MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS 5:30 PM
IN CHURCH
FIRST SATURDAY MASS 8:15 AM
SUNDAY MASS 7:30 AM
IN CHURCH
IN CHURCH & LIVE STREAM 9:00 AM
IN CHURCH
MONDAY – FRIDAY MASS 11:00 AM
IN CHURCH & LIVE STREAM
8:15 AM
SACRAMENT OF PENCE
SATURDAY 4:30-5:15 PM OR BY APPOINTMENT
ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
EVERY THURSDAY 9:00 AM-5:00 PM

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.

September 25, 2022 • Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary
Time

Please read our bulletin and visit our website for updated information:
www.holytrinityparish.org

• Church hours: Sundays 7:30 AM-4:00 PM; Monday-Saturday 8:00 AM-4:00 PM
• Parish Office hours: Monday-Friday 8:45 AM-4:00 PM

Upcoming Events:
Sept. 25 Welcome Breakfast after all Masses
Sept. 25 Giving Garden Blessing Bag distribution after 11:00 AM Mass
Sept. 26 Respect Life Speaker – Wynette Sills 7:00 PM
Oct. 1 First Saturday Mass 8:15 AM
Oct. 1 St. Robert Bellarmine Confirmation Group Retreat
Oct. 6 Women’s Prayer Group 11:00 AM
Oct. 9 Youth Group meeting 6:00 PM Youth Center
Oct. 9 Respect Life Cupcake Day & Fall Fest
Oct. 12 Caregivers Support Group 10:30 AM
Oct. 15 St. Perpetua Confirmation Group Morning of Reflection
Oct. 16 St. Perpetua Confirmation Group Mass 1:30 PM
Oct. 22 Holy Trinity Community Servants Workday

* Member of Senior Leadership Team

Fr. Lawrence J. Beck*
Pastor
Fr. Marcel Emeh*
Parochial Vicar
Dan Haverty*
Jim Hopp*
Deacons
Jeremy Youngers*
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All Liturgical Ministers, Active, Inactive, and Substitutes

Over the two years of the pandemic, our Liturgical Ministries have been challenged by all the changes we have had to make to adapt to the situations as they evolved and developed. We thank you for your flexibility and your continued service. Father Larry and the Liturgy Committee believe it is time to renew and refresh our commitment to serve. Many family situations have changed, parishioners have moved, and new parishioners have joined the parish. All of these are signs of new and vigorous life in the parish. However, we have also seen a significant number of ministers in some ministries who have not returned to active service.

Each weekend, in order to have the four liturgies we offer, we need about 75 stewards serving our faith community. It is a momentous undertaking each weekend. And the commitment for which we ask speaks directly to our role as stewards of the talents given to us, in order to be shared for the benefit of others. As such, we ask for your renewed commitment to serve as a Liturgical Minister. The Liturgical Ministry Leaders are scheduling four sessions to allow the maximum flexibility for ministers and those interested in becoming liturgical ministers to attend one of the sessions. We are asking that ALL current ministers (Active, Inactive, and Substitute) attend one of these sessions. If you are unable to attend one of the sessions, you will be contacted about your commitment to continue to serve in your ministry.

The sessions will be about 1 hour and will have a brief period of catechesis, refresher discussion of the role of each ministry in the Mass, an opportunity for Q&A, and a time for breakout for each ministry leader to meet with their ministry.

Please save one of these dates to attend:

- Monday, October 3, 6:00 – 7:00 PM
- Saturday, October 8, 9:00 – 10:00 AM
- Tuesday, October 11, 5:30 – 6:30 PM
- Sunday, October 23, 12:30 – 1:30 PM

Hosts Needed for Net Ministries

We are looking for a family to host 3 college-age Net Ministries disciples who will be leading our Confirmation Retreat. They need lodging for two nights (9/30 and 10/1); the family is also asked to provide some meals. Please contact Cynthia Mulcaire in the Faith Formation office: cmulcaire@holytrinityparish.org.

