

# Holy Trinity Catholic Church

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Bandon, OR 97411



# St. John the Baptist

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*Mission Statement: To be a welcoming Catholic community committed to love, prayer, and service.*

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## February 21, 2021 1st Sunday of Lent, Year B



*The Spirit drove Jesus out into the desert, and he remained in the desert for forty days, tempted by Satan. He was among wild beasts, and the angels ministered to him. - Mark 1:12-13*

## Liturgy Schedule February 20-26, 2021

### Holy Trinity ~ Bandon

Saturday Vigil Mass (livestreamed).....5:00 pm  
Sunday Mass.....10:30 am  
Wednesday Mass.....5:00 pm  
Thursday Mass.....12:00 pm  
Friday Mass.....12:00 pm

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday (Church).....3:30 - 4:45 pm

### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursday (Chapel).....12:30 - 8:00 pm  
Friday (Chapel).....9:30 am - 12:00 pm

### St. John the Baptist ~ Port Orford

Sunday Mass.....8:30 am

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Sunday.....8:00-8:30 am

## Highlights this Week

- **A Reminder of Safety Guidelines for all Masses:** 1) The number of attendees will be 25% of building capacity. 2) Face coverings are required while attending Mass (per guidance of OHA). 3) Observation of 6-foot physical distancing between households in the church, hall & gathering area. 4) Please use hand sanitizer before and after Mass. 5) Please use all available exits to avoid bottlenecks after Mass. 6) Take your copy of the Breaking Bread hymnal home with you after Mass.
- **Knights of Columbus:** Last week's scheduled meeting of the Knights OF Columbus has been rescheduled for this Thursday, February 25, beginning with the Rosary at 6:30 pm, meeting to follow at 7:00.
- **Stations of the Cross:** Follow the footsteps of Jesus as we pray the Stations of the Cross this Friday, Feb. 26, at 6:00 pm in the church at Holy Trinity and 5:00 pm at St. John's.
- **Small Faith Sharing Groups:** The Search faith sharing groups are off to a great start, and you can still join one! Check inside this bulletin for available groups and times. Don't miss this wonderful opportunity to grow and connect with your faith!
- **FORMED:** This week's FORMED recommendation for children is *Brother Francis: Let's Pray - A Lesson on Prayer*. For adults our recommendation is an audio talk, *Glimpses Along the Way of the Cross*. You can download the FORMED app to your smart phone and view these on the go!

## Online Giving

Holy Trinity Parish accepts one-time and recurring donations conveniently on our website. You can make your secure donation via electronic check or debit/credit card by simply visiting [www.holytrinitybandon.org/donate](http://www.holytrinitybandon.org/donate).

## 2021, the Year of St. Joseph

This prayer is from the popular *Pieta Prayer Book*:

*O St. Joseph, whose protection is so great, so strong, so prompt before the Throne of God, I place in you all my interests and desires. O St. Joseph, do assist me by your powerful intercession and obtain for me from your Divine Son all spiritual blessings through Jesus Christ, Our Lord; so that having engaged here below your Heavenly power I may offer my thanksgiving and homage to the most loving of Fathers. O St. Joseph, I never weary contemplating you and Jesus asleep in your arms. I dare not approach while He reposes near your heart. Press him in my name and kiss His fine Head for me, and ask Him to return the Kiss when I draw my dying breath. St. Joseph, Patron of departing souls, pray for us. Amen.*

Say for nine consecutive mornings for anything you may desire. It has seldom been known to fail.

(Pope Francis has declared 2021 as the Year of Saint Joseph )

## February 13-14 Collections

**Holy Trinity Weekly Goal \$2700**

**Regular Collection \$734**

**Central & Eastern Europe \$666**

**Holy Trinity Building Fund \$30**

**St. John's Weekly Goal \$450**

**Regular Collection \$375**

*Thank you very much!*

## Second Collections

This weekend we will have our monthly collection for parish maintenance. Next weekend, February 27–28, is Commitment Weekend for the 2021 Archbishop's Catholic Appeal. If you received a personalized commitment card in the mail please bring it to Mass as we join together to support our Catholic Church here in western Oregon.

