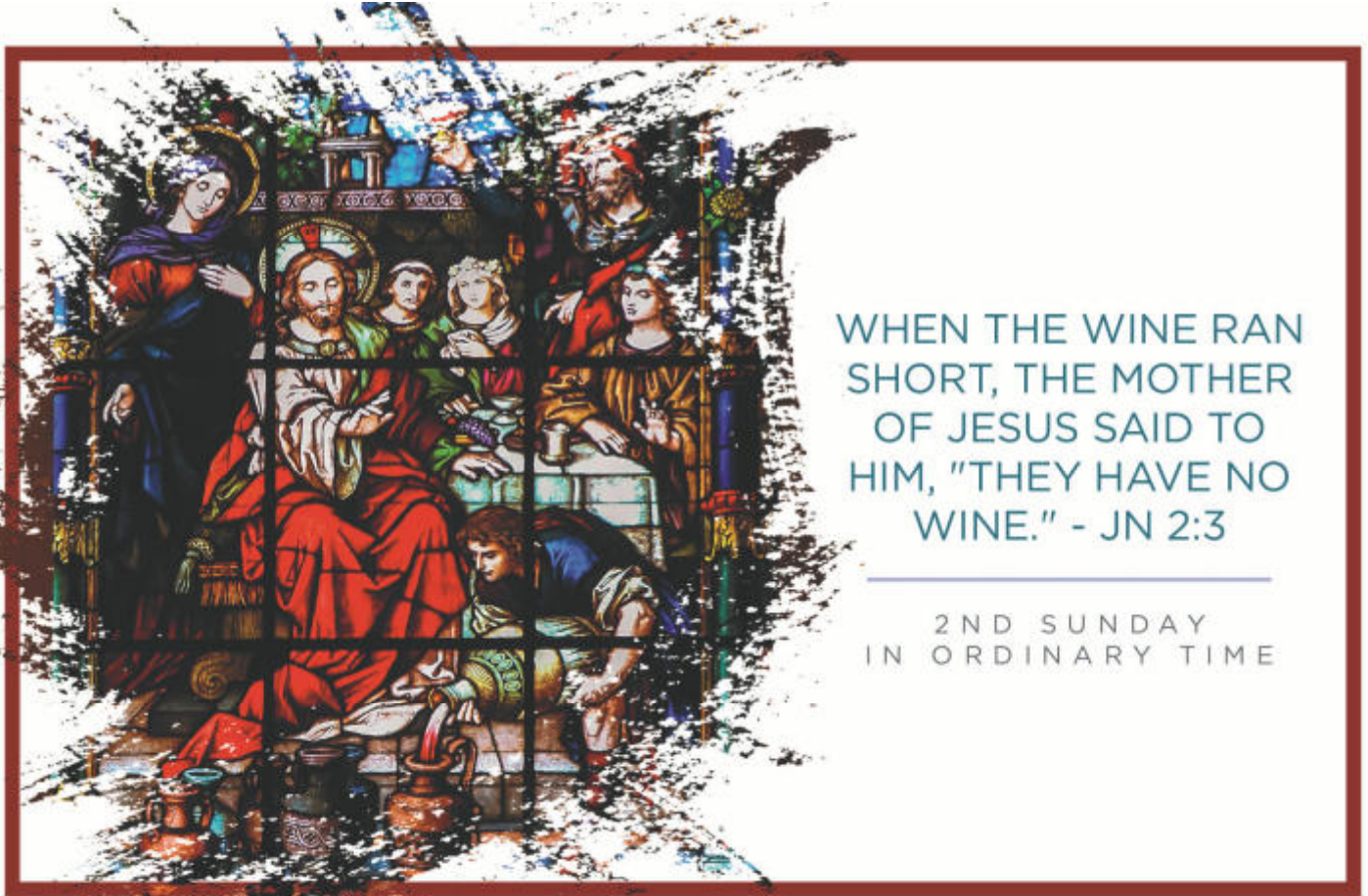


January 16, 2022, Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



# Blessed Trinity Parish



WHEN THE WINE RAN  
SHORT, THE MOTHER  
OF JESUS SAID TO  
HIM, "THEY HAVE NO  
WINE." - JN 2:3

2ND SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME

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## STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

*“To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit.” (1 Corinthians 12:7)*

St. Paul tells us that God has blessed each of us for a reason. How has God blessed you? Are you using your gifts according to God’s plan? How are you helping to build God’s kingdom here on earth? Remember that if you don’t do the work God planned for you, no one else can do it. Live the life God has intended for you. Take time to discern your charisms (gifts from the Holy Spirit). Experience the supernatural Peace and Joy God desires for each of us.

