

The Most Holy Trinity Sunday May 30, 2021



SAINT MICHAEL AT INDIAN CREEK

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Register to attend Mass in person, 6pm Sat. St James, 8am Sun. St Michael's or 10am St Paul's

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Baptism and Marriage

Please call the parish office to arrange a time to meet with the priest and to schedule. Allow 6 months preparation time for marriage.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Father Letona has resumed the Confession Schedule,
7.30 am St Paul before Friday morning Mass @ St Pauls
5.30pm St James Saturday evening

Another option is to call the Parish Office to schedule your confession with Father Letona.

Home visits & Sacrament of the Sick

Please call Father Letona at 608-562-3125 for information.



THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Then Jesus approached and said to them, "All power in heaven and on earth has been given to me. 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 28:18-19

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FROM THE DESK OF FATHER LETONA

Blest be God the Father, and the Only Begotten Son of God, and also the Holy Spirit, for he has shown us his merciful love." (Entrance Antiphon, Trinity Sunday)

"[Humanity] is engaged in a threefold quest, for life, truth, and love, and since he cannot find these in their fullness on this earth — because here life is mingled with death, truth with error, and love with hate — he must go out beyond the "margin of this world," out to Someone who is pure Life, pure Truth, and pure Love, which is God.

The answer could come only from God Himself, and it came when Our Blessed Lord appeared on earth and revealed to us the inmost life of God, God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Ghost. This tremendous mystery is known as the mystery of the Trinity" (Fulton Sheen)

"the Trinity is a revelation that, before creation, God enjoyed the amiable society of His three Persons, the infinite communion with Truth and the embrace of infinite Love, and hence had no need ever to go outside Himself in search of happiness. The greatest wonder of all, then, is, that being perfect and enjoying perfect happiness, He ever should have made a world. And if He did make a world, He could only have had one motive for making it. It could not add to His perfection; it could not add to His truth; it could not increase His happiness. He made a world only because He loved." (Sheen)

If we truly claim to love God, then surely we should endeavor to know Him, as He has revealed Himself to us through His Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ. God has revealed something of Himself to His creation. Therefore it behoves us to know what He has revealed (including the Trinity), and to lovingly worship Him accordingly.

The fact that we cannot, with all our analogies and metaphors, grasp the full depth of this mystery, should bring us to realize that we truly are finite creatures standing before a sovereign, infinite, divine mystery. The beautiful depth of God's eternal Triune nature is a sublime reality which should move and stir our hearts to know Him, to love Him, and to serve Him.

In the readings this week we are given a glimpse into the heart of God, one that reveals His fatherly care for His children. God will never abandon us, even when we disobey. He does love us where we are, but He loves us too much to leave us there. When Our Lord ate and drank with sinners, he was not doing it to be all-inclusive or celebrate diversity, it was to bring them to repentance and back into the Love of God. God always governs us with love and justice, with care and firmness. He sends us leaders, like Moses, to continually guide us back to the right path. God wasn't giving His children ten "suggestions" but rather, Ten Commandments. There is an implied expectation for them to be followed explicitly. He is the Way, the truth, and the Life.

Our trying to make God into our image and likeness, our saying "well I know the Bible (God's word) says this, or His Church (the Bride of Christ) says that, but I think..." must be replaced instead with an awe-struck adoration and wonder, as we realize the only appropriate response is to fall to our knees and humbly worship the One, the True, and the Beautiful, the truly perfect, Triune God.

The Trinity is a perfect communion of love, and we are called not only to emulate it, but also to participate in it. Dive deep into this mystery by being intentional in your own loving relationships.

"Heaven is the communion with perfect Life, perfect Truth, and perfect Love, God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Ghost, to whom be all honor and glory forever and ever. Amen." (Sheen)

God bless you all,
Father Letona

Character Builds Families

Do you make the most of your mornings?

Did you know that we only receive so many mornings and we don't know when this morning will be our last one.

Stop allowing your mornings from running together same, same.

Make the most of your mornings.

Embrace your spouse, your kids, a best friend who has been there for you. Let them know how you feel.

Make that call you have been avoiding to may change the trajectory of your life.

Name ONE thing you are going to stop doing and one thing you are going to start doing to make the most out of your mornings.



