



## The Pastor's Page

### *New Banner for Altar and Rosary Society*

The fall meeting of the Altar and Rosary Society was a great success for many reasons: the able leadership of Mary Hagen and the other ladies, the fine food, the wine, and the door prizes. But it was also a success because of the new banner the group commissioned, a work undertaken by Teresa McCarthy!

Teresa has been hard at work for the better part of year gathering up ideas and talent wherever she could, and last night she told the story of how the new banner came about. Deacon Frank Tangney inspired her with a homily on our main stained glass window which shows the Holy Trinity in heaven, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit who become the model for the earthly image of the Trinity, Joseph, Mary and the Child Jesus! With that homily the idea was set for the banner.

Teresa unveiled the banner under our spot lights in Moorman Hall to a standing ovation from all the ladies! It is a stunning banner depicting our main stain glass window with a stunning blue background around the Holy Family. The banner can be seen upstairs in Church in the Annunciation Shrine near the Adoration Chapel.

Congratulations to the ladies of the Altar and Rosary

Society, and many thanks to Teresa McCarthy for this wonderful work!

### *Deer Hunting with Dads and Boys*

Mark your calendars for the Minnesota Deer Season! We'll be going deer hunting with any dads and boys who are 12 years old and older. Boys must have their Firearms Safety Certificate and must be 14 or older to hunt alone.

Deer Hunting outings with our group will be on Sunday, November 6<sup>th</sup> after the 9am Mass, Sunday, November 13<sup>th</sup> at a time to be determined, and possibly Thursday November 17<sup>th</sup>.

We always see deer, often get shooting, and we do bring home deer! One season we got one deer for our party, the night after the shoot we butchered it in my garage, and I fried up the tenderloins in butter and served them! Nobody can say that deer doesn't taste great!

I need you to call the Office at 952-929-0113 x 10 to sign up for the hunts.

Please leave the following information:

Your Name/Your Age/Phone number.  
Can you drive that day/Who you are riding with/Do you need a ride?

I'd like to have at least 2 adults per vehicle of young hunters, so we need a good number of dads. Let's go get 'em!

Fr. Thomas Dufner

### *We Made It! Thanks to Your Love and Support, Our 2011 Marathon reached the Goal!*

Thank you to everyone who so generously supported Holy Family Academy in our 2011 Marathon for Non-Public Education. Your support has helped us raise over **\$43,000** which surpasses our goal! Your generosity will provide **over \$35,000 to our general operating budget**, new science equipment including dissecting kits and microscopes, and new individual table-top art easels. Our students and staff could not be more grateful. God showers His blessings upon us in many, many ways and one of the most obvious is through your ongoing generosity and support. Holy Family Church is a blessing beyond compare and we thank God for you.

We would also like to thank the following for their additional support and donations:

- The Knights of Columbus for \$300 and grilling and serving lunch for all participants!
  - Orthodontic Care Specialists, LTD
  - Costco
  - First Minnetonka City Bank
  - Galaxy Drive-In
  - Caribou Coffee and Starbucks Coffee
  - Papa John's Pizza
  - SuperValu
  - McDonalds
  - Valley Pastries
  - 301 Apparel
  - Holiday Gas Station
  - Sam's Club

*God bless you and thank you! Ann Coone, Principal*

### **NOVEMBER...**

#### ***A Special Time to Remember our Deceased Loved Ones.***

Throughout the month of November, the ***"Book of Eternal Life"*** will be in the sanctuary with the names of those who have been buried from Holy Family this past year. You are invited to add the names of your deceased loved ones.



**We Salute  
THE VETERANS  
of the  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

**Veterans and Spouses, please be Our Guest on  
Veteran's Day, November 11<sup>th</sup>**

**8:00 a.m. Mass, Holy Family Church, 5900 West Lake Street**

**8:45 a.m. Complimentary Breakfast, Holy Family Academy**

**9:00 a.m. Student Program and Presentation by a  
Guest Speaker and Bald Eagle from the  
National Eagle Center in Wabasha**

**Important: RSVP your reservations to 952-925-9193**

**GOD BLESS OUR VETERANS!**

***The Students and Faculty of Holy Family Academy***

***5925 West Lake St, St. Louis Park, MN 55416***



## ✠ Weekly Calendar of Events ✠

*Sunday, October 30 - 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**Food Drive Sunday**

- 8:00 am Confessions
- 9:00 am Mass
- 11:00 am Mass

*Monday, October 31*

- 8:00 am Mass
- 8:30 am Exercise Class (Gathering Place)
- 3:00 pm Widower and Widowers Holy Hour (Chapel)
- 5:00 pm Mass

