

St. Mary Catholic Church

November 12, 2023 Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Mary Catholic Church

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Services:

Saturday: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 10:45 AM
Monday & Friday: 12:00 noon

Confession:

Saturday: 4:00 PM—4:30 PM

Director of Music:

Pam Warren

Director of Religious Education:

Tessa Walker

Holy Family

Catholic Mission

265 Cotham Drive
Huntingdon, TN 38344
731-584-6459

Mailing Address:

220 W. Main Street
Camden, TN 38320

Services:

Sunday: 8:30 AM
Wed. & Thurs.: 12:00 Noon

Confession:

Sun.: 7:30 AM—8:00 AM

Director of Music:

Dorothy Wood

STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Herbert Ene
Deacon: Wayne Tedford
Secretary: Sandy Simpson
Accounting: Theresa O'Connell

Office Hours:

M, W, Th, F
11:00 AM—3:00 PM



A CHANNEL OF GOD'S GRACE

Mary's role in our faith is multifaceted and deeply significant. Beyond her historical role as the mother of Jesus, she holds a central place in the hearts of Catholics around the world. Her significance is rooted in several key aspects of her life and character. First and foremost, Mary serves as an exemplar of faith and obedience. Her "fiat", her resounding "yes" to the angel Gabriel's message announcing her divine motherhood, illustrates her unwavering trust in God's plan. Mary's complete surrender to God's will serves as a timeless model of authentic faith for us today. We are encouraged to imitate her faith, recognizing that embracing God's plan, even in times of uncertainty, is a deep expression of trust.



As the Mother of the Church, Mary's spiritual motherhood extends to all believers. She is not just a distant figure from the pages of Scripture but a living presence in the life of the Church. We seek her intercession and guidance in our daily lives. We see Mary as a loving mother who cares for her children's needs, just as she did when she interceded on behalf of the couple at the wedding at Cana, reminding us of her enduring maternal concern for humanity.

Furthermore, Mary's role emphasized the sanctity of the family unit. Her motherhood of Jesus highlights the importance of strong, loving families. We look to her as a model for nurturing faith within our own families, just as she did with her own son, Jesus. In her example, we find guidance on how to create homes filled with love, faith, and virtue.

Mary's purity and holiness provide a true example for Catholics to follow. In a world often tainted by sin and temptation, her immaculate heart shines as a light house of moral purity. She teaches believers that holiness is not an unattainable ideal but a path that can be walked in their daily lives. By striving to follow her virtuous example, Catholics seek to grow in holiness and draw closer to God.

The Blessed Virgin Mary is a source of inspiration, a channel of God's grace, and a loving mother who guides and nurtures her spiritual children. Her significance in our lives is undeniable and continues to impact believers in countless meaningful ways. Mary stands as a timeless symbol of faith, love, and maternal care for all who seek her intercession through Jesus and guidance in their journey of faith.

(Rev. Fr. Charles Allen)

Welcome Elena Rose Latendresse!!

Congratulation to the parents, Eric and Sabrina Latendresse and grandparents, Jeff and Sharon Latendresse. May God's blessings be with Elena always.



Holy Family's Annual Christmas Party

Holy Family's Christmas Party and Gift Exchange will be Tuesday, December 12, starting at 5:30 pm with appetizers.



Dinner will be served at 6:00 pm.

Holy Family Parishioner need to sign up for what they will bring..... appetizers, side dishes and desserts will start the Sunday after Thanksgiving (November 26).

Painting, Painting, Painting!!

Debra Davenport has graciously offered to hold a painting class on Saturday, November 18 at St. Mary beginning at 9:30 am. Holy Family's Crafty Ladies are joining us, and if anyone else would like to join us that day, please call the office at 731-584-6459. Lunch will be provided at no cost.



Procedure for Reporting Sexual Abuse

Anyone who has knowledge of or who has cause to suspect an incident of sexual abuse should report the information to the appropriate civil authorities first at 1-877-237-0004, then to the Diocesan Director Child & Youth Protection at 901-359-2027 or the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at 901-652-4066.