## Mass Intentions This Week

### Holy Trinity

Sat 2/20: +Maggie Karlin

Sun 2/21: +James Reilly

Wed 2/24: +Frances Carmella Carati

Thu 2/25: +Helen Roberts

Fri 2/26: +Helen Roberts

### St. John the Baptist

Sun 2/21: The intentions of all St. John's parishioners

## Liturgical Ministers Schedule

### 5 pm Saturday Vigil 2/27

Lector: Allison Hundley

Sacristan: John Freitag

### 10:30 am Sunday 2/28

Lector: Denise Daigre

Sacristan: Kevin Kroll

## Prayer Intentions

Marty Dietel, Father Anthony Ahamefule, Elaine Stohler, Tricia & Kirk Brown, Marilyn Hunt, Bernie Karlin, Roseann Gates, David, Tosh Barry, Kathy Welch, Priscilla and Vern Lang, Pierre Duprée, Frank White, Lee Taylor, David Willis, Steven White, Jr., Todd Cook, Nancy LaBay, John Freitag Jr, Travis Holden & family, Loretta Brammer, Tom Lindstrom, Skip Thomas, all who are suffering with illness, those who continue to serve us in health care and essential services, everyone on Holy Trinity & St. John's Prayer Chains.

**Almighty and ever living God, through the love of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus Christ, Your Son, in your mercy, restore the spiritual, emotional, and physical health of all those mentioned above.**

**Amen**

## RCIA & RCIC 2021 ~ A Journey in Faith What inspires your faith?



**PK Devereaux - Holy Trinity**

"Endless love, strength, and joy."



**Doreen Howell - St. John's**

"Counting my blessings, love, and community"



**Tre Devereaux**

"Love and feeling safe."



**Cecelia "Scooter" Tate - Holy Trinity**

"My faith has made me sure of all that I'd hoped for and certain of what I have yet to see."



Please pray for our catechumens as they prepare their hearts to receive Jesus through the sacraments of initiation at Easter. Like Tre Devereaux, pictured above imitating Peter reaching out to Jesus on the shore, they are seeking the Lord in a deeper way as they learn about the beautiful Catholic faith, participate in parish life, and encourage one another. We are so blessed to be a part of their faith experience!



## Ongoing Programs

### *Reflecting on Sunday's Readings*

**2nd Sunday of Lent, Year B ~ February 28, 2021**

To help you prepare for Mass, here are next Sunday's readings:

**Reading I: Genesis 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18**

**Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 116**

**Reading II: Romans 8:31b-34**

**Gospel: Mark 9:2-10**



### **Monday Rosary**

Join us for the Rosary every Monday at 1:30 pm in the adoration chapel. "Our Lady has never refused me a grace through the recitation of the rosary." - St. Padre Pio

### **Come, Join Our Bible Study!**

Do you hunger for an opportunity to dive deeper into the meaning of Scripture readings at Mass? Come and join the Bible study group on **Thursday, February 25, at 10:45 am** in the Parish Hall. Class is finished at 11:45, in time to attend weekday Mass at 12:00. For more information, contact Kathy Cowan at 541-347-3031.

### **Altar Society Meeting**

The Altar Society meets every second Wednesday of the month at 1 pm in the Parish Hall. The next meeting will be Wednesday, March 10. Every woman of the parish is invited to join this wonderful group that does so much for Holy Trinity.

### **Knights of Columbus**

Our Knights of Columbus Council meets every third Thursday of the month in the Parish Hall. Rosary begins at 6:30 pm, and the meeting at 7:00 pm. We are so grateful for our Knights! All men of the parish, young and old, are invited to join. Contact Mike Hahn at 541-347-6680 or [mikehahn47@outlook.com](mailto:mikehahn47@outlook.com).

## Announcements

### **Annual Catholic Appeal**

Next weekend, February 27-28, is Commitment Weekend for the 2021 Archbishop's Catholic Appeal. If you received a personalized commitment card in the mail, please bring it to Mass as we join together to support our Catholic Church here in western Oregon.

### **Lenten Food Drive**

During Lent, please remember our neighbors in need by bringing a non-perishable food item to Mass each week and placing it into the basket located in the vestibule of the church. All donations will be given to our local food bank. Sponsored by the Altar Society. Thank you for your generosity!