Holy Trinity Fall Fest - October 9

Celebrate Life at our Fall Fest after the 11:00 AM Mass on Sunday, October 9. Join us for fun and fellowship with our amazing faith community. In addition to cupcakes, you will enjoy brats, streusel, a Biergarten, apple cider, and more. There will be a DJ, place for family photos, and a few activities.

If you would like to donate a pumpkin (of any size) for the event, please drop them off by Friday, October 7 in the View Room or Parish Office. For questions about this event, contact Farren Hatch: 916-606-6161.
**Special Prayer**

We would like to recognize long-time parishioner Mike Gonzalez and his wife Susan for their acceptance into the Deaconate Program of the Diocese of Sacramento. The Deaconate Program is a four-year path to becoming a deacon in the Catholic Church. Please keep him in your prayers as he embarks on this journey.

**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 **October 1**. All are invited to join in this special monthly devotion requested by Our Lady of Fatima. For more information contact Joan at: joanieh47@yahoo.com

**Respect Life Ministry**

Do you think pro-life issues are simply TOO BIG for you to do anything about? You might be surprised to learn that right here in the Sacramento Diocese there are people helping pregnant women find affordable housing, get medical care, prepare for job interviews, and obtain food and clothing. Come hear Wynette Sills, the Director of Californians for Life, share “real life stories from the sidewalk.” Prepare for “Respect Life Month” this October by doing something different. Learn how you can PRAY—VOTE—ACT to end abortion and help women and babies in need. We will also be hosting Alexandra Snyder from Life Legal Defense Foundation. She will provide up to date accurate information on Proposition 1 which will be on the ballot this November. In addition, there will be representatives for local organizations that provide a wide variety of services to women in need. Please come and see:

**Date:** September 26, 2022  
**Time:** 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM  
**Place:** Holy Trinity Parish Social Center  
3111 Tierra de Dios Drive  
El Dorado Hills, CA  
**Questions:** Contact Stephanie Francois  
at: ssf123@pacbell.net

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**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Monday, Sept. 26**  
8:15 AM   All Souls

**Tuesday, Sept. 27**  
8:15 AM   Florence Dissman, deceased, by Morgan family

**Wednesday, Sept. 28**  
8:15 AM   Jose de Jesus Morales Vargas, deceased, by Tona Morales

**Thursday, Sept. 29**  
8:15 AM   Tona Morales, special intention, by Tona Morales

**Friday, Sept. 30**  
8:15 AM   Jose de Jesus Morales Vargas, deceased, by Tona Morales

**Saturday, Oct. 1**  
8:15 AM   All Souls  
5:30 PM   Carmen Scaperoatto, deceased, by Forsythe family

**Sunday, Oct. 2**  
7:30 AM   Tommy Rangil, ill, by Beatrice Schnitzler  
9:00 AM   Dennis Gillott, deceased, by Ken & Pat Gillott  
11:00 AM   Parishioners of Holy Trinity

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**Weekly Adoration Now Extended**

In order to accommodate working families, weekly Adoration will be extended **on the first Thursday of each month from 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM in the church**. As a reminder, we have Adoration in the Youth Center 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM every Thursday. For more information, call or text Loretta at 408-966-9424. Thank you for continuing to participate in this devotion every week.

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**For DAILY READINGS**  
Please visit us @ holytrinityparish.org or  
www.usccb.org/bible/readings/092522.cfm
Questions for Faith Sharing Oct. 2
Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
In next Sunday’s Gospel, Luke 17:5-10, the apostles ask the Lord to increase their faith possibly so they could forgive in the manner in which Jesus instructed them to forgive. The Greek construction of Jesus’ words indicates that the faith of the apostles is already capable of doing great deeds. In our faith walk with Christ, we seek to surrender more and more of ourselves to him who held nothing back from us.

Reflection for families:
• How comfortable are you with identifying yourself as a disciple of Jesus?

