Holy Name of Jesus Church

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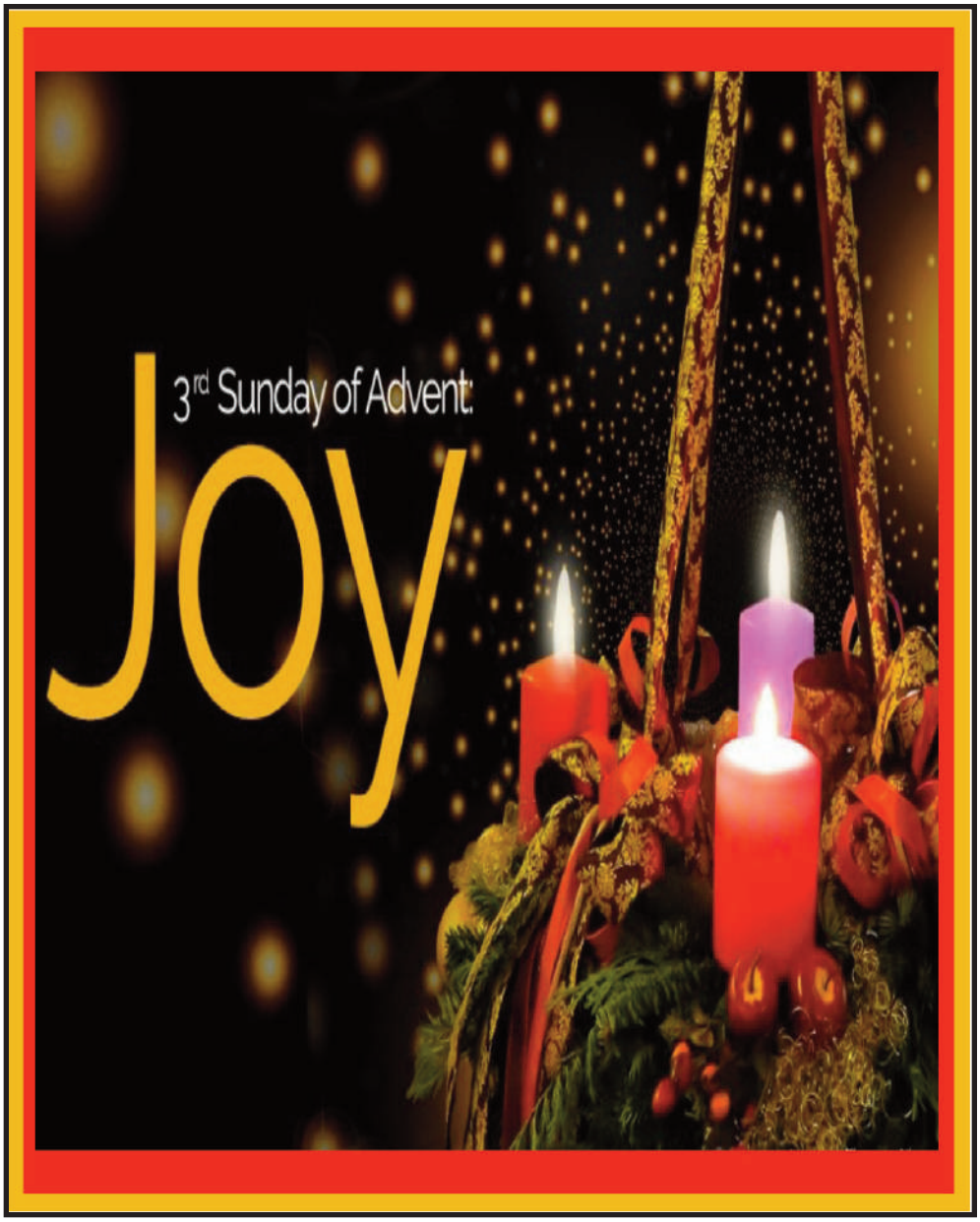


THE THIRD SUNDAY OF THE SEASON OF ADVENT

Mass Schedule

The Lord's Day

Saturday
5:15 p.m.
Sunday
10:15 a.m.
Korean Mass
9:15a.m. Children's Mass
12:00 p.m.

