

HOLY FAMILY
CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL



Class of 2020
Baccalaureate & Commencement Mass

Wednesday, May 20, 2020
Holy Family Catholic High School
Victoria, Minnesota

CLASS OF 2020

Joshua Winfrid Adams

* Jaden Dean Anderson *Summa Cum Laude*

* Ashley Grace Anseth *Summa Cum Laude*

Thomas Michael Aragon-Menzel

Thomas Glenn Baskfield *Cum Laude*

Christopher Henry Bauer *Cum Laude*

Adam Michael Beer *Summa Cum Laude* ❖❖

Emma Marie Brumm

Jack Dolan Buchholz *Cum Laude*

* Ryan Thomas Burke *Cum Laude*

Jake Robert Caron *Magna Cum Laude* ❖❖❖

Bennett Thomas Creager *Cum Laude*

Cecily Josephine Cronin *Summa Cum Laude* ❖

* Kalie Ann Dahl *Summa Cum Laude*

Dweyea Yuneh Chelsea Diahn

Madeline Grace Doshan

* Grace Olivia Elander *Magna Cum Laude*

* Annabelle Grace Elsner *Summa Cum Laude*

Dayanara Esparza Villanueva

* Abbey Lynn Fink *Summa Cum Laude*

Benjamin John Fink *Cum Laude*

* Tyler John Franck *Cum Laude*

* Shannon Marie Furlong *Magna Cum Laude*

Jack Douglas Garry

Casey Jonathan Gess *Cum Laude*

* Ella Diane Haley *Summa Cum Laude* ❖

Kevin Michael Haran *Magna Cum Laude*

* Morgan Belle Hausback *Summa Cum Laude*

Nicholas Peter Hendler

Lauren Grace Hickey

* Kathryn Leigh Heidebrink Jans *Summa Cum Laude* ❖❖

* Allison Nicole Jansen *Magna Cum Laude*

Quinn Thomas Jenkins

Rory Brandl Johnson

* Brenna Kiera Jones *Magna Cum Laude*

Lucas Tudor Ralph Jones

Lucas Ronald Jorgenson

* Benjamin Anthony Karst *Magna Cum Laude*

Tollef Michael Kohrman

- * Celia Grace Kreykes *Magna Cum Laude*
Nicholas Joseph Kroening
- * Lucas James Lembke *Summa Cum Laude*
* Carson James Liebeg *Cum Laude*
Gavin K.J. Lindemann
Mikhail Bryan Lopez
- * Jared Joseph Lorusso *Magna Cum Laude*
- * Samuel Ryan McNulty *Magna Cum Laude*
- * McKenna Joan Mechtel *Summa Cum Laude*
Taylor Ann Millard *Cum Laude*
Alex Gabriel Molina
Aidan Brekke Olsen
- * Kaili Anne Marie Palattao *Magna Cum Laude*
Daniel Reid Parker
Sydney DeLaine Paulsen *Cum Laude*
Samuel Jarrod Pellicci
- Max Alexander Pinamonti *Magna Cum Laude*
Caden Jon Pottebaum *Cum Laude*
Mitchell Eaton Prosser
Logan John Radick *Cum Laude*
Bryce Ryan Richter
Mark Jackson Roane
Caitlin Anne Rock *Cum Laude*
- * Margaret Jean Rothstein *Summa Cum Laude*
Dylan William Blaise Schenk
Ellie Rose Schlinger *Magna Cum Laude*
Victoria Sin *Cum Laude*
- * Abigail Catherine Smith *Summa Cum Laude* ❖
Blake David Stedronsky
* Jakob Allen Teeter *Summa Cum Laude*
Luke Jerome Terris *Magna Cum Laude* ❖❖
Seth Edward Thompson
* Nathan Thomas Tinucci *Cum Laude*
David Anthony Torborg *Magna Cum Laude*
- * Lucy Elizabeth Treat *Summa Cum Laude*
Holly Jenia Trombley *Summa Cum Laude*
Jacqueline Marie Uhas
Josephine Kathleen Wicka
Benjamin William Wilson *Cum Laude*

All guests should remain in their vehicle for the entire event.

