

Holy Trinity Church



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Holy Trinity Catholic Church
475 N. Hwy 92, P.O. Box 304
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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 9:30 - 10:15 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.

Sunday, June 13, 2021

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Like Nathan in today's first reading, we sin when we begin to feel entitled and act as if what we have is ours by right, when we forget that everything we have is an unmerited gift from God. But God is gracious and forgiving – even when we use His gifts wrongly or squander them thoughtlessly – if, like Nathan, we confess our guilt and ask His pardon.

Prayers for the Week

- Father, by your grace may my life amount to something great for Your kingdom.
- Father, I accept Your grace to do the impossible. I love my enemies.
- Father, may I be a free, generous, cheerful, and constant giver.
- Abba, I need Your love more than life itself.
- Father, may I have no love for the worldly lifestyle that ignores You. May I love You with all my heart.

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:

Thank you, Father Patrick, for your service at Holy Trinity for the past seven years. Your love and devotion to Jesus and Mary are evident in the things you will leave behind for us all – beautiful Immaculate Heart of Mary and Sacred Heart of Jesus statues in our sanctuary, a library chocked full of Catholic books, and scripture studies that enrich our lives. Our faith has been enhanced through your love for the saints and Catholic traditions. I wish you happiness, good health, and God's best blessings in your retirement years.

Thank you as well to Holy Trinity parishioners for your cards, texts, well wishes, and gifts for my wife Cheryl as she endured back surgery. After being hospitalized and in rehab for over a month, she will be coming home on Monday. Your prayers have given me, Cheryl and Chloe comfort and strength. I humbly ask for more as she recovers during the next several months.

As you have probably noticed, we now have the Immaculate Heart of Mary Statue in our sanctuary. There are numerous titles for Mary (Mother of God, Blessed Virgin Mary, Our lady of Guadalupe, etc.). Do you know the origin of this title for Mary? The Immaculate Heart of Mary (also known as The Sacred Heart of Mary) is a devotional name used to refer to the interior life of the Blessed Virgin Mary, her joys and sorrows, her virtues and hidden perfections, and, above all, her virginal love for God the Father, her maternal love for her son Jesus, and her compassionate love for all persons. This devotion began in the Middle Ages with Anselm of Canterbury. In 1944 Pope Pius XII instituted the feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary to be celebrated on August 22. In 1969, Pope Paul VI moved the celebration of the Immaculate Heart of Mary to the Saturday, immediately after the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. We just celebrated this feast June 12!

Back in February and March of this year, we had a 33-day program concluding with a Consecration to St. Joseph. More than 20 men participated in this program and consecrated themselves to St Joseph on March 19, the Feast of St Joseph. We used the book, Consecration to St. Joseph: The Wonders of Our Spiritual Father by Fr. Donald Calloway, MIC. St. Joseph is the patron of the universal Church, the patron of fathers, families, workers, the New World, as well as many others. Pope Francis has declared this the year of St. Joseph. Why not consider doing the Consecration to St. Joseph. Visit the website: <https://www.consecrationtostjoseph.org/introduction.html> for further information. We can do another session if there is enough interest. If you are interested or would like further information, please call Deacon Jim at 865-397-8110 or email jim.prosak@gmail.com.

