

The Church of The Holy Name of Jesus

**The Franciscan Friars
207 West 96th Street
New York, New York 10025
www.holynamenyc.org**

Our Mission Statement

The Parish of the Holy Name of Jesus is a vibrant urban ministry in the Roman Catholic Church within the Franciscan tradition. In our rich diversity of cultures and languages, we seek to be open to God's spirit so that we might grow in the faith that makes us one and give witness to the presence of Christ in our daily lives. As instruments of God's peace, we reach out to and welcome all people with a special concern for the poor, the alienated, and the immigrant. We do this through worship, education, and outreach in fulfilling our dream that all might be served in the spirit of St. Francis.

La paroisse de Holy Name est une vibrante communauté urbaine et catholique, animée par la Congrégation Franciscaine. Sa grande diversité culturelle et linguistique lui permet de toucher différents groupes ethniques, et de leur dispenser la foi divine et Chrétienne qui se reflète dans leur vie quotidienne. Et comme instruments de la paix préconisée par Dieu, les paroissiens de Holy Name cherchent et accueillent tous les frères et particulièrement les pauvres, les inadaptés les laissés pour compte et les immigrants. Nous accomplissons cette tâche par le culte, la prière, l'éducation, et par là nous réalisons notre rêve de servir tous les enfants de Dieu, selon l'esprit de Saint François d'Assise.

La parroquia del Santo Nombre de Jesús es un ministerio Franciscano urbano dinámico de la Iglesia Católica Romana. En la diversidad y riqueza de culturas e idiomas, tratamos de mantenernos abiertos al espíritu de Dios para así crecer en la fe que nos une y dar testimonio de la presencia de Cristo en nuestra vida diaria. Como artesanos de la paz de Dios, aceptamos y acogemos a todos especialmente a los pobres, los alienados y los inmigrantes a través de nuestros servicios litúrgicos, educación religiosa y programas de ayuda comunitaria. De esta forma hacemos realidad nuestro deseo de servir a todos en el espíritu de San Francisco.



THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

DECEMBER 14, 2014



STEWARDSHIP AT HOLY NAME:

John the Baptist was called to herald the Lord's coming. What is God calling us to do, and are we answering that call?

STAYING IN TOUCH

Church of the Holy Name of Jesus
207 West 96th Street
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Telephone: 212-749-0276
Fax: 212-749-2045
E-mail: holynameyc@aol.com
Parish Website: www.holynameyc.org

Parish Office Hours:

Monday - Friday
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM
1:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Sunday
10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Parish Office closed on Saturdays and Federal Holidays

OUR PASTORAL STAFF

Fr. Lawrence D. Ford, O.F.M.
Fr. Kevin Tortorelli, O.F.M.
Fr. Lawrence Hayes, O.F.M.
Fr. Michael McDonnell, O.F.M.
Fr. Evariste Ouedraogo, Parochial Vicar
Reverend Mr. Andre Alexandre, Deacon
Sr. Maria-Teresa de los Rios, F.M.M., Pastoral Associate
Sr. Mary Petrosky, F.M.M., Spiritual Director
Sr. Liliane Alam, F.M.M.

Director of Finance and Administration

Peter Adamczyk, Director of Music

Veronica Soto, Coordinator of Faith Formation

Jacqueline Espinal, Assistant to the Pastor

Friars in Residence:

Fr. Matthew Pravetz, O.F.M.

Fr. John Coughlin, O.F.M.

Franciscan Community Center

Rosemarie Stoffo

Director of Franciscan Community Center

Mildred Morency

Chief Programming and Operations Officer

CELEBRATING THE EUCHARIST

Weekend Masses

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 P.M.,

Sunday: 9:00 A.M., 10:30 A.M. (Spanish), 12:00 P.M.,
1:30 P.M. (French), 5:30 P.M.

Weekday Masses

Monday-Friday: 7:00 A.M., 12:00 P.M.

