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.

May 7, 2023 • Fifth Sunday of Easter

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:
May 4 or 7 St. Sebastian Confirmation Group Zoom Parent Meeting
May 7 Stewardship Commitment Weekend (3/3)
May 7 High School Youth Group BBQ at 6 PM
May 21 Baccalaureate Mass at 11 AM
May 26 Holy Trinity School Ministry 8th Grade Graduation at 3 PM
Jun. 11 Eucharistic Procession and Rosary after 11 AM Mass
Jun. 11 Parish Picnic after 11 AM Mass
Eucharistic Revival at Holy Trinity

Holy Trinity Parish has exciting news for its parishioners! We are joining parishes all over the United States in the National Eucharistic Revival!

The National Eucharistic Revival is a response from the United States Council of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) to a troubling 2019 Pew Research Study, which indicated 70% of Catholics don’t believe in the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist. Bishop Andrew Cozzens, Chairman of the Board of the National Eucharistic Revival, states, “We are really aware in these times that we live that the Church needs to become more missionary. The culture itself doesn’t support what we do anymore as Catholics,” Cozzens notes. “All Catholics are invited into a renewed encounter with Jesus Christ in the Eucharist, especially those Catholics who don’t fully understand the power of the Eucharist.” (National Eucharistic Revival, 2022).

Holy Trinity Parish will join the kickoff for the Revival on June 11, 2023 which a Eucharistic Procession and Benediction after the 11 AM mass. After that, parishioners can expect more events centered on the Eucharistic Revival, including formation and education, presentations on Eucharistic miracles approved by the Vatican, guest speakers, and much more!

Please visit [www.eucharisticrevival.org](http://www.eucharisticrevival.org) to join the Revival and sign up for the weekly newsletter to keep up to date with what is to come.

Our Church is calling us to renew our belief in the Eucharist as the true source and summit of our faith! People are longing for a deeper connection to something greater than themselves, and Jesus answers this in the Holy Eucharist!

Mother’s Day Roses

The Knights of Columbus will have roses for the mothers after each mass. They will accept donations to support the Mother Teresa Maternity Home in Placerville.

Vacation Bible School 2023: May We Always Shine Jesus’ Light

VBS 2023 will be held July 10-14 from 9 AM to 12 PM. Ages 4 yrs. to 6th Grade are welcome to attend.

We as a parish are truly blessed and thankful that as a community we always come together to help our young children grow in His light. We are excited to bring to life a STELLER program for the children and are asking whether it’s your time, skills or through donations that you may find it in your hearts to help us again this year.

Donations for VBS
There is a large box located at the South end of the Narthex- please choose and pull a star off the poster returning it with your donation placing it inside or on the back side of the box and someone will pick that up after mass. All donations are suggested to be delivered no later than June 23, 2023

Volunteering for VBS
Please use the link or QR or link [https://vbspro.events/](https://vbspro.events/) to register to volunteer.

New Position at Holy Trinity

The parish office is looking for someone to fill a new, full-time position as a Communications Coordinator. This position requires an advanced knowledge and previous professional use of Microsoft Office, marketing tools, social media, and CRM platforms along with exceptional communication skills. If you are interested, please visit scd.org/employment to complete the application. Contact Jeremy Younger at [http@holytrinityparish.org](http://holytrinityparish.org) for more information.
Baccalaureate Mass
The Baccalaureate Mass will be on Sunday, May 21 at the 11 AM Mass. If you have a senior in high school who will be graduating this May, please visit our website to access the form, or follow the QR code provided. The printed form along with a headshot of your senior is due to the office no later than Tuesday, May 9. Questions? Contact the Parish Office at 530-677-3234.

Second Collection for Catholic Home Mission Appeal is Scheduled for June 4
Support the Catholic Home Missions Appeal! Over 40% of dioceses United States and its territories are considered mission territories, because they are unable to fund essential pastoral activities needed in their communities. Your support funds religious education, seminary formation, lay ministry training, and other programs that build vibrant faith communities right here in the United States. Please be generous. More information can be found at www.usccb.org/homemissions.
To donate online, https://www.scd.org/homemissions

Caregiver Support Group
This group helps those who care or have cared for others find spiritual rest and refreshment. You may share your experiences in a caring environment. Join the Health Education Ministry’s Caregivers Support Group the 2nd Wednesday of each month. The next one is Wednesday, May 10, 10:30 AM – 12 PM in Room 1A/1B. For more information contact Ellen Miller: 916-805-5922.

