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THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD



They were overjoyed at seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage. Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. - Mt 2:10-11

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Holy Family strives to be a joyful, welcoming community of faith that encounters Jesus and thinks with His mind and loves with His heart.

January 5, 2025

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, January 4
 5:00 pm Dr. John Murray – Anniversary
 Sunday, January 5
 7:30 am Our Parishioners
 9:00 am Sean Delaney – Memorial
 10:30 am Donald Mickells – Anniversary
 5:00 pm Dan Sullivan – Living Healing
 Tuesday, January 7
 8:15 am Special Intention
 Thursday, January 9
 8:15 am Marilyn Cavallaro – Anniversary
 Saturday, January 11
 5:00 pm Mary Sheehan – Anniversary
 Sunday, January 12
 7:30 am Our Parishioners
 9:00 am David Philbrick – Memorial
 5:00 pm Dan Sullivan – Living Healing

PASTOR’S CORNER

Recently I mailed out to all registered parishioners a copy of our parish Annual Financial Report. Along with the report, I usually include a request for you to make a once a year “grand” gift to the parish to assist with the cost of maintenance, repairs and renovations, since the weekly offertory collection revenue only covers our regular operating expenses. However, this year, the Grand Annual Appeal is being replaced with an appeal to help defray the cost of the recent parish center renovations and to provide an endowment to ensure that our parish ministries and the upkeep of our facilities will be adequately funded well into the future. If you did not receive this mailing, copies are available at the doors of the church; and if it was because you have not yet registered in our parish, please do so by visiting www.holyfamilyduxbury.org. For those who have not yet contributed to Campaign 2.0 for these purposes, I ask you to donate online via our website, click on the “Giving” dropdown, then choose “Parish Center Renovations.” Or, you can place a check made out to Holy Family Parish in the envelope that accompanies the Annual Financial Report, and either mail it in, drop it in the offertory collection basket at Mass, or place it in the lock box at the head of the walkway leading to the parish center. Know that I am especially grateful for those parishioners who provide a generous gift to our parish. It is a wonderful sign of your commitment to support our mission here at Holy Family.

I take this opportunity to acknowledge and thank parishioners, Bob and Nancy Johnson who were instrumental in bringing about the parish center renovations. Nancy served as the architect, and Bob was the contractor for the project who also did a significant amount of the work himself. Parishioner, Ed Donovan and his company provided much of the electrical work. I am grateful to these parishioners and the many other individuals and companies who were involved in seeing this project to completion. It was often a marvel to witness the various people in the building trades share their talents and skills – evidence of God’s providence and creativity.

God bless you!
 Fr. Bob



WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY: 5:00 PM
 SUNDAY: 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM,
 10:30 AM and 5:00 PM

The 9:00 am Mass is live-streamed at
www.holyfamilyduxbury.org
 (Scroll down on the homepage to find the live stream)

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

MON- FRI: 8:15 AM
in the main church

CONFESSIONS

SATURDAY: 4:00-4:45 PM
 FIRST FRIDAYS: 6:30-7:30 PM
Accessible by rear door of church

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

FRIDAY: 9:00 AM -7:00 PM
*Includes Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 3 pm and Evening
 Prayer/Benediction at 5 pm in Our Lady's Chapel
 Accessible by rear door of church*

 Please note we no longer have an 8:15 am
 Mass on Saturday.

DUXBURY, MA

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Parish Offertory Budget	\$15,385
Offertory collected on 12/22	\$10,631
Online giving 12/22	<u>7,185</u>
Total for 12/22	\$17,816
Clergy Trust 12/25	\$21,417

Thank you! We are a generous people and our God is a generous God.



LEGACY SOCIETY - Please remember Holy Family Parish in your will. It is a wonderful way to help pass on the legacy of our faith to future generations of parishioners! When you do, please let us know so you can join the Legacy Society. Contact our Finance & Operations manager, Cheryl Provost for details.



ARE YOU A SNOWBIRD ABOUT TO FLY SOUTH? Please continue your faithful financial support of Holy Family Parish even while you're away from home. One way to do this is through electronic / automatic giving. Please click the Online Giving icon at the bottom of the opening page of our parish website (www.holyfamilyduxbury.org), use the QR code to the left, or contact Cheryl Provost at 781-934-5055 x-129. Thank you!

