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OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

“Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.” - Mt 28:19

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WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday—4:00 PM
Sunday—8:00 AM and 10:00 AM

Pax Christi Adoration Chapel Hours:

Sundays—11:00 AM until 11:00 PM
Wednesdays—7:00 AM until 11:00 PM

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May 30—Most Holy Trinity

Opening Song—Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty —
sing v 1–2

Gloria sung

Liturgy of the Word

Reading 1 Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40 / 165

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 33:4-5, 6 & 9, 18-19, 20 & 22

R. Blessed the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

The word of the Lord is faithful,
and all his works to be trusted.
The Lord loves justice and right,
and his merciful love fills the earth.

R. Blessed the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

By the word of the LORD the
heavens were made,
by the breath of his mouth all their host.
He spoke, and it came to be.

He commanded; it stood in place.

R. Blessed the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

Yes, the Lord's eyes are on those who fear him,
who hope in his merciful love,
to rescue their souls from death,
To keep them alive in famine.

R. Blessed the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

Our soul is waiting for the Lord.
He is our help and our shield.

May your merciful love be upon us,
As we hope in you, O Lord.

R. Blessed the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

Reading 2 Romans 8:14-17

Alleluia

Gospel Matthew 28:16-20

Homily

Profession of Faith

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under

Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Closing Song—Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty —
sing v 3–4

Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty



1. Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly! Lord God Al -
2. Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly! all the saints a -
3. Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly! though the dark - ness
4. Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly! Lord God Al -



might - y! Ear - ly in the morn - ing our
dore thee, Cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a -
hide thee, Though the eye made blind by sin thy
might - y! All thy works shall praise thy Name in



song shall rise to thee: Ho - ly, Ho - ly,
round the glass - y sea; Cher - u - bim and
glo - ry may not see, On - ly thou art
earth, and sky, and sea; Ho - ly, Ho - ly,



Ho - ly! mer - ci - ful and might - y,
ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore thee,
ho - ly; there is none be - side thee,
Ho - ly! mer - ci - ful and might - y,



God in three Per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty.
God ev - er - last - ing through e - ter - ni - ty.
Per - fect in power, in love, and pu - ri - ty.
God in three Per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty.

Text: Rezinold Heber, 1783-1826, alt.
Tune: NICAEA, 11 12 12 10; John Bacchus Dykes, 1823-1876

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We will have a short procession with the Blessed Sacrament, next Sunday, June 6, following the 10:00am Mass.

Please join us if you are able to.

**Weather permitting.*

As society becomes increasingly removed from God, the morals of our culture will continue to decay. Due to increased attention to LGBTQ issues the month of June is now called "pride month." In order to be better educated about how the harmful reality of this lifestyle being pushed in public and sadly in some Catholic schools, the book, *The Health Hazards of Homosexuality - What the Medical and Psychological Research Reveals* by MassResistance, <http://www.healthhazardsofhomosexuality.info/>, shines a light on homosexual acts that the Catholic Church in its official capacity reminds us is disordered and sinful.

The Catechism of the Catholic Church reminds us (para. 2358) that individuals who have a homosexual inclination “must be accepted with respect, compassion, and sensitivity. Every sign of unjust discrimination in their regard should be avoided.” Nevertheless, the *Catechism* also reminds us that while the person is to be respected, homosexual acts can never be approved.

Endorsements—Michelle Cretella, MD, Executive Director, American College of Pediatricians

The Health Hazards of Homosexuality: What the Medical and Psychological Research Reveals, by MassResistance (with Foreword by Brian Camenker), is the single most comprehensive collection of scientific data from authoritative scientific sources on this topic. *Health Hazards* cites research from the Centers for Disease Control, the Institute of Medicine, the American Psychological Association, and many other “mainstream” medical and mental health organizations to document the reality that the homosexual lifestyle is inherently harmful – and even deadly.

These obvious facts have been increasingly suppressed since 1973 when homosexual activists pressured the American Psychiatric Association into removing homosexuality from the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders*. Today, medicine has been so corrupted by political correctness that it is considered “hate speech” to state the scientific facts documented on these pages. Instead, medical students, educators, legislators and the public at large are told that the elevated rates of physical and mental health disparities, including the ever-increasing HIV epidemic among men who have sex with men, are due to “homophobia and intolerance.”

When it comes to the topic of sexual health, our youth have the distinction of being among the most lied-to generation. For this reason alone, *The Health Hazards of Homosexuality* should be required reading for all health professionals, educators, legislators, graduate students, and parents. Mr. Camenker and his research team are to be congratulated on this tour de force. (Sept. 2017)

Paul A. Church, MD, Urologist; former Asst. Clinical Professor of Surgery (part-time), Harvard Medical School

As a practicing clinician for 35 years, I have seen and treated the serious consequences associated with promiscuity and high-risk sexual behaviors, including those

common to the LGBT community. The medical “establishment” has been all too silent on its duty to inform and alert the public to these dangers, as its ranks have become infiltrated by homosexual activists and its policy makers preoccupied with political correctness more than protecting the public welfare.

