

PRO-LIFE COMMITTEE

Our Pro-life Committee needs to be restarted! Anyone interested in being a member please call the office. There are so many activities that could be happening in our community to promote Pro-life. Pro-life is from the "Womb to the Tomb". Call the office 432-714-4930 for more information and to sign-up

ADULT CONFIRMATION CLASSES

For those Adult Catholics that need Confirmation and First Holy Communion, our adult confirmation classes will be in January. Dates will be announced later. Classes will run from 2-5 pm. We will meet in the family center. please call the church office and register. The adult confirmation date with the Bishop be in February. Watch bulletin for details. Please call the church office.

BAPTISM RETREAT

Holy Trinity will be offering a baptismal retreat on Saturday, January 9, 2021 from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM. If you have a child needing baptism and is under 8 years old, please call the office and register for this class. 432-714-4930.

Sponsors, which meet criteria may also attend this class. If you were asked to be a sponsor, please bring certificates of all three sacraments, baptism, 1st Holy Communion and Confirmation and if married by the church we also need the certificate. A sponsor may not be married civilly or living with someone. A sponsor must be a practicing catholic.

VALENTINE'S DAY DINNER

FEBRUARY 13, 2021
11:00 AM – 6:30 PM
FAMILY CENTER

Chicken Fried Steak, mashed potatoes, green beans,
dessert and tea or water,
\$10.00 per plate!

PICK UP A GREAT DINNER!
NO DINE-IN

Provided by Margie Valverde & Group

**PER BISHOP SIS**

Due to the COVID pandemic, Catholics in the Diocese of San Angelo are dispensed from the obligation to attend Mass on Sunday's and holy days of obligation until further notice.

PER BISHOP SIS

We have received new protocols from Bishop Sis. These continue to include social distancing of 6 feet, wearing of masks, over the nose and mouth and if you are feeling any symptoms please stay home and seek medical attention.

All Communion ministers, including clergy, must use a face mask or cloth face covering over the nose and mouth. All choir members and musicians are also required to follow the rules of social distancing and all are expected to wear face masks or cloth face coverings over the nose and mouth throughout the Mass, including when singing or playing musical instruments.

Baptisms are subject to the same social distancing, face mask and spacing requirements as Mass in the Church. Quinceaneras and weddings are subject to the same social distancing, face masks, and spacing requirements as other Masses in the Church. Exercise caution and avoid large gatherings. Before scheduling a Quinceanera or wedding, please wait until a phase when sufficient crowds are allowed inside the church to accommodate the group safely.

Funerals are subject to the same social distancing, face mask and spacing requirements as other Masses in the Church. We should still avoid large gatherings and exercise caution.

All attendees over the age of 2 are to wear face masks or cloth face coverings (over the nose and mouth).

Those who are age 65 or older, those of any age with serious underlying medical conditions, and those who are sick, are encouraged to stay home and watch a livestream Mass.

Anyone attending Mass are to be screened before coming into the building. Their temperature is to be checked with the use of a medical-type noncontact infrared thermometer. They are to be sent home if they have any of the signs or symptoms of possible COVID-19.

PRAY FOR VOCATIONS!

O Holy Spirit, Spirit of wisdom and divine love, impart Your knowledge, understanding, and counsel to youth that they may know the vocation wherein they can best serve God. Give them courage and strength to follow God's holy will. Guide their uncertain steps, strengthen their resolutions, shield their chastity, fashion their minds, conquer their hearts, and lead them to the vineyards where they will labor in God's holy service.
Amen.

Formed.org

Have you logged on to the see all the available videos, books and studies that can be done on this site? Go to formed.org, click on ENTER CODE, enter the Parish Code **NJK8TT** and enjoy! This is a free subscription. for problems, please call the office.



Have a friend or loved one who is thinking about joining the Catholic Church, or are you a baptized Catholic adult in need of Reconciliation (Confession), First Communion, and Confirmation? All interested in RCIA, may call the office, and sign up for the fall. If you have questions please call the office, 432-714-4930.

¿Tiene un amigo o ser querido que esté pensando en unirse a la Iglesia Católica, o es usted un adulto católico bautizado que necesita Reconciliación (Confesión), Primera Comunión y Confirmación? Todos interesados en RICA, por favor de llamar la oficina. Si tiene alguna pregunta, llame a la oficina al 432-714-4930.

WELCOME NEWCOMER'S

If you are new to our church, please register by obtaining a form from one of our Greeters and returning it to the office at 1009 Hearn.