Weekdays

Monday - Friday
9:00 a.m.
Rosary Follows Mass

Holy Days

As Announced

Confessions

Saturday
4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

St. Padre Pio Devotions

1st Friday of each month
7pm Holy Hour with confessions following 8pm Mass

Wednesday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
after 9:00am Mass
till 10:30am

Advent Message From the Pastor

This weekend, we celebrate the Third Sunday of Advent, traditionally called Gaudete Sunday. On this Sunday, we light the rose candle as a reminder that we are at the midpoint of Advent in our preparations for the Coming of Christ at Christmas and therefore, it is a time to rejoice. The four candles on the Advent wreath represent the 4000 years from the time of Adam and Eve until the birth of Jesus. In addition, the candles also represent prayer, penance, and the sacrificial practices we make in preparation for Christmas.

If you took a gift tag from the Giving Tree, please remember that gifts are due back this weekend so that they might be distributed in a timely fashion. Thank you to those who have already returned their gifts. If you forgot the due date, PLESE BRING THE GIFT TO THE RECTORY OFFICE TOMORROW, Monday, December 16, between the hours of 9:30 Am to 3:30 PM.

Christmas Flower Fund envelopes were mailed to all register parishioners asking for your generous support for the Christmas flowers and decorations at the Church. If you did not receive an envelope, or misplaced it, or are not on our mailing list, envelopes are available at the doors of the Church. In appreciation for your donation, your loved ones will be remembered in a number of Masses offered throughout the Christmas Season.

The Guild at St. Francis Hospital invites all parishioners to remember loved ones by having their names placed on the Tree of Lights in the Chapel at St. Francis Hospital. Please see the announcement elsewhere in this bulletin.

WEEKLY MASSES

Sunday December 15th, 2024
Third Sunday of Advent

The Focus - The Lord rejoices over us. In the first reading, Zephaniah foretells the restoration of Jerusalem when the King of Israel, the Lord, will be in their midst. In the second reading, Paul instructs the Philippians to rejoice in the Lord always, for *the Lord is near*. In the Gospel, John the Baptist prepares the way for Jesus by baptizing and preaching the Good News. Published Franciscan Media

Saturday, 12/14/24-St. John of the Cross, Priest & Doctor of the Church
5:15:pm Diana Regino (Living)
Ross Testagrossa
Alfred John Regino (Living)
Terry & Tony Russell (Living)

Sunday, 12/15/24-Third Sunday of Advent
10:15am People of the Parish
Paul J. Rogers
Clementina & Stefano Ciervo
Stephen Michael Calascione

Monday, 12/16/24-Advent Weekday
9:00am Joseph Mario Reali

Tuesday, 12/17/24-Late Advent Weekday
9:00 am Norma Ferrigno

Wednesday 12/18/24-Late Advent Weekday
9:00am Madeleine Bauhoff

Thursday, 12/19/24-Late Advent Weekday
9:00am Michael Francis Reali (Living)

Friday, 12/20/24-Late Advent Weekday
9:00am Edward Corsello (Living)

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PRESENTS
Super Bowl 50/50 Boxes
Available after Mass

