November 22, 2020
The Solemnity of
Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe

**Mass Schedule**

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**Parish Office**

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www.h-t.org

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This is not the year to get everything you want.

This is the year to appreciate everything you have.
Well, here we go into a new level of restrictions. I urge each of you to do all you can to stay safe — and to not compromise living fully in the meantime! That requires creativity, inspiration, and a willingness to look at new ways of reaching out and connecting with others. With Thanksgiving plans disrupted for just about all of us, it is even more important that we be alert and actively seeking ways to support, encourage, and engage. I urge you to see this as our MISSION during these final weeks of 2020.

And, for Thanksgiving, in case you have not heard of our Holy Trinity adaptation for this year, here it is. We will not have Mass that morning for the reason that we have no way of limiting our usual 900 participants down to the current number allowed.

Because one of the highlights of that annual Mass was the offertory procession with food items brought up to the altar for our Food Closet, we are going to continue that practice like this: between 9:00am and 10:00am on Thanksgiving morning, we invite you to come up to the parish, drive by the Food Closet where you will be met warmly by our staff, drop off food items (especially needed items: canned soups and vegetables, pinto or black beans, jelly), and receive from us a special Thanksgiving card that includes a meal blessing prayer.

We will also be releasing a video message from the parish that morning and urge you to play that just prior to eating your Thanksgiving meal. It concludes with Fr. Hans leading us in the prayer that is on the prayer card. The prayer is also printed in this bulletin. Happy early Thanksgiving to each of you!

Our weekly e-Newsletters are off and rolling. If you are not receiving them, go to our website (h-t.org) and sign up. Fr. Hans is our editor and has put together a really easy way to pull up the most current and relevant information from our parish including the previous week’s homily, staff reflections, and latest parish news. It comes out on Friday afternoons. Enjoy!

Blessings to Adelyn Kwan and Olivia Ornelas, who were baptized this weekend!

Funeral services were held last week for Danny Campbell, and are scheduled for Florence Niebur on November 23rd. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed, rest in peace.

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**MASS INTENTIONS**

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**HOLY FATHER’S INTENTION FOR NOVEMBER**

**Artificial Intelligence**

We pray that the progress of robotics and artificial intelligence may always serve humankind.

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**THIS WEEK AT HOLY TRINITY**

**Sunday, November 22nd**

+ 12:30-2:00pm, Field — Youth Ministry

**Monday, November 23rd**

+ 11:00am, Church — Funeral for Florence Niebur

**Thursday, November 26th**

The Parish Office & School will be closed for the Thanksgiving holiday.

+ 9:00-10:00am — Thanksgiving at HT (2020 Style)

**Friday, November 27th**

The Parish Office & School will be closed for the Thanksgiving holiday.

+ 6:30-7:30pm, via Zoom — Friday Night Bingo
Hello everyone! This week as we prepare to celebrate Thanksgiving (admittedly, not in the way we all might have hoped!), I’m reminded of how crucial gratitude is for both our relationship with God and with one another. To be grateful is to acknowledge our need for the other, and to open ourselves to the grace brought by their presence in our lives. St. Thérèse of Lisieux has one of my favorite quotes about gratitude. I offer it for your reflection this week. Enjoy!

“What most attracts God’s grace is gratitude, because if we thank him for a gift, he is touched and hastens to give us ten more, and if we thank him again with the same enthusiasm, what an incalculable multiplication of graces! I have experienced this; try it yourself and you will see! My gratitude for everything he gives me is limitless, and I prove it to him in a thousand ways.”

(from The Way of Trust and Love: A Guided Retreat by St. Thérèse of Lisieux, by Fr. Jacques Philippe)

Looking forward to seeing on Thursday morning those of you who can make it to our Thanksgiving Food Drive (Thru).

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**Thanksgiving Prayer of Blessing**

Loving God, we thank you this day for our many blessings, and we ask for the grace to be thankful even when times are hard.

When we have plenty, help us to serve those who go without.

When we are healthy, help us to care for those who are sick.

When we have comfort, help us to comfort those who suffer.

Thank you, God, for what we have, and please move us to compassion, prayer, and action to help those who are in need.

Please bless all our loved ones who cannot be with us today, and bless us and the food we are about to receive.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

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**PARISH FINANCES**

**For the Weekend of November 14–15**

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Pope Francis

@Pontifex

The current pandemic has highlighted our interdependence: we are all linked to each other, for better or for worse. Therefore, to come out of this crisis better than before, we have to do so together, all of us, in solidarity. #GeneralAudience

3:30 AM - Sep 2, 2020
First Communion
Congratulations to the 57 children who made their First Reconciliation on Saturday!

Confirmation
The next two lessons are posted in our Google Classroom! Thanks to everyone who came to our live Zoom check-in last Sunday. It was great to see you!

Saint of the Week
This Tuesday, November 24th, is the Memorial of the Martyrs of Vietnam. Christianity was not always welcome in Vietnam. Some of the local religious leaders tried to stop Christian missionaries from sharing their faith; some political leaders threw Christians in prison, or even put them to death!