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

St. Perpetua Group:
• All candidates and sponsors (or parents) must attend the Morning of Reflection on October 15 from 9:00 AM-Noon. Candidates will have the opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and we will also have a rehearsal for the Confirmation Mass.
• Bishop Soto will preside at our Confirmation Mass on October 16 at 1:30 PM. Candidates and sponsors should check in at 1:00 PM.

St. Robert Bellarmine Group:
• Your next Confirmation event is our Net Ministries Retreat at Holy Trinity Parish on October 1 (11:00 AM-7:30 PM). All candidates must attend.
• Your next Combined Session will be November 13 or 17. You will receive more information about this session after the retreat.
• All candidates should have completed a Zoom Discernment Interview with our Confirmation Team. If you have not done so, please contact us at the Faith Formation Office as soon as possible.
If you have a student who would like to prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation, please contact Kim Jones: kjones@holytrinityparish.org/530-677-3234.

Substitutes and classroom assistants for Faith Formation
We still need classroom assistants and substitute catechists. Please call the Faith Formation Office if interested: 530-677-3234, option 5.

Women’s Prayer Group
The Women’s Prayer group is resuming Thursday, October 6. Come join us for prayer, reflection, and sharing. We meet the first Thursday of every month at 11:00 AM in the View room. For more information, contact: Valerie or Ellen: Valerie.enright@yahoo.com.
Stewardship...

“My child, remember that you received what was good during your lifetime while Lazarus likewise received what was bad; but now he is comforted here, whereas you are tormented. Moreover, between us and you a great chasm is established…” Luke 16:25-26

When God created the world He declared that it was good and He gave it to all mankind for us to enjoy. However, over the years we have created a chasm between those who have great gifts and those who do not. In today’s Gospel we see that with our own generosity we must bridge that gap between those who have much and those who have little.

Consider making your gift electronically:
Sign up for EFT www.holytrinityparish.org/donate

Mosquito Fire Victims
At the request of the Food Bank of El Dorado County, our parishioners donated a full truckload of bottled water for victims of the Mosquito Fire. Thank you for your kindness and generosity.

Heavenly Job Opening
You are invited to consider being an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion for Mercy Folsom Hospital. Bringing Jesus in the Eucharist to the sick and dying in the hospital is a calling to the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy. Many Catholic patients are so very happy to receive our Lord through your kindness. It usually takes 90 minutes to complete our visits. You can set your own schedule and training will be provided. A background check and COVID vaccinations are required. You may contact Deacon Dan at 916-517-6558 or dthaverty@aol.com for more information and to get your application started.

Stewardship Opportunity
Rectory Housekeeper
Our parish has a long tradition of inviting parishioners to serve our Lord and his church by assisting with the housecleaning of the parish rectory where our two priests reside. The financial savings enables the parish to apply even more of our gifts of treasure to ministry and care of our Lord’s people.

In recent years two parishioners have shared the responsibility of primarily cleaning the priests’ bedrooms. We have an immediate opening for one parishioner to serve for one-to-two hours once-a-month to clean one of the priest’s bedrooms on any Monday of your choice. Vacations and holidays can easily be accommodated. For more information, please contact the parish office at 530-677-3234.

Refrigerator Needed
We are currently in need of a refrigerator for the Youth Center. If you have an extra one or are replacing one, please let the parish office know. Thank you.

St. Vincent de Paul Society
Holy Trinity is exploring starting a St. Vincent de Paul Chapter in our parish. St. Vincent de Paul was a French priest who began to serve the poor in the 16th century. His work grew into a worldwide Society whose purpose is to help us grow in our faith while providing basic human services to help prevent hunger and homelessness in the local area of each “parish chapter”.

