#### **MASS SCHEDULE** SATURDAY VIGIL MASS 5:30 PM IN CHURCH 8:15 AM FIRST SATURDAY MASS SUNDAY MASS IN CHURCH 7:30 AM IN CHURCH & LIVESTREAM 9:00 AM IN CHURCH 11:00 AM 8:15 AM MONDAY – FRIDAY MASS IN CHURCH SACRAMENT OF PENANCE SATURDAY 4:30-5:15 PM OR BY APPOINTMENT ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

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# July 30, 2023~Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Please read our bulletin and visit our website for updated information:

www.holytrinityparish.org

**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 PM

#### **Upcoming Events:**

Jul. 29/30	Second Collection for Haiti & Kenya Missions
Aug. 5	First Saturday Mass 8:15 AM
Aug. 11	Family Faith Formation Catechist Kickoff
Aug. 14	Holy Trinity School Ministry First Day of School
Aug. 16	HTSM Back to School Night
Aug. 20	High School Youth Group 2023-24 Kickoff Luau 6:00 PM

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.

#### Haiti & Kenya Special Collection

There will be a second collection this weekend to support the Kenya and Haiti Missions. For many years, Holy Trinity has provided support to help the people in Kenya and Haiti. Each July, we have a combined special collection with half of the funds raised going to support the needs of the Kurowski Kenyan Orphans and the other half going to support the needs of Sean Forest's Haiti 180 mission.

In both countries, the needs of the people are great as they suffer from the continuing effects of the on-going violence, political unrest, high unemployment, and the lack of basic subsistence and medical services. Please be generous in your support as we reach out to help "our least brothers and sisters".

#### **Time & Talent Invested**

We continue to make many improvements to our campus, our ministries, and programs. Thank you to all who have invested their time, talent, and treasure, making this possible.

If you are interested in helping with any project please let Jeremy know at: <a href="mailto:jeremy@holytrinityparish.org">jeremy@holytrinityparish.org</a>. These include small projects like painting of handrails, improving irrigation at the church and rectory, improving seating at gardens and grotto, cleaning out storage areas, larger projects like planning future monument signage, land use, ministry development for our youth, young professionals, and families and more!

Your commitment of Time, Talent, and Treasure is of great importance and you make parish life possible. THANK YOU for living as faithful stewards!

#### Ponte Palmero Men's Group

Ponte Palmero Memory Care Center in Cameron Park is interested in starting a Men's Group. The Men's Group is intended to provide their residents some interaction with gentlemen from our parish on a regular, but limited basis, perhaps once a month. There are no particular requirements needed, just some patience and a kind heart. Memory Care residents' cognitive abilities range from beginning dementia to very limited cognitive ability. If you are interested in visiting with men at Ponte Palmero, please contact Deacon Dan at 916-517-6558 or <a href="mailto:dthaverty@aol.com">dthaverty@aol.com</a>.

#### **Altar Server Incentive Program**

- ATTENTION ALTAR SERVERS! The Knights of Columbus and Leatherby's working together are providing an Altar Server Incentive program. You earn a point for each service and bonus points for special service. Each calendar quarter top servers and a wild card drawing will earn Leatherby's gift cards. You can also earn points for serving at the weekday Masses and special events. Check your email for the details of the new altar server's incentive plan. Contact Shannon Merlo or Deacon Dan.
- ATTENTION ALTAR SERVER CANDIDATES – Interested in serving at the table of our Lord? Get started this summer and get enrolled in our new incentive program. Contact Shannon Merlo or Deacon Dan.
- ATTENTION ADULT SERVER CANDIDATES You can now serve at the table of our Lord. We have opportunities at both the weekend and weekday Masses. Please contact Deacon Dan.



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."

#### First Saturday Mass

First Saturday Mass is a devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary and will be celebrated at 8:15 AM on the first Saturday of the month – the next one is August 5. All are invited to join in this special monthly devotion requested by Our Lady of Fatima. For more information, please contact Joan at: joanieh47@yahoo.com.

#### Weekly Adoration Now Extended

To accommodate working families, weekly Adoration will be extended on the first Thursday of each month from 5:00 – 7:00 PM in the church. All are welcome to come and be close to the Lord in this beautiful time of prayer.

As a reminder, Weekly Adoration will resume its place in the church on Thursdays (9:00 AM – 5:00 PM) due to decreased construction, with Holy Hour led by a priest or deacon from 5:00–6:00 PM. For more information, call or text Loretta Allsup at 408-966-9424.

