

Holy Trinity Church

Sunday, April 11, 2021

Second Sunday of Easter

The Christian community described in Acts understood and practiced *total* stewardship. St. Paul reports that the believers did not claim anything as their own, but held everything in common, and distributed to each whatever was needed.



Father Patrick Resen—Pastor
Father Andres Cano —In Residence
David Oatney—Deacon
Matt Pidgeon—Deacon
Jim Prosak—Deacon
Jack Raymond—Deacon

Holy Trinity Catholic Church
475 N. Hwy 92, P.O. Box 304
Jefferson City, Tennessee 37760

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 p.m.
Saturday Spanish Mass: 7:00 p.m.
Sunday Mass: 10:30 p.m.
Tuesday Mass: 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday-Friday Mass: 9:00 a.m.

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Parish Code: BFRHHH

Confessions:

- Saturday afternoons 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.
- Sunday mornings 9:00 - 9:45 a.m.
- First Saturday of each month before Mass at 8:15 a.m. and after the 9:00 a.m. Mass.
- Heard upon request.

Prayers for the Week

- Jesus, my Rabbouni, I am all Yours. Raise me to a new level of risen joy with You this Easter season.
- Father, may I persevere in prayer for the greatest Easter season ever.
- Father, I will proclaim what I have seen and heard so that others may share life with us.
- Father, strengthen me minute by minute as I live in obedience and love.
- Father, I'm sorry for staying ignorant. I choose this day to seek wisdom.

CCD Class Times (In Trinity Hall):

- Pre-School thru 6th : 9:00 - 10:15 a.m. Sunday
- Grades 7th thru 12th : 7:00 - 8:15 p.m. Wednesday

Meetings:

- CCW: 2nd Monday March-May and Sept-Dec at 7pm
- Knights of Columbus: 4th Tuesday of Month at 7:15 pm
- Bible Study: Every Wednesday after 9:00 am Mass
- Spiritual Life Committee: 2nd Tuesday of Month at 7:15 pm
- AA meetings Sundays in Trinity Hall at 6:00pm

Baptism:

- Please contact Fr. Patrick or the Church Office at least 4 weeks prior to the desired baptism date.
- Completion of the Baptismal Class is required.

Weddings:

- There is a six-month marriage preparation period in the Diocese of Knoxville.
- Contact Fr. Patrick for an appointment.

Planning to Move?

- Please keep your address and telephone number current on our church records.
- If you move out of the parish, we will need a forwarding address for your year-end contribution statements.

Parish Registration:

- If you attend Holy Trinity Church on a regular basis, you should complete a registration form.
- Remember that in order to receive sacraments (other than Confession or Eucharist), or to be a Godparent or Sponsor, you must be registered.
- Registration forms are available in the narthex & the church office & provide for the optional receipt of offertory envelopes. You may fill out the form in the office, mail it, or drop it in the collection basket

Dear Parishioners:

Have you looked at those distancing information sheets in the pews lately? Probably not; you've seen them sitting there for about eleven months. But they have, in fact, changed. They used to say to sit six feet apart. Now they say to sit three feet apart. This is per the decree of the bishop and is based on the Centers for Disease Control guidance. It's a small thing in a way but one more step toward normalcy and therefore welcome.

The bishops of the other two dioceses in Tennessee, Nashville and Memphis, have lifted the dispensation for required participation in Sunday and Holy Day of Obligation Masses; Bishop Stika has not, but I share with you that he has been talking of doing so at Pentecost and hopes to do so. Just a heads up. Participating in the celebration of Mass every Sunday and Holy Day is the first precept of the Church, under pain of mortal sin. Mother Church is wise; while we hope that all would dearly want to go to Mass every Sunday and Holy Day (who could not since the Eucharist is the source and summit of the Faith), this requirement is an added motivation and sometimes it is very helpful for many people. In any case, I share with you, especially if you have not been at Mass the past year, that the dispensation—or more properly excusal—will probably not be around much longer. By the way, Pentecost is May 23d this year.

