MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS 5:30 PM

SUNDAY MASS 7:30 AM 9:00 AM*

11:00 AM

MONDAY - FRIDAY MASS 8:15 AM FIRST SATURDAY MASS 8:15 AM

INSTRUMENT PLANS

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE
SATURDAY 4:00-5:15 PM OR BY
APPOINTMENT

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT EVERY THURSDAY 9:00 AM-5:00 PM

*LIVESTREAM

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OUR PURPOSE:

To proclaim the Gospel so that all will be one in Christ for the glory of God.

OUR VISION:

Holy Trinity Parish is a Catholic community forming missionary disciples who live as stewards committed to hospitality, prayer, formation and service.

October 20, 2024 ~ Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Please read our bulletin and visit our website for updated information: <u>www.holytrinityparish.org</u>

Church hours: Sun. 7:30 AM-1 PM; Sat. 8 AM-6:30 PM; Mon.-Fri. 8 AM-4 PM

Parish Office hours: Monday-Friday 8:45 AM-4:00 PM

Upcoming Events:

Nov. 20

Oct. 19/20	Knights of Columbus Intellectual Disabilities Drive
Oct. 19/20	2 nd Collection – World Mission Sunday
Oct. 20	Fall Fest immediately following 11:00 AM Mass
Oct. 20	Grow in Love with the Eucharistic Jesus Christ 5:00 PM
Oct. 22 or 27	Year 2 Confirmation Session - St. Teresa of Avila Group
Oct. 29	Tuesday Morning Scripture Study begins "The Feasts of Judaism"
Nov. 2	First Saturday Mass 8:15 AM
Nov. 2/3	All Souls Memorial Mass at all Masses
Nov. 3	Sunday night Mass returns 5:00 PM
Nov. 3	High School Youth Group Friendsgiving 6:00 PM Youth Center
Nov. 10	Blood Drive sponsored by Knights of Columbus
Nov. 16	Grief Share: Surviving the Holidays 2:00 PM

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Marriage Ministry Date Night 7:00 PM

HOSPITALITY

Acting as Christ the Shepherd, a parish committed to stewardship is a true community of faith that welcomes, honors, and involves every person in the life and work of the Church, acknowledging the blessing of our richly different backgrounds and experiences.

Married Couples Date Night

Calling Married Couples of all ages: Not sure what to do for your next Date Night? Don't worry, we've planned it for you. Please join us on **Wednesday**, **November 20** at 7:00 PM in the School Media Center for an evening of FUN and SOCIALIZING. Come meet other married couples from the parish in a relaxed, low-key environment. Light refreshments will be provided and there's no cost to attend! Kindly RSVP to: paul.stephanie.francois@comcast.net.

Sunday Evening Mass is coming back!

With great joy and anticipation, our Parish will once again celebrate holy Mass on Sunday evenings at **5:00 PM, beginning November 3, 2024.** This Mass will be in addition to our Saturday Vigil Mass at 5:30 PM and Sunday Masses at 7:30, 9:00 and 11:00 AM. We would like to especially invite our Youth and Young Adults to this Mass. To make this happen we are trusting in the Holy Spirit that we will have Sacristans, Sextons, Hospitality Ministers, Music Ministers, Altar Servers, Ministers of the Word, and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to serve at every Mass.

2nd Collection This Weekend

This weekend, **October 19 & 20**, we will have a 2nd collection for World Mission Sunday. On this day, Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world's most vulnerable populations. Please keep the pope's missions in your prayers and be generous in this collection for the Society of the Propagation of the Faith. To donate online, visit https://www.scd.org/wms

Knights of Columbus Intellectual Disabilities Drive

The Knights of Columbus is hosting their annual Intellectual Disabilities Drive after all Masses October 19 & 20. Knights' members will be available at the entrance/exit doors to receive



your donations which go to local charities that support persons with intellectual disabilities. Thank you for your generosity.

Holy Trinity School Ministry



Our Holy Trinity school ministry has a girls volleyball team this year. The girls play against other Catholic schools in the area. We are so proud of their accomplishments this year.



Holy Trinity Catholic School registration remains open for the 2024-25 school year. The school enrolls students in gradesTK-8. We offer an excellent academic education filled with religious virtues. Please call the school office at 530-677-3591 for a private tour and information about registration.

Live Stream Mass Discontinuing

Sunday, October 27 will be the last day we live stream the 9:00 AM Mass. We thank all the stewards who have volunteered their time in providing this service for the last several years. We will continue to offer live streaming services for funerals and special events.



Acting as Christ the Priest, a parish committed to stewardship strives to nourish each person through prayer, strengthening our relationship with the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit and focusing on the Eucharist, the "source and summit of the Christian Life."

Tuesday Morning Scripture Study

The Tuesday morning Scripture study group is beginning a new 11-week study: "The Feasts of Judaism" using the text by Stephen Binz from Twenty-Third Publications (\$12.95 online purchase) on **October 29**. This study will help Christians appreciate the feasts of Judaism, the faith of Jesus, and the roots of our Catholic faith. The group meets in the View room, Tuesday mornings, from 9:15-10:30 AM. Please contact Cynthia Mulcaire in the Faith Formation Ministry or Susie Hahn at sf hahn@yahoo.com for more information or just come!