The **9:15 am** & **12 noon Korean Masses** will be celebrated by Fr. Matthew

Saturday, 12/14/24
Sirach 48:1-4, 9-11
Matthew 17:9a, 10-13

Sunday, 12/15/24
Zephaniah 3:14-18a
Philippians 4:4-7
Luke 3:10-18

Monday, 12/16/24
Numbers 24:2-7, 15-17a
Matthew 21:23-27

Tuesday, 12/17/24
Genesis 49:2, 8-10
Matthew 1:1-17

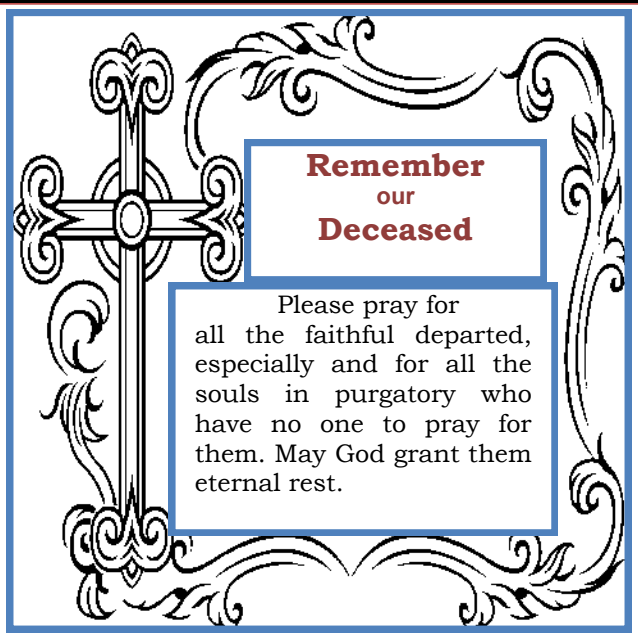
Wednesday, 12/18/24
Jeremiah 23:5-8
Matthew 1:18-25

Thursday, 12/19/24
Judges 13:2-7, 24-25a
Luke 1:5-25

Friday, 12/20/24
Isaiah 7:10-14
Luke 1:26-38

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURY
Of December 8, 2024

Saturday Collection $422
Sunday $1,973
Mail-in $405
On-line $923.86
Immaculate Conception $847
Religious Retirement $658



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ny & James Russell, Edward & Vincent Gagliardo, Kala Steiner, Richie & Rosamaria Ochotorena, Teresa Figalora, Jessica Colasante, Patricia Puglisi, Viviana Trapani, Angelo Yodice and Mauro Gasparini, Don Davis, Linda Bulinski, Frank A. Gulotta, Jr., Ida & Phyllis Montuori, Elisa Veneziano, Cris Colletta, Stephen G. Bianco, James (Red) Hailey, Joy Lanza, Henry and Clare Schauer, the Fenton family, Helen Morrison, James Peter & Joseph M., Eileen Jones, Connie Raimondi, Kate Goodman, Peter Prunka, Lindsay Mistretta, Rob Remhild, Kevin Michael Amoroso, Michael Mackenzie, Camille Prunka, Grace Davis, Elena Maria Panvini, Evelyn Velting, Julia Zanotelli, Attilio & Lina Femia, Irene Higgins, Alfred John Regino, Alex Amand, Taylor Perla and Felix Ristuccia

-The **9:15 am** & **12 noon Korean Masses** will be celebrated by Fr. Matthew

12/14/2024
5:15pm Mass

Celebrant	Msgr. Richard Bauhoff
EMHC	Castellano/Quinn
Readers	Labrocca
Altar Server	Competiello
Sacristan	Rea
Music & Cantor	Tom Stallone Diana Regino

12/15/2024
10:15am Mass

Celebrant	Msgr. Richard Bauhoff
EMHC	Barry/Pawliw
Readers	Annucci (2)
Altar Server	
Sacristan	Rea
Music & Cantor	Tom Stallone Lena Pennino-Smith

Tree of Lights Remembrance

The St. Francis Hospital Guild provides an annual Christmas opportunity to honor and remember family members, friends, health care professionals and colleagues living or deceased by including their name(s) on its Tree of Lights, on display now through Jan. 3rd, 2025 in the hospital lobby.

A Special Tree of Lights Honoree Mass will be celebrated in the St. Francis Hospital Chapel on Thursday, January 6, 2025 at 5pm. Acknowledgement/Gift Cards are available to give/mail to the honoree(s) or their family to inform them of your donation. The per name donation is $10. Pick up your order form & envelope in the church vestibule.

