

Holy Trinity Church

Staffed by the Missionaries of La Salette

***The Most Holy Body
and Blood of Christ***



PARISH OFFICE

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OFFICE HOURS: (Please call for an appointment outside these hours)
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday: 9:00 am to 4:00 pm
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HOLY TRINITY PARISH CENTER 413-568-4352

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Finance Council Chairperson: Wade Brunelle

Parish Council Chairperson: Deborah Dion

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Thursday: 12:10 pm

Friday: 12:10 pm Communion Service

Saturday: 4:00 pm Vigil

Sunday: 7:00 am, 8:30 am (Polish), 10:30 am

Holy Days of Obligation: Eve of Holy Day: 7:00 pm,
Holy Day: 12:10, 7:00 pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 3:00 to 3:45 pm, 15 minutes before
weekday Masses during Lent, or by appointment

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING

A person does not need to wait until the point of death to receive this sacrament. Please call the office if a parishioner is seriously ill, in the hospital or planning surgery.

SACRAMENTS OF BAPTISM and MARRIAGE

Those who desire the Sacraments of Baptism or Marriage must be registered and practicing members of the Parish for at least three months.

BAPTISMS: Please call the Parish Office to schedule an appointment prior to making any arrangements. The Sponsors (i.e. Godparents) must also be practicing Catholics.

WEDDINGS: Please call the Parish Office one year in advance. Consult the Parish Priest before setting a date.

HOLY TRINITY MISSION STATEMENT

Holy Trinity Parish is a Roman Catholic La Salette Community proud of our Polish heritage, and committed to witnessing the Gospel message of Jesus Christ through liturgy, education, and celebrating the sacraments, especially the Eucharist. Our parish community is a FAMILY, seeking to develop a cooperative spirit of supporting each other in facing the joys and sorrows of everyday life. By serving others in this way, we can bring about love, forgiveness and compassion representing the heart and hands of Jesus Christ through the message of mercy revealed to us by Our Lady of La Salette in 1846. We invite you to join us!!!



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY – June 19

12:10 pm: Aniela & Gunter Beijer
R/B Alicja Zelazko

TUESDAY – June 20

12:10 pm: Souls in Purgatory
R/B M & M Therrien
Marian Rogowski
R/B Veronica Matthews

WEDNESDAY – June 21 St. Aloysius Gonzaga

12:10 pm: for all parishioners

6:30 pm: Holy Hour of Adoration

THURSDAY – June 22

12:10 pm: Mr. & Mrs. Henry Giguere
R/B Laura & Family

FRIDAY – June 23 Sacred Heart of Jesus

12:10 pm: Communion Service

7:00pm: Connie Massey
R/B Marie Anne Forni

SATURDAY – June 24

4:00 pm Vigil: Bernice Zygarowski
R/B Barbara & Ronnie

SUNDAY – June 25

Twelfth Sunday In Ordinary Time

7:00am: Dee Baiardi & Daniel Pighetti
R/B family
8:30am: Katarzyna & Jan Wozniak
R/B Basia Urban & family
10:30am: John “Jiggs” Morrissey
R/B Carol & Jim Demeo

LITURGICAL ROLES

June 24 & 25

Saturday 4:00 pm Reader: Sandy Kielbasa
Ministers of the Body and Blood of Christ:
Michael Haley, Frank Dawicki & June Cloutier
Sunday 7:00 am Reader: Peter Danek
Ministers of the Body and Blood of Christ:
Teresa Greenwood, Jane Wood & Marie Anne Forni
8:30 am Reader: Czeslaw Kisala
Minister of the Body and Blood of Christ:
Stanislaw Pluciennik
10:30 am Reader: Nicholas Rossi
Ministers of the Body and Blood of Christ:
Teresa Oleksak, Debbie Dion & Diane Bedor
Choir: Greg Gawron



The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

June 18, 2017

Not by bread alone does one live, but by every word that comes forth from the mouth of the LORD.

