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DAILY MASS Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday at 12:05pm

WEEKEND MASSES Saturday Vigil 4:00pm

Sunday

9:00am (Lithuanian-English) 10:30am (English)

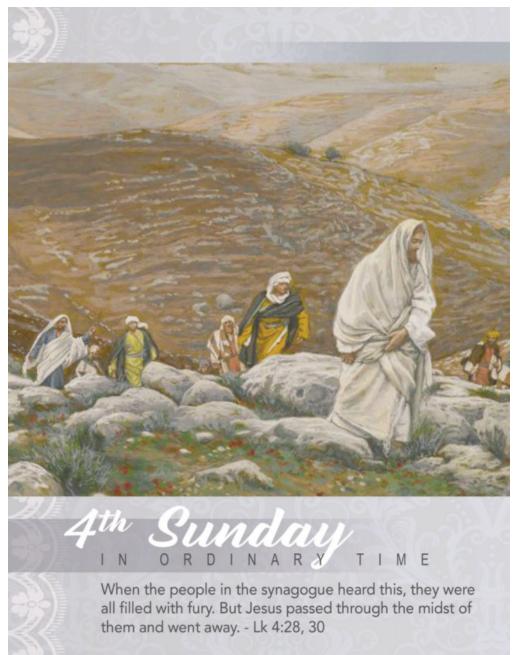
HOLY DAY MASS 12:05pm

Confessions Saturday 3:30pm

MARRIAGES Arrangements are to be made at least six months in advance.

**New Parishioners** New Parishioners are welcome and are invited to register at the Rectory.

**Rectory Office Hours** Monday — Friday 9:00am—1:00pm



Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass @2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

### HOLY TRINITY MISSION STATEMENT

We, the worshipping community of Holy Trinity Church of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Hartford, rooted in the Gospel and the celebration of the Eucharist, seek to make known God's love in the world through serving one another, sharing our faith and welcoming all.

Holy Trinity Church was founded by Lithuanian Immigrants in 1900 to serve and spread the teachings of Jesus Christ. This church continues to share Lithuanian Liturgy and Traditions related to God.



# HOLY TRINITY MISSION CHURCH

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4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time IV Eilinis Sekmadienis (251, 868c)

### Saturday, January 29, 2022

4:00pm Susan Lemkuil (for a Happy Birthday & Good Health) requested by her family

### Sunday, January 30, 2022

- 9:00am Nancy Browne (Heath & Happiness) requested by Regina Stankaitis Dr. & Mrs. Alfonsas Stankaitis and Alfonsas, Janina and Algirdas Zdanys requested by family
- 10:30am Maggie (Entered Rainbow Bridge on Jan. 11, 2022)

### Monday, January 31, 2022

12:05pm Well-being of Jindrich Polak & the living & deceased members of his family requested by Joan and Epi Carrasquillo

### Tuesday, February 1, 2022

12:05pm Well-being of Lauren McGrath & the living & deceased members of her family requested by Joan and Epi Carrasquillo

### Wednesday, February 2, 2022 NO MASS TODAY

### Thursday, February 3, 2022

12:05pm Well-being of Sabrina Adams Roberts & the living & deceased members of her family requested by Joan and Epi Carrasquillo

### Friday, February 4, 2022

12:05pm Healing of Rafael Carrasquillo requested by Joan and Epi Carrasquillo

5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time V Eilinis Sekmadienis (252, 871c)

### Saturday, February 5, 2022

4:00pm In memory of Robert and Jane Reilly requested by their children Jim & Christine

### Sunday, February 6, 2022

- 9:00am Margaret Carlson (Heath & Happiness) requested by Regina Stankaitis
- 10:30am Terry Endrelunas (Happy 95th Birthday) req. by the Stewart & Niemczyk families

# Responding to the word this week



Living Word, thank you for vocal cords. Texts and emails are fine, but thank you for the warmth of a voice. There are some voices that we no longer hear, ones that we hope to hear, and voices that we haven't always appreciated until they are silent. Help us

appreciated until they are silent. Help us to savor the voices of those who love us, those who are close by. Help us to really hear them. They are a gift to us. Thank you for the gift of voice. Help us to use it well.