PARISHIONERS UPDATE CENSUS FORM

Parishioners, if you have had a change of address or phone number please call the office at 714-4930 and update the census form.

ARE YOU RECEIVING THE WEST TEXAS ANGELUS?

Are you registered in the church and not receiving the West Texas Angelus? Please call the office at 714-4930 so this can be corrected.

Pro-life Hotline...1-800-395-HELP

SICK VISITATION

If Catholics cannot come to church, then the church comes to them (priest/communion). Please call the office, 714-4930, to give us the names of the people who would like to receive Holy Communion or have a visit from the priest.

Si los católicos no pueden venir a la iglesia, entonces la iglesia viene a ellos (sacerdote / comunión).

Llame a la oficina al 714-4930 para darnos los nombres de las personas que desean recibir la Santa Comunión o recibir una visita del sacerdote.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Anointing of the Sick is available by calling the office, 432-714-4930. If you have anyone needing the anointing call the office. Please do not wait till the last minute to call.

La Unción de los Enfermos está disponible llamando a la oficina, 432-714-4930. Si tiene alguien que necesite la unción llame a la oficina. Por favor, no espere hasta el último minuto para llamar.

REQUIREMENTS FOR BAPTIZING:

To baptize a child we require Parents to provide the child's court-issued Birth Certificate. Parents must be registered in the Church. Godparents must provide a copy of their Baptismal, First Communion, and Confirmation Certificates. Married Godparents will also need to provide their certificate of marriage in the Catholic Church. For more information, please call the Parish Office, 714-4930.

Bautismo de niños/as los papás necesitan presentar el certificado de nacimiento de la corte del niño(a). Los padres deben estar registrados en la iglesia. Los padrinos necesitan presentar sus certificados de Bautismo, Primera Comunión y Confirmación. Los padrinos casados deben de presentar su certificado de matrimonio en la iglesia católica. Para más información por favor llame a la oficina parroquial, 714-4930.

SUNDAY MASS ATTENDANCE
01/03/2020

Mass	Attendance	Communion
5:00 PM	Canceled	Canceled
8:30 AM	80	57
11:00 AM	56	28
Total	136	84

ONLINE GIVING

If interested in online giving, go to church website. bigspringcatholic.org click on **ONLINE GIVING** click green letters, 'click here' in Holy Trinity Catholic Parish Online Giving you have three options

- 1) login if you have an account already;
- 2) create new account; or
- 3) Quick Give-one time donation.



Faithfully United as the
Trinity

*Unidos Fielmente como la
Trinidad*



Sunday Collection
01/03/2020

Envelopes	\$2,102.00
Loose	\$140.00
Total	\$2,290.00

Mailed in \$2,290.00

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR
GENEROSITY!**



NOVEMBER 2020
Monthly Income for
NOVEMBER
\$38,987.18

Monthly Expenses for
NOVEMBER
\$34,589.66

**CHARISMATIC PRAYER
MEETING**

Prayer meetings are canceled till further notice for the safety of everyone. All are welcome on **Wednesdays at 6:30 PM** in East Room to join us for praise, teaching, and prayer for healing. Potluck on every 1st Wednesday of the month



**SCHEDULE OF ENGLISH
ULTREYAS**

All are invited to come and enjoy the fellowship on the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 7:00 PM in the East room.

SPANISH ULTREYA

Todos los lunes, 7:00 PM en el salón de escuela. Todos están invitados a venir y disfrutar de la beca.



**Readings for the Week of
January 10, 2021**

Sunday Feast of the Baptism of the Lord Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 55:1-11; Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 or Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 (3); Acts 10:34-38 or 1 Jn 5:1-9; Mk 1:7-11

Monday Heb 1:1-6; Ps 97:1 and 2b, 6 and 7c, 9; Mk 1:14-20

Tuesday Heb 2:5-12; Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9; Mk 1:21-28

Wednesday Saint Hilary, Bishop and Doctor of the Church Heb 2:14-18; Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9; Mk 1:29-39

Thursday Heb 3:7-14; Ps 95:6-7c, 8-9, 10-11; Mk 1:40-45

Friday Heb 4:1-5, 11; Ps 78:3 and 4bc, 6c-7, 8; Mk 2:1-12

Saturday Heb 4:12-16; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15; Mk 2:13-17

Sunday Second Sunday in Ordinary Time 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19; Ps 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10 (8a, 9a); 1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20; Jn 1:35-42

**PRAY FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED
AND THE FAMILIES OF THE DECEASED:**

We extend our sincere sympathy to the family of the late **Maria Perez, Marcelino Rangel, Irma Chapa and Rosalinda DeLeon** who died this past week. We commend their souls and the intentions of the family to our continuing prayers.

PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Valentin Garcia, Irene Rodriguez, Carlos Rodriguez, Mike Martinez, Tina Martinez, Trina Martinez, Javier Hinojos, Martina Espinoza, Emily Carrillo. Call the office at 714-4930 to add the names in the bulletin. **Only the person needing, or immediate family member may request to be added to the prayer list.**

Reflexiones del domingo

1 Juan 5:1-9

TESTIMONIO EN AGUA Y SANGRE

Si su organización contrata a un orador invitado, generalmente alguien hace una presentación. Escuchará quién es el orador, así como sus logros. Los oradores invitados han superado algunos obstáculos: se han graduado de la escuela. Tienen trabajos escritos. Han generado ideas nuevas y exitosas. Han influido en otras personas. Se han enfrentado a la oposición y han seguido firmes en sus creencias. Algunos de ellos han tenido conversiones. Algunos de ellos han derramado sangre. Antes de que se pongan de pie y hablen, escuchas una introducción, un testimonio que da testimonio.

La Primera Carta de Juan da ese tipo de testimonio sobre Jesucristo. Lo llama "el que vino a través del agua y la sangre". Juan no habla por sí mismo: "El Espíritu es el que da testimonio, y el Espíritu es la verdad. Así que son tres los que dan testimonio, el Espíritu, el agua y la sangre, y los tres son unánimes".

En su bautismo, Jesús fue anunciado como el Hijo de Dios. En la cruz, su cuerpo fue atravesado con una lanza, y se derramó agua y sangre. En su bautismo y en su muerte, en agua y en sangre, el Espíritu dio testimonio de que Jesús es el Hijo de Dios.

Al celebrar el bautismo del Señor, escuchamos el testimonio de Jesús. Y recibimos el desafío de sumar nuestra voz a la de épocas pasadas. Jesús es el Hijo de Dios.

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SATURDAY, January 9, 2021

- 5:00 PM Mass – [HT] +Adrian Ayala by *Ramona Rodriguez*

SUNDAY, January 10, 2021

- 8:30 AM Mass – [HT] For the People
- 11:00 AM Mass – [HT] +Adela D., +Maria R., +Eufemia B. by *Erlinda Rios*

MONDAY, January 11, 2021

- 12:15 PM No Mass

TUESDAY, January 12, 2021

- 12:15 PM Health of Nora M, & Concha S. by *Gary T & Violanda Harris*

WEDNESDAY, January 13, 2021

- 12:15 PM Special Intention
- 7:00 PM Our Lady of Mt. Carmel by *Johnny Trevino*

THURSDAY, January 14, 2021

- 12:15 PM Earline Johnson by *Grace Phelps*

FRIDAY, January 15, 2021

- 12:15 PM +Robert Anderson by *Wanda Anderson*

SATURDAY, January 16, 2021

- 5:00 PM Mass – [HT] Health-Eusabia Gaspar by *Maria Elena Melendez*

SUNDAY, January 17, 2021

- 8:30 AM Mass – [HT] For the People
- 11:00 AM Mass – [HT] +Gilbert Rubio by *Frank & Cheryl Joy*

SANCTUARY CANDLE


**January 10 – +Jesus & +Lupe Ortiz,
+Delia O. Hoyte**

Sunday's Reflections

1 John 5:1-9

TESTIMONY IN WATER AND BLOOD

If your organization hires a guest speaker, someone usually gives an introduction. You'll hear who the speaker is, as well as his or her accomplishments. Guest speakers have overcome some obstacles: They have graduated from school. They have written papers. They have generated new and successful ideas. They have influenced other people. They have faced opposition and continued steadfast in their belief. Some of them have had conversions. Some of them have shed blood. Before they stand up and speak, you hear an introduction, a testimony that bears witness.

The First Letter of John gives that kind of testimony about Jesus Christ. It calls him "the one who came through water and blood." John does not speak on his own: "The Spirit is the one who testifies, and the Spirit is truth. So there are three that testify, the Spirit, the water, and the blood, and the three are of one accord."

At his baptism, Jesus was announced as the Son of God. On the cross, his body was pierced with a lance, and water and blood poured out. At his baptism and at his death, in water and in blood, the Spirit bore witness that Jesus is the Son of God.

As we celebrate the Baptism of the Lord, we hear the testimony about Jesus. And we receive the challenge to add our voice to those of ages past. Jesus is the Son of God.

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