Mail-in deadline: December 23, 2024
All are invited to attend the Mass at the SFH Chapel. If you plan on attending, please include your email address on the order form in order to receive any Mass updates.

It Is Well with my Soul

Hymn Corner

By Bill Dagle

More than likely you have heard or read the story behind the writing of It Is Well with my Soul. The author, Horatio Spafford, born October 22, 1828 in Troy, New York, grew up to become a successful lawyer in Chicago. He wrote the words to It Is Well with my Soul after receiving the tragic news of the death of his four daughters.

On the fateful night of November 22, 1873, the Ville de Havre, a passenger ship, sank in a mid-ocean collision. Out of his entire family, only his wife survived. Back in 1873, Horatio had decided to take his family to France and then on to Switzerland. That's why passage had been booked on the French liner, S. S. Ville de Havre. Because of last minute business, Horatio planned to stay behind a few weeks, then catch up with his family. Having gone to New York and after boarding the ship, an uneasy feeling caused him to have the family's cabins changed to the bow of the ship. I would be just a few days later, at two in the morning, that the ship would be cut in two right at the cabins the Spaffords had left. In less than twelve minutes, the children succumbed to the rushing water, but Anna survived. If the changing of cabins hadn't happened, she too would have died. Had Anna died, history would have taken a different course because it was when Spafford was in route to reunite with his wife, after the accident, that he penned the words to the song.

For many of us, when troubles come our way, it is hard to understand why. If only we too could say, "When sorrows like sea billows roll, it is well, it is well with my soul." I believe, with Christ Jesus, we can. Horatio Spafford did.

ANNIVERSARY MASS

Mark Your CALENDAR

Please mark your calendars and plan to attend the Annual Anniversary Mass in memory of Joseph Mario Reali, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus Joseph Mario Reali Council #16261 on Saturday January 25, 2024.

The Rosary will be prayed beginning at 4:30pm followed by the Regular 5:15pm Mass.

Reception to Follow

The Parishioners of
Holy Name of Jesus
are invited
to Pasta Night

Please join Msgr. Bauhoff
Hosted by Deacon Chris & Lori Krotz
Monday, December 16th at 6:00pm

Christmas Flower Fund Envelopes

The Christmas Flower envelopes will be out for you to place the names of your loved ones that you would like Remembered and prayed for. Please return to the rectory or the collection baskets, thank you.

DECEMBER 2024

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4	5	6 PADRE PIO 7PM	7
8	9 IMMACULATE CONCEPTION 12:10 & 5:15pm Mass	10	11 DMII MEETING 6:30PM	12	13	14
15	16 Pasta Nights 6PM	17	18	19	20	21 Confessions 4-4:30pm
22	23	24 4:00PM VIGIL	25 8:30 & 10:15AM Mass Christmas	26 RECTORY CLOSED	27	28
29	30	31	Blessed New Year!			

HOLY NAME OF JESUS CELEBRATES CHRISTMAS 2024

Fourth Sunday of Advent
Saturday, December 21, 5:15pm
Sunday, December 22, 10:15am

CONFESSIONS
Saturday December 21st 4:00-4:30pm

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CHRISTMAS EVE MASS
4:00PM

CHRISTMAS DAY MASSES
8:30AM
10:15AM

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NEW YEAR'S EVE MASS
5:15PM

NEW YEAR'S DAY MASS
10:15AM

NEWS FROM HNJ ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE

The committee would like to take this opportunity to thank HNJ parishioners for all the accolades many of you have expressed to Msg. Bauhoff or to the dedicated members regarding the décor and exhibits displayed in our church. The committee truly appreciates your gracious and generous compliments and contributions.

Much thought, research, effort, and time goes into the innovative designs and exhibits created to celebrate each season in the liturgical year. The items made are intended for future use. We respectfully request that the pieces used on our pews and or the altar NOT be removed from HNJ Church and that the displays be left in their original set up, as each is thoughtfully and carefully placed in accordance with the specific time of year. Thank you in advance for this courtesy and your kind consideration and cooperation.