### Amen!

### Readings for the week of January 30, 2022

Sunday: Jer 1:4-5, 17-19 / Ps 71:1-6, 15-17 /

1 Cor 12:31—13:13 / Lk 4:21-30

- Monday: 2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13 / Ps 3:2-7 / Mk 5:1-20
- Tuesday: 2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30—19:3 / Ps 86:1-6 / Mk 5:21-43
- Wednesday: Mal 3:1-4 / Ps 24:7-10 / Heb 2:14-18 / Lk 2:22-40
- Thursday:1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12 /



1 Chr 29:10, 11ab, 11d-12a, 12bcd / Mk 6:7-13 Friday: Sir 47:2-11 / Ps 18:31, 47, 50-51 / Mk 6:14-29

- Saturday: 1 Kgs 3:4-13 / Ps 119:9-14 / Mk 6:30-34
- Next Sunday: Is 6:1-2a, 3-8 / Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 7-8 /

1 Čor 15:1-11 / Lk 5:1-11



January 29 January 30	Susan Lemkuil Leslie Martin Jonathan Sitek
February 2	Paul Harrison
February 3	Maricar Garay
February 4	Jadvyga Katilus
,	Justin Lord
February 6	William Cassidy
	Agne Sierkeviciute



# **Financial Update**



Amounts not available due to early submission of bulletin.

2022 Weekend of **January 23**.....\$ 2022 Weekend of **January 23** *Online Giving* ....\$ 1,258

2021 Weekend of **January 24**...... \$ unavailable 2021 Weekend of **January 24** *Online Giving* ....... \$ 1,346

Thank you for your ongoing financial support via online giving and by sending in your envelopes and donations.

### Every envelope makes a difference and counts!

### **Message From Father Jacobs**

Thirty Days Hath September, also sometimes known as "The Days of the Month," is a rhyme used to remember how many days there are in a certain month. The use of "hath" instead of the

modern "has" leads us to think that the origins of this rhyme date back to the 16th century at least. Indeed, a variant of this popular rhyme first appeared in written form in 1577 when William Harrison, the priest, referred to it as "Thirty Days Hath November":

> Thirty days hath September, April, June and November; All the rest have thirty-one, Excepting February alone. Which only has but twenty-eight days clear And twenty-nine in each leap year.

Tuesday, we begin the month of February — already? It looks like things are beginning to wind down with COVID-19 and its variants. Remember, do what you feel you need to do to stay safe and healthy, but <u>don't let fear</u> <u>paralyze you</u>. Fear not. This too shall pass!

## May the only negative things in 2022 be your Covid Tests!!

### **Social Action Committee**

We are looking to compile a list of those members of Holy Trinity who would be willing to serve on a newly-formed Social Action Committee. The committee would serve to help Fr. Jacobs in the many community outreach programs that come his way. No meeting will be necessary at this time. We will just be a resource of names to contact in times of need. Many hands make light work. Please email morejoyfitness@gmail.com with your contact information if you are able and willing. Thank you, thank you for consideration of this request. ~ Joyce Mauro

We thank Lorrie Devine for initially developing and implementing Social Action outreach for many years here at Holy Trinity. Her past work makes our present work possible. Thank you Lorrie and God Bless you!

### AID a Pet update - & Where You Come In!

Nilsa is one of AID a Pet's most hard working and diligent volunteers. She

manages the Pet Pantry at the Church and

makes sure that all the pet food and



supplies are well stored. Nilsa also handles the distribution days where we serve more than 50 people and their animals.