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FOR THOSE IN NEED OF OUR PRAYERS.....

Karen Caple	Laura Wagner	Marty Gillan
Sam Pesta	Christi Lewis	Dave Pearson
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Bill Guess	Marleen Quist	
Gayle Mecikalski	Terry Benson	John Conrardy
Dave Lewis	Pat Wyss	Helen Wiora
Michael Haske	Leonard Blondeau	Ruth Frohmader
Helen Wiora	Troy Lewis	Jane Connor
Bruce Quist	Christy Lewis	Fr Clayton Elmhurst

For our Deceased

Clayton Hansen	Frank Machnik	Ellen Henthorne
Marcella Hirt	Wilda Paulson	

Please call the office if you would like to add or remove a name.

Secretary's Corner

June 1st we celebrate St Justin Martyr read the eBook **Four Witnesses: Clement of Rome, Ignatius of Antioch, Justin Martyr, and Irenaeus of Lyons**. Register for Formed.org select I am a member of Parish and enter 53950 (mjpcatholic) register your name and email address. Check your email for the link and enjoy.

Catholic prayer for generosity

Often called the "**Prayer of St. Ignatius**," it was not actually written by the saint.

Many Catholics are familiar with a prayer more commonly known as the "**Prayer of St. Ignatius**." It is on the back of prayer cards and is often memorized. Yet this prayer for generosity was not written by him at all.

Jesuit priest Fr. Jack Mahoney details the history of this prayer on the website Thinking Faith. It dates back only to the late 19th century and is not found in any of St. Ignatius' writings.

At the same time, the prayer is certainly in the "spirit" of St. Ignatius and is one of the most popular Catholic prayers around.

Here you can find this prayer for generosity, asking God to give you a more generous heart.

*Lord, teach me to be generous,
to serve you as you deserve,
to give and not to count the cost,
to fight and not to heed the wounds,
to toil and not to seek for rest,
to labour and not to look for any reward,
save that of knowing that I do your holy will.
(aleteia.org)*

Family Builder Idea:

Emotionally healthy children cont.

6. How to apologize. Straightforward; when you don't teach your child to apologize, you will raise entitled, disrespectful children that most likely won't be able to have a healthy marriage or friendship.

7. How to know their own limits and boundaries. When your child has a bad attitude, there is usually a reason. Perhaps they are overwhelmed, tired, or something bad has happened. This is why it's important to teach them about knowing their own limits, when they should rest, or do something for themselves. Teach self care, how to say no to others. Remember all you teach your child do in LOVE

from whom do we

Attend in person 6pm Sat. St James, Camp Douglas

8am St Michael's Indian Creek

10am St Paul's New Lisbon

Weekday Mass @ St. Paul's

Tue—Fri 8.30 am

Sign up via our website or email me at stpaulsecetarynl@gmail.com if you are having problems

On the Web

- YOUTUBE Father Letona, Masses from the last few months

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Saint James, Saint Paul & Saint Michael Parishes

- www.mjpcatholic.com

- In person for private prayer

Sunday 11am– 7pm

Monday—Saturday 9am—7pm

The Most Holy Trinity Sunday with **Father Letona**

10:00 am

Readings

Dt 4: 32-34, 39-40

Ps 33: 4-6, 9, 18-20, 22

Rom 8: 14-17

Mt 28: 16– 20

St James Schedule June 5

Lector

Dorothy Tambornino

Money Counter

Kris Madejczyk

We are looking for volunteers for usher, read and money count... PLEASE CALL Kris @ 608-562-3135

St. Michael's Schedule June 6

Lector

Sherry Conant

Ushers

Kevin Quist/Wenzel Felber

Offertory

John & Sheila Belcher

Money Counters

Marge Shie/Kevin Quist

St. Paul's Schedule June 6

Lector

Adrienne Baumgart

Ushers

Tom Heindl/ ?

Money Counter

Mary Peterson/Karla Quist

(If you can't fill your roll please notify the office two weeks before hand)

FORMATION IN FAITH:

Continuing from last week conversation, let's take a moment and reflect on the Church as it is the Mystical Body of Christ.