-Deuteronomy 8:3b

TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading -- Never forget the LORD your God, who brought you out of slavery and fed you with manna in the desert (Deuteronomy 8:2-3, 14b-16a).

Psalm -- Praise the Lord, Jerusalem (Psalm 147).

Second Reading -- Because the loaf of bread is one, we who partake of it, though we are many, are one body (1 Corinthians 10:16-17).

Gospel -- Jesus said to the crowds, "I am the living bread; whoever eats this bread will live forever" (John 6:51-58).

Prayer for Peace

O God, creator of all that is good, we turn to you trusting in Your wisdom and love. We pray that in this atmosphere of hostility your spirit will soften hearts that are hardened. Bring peace to our world torn by violence. Send your spirit to act in the depths of our hearts so that enemies dialogue, adversaries reconcile, and all people come together in harmony. Peace, not war, we pray. Amen.



MEMORIAL CANDLE for the WEEK of 6/18

Anna & Joseph Czarnecki, Joe & Paul Czarnecki & Joanne Nemeo

R/B Anne Ferreira



Please pray for those intentions expressed in the Book of Intentions located in the back of the church, **also:** Sebastian & Edmund Glebocki, Dorothy, Evelyn Janisieski, Elaine, Barbara Rosiensi, Maureen W., Bill, Brenda D., Matthew Demars & family, Theresa, Donna Capell, Liam Bisson Ingersoll, Larry, Carol Jeneral, Edward Danek, Marie Anne, Marlene Bannish, Michael, Paul M., Lucille Gintowt, Kaylee Paulson, Joan & Tom K., Eli, all in hospitals, nursing homes, or home-bound, those with mental illness or addictions, the unemployed, homeless, our youth, our political leaders, all in the military, those who have fallen away from the faith, the souls in purgatory and for the safety of all.

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY

SACRED HEART MASS, FRIDAY, JUNE 23, 7 PM

Our parish will have a special service to honor the Sacred Heart of Jesus starting with Mass at 7 pm followed by Eucharistic Adoration until 10 pm. Confessions will be available after Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

2018 MASS BOOK AND MEMORIAL CANDLE

The new Mass Book for 2018 will be open to reserve Masses as well as the weekly Memorial Candle **starting Tuesday, July 11** during regular office hours. The Mass stipend will remain at \$10 per Mass and the suggested Candle donation is also \$10. The gift of a Mass provides a special way to honor and pray for those who have died or for special events in the life of the living, ie. 25th or 50th anniversaries. It can't be emphasized enough that **if you wish a specific day that you reserve it as soon as possible** after the Mass book opens as everything is done on a "first come, first served" basis.

DONATIONS TO OUR PARISH

In memory of Mary Atwood from Karen King

In memory of Josephine Gusek from Patricia Poulin

Altar Candle Oil from the Rosary Society

Thank you and may God bless you for your generosity.

PRAYER FOR PRIESTS

Our Lady of Good Success, pray that your Son will grant a haven of peace in His Sacred Heart to all priests, especially those newly ordained.

Please pray daily for all the religious that serve us and others. **June 19** Rev. Jonathan Reardon, **20** Rev. Jonathan Inskip, MIC, **21** Rev. Ryan Sliwa, **22** Rev. Albert Scherer, OFM Conv., **23** All Priests of the Sacred Heart, **24** Rev. Vincent M. O'Connor, **25** Most Rev. Mitchell T. Rozanski.

Also, extend these prayers to the deacons of our diocese.

RESPECT LIFE REFLECTION: June 18 ~ From today's 1st Reading, Deuteronomy 8: "**Do not forget the Lord, your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, that place of slavery.**"

That place of an unwanted pregnancy, a long suffering terminal illness, a debilitating handicap; a test of our loyalty to the Commandments.