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 9:00 A.M. (Spanish)

Friday: 6:30 P.M. (French)

Saturday: 9:00 A.M.

Reconciliation: Tuesday & Thursday 11:30am-12:00pm
Saturday 4pm-5pm (English and Spanish)

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday, Dec. 15, 2014

Archdiocesan Reconciliation Day

Confessions:

4:00-5:00PM, Fr. Kevin (English)

5:00-6:00PM, Fr. Mike (English & Spanish)

6:00-7:00PM, Fr. Matt (English)

7:00-8:00PM, Fr. Larry F. (English)

CELEBRATING THE SACRAMENTS

Baptism: Arrangements for Baptism should be made one month in advance. To schedule, please visit the Parish Office or call 212-749-0276, x10 for more information. Baptisms are celebrated in French on the first Sunday of the month, English on the second and Spanish on the third. Parents and Godparents are asked to participate in a Baptism Preparation Program prior to their child's Baptism.

Marriage: To schedule your wedding and/or register for our Marriage Preparation Program, please call the Parish Office at least six months prior to your anticipated date.

Reconciliation: Tuesday and Thursday 11:30 A.M. – 12:00 P.M, Saturday 4:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M. in English and Spanish or anytime by appointment through the Parish Office.

Sacrament of the Sick: If you or a loved one are ill or hospitalized, please contact the Parish Office to arrange for home, convalescent or hospital visitation and celebration of the Sacrament of the Sick.

Eucharistic Adoration: First Friday of the month from 12:30 P.M. – 1:30 P.M.

No quilting bees! Just cleaning bees!

'Tis the season to prepare! Join us from 9:30 - 11:30am on Monday, December 22 to clean our church for Christmas liturgies. Coffee, donuts, and bagels are served. Good conversation too! If you have them bring rags, rubber gloves and a bucket. "Men and teenagers most welcome." The more the merrier! If you are available to join us, please call the parish office at 212-749-0276 ext. 12 to RSVP.

Church of the Holy Name of Jesus

2014 Christmas Schedule



Christmas Eve, Wednesday, Dec. 24, 2014

*Church closed all day and re-opens at 4:30pm
(Parish Office Closes at Noon)*

5:00 PM Caroling in Church (Youth Choir)
5:30 PM Vigil Mass for Christmas (Fr. Kevin)
8:00 PM Vigil Spanish Mass (Fr. Larry H)
11:00 PM Caroling in Church

Christmas Day, Thursday, Dec. 25, 2014

12:00 AM Midnight Mass (Tri-Lingual, Fr. Matt)
9:00 AM Mass (Fr. Mike)
10:30 AM Mass (Spanish, Fr. Larry H.)
12:00 PM Mass (Fr. Larry F.)
1:30 PM Mass (French, Fr. Evariste)
No 5:30 PM Mass

Friday, Dec. 26, 2014 (Parish Office Closed)

12:00 PM Mass

Saturday, Dec. 27, 2014

9:00 AM Mass
4:00 PM Reconciliation
5:30 PM Vigil Mass

Sunday, Dec. 28, 2014 Feast of the Holy Family

9:00 AM Mass (Fr. Kevin)
10:30 AM Mass (Spanish, Fr. Larry H.)
12:00 PM Mass (Fr. Larry F.)
1:30 PM Mass (French, Fr. Evariste)
5:30 PM Mass (Fr. Matt)

Monday, Dec. 29, 2014

7:00 AM Mass
9:00 AM Mass (Spanish)
12:00 PM Mass

Tuesday, Dec. 30, 2014

7:00 AM Mass
12:00 PM Mass

New Year's Eve, Wednesday, Dec. 31, 2014

(Parish Office Closes at Noon)

7:00 AM Mass
9:00 AM Mass (Spanish)
12:00 PM Mass
5:30 PM Vigil Mass for Feast of Mary,
Mother of God (Fr. Larry F.)

