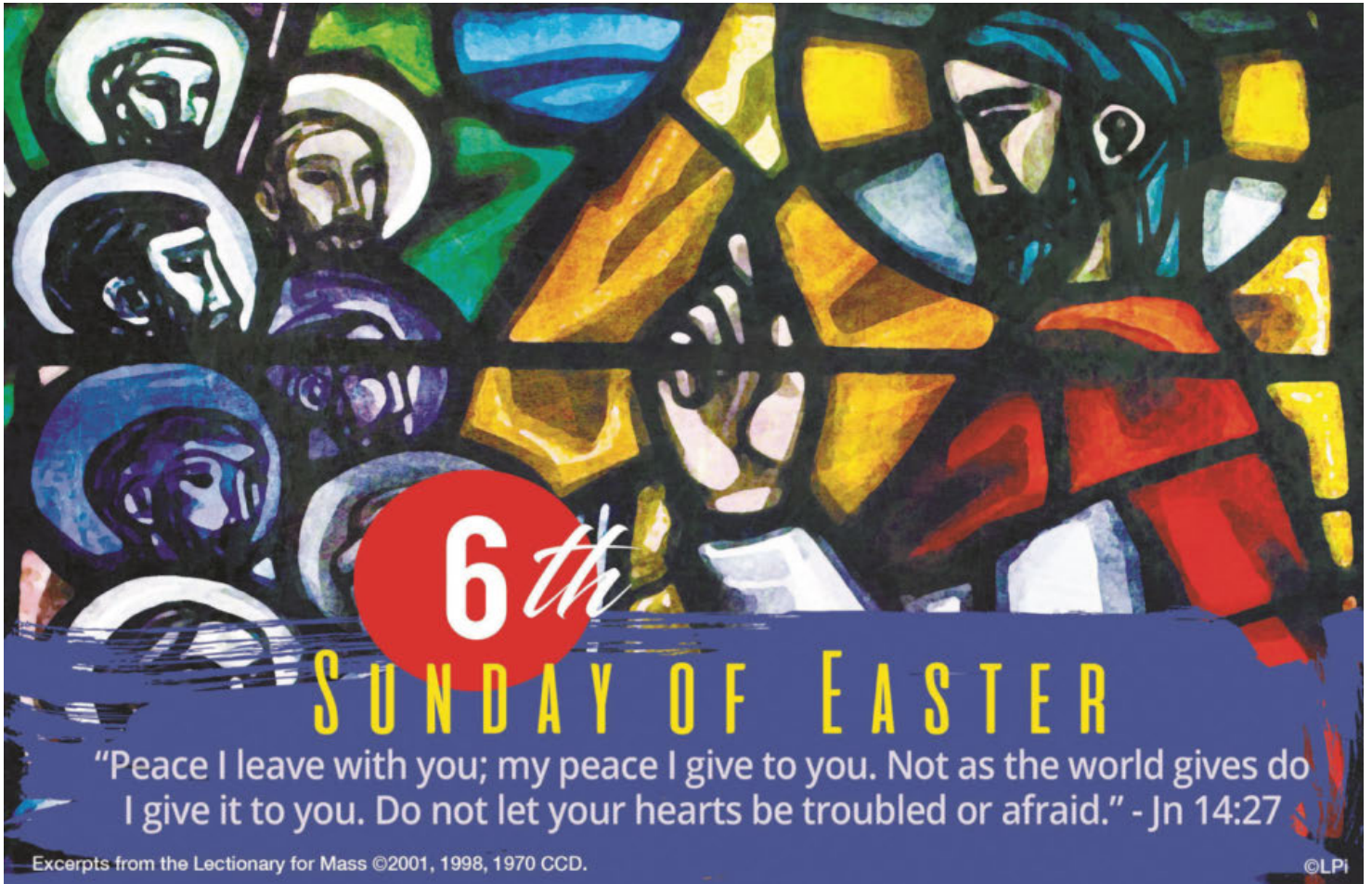


May 22, 2022, 6th Sunday of Easter



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Our limited human understanding cannot begin to understand the immense power of God. Instead of trusting in God, we often think we can control every outcome. Do you want to make God laugh? Tell Him your plans. The next time worry, anxiety or fear creeps in, thank God for all He has given you and trust that He has a better plan for you. Make God your first choice and not your last resort.

