



*Miraculous picture of The Holy Family captured in The Eucharist*

## An Teaghlach Naofa (*The Holy Family*)

Prayer for Families  
**Pope Francis**

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## Prayer for families

Jesus, Mary and Joseph  
to you, Holy Family of Nazareth,  
today we turn our gaze  
with admiration and confidence;  
in you we contemplate  
the beauty of communion in true love;  
to you we commend our families,  
so that in them marvels of grace be renewed.

Holy Family of Nazareth,  
alluring school of the Gospel:  
teach us to imitate your virtues  
with a wise spiritual discipline,  
grant us a clear vision  
that recognizes the work of Providence  
in the daily realities of life.

Holy Family of Nazareth,  
faithful custodian of the mystery of salvation:  
help us to regain an appreciation for silence,  
make our families cenacles of prayer  
and transform them into little domestic Churches,  
renew the desire for sanctity,  
sustain the noble toil of work, of education,  
of listening, of mutual understanding and of forgiveness.  
Holy Family of Nazareth,  
Re-awaken in our society the consciousness  
of the sacred and inviolable character of the family,  
an inestimable and irreplaceable good.

May every family be a place where goodness and peace are welcomed  
for children and for the elderly,  
for those who are sick and alone,  
for those who are poor and needy.

Jesus, Mary and Joseph,  
we pray to you with confidence,  
we entrust ourselves to you with joy.

## Pope Francis' prayer for families of the world (Oct 2013)

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