TRAVELING? - www.MassTimes.org will provide the Mass times of Catholic churches throughout the world. Keep this in mind to help you fulfill your Sunday Mass obligation.



MAKE A RECURRING DONATION TO HOLY FAMILY - Please use this QR code or visit: <https://giving.parishsoft.com/App/Giving/hfdux>. If you prefer to use cash and happen to miss the collection basket, please use the receptacles at the doors of the church. Thank you!

2025 CORI FORMS - Thank you to our greatly appreciated volunteers! Holy Family is collecting CORI's for 2025 for the Archdiocese of Boston. Please complete a CORI. CORI's can be validated by a priest or staff member, or ministry head.



The Respect Life Committee meets monthly at 9 am on the second Saturday of the month in the Herrick Room in the Parish Center. The next meeting will be next Sat., Jan. 11 from 9 am to 10 am. All are welcome! For more information, please contact Jim Murphy at grndfrmurphy@gmail.com.

HOLY HOUR FOR LIFE - to pray for the respect due human life from the moment of conception to the moment of natural death will take place on Sunday, Jan. 26 at 2:00 pm here at Holy Family in the Main Church. All are welcome!

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FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT



SATURDAY, JANUARY 11

In the Parish Center following the 5pm Mass

Kids, wear your pajamas and bring your favorite stuffed animal to Mass!

We will be showing 'Journey to Bethlehem' (classic tunes and new age pop help to tell the nativity story) on the main screen and 'The Star' (an animated film about a brave donkey and his animal friends as the unsung heroes of the first Christmas) in the Seton Room for our youngest children to enjoy.

Pizza will be served!

RSVP

Please scan QR code to RSVP, so that we can plan accordingly!



EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE DECEASED IN WHOSE MEMORY CHRISTMAS FLOWER DONATIONS WERE PROVIDED:

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THE PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY - is comprised of a group of knitters who make prayer shawls for the sick, elderly, and anyone else experiencing difficult life situations or struggles. Monetary donations for the purchase of yarn are needed and always welcomed. Please consider helping out this special ministry with a financial contribution and/or joining our group of knitters on the first Tuesday of every month, this Tuesday, Jan. 7 from 1 to 3 pm, here at Holy Family. For more information and details please call Mary Jane Roche at 781-264-4943.



NEED HELP GETTING to the DOCTOR? - "Driven to Aid" is a Holy Family ministry that will drive you to a doctor's visit or hospital appointment as far away as Boston. Our growing list of drivers could always use more volunteers. If you need such a ride or could do the driving, please contact Deacon Art Keefe - 781-264-0473.

GREETERS AND CLICKERS - We want to continue to be an evangelizing parish! We need your help. We are looking for volunteers who would like to be greeters to welcome people, and clickers to advance the PowerPoint slides to participate at Sunday Mass!! Contact Jeanne Cregan.



PRAYER AND LIFE WORKSHOP - Looking for a new growth opportunity? Looking to learn new ways to pray? Try the Prayer and Life Workshop which we hosted here at Holy Family this past Fall. Many of the participants shared the positive impact the program had on them. A new session is beginning at St. Joseph's Parish in Kingston beginning on Thursday, January 23 at 10:30 am or 6:00 pm and meets weekly for 15 weeks. The Prayer and Life Workshop offers a practical and efficient prayer method based on the Bible to experience a more personal relationship with God and let yourself be loved by Him. To register or for more information, please contact the Guide, Mary Crespo at (413) 478-5141 - email: crespomdtov@gmail.com.



WITNESS TO LIFE TRIP - Join Boston pilgrims at the National March for Life in Washington, D.C. in January. It will depart the archdiocese at approximately 10 pm on Thurs., Jan. 23 and arrive at [Life Fest](#) at 7:30 am on Fri., Jan. 24 and then head to the March. We will return to the archdiocese at 12:15 am on Jan. 25. The cost is \$80 and includes bus, Life Fest ticket, driver gratuity, and boxed lunch. Visit bit.ly/WitnesstoLife2025 to register.



MENTAL HEALTH MATTERS - A virtual Workshop for Adults on Tues., Feb. 25 at 7 pm. Join Catholic psychologists Dr. Greg Kolodziejczak and Dr. Christine Williams, and LICSW Michael Drahos for a workshop examining how traditional mental health treatments, support, and faith play a role in healing. Q&A will be offered and resources provided. Sponsored by Family Life. To register, visit bit.ly/mentalhealthadults or call Emily @ 617-747-5756.



