

# Church of the Holy Angels

June 7, 2020, The Most Holy Trinity

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MASSSES OF OBLIGATION: SATURDAY 5:30PM SUNDAY  
 8:30AM & 10:30AM

CONFESSIONS: SATURDAY 4:00PM-5:00PM

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

MONDAY THRU THURSDAY 9:00AM-4:00PM

OFFICE CLOSED FRIDAYS

Rev. Andrew Stahmer, Pastor

Deacon Thomas Conlin

Sister Teresa Catherine, Pastoral Assistant

Mary Kay Bartol, Secretary, Organist, Choir Director

Joette Foris, Director of Religious Education, Guitarist

Robert Balonis, Maintenance

Elaine Lutz, Office Volunteer

## FINANCIAL ADVISORY COUNCIL

Charles Kaminsky, Chairman, Mary Ann Daya,

Kathy Nolan, Frank Mirarchi, Peter Avellino

## Parish Mission Statement

*We, the family of Holy Angels Parish, a diverse community of ethnic and cultural backgrounds, are united through the Holy Spirit to proclaim the Word of God to all peoples by following the teachings of Jesus Christ.*

*Working together in wisdom and love we commit ourselves in the following ways: protecting the unborn; fostering faith development in our youth; planting new seeds of evangelization throughout our parish family through prayer, spiritual works, education and outreach activities; ministering to the needs of our aging parishioners; promoting holiness through celebration of the sacraments, worship in liturgy, communal prayer, and our faith traditions.*

*Through these actions rooted in charity and mercy, we pledge to pass on our customs and beliefs to future generations, thus preserving our faith traditions for the greater glory of God and as a sign of Christ's love.*

## PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS

Jim Nolan, Chairman, Joe Meyer, Vice- Chairman,  
 Jeanne Avellino, Pat Bingaman, Sherry Bozza, Maria  
 Foris, Teresa McCabe, Juliann Wanzie, Kathy Pupo,  
 Jeff Kruleski, Alex Clayberger, Lena Leaveck

## MASS INTENTIONS

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 Saturday, June 6  
 8:00am Joseph Gard  
 5:30pm Jon Sten  
 Sunday, June 7  
 8:30am People of the Parish  
 10:30am Deceased of the  
 Joseph & Adeline Altomare Family  
 Monday, June 8  
 8:00am Francis A. Barwicki  
 Tuesday, June 9  
 8:00am Vince, Frank, Edward & Jane Chesney  
 Wednesday, June 10  
 8:00am Gloria Magagna  
 Thursday, June 11  
 8:00am Adolph Blugis  
 Friday, June 12  
 8:00am Ann Yanchuck  
 Saturday, June 13  
 8:00am William "Dede" & Anna Deitrich  
 5:30pm Salvatore Lacroce  
 Sunday, June 14  
 8:30am Charles Mannello  
 10:30am People of the Parish  
 2:00pm Special Intention  
 of the First Communion Class

## Sacrificial Offering

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 Weekend of May 31  
 Number of registered households 883  
 143 Sunday Offering (Households) \$3,546.00  
 Loose Cash \$75.00  
 Youth Offering \$17.00  
 Shortfall- Debt Reduction & Plus One \$47.00  
 Air Conditioning \$.00  
 Votives \$70.00  
 Holy Thursday \$17.00  
 Ascension \$97.00  
 Amount Budgeted \$8,333.00  
 Amount Contributed \$3,869.00  
 Weekend of May 31 -\$4,464.00  
 Improvement Fund  
 Previous Balance \$13,858.00  
 Weekend of May 31 +\$45.00  
 Balance \$13,903.00  
 Easter  
 Previous Amount \$11,874.00  
 Additional Easter \$40.00  
 Total Easter to date \$11,914.00  
 Diocesan Collections  
 Holy Land (Good Friday) \$12.00  
 Catholic Relief Services \$5.00  
 Catholic Home Missions \$5.00  
 Pentecost \$615.25

## Diocesan Annual Campaign

A very special "thank you" to all who have contributed towards the Diocesan Annual Campaign. Our goal is \$19,936.00. Although we are awaiting an official report from the diocese, we have calculated that so far we have paid in \$15,062.00. Which leaves us \$4,874.00 short of our goal. If you have not yet made your contribution, please do so as soon as possible.



### Welcome to All!

This church is our heavenly Father's house, a place of solace and grace, so feel at home here. Enter reverently, pray quietly, sing joyfully, listen attentively, give cheerfully and come back gladly. Remain in the church after Mass for some personal quiet time with the Lord and come early before Mass to pray the Rosary with others. If you ever feel unwelcome-let the pastor know! And if the pastor makes you feel unwelcome, let him know!

