

# News You Can Use

April 21, 2016

## The Fifth Sunday of Easter

Holy Family Episcopal Church

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### Our Staff:

The Rev. Michael Galvin, Rector  
The Rev. Cathy Scott, Deacon  
Jolene Johnston, Director of Children's Ministry and  
Director of Communications  
Marty Blake, Director of Youth Ministry  
Cheryl Burke, Parish Administrator  
Bethany Paden, Music Director

### Office Hours:

Monday-Wednesday 9 AM - 2 PM

### The Vestry:

**Senior Warden** Ben Paden, **Junior Warden** Dan Chillemi;  
*Treasurer* Betty Bogeman; Ethan Everett (youth), Bryan Luce,  
Lauren Hendrickson, Elaine Pickens, Marty Blake, Doug Tannas,  
Fred Stahly, Susie Beard, Debbie Talbert, *Clerk* Jim Agnew

*The next vestry meeting will be held at 7 PM on Tuesday,  
May 17th.*

## Serving This Sunday, April 24:

Celebrant: The Rt. Rev. Catherine Waynick  
Homily: The Rt. Rev. Catherine Waynick  
Rector: The Rev. Michael Galvin  
Deacon: The Rev. Cathy Scott  
Music Director: Bethany Paden  
Greeter: Debbie Talbert  
Ushers: Troy Everett, Brad Daniells  
Readers: Mara Yachik, Betty Bogeman, Bob Murray, Joan Head  
Prayers: Wade Nichols, Barb Spangler  
Chalice: David Emerson, Joe Spangler, Lauren Hendrickson  
Acolytes: Joe Spangler, Patrick Burke, Lexi Burke, Matthew Johnston  
Healing: Nancy Thomas, Ruth Everett  
LEV: Nancy Thomas  
Almoners: Doug Tannas, Bryan Luce  
AG Sat. Set Up: Kris Brown, Lauren Wilson  
AG Bread: Chris Brown  
AG Set Sun. 10 a.m.: Ginny Olsen  
AG Clean Up: Kris Brown, Lauren Wilson  
Hospitality: DOK

**9 AM Sunday school hour:** All children are asked to meet in the parish hall. Adults are invited to hear Bishop Cate speak in the sanctuary. The children will join the adults later in the program.

**10 AM Nursery:** Kate Chillemi, Ian Johnston

**10 AM Childcare:** Tony Butt



## Sunday's readings:

**First Reading** Acts 11:1-18 **Psalm 148** **Second Reading** Revelation 21:1-6 **Gospel** John 13:31-35

## Our Mission

We bear witness to the Light of Christ by serving as the heart and hands of Jesus, nourishing people and transforming lives.

## Worship and Feast Days



**CITY OF GOD**  
BUILDING A FIRM FOUNDATION

**The Bishop is Coming!** On Sunday, April 24th, Bishop Catherine Waynick will visit Holy Family on her farewell tour as she retires from the Diocese of Indianapolis. On that day she will lead our Sunday school hour at 9 AM for all ages. Following the 10 AM service, Bishop Cate will preside over a liturgy to dedicate our new City of God expansion. Hospitality will follow the dedication liturgy. All are invited to attend.

**Altar Flowers:** The 2016 sign-up sheet for altar flowers is now available in the hallway outside of the parish hall. The cost is \$55, and you are able to dedicate your gift in the bulletin. It is a great way to celebrate a birthday or anniversary or just a special remembrance of a date. You can pay by check and write "flowers" in the memo line or pay on-line on the HFEC website via the PayPal option on the [Contact Us page](#).

**Prayer Group:** Our Prayer Group will meet on the first and third Mondays of every month from 6:15 – 6:45 PM at church. During our time together, we will pray for the concerns of others. We invite anyone to pray with us and to also request prayer by placing their written prayers in the prayer box at the front of church, using our [online prayer request form](#), or by telling Deacon Cathy their prayer requests. Our next gathering is May 2nd.



## Christian Education



**Sunday School Teachers Needed:** Sunday school classes for children and youth are held each Sunday at 9 AM. If you are interested in volunteering as a teacher or assistant in preschool-6th grade, please go online and [sign up](#). Please consider serving in this important ministry for the last few weeks of our Christian education year. The last week of Sunday school classes is May 15th.