*A spiritual practice Fr. Peter recommends is to reflect on the scripture readings before coming to church*

### Next Week’s readings: January 23, 2022

**Reading I** Nehemiah 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10  
**Reading II** 1 Corinthians 12:12-30  
**Gospel** Luke 1:1-4; 4:14-21

**Adults:** *What do you believe that the anointing you received at baptism requires you to do?*

**Kids:** *What could you do this week for someone who has less than you?*

### **Mass Schedule**

#### **Weekday Mass Schedule:**

Monday: 8:00 a.m. Mass - St. Anne Church  
 Tuesday: 8:00 a.m. Mass - St. Anne Church  
 Thursday: 8:00 a.m. Mass - St. Catherine Church  
 Friday: 8:00 a.m. Mass - St. Catherine Church

#### **Weekend Mass Schedule:**

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. Mass - St Catherine (live-streamed)  
 Sunday: 8:30 a.m. Mass - St Anne Church  
 Sunday: 10:30 a.m. Mass - St Catherine Church  
 Sunday: 5:30 p.m.- St Catherine Church

**Holy Day Masses:** As announced.

**Reconciliation:** Saturdays at 3pm St Catherine Church or by appointment

## *Prayers of the Faithful*

To follow please find the names of loved ones that have returned home to God, or are ill and need our prayers.

### **The Sick**

Richard Valcourt  
 McFadden Family  
 Jeff Donahue  
 Deacon Richard Joy  
 John Corcoran  
 Robert Bauer  
 Bill Mayer  
 Susan Gerroir

### **Deceased**

Mary Crowley King  
 Rev. A. James Bertelli  
 Baby James Kail  
 Matt Kitner  
 Barbara Marcinkowski

### **Mass Intentions**

**Jan. 15** Blessed Trinity Parishioners  
 4:00 p.m. St. Catherine  
**Jan. 16** Donald “Joe” Cozzens 10th Anniversary  
 8:30 a.m. St. Anne  
 Blessed Trinity Parishioners  
 10:30 a.m. St. Catherine  
**Jan. 17** Fr. Joseph Ross, M.S. 6th Anniversary  
 8:00 a.m. St. Anne  
**Jan. 18** Barbara Marcinkowski  
 8:00 a.m. St. Anne  
**Jan. 21** Catherine Elliott  
 8:00 a.m. St. Catherine



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[www.BlessedTrinityCatholic.org](http://www.BlessedTrinityCatholic.org) and click on the Online Giving tab to set up an account, call the office for more information, or scan the QR code here.

**Thank you for your consideration.**



## Formation of a Healing Ministry

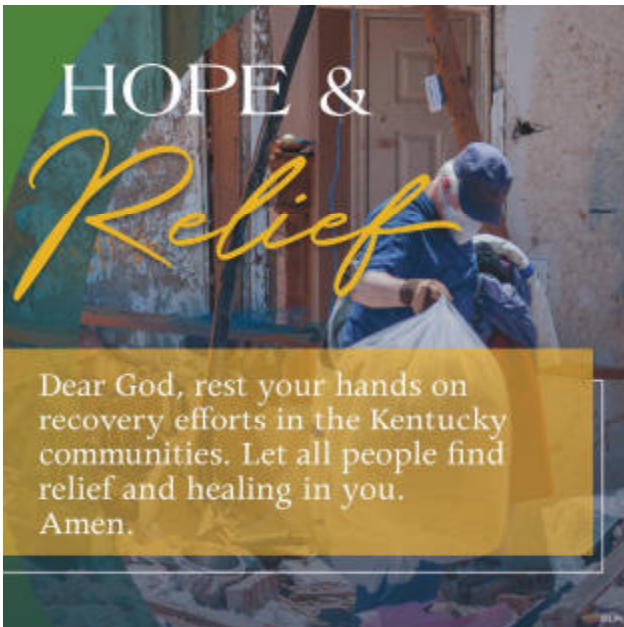
When you read the gospel stories of Jesus healing the lame, the blind, the deaf, the mute, the lepers and those possessed by demons doesn't it fill you with awe and joy?

