals. Our challenge today is to renew our understanding of this important season of the Church year and to see how we can integrate our personal practices into this renewed perspective.

Why is Baptism so important in our Lenten understanding? Lent as a 40-day season developed in the fourth century from three merging sources. The first was the ancient paschal fast that began as a two-day observance before Easter but was gradually lengthened to 40 days. The second was the catechumenate as a process of preparation for Baptism, including an intense period of preparation for the Sacraments of Initiation to be celebrated at Easter. The third was the Order of Penitents, which was modeled on the catechumenate and sought a second conversion for those who had fallen back into serious sin after Baptism. As the catechumens (candidates for Baptism) entered their final period of preparation for Baptism, the penitents and the rest of the community accompanied them on their journey and prepared to renew their baptismal vows at Easter.

Lent, then, is radically baptismal. Being marked with ashes at the beginning of Lent indicates our recognition of the need for deeper conversion of our lives during this season of renewal. Lent officially ends on Holy Thursday. That is when the "Triduum", great three Days of holy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday occur leading to Easter. Easter is not only a day but an Octave (eight day) celebration leading to a Season of the Church, Easter Season, which ends on Pentecost.

For most older Catholics, the first thought that Lent brings to mind is giving something up. In my childhood, the standard was to give up candy, a discipline that found suitable reward in the baskets of sugary treats we received on Easter. Some of us even added to the Easter surplus by saving candy all through Lent, stockpiling what we would have eaten had we not promised to give it up.

Some years ago a friend of mine told me that he had urged his children to move beyond giving up candy to giving up some habit of sin that marked their lives. About halfway through Lent he asked the children how they were doing with their Lenten promise. One of his young sons had promised to give up fighting with his brothers and sisters during Lent. When his father asked him how it was going, the boy replied, "I'm doing pretty good, Dad—but boy, I can't wait until Easter!"

That response indicates that this boy had only partly understood the purpose of Lenten "giving up." Lent is about conversion, turning our lives more completely over to Christ and his way of life. That always involves giving up sin in some form. The goal is not just to abstain from sin for the duration of Lent but to root sin out of our lives forever. Conversion means leaving behind an old way of living and acting in order to embrace new life in Christ. For catechumens, Lent is a period intended to bring their initial conversion to completion.



Each week at mass, we are invited and called to full conscience, active and fruitful participation in the liturgical worship. Consider reading then reflecting on the scriptures for the coming Sunday Mass.

Sunday March 20, 2010

Genesis 12:1-4
Psalm 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22
2 Timothy 1:8-10
Matthew 17:1-9

Gift Giving Opportunity



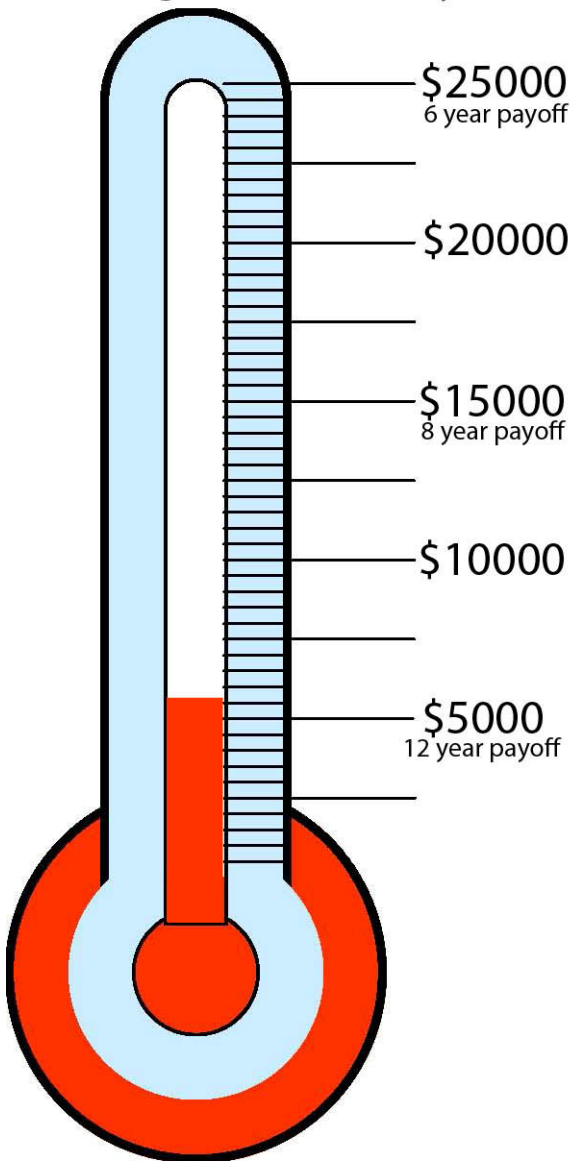
You can honor a loved one by purchasing a leaf, acorn or stone on the Holy Family Giving Tree in the Family Life Center. They make a great birthday, anniversary, and/or memorial gift for a loved one.

All monies go directly to the building fund.

Counseling Services at Holy Family

If any one is in need of help there will be mental health therapists coming to the parish each week to provide services for anyone that might want to access this. You can call 323-4406 and leave a message for Jentry Tillman and he will get back to you as soon as possible to make an appointment. The services include family counseling, couples counseling, marriage prep, individual counseling for adults or children. The counselor will meet with you here at the parish office in private. It is totally confidential and provided on a sliding fee basis from \$80-\$5/ hour, determined by your income.

Building Bucks Weekly Sales



Total Raised
(to date after inventory purchases):

\$5740.60

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