

# PARISH LIFE

A Weekly Publication for Parishioners & Friends of Holy Trinity Parish



## MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS	5:00 PM
SUNDAY MASS	7:30 AM 9:00 AM * 11:00 AM 5:00 PM
MONDAY – FRIDAY MASS	8:15 AM
SATURDAY MASS	8:15 AM
SACRAMENT OF PENANCE	
SATURDAY 3:30- 4:45 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.

**June 29, 2025**

## Solemnity of Saints Peter & Paul, Apostles

Please visit our website for more about Parish Life:  
[www.holytrinityparish.org](http://www.holytrinityparish.org)

**Church hours:** Sun. 7:30 AM-6:00 PM; Sat. 8:00 AM-6:00 PM; Mon.-Fri. 8:00 AM-4:00 PM  
**Parish Office hours:** Monday-Friday 8:45 AM-4:00 PM

## Upcoming Events:

Jun. 28-29	2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection – Peter's Pence
Jul. 3	Extended Adoration 9:00 AM - 7:00 PM
Jul. 20-25	Totus Tuus Summer Catechetical Program
Jul. 26-27	2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection – Mission Collection for Haiti
Aug. 8	Marriage Ministry – Couples' Date Night: Trivia

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# 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.*

## Extended Adoration

Please join us for Extended Adoration on the first Thursday of every month. The next one is Thursday, **July 3**. Adoration is extended until 7:00 PM



## Fire Safety

During the hot summer months, the risk of grass fire is great. Please do not back your car into the spaces where the exhaust can ignite the dry grass. Thank you for your cooperation.

## Lost & Found

We have a large collection of various items left in the church over the past several months. If you think you left something at the church, please call the office or check the Lost and Found box in the View Room closet. There are many water bottles and reading glasses. Anything left will be donated at the end of June. Thank you.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection This Weekend

This weekend, we will have a 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection for Peter's Pence. This collection supports the Holy Father's mission in providing immediate emergency and disaster relief, and emergency aid to our brothers and sisters suffering the effects of war, natural disaster, or oppression throughout the world. Please visit [www.usccb.org/ppc](http://www.usccb.org/ppc) for more information.

## Bereavement Ministry

The Bereavement Ministry is a group of volunteer parishioners who dedicate their time to helping others on their grief journey. The team facilitates a structured support program that allows participants looking for companions in faith to share their coping experiences with the death of a loved one within an environment of confidentiality and care. If you would like to volunteer in this ministry to walk alongside the bereaved to provide comfort and hope or for more information, contact Carmelinda Moy (916)933-4287 or [bereavement.htp@gmail.com](mailto:bereavement.htp@gmail.com).

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### Vote for Holy Trinity School!

Style magazine is inviting readers to vote on their favorite locations in the Folsom/El Dorado Hills areas; a great way to show how special our Holy Trinity School Ministry is in the "best private school" category! To vote for Holy Trinity School, follow these steps:

- Use the QR code or go to [stylerca.com](http://stylerca.com)
- Click on the "Folsom/El Dorado Hills" category
- Search "private schools" in the search bar
- Choose Holy Trinity Catholic School
- Vote in 9 other categories for your vote to count and click on "finish voting" (the green button)

Thank you for showing your support for our school ministry.

## COUPLES' DATE NIGHT: TRIVIA

HAVE FUN AND WIN PRIZES

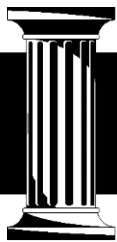
**Friday August 8**

Holy Trinity Parish Media Center - Room 205  
Doors open: 06:30pm  
Game starts: 07:00pm

**FREE** All couples welcome - married, engaged, or dating, any age!

SCAN TO RSVP

QUESTIONS?  
[paul.stephanie.francois@comcast.net](mailto:paul.stephanie.francois@comcast.net)



## PRAYER

*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."*

### Divine Mercy Prayer Ministry

The Divine Mercy Prayer Ministry meets weekly to pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet for the special intentions of its members and our parish community. This is followed by the reading and discussion of a book on the topic of Divine Mercy as revealed to the world by St. Maria Faustina, a polish nun of the 1930's. Join us each Wednesday at 3:00 PM, the hour of mercy, in the View Room at Holy Trinity.