Yours in Christ
The Environmental Committee

The second part of Advent begins on December 17th each year. For the last eight days before Christmas, the plan of the readings changes. The first readings are still from the prophesies, but now the gospels are from the infancy narratives of Matthew and Luke. We read the stories of faithful women and men who prepared the way for our salvation. We enter into the story of how Jesus' life began. These stories are filled with hints of what his life will mean for us. Faith and generosity overcome impossibility. Poverty and persecution reveal glory.

Preparing our Hearts and asking for Grace
We prepare this week by feeling the joy. We move through this week feeling a part of the waiting world that rejoices because our longing has prepared us to believe the reign of God is close at hand. And so we consciously ask:

Prepare our hearts
and remove the sadness
that hinders us from feeling
the joy and hope
which his presence
will bestow.

Holy Name of Jesus Giving Tree…

REMINDER—GIVING TREE DECEMBER 15TH, 2024

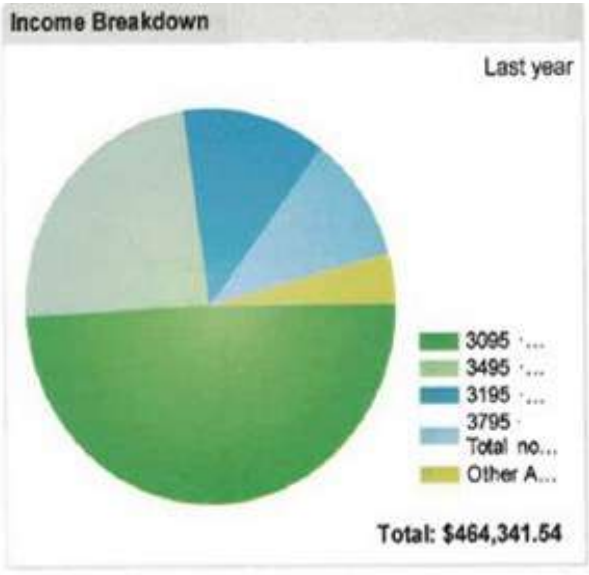
This weekend is the deadline for bringing in your Giving Tree Gifts. We thank all who have participated in making this project a continued success.

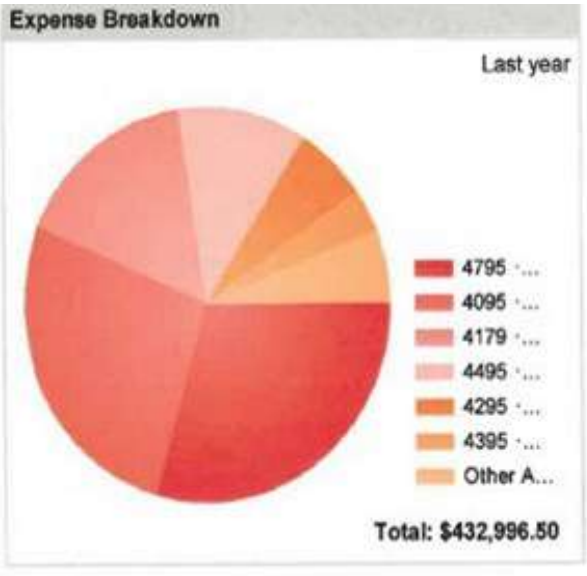
Thank you
The Giving Tree Committee

Christmas Ornament Tags: Christmas is a joyous time but it can also be a difficult time; a time when we miss loved ones gone recently or many years ago. We have placed tags in the narthex and by the side entrance for you to write the name of a loved one on that you miss and want remembered this Christmas. Each tag will be hung from a pine cone ornament on the 2 altar Christmas trees. You may submit more than one tag. Please complete tags by December 20th and place in the basket in the narthex.