#### **Saturday Confessions**

Please note there will often only be one priest available to hear Confessions on Saturday afternoons prior to the Vigil Mass. Confessions need to conclude by 5:20 PM on those days. Parishioners are welcome to contact the parish office to schedule a time during the week to meet with Fr. Marcel.

#### Wednesdays - Liturgy of the Word

Please note we will provide Liturgies of the Word only with one of our deacons on Wednesdays through August 2.

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

#### Monday, Jul. 31

8:15 AM Gloria Traverso, deceased, by Debra Latone

#### Tuesday, Aug. 1

8:15 AM Esperanza Lipardo, deceased, by Rose Guerrero

#### Wednesday, Aug. 2

8:15 AM Liturgy of the Word

#### Thursday, Aug. 3

8:15 AM James Traverso, deceased, by Debra
Latone

#### Friday, Aug. 4

8:15 AM Fr. Loi, special intention for healing, by Rick & Tina Clinton

#### Saturday, Aug. 5

8:15 AM Kelly Carmona, deceased, by Richard & Peggy Nielsen
5:30 PM Brandon MacCavn, deceased, by Tonya

Bonifacini

#### Sunday, Aug. 6

7:30 AM Rudy & Alba Blanco, deceased, by
Mueller family
9:00 AM Art & Ce Steiner, deceased, by Tina
Clinton
11:00 AM Parishioners of Holy Trinity

For DAILY READINGS

Please visit us @ holytrinityparish.org or www.usccb.org/bible/readings/073023.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.



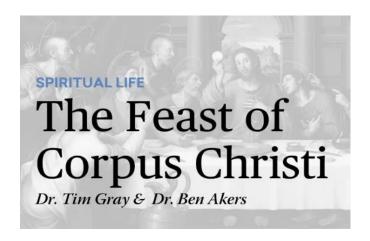
Acting as Christ the Teacher, a parish committed to stewardship emphasizes, through evangelization and catechesis, the development of households of faith, where our Catholic story as the Body of Christ is lived and shared with one another.

### **Questions for Faith Sharing August 6 Transfiguration of the Lord**

In next Sunday's Gospel, Matthew 17:1-9, the transfiguration account is one of new awareness as the disciples come to see Jesus as God sees him. God's revelation to the apostles confirmed that Jesus was God's beloved Son whose teaching and example they should follow without fear. Insights once limited to mystics and prophets now belong to fishermen who can behold such things without fear.

#### Reflection for families:

 How has understanding Christ helped you love your brothers and sisters?



Join Dr. Tim Gray and Dr. Ben Akers for a conversation on the centrality of the Eucharist in our lives and the great Feast of Corpus Christi. FORMED.org is free to all parishioners! Simply go through our parish website. Under "Learn" you can set up your free account. Click "Sign up as a parishioner." www.holytrinityparish.org/formed

# Registration for Faith Formation and Sacrament Preparation (2023-2024)

Faith Formation / Sacrament Preparation registration for next year is on-going BY APPOINTMENT. Please call 530-677-3234 option 5.





#### **School Ministry Registration Open:**

Holy Trinity School Ministry registration is now open for the 2023-24 school year. The school enrolls students in grades TK-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/or more registration information.

#### **Confirmation Groups Update**

confirmation@holytrinityparish.org kjones@holytrinityparish.org

St. Robert Bellarmine Group:

- Sponsor Forms, Certificate Forms and Confirmation Service Logs were due May 12. Please turn them in or contact us if you need help.
- Your next Combined Session will be early next fall. The link to sign up will be emailed to you.
- Confirmation Weekend is October 14-15.
   Candidates and sponsors must attend the Morning of Reflection October 14 (9:00 AM-12:00 PM) and the Confirmation Mass will begin at 1:30 PM on October 15.

#### St. Sebastian Group:

- Saint Letters AND Saint Projects were due on April
   21. Please turn them in to the Faith Formation
   Office as soon as possible or call if you need help.
- Your next activity is a brief Candidate Zoom Discernment Interview over the summer. The link to sign up will be emailed to you.
- If you are interested in joining our Confirmation program, please contact Kim Jones for more information: <u>kjones@holytrinityparish.org</u>.



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...

"We know that all things work for good for those who love God, who are called according to his purpose." Romans 8:28

Do you really trust God? Do you really believe that God will provide all that you need? Faith is a challenge for everyone at times. Putting our trust in God, in everything we do, in good times and in bad, means that God's plan for our lives may be quite different than what we planned. When one door closes, another one opens. Trust in God, His plan is always better.