PRESIDER

Fr. Nels Gjengdahl

HFCHS Chaplain

MUSIC

Ms. Annelise Brown

HFCHS Director of Vocal Music

Mr. Will Heller

HFCHS Digital Media Specialist

CALL TO WORSHIP

Mr. Michael Brennan

HFCHS President

OPENING SONG

How Great is Our God (vs. 1 & 2)

How Great is Our God

The splendor of a King
Clothed in majesty
Let all the earth rejoice
All the earth rejoice

He wraps Himself in light
And darkness tries to hide
And trembles at His voice
Trembles at His voice

How great is our God
Sing with me
How great is our God
And all will see
How great, how great is our God

Age to age He stands
And time is in His hands
Beginning and the end
Beginning and the end

The Godhead Three in One
Father, Spirit and Son
The Lion and the Lamb
The Lion and the Lamb

How great is our God
Sing with me
How great is our God
And all will see
How great, how great is our God

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OPENING PRAYER

FIRST READING

Acts 8:5-8, 14-17
Kalie Dahl

The word of the Lord.
ALL: Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 66

ALL: Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Celtic Alleluia

GOSPEL READING

John 14:15-21

The Gospel of the Lord.
All: Praise you, Lord Jesus Christ

HOMILY

Fr. Nels Gjengdahl
HFCHS Chaplain

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

Logan Radick

Let us pray to the Lord.
All: Lord hear our prayer.

PRESENTATION OF SYMBOLS

Luke Terris

- Freshman Year: Holy Family Uniform Allison Jansen**
- Sophomore Year: Car Keys Benjamin Karst**
- Junior Year: ACT Study Book Caitlin Rock**
- Senior Year: Sweet & Sour Candy Nicholas Hendler**

HOLY HOLY

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

AMEN

LAMB OF GOD

COMMUNION SONG

Sanctuary

Sanctuary (2x)
Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary,
Pure and holy, tried and true.
With thanksgiving, I'll be a living
Sanctuary for You.

PRAYER OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

We invite all in attendance to make a spiritual communion.

My Jesus,
I believe that You are present
in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment
receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace You as if You were already
there and unite myself wholly to You.
Never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Fr. Nels Gjengdahl
HFCHS Chaplain

CLOSING BLESSING FOR BACCALAUREATE MASS



COMMENCEMENT OPENING

Pomp and Circumstance

Composed by Edward Elgar

Recorded by the Minnesota Orchestra

HFCHS Director of Instrumental Music, Laura Boillat, is a flutist in the orchestra.

INTRODUCTION

Mrs. Kathleen Brown

HFCHS Principal

FACULTY ADDRESS

Mr. Jim Walker

HFCHS Science Teacher

**Please view Mr. Walker's address on your device or listen as it is played over the sound system.*

VALEDICTORY ADDRESS

Kathryn Jans

SALUTATORY ADDRESS

Abigail Smith

PRESENTATION OF SCHOLARSHIPS

Mrs. Kathleen Brown

HFCHS Principal

PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

Mrs. Kathleen Brown

HFCHS Principal

AP Scholars and National Merit Recipients

Presentation of the Ambassador of Christ Award

Presentation of the Mary Medal

Presentation of the Joseph Medal

PRESENTATION OF THE GRADUATES

Mr. John Dols
HFCHS Assistant Principal

PRESENTATION OF THE DIPLOMAS

Mr. Michael Brennan
HFCHS President
Mrs. Kathleen Brown
HFCHS Principal

CONFERRAL OF DIPLOMAS

Mr. Michael Brennan
HFCHS President

EXPLANATION OF REMEMBRANCE

Mrs. Kathleen Brown
HFCHS Principal

CLASS OF 2020 VIDEO

A gift from the Senior Parent Committee

**Please view the video on your mobile device or listen to it as it is played over the sound system.*

INVOCATIONS

Mr. John Dols
HFCHS Assistant Principal

JESUS, MARY, AND JOSEPH PRAY FOR US
ST. JOHN BAPTIST DE LA SALLE PRAY FOR US
LIVE JESUS IN OUR HEARTS FOREVER
SO THAT IN ALL THINGS GOD MAY BE GLORIFIED

**Please watch for ushers directions to exit.*

THE AMBASSADOR OF CHRIST

The Ambassador of Christ award is presented by the administration to the graduating senior who has consistently acted in a dignified and honorable manner, and by so doing, has influenced others to strive for goodness and holiness.