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This Sunday is Divine Mercy Sunday, a day that is always special to me and I hope to you. Pope St. John Paul II had a great devotion to Jesus as the Divine Mercy, to St. Faustina, and to the Chaplet of Divine Mercy and therefore made the Second Sunday of Easter Divine Mercy Sunday to encourage the praying of the chaplet and the communal praying of the chaplet. Although short, the chaplet is a great reminder of the mercy of God because of his love for us. By the way, you can join in the communal praying of the chaplet every Wednesday morning immediately before morning Mass. (And then you could join in our Sacred Scripture classes right after Mass!)

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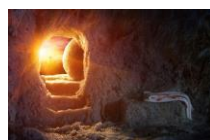
I will be on the road most of the next two weeks. The first year I'll have ever taken all my vacation. This was to be a pilgrimage to Italy, already continued from last year and now continued again to October—we hope. So I will be driving to El Paso visiting several priest friends in east Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, and two other friends in south-central Texas en route back. It should be about 3300 miles. Please keep me in your prayers as I will keep you in mine as I travel. No weekday Masses the next two weeks but Deacon Jack Raymond will be leading Communion Services so the Eucharist will be available to you.

Father Patrick



Divine Mercy Sunday - In a series of revelations to St. Maria Faustina Kowalska in the 1930s, our Lord called for a special feast day to be celebrated on the Sunday after Easter. Today, we know that feast as Divine Mercy Sunday, named by Blessed John Paul II at the canonization of St. Faustina on

April 30th, 2000. The Lord expressed His will with regard to this feast in His very first revelation to St. Faustina. The most comprehensive revelation can be found in her *Diary* entry 699: My daughter, tell the whole world about My inconceivable mercy. I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and a shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners. On that day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the fount of My mercy. The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment. On that day are opened all the divine floodgates through which graces flow. Let no soul fear to draw near to Me, even though its sins be as scarlet. My mercy is so great that no mind, be it of man or of angel, will be able to fathom it throughout all eternity. Everything that exists has come from the very depths of My most tender mercy. Every soul in its relation to Me will contemplate My love and mercy throughout eternity. The Feast of Mercy emerged from My very depths of tenderness. It is My desire that it be solemnly celebrated on the first Sunday after Easter. Mankind will not have peace until it turns to the Fount of My mercy. Come pray, venerate, trust and recite the chaplet of Divine Mercy after Mass on Sunday, April 11th. Jesus will bless you abundantly.



Jailbreak — Many Christians don't seem to be able to get into the Spirit of the Easter season because they stay trapped in compulsive behavior. They feel as if they're in jail or in a tomb. Under these circumstances, how can they celebrate Christ's resurrection? The risen Jesus will roll away the stones of alcoholism, drug addiction, self-hatred, overeating, smoking, sexual sins and fantasies, compulsive shopping, gambling and gossiping. When Jesus frees us from our prisons, He will command us: "Go out now and take your place in the temple precincts and preach to the people all about this new life" (Acts 5:20). Jesus frees us not only from slavery but also for evangelization. He calls us to be living proof of the new life His resurrection has made possible.

Our Weekly Mass Schedule

First Saturday April 10 th	Communion Service at 9:00am
Saturday April 10 th	Mass at 5:00pm For Jerry Hopko+ by Joann Hopko
Saturday April 10 th	Mass at 7:00pm For our parishioners by Fr. Patrick
Sunday April 11 th	Mass at 10:30am For Steve & Angeline Ferris+ by Greg & Marie Ward
Tuesday April 13 th	Communion Service at 6:30pm
Wednesday April 14 th	Communion Service at 9:00am
Thursday April 15 th	Communion Service at 9:00am
Friday April 16 th	Communion Service at 9:00am
Saturday April 17 th	Mass at 5:00pm For My Friends at Holy Trinity by Ed Zawacki
Saturday April 17 th	Mass at 7:00pm For our parishioners by Fr. Patrick
Sunday April 18 th	Mass at 10:30am Lucille Dyer+ by Greg & Polly Freund