Creating a St. Vincent de Paul chapter will provide an opportunity for us to grow in our faith as we serve as Jesus’ hands and feet to serve those in need. While the Human Concerns Ministry has been doing similar work over the past 10+ years, we believe that creating a Chapter will help us deepen our faith commitment as we serve the poor and marginalized. Please join us for an information meeting on Tuesday, October 11 at 6:30 PM in the Media Center.
Mission to Honor Veterans
Letters of Gratitude Campaign

We are excited to be able to gather this October at the Mission to Honor Veterans event where we will honor a group of local veterans. We wish to show our gratitude by delivering "Mail Call" packages of thank you letters for the local WWII, Korean, & Vietnam Veterans we are honoring. This is a wonderful opportunity to let our Veterans know how much we appreciate their service to our country.

We need YOUR help!

Here are a few letter writing guidelines...
• Start with Salutation- such as "Dear Veteran,"
• Avoid discussing politics and religion ("I am praying for you" is okay)
• Do not include your contact information; first names only, please
• Drawings or pictures are welcome (add a note with artist's age)
• Do not seal card envelopes, they will be sorted and sealed later

Please share this effort with your friends and family!

Drop off letters by Monday, Oct. 3rd to:

Visiting Angels
3350 Country Club Dr #101, Cameron Park
*after hours, use the mail slot in door

California Welcome Center
2085 Vine Street #105 (Town Center), EDH
Mon-Fri 9am to 5pm, Sat & Sun 10am to 4pm

Questions, contact Maureen: maureen@ eldercm.com, (916) 206-4420
Respect Life Month Kick-Off!

with guest speaker Wynette Sills
Director of Californians for Life

No suffering is too big for Christ in His Church. Learn how you can serve families before, during, and after a crisis pregnancy as they welcome a new life.

September 26, 2022 | 7 PM
Social Center | Holy Trinity Parish
Learn more: holytrinityparish.org/events
Strategic Plan – Publishing

September 15, 2022

Dear Parishioners,

Thank you all for your faithful commitment to our parish. We are happy to announce that we have completed the Strategic Plan. We reviewed all the feedback we received and implemented the items as appropriate. This five-year plan represents where we are as a Parish now and some important objectives we can embrace for growth. You can read the Strategic Plan on our website, download to print, or contact the Parish office and we will print for you.

The next step for implementing the Strategic Plan is for parish staff to create an action plan, appoint a senior staff member to champion a particular goal, document a timeline for meeting objectives, identify measurable metrics, and determine how we can include the many talents of parishioners and ministries to assist in accomplishing these goals and objectives.

Many parishioners expressed interest and willingness to help support these endeavors, and those who volunteered will be contacted once the action plan is created. We would like to encourage all in ministry leaders to consider how you or your ministry can assist with the implementation as well. As always, we are eager for all parishioners to be involved and invested in the betterment of our parish, so please let us know if you are interested.

We continue to be blessed by your support as we move forward with the implementation of the strategic plan. Through these efforts we look with hope to a bright future for our parish as we enhance and improve our Parish’s offerings of spiritual support.

Kindest Regards,

Holy Trinity Pastoral Council
Fall 2022
Young Adult Studies

JOIN US MONDAY NIGHTS IN THE YOUTH ROOM AT HOLY TRINITY PARISH

Oct 3-17:  Even If- Habakkuk Study
3 Week Study on the Old Testament Book Habakkuk. How do we praise the Lord even when life is hard? What does it mean to trust God when life doesn't go as planned? This study on the book of Habakkuk seeks to answer these questions.

Oct 24-Nov 21: Rosary Series - The Luminous Mysteries
5 Week Study on the Scriptures of the Luminous Mysteries. Each week we will dive into the scripture of a new mystery and pray the rosary as a group.

Nov 28-Dec 19: Rejoice: An Advent Pilgrimage
4 Week Study focusing on the Mass readings that will bear fruit in your life as Jesus comes to live more fully in your heart, and you experience greater joy and peace throughout the Advent season and beyond.

Questions: Text Bevyn at 916-293-2280
holytrinityparish.org/youngadult