



“The cup of blessing that we bless, is it not a sharing in the blood of Christ? The bread that we break, is it not a sharing in the body of Christ? Because there is one bread, we who are many are one body, for we all partake of the one bread.”

1 Corinthians 10:16-17

Communion serves as a solemn moment for Catholics to reflect on Jesus’ sacrifice and to express gratitude for the profound redemption and forgiveness of sins achieved through His crucifixion and resurrection.

We encounter Christ’s love in the gift of the Holy Mass, the Sacraments and the people who are near and dear in our lives. The world encounters His love when we, through grace, are kind, forthright and committed to Christ in all that we do. We are reminded that all that we have is a gift from God and He asks us to glorify Him through the stewardship of the gifts He has given us.

PRAYER - “Pray without ceasing. In all circumstances give thanks, for this is the will of God for you in Christ Jesus.” 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18. Come to the Holy Celebration of the Eucharist at every Mass, come to adore our Lord in the chapel and pray as a family at home.

PARTICIPATION - belonging to the Body of Christ, God calls each by name to build up the Body of Christ by leading and serving in the ministries of Holy Name of Jesus.

GENEROSITY - be faithful disciples by generously committing your gifts to support the mission, ministries and services of our faith community.

We are all called to journey toward faithful discipleship, and your gifts of prayer, participation and generosity are a testament to the Good News unfolding in our

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parish. If your circumstances allow, we invite you to prayerfully consider increasing your support for the calendar year 2025. As costs continue to rise, we anticipate an 8% increase in expenses compared to the previous year. Your commitment will help sustain and grow the vital ministries and services of Holy Name of Jesus.

May the Lord Jesus bless you and keep you close to His heart.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Fr. Tim Wratkowski

YOUR COMMITMENT

Thank you for your continued generosity and support of Holy Name of Jesus. Your contributions play a vital role in our community.

We invite you to prayerfully discern your commitment by completing the enclosed annual Commitment Form for January to December 2025. Please return it to the parish office or bring it with you to Mass on *invitation weekend, October 12-13*.

To make your financial contributions easier, we encourage you to sign up for weekly or monthly recurring donations through our secure online platform at hnoj.org/give. You may also explore Qualified Charitable Distributions (QCDs) from IRA accounts or stock donations, which can provide tax benefits.

Every gift, given graciously and sacrificially, reflects our commitment to discipleship and stewardship. *Together, we will not only repair our roofs but also lift them in joyful praise to our Lord!*



Scan the QR code with your smart phone to be directed to our online commitment form.



CALLED TO COMMUNION

— STEWARDSHIP —



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Jesus said: "Do this in remembrance of me".

1 Corinthians 11:24

"Because there is one bread, we who are many are one body, for we all partake of the one bread."

1 Corinthians 10:17

At Holy Name of Jesus, you are called to communion through the Eucharist at every Mass, as well as the communion of the members of the Church. The celebration of the Eucharist is a sign of the reality of the oneness of faith, life and worship. In our parish, we follow Jesus and inspire each other to live as disciples of Christ.

Have you felt the Lord calling you to become more engaged in your faith? He has blessed you with many unique talents and gifts. Being a good steward is your faithful response to God's love and His purpose for you. As you recognize all you have been given, seek to share it with others through these efforts:

PRAYER - attend Mass, pray regularly and gather as children of God who follow Him.

PARTICIPATION - believe in God, in Jesus and in the Holy Spirit and live out our faith by actively participating in the mission and ministry of the Church.

GENEROSITY - be faithful disciples by generously committing your gifts to support the mission, ministries and services of our faith community.



Sharing in the body of Christ, we seek to:

KNOW
THE HEART OF CHRIST.

SEE
THE FACE OF CHRIST.

BE
THE HANDS OF CHRIST.