### Active Parishioner Status

*We receive many requests for parishioners to be godparents or sponsors for the Sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation and to rightfully enjoy the number of services offered at Holy Angels Parish. Part of the request is to be able to verify that a person is an "active member"*

An "Active Member" is:

1. Properly registered on the parish rolls.
  2. Faithfully attends Mass on Sundays and Holy Days.
  3. Participates in parish activities/ministries when possible.
  4. Uses the parish envelope system for donations.
- These are the main factors that will be considered in making the determination that someone is an "active member." Other criteria are also taken into consideration when requesting a sponsor certificate.*

### Couples Planning Marriage

For couples who are planning to marry, please check the availability of our church prior to arranging venues.

### Vigil Lights

June 7 thru June 13

Sanctuary Light: *In loving memory of John & Lena Kopchak by Family*

St. Anthony: *In loving memory of Linda Ross by Mr. & Mrs. Preston Dormer*

St. Anne: *Special Intention*

St. Casimir: *In loving memory of Elaine Duran by husband, Michael*

St. Theresa: *Special Intention*

St. Kateri: *Special Intention*

St. Marziale: *Special Intention*

Sacred Heart: *Special Intention*

### Attention PREP parents!

First Communion is scheduled for June 14, at 2:00PM.

GRADE 8 - Confirmation robes are to be picked up and taken home. No specific date has been set for confirmation.

### Holy Angels Holy Name Society

#### Annual Spaghetti Dinner

Sunday, June 7 from 11:00AM-1:30PM

Take-out only! \$7.00 per dinner

Your choice of Spaghetti and 2 Meatballs OR

Spaghetti and 1 piece Chicken Parmesan

Dinners will be available at the Picnic Shed

No ticket needed, no phone orders, just stop by the

Picnic Shed to make your purchase!

### Our Lady of Lourdes Scholarship

Applications for Kulpmont K.of C. 4281

Scholarship for Our Lady of Lourdes are being

accepted until August 15<sup>th</sup>

Forms can be obtained at the Holy Angel's Rectory or from any Kulpmont Knight Member

### PICNIC COMMITTEE MEETING

An important meeting will be held on Thursday, June 11 at 7:00PM in the Activity Center for the Parish Picnic Committee. Please attend this meeting if you are able.

### HOLY ANGELS PARISH PICNIC JULY 31 & AUGUST 1

We will be having a "Modified" Parish Picnic so mark your calendars!

We realize we will not be able to have the picnic that most of us have grown accustomed to, but we will be attempting to have a picnic so that those who choose to attend will have a safe, but good time.

### Basket Bonanza

The Basket Bonanza is a go! Sherry is anxious to get shopping so if you are willing to donate \$50 or more for a basket, PLEASE make your donation as soon as possible. With minimum stores being open and reduced occupancy of stores, it may take Sherry longer to shop, so please be considerate and make your donation early! You can mail in your donation or drop it off at the rectory or contact Sherry directly at 570-933-1886.

As we hopefully move closer to the "green zone" we will know better what limitations we will have for the picnic and will keep you as informed as possible.

### Holy Angels Parish

#### Take -Out Only Chicken Dinner

Sunday, June 21

11:00AM-1:30PM

Dinner will consist of 3 pieces of roasted chicken, potato, stuffing, veggie and dessert

Donation \$8.00

NO tickets will be sold, first come, first serve!

Anyone interested in helping to prepare the dinner or serving on this Father's Day event, please contact Jeff Kruleski at 570-492-2888.

### HALO Strawberry Bake Fest

A BERRY Sweet Bake Fest will be held by HALO in conjunction with the Chicken Dinner. Chances will also be sold on a BIG Backyard Summer Fun Bucket and a Chillin' and Grillin' BBQ Basket. Chances will be sold 6 for \$5.00.

### The Most Holy Trinity

We must not take the Trinity for granted or be blasé about it. We should think about the Trinity and contemplate it. We must not say, as some do, that, because it is a mystery, we need think no more about it. The sacred mysteries are not things we cannot know anything about, but deep realities that we cannot know everything about. It is the Trinitarian life that we are incorporated into in Baptism. It is participation in the Trinitarian life that our Lord desires for us forever in heaven. The contemplation of God's Trinitarian life and love is the primary joy of heaven. We do well to begin thinking of it now.

God did not make us out of necessity, i.e. because He needed to, but because of His immense love for us. He wants us to have access to the fullness of the truth and He wants us to share in the fullness of His Love. This is why He has revealed His truth to us, instituted the Catholic Church, and given us the sacraments. We have access to His great love on this earth especially in the Holy Eucharist, until we can share perfectly in His love in its fullness in heaven, where all the saints will share in the Love that never ends and "God will be all in all."