Church of Holy Name of Jesus
Profit & Loss
September 2023 through August 2024

	Sep '23 - Aug 24
Ordinary Income/Expense	
Income	
3095 · Total Regular Collections	228,300.14
3195 · Total Fundraising	57,556.58
3295 · Total parish programs	527.00
3495 · Total Auxiliary Revenue	110,108.45
3695 · Diocesan Collections Rcd.	9,584.60
3795 · Total non-operating revenue	49,114.27
3895 · Total Extraordinary Revenue	9,150.50
Total Income	464,341.54
Gross Profit	464,341.54
Expense	
4095 · Total salaries	116,957.04
4179 · Fringe benefits	69,905.86
4199 · Total Fundraising/Develpmt	7,988.55
4285 · Parish Programs	563.40
4295 · Total School Subsidy	27,632.00
4395 · Printing & office	15,882.35
4495 · Auxiliary expenditures	49,052.16
4595 · Total Rectory/Household	7,822.27
4695 · DRVC collections paid	9,584.60
4795 · Total Buildings/Utilities/Maint	127,608.27
Total Expense	432,996.50
Net Ordinary Income	31,345.04
Net Income	**31,345.04**





FISCAL YEAR SEPT 2023 TO AUG 2024						
HOLY NAME OF JESUS		YTD ACTUAL	YTD BUDGET		YTD Comp	
SUMMARY RESULTS AS OF AUGUST 2024		Fiscal 2023-2024	Fiscal 2024		Fiscal 2022-23	
REVENUE				VARIANCE		YTD CHNGE
COLLECTIONS		228,300	233,500	-5,200	230,267	-1,967
REGIONAL SCHOOLS		7,195	5,000	2,195	6,162	1,034
FUNDRAISING- Raffles, Superbowl		38,463	32,000	6,463	36,250	2,213
CMA Goal: $27,900		12,425	6,000	6,425	3,273	9,152
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION		0	0	0	520	-520
OTHER PROGRAMS		0	0	0	275	-275
AUXILIARY Perqs, Shrines, St. Pio Group,Bulletin Comm.		46,808	47,300	-492	48,014	-1,206
RENTAL INCOME - KCA		63,300	64,800	-1,500	70,200	-6,900
INVESTMENT INC incl. interest on all investments		49,114	40,000	9,114	24,114	25,001
EXTRAORDINDARY OTHER REV	for Heating system	9,151	2,850	6,301	2,867	6,283
DRVC Collections		$9,585			10,240.49	-656
TOTAL REVENUE		464,342	431,450	23,307	432,182	32,159
		YTD ACTUAL	YTD BUDGET		YTD COMP	
EXPENDITURES		Fiscal 2024	Fiscal 2024	VARIANCE	Fiscal 2023	YTD CHNGE
SALARIES	no maint person & less of extra priest	116,957	148,599	-31,642	121,181	-4,224
FRINGE BENEFITS		69,906	68,741	1,165	65,386	4,520
FUNDRAISING	Did good on the Raffles	7,989	6,500	1,489	4,000	3,989
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION			0	0	100	-100
OTHER PROGRAMS		563	500	63	916	-352
Social Ministry						
REGIONAL SCHOOLS SUBSIDY		27,632	25,000	2,632	28,072	-440
OFFICE	Vendor's price increased	15,882	15,252	630	14,336	1,547
AUXILIARY						
Liturgical, Choir, Missalettes, Charity		22,522	27,200	-4,678	29,813	-7,291.1
DRVC ASSESSMENTS		26,530	18,000	8,530	25,489	1,041
HOUSEHOLD	no Fr John	7,822	9,500	-1,678	9,762	-1,940
MAINTENANCE includes		127,608	127,250	358	130,186	-2,578
Repairs & Renovations Exp 2024		$0	0	0	87,250	-87,250
DRVC Payable		9,585			10,240	-656
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSE		432,997	446,542	-23,130	526,731	-93,734
SURPLUS/(DEFICIT)		31,345				