*Tuesday, November 1 - All Saints Day*

- 8:00 am Mass
- 8:30 am Grandparents Prayer Group (Gathering Place)
- 10:30 am Goodtimers 500 Club (Gathering Place)
- 7:00 pm Mass

*Wednesday, November 2 - All Souls Day*

**HFA DQ Night - Excelsior Blvd. DQ**

- 8:00 am Mass
- 8:30 am Coffee & Rolls (Moorman Hall)
- 11:45 am Exercise Class (Moorman Hall)
- 5:15 pm Kids Praise Too!
- 6:30 pm HFC (School)
- 6:30 pm Confirmation (Church)

*Thursday, November 3*

- 8:00 am Mass
- 7:00 pm Choir
- 7:00 pm NFP (GP)

*Friday, November 4*

- 8:00 am Mass
- 8:30 am Exercise Class (Gathering Place)

*Saturday, November 5*

- 6:30 am Holy Name Society (Gathering Place)
- 10:00 am Rosaries for Life (Robbinsdale)
- 3:30 pm Confessions
- 5:00 pm Mass/WOW Mass of Remembrance
- 6:00 pm WOW Dinner (Moorman Hall)

*Sunday, November 6 - 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**Food Drive Sunday**

**Daylight Savings Time Ends**

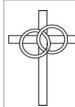
- 8:00 am Confessions
- 9:00 am Mass
- 11:00 am Mass

**This Wednesday is HFA Dairy Queen Night!!**

10% of all sales at the St. Louis Park DQ on Excelsior Blvd between 4:00 and 8:00PM this Wednesday will be given to Holy Family Academy so stop in and enjoy dinner or a special treat!

**Rake - n - Run  
Saturday, November 12<sup>th</sup>  
from Noon to 4pm**

Seniors who would like their leaves raked,  
please contact Alyssa Bormes to sign-up at  
952.929.0113 x 21 or missbormes@gmail.com



**Banns III**

*Kyle Bye and Kelli Gary*

**Daylight Savings Time Ends  
November 6.  
Be sure to set your clocks  
back one hour!**



**ATTENTION all BLOOD DONORS.**

Holy Family will be hosting an  
**"Emergency Blood Drive"**  
on **Tuesday, December 27<sup>th</sup>**.  
Watch the bulletin for important information.

**Tips for STAYING HEALTHY this  
COLD and FLU SEASON**

- The **BEST** way to break the chain of infection – **HANDWASHING!**
- Avoid touching your eyes, mouth or nose.
- Avoid close, prolonged exposure to people with colds.
- If you think you have the flu, stay home from work or school and avoid elderly or frail relatives and friends
- Eat well and get enough rest.
- Avoid getting "run down" which can lower your immunity to illness.
- Cough and/or sneeze into your sleeve.
- If you use a facial tissue for coughs and sneezes, dispose of it immediately and appropriately.
- WASH your HANDS FREQUENTLY.**

**A simple and convenient way to give...**

This fall, consider signing up for electronic giving. Holy Family relies on the financial support of the congregation and electronic giving offers an easy way to give on a recurring basis. To give electronically, visit [www.hfcmn.org](http://www.hfcmn.org) and click on Online Giving in the Upper Right corner. If you would like to give electronically but do not have a computer available to sign up please contact Bobbi Hanson at 952.929.0113 ext.11 and she can get you set up. Thank you!

**Holy Family Weekly Offering October 22/23**

Regular Envelopes	\$14,712.03
Plate	\$ 1,520.44
Online Giving	\$ 2,600.25
World Mission	\$ 4,909.60

*Thank you for generosity!*

**Mass Intentions for the Week**

Oct	31	Oliver 'Mac' McCulloch † (8AM)
Oct	31	The Zeb & Wendy Haney Family (5PM)
Nov	1	John Paul Leighton † (8AM)
Nov	1	Deacon Al Kattar † (7PM)
Nov	2	Father Richard Hogan †
Nov	3	Ray Berthiaume †
Nov	4	Altar & Rosary Society
Nov	5	Vocations
Nov	6	Roger Gerhardson † (9AM)
Nov	6	For the Parish (11AM)