October Is Respect Life Month

Every October in the United States, the Church celebrates Respect Life Month and asks us to reflect more deeply on the inherent dignity of each human being.

From beginning to end, or "womb to tomb," the Catechism states: "Human life is sacred because from its beginning it involves the creative action of God and it remains forever in a special relationship with the Creator, who is its sole end." (2258). Practices such as abortion, assisted suicide and capital punishment violate the dignity of the human person and must be rejected. In today's world, this truth can be subverted in favor of how useful someone is or will be, casting aside those most vulnerable: the unborn, women and children, those living in poverty, the ill, the incarcerated, those living with disabilities and the elderly.

Walk in Christ's love with others. It's easy to say we're pro-life, but we must always remember that Jesus always put God's love into action, and we must also. "This is the way we may know that we are in union with [Jesus]: whoever claims to abide in him ought to live [just] as he lived." (1 Jn 2:6) Unexpected pregnancies, life-threatening illnesses, depression, poverty and incarceration happen constantly – what will we do if it arrives on our doorstep as a loved one or acquaintance in need? Let us resolve to act as Christ did by offering a compassionate witness, sharing life-affirming options, and walk with the most vulnerable to care for and protect human life.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, Oct. 21

8:15 AM ~Kathy Winchester, deceased, by Gene Savage

Tuesday, Oct.22

8:15 AM ~Alicia Warcholski, deceased, by Jean Kuzmich

Wednesday, Oct. 23

8:15 AM ~All Souls

Thursday, Oct. 24

8:15 AM ~Renato Manzano, deceased, by Rouella Baldovinos

Friday, Oct. 25

8:15 AM ~Lou Holmes, deceased, by Jeff & Michelle Heuerman

~Ken Easton, healing, by Ann Fitch

Saturday, Oct. 26

5:30 PM ~Margaret Amaral, deceased, by Joan McGrath

~Joseph Scardina, deceased, by Roseanne Scardina

Sunday, Oct. 27

7:30 AM ~Connie Dimech, deceased, by Fonda family

9:00 AM ~Kathy Winchester, deceased, by Campanello family

~Betty McDonough, deceased, by Jim McDonough

~Mona George, deceased, by O'Shea family

11:00 AM ~Parishioners of Holy Trinity

For DAILY READINGS

Please visit us @ holytrinityparish.org or www.usccb.org/bible/readings/102024.cfm

Spiritual Support for Families

If you or a family member need an Anointing of the Sick, please call the parish office. After hours, follow the prompts to be connected directly to a priest:530-677-3234.



Acting as Christ the Teacher, a parish committed to stewardship emphasizes, through evangelization and catechesis, the development of households of faith, where our Catholic story as the Body of Christ is lived and shared with one another.

Questions for Faith Sharing Oct. 27 Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

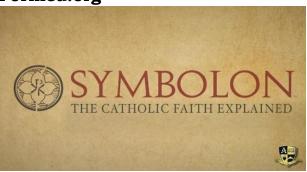
In next Sunday's Gospel, Mark 10:46-52, Jesus and his disciples are leaving Jericho on their journey to Jerusalem to celebrate Passover. As they depart amid a crowd, they encounter Bartimaeus, blind and begging, on the roadside. Intuiting who Jesus is and his mission, Bartimaeus resists those who would silence him and cries out to Jesus to intercede with God on his behalf.

Although the ensuing miracle involves the regaining of physical sight, Bartimaeus already has all the sight that he needs to know who Jesus is and how God is calling him to live. The miracle is for those who crowd around, blind to God's call in their lives. Bartimaeus' faith will astound and convince them.

Reflection for families:

• How is Bartimaeus a model of faith?

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https://watch.formed.org/symbolon-the-faith-of-the-church

High School Youth Group Friendsgiving

Save the date for Sunday,

November 3 for our

annual Friendsgiving

celebration! Please note

our new Youth Group

start-time of 6:00 PM to

immediately follow 5:00



PM Sunday evening Mass. We hope to see you there for delicious food, fun and activities. Friends and first-timers always welcome!

Confirmation Groups Update

confirmation@holytrinityparish.org
kjones@holytrinityparish.org

St. Sebastian Group:

- Congratulations on your Confirmation! We will email you when the Confirmation Certificates and the link to photos are available.
- Confirmation is the beginning of your journey as a missionary disciple, not the end! Please join us for High School Youth Group every month. Our next meeting will be in the Youth Center following the 5:00 PM Sunday night Mass on **November 3** from 6:00-7:30 PM.

St. Teresa of Avila Group:

- Your next Combined Session, "Source," will be held on Tuesday, **October 22** (5:30-7:00 PM) **OR** Sunday, **October 27** (10:15-11:45 AM) in the Social Center. Candidates must attend with a parent or sponsor.
- If you have not yet scheduled your Discernment Interview, please contact us to schedule it as soon as possible.