**Graduation Sunday:** We will recognize all graduating seniors on Sunday, May 15th during the 10 AM service.

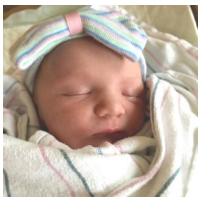
## Outreach Opportunities

**Outreach Focus - Jail Ministry Month:** In addition to presenting Alpha courses in basic Christianity, Jehoshua House has provided assistance to inmates as they finish their jail terms. Jehoshua House has provided many necessary items such as clothes, transportation (bicycle or helping get car back on the road, a bus ticket, or helping with driver's license fees), jobs, housing, furniture, and even a set of false teeth. If you are able, willing, and called to help, donations can be made on [their website](#). For more information please contact Stephen Canter, Bob French, Bob Murray, or Scott Wilson.



**Delaware Township Food Pantry:** The township has asked us to help focus on the following items for donation: oatmeal packets, granola bars, applesauce, breakfast cereal, peanut butter, jelly, canned chunky soups, and macaroni & cheese. They also need toilet paper and cleaning supplies.

## Thanks Be to God



- All congregation and community members who worked to clean up the church grounds under the leadership of Dan Chillemi
- For the birth of Charlotte Rose, daughter of Lindsey and Stephen Jendraszak
- David Emerson and Bob French for cleaning the inside and outside of the sanctuary windows
- Jim Agnew, James Keith, and Holy Family neighbor David Wojtkiwicz for tilling the Community Garden plots

**DID YOU KNOW?**

**Pledging Options:** Did you know that you can issue checks from your bank directly to Holy Family? As more and more people stop carrying checkbooks with them, this is an easy option to set up recurring payments to fulfill your pledge for the year. If you prefer, you can pay your pledge via credit card through the church website. Simply use the secure PayPal link on the [Contact Us](#) page of the website. Please contact the church office if you have any questions. [admin@hfec.org](mailto:admin@hfec.org)

## Fellowship Gatherings

**Women's Social:** All women of the church are invited to a fellowship gathering at the home of Annette Harling on Friday, April 22nd beginning at 7 PM. Please contact the church office via email for directions. [admin@hfec.org](mailto:admin@hfec.org)

**Breakfast Buddies:** Join us for our adult meal group gathering beginning at 8:30 AM on Saturday, May 14th at the Roost in Fishers. No cooking, no clean up!



## Other News



**Dollars for Donuts:** A link to sign up to host hospitality following the 10 AM service can be found by clicking [HERE](#). Please consider participating in this important ministry!

**Childcare Volunteers Needed:** **We are in critical need of additional childcare volunteers during the 10 AM service.** Please use [this link](#) to access the Nursery sign-up sheet. To help supervise preK-1st grade children, please use [this link](#). Signing up to supervise children just 1-2 times per semester will make a tremendous difference to these important ministries.

**Meal Ministry:** The mission of Meal Ministry is to demonstrate love, mercy, hospitality, compassion and outreach by providing meals to those from Holy Family that are in need of a meal due to sickness, hospitalization or other hardship. When a meal is requested, we will notify the group of volunteers for interest in signing up to provide a meal or gift card for a meal. For more information contact: Kristine Canter, Fran Browning, or the church office. [admin@hfec.org](mailto:admin@hfec.org)

**Dinner Groups Kickoff:** The dinner group kick-off event will take place at Holy Family this Saturday, April 23rd at 5 PM. For more information please contact the church office. [admin@hfec.org](mailto:admin@hfec.org)

**Brotherhood of St. Andrew:** All men of the church are invited to the Brotherhood of St. Andrew gathering on Tuesday, April 26th at 7 PM.

**Media Training:** An audio training class will be held at 11:30 AM on Sunday, May 1st for those interested in learning about microphones to speakers and everything in between. Please contact Fred Stahly or the church office to participate and RSVP for lunch. All ages and experience are welcome. [admin@hfec.org](mailto:admin@hfec.org)

**DINNER**  
Groups



On May 14th, Holy Family's Youth Group will hold its annual Spaghetti Dinner and Silent Auction fundraiser event. Tickets are on sale now! We are inviting members of the congregation to join in the fun by donating a basket of items valued between \$20-50 for the auction. You are also invited to create a basket or make a monetary donation, and we will create a basket in your name. **Donated items are due by May 1st.** [jjohnston@hfec.org](mailto:jjohnston@hfec.org)

## Happy Anniversary

Roger & Cecelia Loney April 21



Joel Bruns

April 25

Gita Higgins

April 27

Heather Tannas

April 27