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| November 11/12 | Thanksgiving Basket Collection (SM) |
| November 13 | Ladies Guild 10:00 am (SM) |
| November 13 | Pastoral Council Meeting 6 pm (SM) |
| November 15 | Little Flowers Group 3:45 pm |
| November 15 | Knights of Columbus Meeting (SM) 6 pm |
| November 18 | Holy Family Crafty Ladies/ St. Mary Ladies Guild Meeting (SM) 9:30 am |
| November 18/19 | Thanksgiving Basket Collection (SM) |
| November 23 | "Happy Thanksgiving" (Office Closed) |
| November 23 | <u>NO</u> RCIA Class |
| November 26 | <u>NO</u> PRE Classes |
| November 29 | Little Flowers Group 3:45 pm |

Please pray for the success of our Diocese's Strategic Pastoral Planning process and participate in one of the 12 scheduled Listening Session (s) in our Deanery. Our Parish is in the **NORTHERN** Deanery

You can also complete the online survey at : <https://cdom.org/strategic-pastoral-planning/>



Imagine having all the questions you have regarding "The Holy Mass" answered in a half-day event hosted at Our Lady of Peace Retreat Center.

Would you like to have a deeper understanding of the spirituality of the Mass?

Would you like to live out the Mass more fully in your daily life?

At this event Priests will explain all the aspects, components, and rituals of The Holy Mass.

At the end of Mass there will be a Q & A session.

This single day event will be held on:

Saturday February 24, 2024

Log on to register at <https://www.olqpretreats.com> or email Debbie.Voyles@olqp.cdom.org



Holy Family Ladies

2023 Annual Cookie Exchange and Luncheon

at Mallard's Restaurant, Huntingdon
(Dutch Treat)

Saturday, December 2, 2023

11:00 am to 1:00 pm

**There is a sign-up sheet in back of the church or
RSVP to Bennette at 731-431-4162**

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

"I will bless you while I live...." How are you being called to Build, Bless and Glorify the Lord with your life? Consider the generous service of priesthood or consecrated life.

Visit: www.memphisvocations.com

Call the Diocesan Office of Vocations at (901) 373-1244, or write to: vocationsDirector@vocations.cdom.org.

WEEKLY OFFERTORY

Week Ending

11/05/2023

St. Mary—Enrollment	70
Weekly Budget	\$3133.17
Regular Offering	\$3365.00
	+232.00
Families Contributing	21

Holy Family — Enrollment	45
Weekly Budget	\$1738.55
Regular Offering	\$1596.00
	- 142.55

Families Contributing	19
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TWO COLLECTIONS

11/19/2023

Regular Offering/Maintenance

Ministry Schedule for November 19, 2023

St. Mary Catholic Church

Lectors

Saturday: Joyce Rushing

Sunday: Michael O'Connell

Eucharistic Ministers

Joyce Rushing and Andrea Vargas (Sat.)

Deacon (Sun.)

Dan Ebeling (Sun.)

Jean Ebeling (Sun.)

Counters

Dan and Jean Ebeling

Holy Family Catholic Church

Lector

Sunday: Anna Mills

Gift Bearers

John Edwards

Eucharistic Ministers:

Pat Long, Bennette Brou, Luisa Bautista

Counters

Dennis Blackwell and Wayne Tedford

	DATE	CHURCH	TIME	MASS FOR	REQUESTED BY
Saturday	11/11/2023	St. Mary	5:00 PM	Betty Gagnon	Greg and Grace Garza
Sunday	11/12/2023	Holy Family	8:30 AM	Holy Family Parishioners	
Sunday	11/12/2023	St. Mary	10:45 AM	Nancy Engerski	Dan and Jean Ebeling
Monday	11/13/2023	St. Mary	12:00 PM	Father Herbert Ene	Dan and Jean Ebeling
Tuesday	11/14/2023	No Mass	12:00 PM		
Wednesday	11/15/2023	Holy Family	12:00 PM	Communion Service	
Thursday	11/16/2023	Holy Family	12:00 PM	Holy Family Parishioners	
Friday	11/17/2023	St. Mary	12:00 PM	Mary Bressler	Dan and Jean Ebeling
Saturday	11/18/2023	St. Mary	5:00 PM	Donald Wilson+	Betty Gagnon
Sunday	11/19/2023	Holy Family	8:30 AM	Holy Family Parishioners	
Sunday	11/19/2023	St. Mary	10:45 AM	Mike and Pat Baloga+	David Baloga

