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Dear Parishioners,

Today we contemplate the Most Holy Trinity as Jesus introduced us to it. He revealed to us that God is love "not in the oneness of a single Person, but in the Trinity of one substance" (Preface). He is the Creator and merciful Father; He is the Only-Begotten Son, eternal Wisdom incarnate, who died and rose for us; He is the Holy Spirit who moves all things, cosmos and history, toward their final, full recapitulation. Three Persons who are one God because the Father is love, the Son is love, the Spirit is love. God is wholly and only love, the purest, infinite and eternal love. He does not live in splendid solitude but rather is an inexhaustible source of life that is ceaselessly given and communicated. To a certain extent we can perceive this by observing both the macro-universe: our earth, the planets, the stars, the galaxies; and the micro-universe: cells, atoms, elementary particles. The "name" of the Blessed Trinity is, in a certain sense, imprinted upon all things because all that exists, down to the last particle, is in relation; in this way we catch a glimpse of God as relationship and ultimately, Creator Love. All things derive from love, aspire to love and move impelled by love, though naturally with varying degrees of awareness and freedom. "O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!" (Ps 8: 1) the Psalmist exclaims. In speaking of the "name", the Bible refers to God himself, his truest identity. It is an identity that shines upon the whole of Creation, in which all beings for the very fact that they exist and because of the "fabric" of which they are made point to a transcendent Principle, to eternal and infinite Life which is given, in a word, to Love. "In him we live and move and have our being", St Paul said at the Areopagus of Athens (Acts 17: 28). The strongest proof that we are made in the image of the Trinity is this: love alone makes us happy because we live in a relationship, and we live to love and to be loved. Borrowing an analogy from biology, we could say that imprinted upon his "genome", the human being bears a profound mark of the Trinity, of God as Love.

The Virgin Mary, in her docile humility, became the handmaid of divine Love: she accepted the Father's will and conceived the Son by the power of the Holy Spirit. In her the Almighty built a temple worthy of Him and made her the model and image of the Church, mystery and house of communion for all human beings. May Mary, mirror of the Blessed Trinity, help us to grow in faith in the Trinitarian mystery.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
Father Newcomb

**Fr. Newcomb will have a Latin Mass today,
Sunday, May 27th at 1pm**

There will be First Friday Adoration on June 1st from Noon until 8pm in the Chapel. Please see the sign-up sheet.

There will NOT be a Holy Hour on Memorial Day Monday, May 28th

St. Mary's Little Lambs Early Childhood Learning Center holds a Summer Day Camp for children ages 3-9, with the theme, "Sightseeing With Jesus." Daily activities include Bible stories, songs, games, crafts, and water play. This year's camp will be held the weeks of July 16-20, and July 23-27. Children can attend half or full day, part or all week. **Registration for Summer Camp will opened Tuesday, May 1 and will close Thursday, May 31.** Early or Late registrations will **NOT** be accepted. Registration packets are now available at the Little Lambs office. ***Space is very limited.*** For more information contact director, Eileen Carmody at 845 858-4208.

Liturgical Ministers for June 2nd/3rd, 2018.

MASS	LECTOR	MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	ALTAR SERVERS
4:00PM	D. LEGATO	C. WITTINE, H. ECKES	J. AND J. LEGATO
8:30AM	P. CAL	V. LIVINGSTON, S. RIORDAN, J. TAYLOR	E. AND A. TRUJILLO
11:30AM	M. ESLING	B. DENNINGTON, T. MARION, H. MARION	S. MASCI, S. BHIKARRY, C. CENTAURO

On Monday, May 28th, Memorial Day, the morning Mass will be held at St. Mary's Cemetery. Please bring your own lawn chair.

The parish office will also be closed.

Daniel Bradley is completing his Eagle Project (Troop 173) sending 50 "care packages" to soldiers overseas. For more information and to donate, please contact Dan Bradley 845-820-0241.

The 2nd collection on June 2nd/3rd is for Catholic Missions Among Black and Indian people.

On the weekend of June 2nd/3rd Fr. Sean Harlow, will be speaking at all Masses on behalf of the Missionary Cooperative Plan of the Archdiocese of New York.

The Corpus Christi Procession will be on Sunday, June 3rd beginning at 9:30am.

All are invited

especially all children that have received 1st Holy Communion, dressed in their Communion apparel.

The Annual Baccalaureate Service will be held at our parish on Sunday, June 3rd at 7pm in the Church.

Please pray for all the students graduating High School this year.

Next weekend we will have a **Bakeless Bake Sale** to benefit our Respect Life committee projects. Please see the insert in next weekend's bulletin.

The religious education program is currently accepting registrations for the 2018-2019 school year.

Early bird registration ends June 14th.

Monthly Healing Mass-A Healing Mass is held on the last Thursday of every month at 7:00pm at The National Shrine of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, 70 Carmelite Drive, Middletown, NY. The next Healing Mass is scheduled for Thursday, May 31st. Call Carol Bezak, Shrine Director 343-1879 for further information.

Holy Name of Jesus Parish in Otisville, NY is having their annual Trick Tray on Saturday June 2nd. The doors open at 5:30PM. The Event will take place at the Otisville Firehouse located at 60 State St. There will be plenty of prizes and "Super Prizes". Please come support this yearly event. If you have any questions, please call the parish office at (845) 386 - 1320.

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Monday, 9:00am	May 28 (Memorial Day) Souls in Purgatory, by Jim Froehlich Men and women who have served in our Armed Forces
Tuesday, 9:00am	May 29 Gene Sweeney, by Rona Ruderman and Richard Goldstein
Wednesday, 9:00am	May 30 Ann Brown, by Rona Ruderman and Richard Goldstein
Thursday, 9:00am	May 31 (Visitation of the BVM) Violeta Smadbeck, by Dr. Jane Brooks
Friday, 11:30am	June 1 (Justin, martyr) Violeta Smadbeck, by Dr. Jane Brooks
Saturday, 4:00pm	June 2 (Marcellinus and Peter, martyrs) Katarina Dold, by Hannelore Kucher
Sunday, 8:30am 11:30am	June 3 (Corpus Christi) Anne Morey, by Dr. Jane Brooks The parishioners of St. Mary's



The Sanctuary Lamp will burn brightly this week in the church, in memory of Tom Osowick, by wife Kathleen.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK: Joann Wilcox, Jackie Mundy, Theresa Fuller, Donald Wolff, Sue Fitzsimmons, Barbara Straub, Robert Cinerar, Sandy Osbourne, Theresa Kavanagh, John McKean, William Lincoln, Jeanine Lincoln, Michael Barnes, Elizabeth Brennan, Walter Szpakowicz, Frances Brennan, Andrea Fedoruk, Jose Ramos, Carmen Ramos, Mercedes Rodriguez, Elizabeth Startup Jones, Thomas Davies, Pat Arnold, William Gaide, Sue Arnold, Steve Wilkinson, William Thomas, Maureen Hildebrandt, Charles Hildebrandt, Aedan Roach, James Roach, Robin Radzikowski, Dotty Lynch, Jesse G Smith, Marge Evans, Kaitlyn Smith, Jerome Smith, Joseph Fritts, Patricia Meinhold, Susan Upton, Devin Upton, Kathy Drane, Wayne DeMarco, Danielle Devore, Jennifer Utz, Jacqueline Hamilton, Tonya Cannon, Ryan O'Connor, Peter Billman, Helen Andreano, Tito Rivera, Maryann Gasko, Chris Marion III, Carson Fuller, Neil Stasilli, Debi Cotugno, and Louis Harford.

The collection for was \$4,257.50
Thank you for your continued generosity.