*In anticipation of the new translation!*

## Holy Family's Retreat for Children

# THE STORY OF THE MASS

Saturday, November 19 ~ 9:15-12noon in Moorman Hall

*Exciting Stories! Music! Snack! Art Project!*

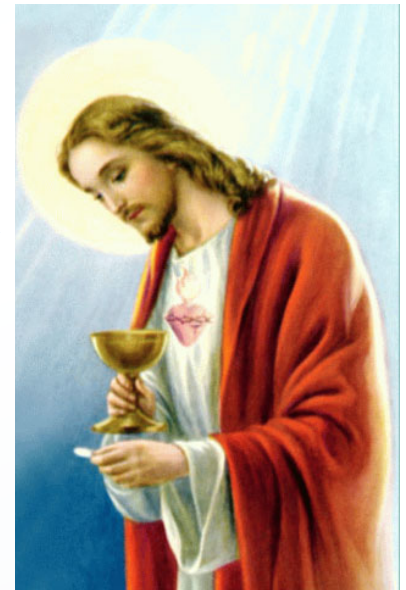
*Special Presentation by Father Dufner!*

*Childrens' Eucharistic Adoration!*

**FOR GRADES K-6**

*(Teens are welcome to be helpers - please contact Mrs. Prather)*

**REGISTRATION FORMS AVAILABLE at or on all Church bulletin boards. Questions? Jean Prather 952-929-0113 x 12 or [jean@hfcmn.org](mailto:jean@hfcmn.org)**



### **ATTENTION: ALL WIDOWS and WIDOWERS**

You are invited to join us at the **5:00PM Mass Saturday, November 5, 2011**, for the annual **Mass of Remembrance**. Reserved pews will be provided for you on the right side in the front of Church. After Mass, you are invited to supper in Moorman Hall. Please **R.S.V.P. the Church Office by 4:30PM Monday, October 31, 2011**. Call Sharon at 952.929.0113 Ext. 13, if you have questions.



### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

The Knights of Columbus regular monthly meeting will be **Monday, November 7**. As we will be inducting some new members during the meeting, **the Rosary will start at 6:30PM, and the meeting at 7:00PM**. Note these times are 30 minutes earlier than typical.

Also, the Knights of Columbus are sponsoring a **"Keep Christ in Christmas"** program. Please stop by their table at the back of church after Mass to browse for cards, pins, magnets and other items. A brochure is available to take home to review at your leisure. Thank you for your support.

### **Youth Ministry**

**Saturday, November 5 - Lifeline Mass** with Fr. Jay Kythe for Mass & Evening Program with Paul Shovelain.

**Saturday, November 12 - Rake-n-Run from Noon to 4pm**

Youth volunteers needed for Rake and Run! Bring your own rake and gloves. Pizza to be served.

**Saturday, December 3 - Lifeline Mass** with Tony Melendez in concert! Holy Family has a limited number of tickets. Please sign-up as soon as possible to reserve your ticket.

You can sign up at [missbormes@gmail.com](mailto:missbormes@gmail.com) or 952-929.0113 x 21.

### **Natural Family Planning**

Modern Natural Family Planning is based on comprehensive scientific research and is healthy and marriage building! If you are looking to enhance your married life, a series of classes taught by a qualified instructor will begin on:

✓ **Thursday, November 3, 2011 at Holy Family, St. Louis Park**

✓ **Thursday, November 17, 2011 at Holy Family, St. Louis Park**

To register or for more info, please call the Billings Ovulation Method at 612.396.4019

✓ **Saturday, November 12, 2011 at U of M Medical Center-Fairview, Minneapolis**

To register or for more information, please call the Twin Cities FertilityCare at

651.232.3088 or register on-line at [www.tcnfp.org](http://www.tcnfp.org)

For a complete list of classes offered throughout the Archdiocese, call 651.291.4489 or visit [www.archspm.org/family](http://www.archspm.org/family)

### **HONORING our VETERANS**

Join us at the **11:00 Mass on Sunday, November 13<sup>th</sup>**

as we honor our

Veterans with special music and a Procession of Flags.



### **Pro-Life Corner**

By E. Christian Brugger. Washington, D.C., May 25, 2011.- You might recall that last summer a federal judge put a temporary hold on all government funding for human embryonic stem cell research (hESC) in the United States. In August 2010, Judge Royce Lamberth of the U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia made headlines for halting the research on the grounds that President Barack Obama's March 2009 executive order revoking the President George Bush restrictions on hESC research was illegal. The president's order, put into policy by the NIH, freed up money for research upon stem cells derived from spare IVF embryos; but the policy required that the actual destruction of the embryos be funded privately. The judge said the Obama policy violated the **Dickey-Wicker Amendment**, which prohibits federal money for research in which human embryos are created or destroyed. You see the point of the dispute? Dickey-Wicker prohibits funding for embryo destructive experimentation; the Obama policy says "no embryo destruction here, it's all been done elsewhere." Please read on under <http://www.zenit.org/article-32679?l=English>