New Year's Day, Thursday, January 1, 2015

Feast of Mary, Mother of God

10:30 AM Mass (Spanish, Fr. Larry H.)
12:00 PM Mass (Fr. Matt)
1:30 PM Mass (French, Fr. Evariste)
No 9:00 AM and 5:30 PM Mass

Friday, January 2, 2015 (Parish Office Closed)

12:00 PM Mass

Please Pray for the Sick of our Parish

Ana Tesoro	Ann Marie Plociennick
Alison Hoffman	Robert Pridgen III
Diego Suarez	Margarita Rocha
Josefina Suarez	Aracelio Sanchez
Margaret Mosunic	Barbara Roberts
Alex Torres	Marilyn Brenes
Connie Christopher	Angelo Ortiz
Rosemary Fuentes	Idalia Navarro
Francisco Gonzalez	Rosa Hernandez
Carmen Solis	Joseph Schwartz
Carmen Rivera	Katie Guterrez
Francisco Marquez	Maria de Guzman
Frederique Hornyak	Joseph Hornyak
Bill Gordon	Violet Bennett
Maureen Wolfe	Paulo Pajares
Sonia Santiago	Gina Medina
Victoria Angelo	Maribel Gonzalez
Rosauar Jara	ILeonardo Garcia
James H. Christopher Jr.	John Gerosimo
Yolanda Johnson	Paolo Manzoli
Victor Rivera	Carmen Thomas
Alvaro Lopez	Lyna Isaza
Maria Gonzalez	Gaudioso Purisima
Juan Guillermo Lopez	Alba Nidia Holguin
Carmen Montalvo	Nancy Milan
Victoria Traba	Eva Roman
Joann Poue	Michelle Martell
Raquel Ramirez	Edmund Isler
Julie Turner	Lannim Cruz
Concepcion Pavón	Mary Greez
Guillermo Henao C	Gladys Arroyabe
Carlos Alberto Velez	Jose Bernardo Garcia
Emil Bonaccorsi	German Suarez
Lourdes Santiago	Elvira Restrepo
Tom Parker	Geraldo Sanchez
Hector Rosario, Jr.	Sabina Fonseca

If you would like to add someone you know who is ill please call the Parish Office at 212-749-0276, x 10.

THE ELDERLY

Pope Francis, Shepherd of Truth

"A TIME OF GRACE"

In a special way, old age is a time of grace, in which the Lord renews His call to us; He calls us to safeguard and transmit the faith, He calls us to pray, especially to intercede; He calls us to be close to those in need... The elderly, grandparents have the ability to understand the most difficult of situations: a great ability! And when they pray for these situations, their prayer is strong; it is powerful.

Notable quotations from Pope Francis and official teachings of the Roman Catholic Church

Presentation Ministries, 3230 McHenry
Cincinnati, Ohio 45211

HERE AT HOLY NAME

Holy Name's Giving Tree of Hope



Reminder to please return the gift unwrapped or wrapped with the ornament by **Wednesday, December 17th to the parish office**. Thank you for your continued support, generosity and thoughtfulness. If you have any questions, please call the Parish office at 212-749-0276 ext, 12.

A Traditional Posada at Holy Name will be held on **Saturday, December 20th** starting at 6:00pm in the Franciscan Community Center. The Posada is sponsored by the Young Mexican Group.

Faith Formation: Family Christmas Celebration: **Sunday, December 21st**. All families in the Religious Education Program and Holy Name Parishioners are invited to participate in the presentation of Christmas Carols by the children in the Religious Education program at 11:00 A.M. in the St. Mary of the Angels Chapel.

Pastoral Care to the Homebound and Infirm

This ministry reaches out to parishioners who are homebound, hospitalized or in health care facilities. The comfort of receiving the Eucharist is offered weekly and the Sacrament of the Sick is provided when necessary. If you or a loved one are homebound, in a hospital or another health care facility and would like to be visited by a member of our pastoral staff, please call the Parish Office at 212-749-0276 ext.14.