Saturday April 17 th 8:00pm	
Deacon	Jim Prosak
Lector	Andy Ladner

Sunday, April 18 th 10:30am	
Deacon 10:30	Jim Prosak
Lector 10:30	Karin Collins

Holy Trinity's Parish Stewardship

Attendance for	5pm	7pm	10am / 11:30am
04/04/2021	61	50	118 / 35

Envelope and Offertory Collections

	<u>Weekly</u>		<u>Month-to-Date</u>
Collection:	\$ 7,505	Collection:	\$ 7,505
Fixed Expense:	\$ 5,692	Fixed Expense:	\$ 5,692
Difference:	\$ 1,813	Difference:	\$ 1,813

The Council of Catholic Women (CCW) will be meeting on Monday, April 12th at 7pm in Trinity Hall

Did you know Holy Trinity has a Library?



Holy Trinity Library has a wide range of books that will make our walk with God so much more meaningful. Be sure to visit the Library in the Parish Life Center and please continue to peruse the books placed each weekend in the narthex. The

library is open Tuesday through Friday, 9:00am-4:00pm.

Father Patrick will be on vacation April 10th – 21st. Father Andres Cano will preside at Mass while Fr. Patrick is away. Keep him in your prayers for a safe trip to El Paso, TX.

Graduating Seniors at Holy Trinity - The



Ken Schroer Memorial Scholarship was created in memory of Ken to help college students defray the cost of their education. This scholarship is open to high school seniors of current Holy Trinity parishioners and is sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. The deadline to fill out an application is May 1st. To receive an application please contact the office at 865-471-0347. If you have a question contact either Joe Fromme at 217-899-3920 or Gene Dunn at 631-848-9435.

Turn in those Rice Bowls: It's time to start turning in your CRS Rice Bowl. Thank you for helping to make this another successful year. Please leave your rice bowl by the statue of the Holy Family in the narthex.



Sacristan Needed Immediately!

We need volunteers for **Saturdays**. Please call Greg & Polly Freund at 865-940-1332 for more information. So please prayerfully consider if Jesus is calling you to this ministry.



The Need is Great!
REGIONAL BLOOD CENTER **Medic Mobile Unit** will be at Holy Trinity on **Tuesday, April 13th** from **1pm-7pm** in the **Parish Life Center**. Your donation is needed at this critical time. What a great way to give of yourself—by giving the gift of life. Please mark your calendars to give blood this day. Thank you.



Parish Picnic will be held Sunday, May 30th after the 10:30am Mass. You don't want to miss this annual church event. There will be lots of good food and fellowship.

His Majesty's Gift Shop can order communion dresses, veils, accessories and boy's outfits. You will receive a 20% discount when you purchase these items from our gift shop. We carry medals, cards and many different gift items for your convenience. Be sure to come in and browse.

Easter Lilies in the Sanctuary

John & Lynn Archambault in memory of Violet Kemt, John Archambault & Misty Brown
Fred & Diane Arcuri in memory of Fred, Millie & Maryann Arcuri
Fred & Billie Bitner in memory of our Son and Grandson
Fred & Billie Bitner in memory of our Parents
Bill Bonner in memory of Kathlyn Bonner
Linda Null Bonner in memory of Sharon Hisey Bradbury
Ken & Karen Booker in honor of our Six Children
Jason & Cathy Boothe for the deceased members of the Boothe & Roddy Family
Mary Brady in memory of Terry Brady
Rose Brady in memory of Charles Keyser III
Diana Brang in memory of Joseph Brang
Fred & Gail Brosk in honor of our Grandchildren
Fred & Gail Brosk in memory of our Parents
Dave & Linda Budde in memory of the Budde & Waterman Families
Dennis & Rosemary Clark in memory of Joe & James Clark
Barbara Colicchio in memory of Mike Colicchio
Karin Collins in memory of Ed & June Collins
Dick & Ginger Curran in memory of Ed & Bernie Ihlou
Dick & Ginger Curran in memory of Jack & Eileen Curran
Peter & Alice Dodge in memory of Mary Ann Orlando & Bob Dombroski
Pat Duda in memory of Lee & Annie Leapheart
Luz Duites in memory of Felix & Fermina Torrepalma
Luz Duites in memory of Adalberto & Xerxes Duites
Eugene & Donna Dunn in memory of the Dunn Family & Friends
Doug & Sally Emmons in memory of Jenny Emmons
James Fernandez in memory of Louis & Mary Fernandez
Jim & Doris Fernandez in memory of Luis Perez
Greg & Polly Freund in honor of Lucille Dyer
Greg & Polly Freund in honor of Sybil Freund
David Gaul in honor of my Father
Bonita Giedrycz in honor of Faith & Adrian Giedrycz
Bonita Giedrycz in memory of the Giedrycz & Janczak deceased family members
Joyce Haigh in memory of my sister Alice
Darryl Hall in memory of Judy Hall
Ralph & Marlene Holt in memory of the Holt & Masserant Families
Marge Hornyak in memory of Richard Hornyak
Bill & Sharon Jurkonie in honor of our 7 Grandchildren
Tom & Pat Karpick in memory of the Barker family
Tom & Pat Karpick in memory of the Karpick family
Ed Kelley for the Poor
Marie King for repose of the souls of the Breach & Milkovich Families
Mike & Marie King in memory of the Breach Family
Mike & Marie King in memory of the Milkovich Family
Mike & Marie King in memory of the King Family
Ron & Anna Laarz in memory of Diana Laarz & Kenny Lyon
The LaMonte Family in memory of Richard George
The LaMonte Family in memory of Charles Jr. & Charles III LaMonte
Betty Jo Lavelle in memory of R. Joe Lavelle