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

Next Week’s readings: May 29, 2022

- Reading I** Acts 7:55-60
- Reading II** Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20
- Gospel** John 17:20-26

Adults & Kids: What are some of the most important things to ask of God?



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

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

- Gerri McConnell
- Deacon Richard Joy
- Joe Underhill
- Ray Gagne
- Julie Hasson
- TJ Traverso
- Dick Lemieux
- Bob Crocker
- Mary Sahagian
- Jim Potter

Deceased

- Richard Katis
- Clinton Toms
- Kristen Deon
- Kevin Barlow
- Geraldine Fair
- Philip Fradette
- Wendy Parker
- Patricia LeBlanc
- Dianne Fredette



REMEMBER
in your prayers

Mass Intentions

- May 21** Bob Herrmann 1st Anniversary
Phyllis Vass
4:00 p.m. St. Catherine
- May 22** Karen Lierssner Lamoreaux
8:30 a.m. St. Anne
Irene Boucher
10:30 a.m. St. Catherine



Memorial Offerings

Rose for Life
Sanctuary Lamp
Gifts of Bread & Wine



In Memory of Frank Hoenshell
By His Loving Wife Liz Hoenshell

Contemplative Prayer



Learning to Rest with God

Tuesday May 24th 7-9 pm St. Catherine's Church

Contemplative Prayer is the opening of mind and heart – our whole being – to God, the Ultimate Mystery, beyond thoughts, words, and emotions. Father Peter will guide us as we learn the method and principles of this prayer practice and have the opportunity to experience this ancient form of prayer in a quiet, reflective atmosphere.

High School Mission Trip

Priority Application Deadline June 15, 2022



We are very excited to be offering a Catholic High School Mission Trip experience for the Blessed Trinity Parish community. After a few years without a Mission Trip due to the pandemic, we are thrilled to revive this amazing experience within our local communities. This Mission Trip begins **Tuesday, July 26th from 6-9:30 PM, and continues Wednesday through Friday (July 27-29) from 7:45 AM 9:30 PM. Saturday July 30th will be our closing celebration from 12 Noon to 5 PM.** The number of youth who can attend depends on the number of chaperones and coordinators available. Priority registration is June 15th, with rolling (non-guaranteed) admissions up until July 1st so please register early. Applications to participate are online now:

www.blessedtrinitycatholic.org/missions.

Youth currently in grades 8 through 12 are invited to participate in this opportunity. We are also welcoming as Adult Chaperones former youth Mission Trip teens who attended past trips! For more information and questions please contact: sca.mission.reg@gmail.com

Let's Celebrate!

St. Anne and St. Catherine churches have been a part of the local community for a combined 175 years! *Now that's something to celebrate!* And what better day than Pentecost Sunday?

Sunday June 5, 2022
10:30am Mass - St. Anne Church
11:30am Pentecost BBQ - St. Anne Field

Thanks to our sponsors*, this event is free of charge - but we do need a headcount! Please RSVP by May 22nd by contacting the Parish Office (978-320-4220), after Masses (May 14-15 & May 21-22), on the website (www.BlessedTrinityCatholic.org) OR scan the QR code



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Blessed Trinity Parish will celebrate the 50th Jubilee of Fr. Peter's Ordination on September 18th following the 10:30 am Mass at St. Catherine Church. Please be sure to **SAVE THE DATE** and help celebrate the many years of Fr. Peter's generous service to the Church. All are invited!



Easter – A Journey of Joy!
Week of May 22-28, 2022 The theme for this week is:
“The Ascension of our Lord – 40 days after Easter”

When praying this week, please pray: That we nurture and share the gifts we have been given by the Holy Spirit.

What’s happening this week? 2 Great Events!