PARISH PAY AT HOLY NAME: We thank everyone who has signed up with Parish Pay. We are very thankful to report that through your generous support, our latest monthly donation was **\$12,658.00**. For those who have not yet found the time, it is simple and quick. You can sign up to use this automatic giving program through the ParishPay website, www.paritypay.com or by telephone, by dialing 1-866-Parish-1. Thank you, one and all, for your support and your stewardship.

Join The Church of St. Francis of Assisi (127 West 31st Street in the San Damiano Hall) on Wednesday, December 17 at 6:00pm for a Public Forum on President Obama's executive actions on Immigration. This event is FREE and open to the public. Representatives from NYC Mayor's office of Immigrant Affairs and New York Immigration Coalition(NYIC) will be speaking at this forum. For further information, please contact 212-736-8500 ext. 305

Weekend Collection \$13,117.00 : The second collection on Sunday, December 21st is to help with the cost of decorating the Church for the Christmas Holiday. Thank you all for your continued support and generosity.

**III Domingo de Adviento
14 de Diciembre de 2014**

**Lunes, 15 de diciembre
Día de Reconciliación (Archdiocese)**

Confesiones:

4:00-5:00PM, Fr. Kevin **(English)**
5:00-6:00PM, Fr. Mike **(English & Spanish)**
6:00-7:00PM, Fr. Matt **(English)**
7:00-8:00PM, Fr. Larry F. **(English)**

Posada sabado 20 de diciembre a las 6 de la tarde en el Centro Franciscano, 214 West 97th Street. La posada será auspiciada por el grupo Juvenil Guadalupano.

Formación de Fe : celebración de la Navidad Familiar: **El domingo 21 de diciembre** todas las familias del Programa de Educación Religiosa y de "Holy Name" están invitadas a participar en la presentación de Villancicos por los niños/as del programa de Educación Religiosa a las 11 de la mañana en la capilla de Santa María de los Angeles.

Arboles de Esperanza: Favor de entregar el regalo, envuelto o sin envolver, en la Oficina Parroquial para **el 17 de diciembre**. Agradecemos de corazón su apoyo y generosidad en este proyecto tan humanitario. Si tiene Ud. alguna pregunta, favor de llamar a la Oficina # 212-749-0276, ext.12

Necesita Seguro De Salud?

La Federacion Hispana les puede ayudar Asistencia personal para inscripcion en los siguientes programas:

- Medicaid
- Child Health Plus
- NY State of Health Qualified Plans

Todos los Martes:

9:30am-1:00pm

En el Centro Franciscano, 214 West 97th Street-"Lower Level" Para mas informacion favor a llamar al 212-932-8040ext. 35 o 212-233-8955, ext. 139

PARISHPAY" EN HOLY NAME: Queremos dar las gracias a todos aquellos que participan de este programa y a animar a aquellos que aun no hacen uso de esta forma de ayuda a la parroquia para que se inscriban lo antes posible. Si desean mas información, encontrarán unos folletos en la mesa de entrada de la iglesia o website, www.parishpay.com o telephone, 1-866-Parish-1.

Colecta Semanal: La colecta de la semana pasada fue de **\$13,117.00**. **La segunda colecta del 16 de diciembre sera para ayudar con las decoraciones de la iglesia.** y la segunda colecta para el miercoles 25 de diciembre sera su donación de Navidad a la iglesia. Gracias por su anticipada generosidad.