Pope John Paul II wanted to honor all the Vietnamese people who had faced danger to share the love of Jesus Christ. He named more than one hundred new Vietnamese saints, and set aside November 24th as a special day to remember all the other Vietnamese martyrs whose names have been lost to history — thousands of saints whose names we don't even know.

For What It’s Worth: Thoughts on Faith
Erin Nieves – erin@h-t.org

Quas Primas, the first thing. Today’s feast was established to remind us that Jesus Christ is our King, the Lord of our lives. That was in 1925…has it worked? I am going to suggest there are two kinds of people as Jesus suggests in today’s gospel: people that know him and those who don’t, “sheep and goats.” Which one are we? We are surviving a virus, a pandemic; we just survived a less-than-perfect election cycle. Never was there a better time for Jesus Christ to be our King.

I ask this of myself as well as you: Is Jesus my King? Do I go to Him first in my allegiance, seeking to keep him as the center of my imperfect life, knowing that without Him, nothing else matters? On this feast, let’s recommit ourselves to the Jesus who deserves all my love, my life, my everything!

“Lord Jesus, for too long I’ve kept you out of my life. I know that I am a sinner and that I cannot save myself. No longer will I close the door when I hear you knocking. By faith I gratefully receive your gift of salvation. I am ready to trust you as my Lord and Savior. Thank you, Lord Jesus, for coming to earth. I believe you are the Son of God who died on the cross for my sins and rose from the dead on the third day. Thank you for bearing my sins and giving me the gift of eternal life. I believe your words are true. Come into my heart, Lord Jesus, and be my Savior. Amen.”

Have a great weekend everybody. Advent is coming! +

Scripture Readings

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At this time in our nation’s history we have much to be grateful for: the blessings of liberty, the bounty of our land, the rising spirit of justice, and our call to become a nation that is committed to seeking the common good of all who live here. Recognizing that God is the source of all the gifts we experience, we can express our gratitude by working toward a community that is both loving and just, and by growing in generosity to those who are in need.

Join with the US Catholic Bishops in their Prayer for Thanksgiving Day:

Lord, we thank you
for the goodness of our people and for the spirit of justice that fills this nation.
We thank you for the beauty and fullness of the land and the challenge of the cities.
We thank you for our work and our rest, for one another, and for our homes.
We thank you, Lord:
accept our thanksgiving on this day.
We pray and give thanks through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Happy Thanksgiving!

I truly hope each and every one of you and your families has a very blessed Thanksgiving. Because of your generosity, the following people will as well:

- Women's Life Change Center—40 people
- Veterans—61 families, 159 people
- Family Promise of Beaverton—9 families
- L’Arche Portland—3 houses
- Holy Trinity Food Closet—150 families

Adding all of these groups up means 1,000 people will be able to celebrate Thanksgiving because you decided to share. It was not the way we have always done it, but I assure you it had the same meaningful impact. Many of these families would not be able to join in on the celebration were it not for you. Know that once again you have MADE A DIFFERENCE!

Due to store guidelines, my wife Cathie and I (OK, mainly Cathie) made multiple trips to multiple Fred Meyers to purchase the cards. During one such trip the person waiting on us shared a story that when she was young her family was having difficult times. She remembers very vividly one Thanksgiving where a church had donated food for their family and how blessed it made them all feel. She talked about how special it was to them knowing that someone cared enough to do such a thing.

Thank you for your incredible generosity, no matter the conditions. You are all amazing!
COMMUNITY EVENTS & PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Virtual Advent Retreat at OLP
503.649.7127 – sisters@olpretreat.org

Our Lady of Peace Retreat is offering a FREE virtual option for their annual Advent Retreat! Interested retreatants must register online at olpretreat.org to attend. Bishop Peter Smith will lead the day-long retreat, “Making Advent Meaningful,” on Wednesday, December 2nd from 9:00-2:30pm. Call or email to learn more and register online today!

Winter Blood Drive
Tom Stoffel – 503.806.1816

The Red Cross is still in urgent need of blood donations! Our Winter Blood Drive is on Friday, December 18th from 2:00-7:00pm in the Fireside Room. The Red Cross has increased their safety protocols and are testing all donations for COVID-19 antibodies as an extra health service to donors. Sign up now at redcrossblood.org and enter HolyTrinityBeaverton as the sponsor to sign up today.

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Holiday meal safety

This year gathering for meals with people outside your immediate household is not recommended. If someone who doesn’t live with you attends, the following tips are provided to keep your family safe during holiday mealtimes.

- Enjoy a meal with members of your immediate household
- Instead of family or buffet style dining, try preparing individual food plates so there’s no sharing of utensils
- While gathering with people from outside your household, always wear your face covering
- Only remove your face covering to eat
- Be sure everyone washes their hands thoroughly and dries them before and after eating
- Wash your hands thoroughly and dry them after sneezing and blowing your nose

For more information visit healthoregon.org/coronavirus or call 211

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