Deacon Jim

PRO-LIFE NEWS AND NOTES: A recent National Catholic Register article reports, "Five months after the inauguration of President Joe Biden, a Catholic who both supports the expansion of permissive abortion laws and receives Communion, a faction of U.S. bishops has campaigned to postpone discussion on the drafting of a formal statement on the meaning of the Eucharist in the life of the Church at the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops' meeting in June. Cardinal Wilton Gregory of Washington, D.C. and Cardinal Blasé Cupich of Chicago and a total of 67 of the 434 active and retired bishops have challenged the decision by the USCCB leadership to address the topic of Eucharistic worthiness and asked that it be removed from the agenda of the June 16-18 virtual assembly." Eucharistic worthiness or Eucharistic Coherence refers to the way we live our lives, whether in holiness or sin, and if we are properly disposed to receive the Holy Eucharist. Many Catholics do not fully understand that in receiving Communion, they are receiving the true body and blood of Our Lord Jesus Christ. To receive Jesus while not having confessed and repented of mortal sin and to continue to live in sin, or to be in compliance with evil, is a grave sin against God. In this meeting, the bishops will discuss re-catechizing Catholics in the true meaning of the Eucharist. It will be decided whether or not to issue a document on Eucharistic Coherence and, if so, it will be voted on in November. It appears that the bishops are stalling on an issue that calls for an immediate response and clarification. Pray that all cardinals, bishops and the Pope unite and speak out strongly and clearly now against such moral evils as abortion and euthanasia and protecting human life as fundamental, rather than running interference for Catholic politicians who are pro-choice and are allowed Holy Communion. EWTN's Pro-Life Weekly reported on the recent release of President Biden's *SIX TRILLION DOLLAR* budget which funds abortion by eliminating the Hyde Amendment protections from the budget. The Hyde Amendment, for decades, has shielded Americans from paying for abortion. The Hyde Amendment has saved 2.5 million children from abortion since 1977 when it was first attached to the Medicaid appropriation. The amendment stated abortion could not be funded by federal Medicaid money unless the woman's life was endangered by the pregnancy; exceptions for rape and incest were added later. Pray that the president's budget will not be approved by Congress without reinserting the Hyde Amendment. Representative Kat Cammack (R-FL) reported that although she received 200 signatures in support of an Abortion Survivors Protection Act, members of Congress would not sign a discharge petition to allow a vote on whether or not to protect and provide medical care to an infant who has survived an abortion. She said Democrats are reluctant to even discuss the issue publicly, although they say privately that they support her efforts but their Democratic leadership is pressuring them to remain silent. The protection and dignity of all human life should be a top priority for all our political leaders and defending Hyde should have bipartisan approval. Call your members of Congress and demand Hyde protection in all appropriations and funding bills.

Our Weekly Mass Schedule

Saturday June 12 th	Mass at 5:00pm For Ray LaShier+ by Pete & Vickie Van Ormer
Saturday June 12 th	Mass at 7:00pm For our Parishioners by Fr. Patrick
Sunday June 13 th	Mass at 10:30am For JoAnn Knowlton+ by Greg & Marie Ward
Tuesday June 15 th	Mass at 6:30pm For Anthony Goins+ by Betty Jo Lavelle
Wednesday June 16 th	Mass at 9:00am For Raymond P. Treacy+ by Russell Treacy
Thursday June 17 th	Mass at 9:00am For Christine Treacy+ by Russell Treacy
Friday June 18 th	Communion Service at 9:00am
Saturday June 19 th	Mass at 5:00pm For Lucy Simmons+ by Michele Sexton & Richard Hardwood
Saturday June 19 th	Mass at 7:00pm For our Parishioners by Fr. Cano
Sunday June 20 th	Mass at 10:30am For Ava Marie Withem+ by Christopher & Jenny Withem



In the United States, **Flag Day** is celebrated on June 14th. It commemorates the adoption of the flag of the United States in 1777 by resolution of the Second Continental Congress. The

United States Army also celebrates the Army Birthday on this date. In 1916, President Woodrow Wilson issued a proclamation that officially established June 14th as Flag Day; in August 1949, National Flag Day was established by an Act of Congress.



Father Cano will celebrate the 12th anniversary of his ordination on June 13th. Thank you, Fr. Cano, for the gifts you bring to our parish and most importantly the gift of the Eucharist.

It's time to return your Baby Bottle!



Please start returning your Life Outreach baby bottles. Just place it near the statue of the Holy Family. Please turn in the baby bottle if it has change in it or even if it's empty. Thank you to all who have participated in this year's fundraiser.

Saturday June 19 th 5:00pm	
Deacon	Jack Raymond
Lector	June Lich
Servers	
Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Peggy Ray

Sunday, June 20 th 10:30am	
Deacon	Jack Raymond
Lector	Jim Knox
Servers	
Extra-Ordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Frank Longo

Holy Trinity's Parish Stewardship

Attendance for	5pm	7pm	10:30am
06/06/2021	75	19	131

Envelope and Offertory Collections

	<u>Weekly</u>	<u>Month-to-Date</u>
Collection:	\$ 4,932	Collection: \$ 4,932
Fixed Expense:	\$ 5,692	Fixed Expense: \$ 5,692
Difference:	\$ (760)	Difference: \$ (760)

CCW Meetings are suspended for June, July and August. Meetings will resume in September.



Knights of Columbus general meeting will be on **Tuesday, June 22nd** following the 6:30pm Mass.