Nota: Horario de Misas para la Navidad esta en la pagina 2 en el boletín

**Samedi 13 et dimanche 14 décembre 2014
3eme dimanche de l'Avent**

Lundi 15 décembre 2014

Jour de Réconciliation de l'Archidiocèse

Confessions

4h à 5h Father Kevin (Anglais)
5h à 6h Father Mike (Anglais et Espagnol)
6h à 7h Father Matt (Anglais)
7h à 8h Father Larry F (Anglais)

FORMATION DE LA FOI

Célébration de Noel en famille le dimanche 21 décembre. Les familles des enfants inscrits au Programme d'Education Religieuse ainsi que les paroissiens de Holy Name sont invités à participer à la présentation des Cantiques de Noel par leurs enfants à 11h dans la Chapelle St. Mary of the Angels. .

L'ARBRE DE L'ESPOIR A HOLY NAME

Nous vous rappelons de bien vouloir ramener emballé ou non le cadeau que vous avez choisi **avec l'ornement** au plus tard mercredi 17 décembre au bureau paroissial. Nous vous remercions chaleureusement pour votre aide fidèle et généreuse, et votre gentillesse. Si vous avez des questions n'hésitez pas à téléphoner au bureau paroissial 212-749-0276 ext. 12

NETTOYAGE DE NOTRE EGLISE POUR LES FETES

Le moment est venu de nous organiser! Retrouvons-nous de 9h30 à 11h30 **lundi 22 décembre** pour préparer notre Eglise en vue des liturgies de Noel. Café, donuts et bagels seront servis. Conversations intéressantes aussi ! Si possible amenez des torchons, des gants de vaisselle, et un seau. « Hommes et adolescents sont les bienvenus ». Si vous êtes intéressés téléphonez au bureau paroissial pour vous inscrire sur la liste des participants 212-749-0276 ext. 12.

PAIX, JUSTICE ET INTEGRITE DE LA CREATION

Ce comité offre des programmes éducatifs et des opportunités aux membres de la paroisse. Le comité travaille en étroite collaboration avec les églises du quartier et les Franciscains Provinciaux de Holy Name dans le but d'étudier toutes les questions concernant la paix, la justice sociale, et l'environnement. Pour participer à cette tâche importante ou pour recevoir des informations, contactez Janet Curley au 646-591-4022

QUETES DE LA SEMAINE: \$13,117.00. Deuxième quête dimanche 21 décembre pour les fleurs et la décoration de notre Eglise pour les Fêtes de Noel. Nous vous remercions d'avance pour votre fidèle générosité envers la Paroisse.

VEUILLEZ NOTER: Le Calendrier des messes de Noel et du Nouvel An est à votre disposition sur notre site web : www.holynamenyc.org, il est aussi affiché dans le vestibule de l'Eglise et inclus dans le bulletin paroissial.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR INVOLVEMENT

ADMINISTRATION

Finance Council		
Fr. Larry Ford	212-749-0276	x11
Collection Counters		
Pat Friel	212-662-9459	
Volunteer Receptionists		
Sharon Mack	212-749-0276	x10
Website		
Sr. Liliane Alam	212-749-0276	x13
Welcoming Committee		
Nancy Seklir	212-662-2120	

FAITH FORMATION

Rito de Iniciacion Cristiano para Adultos		
	212-749-0276	
Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults		
Mary Widhalm	212-866-6797	
Rite of Christian Initiation of Children		
Veronica Soto	212-749-0276	x16
Children's Faith Formation		
Veronica Soto	212-749-0276	x16
Adult Faith Formation		
Anne Mc Cormick	212-724-1885	
Baptism Preparation Team		
Fr. Larry Ford	212-749-0276	x11
Marriage Preparation Team		
Fr. Larry Ford	212-749-0276	x11
Stewardship		
Mike Archer	212-579-7868	
Peace, Justice and Integrity of Creation		
Janet Curley	646-591-4022	

LITURGICAL MINISTRY

Music Ministry		
Peter Adamczyk	212-749-0276	x18
Eucharistic Minister Coordinators		
5:30 Marianne Devirgiliis	212-280-2671	
9:00 Frances Tome	212-865-8538	
10:30 Sr. Maria-Teresa	212-749-0276	x14
12:00 Anne McCormick	212-724-1885	
1:30 Andre Alexandre	212-749-0276	
5:30 David Steinberg	212-873-8988	
Lectors/Altar Servers/Ushers		
Liturgy Committee		
Church Environment		
Fr. Kevin	212-749-0276	x20