This new reference compiled by MassResistance contains a wealth of factual information drawn from mostly peer-reviewed medical journals and statistics compiled by highly credible sources, including the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. It is comprehensive in its scope and fully annotated with references to the cited sources.

This is an excellent go-to reference for those seeking accurate, truthful information on the health risks of certain sexual behaviors. I commend the authors for their hard work and their concern for the public health, and I recommend this book highly. (Oct. 2016)

CONFIRMATION 

**Congratulations to
Ethan Hackel**

who was confirmed on May 21st.

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Congratulations to
Matthew Kindlarski
on having earned this emblem.



**Parish Stewardship for
May 23, 2021**

Average amount needed in weekly stewardship envelopes	\$13,300.00
Adults Env. & Online.....	\$ 6,359.25
Students	\$ 13.75
Plate	\$ 742.20
Automatic Direct Donation average....	\$ 1,649.25
Total for the week.....	\$ 8,764.45

Week at a Glance

- Wed., June 2**.....Communal Rosary 7:00pm
- Thurs., June 3** June **13** bulletin deadline
- Sun., June 6** Eucharistic Procession
.....following the 10:00am Mass

Our Mission and Identity

Our parish, Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, grows only in Christ and through the gifts of the Holy Spirit. Flowing from these gifts, we dedicate ourselves to live and proclaim the Gospel message of Christ’s love. To live Christ’s love may at times be difficult. Nevertheless, it is our goal.

We are called to reach out to our parish family, to the needs of the local community, the diocesan Church, the universal Church, and to the global community. We do this by being attentive to the voice of God found in the Sacred Scriptures, in the Sacred Tradition of our Catholic faith, and through an informed conscience which we try to cultivate.

In light of our baptism, we try to be Christ centered in every aspect of our faith life.

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Pax Christi Adoration Chapel

The Adoration Chapel can ONLY be described as a wonderful gift. It is the gift of being close to the presence of the Lord Jesus as we contemplate His love for us.

During the Holy Mass, the bread and wine are changed into the Body and Blood of Christ. During times of Adoration when the Blessed Sacrament is exposed, we see the consecrated bread and the consecrated wine which have truly become the Real Presence of Jesus Christ. In one sense, this is a miracle in our midst – that Jesus would come to us in this way. But often that is the way of the Lord – a silent and unobtrusive way. He comes to us in silence, remains within us and invites us to carry Him into the world around us. None of us can ever fully understand how this occurs, but we do know why it occurs. It happens because God loves us and loves this world so deeply. He wants to remain with us and we with Him.

If you are willing to give the Lord even a bit of your time by adoring Him in the Blessed Sacrament, you will find these words to take on new meaning:

Come in faith, Remain in hope, go out in love.

The effects of adoration: Here is a comment from one of our parishioners who has a weekly hour of adoration. “In the past, I never had a personal relationship with Jesus. I knew of him, I knew about him, but I didn’t know him. I didn’t really love Jesus because you can’t love someone you don’t know. The first time I went to adoration, I was bored out of my mind and spent most of the time looking at my watch. During my second visit, I didn’t pray at all. The third time, however, I was at a low point. Adoration has improved every aspect of my life. I’m no longer in a state of constant worry about situations I have no control over. I don’t know what the future holds, but I find great comfort in knowing the One who does.”

***Currently the Adoration Chapel is open on Sundays and Wednesdays.**

SACJ **SERAPHIC ADORERS**
OF THE CHILD JESUS

Vocational Day of Discernment with the Sisters of the Seraphic Adorers of the Child Jesus, will be on June 26, 2021. There will be adoration, conference, lunch, recreation, and vespers. For more information or to RSVP please call 715-899-0767 or email Vocations@seraphicadorers.com.



THE MINISTRY OF
THE WILD GOOSE

UPDATES TO THIS PROGRAM The 14 week video/discussion has begun and is open to all adults. If you have not attended the first meetings please know that you are welcome to join at any time.

Presentation details:

- Thursday evening sessions start at 7:30pm with a light social at 7:00pm and will continue to meet at The Dirks Group location. *Next session meets June 3rd.*
- The Friday sessions have been **moved to St. Mary's School in Marathon**. This session starts at 6:30am with light social 6:00am. *Next session meets June 4th.*

Both sessions meet every other week.

For more information please contact:
Deacon Gordy at 715-297-3513.

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