DO YOU NEED PRAYERS? - A Prayer Ministry Phone Line is available here at Holy Family. Call the Phone Line at 781-934-5055 (x133). Leave your name (it can be only your first name) and the specific prayer request. The intention will be passed along to the members of this intercessory prayer ministry. If you wish someone to call you back to acknowledge your request, please leave your phone number as well.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS FOR OUR HOMEBOUND NEEDED - There is a great need for Eucharistic Ministers to the homebound, sick, elderly or disabled parishioners who cannot attend weekly Mass. No experience is necessary. We will train you and provide everything you will need for this ministry. Visits can be scheduled at the convenience of both the visitor and the homebound person. The commitment for this ministry is to visit a person weekly or bi-weekly. The ministry is a true calling and if you have gifts to share, or would like more information, please call Mary Ann Salzillo at 508-367-3095.

FAITH COMMUNITY SUICIDE SURVEY - Would you be willing to take brief survey? The goal of this survey is to help religious communities prevent suicide. Suicide is a growing tragedy in the U.S. and in religious communities. Can you help by taking this quick 15-minute confidential survey? The survey is studying suicide, stigma, and spiritual struggles in hopes of publishing an article in psychological literature that will help religious communities prevent suicide. If you are over 18 and you attend Mass at least once a month, please complete the survey using the link below. You don't need to have thought about suicide, or have personal experience with it, to participate. <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/SuicideStigma>



FREE RESOURCES - You may have noticed over the last few months, we offered free copies of Give Us This Day and The Word Among Us for you to sample. These are two

popular Catholic devotional resources that offer rich spiritual content for daily prayer, reflection, and connection with the liturgy. Both publications are designed to nurture your spiritual life, help you engage more deeply with Scripture, and provide guidance for prayer and reflection. If you enjoyed the samples we provided or think you might be interested in this type of resource from this description, consider ordering a one-year subscription. Many report that these booklets are a great addition to their own prayer routine. Both resources are available at a very reasonable cost both in print and digital formats and the links to order are below:

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SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Engaged couples should contact the Parish Office at least 6 months prior to the proposed date and before finalizing reception plans.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptism: 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month 12:30 pm
 Contact the Parish Office to register.



FACING A LIFE CHALLENGE? - Our parish Stephen Ministry offers one-on-one confidential care and support. Contact Deacon Don Larose (781-635-5502) or Colleen Larose (339-832-2366) or email stephenministry@holyfamilydubury.org.



SUPPORT FOR THOSE EXPERIENCING ADDICTION AND/OR FOR THEIR LOVED ONES

- Sponsored by the Archdiocese of Boston, this ministry offers confidential, caring and spiritual support to those experiencing addiction and/or to their loved ones who are suffering due to this affliction. Local contacts are Eileen Cerne at 781-424-8533 or Paul Kasimatis at 781-934-5890.

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Emergency financial assistance: 781-361-3595

DRIVEN TO AID

Transportation to medical appointments
 Contact Deacon Art Keefe 781-264-0473

PASTORAL VISITATION

When confined to home, please call the Parish Office to arrange for a visit and Holy Communion.

HOLY FAMILY PRAYER LINE

781-934-5055 (ext. 133)

Leave your name and specific Prayer Request

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

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REGULAR MEETINGS

Christian Men in Discussion

Saturdays at 7:00 am-8:00 am

Contact Deacon Donald Larose

dlarose@holyfamilydubury.org

Daytime Bible Study

Thursday (Sept.-June) at 10:00 am-11:30 am

The Respect Life Committee

Second Saturday of the month 9 am -10 am

Contact Jim Murphy at grndfrmurphy@gmail.com

The Prayer Shawl Ministry

First Tuesday of each month at 1 pm to 3 pm

Contact Mary Jane Roche at 781-264-4943

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Contact Ken McCarthy 617-549-4620

BULLETIN DEADLINE: MONDAY 10 AM *

*Subject to change due to occasional early deadline date

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- Please complete the following to update our parish records... whether you've recently moved here, are about to move away, or are a young person setting out on your own.

NAME: _____

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