Consider making your gift electronically: <a href="https://www.holytrinityparish.org/give">https://www.holytrinityparish.org/give</a>.

#### Fr. Larry's Annual Vacation

Fr. Larry is on his annual vacation and will return to the parish in early August. During his absence we welcome our Pastor Emeritus, Msgr. Kidder and Fr. Steve Avella who will assist us on weekends along with Fr. Marcel.

#### **School Ministry News**

Congratulations to our school ministry students for their stellar performance at the Diocesan Mental Math competition this past school year. Our students won: 1st and 2nd place for third grade, and 1st and 3rd place for our fourth graders! Our 3rd and 4th graders moved on to the Tournament of Champions. We are so proud of our students and their academic success. Please see picture below.



#### **Funeral Reception Ministry Needs Help**

The Corporal Works of Mercy guide us to aid those suffering the loss of a loved one. The Funeral Reception Ministry does just that. This Parish Ministry provides a beautiful and generous luncheon to families who are experiencing the loss of someone in their family. There is an assortment of ways to help such as:

\*preparing the Social Center kitchen, the relish trays, plates of desserts, fruit salads, and bread.

\*preparing the tables with tablecloths, cutlery, centerpieces and water.

\*washing the utensils, bowls, and dishes

\*preparing desserts and salads at home and bringing them to the kitchen on the morning of the reception.

You can see, there are so many ways to be of help. On average, we have 2-3 Funeral Receptions per month. You will be blessed in many ways for your charitable gifts. Please contact Mrs. Terri Haverty at 916-337-3419 or <a href="mailto:dthaverty@aol.com">dthaverty@aol.com</a> to join in.

#### **Health Ministry**

Please join us as we learn and apply health promoting behaviors in our own lives and plan education and service events for our parish and community. We strive to keep up with the current evidence-based science to promote health goals and reduce chronic illness such as heart disease, stroke, diabetes, cancer, obesity, and arthritis. For more information contact Kathy or Carissa at hattenkathy@gmail.com.

#### **Knights of Columbus**

All men of Holy Trinity Parish are invited to join the Knights of Columbus. HTP Knights are servant-leaders who support parish events and programming. Please contact Randy Bickel at: <a href="mailto:holytrinityknights@yahoo.com">holytrinityknights@yahoo.com</a>

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					#6	1/2 BBQ Chicken	\$ 11		
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					#8	Coleslaw	\$ 5		
#2	Meal Deal Half: (serves 2)	\$ 40			#9	BBQ Beans	\$ 5		
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## SUNDAY CELEBRATION OF THE MASS WHAT IS THE MASS, ANYWAY? SCHEDULE AND TOPICS

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August 2023 The Mass is about FORGIVING

**GATHERING RITE** 

September 2023 The Mass is about BELONGING

October 2023 The Mass is about PRAISING

LITURGY OF THE WORD

November 2023 The Mass is about LISTENING

\*skip December due to other liturgical activities

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

January 2024 The Mass is about ASKING

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

February 2024 The Mass is about THANKING

March 2024 The Mass is about ADORING

April 2024 The Mass is about REMEMBERING

May 2024 The Mass is about OFFERING

**COMMUNION RITE** 

June 2024 The Mass is about RECEIVING

July 2024 The Mass is about COMMITTING

August 2024 The Mass is about BECOMING ONE

**SENDING FORTH RITE** 

September 2024 The Mass is about SERVING

THE BOTTOM LINE

October 2024 The Mass is about BEING TRANSFORMED

November 2024 The Mass is about BEING WITH JESUS

December 2024 The Mass is about FINDING JOY

Have you ever come to Mass with the very best intentions to pay close attention to what's going on, and end up wondering "what was that all about?"

The Mass is our holiest prayer to God, that we pray as a community of God's people. We should know what's happening and why we do what we do!

Beginning in August, we will embark on a series of mini reflections on the Mass. We will walk together through the parts of the Mass for better knowledge and understanding of this great spiritual gift.

Right before Mass begins, one of the deacons, or another minister will lead a very short (less than 2-minutes) reflection of the subjects to the left.

So, please keep coming to this Liturgy, we call the Mass and let's learn together!

Thanks for reading, Deacon Dan

This outline of topics is taken from "The Many Facets of Sunday Mass" by Fr. Alan Phillip, CP.

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