Did you know that Jesus didn't just heal people 2,000 years ago? He continues to do so today, and one of the ways he chooses to do this is through healing ministries.

If you have ever been involved with a healing ministry or attended a healing service then you have witnessed firsthand how the Lord works through the prayers of people, both the clergy and the laity, to bring healing of mind, body and spirit to others.

Do you feel God calling you to be an instrument of healing? If so, then let's talk and through the grace of God maybe we can start a healing ministry at Blessed Trinity. You can reach me, Val Prest, at [vprest@gmail.com](mailto:vprest@gmail.com), (978) 448-3863. I look forward to hearing from you!

We have been collecting for tornado relief in Kentucky, and have made a contact in the Louisville, KY Archdiocese. The monies collected will be sent to them for help and relief. So far we have collected over \$15,000. Thank you for your generosity! If you'd still like to make a contribution please label it "Tornado relief" and leave it in the collections basket, drop it off at the parish office, or mail it into the parish office.



## Snow & Weather Cancellations



As the weather changes, if Littleton or Westford Schools are closed due to inclement weather, ALL activities at the both churches will be cancelled for the day and evening. If there is a school delay

in Littleton or Westford, there will be no morning Mass. This is to allow work crews to remove snow, de-ice our walkways, and make our facilities safe for all. Faith Formation class cancellations for weekends will be posted on WCVB Channel 5, on our website, and social media. If dangerous weather occurs, please use extreme caution. The Lord does not want you to be injured trying to come to Mass. Thank you for understanding.

God Love, Fr. Peter & Fr. Joe

## Second Collection

Next week's second collection supports the Church in Latin America (CLA). The CLA provides support for pastoral projects in financially poorer dioceses in Latin America and the Caribbean. CLA funds catechetical and lay leadership programs, youth ministry, evangelization programs, and formation programs for religious, priests, and deacons. CLA is making it possible for the Catholic faithful in the Western hemisphere to help each other. Please visit [www.usccb.org/catholic-giving/opportunities-for-giving/latin-america/index.cfm](http://www.usccb.org/catholic-giving/opportunities-for-giving/latin-america/index.cfm) for more information.



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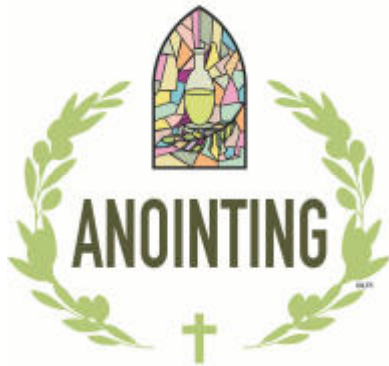
Anyone wishing to use the Assistive Listening System at weekend Mass should speak to an usher to receive a device and instruction.

## CHILDREN'S CORNER

"Pope Francis told a group of Children that besides playing soccer, he loved to fly kites as a child"

## Ask a Priest!

Are you curious about something you've seen at Mass? Do you have questions about the Faith that you've never gotten answers to? Have you ever wondered, "Why does the Church do that?" Then ask a Priest! (no names will be used)! Email your questions to Dave LeBleu ([DaveL@BlessedTrinityCatholic.org](mailto:DaveL@BlessedTrinityCatholic.org)) or call 978-320-4204.



The Anointing of the Sick is the sacrament by which Christ gives spiritual aid and strength to the sick. Through the sacrament of anointing, Christ strengthens the faithful who are afflicted by illness, providing them with the strongest means of support. We encourage people to take advantage of this sacrament, it is not just "last rites" to be given immediately before a person dies, but should be seen in a broader context of illness. A person can receive the Sacrament of the Sick more than once.