Recently Nilsa has fallen upon hard times in her personal life. She may have to move from her current home and she is hampered in moving by her pets. Although she dearly loves them she realized that they would be better off in other caring homes. Specifically, Nilsa has two young dogs .. Tank (M) and Tinkerbell (F) who she cannot keep. They came from the same litter and are just over a year old. These two small dogs (no more than 30 lbs) are a mix of Shih Tzu and Bull Terrier which actually results in an adorable combination. Both dogs are spayed/neutered, healthy and well socialized.

Because she is not wealthy (!) and has some significant bills to pay, Nilsa is asking for \$200 for each dog. So, on her behalf, we are turning to the kind, animal loving Holy Trinity Community! If you are interested in Tank or Tinkerbell or know someone who might want to add a sweet dog to their household please contact Nilsa at 860-897-5196 or through Father Jacobs.

# **January 30, 2022**

### Kindly remember those who have requested

**our prayers:** Megan Aldridge • Bruce Alexander • Amy • Ani • Arden • Terry Basile • Mark Bishop, • Phyllis Bishop • Ryhan Colinbaugh • Maria Collins • Alena D'Antonio • Amy Dean • Steven



Dinello • Brenda Dio • Mary Ann Dubin • Daniel Ficacelli • Kathleen Fitzgerald • Andrea Flemke • Demian Fontanella • Dakoda Frank • Elizabeth and Robert Gayhart, Jr. • Maria Geraci • Rachel Gionfriddo • Joshua Gonzales • Kasey Grimaldi •

A.J. Gryk • Nancy Harlow • Viola Harlow • Alexia Harrison • Barbara Ann Herpst • Michael Hughes • John Kinnarney • Lauren Kinnarney • Wanda Klinkevich • Louise LaPenna • Warren Lewis • Richard Lombardi • Gene Markowski • Jimmy McGuinnis • John Meisterling • James Miller • Milli • Brenda Constabile Mitchell • Maria Morales • Kathy Morano • Pamala Murray • Viet Nguyen • Jamie Patterson • Marylou Patterson • Chris Pierce • Patricia Pierce • David Poland • Nany Quinones • Victoria Reinholtz • Melissa Rodgers • Olga Rodriguez • Nancy Sabia • Carol Sawka • Aileen Seon • Alexia Sonderegger • Camden Soucy • Carol Spakauskas • Charlie St. Pierre • Kristina Stankaitis-Phillips • Terri Thomas • Kathy VanGuilder • Kelly Stafford Verrengia • Barbara Ellen Vitiaz • Dennis Vitiaz • Mary Ellen Wick • Guy Wilcox • Anneliese Zadrovskis • Caroline Zarnoch • Jim Zoppi

If you are aware of any of the above having been restored to good health, please call the parish office to have **their names removed. Thank you!** 

### Annual Fuel Collection

We are once again asking that each family, if possible, help defray the cost with a donation of \$200. Fuel collection envelopes will also be available at the entrances of the church.



You are welcome to make your donation at any time during the coming months. Thank you for your ongoing financial assistance to Holy Trinity

### We are grateful!

### Saint Blaise, Bishop & Martyr Thursday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>



Saint Blaise was a physician, bishop of Sebaste (Turkey), and martyr who was born sometime in the 3rd century and died around the year 316. The earliest written reference to him doesn't appear until the 5th or 6th century, where he is reputed to have healed a boy who was choking on a fish bone. For this reason, his intercession is invoked for illnesses of the throat, and it is customary for throats to be blessed on his memorial, using crossed candles. The instruments of his martyrdom were steel combs that would

normally have been used to comb wool, and for this reason he is the patron saint of the wool trade.

### A "collective" Blessing of Throats will take place after each Mass the weekend of Feb. 5-6.

### **Important Storm Mass Cancellation News**



In the event that Hartford Public Schools are closed due to inclement weather or power outage our noonday Mass will also be cancelled. If the above occurs on a weekend, please tune into your TV on channels **CBS and NBC** for cancellation announcements.