FROM THE DIOCESE OF SPRINGFIELD:

Dear Parents and Guardians,

There is a popular new show on Netflix that teens are watching entitled "13 Reasons Why". It is a series based on a book by Jay Asher. The premise of the book and series revolves around a teenager who takes her life by suicide and leaves 13 cassette tapes that explain her decision to end her life. We urge all parents and guardians to talk with your teens about this series. An article about it can be found at: <http://iobserve.org/2017/05/diocesan-staff-urge-parents-caregivers-to-discuss-13-reasons-with-children/>.



NEW Ministers of Holy Communion

We are happy to announce that two more parishioners have successfully completed Diocesan training to be Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. They are Laura Masciadrelli and Ann Mello. They will be commissioned at the 4:00 Vigil Mass this Saturday and will be serving predominantly at the Vigil Mass. We thank them for their willingness to serve in this important ministry.

ROSARY SOCIETY CHANGES PICNIC DATE

The year-end picnic will be held on **June 25th at 12 noon at Stanley Park**. Use the entrance on Kensington Ave. near Granville Rd. All Rosarians are welcome. Bring a salad, appetizer or dessert if you can. Hot dogs & hamburgers will be provided.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

"One Family, Many Gifts", this year's theme for the Annual Catholic Appeal, calls on each of us to unite in one mission to share God's blessings. As we approach the summer months filled with beautiful weather and relaxation, let us be mindful that many of our brothers and sisters in need still face daily struggles. As Catholics we are called to serve. By supporting the Annual Catholic Appeal of the Diocese of Springfield, you can help our friends and neighbors in the community. To those who have given a heartfelt word of thanks! If you have not yet participated in this year's Annual Catholic Appeal, please call 413-452-0637. Online donations may also be made at www.diospringfield.org/aca and remember every dollar given is greatly appreciated and will help your neighbors here in western Massachusetts. So far this year **127 parishioners have donated \$14,372.00.**

Thank you for supporting our Diocesan programs.



Weekly Collections

June 3 & 4, 2017

Weekly: 234 envelopes	\$4,389.00
Loose:	<u>\$ 218.75</u>
Total Offertory:	\$4,607.75
<i>(Weekly Offertory necessary to meet budget: \$5,000.00)</i>	
Improvement Fund: 32 envelopes	\$ 400.00
Fuel Fund: 45 envelopes	\$ 564.00
Boiler Fund: 9 envelopes	\$ 64.00
Ascension: 3 envelopes	\$ 13.00
Father's Day Rem.: 26 envelopes	\$ 423.00
Miscellaneous: 4 envelopes	\$ 35.00

Next week is the second collection for the boiler fund.

Thank you for your support. God bless your generosity

100th ANNIVERSARY of OUR LADY of FATIMA

An All Night Vigil in Honor of the **Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary** will be held at Christ the King Parish, 41 Warsaw Ave., Ludlow. Bishop Mitchell T. Rozanski will celebrate the opening Mass at 9p.m on Friday, June 23. The Vigil will end with a closing Mass at 7a.m on Saturday, June 24th. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will take place throughout the night, along with recitation of the rosary, litanies, hymns and other devotions. Refreshments will be available. All are welcome!

32nd ANNUAL PICNIC SUNDAY JUNE 25th

Christ the King Church, 41 Warsaw Ave. Ludlow, holds it's annual picnic from noon to 9pm Sunday June 25 featuring Polish and American food (take out orders available on all food), a bake sale, an ice cream booth, games, raffles, music and much more. The picnic is open to the public with free admission and free parking.

Our diocese will be celebrating the **32nd World Youth Day on Saturday, July 8, from Noon-5pm at Our Lady of Fatima Parish, Ludlow.** This year Pope Francis invites us to reflect on the faith of Mary, who says in the Magnificat: "The Mighty One has done great things for me." All high school youth and young adults are invited to celebrate the joys, sights and sounds of the World Youth Day by participating in various prayer experiences, workshops, activities, music, food and Mass the Bishop Rozanski. Advance registration is required and a free-will offering will be taken at Mass. Registration forms are available at the diocesan website at www.diospringfield.org/youth-ministry-events.