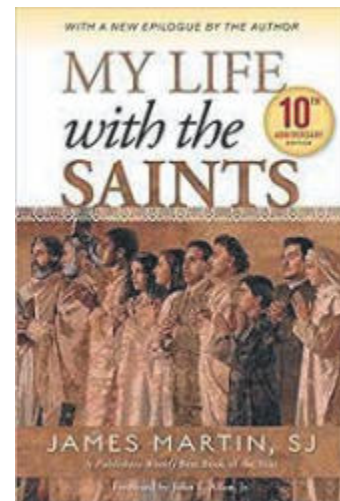
If at anytime you or someone you know wish to receive the Sacrament of the Sick, please contact the Parish Office at 978-320-4220 to contact one of our priests.

Who should receive the Sacrament of the Sick?

- A sick person
- Someone with a severe medical diagnosis
- Someone anticipating surgery
- Someone may be anointed if they are weakened even though no serious illness is present.

## "My Life with the Saints"

by Fr. James Martin SJ. book Discussion.  
Class will begin on Monday January 31 at 9:00am in person at St. Anne's for six weeks. Topics will include, Mary, Joseph, St. Peter, Therese of Lisieux, St. Francis of Assisi, Ignatius of Loyola, and St. Bernadette Soubirous. Group choice for the last week. Some weeks will be supplemented by Bishop Barron's videos on the Pivotal Players.  
For information and to register contact Jackie Butterfield at 508-843-9123 or email [jjbviolin@comcast.net](mailto:jjbviolin@comcast.net)  
You can either order the book on Amazon or I can order it for you--\$15.00.



If you have lived Cursillo or are interested in finding out more about this weekend experience, please join us for Ultreya on **Wednesday, January 19th at 7:30pm** in the St. Catherine's mezzanine. Mass with Father Joe, witness speaker, fellowship, and faith sharing. All are welcome!



**Our Parish Prays For Life –  
Thursday, January 20th, 2022**

A Holy Hour for Life, Forgiveness and Healing will be held on January 20th, 2022 at 7 PM at St. Catherine of Alexandria Church as part of the Archdiocesan observance of the National Day of Prayer and Penance marking the anniversary of the U.S. Supreme Court’s decision legalizing abortion on demand. Led deacon candidate Luc Lambert and Deacon Bill, we will pray together for respect for the dignity of human life from conception to natural death; for those who have been wounded by abortion; for those facing death; and for increased holiness in the Church. The Holy Hour for Life, Forgiveness and Healing is organized by Boston Deacons for Life in collaboration with the Office of Diaconal Life and Ministry & the Pro Life Office of the Archdiocese of Boston. Please join us, all are welcome.



**Low-Gluten Altar Bread is available**

If you are gluten-free and wish to receive Communion, please see the celebrant prior to Mass so he can consecrate the low-gluten hosts during the Mass.

**OFFERTORY REPORT**

December 2021	Received	Budget
	\$134,006	\$117,176
Kentucky Tornado Relief	\$15,037	
Grand Annual	Received	Budget
	\$159,257	\$220,000
Offertory, Year to date	Received	Budget
	\$637,798	\$685,718

**Catholic Appeal  
Coordinator Needed**

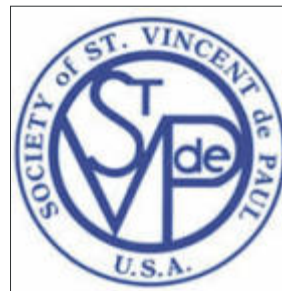


Blessed Trinity Parish needs a volunteer to help coordinate this the 2022 Catholic Appeal. It requires a minimal amount of time. We need help organizing materials, bulletin notices, and coordinating a few other details. Please contact Dave LeBleu if interested.

[DaveL@BlessedTrinityCatholic.org](mailto:DaveL@BlessedTrinityCatholic.org), or 978-320-4204

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education program that results in a certification. SVdP scholarships are awarded based on financial needs as well as a demonstration of community service. If interested and for further details, please email Kevin Regan

at: [KevinRSVDP@gmail.com](mailto:KevinRSVDP@gmail.com) for an application or for more information. The deadline for completed applications is 3/14/22.

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**SCOUT SUNDAY**

**FEBRUARY 13, 2022**

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10:30 AM Mass at St. Catherine



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