- * Mary is our perfect model of faith. She is our example of saying “yes” and trusting in God totally and completely. Come and join the youngsters who recently received their First Holy Communion in a **May Procession** in honor of Mary! This will be taking place at the beginning of the **10:30 am Mass at St. Catherine Church on Sunday May 22nd.**
- * Contemplative Prayer is the opening of mind and heart – our whole being – to God, the Ultimate Mystery, beyond thoughts, words and emotions. Father Peter will lead a **Workshop on Contemplative Prayer Tuesday May 24th from 7-9 pm at St. Catherine Church.** Come and learn the method and principles of this prayer practice and have the opportunity to experience this ancient method in a quiet, reflective atmosphere.



Need even more suggestions for the week ahead?

- **Adore Him!**
Spend some time with our Lord at Eucharistic Adoration (Tuesday 8:30-10am at St. Anne Church or Thursday from 3-7pm at St. Catherine’s in the Mezzanine).
- **Be Thankful!**
Consider praying AFTER meals in thanksgiving for what you just received.

www.BlessedTrinityCatholic.org/journey

OFFERTORY REPORT

<u>April 2022</u>	<u>Received</u>	<u>Budget</u>	
	\$86,503.	\$108,204	
Ukraine as of 4/21/22	\$61,668		
Holy Land Shrines	\$2,623		
Easter Clergy Fund	\$15,697		
Grand Annual	Received	Budget	
	\$201,015	\$220,000	
Offertory, Fiscal YTD	Received	Budget	Variance
	\$1,034,495	\$1,133,208	-9%



We are so grateful to all of you who have helped launch a successful 2022 Catholic Appeal campaign here at Blessed Trinity Parish. We have raised **\$85,328** so far, which means we are at **73%** of our assessment of \$116,220. If we fall short of that, the parish will be responsible for the difference. If you have not had a chance to do so, please consider making your gift to the Appeal today by picking up an envelope at the back of the church or make an on-line donation: by scanning the QR code or visit: www.bostoncatholicappeal.org.






**Ascension
OF THE LORD**

Join us for Mass
May 26, 2022
8am - St Catherine Church
7pm - St Anne Church





SAVE THE DATE

16th Annual St. Catherine's – St. Vincent de Paul Golf Tournament
Monday, Sept 26, 2022
Sky Meadow Country Club Nashua, NH



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

**“Bundle Sunday”
Clothing Collection**

The SVDP truck will be in St. Anne’s parking lot June 18th and June 19th accepting donations 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Clean, gently worn men’s, women’s, and children’s clothing and shoes are needed. At this time, we are collecting clothing and shoes only, no appliances or household items.

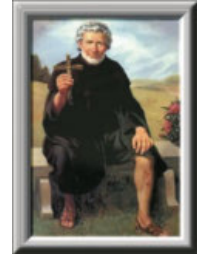
Parishioners who wish to help at the truck should contact Diane at dianewalsh19@gmail.com

Donations will assist in our ministry to provide the basics of life to people in need whether individuals or families. Your charity and compassion “Help us to help others”.

- Congratulations and Prayers for all our First Communicants – 2022**
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| Isabella Alberto | Ellie Garrido | Logan Paradis |
| Alexandra Barrett | Jaclyn Giuliano | Isabel Pereira |
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| Richard Basile | Leah Grout | Andrew Potorski |
| Lorelai Bearden | Maureen Godfrey | Ryan Powell |
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| Alyssa Biddy | Chase Hannon | Liam Ricard |
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| Arianna Card | Madison MacDonald | Jacob Toby |
| Vincenzo Ciampa | Julian Magno | Maisie Towers |
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| Celia Cronin | Elizabeth McKinley | Nadia Turzyck |
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First Communion

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 Faith Formation Office: 978-692-5435
 St. Catherine Cemetery Office: 978-320-4204
 St. Vincent de Paul Office STC: 978-320-4214
 St. Vincent de Paul Voicemail STA: 978-320-4215

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118	Clark, Kelly - Music Director 978-320-4205
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180	Donahue, Kristen - Communications, Children's Choir Director, Cantor
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141	Russell, Jackie - Housekeeper
119	Underhill, Joe - Facilities Manager

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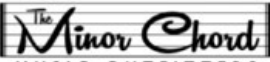
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