

# Holy Family Faith Formation



## Welcome to the 2020/2021 School Year

Welcome Back Families!

As you already know, we are working on transitioning to a family based faith formation program and an online faith formation program. The program will look something like this:

**Students in grades kinder through fifth:** Parents attend a monthly meeting where we talk about the faith and they learn a little bit about the faith. Monthly activities will be sent home with families and check ins will happen throughout the month.

**Students in sixth through eighth grade:** Parents attend a monthly meeting where we talk about the faith and they learn a little bit about the faith. Monthly activities will be sent home with families and check ins will happen throughout the month. In addition, an after school youth group will take place at church on Wednesdays.

**Students in ninth through eleventh grade:** Students will take online courses through Ascension Press throughout the year. Each year will have one or two courses for the students to complete. In addition, an evening youth group will take place at church on Wednesdays.

As you know, parents are the *first and most important educator of their children*, we pray that this new format allows for us (the church) to support you (as parents) allowing you to teach your children the faith through word and example.

Let us work together to give them an awesome example.

## A Note from Jamie

Welcome back Everyone! I feel as if it's been forever since I have seen you all and been able to work with you. As you know this starts my fourth year at Holy Family in the Faith Formation department and I look forward (although apprehensively) to some big changes this year.

2020 has been a whirlwind ... I think we are all hanging on tightly. However, I look forward to getting back to some sort of regular faith formation classes again and working more closely with parents this year.

This year, I will focus on educating parents about our Catholic Faith. Then you (the parents) can take this knowledge home to your children and help them learn the faith. As we can, I hope to open up opportunities for the families of our parish giving your family more opportunities to pray together, worship together, fellowship, and learn as a family.

I will continue the Faith Formation page in the weekly bulletin, this is one easy way you can keep up to date with the activities of the children and youth in our program.

Please consider my door always open to address your concerns and questions – come talk to me any time.

Thank you for your patience, thank you for your prayers, and thank you for your support!

Blessings,

Jamie Klappa

Director of Faith Formation

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### Registration

Registration forms can be found online at:

<http://www.holyfamilywoodruff.org/Youth-Faith-Formation>

Please let me know if you need paperwork mailed to you and I will gladly pop it into the mail.

Please get your paperwork returned to the parish as soon as possible so we can order any necessary books and supplies.



 **Faith Formation Calendar**  
*Holy Family Catholic Church*



							<span style="background-color: yellow;">■</span> Parent meetings (in person or live streamed); 5:30 pm in church <span style="background-color: lightgreen;">■</span> Youth Group: Grades 6-8 at 3:45 pm until 5 pm; Grades 9-11 at 6:30 pm until 8:00 pm																																																																																										
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**Faith Formation Calendar**

Please note that the calendar this year will need to be flexible. As much as we like to plan, the reality is that this year's plan will need to be flexible and fluid as things change. The situation will be monitored continuously and we will move forward as a program that works for our families. Please watch for additional family activities and youth activities throughout the year.

***Thanks for your prayers and understanding.***

Jamie Klappa – Coordinator of Children's Faith Formation  
[jamie.klappa@holyfamilywoodruff.org](mailto:jamie.klappa@holyfamilywoodruff.org)  
 715.956.6284 ext. 154

**The Way Café**

Way Café has been temporarily postponed until it is safe to serve family-style meals.

**Youth Group**

Youth group will meet weekly for our middle and high school students.

- Middle School (grades 6 – 8): 3:45 pm – 5:00 pm
- High School (grades 9 – 12): 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm



# Holy Family Faith Formation Registration 2020/21



Mail to: Holy Family Catholic Church  
 Attn: Faith Formation  
 8950 Hwy. J  
 Woodruff, WI 54568  
 715.356.6284 ext. 154

For Office Use Only:  
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Parents: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
STREET/PO BOX TOWN ZIP COUNTY

Additional student home information if different from above:

Parent: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mom: cell (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_ work (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_ Dad: cell (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_ work (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_

Mom: email \_\_\_\_\_ Dad: email \_\_\_\_\_

Are both parents Catholic? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No If not, who and other religion? \_\_\_\_\_

School Students Attend: (circle) AV-W LdF MHLT LUHS Other \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name <i>First Last</i>	Birth Date <i>MM/DD/YY</i>	Grade	Baptism	Eucharist	Reconciliation
			<i>Check (✓) if celebrated List Parish Name/City if not Holy Family or previous cluster</i>	<i>Check (✓) if celebrated List Parish Name/City if not Holy Family or previous cluster</i>	<i>Check (✓) if celebrated List Parish Name/City if not Holy Family or previous cluster</i>