It's **head**—Christ, it's **soul**—the Holy Spirit ,

it's **members**—the Faithful (us), it's **life**—Grace

Just as a human body has one head, so does the Church have one Head who is Christ. The Pope is His Vicar, or representative, on earth, the visible head of the Church.

Just as our human body is made up of many members, such as hands, feet, eyes, legs, heart, ect, so it eh Mystical Body of Christ composed of many members. The members of the Church are those who are baptized, profess the true faith, and have not left the Church.

The Church is the fullness of Christ—Head and members, the whole Christ. In the Church we are all one in Christ. In a mysterious, yet true sense, the Church IS Christ. (Baltimore catechism)

Holding that thought in mind what are ways we as laity can participate actively in the apostolate of the Church? When we influence the interest of non-Catholics in the Catholic faith; promoting higher standards in the press, movies, radio and television. Take part in the activities of Catholic societies and organizations. Or volunteer at your Church to help out during fundraisers and other events.

Announcements for Tri-Parish

Learn of the many Saints this week

On FORMED.ORG watch these movies to learn about the different saints of our time and how they overcame adversity. Their Feast days are listed below.

St Paul's

St. Paul's Cemetery

A burial plot if for sale

The plot is located front left corner as you enter the cemetery second row 9th plot.

For more information please call Bob Koca @ 715-498-4547

Mass Intention Envelopes

We have Mass intention envelopes for those wishing to have a Mass said for a loved one. They are in the entrance of church. Once you have filled it out you can then drop it in the deposit box at the entrance of Church.

St James

Rummage Sale

August Thursday 19 thru Saturday 21st

You can drop off items after **Mass on May 1st**, and **all Saturdays after Mass**, Sue Librettie will be at the church the 2nd and 4th Fridays of the month from 2:30 until about 4 pm to collect items as well.

We will accept small furniture items. Please be generous in your donations as this will be our only fundraising event this year. Thank you.

We cannot accept: TV, electronics, microwaves, clothing, cassette tapes, 8 track tapes, work out equipment.

Planning Committee meeting

For the Rummage Sale a meeting will be held on Tuesday June 16th @ 4.30pm to discuss the plans for the city wide Rummage Sale on Aug 19-21st.

For those interested we will begin to mark rummage items on both Friday June 11th and again on Friday the 25th

Celebration of Life

Walt Weber burial will be at 10 am at the St James Cemetery Following will be the celebration of life Saturday June 12 @ noon located at 865 Maple Grove St Tomah, WI
All are welcome to come and share this day with his family.
If you have any questions please call
Susan Libretti @ 608-567-0519



ST. PAUL

Intentions for our Tri-Parish

Saturday, May 29

6 pm @ St James

For the People

Sunday May 30

8 am @ St Michael's

+Laurie Felber by Wenzel & Joelyn Felber

10.00 am @ St Paul's

Living & Deceased members of the Haske family by Barb Haske

Monday May 31

NO MASS

Tuesday, June 1

+ Gus & Katie Connor by James & Sheila Marx

Wednesday, June 2

Living & Deceased members of Haske family by Barb Haske

Thursday, June 3

Special Intention Pat Wyss by Wyss family

Friday, June 4 First Friday Mass @ 8 am

Living & Deceased members of Connor family by James & Sheila Marx

Saturday, June 5 First Saturday @ St Paul's 8.30 am

6 pm @ St James

+Ellen Barrett by the Family

Sunday June 6

8 am @ St Michael's

For the People

10.00 am @ St Paul's

+Ernest Salter by Janette & Rick Barrett

STEWARDSHIP CORNER –May 23, 2021

Offertory \$ 41.00

Envelopes \$ 1400.02

Special \$ 0.00

Total \$ 1441.02

St. James

Saturday, May 29

For the People

Saturday, June 5

+Ellen Barrett by the family

STEWARDSHIP CORNER - May 22, 2021

Offertory \$ 172.00

Cemetery

\$ 25.00

Envelopes \$ 185.00

Total

\$ 382.00

St. Michael

Sunday May 30

+Laurie Felber by Wenzel & Joelyn Felber

Sunday June 6

For the People

STEWARDSHIP CORNER - May 23, 2021

Offertory \$ 43.00

Envelopes \$ 504.25

Improvements \$ 375.00

Special \$ 70.00

Total \$ 992.25



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