Renovations Exp 2017	$60,619	
Renovations Exp 2018	$59,004	front steps & light's control
Renovations Exp 2019	$123,758	Budget $50k Electrical
Renovations Exp 2020	$29,203	LED & Fixtures basement, church & library
Renovations Exp 2021	$0	
Renovations Exp 2022	$9,474	Bathroom
Renovations Exp 2023	$87,250	AC new system compressor unit
Renovations Exp 2024	$0	
Current Investments Market Value - Wells Fargo	$615,000	Principal Amt
(NYCB) Flagstar	$243,422	
Flagstar - 555 Account	$75,016	
Bethpage	$191,817	
Ocean Financial	$117,702	
Current Operating - Capital One	$26,138.30	
Total Investments:	$1,269,096	

2024 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

Revitalizing our Faith – Renewed by the Eucharist

As the last few months of the Appeal are upon us, I am writing to ask that, if you have not already done so, you might consider joining with me, by making a gift to the 2024 Catholic Ministries Appeal.

I am grateful to those who have already contributed to the good work we are trying to accomplish together here on Long Island. Every dollar helps to bring Christ to so many who need to hear His voice, feel His healing touch, and be inspired by works of catechesis and evangelization.

As a faith-filled parish community, all of us recognize the responsibility of bringing our young people into our family of faith and guiding them on their lifelong journey with Christ. Our Diocese continues to focus on ministries that support young Catholics and their baptismal call to holiness; to welcome the contributions they make to the Church and help them grow in faith. Such growth is key for young Catholics in discerning the state of life that would best correspond to what God wants from them.

Thanks to your gifts to the *Catholic Ministries Appeal*, Youth, Young Adult and Campus Ministry Programs are responding to the call for action by offering many opportunities for young people to engage in a dialogue with Bishop Barres, priests and religious, youth and young adult ministers and their peers.

Michaela, a participant at a Holy Hour at our Seminary shared, "*My faith is so important to me – without it I would be lost. I would not always have God's voice with me. He guides me!*"

Your support helps us continue to teach and pass on our faith to our young people!

Thank you most sincerely for your consideration of this special request to make a gift to the 2024 *Catholic Ministries Appeal*. No gift is ever too small, and all gifts make a difference in the lives of our young people – the future leaders of our church and the wider community.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

HOLY NAME OF JESUS CHURCH, 690 WOODBURY ROAD, WOODBURY, NY 11797
PLEASE CONSIDER MAKING A GIFT TO THE 2024 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL!
Every Gift Makes a difference in the Lives of Others.

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Name: _____

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City, State, Zip: _____

E-Mail: _____

Pledge	$_____
Down Payment	$_____
Balance	$_____

Catholic Mom
HOLY CROSS FAMILY MINISTRIES

SUNDAY GOSPEL ACTIVITIES

Unscramble each word, then use the circled letters to solve the quote on the bottom. Use Luke 3:6 for help if you need it.

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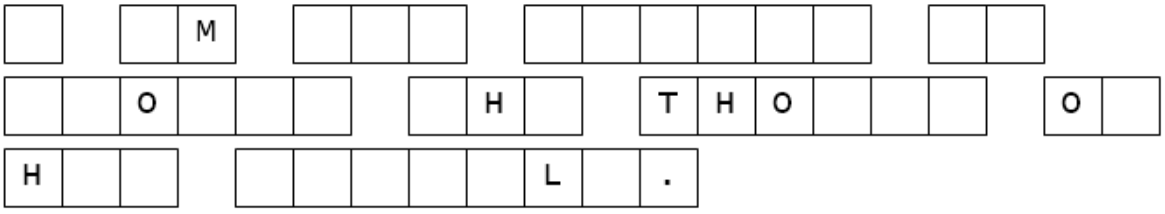

Catholic Mom
HOLY CROSS
FAMILY MINISTRIES

SUNDAY GOSPEL ACTIVITIES

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