Join us for a fun night of painting and FUNdraising Friday, June 30th 6 PM - 8 PM

Venue: St. Catherine of Siena Parish Center, 1023 Parker St, Springfield. Instructor: MaryBeth Reed
 Cost: \$35.00 includes all materials to paint a 16x20" canvas to take home! Register in advance online at: <https://paintcraze.com/events/view/paint-craze-fundraiser-for-st-catherine-of-siena-church-1598>***Sorry but no Groupons or promo codes will be accepted for this special event.

Anxious Parents & Family Members Support Group

Every 2nd & 4th Monday 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Sacred Heart Parish Hall, Springfield

A confidential and free support group for those who are living with drugs in the family. Here's what one participant said about the group: *"It helped me to have people that understand what's it's like to live with a family member who's doing drugs—and you get more peace of mind with the spiritual part."* The group is spiritual and educational in nature and is being led by Jim Greer, M.S., Substance Abuse Educator & Pastoral Counselor.

SUMMER FEST 2017

Holy Family Church will be having a summer festival with fun and food featuring entertainment by **TJ & The Peepers on June 25th from noon to 4pm at 29 Sugarloaf St. in South Deerfield.** Admission is \$10 children 12 & under are free.



ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE CEMETERY

Flowers and all remaining religious articles and other memorabilia must be removed from the cemetery by **Sunday, June 25.** Only flowers that are on monuments will be allowed to remain in the cemetery. Also, please note that plantings of any kind are not allowed around the base of the monument. Benches, chairs, vigil lights, and other ornaments are prohibited. **No artificial flowers are allowed at any time in the cemetery.**

Serving the Spiritual Needs of Grieving Parents

A Catholic ministry for parents whose children of any age have died by any cause, no matter how long ago. Losing a child under any circumstance is horrific. Focusing on the spirituality of the grieving process can help tremendously.

Please join us. All are welcome.

Emmaus Ministry for Grieving Parents

At St. Anthony Shrine, Boston, MA

One-Day Spiritual Retreat on August 5

For more information on this and other retreat times and locations, call (617) 542-8057 or visit www.emfgp.org

Genesis Spiritual Life & Conference Center, Mill St., in Westfield is pleased to announce that its Program and Retreat Calendar is available. Please call 413-562-3627 to receive a copy in the mail or go online at GenesisSpiritualCenter.org to join the mailing list or to view the online calendar.

CATHOLIC RELIGIOUS ARTICLES AND BOOKS

Looking for medals, rosaries, crucifixes, bibles, books, Christian music CDs, religious pictures & statues, and Baptism, 1st Communion, Confirmation & wedding gifts? Try these gift shops:

The Vine and Branches Gift Shop at Sacred Heart Church, 1061 Springfield St., Feeding Hills is open Wed. thru Sat. 9:30 am-4 pm and Sun. 9 am-12:30 pm. Contact 413-786-8200, ext. 5.

The Spirit Among Us, 200 Center St., Suite 14, Ludlow. Hours are Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 9:30 am-5 pm; Thursday, 9:30 am-6 pm; and Saturday, 9:30 am-3 pm. Phone number is 413-583-4014.

*Jesus, meek and humble of heart,
 make my heart like Your Heart!*

CALLING ALL SCRAPBOOKERS

Step into Summer - All Day Crop, Saturday, June 24th - 9 am to 9 pm here at Holy Trinity Parish Center. For more information, please contact Mary Jane Smith @ 413-244-5271 or by email MaryJane.Smith@comcast.net

GIANT TAG & RUMMAGE SALE REPORT

Friday, June 2 & Saturday, June 3, 2017

Tables- Cashiers (Both Days Total)	\$2,887.59
Rosary Bazaar- Frank sold Christmas Items	\$213.00
Pre -Tag Sale Purchases by Frank Gaulin	\$673.00
Jewelry Table	\$366.00
Small Raffle	\$57.00
Tag Sale Total	\$4,196.59
Less- Expenses-WN Tag Sale Ad	(\$16.85)
TOTAL TAG SALE PROFIT	<u>\$4,179.74</u>

