

# Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph



Estimated need each week: \$4475.00  
Last Sunday Collection: \$3078.28  
Building Fund: \$1370.00

## Ministry Schedule

Jan 02

05:30 PM—Lector: **Bill Voight**  
Eucharistic Ministers: **Connie Bigelow, Marie Kruzal**

Jan 03

08:00 AM—Lector: **Carol Idol**  
Eucharistic Ministers: **Sue Craft, Jay Craft**

10:30 AM—Lector: **Kay Jordan**  
Eucharistic Ministers: **Robert Serafin, Tom Miklusicak,  
Grace McIntrye, Patrick Pidkowitz**

## USHERS

Jan 02

05:30 PM—**Robert Ruiz**

Jan 03

08:00 AM—**Joan Weis**

10:30 AM—**Allen Settle - Bill Baldwin**

## ALTAR SERVERS

Jan 02

05:30 PM—**Jesse & Leah Lyons**

Jan 03

08:00 AM—**Kathleen & Joseph Staller**

10:30 AM—**Angie McGee, Noah Miklusicak,  
Victoria Cordina, Vanessa Luneke**

\*\*\*If you can not serve for your scheduled mass, please find a substitute. If you can not find a substitute, call Scott & Tara Halstead at 579-9342.



**Pray for the Sick:** Ed Bigelow, Bob Mallard, Bobby Ownby, Madeline Overfield, Bob and Mary Holifield, Steven Smith, John Kruzal, Howard Rothwell, Stacie Kidwell, Ed Doherty, Kurt Hosey, Jandark Faraj, Lorraine Hendricks, Rachelle Rodarte & Elizabeth Davis.

To place a prayer request on the prayer chain, please call Sue at 984-5440 / Claudia at 573-0056.



Today is the feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph. We also celebrate that we all belong to the holy family of God which makes us brothers and sisters to each other.

May the peace and joy of the New Year be yours! Please remember to support the Society of St. Vincent de Paul in the coming year so that together we can continue to bring comfort and peace to our brothers and sisters who are suffering.



# Mass Intentions

Dec 26 05:30 PM *People of the Parish*  
Dec 27 08:00 AM *Sandra Stone* † by Staller Family  
10:30 AM *Robert Hendricks* †  
Dec 28 08:00 AM NO MASS  
Dec 29 08:00 AM NO MASS  
Dec 30 08:00 AM NO MASS  
Dec 31 05:30 PM *Mary, Mother of God Vigil*  
Jan 01 08:00 AM *Mary, Mother of God*  
10:30 AM *Mary, Mother of God*  
Jan 02 05:30 PM *Geraldine Fink* † by M/M Rodarte  
Jan 03 08:00 AM *People of the Parish*  
10:30 AM *Johanna Boon Van Niel* †

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



The Legion of Mary meets on Monday mornings at 9:00 AM on the garden level. All are invited to attend.

We're extending an invitation to ALL parishioners to join us in praying the ROSARY every Sunday at 9:55 am right before the 10:30 mass.



**Holy Day Mass, Mary, Mother of God**  
**Thurs. Dec. 31 st, 5:30pm**  
**& Fri. Jan. 1 st, 8am & 10:30am**

## Altar Server Schedule for the Holy Day

**Thursday December 31st (Mary, Mother of God, Vigil)**  
5:30pm: **Kristen & Kyle Halstead**

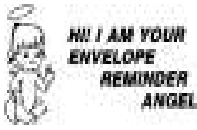
**Friday January 1st (Mary, Mother of God)**  
8:00am: **Stephen Quilliams, Justin Glenn**

10:30am: **Eric White, Dominic Burry, Rebecca Cordina,  
Lillia Poveda**



Announcements

Would you like to be a Eucharist Minister at the 8am mass?, see Fr. Ragan. 



**Please pick up your 2010 collection envelopes in the Family Life Center .**

Parishioners are invited to make a donation at any time, for placement of flowers in the Sanctuary in memory of a loved one or for a special occasion. Recognition will appear in the bulletin. Please contact Louise at 573-1203.



Come one come all! All Saints Catholic Church Choir and Orchestra are doing a benefit for Catholic Charities. The Christmas Cantata "Journey of Promises" by Joseph M. Martin will be presented on Friday January 8th at 7pm and Sunday January 10th at 3pm. Both performances will be held in the main church and open to the public. Donations will be accepted and all proceeds will benefit Catholic Charities. For more info contact Sandy at 675-1788.



Our first meeting of 2010 will be at Applebee's in Sevierville. We will meet there after 10:30 mass on Sunday, January 10th. Please sign up in the vestibule by January 3rd so we can give them an accurate count. We always welcome new members.

\*\*\*Mark your calendar, Saturday, February 6, 2010 for St. Joseph School 12th Annual Mardi Gras Dinner, Dance & Auction. If you have any items or ideas for our silent/live auction, please contact the event chair, Ami Connolly at 654-4330 or [connollyam@bellsouth.net](mailto:connollyam@bellsouth.net).



We're looking for an acoustic guitarist who is available for Saturday Mass. Must be stylistically versatile, able to read chord charts and lead sheets. Must have own equipment. Call Jackie at 573-9500 to schedule an audition.



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 January 3, 2010

Isaiah 60:1-6  
Psalm 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13  
Ephesians 3:2-3, 5-6  
Matthew 2:1-12

*A word from \_\_\_\_\_  
— your Pastor...*

Happy Feast Day!!

Today the Catholic Church all over the world celebrates the feast of The Holy Family, which makes this a very special day for us! We can't help but reflect on the meaning of family on this special day. Pope Benedict XVI said "The family is the privileged setting where every person learns to give and receive love. The family is also a school which enables men and women to grow to the fullest measure of their humanity." That is an awesome statement of what the ideal family can do for us! I am not quite sure if he has ever met anybody like my family or even some of the families of many of my friends, or maybe some of your families. Its not all so holy and privileged! We can all recall times of arguments and difficulties within our families but today is still our day! Just think about the struggles that Mary, Joseph and Jesus went through in the first few months of the newborn's life! The true experience of humanity often includes struggles and difficulties. The good news is that despite these struggles we have a God who loves us and truly understands what it means to be a part of a family and deal with the issues that we face. We here at Holy Family Parish, just like any family, have our truly sacred aspects but also our difficulties but the great thing is that our loving God is here with us each day encouraging us and empowering us to follow in the footsteps of Jesus, Mary and Joseph, in their role as a family! Here is a prayer for us on our special feast day:

O God, who in the Holy Family left us a perfect model of family life lived in faith and obedience to your will, help us to be examples of faith and love for your commandments and beatitudes. Guide us also to live united in respect and love for one another in the peace of your eternal home.