The "Flags on the Hill" will be displayed for Flag Day. This day is reserved to commemorate the adoption of our flag by the Second Continental Congress. Thank you to those of our parish family for sharing in this tribute.



AED Units are in the Parish Life Center, Trinity Hall, and the narthex. The Parish Life Center unit is located at the back door leading to the Pavilion. The Trinity Hall unit is located next to the DRE office. The Narthex unit is located inside the first closet in the hallway marked with a sign. Please familiarize yourself with each location in case the AED Unit should ever be needed.



Bishop Stika's Prayer Intention for

June - Let us pray to fully recognize and accept the love of God, seen in the image of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and understand that the love He offers each of us is unmatched and unconditional. Let us pray to open our hearts to His love, so that we may be filled with goodness and with faith in Jesus. Amen.

"We're in Ordinary Time-What is it?" The rhythm of the liturgical seasons reflects the rhythm of life — with its celebrations of anniversaries and its seasons of quiet growth and maturing. Ordinary Time, meaning ordered or numbered time, is celebrated in two segments: from the Monday following the Baptism of Our Lord up to Ash Wednesday; and from Pentecost Monday to the First Sunday of Advent. This makes it the largest season of the Liturgical Year. Its vestments usually green, the color of hope and growth, the Church counts the thirty-three or thirty-four Sundays of Ordinary Time, inviting her children to meditate upon the whole mystery of Christ – his life, miracles and teachings – in the light of his Resurrection. If the faithful are to mature in the spiritual life and increase in faith, they must descend the great mountain peaks of Easter and Christmas in order to "pasture" in the vast verdant meadows of *tempus per annum*, or Ordinary Time. Sunday by Sunday, the Pilgrim Church marks her journey through the *tempus per annum* as she processes through time toward eternity.



"The Calling" Diocesan Youth

Leadership Camp - The Diocesan Youth Leadership Camp for high schoolers will take place Sept. 17-19 at Ocoee Retreat Center. Cost: \$110, additional \$10 for transportation. Activities include low ropes, zip line, climbing wall, adventure mud race, bonfire, adoration, speakers, music, and sports. For more information and to register go to www.dioknox.org/youth-camps. Deadline to register is Sept. 3.

FORMED: Don't forget to log on and sign up for FORMED. The FORMED program is a way that our Parish can offer catechetical materials including movies, audio books, and catechetical videos from great Catholic authors and speakers. FORMED is the parish's gift to you and is brought to you by your continued support of Holy Trinity. Sign up and log in today at formed.org and create an account with a valid e-mail address and password. Use our parish code in all capitals: **BFRHHH**

Save these dates:

Appalachian Outreach Week July 12-16, 2021 More info. to come
MEDIC July 13, 2021 in PLC 1pm-7pm



Notary Public - If you have something that you need notarized, Jennifer LaMonte is a Notary Public. Just contact the Holy Trinity office at 865-471-0347 and Jennifer will be glad to assist any of our parishioners.

Gregorian Mass Chant - Tuesday evenings in June and July from 7pm – 8pm, there will be a gathering for all ages to learn the chant for the Gregorian Mass. This is a great opportunity to introduce (or brush up) on our Latin, as well as, take up the somewhat lost art of chant. Bring the whole family and learn together! We will meet in the sanctuary. Contact Ashney Patoka for more information 865-755-3263.

Prayer Requests: Fred Bitner, Bill Bonner, Brande Boyles (friend of Jim Smith), Alphonse Caldiero (Jennifer LaMonte stepdad), Theresa Clark (Dennis Clark Mom), Jackie Crupi, JoAnn Hopko, Andy Ladner, Helen LaShier, Reuben Mellberg (friend of Edwin Zawacki), Robert Mynatt (Roger Mynatt's father), Mary Nelson (Gloria Bohrer's niece), Janet Potts, Jim Ray, Sandy Reagle, Jim Shannon, Kathy Shannon (Therese & Jim Shannon's daughter), Lucy Simmons, Carly Snyder (Sue & Jim Pickering's daughter), Kristy Spivey (Greg & Polly Freund's daughter), John Wharton, and Lu Windham.

**Christ be at home in our family.
May He listen to what we say.
May He sit down
to eat at our table
and kneel nightly with us to pray.**



**May His peace
and His kindness be with us,
and His presence in every room.**



**For when Christ is at home
in a family,
then a family is truly at home.**