

PREACHING STATIONS

Langkiwa

When former parishioners were resettled in Langkiwa, 50 minutes from Holy Family by public transport, a preaching station was set up by Deacon Mary, who holds a service there once a month in a house the parish has rented. The house, which has been finished thanks to the generosity of Brent School, serves as a community center for fellowship and other church functions.

Timbao

Timbao, also located at some distance from Holy Family is home to some of our members. For those who find the trip difficult from home to church difficult, Deacon Mary visits once a month to conduct a service.

Cavinti (Our Lady of Walsingham Preaching Station)

In 2012 Deacon Britt now Father Britt and his wife Grace opened a preaching station on their property in Cavinte, Laguna. Before long, a small but faithful congregation was formed that now meets for worship three times a month. Now that he was ordained priest, a regular Sunday service will be performed. The congregation runs a Sunday school and an active youth group.

Tubili, Mindoro

With permission of the local parish priest and the Dean of Southern Tagalog, some of our parishioners, led by Mrs. Grace Brit and Padi Mary Balitog have started a mission with the Mangyan of Mindoro. Plans are to set up a preaching station some time in the future.

SACRAMENTAL SERVICES

HOLY BAPTISM

Schedule:

Requirements: Birth Certificate, Catechism seminar

CONFIRMATION / RECEPTION

Schedule:

Requirements: Age 8 and above, Baptismal certificate, Catechism seminar

HOLY MATRIMONY / Blessing of a civil marriage

Requirements: Birth certificate, marriage contract (blessing of a civil marriage), Catechism seminar. Must attend mass at least 3 Sundays prior for banns to be read. A minimal fee of Php 5,000.00 is required and preferably done on a Saturday or Sunday.

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday	10:00 am	Holy Eucharist
	9:00 am	Sunday School (for children)

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HOLY FAMILY
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HISTORY

Holy Family has its roots in a weekly Sunday congregation under Fr. Joe Mock, Brent's assistant chaplain and geared mostly to members of the wider Brent Community. The service was simple and sparsely attended: there was no thought of this small congregation morphing into a full-grown parish!

All this changed in 2009 when the then deacon, Fr. Gonny Gepayo was assigned to the chaplain's office at Brent School. With the backing of Fr. Mock, Deacon Gepayo went knocking on doors in the local communities surrounding Brent School, and within a matter of weeks, the Sunday congregation grew from under 20 to over 100! There followed a flurry of baptisms, church weddings, confirmations and receptions.



At the Diocesan Convention in March 2010 the congregation was admitted as an Organized Mission, and in 2012 was granted the status of Aided Parish. Today Holy Family is a lively and enthusiastic community with an average Sunday attendance of about 60. Padi Mary Balitog will be the new rector while Fr. Mock moved to the Church of the Holy Trinity as the interim rector while Rev. Jonathan Britt, who was also recently ordained priest runs Holy Family's preaching station (Our Lady of Walsingham) in Cavinte, Laguna.

Sunday services are largely in English, though readings and occasionally the sermon, is in Tagalog.



PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

SKEP

Holy Family has a vibrant and very active chapter of SKEP, they call themselves "Sunergos" meaning working together, they belong to the national youth organization of the Episcopal Church in the Philippines, under the guidance of Padi Mary Balitog. Our youth play a vital role in parish life serving as acolytes and sacristy helpers and running and teaching in our Sunday school.

Episcopal Church Women (ECW)

Since the very beginning Holy Family's chapter of the ECW has been the heart of our community. Their contribution goes way beyond the traditional "woman's tasks"- they are also the organizers of most parish social activities and have run several very successful fund-raising activities.



PARISH PROGRAMS

Sunday School

The Sunday school program run and taught by SKEP members. Average attendance at Sunday school is between 20 and 30 every Sunday for activities that include singing, interactive reading and age appropriate Scripture videos. The Sunday school is under the supervision of Padi Mary Balitog.

Scholarship Program

In collaboration with Brent School's Project Compassion Club, the parish offers a Scholarship for parish youth entering college. Our first recipient graduated in 2017 with a degree in Education and taught at a Pre-School in Binan. She is now a candidate for a Masters degree in Divinity at the St. Andrew's Seminary. The second recipient who graduated in 2018 with a degree in Elementary Education.

Educational Assistance Loan Program

This fund provides loans to active members of the congregation who are pursuing a college degree. Support is given in the form of interest free loans using funds raised by various sources. The program is intended to be self-sustaining.

With YOUR hands you formed us and with OUR hands we serve you!



Edukalye Program

The aim of this program is to read to the deprived children of the marginalized communities and make them aware of the value of books and other learning activities. Depending on the availability of materials and resources, arts and crafts activities may also be performed. Otherwise, for the less marginalized children, is to break their focus and attention from too much electronic devices or television. On the part of the young teacher volunteer, it serves as an inspiration to future career. In response to the vision and mission of the ECP, it is a window for evangelism.