Haiti 180 Collection
Next weekend we will have a special collection for the people who suffer so greatly in Haiti. During these times of violence, our brothers and sisters in Haiti need our help even more than normal for food, medicine, and even for the basics to live. Please be generous.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, May 8
8:15 AM Maverick, special intention, by Tona Morales

Tuesday, May 9
8:15 AM Calloway, special intention, by Tona Morales

Wednesday, May 10
8:15 AM Bernadette Yi, ill, by Lucia Hsiang

Thursday, May 11
8:15 AM Tom Hahn, deceased, by Judy Silva

Friday, May 12
8:15 AM Stacee Liaty, special intention, by Alex Ringenberg

Saturday, May 13
5:30 PM Bill Dowd, deceased, by Nancy Dowd

Sunday, May 14
7:30 AM Sharon Brandner, deceased, by Tony Verna & Tina Lane
9:00 AM Rose Verna, deceased, by Tony Verna
11:00 AM Parishioners of Holy Trinity

For DAILY READINGS
Please visit us @ holytrinityparish.org or www.usccb.org/bible/readings/050723.cfm

Spiritual Support for Families
All baptized Catholics can receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick during periods of serious illness or at the end of their life. If you or a family member need an Anointing or a visit from one of our priests, please call the parish office. If an emergency Anointing is needed after office hours, follow prompts to be connected directly to one of our priests: 530-677-3234.
Questions for Faith Sharing May 14
Sixth Sunday of Easter
In next Sunday’s Gospel, John 14:15-21, Jesus told Phillip and his other disciples, he would not leave them orphaned when he left them to ascend to God but would give them an Advocate to remain with them and to bind them in unity to one another and to the Son and the Father. The gift of the Holy Spirit is for all believers, for Peter and John are sent to Samaria specifically to pray for the new believers to receive the Spirit.

Reflection for families:
• Have you ever felt the presence of the Holy Spirit assuring you that you are not alone?

Confirmation Groups Update
confirmation@holytrinityparish.org
kjones@holytrinityparish.org

St. Robert Bellarmine Group:
• Sponsor Forms, Certificate Forms, and Confirmation Service Logs are due in the Faith Formation Office by Friday, May 12. Please contact us if you need help completing your service hours.
• Your next Combined Session, “Letters to the Bishop,” 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 AM-12 PM), and check in for the Confirmation Mass at 1 PM on October 15. The Mass will begin at 1:30 PM. Family and friends are welcome to attend!

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 contact us if you need help.
• Your last opportunity to attend the Zoom parent meeting is this weekend, Sunday, May 7 at 12:30 PM. We will go over the schedule and requirements for Year 2. The link to sign up has been emailed to you.
• If you are interested in joining our Confirmation program, please contact Kim Jones for more information: kjones@holytrinityparish.org

Registration for Faith Formation & Sacrament Prep. 2023-2024
Registration for the academic year 2023-2024 has begun! Please contact the Faith Formation office at 530-677-3234, option 5 or at FFM@holytrinityparish.org to make an appointment.
Stewardship…
“The stone which the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.” 1 Peter 2:7

Every person has been given gifts from the Holy Spirit. These are called “charisms” and they are used to build God’s kingdom of earth. While many people are able to recognize their natural talents and abilities, they may be unsure of their charisms. If you know someone who is struggling for a direction in life, give them a little encouragement. Help them discern their charisms and how God is calling them to use them. Remember - no gift is too small or insignificant in God’s salvation plan.

Consider making your gift electronically: https://www.holytrinityparish.org/give.

Banking Ministry
Banking Ministry gathers every Monday at 8 AM to tally the collections from the previous week. We have three teams of energetic, dedicated members. Each meets every third Monday. There is an option of being a regular team member and/or the option to be a substitute whenever needed. No accounting experience necessary. Please consider joining this essential team!

Cursillo “Energize” Luncheon
Join us on Saturday, May 27 at 11 AM as we journey together to strengthen the Sacramento Cursillo Movement and raise funds for our Cursillo de Cursillos (CDC) Workshop, technology updates/maintenance, and scholarships for our candidates. Cursillo is a lay movement focused on deepening personal relationships with Jesus. Luncheon will be held at Good Shepherd Parish. There will be a delicious, Spanish-themed lunch, raffle, silent auction, and an encouraging talk with vivid apostolic perspective on the missional reality to which Christians are called. Tickets are $50 per person and can be purchased online at sacramentocursillo.org. For more information please contact Treasurer Mary Palmer at treasurer@sacramentocursillo.org.

School Ministry News
Continuing our tradition of reaching out to local care homes, seventh and second graders brought some “sunshine” on a rainy day to the residents of Eskaton in Cameron Park. First, we wrote to the residents, telling them a little about ourselves, and inviting them to write back to us. Then we sang a collection of songs to them to brighten their day. We look forward to hearing back from them!

And on St. Patrick’s Day, students in third grade at Holy Trinity School Ministry made leprechaun traps. Using science skills such as planning, engineering, imagination, fine motor skills, discussion and collaboration, students made their own traps. Unfortunately, no leprechauns were caught, but we’ll try again next year!

Holy Trinity School Ministry is open to students in grades TK-8. We offer a strong academic education filled with Catholic values. Please call 530-677-3591 to arrange a private tour and to hear about all the wonderful things we are learning!
Barbeque.

HS YOUTH GROUP

Sunday May 7

6:00-8:00 PM
Youth Center

MORE INFO: YM@HOLYTRINITYPARISH.ORG
Baccalaureate Mass 2023

May 21 at 11 AM Mass

Form and photo due to the Parish Office no later than Tuesday, May 9.

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You're invited

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Sunday, May 14
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