### **Knights of Columbus Meeting Rescheduled**

The Knights of Holy Trinity will meet this Thursday, February 25, in the parish hall. Rosary begins at 6:30 pm, and the meeting at 7:00 pm.

### **Keeping in Touch:**

One of our beloved parishioners, Vivian Linahen, is now residing in an adult care home and would enjoy hearing from us. Here is her new address: Vivian Linahen, c/o Quality Care, 520 Garfield Ave. SW, Bandon, OR 97411

### **Weekday Sacristans Needed:**

Would you like to assist at the celebration of Holy Mass in a meaningful, behind-the-scenes way? Sacristans are needed to set up the altar before Mass begins during the week. Please call the parish office at 541-329-0697 to let us know and schedule a training session.



## Lent 2021

### • **Small Faith Sharing Groups with "The Search"**

We have been receiving wonderful feedback from members of our parish small faith sharing groups as together we explore and discuss life's biggest questions. It is the Holy Spirit at work in our parish, and it is not too late to join. We still have one group with room to grow, a virtual group that meets Wednesdays at 6:00 pm. Call or email the parish office, and we will sign you up!

*A group for everyone, and everyone in a group!*

### • **Stations of the Cross**

This Friday, February 26, the Outreach Ministers will lead us in praying the Stations of the Cross at 6:00 pm in the church. Other groups will lead the prayer each Friday of Lent, but on First Friday, March 5, there will be a healing Mass. You are asked to pray the Stations of the Cross privately that day. Groups leading the Stations and their dates are as follows: March 12, Faith Formation/RCIA; March 19, Knights of Columbus; March 26, Bible Study Group; Good Friday, Father Anthony. At St. John's the Stations of the Cross will be prayed at 5 pm.

### • **First Friday Healing Mass**

Friday, March 5, is the date of our next healing Mass at 6:00 pm. Bring your empty holy water bottles to be filled and blessed, or pick one up if you need one. Take them to use at home as suggested in the recent article published here, "8 Ways to Use Holy Water at Home." If you missed it, please email the office at [holytrinitybandon@yahoo.com](mailto:holytrinitybandon@yahoo.com) to request a copy. We are all encouraged to pray the Stations of the Cross individually on this Friday.

### • **Penance Service March 24 at 6:30 pm**

Father Anthony and a visiting priest will hear confessions at the Lenten Penance Service on Wednesday, March 24.

### For Children

#### Let's Pray! A Lesson on Prayer

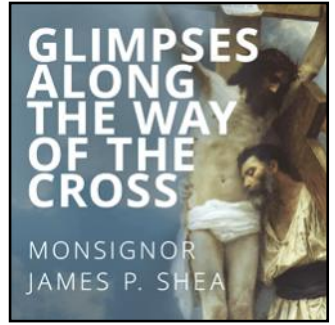
Practice makes perfect! This is a true saying whether one is playing basketball, drawing a picture, reading, or even praying! In this episode, the ever-joyful Brother Francis will help your children establish a personal relationship with God! Special features: "Let's Pray!" - a captivating song showing us how we can pray anywhere "The Sign of the Cross" - a catchy tune about an important prayer gesture "The Our Father" - the traditional prayer sung to a moving melody "With God's Love!" - a song that encourages us to serve others



### For Adults

#### Glimpses Along the Way of the Cross

In these 3 beautiful talks, Monsignor James Shea guides us along the Stations of the Cross, teaching us how to open our hearts to the suffering and loneliness of Jesus on His way to Calvary. Weaving together the insights of keen believers like Fr. Richard Neuhaus, Caryll Houselander, Archbishop Fulton Sheen, and Dr. James Edwards, these powerful meditations take us into the depths of Christ's agony, and back out again into the joy of what His sacrifice means for us.



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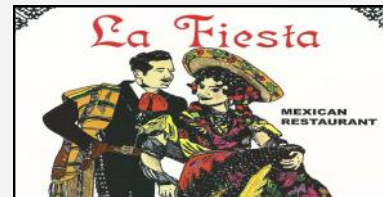


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