We would like to extend a huge **THANK YOU** to **Frank Gaulin and all the workers who volunteered their time** at the Tag & Rummage Sale! We would also like to thank all the people who donated the wonderful clothes, jewelry and items we needed to make this year's Tag Sale such a **HUGE SUCCESS! \$4,179.74** was raised for our Church Boiler Fund. Hopefully we can do this again next year!!!

We are already accepting donations for next year's tag sale. They can be dropped off at the Parish Office/ or the Garage during normal business hours. Jewelry and Jewelry boxes are needed for next year's tag sale. The boxes will be used to display the jewelry. Please drop off all Jewelry at the Parish Office to Alicia Haluch, HTC Book-keeper. **THANK YOU!!! DZIĘKUJE!!!**

Our FALL FESTIVAL is going to be on Sunday, September 17th. We are always in need of volunteers. If you would like to get involved with this year's festival please contact Steve Oleksak at 568-6686 or the parish office at 568-1506. Prizes and donations are also needed. Plan to come make pierogi in August.

PARISH SUGGESTION BOX: Our Catholic faith is one of our greatest treasures. Fr. René, our parish staff and our Pastoral Council invite you to tell us how our faith community can work even better together. Perhaps you have a question about our religion. Perhaps you have a compliment or want to share joy about something that was uplifting or brought you happiness. Perhaps you have a suggestion that would help our parish family. Please put your comments, congratulations or concerns in the Suggestion Box at the right side of the vestibule in the church. Fr. René checks this box weekly. If you are requesting a response, kindly include your name, email or home address or telephone number.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Holy Trinity Parish is totally dependent on the generous stewardship of its parishioners for support. The use of envelopes, regardless of the amount of the contribution, makes possible our many parish activities and services, as well as the maintenance and use of our buildings. Please write the amount of your gift on your offertory envelope. Your loose check will only be recorded in the parish data base if you are a registered parishioner. Thank you!



We wish the following members of our parish a very **Blessed and Happy Birthday. Sto Lat!** Birthdays for **6/19 to 6/25** are: William Bancroft, *Lynn Chrzanowski*, Joseph Garlow Jr., Brandon Hardie, Warren Holmes Jr., Brenda Lemanski, Helen Niemiec, Joseph Paquin, Florence Patla, Stanislaw Pluciennik, Linda Rowbotham, Janina Sadkowski, Sylvariusz Sajewicz, Kimberly Siwek, Alexandra Smialek, Michael Soverow, Michael Wellspeak, Marissa Wills, Andrew Zabik, *Bernadette Zelazko and John Zielinski.*

(Birthdays ending in a 5 or 0 are in italics.)

SHARING WITH THE LESS FORTUNATE

We are always collecting non-perishable food & personal health items. Canned goods like fruit, vegetables, canned potatoes, or everyday staples like tuna, peanut butter, pasta sauce, cereals etc. as well as soap, toothpaste, tissues, toilet paper, foil, baggies are some suggested items needed by the St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry. Collection basket/bins are at the side doors of the church for your convenience.

FATHERHOOD: Blessed indeed is the man who hears many gentle voices call him father!--*Lydia M. Child*

HOLY TRINITY 200 CLUB

Prizes are drawn each month on the last Sunday of the month. To be part of this fundraiser mail your name, address and telephone number to Holy Trinity Church, or put it in the collection basket marked "200 Club". This also makes a great gift. The **cost is \$5 a month or \$35 for the rest of the year.** Make checks to "*Holy Trinity 200 Club*". **Payment deadline is June 18** for the June 25th drawing. Thank you to all who take part in this drawing.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Phone _____

Enclosed check \$ _____ Email: _____