Prayer Intentions for the Health and Recovery of our Parish Family

God is our refuge and our strength, an ever present help in distress.
The Lord of hosts is with us; our stronghold is the God of Jacob. (Ps. 46)



St. Mary's: Father Herbert, Nydia Hernandez, Jack Dashper, Mickey Baloga, Larry Weibel, Craig Coltharp, Patty Russo, Joe Griggs, Kitty Shelton, Lorna Huot, Betty Gagnon, Barbara Taylor, Jack Dashper, Greg Garza, Steve Ruhlman, David Johnson, Patrick Schasser, Sherrie Goldman, Jim McMillon, Pam McMillon, Roger Gibbons, James Davenport, Vicky Story, Allen York, Janet Robbearts, Barbara Harrison, Mary Brown, Joyce Parker, Dan Ebeling, Polly Mitchell.

Holy Family: Dwayne Pierce, Tommie Tedford, Dorothy Wood, Anna Mills, Kamila Cerda, Debbie O'Bryant, Mary Jane Klinzing, Donna Reindl, Garry Korbel, Johanna Salma, Dick Stokes, Tommy Long, Deborah Thorne, Paul Multon, Leon Thorne, Mary Boucher, Sissy Munoz.

For Our Extended Family: Katy Walker, mother of Patrick Walker; Nancy Engerski, cousin of Jean Ebeling; Michael McCloskey, brother of David McCloskey; TJ Haines; John and Tammy Carroll, friend of Barbara Taylor; Susan Johnston, daughter-in-law of Barbara Taylor; Carl Reetz, friend of Holy Family Parishioners; Don Parker, son of Joyce Parker; Becky Orr; Scott Henderson, friend of Craig and Kathy Coltharp; Samantha Moore, granddaughter of Barbara Taylor; Nancy Vargas, mother of Bob Vargas; Mark King, nephew of Tricia Smothers; Barbara Gillespie, sister of

Dan Ebeling; Carolyn Tedmore, sister of Pam McMillan; Kitty Shelton; Terry Pace; John Waters; Kaelynn Bressler, niece of Dan and Jean Ebeling; Ruel Carmicheal, son of Betty Gagnon; Patty Douglas, friend of Barbara Taylor; Arley McMillon, brother of Jim McMillon; Barbara and James Harrison, friends of Donna Melton; Richard Muenze, brother-in-law of Pam McMillon; Lucy Connolly, sister of Lila Korbel; Gus Palmieri, friends of Jessica Glendora; John H. Costello, brother of Pam McMillon; John Brinker, uncle of Carrie Etter; Extended family of Barbara Taylor; Ruth Johnson, Aunt of Jean Ebeling; Dee Vohnoutka, sister of Garry Korbel; Anissa Jeanne Hendrix, Deacon Wayne Tedford's niece, Matthew Ebeling, son of Dan & Jean Ebeling; Charles Glover; Brenda Boodman.

For those on active duty in the military:

Bridget Bissen, granddaughter of Kenneth and Alma Bissen, Hudson Hazlerig, grandson of Jay and Julia Johnson, Kyle Moore, grandson of Barbara Taylor, Kyle Bissen, grandson of Kenneth and Alma Bissen, Jonathon Placido, son-in-law of Arlene Conrad; Zakkary Klinzing, grandson of Mary Jane Klinzing; Eric Huot, husband of Lorna Johnson Huot; Joshua Parker, grandson of Willis & Joyce Parker; Thomas O'Bryant III, son of Thomas & Debbie O'Bryant; Daniel Stanfill, grandson of Grady & Diana Stanfill.