### Divine Mercy: The Words of Jesus Christ to St. Faustina

*On the Dying*

"At the hour of their death, I defend as My own glory every soul that will say this chaplet; or when others say it for a dying person, the pardon is the same. ... the very depths of My tender mercy are moved for the sake of the sorrowful Passion of My Son." (Diary 811)

### We Could Use Some Help at Funeral Masses

Usually with a team of two ministers, the tasks of the Funeral Liturgy Committee include setting up for the Funeral Mass (generally at 11:00 AM), assisting the family with flowers, orienting them to the Mass readings and the sequencing of the Mass, if they are unfamiliar, and greeting the family and guests as they arrive for Mass. This is such an important ministry to aid the family during their time of loss. If you'd like to be a part of this ministry, which answers the Spiritual and Corporal Works of Mercy, please contact Donna Richmond at 916-599-8378.

### Spiritual Outreach through Homebound Ministry

There are many parishioners in our community who are homebound through age or illness and are not able to worship in person with us at Mass. Some of them may be able to view Sunday Mass on television or live streamed; however, they are unable to receive The Eucharist. Please consider joining the Homebound Minister Team to bring Christ to these members of our parish family. Visits are brief, and the time is flexible. For information, please contact Bob Aguilar at: 805-252-5669.

### MASS INTENTIONS

#### Monday, Jun. 30

8:15 AM ~

#### Tuesday, Jul. 1

8:15 AM ~Mike Clark, deceased, by Joan Houston

#### Wednesday, Jul. 2

8:15 AM ~

#### Thursday, Jul. 3

8:15 AM ~Carmen Varela, birthday, by Carmen Varela

#### Friday, Jul. 4

8:15 AM ~

#### Saturday, Jul. 5

8:15 AM ~Romasanta family, thanks, by Juliet Garcia

5:00 PM ~Anthony Pingitore, healing, by Eleanor Pingitore

#### Sunday, Jul. 6

7:30 AM ~Carmelita Montgomery, special intention, by Tess Poling

9:00 AM ~Parishioners of Holy Trinity

11:00 AM ~Dorita Acosta, special intention, by Tess Poling

~Adam Guerra, deceased, by Linda Guerra

5:00 PM ~

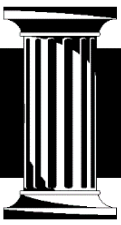
For DAILY READINGS

Please visit us @ [holytrinityparish.org](http://holytrinityparish.org) or  
[www.usccb.org/bible/readings/062925.cfm](http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings/062925.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.





# FORMATION

*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 July 6 Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

In next Sunday's Gospel, Luke 10:1-12, 17-20, the seventy-two disciples who had been sent out ahead of Jesus, proclaiming God's kingdom and paving the way for Jesus' ministry, return to him rejoicing. Even the demons bowed to them! Jesus acknowledges that he gave them power over "the full force of the enemy", but he tells the disciples not to rejoice at their authority over the evil spirits. Instead, they are instructed to rejoice that their names are written in heaven.

### Reflection for families:

- How can we, like the seventy-two disciples, proclaim God's kingdom to those we meet?

## Formed.org



This summer, take the opportunity to learn about the saints celebrated by the Catholic Church during the summer season through our video content on Formed. From saints like Saint Benedict and Saint Ignatius of Loyola to Saint Kateri Tekakwitha and Saints Joachim and Anne, there is a saint for everyone to discover. When you sign up, you'll receive:

- A video from Formed each week starting June 1, featuring that week's spotlighted saint.
- Children's content about the saints for every week of summer.
- Suggestions on how to help your children celebrate and learn about the lives of the saints each week.

This summer, by exploring the lives of the saints from the past, we will understand that God generously gives us the grace to become saints today. For more information, visit:

[www.formed.org/summer-with-the-saints](http://www.formed.org/summer-with-the-saints).

## 2025-2026 Faith Formation Registration Now Open

**PROGRAM DETAILS:**

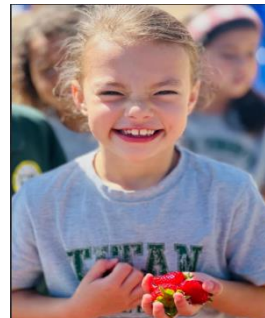
Whole family formation! Our program is for families with children in TK through the celebration of Confirmation.

Classes are twice a month during August - April  
Two class days options: Sun 10:15-11:45am OR Tues 5:30-7pm  
Scan QR code to access registration forms which include additional program details.



If you have additional questions after reviewing this link please email:  
[ffm@holytrinityparish.org](mailto:ffm@holytrinityparish.org)

## Holy Trinity School Ministry



Our last "Taste of the Season" came on a warm May day and brought delicious strawberries! Thanks to school parent Desiree Rojo, the students have really enjoyed these surprise treats, and they're healthy too!