THE MARY AND JOSEPH MEDALS

The Mary and Joseph Medals are awarded to a senior boy and girl who best exemplify the identity and values of Holy Family Catholic High School. These individuals demonstrate a strong, mature faith in Christ while actively participating in the life of the Church. They are knowledgeable of the teachings and traditions of the Church, desire to live like Jesus in their love and service to others, and strive to grow spiritually and intellectually. Recipients are nominated by their classmates, and nominations are then voted on by the school's faculty, staff, and administration.

GOLD TASSELS

Graduates wearing gold tassels are graduating from Holy Family Catholic High School with cumulative GPAs of 3.5 or higher. These individuals graduate with honors.

CORDS

Graduates adorned with ivory cords have earned a 3.5 GPA or higher for seven consecutive semesters at Holy Family. These individuals represent academic excellence and demonstrate leadership in the school and community.

HONORS REQUIREMENTS

Honor Cumulative GPA

Summa Cum Laude 3.90 - 4.30

Magna Cum Laude 3.70 - 3.89

Cum Laude 3.50 - 3.69

GRADUATE NOTATIONS

- * Honor Society
- ❖ AP Scholar
- ❖❖ *AP Scholar with Honor*
- ❖❖❖ AP Scholar with Distinction

THE JERUSALEM CROSS MEDALLION

As students of Holy Family Catholic High School receive their diplomas, they are also given a medallion as a reminder of their time at Holy Family. This medallion is made from clay and displays the Jerusalem Cross, the school's official logo.

Perhaps, they will leave tonight's festivities and take the medallion off, placing it in a box or drawer of keepsakes. Perhaps some years down the road they will pull it out again, so their own fourteen-year-old child may see it. Perhaps they will show the child how the medallion is tied with a knot called a lark's head, symbolizing the school's belief that students can soar with their dreams. Perhaps they will trace the imprint of the Jerusalem cross in the clay and recall how they themselves left their mark on Holy Family as surely as Holy Family has left an indelible mark on them.

Possibly, they will show their child how the medallion is knotted on the top and bottom with an overhand knot. They may recall that while the overhand knot is the easiest knot to tie, it is also the weakest knot, reminding them that the easiest path often carries consequences of its own.

Finally, they may mention to their child that the teachers of Holy Family Catholic High School made this medallion by hand, especially for them. If their child is anything like a great many fourteen-year-olds, they will likely respond by saying, "Why would they bother doing that?"

Should that happen, the Holy Family Catholic High School alum will have to reply with the truth. "My teachers thought I was worth their time."

CLASS OF 2020 DESTINATIONS

Augsburg University (1)
Barry University (1)
Baylor University (1)
Butler University (1)
California Polytechnic State University - San Luis Obispo (1)
College of Saint Benedict (2)
Colorado State University (1)
Creighton University (3)
Eckerd College (1)
Gap Year (3)
Iowa State University (3)
Junior Hockey (1)
Marquette University (1)
Minnesota State University - Mankato (2)
Montana State University (1)
Normandale Community College (1)
Northern Illinois University (1)
Regis University (1)
Saint Louis University (2)
St. John's University (4)
Syracuse University (1)
Undecided (1)
University of Denver (2)
University of Georgia (1)
University of Kansas (3)
University of Mary in Bismarck, ND (1)
University of Minnesota - Twin Cities (11)
University of Mississippi (1)
University of Missouri (2)
University of Nebraska - Lincoln (2)
University of North Alabama (1)
University of North Dakota (1)
University of Notre Dame (2)
University of St. Thomas (12)
University of Wisconsin - Madison (2)
University of Wisconsin - Stout (1)
Winona State University (1)

HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL PRAYER

Father, You so loved us that You sent
Your only Son into the world amidst the
love of the Holy Family to show us the way to You.
Lord God, we ask Your blessing and grace upon
each of us who make up Holy Family Catholic High School.
May we burn with the fire of Your love and so imitate
the love of the Holy Family in our school,
in our own families, and among all those we meet
to show them the way to You.

Amen.



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Tonight's Baccalaureate & Commencement Mass has been carefully planned in compliance with the guidelines provided to schools by the MN Departments of Health and Education, the Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis, local officials, and with approval of our Board of Directors.