June Lich in memory of Jim Lich & Theresa Lich
Frank Longo in memory of Diane Longo
Carol MacKintosh in memory of Wayne Mackintosh & Our Parents
Cedrick & Irene Manalili for repose of the soul of Manuel Manalili
Gordon & Kathy Marshall in memory of Donald & Elizabeth Pratt and MG & Thelma Marshall
Karen Meadows in memory of Lorraine Haley
Bert & Elaine Morris in memory of the Sykes & Morris Family
Gerry Mundelein in memory of Richard Mundelein & Charles Mundelein
Roger & Kristine Mynatt in memory of Joy Borchers
Roger & Kristine Mynatt in memory of Gladys Mynatt
David & Anne Orzechowski in memory of Rigoni & Anne Christiano and Edwin & Barbara Orzechowski
Jim & Sue Pickering in memory of James Pickering
Jim & Sue Pickering in memory of Robert & Rita Payne
Deacon Matt & Margo Pidgeon in memory of Bob & Myra Ewen
Deacon Matt & Margo Pidgeon in memory of Alice Weik
Janet, Tim and Megan Potts in memory of the Potts & Thomas Families
Jim, Cheryl & Chloe Prosak in memory of Edward & Angie Prosak and Charles & Lillian Joly
Jim & Peggy Ray in memory of Marie Fischer
Jim & Peggy Ray in memory of Joan Superson
Sandy Reagle in memory of Bill & Carol Pangerc and Walter Reece and French Barbee
Tom & Jessica Richards in honor of the members of the Parish
Jamie & Rena Roberts in memory of our oldest son Curren
Bob & Carol Root in memory of Paula & Frankie
Jim & Therese Shannon for repose of the souls in Purgatory
Pat Simmons in memory of Lucy Simmons
Dorola & Jan Solarz in memory of Jozef & Anna Solarczyk and Jozef & Stanislan Gal
Jerry & Margie Swope in memory of James Callus
Pete & Viki Van Ormer in memory of William & Jean Stachow
Pete & Viki Van Ormer in memory of William & Catherine VanOrmer
Agnes McEwen Wareham in memory of Peter McEwen, Tara Rodriguez and Jean McAnulty
Agnes McEwen Wareham in memory of Hal Wareham
Evangeline Webster in memory of Ciraula & Webster Families and Lee, Lenoir & Eva Webster
Emilee Wee-Eng & Family in memory of Dr. Joseph Wee-Eng
Susie Whaley in memory of Cleo Whaley
Carrie Winder in memory of George Clarke
Tom & Amber Wissemann for Fallen Law Enforcement Officers
Martin & Val Witberg in memory of our Parents
Charles & Marlene Yurick in memory of Charlie Yurick