St. Ursula Group:

- If you missed the Confirmation Orientation Session, please reach out to the Faith Formation Office to receive your Confirmation Packet.
- All Year 1 candidates must choose a sponsor and have them complete a Sponsor Form. Forms are available on our website.
- For more information, please contact Kim Jones: kjones@holytrinityparish.org.



Putting into action our commission as Christ the Shepherd, Priest, and Teacher, a parish committed to stewardship serves the many needs of its own parish family, as well as the needs of the larger community and the world.

Stewardship...

"For the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many." Mark 10:45

If you held a mirror up to your life, would it reflect God's love and mercy? If you are struggling with this, try changing your attitude from "I want more" to "thank you God for everything you have given me, I have enough to share". This change in perspective will bring you joy through service to others. Pray daily to become less self-centered and to become more God-centered.

Consider making your gift electronically:

https://www.holytrinityparish.org/give.

Catholics Care. Catholics Vote

Who in the Church Should Participate in Political Life?

In the Catholic Tradition, responsible citizenship is a virtue, and participation in political life is a moral obligation. "People in every nation enhance the 8 social dimensions of their lives by acting as committed and responsible citizens" (Evangelii Gaudium, no. 220). The obligation to participate in political life is rooted in our baptismal commitment to follow Jesus Christ and to bear Christian witness in all we do.

As the Catechism of the Catholic Church reminds us, "It is necessary that all participate, each according to his position and role, in promoting the common good. This obligation is inherent in the dignity of the human person. . . . As far as possible citizens should take an active part in public life" (nos. 1913-1915).

- From Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship by the USCCB page 7-8

Music Ministers Needed!

Are you looking for a way to give your natural talent back to God's church?

We are expanding our need for instrumentalists and singers at the 5:30 PM Saturday vigil Mass and at the new Sunday 5:00 PM Mass. You need not be a virtuoso to lead the congregation in sung worship. We will fill in any gaps you may have in your playing and/or liturgical knowledge. Please contact our Director of Music Ministries, Rob Sabino at robsabino88@gmail.com.

10th National Eucharistic Congress Holy Trinity Parish – Final Night

A 3-Night Return to the Spirit in Indianapolis to Grow in Love with the Eucharistic Jesus Christ **Sunday, October 20, 2024.** 5:00 – 6:30 PM

Night 3: "THIS IS MY BODY"

Monsignor James P. Shea offered this speech during the National Eucharistic Congress on July 18, 2024. Using the example of our human condition of hunger Monsignor Shea speaks without any notes for 42 minutes and gives us the story of Salvation from beginning to end. You will walk away amazed at how this story compels you to look at the Eucharist with different eyes and draws you into a desire for a closeness with Jesus out of His deep and everlasting love for us. He was inaugurated in 2009 as the sixth president of the University of Mary. Msgr. Shea grew up on a dairy farm near Hazelton, ND. He earned a bachelor's degree and a licentiate in philosophy as a Basselin Fellow in the School of Philosophy at the Catholic University of America in Washington, DC, later studying theology at the Gregorian and Lateran universities in Rome. Upon completion of his seminary formation at the Pontifical North American College in Rome, Msgr. Shea was ordained a priest of the Diocese of Bismarck in 2002.

Each night begins in song, prayer and Scripture, includes testimonials from our own Eucharistic Pilgrims, a key-note speaker from the Congress and ends with Eucharistic Adoration, Vespers, and Benediction. Drink and dessert following.

Grief Share: Surviving the Holidays

The Holy Trinity Parish Bereavement Ministry is hosting a Grief Support seminar for those facing the upcoming holidays after a loved one's death. Join us 2:00 – 4:30 PM, Saturday, **November 16** in the Media Center. This helpful, encouraging program features video interviews with Christian experts on grief & recovery, as well as personal testimony from people who have experienced the holidays after the loss of a loved one. The video segments are combined with support group discussion. This event is free. Registration is required by **November 4**. To register or for more details contact Carmelinda Moy 916-933-4287, or Wanda Matus 916-947-6657 or email bereavement.htp@gmail.com.

JOIN US





Youth Group FRIENDSGIVING

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3 6-7:30 pm Holy Trinity Youth Center

All high school students are invited for an evening of food, fun and activities. Bring friends!

All are welcome at 5:00 pm Mass before the meeting.





Holy Trinity Catholic Church Blood Drive



Holy Trinity Catholic Church Blood Drive

Sponsored By the Knights of Columbus

Sunday, November 10

8:30 am - 11:45 am

Located in the Social Hall In-hand T-shirt for donors!



Please schedule an appointment by scanning the QR code with a Smartphone camera or go to donors.vitalant.org and enter blood drive code SMFR229 or call Vitalant at 877-258-4825 and mention blood drive code SMFR229. Walk-ins will be accommodated if space allows.

- The entire donation process takes about one hour.
- Eat a hearty meal and drink plenty of water before donating.
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