SPIRITUAL & PASTORAL CARE

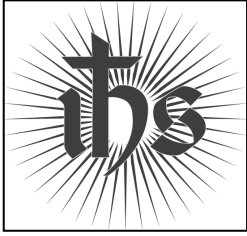
Spiritual Direction		
Sr. Mary Petrosky	646-761-2336	
Ministry to the Homebound		
Sr. Maria-Teresa	212-749-0276	x10

ORGANIZATIONS / GROUPS / SOCITIES

Contemporary Adults		
Colette Prophet	917-744-7254	
Secular Franciscans (English)		
Peggy Ledger	212-535-2432	
Providencia		
Victoria Velazquez	212-662-7505	
Altagracia		
Mercedes Gonzalez	212-662-9908	
Sacred Heart		
Iris Real	212-666-3040	
Guadalupe		
Irene Chavez	212-678-5080	
Grupo Guadalupano		
Cathy Martinez	973-392-3892	
Maman Marie		
Mimi Simon	212-932-7653	
Lady of Perpetual Help (Filipino)		
Veronica Rosario	212-865-1623	
French Prayer Group		
Fr. Evariste Ouedraogo	212-749-0276	
Spanish Charismatic Prayer Group		
Hilda Barral	212-749-3534	
Centering Prayer Group		
Georgetta Richards	212-222-5729	

FRANCISCAN COMMUNITY CENTER

Executive Director		
Rosemarie Stoffo	212-932-8040	x40
Chief Programming and Operations		
Mildred Morency	212-932-8040	x39
Senior Services		
Carmen Iris Cruz	212-932-8040	x32
Youth Services		
Kenny Marrero	212-932-8040	x33
Food Pantry		
Nathaniel Davis	212-932-8040	x15
Thrift Store		
Brian Futterman	212-932-8040	x30
Tutorial Program		
Brad Lewis	212-932-8040	x38
Performing Arts		
Laurie Gamache	212-932-8040	x29
Sandwich Line		
	212-932-8040	x39



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Welcome Bienvenido Bienvenue

We are pleased that you have chosen to become a part of our faith community. Please provide the following information that we might better serve your needs. Once completed you may place this form in the collection basket, mail it to us or drop it off at the Parish Office.

Date: _____

First Name/ Nombre/ Prenom: _____ Birthday: _____

Spouse's Name/ Esposo-a: _____ Birthday: _____

Last Name / Apellido / Nom: _____ Wedding Anniversary: _____

Children's Names/ Hijos-as/ Enfant(s): _____ Age / Edad: _____ Birthday: _____
_____ Age / Edad: _____ Birthday: _____
_____ Age / Edad: _____ Birthday: _____

Street Address / Dirección/ Adresse: _____ Apt # _____

City/ Cuidad / Ville: _____ State / Estado/ Etat _____ Zip Code / Codico: _____

Telephone / Teléfono: _____ Cell: _____

Email / Correo Electronico: _____

Occupation / Ocupación: _____

Employer / Empleado / Employeur: _____

Previous Parish / Parroquia Anterior: _____

Previous Parish Involvements: _____

Participación Anterior en Parroquia: _____

Engagements Paroissiaux Anterieurs: _____

Please circle one or more of the following:

How did you find out about Holy Name? Website Recommendation of Friend In Neighborhood Other _____

Am interested in knowing more about: Opportunities for Involvement Liturgical Ministries Children's Religious Education
Adult Religious Education Young Adult Activities Financial Support of Parish

Other _____

I prefer to stay in touch with Holy Name by: Telephone Cell Phone Email / Text Regular Mail Church Bulletin Website

Visit us on-line www.holynamenyc.org