**Memorial Donations  
were given to Holy Angels Parish  
In Loving Memory of**

**Mary Dolores Marshalek** by Ann Gard, Dave & Joann Shinskie, Michael White, Cindy & John Bartol.

**Charles J. Lucas, III** by Kulpmont Knights of Columbus, Dave & Joann Shinskie, Paul & Roseann Anderson, Pauline Mirarchi & Family, Foris Family, Mary Kay & David Bartol, Pearl Martello, Dennis & Elaine Lutz.

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**Carl Valonoski** by Bernadine Witowski.

**Robert Furiofi** by Bernie Novakoski.

**Joseph Miriello, Sr.** by Elaine & Dave Baksi, Bernadine Witowski.

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**Mary Dulovich** by Paul & Roseann Anderson, Diane McAndrew.

**Linda Ross** by David & Mary Kay Bartol

# Dear Padre,

## Why was the confusing word *consubstantial* added to our Creed some years ago? What was wrong with the old “one in being with the Father”?

The Creed or Profession of Faith is said at Mass so that the assembly “may respond to the Word of God proclaimed in the readings...and explained in the Homily and that they may also honor and confess the great mysteries of the faith...before the celebration of these mysteries in the Eucharist begins” (*General Instruction of the Roman Missal*, 67). The Nicene Creed normally is used, although the Apostles’ Creed may replace it at Masses with children or on Sundays during the seasons of Lent and Easter.



In the Nicene Creed, “We believe” changed to “I believe” because a profession of faith is a profoundly personal act, even when it’s made in public while at Mass. Plus, the literal translation of the Latin word *credo* is “I believe,” not “we believe.”

The word *consubstantial* indicates that Christ isn’t simply united with the Father but that they share the same substance. In other words, Christ is not a different God, but he’s the same God with the Father, since our God is One. They’re coequal and coeternal. In St. John’s Gospel, Philip asks Jesus to “show us the Father, and that will be enough for us.” Jesus replies, “Whoever has seen me has seen the Father....Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me, or else, believe because of the works themselves” (John 14:8–9, 11).

—Fr. Byron Miller, CSSR  
Sundaybulletin@Liguori.org

### A WORD FROM *Pope Francis*

With our eyes fixed on Jesus and his merciful gaze, we experience the love of the Most Holy Trinity....His person is nothing but love, a love given gratuitously....The signs he works, especially in favor of sinners, the poor, the marginalized, the sick, and the suffering, are all meant to teach mercy.

—MISERICORDIAE VULTUS, APRIL 11, 2015

## Calendar

<b>Monday</b> JUNE 8 Weekday 1 Kgs 17:1–6 Mt 5:1–12
<b>Tuesday</b> JUNE 9 Weekday 1 Kgs 17:7–16 Mt 5:13–16
<b>Wednesday</b> JUNE 10 Weekday 1 Kgs 18:20–39 Mt 5:17–19
<b>Thursday</b> JUNE 11 St. Barnabas, Apostle Acts 11:21b–26; 13:1–3 Mt 5:20–26
<b>Friday</b> JUNE 12 Weekday 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11–16 Mt 5:27–32
<b>Saturday</b> JUNE 13 St. Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church 1 Kgs 19:19–21 Mt 5:33–37
<b>Sunday</b> JUNE 14 Body and Blood of Christ Dt 8:2–3, 14b–16a 1 Cor 10:16–17 Jn 6:51–58

# Our Parish COMMUNITY

June 7, 2020

Most Holy Trinity (A)

Ex 34:4b–6, 8–9

2 Cor 13:11–13

Jn 3:16–18

## Three in One, or One in Three?

Our thinking moves far from the reality of God when we limit our reflection of the Trinity to numbers. The characterizations of an old man, a younger man, and a dove do not help much either. However, these are attempts to somehow talk about the mystery of all mysteries. We cannot adequately conceptualize or characterize God, but we try. Each reading today makes its own attempt.

In the Exodus passage, God actually describes God’s own self: “gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in love and fidelity” (Exodus 34:6).

The Gospel passage tells us how these divine features play out in our lives: “God so loved the world that he gave his only Son” (John 3:16). This Son is God in the flesh. What greater love can there be?

The prayer in Paul’s letter seems to scoop us up

like an adoring parent would into the embrace of the Trinity: “The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the holy Spirit be with all of you” (2 Corinthians 13:13).

Theologians tell us that each person of the Trinity interacts with us and the rest of the created universe in a way unique to each person. Though different, each way is an expression of self-emptying love. The only response required of us is openness to that love. God only asks that we accept that love and allow it to transform us. Then we will be the living example of the Trinity’s love for all.

—Sr. Dianne Bergant, CSA

### FOR *Reflection*

- ★ Say the Gloria slowly, reflecting prayerfully on the meaning of the words.
- ★ What in today’s readings touches you the most? Why?



God so loved  
the world that he  
gave his only Son,  
so that everyone  
who believes in  
him might not  
perish.  
JOHN 3:16