Holy Trinity Catholic School is now accepting applications for TK-8th grade students for the 2025-2026 school year. Visit [holytrinityschool.net](http://holytrinityschool.net) for more information.

## Confirmation

For more information or to register for Confirmation, please contact Kim Jones:

[confirmation@holytrinityparish.org](mailto:confirmation@holytrinityparish.org)  
[kjones@holytrinityparish.org](mailto:kjones@holytrinityparish.org)





## SERVICE

*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.*

### “The Story of Two Average People”



#### ***The Solemnity of Saints Peter & Paul, Apostles***

[Acts 12:1-11; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 2 Tim 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19](#)

During June, we celebrated key moments in the life of the Church — Pentecost, the Most Holy Trinity, Corpus Christi — culminating today with the Solemnity of Sts. Peter and Paul. Though very different men, they are united in faith, mission, and martyrdom, and the Church has honored them together since the third century.

St. Peter, the first Pope, was chosen by Christ as the rock on which the Church would be built. The Catechism tells us that because of the faith he professed, Peter remains the “unshakeable rock of the Church.” Despite his human weaknesses, Peter's loyalty, repentance, and leadership make him a powerful model of Christian stewardship.

St. Paul, once a persecutor of Christians, became one of the Church's greatest evangelists. In today's second reading, Paul reflects on his mission, saying, “I have finished the race... the crown of righteousness awaits me.” The Greek word he used for “crown” — *stephanos* — refers to a victor's laurel wreath crown, not a royal crown of gold, showing his view of faith as a race well-run for the sake of Christ.

Though they were martyred separately, tradition holds that Peter and Paul were in Rome at the same time, and their shared witness and sacrifice tie them closely together in Church history. They embody two vital aspects of stewardship — Peter in his faith and leadership, and Paul in his zeal and wisdom.

As Christian Catholics, we are called to follow their example — to build up the Church through our commitment, to overcome our failures through God's mercy, and to proclaim the Gospel with courage by how we live our lives. Like Sts. Peter and Paul, we are invited to give all we have for the sake of Christ and His Church.

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### **Some thoughts from Deacon Jim:**

I love this Feast. It gives us two men who were just average people. They were flawed, they stumbled, but they always got up and kept going proclaiming their faith in Jesus Christ to the world they lived in. In the second reading, Paul writes, “The Lord stood by me and gave me strength... I was rescued from the lion's mouth.” After how Paul had persecuted Jesus' followers, Jesus could have written him off, but he didn't.

In the Gospel Jesus asks Peter, “But who do you say that I am?” Simon Peter said in reply, “You are the Christ, the Son of the living God.” Shortly after this Peter denied that he even knew Jesus three times, but he came back and repented for his failure, his sin. That's what we are invited to do in the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession). When our relationship is broken, or even bent, by sin, like Peter and Paul, or the Prodigal Son, ask for God's compassion and mercy. He is ready and waiting. His arms are open wide to receive us.

### **Marriage Ministry**

The purpose of the Holy Trinity Marriage Ministry is to provide married couples with enrichment events to support, encourage, and strengthen their marriage and family life and to help them become sacraments that shine brightly with the love of Jesus. If you are interested in joining the Marriage Ministry Team, please contact Paul & Stephanie Francois at: [paul.stephanie.francois@comcast.net](mailto:paul.stephanie.francois@comcast.net).

### **Welcome to the Greeter Ministry!**

If you love attending Mass and meeting your fellow parishioners, and if you can say “good morning” while offering a song book, you have all the qualifications needed to be a great Greeter. Being a Greeter is a fulfilling and fun way to show your gratitude and give of your time and talent to our church. You'll be joining a vibrant ministry! For more information, please email Cecille Terzich at [czterzich@comcast.net](mailto:czterzich@comcast.net).





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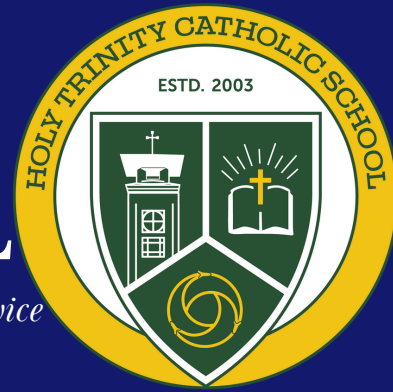
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