**Parent involvement is necessary to create and maintain a sacred and safe environment for our children to learn and grow in their faith. Indicate below how you can help us:**

*Those interested in volunteering agree to complete Safe Environment Training and a Background Check (all training is now done online).*

Name of volunteer(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Contact phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact email: \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_ Catechist/Classroom Aide
- \_\_\_ Middle School Youth Group (3:45 – 5:00 pm)
- \_\_\_ High School Youth Group (6:30 – 8:00 pm)
- \_\_\_ Other Help as needed
- \_\_\_ IT/Technology help
- \_\_\_ Snack help (MS or HS)

*Please return all paperwork by September 9<sup>th</sup>*

**Family Tuition:** Tuition is \$35 for 1 child, \$70 for 2 children, or \$100 for three or more children. All books and programming will be provided by the parish and the tuition will cover cost of books for the students and parents. No one is turned away due to inability to pay – however, this form must still be on file.

**AMOUNT ENCLOSED**

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## Holy Family Youth Group

Youth Group will meet:

- Grade School (grades 6 – 8): 3:45 pm to 5:00 pm on Wednesday evenings
- High School (grades 9 – 12): 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm on Wednesday evenings

Youth group will be an opportunity for our youth to experience fellowship, community, service, faith growth, prayer, among other things. Youth group will meet in the dining hall to allow for social distancing. Surfaces will be disinfected after every meeting. All supplies or other items will be disinfected if shared. Please fill out a permission form for each student who will be attending in person at our youth group.

## Email Communications

Due to the increased online and at-home programming this year, we are asking for your student’s email address (as appropriate) so as to communicate with our catechists. Please know that all communications will have parents copied in on them. All of our students already use email daily to communicate with each other and teachers at school. This increased level of independency will help your student to gain independence and take responsibility for their own faith learning.

Student: \_\_\_\_\_ email: \_\_\_\_\_

Student: \_\_\_\_\_ email: \_\_\_\_\_

Student: \_\_\_\_\_ email: \_\_\_\_\_

Student: \_\_\_\_\_ email: \_\_\_\_\_

I give permission for my child communicate with his/her teacher and Holy Family Catholic Church via email during the 2020/2021 school year. My signature below indicates that I understand the risks. I understand that I may discuss any concerns or questions I have about this with a representative of the parish or Diocese of Superior prior to giving permission for my child to participate.

In consideration for my child’s participation, I agree to reimburse and indemnify the above named parish and the Diocese of Superior for all reasonable legal and court fees incurred by the parish/diocese in defending a lawsuit that I or my child may bring against the parish/diocese which relates to the above named event if the parish/diocese is found not legally liable by the courts and prevails in the lawsuit. If the parish/diocese is found legally liable for any injuries sustained by my child, this paragraph will not apply. I further agree to reimburse the diocese or any other agency for property damage or any bodily harm to other participants caused by my child.

Parent/guardian signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to child: \_\_\_\_\_

Diocese of Superior

Youth Image and Recording Release Form

The Diocese of Superior and its affiliated parishes and schools may wish to use an image and/or recording of your child in print and electronic publicity and virtual education. It is the practice of the Diocese of Superior to protect all children at all times including the public use of their image and/or recording. This document has been developed to inform parents and guardians of their right to grant or refuse permission for their child's image and/or likeness to be used in Diocesan and affiliated parish and school media, promotional materials, and virtual education.

Permission to use any video recording, photograph, slide, audio recording, or any other visual or audio reproduction in which your child may appear may include promotional and educational activities such as, but not limited to, websites, social media sites, newsprint, flyers or brochures, virtual classroom. We reserve the right to determine which image and/or recording is used and how long it will remain on the site or is used in media materials.

Diocesan Department, Parish or School Initiating this form: Holy Family Catholic Church
Contact person: Jamie Klappa Phone: 715.356.6284 ext. 154
Email: jamie.klappa@holyfamilywoodruff.org Fax:

Parents and Guardians: Please carefully read the statements below. Indicate your permission or refusal of permission by signing and dating the appropriate statement.

[ ] YES, I give permission to the Diocese of Superior and affiliated parishes and schools to use my child's image and/or recording for above-said use.

Child's name
Child's name
Child's name

I understand that both print and electronic media have a large audience and that my child(ren)'s photographic image and/or recording may have wide distribution.

Parent/Guardian Signature Date

[ ] NO, I do not give permission to the Diocese of Superior and affiliated parishes to use my child's image and/or recording for above-said use.

Child's name
Child's name
Child's name

Parent/Guardian Signature Date

PLEASE RETURN THIS ENTIRE FORM TO THE CONTACT PERSON LISTED ABOVE.