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OFFICE HOURS at HOLY TRINITY PARISH : Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.

OFFICE HOURS at HOLY SPIRIT PARISH: Monday & Wednesday 9:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M. Friday 10:00 A.M.-1:00 P.M.
(Closed 12:00-P.M.-1:00 P.M. for lunch)

Rev. Matthew Wetsel, Pastor
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CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

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CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Saturday Vigil - 4:00 P.M.
Sunday - 11:30 A.M.
Daily Mass - Thursday & Friday 8:30 A.M.

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CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Sunday - 8:00 A.M. & 10:00 A.M.
Daily Mass - Tuesday & Wednesday 8:30 A.M.

LINKED PARISH MISSION STATEMENT:

"Inspired by the words of Holy Scripture and committed to serving others with love, our communities are called to be a light to the world."

BAPTISM: First time parents are required to receive instructions. Call parish offices.

RECONCILIATION: 2:15 P.M. Saturday at Holy Spirit *AND* First Wednesday of the Month following devotions, alternating monthly between parishes.

MATRIMONY: Pre-Cana is expected. Call parish offices at least six months in advance.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA): Call the Parish Offices.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK & HOMEBOUND: If you are planning a surgery, ask one of our priests to celebrate the Sacrament after one of our weekend or daily Masses. Seriously ill or home bound should call the office. If you or a loved one are sick and not able to attend Mass, please make sure to call your respective parish office (the numbers are listed on the front of the bulletin) to let the office and Father Matt know so we can reach out as soon as possible.

PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL: At The Church of the Holy Spirit.

CEMETERIES: Call parish offices.

MOTHER TERESA'S CLOSET: Emergency household and personal care items available at Holy Trinity Parish.

DURABLE MEDICAL EQUIPMENT: Items are available, free of charge, at Holy Trinity Parish for those in need.

WEDNESDAY DEVOTIONS: 3:00 P.M. –3:30 P.M.

In June the Wednesday Devotions will be at Holy Trinity with the Divine Mercy Chaplet in the presence of the exposed Blessed Sacrament. Prayer to Our Lady Undoer of Knots, Prayer for Vocations, Benediction, Divine Praise and closing prayer.

WEEKDAY MASSES: 8:30 A.M.
Tuesday & Wednesday at Holy Trinity, Johnstown
Thursday & Friday at Holy Spirit, Gloversville.

FIRST SATURDAY MASS: 8:30 A.M.
Sites will alternate to coincide with the Wednesday Devotions.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP: Call the office to leave your name and phone number. Meeting times and location to be determined by the group.

PROJECT RACHEL: Call the 24/7 confidential help line at 518-312-3825 if you are hurting from an abortion. Men and women can find healing. Email rachelsvineyardalbany@yahoo.com.

As Catholics, our mission is clear—we are called upon to share our faith as disciples ourselves and disciple-makers as Jesus preached: “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, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded of you.” (Matthew 28:19-20) Since each parish and the Diocese are partners in this work, robust support of parish offertory and the Diocesan Appeal ensures the Church has the resources it needs to carry out its mission.

Pentecost Sunday

Even though Pentecost is rightly celebrated in late spring, the robust experience of a New England fall can provide a profound metaphor for reflection. A full expression of fall colors is beautiful to behold. But, with all of its majesty and beauty, the observer knows the experience of death is soon to come. Creation will be dark and barren for a while. Pentecost cannot be separated from the cross. Before God’s transformative, life-giving power can bear fruit, we must first die. Pentecost is all about leaving the lifeless dead wood behind and allowing God, through the power of the Holy Spirit, to create something new. These Pentecost creations happen repeatedly over and over again. The birthing process of the Church is ongoing. God is always bringing life out of death and creating something where there was once nothing. That is why the fall is such an apropos metaphorical season for Pentecost. In order to really receive the gift of the Holy Spirit we have to die to what we once knew and what no longer works. When fire and wind find their fullest expression, they are in no way gentle nor kind. They have the potential to level anything in their paths. We are experiencing great turmoil in our world, nation, and our Church. Whether the result of circumstance or the work of the Holy Spirit, much of what we knew to be normal and constant is changing. Common systems and institutional structures that may have worked for a time no longer do. When the old and familiar need to be left behind, God creates something new. Change and disorder do not need to be our enemies. They always bring opportunities for something exciting and new. What we need is untiring faith, firm hope, and perfect love. What we need is for the Holy Spirit to enlighten us to see what is important and what we must do. “O Holy Spirit, descend plentifully into my heart. Enlighten the dark corners of this neglected dwelling and scatter there Thy cheerful beams.” (St. Augustine) If we experience joy, even in the midst of turbulence, then we will know we are exactly where God needs us to be. If not, then perhaps there is a lesson in the decaying leaves that graciously descend to the ground on a crisp fall day.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 5, 2022

Sunday: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5/
Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30/Rom 8:22-27/Jn 7:37-39
Monday: Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14/Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 6, 6-7/Jn 19:25-34
Tuesday: 1 Kgs 17:7-16/Ps 4:2-3, 4-5, 7b-8/Mt 5:13-16
Wednesday: 1 Kgs 18:20-39/Ps 16:1b-2ab, 4, 5ab and 8, 11/
Mt 5:17-19
Thursday: 1 Kgs 18:41-46/Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13/Mt 5:20-26
Friday: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16/Ps 27:7-8a, 8b-9abc, 13-14/Mt 5:27-32
Saturday: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6/
Mt 5:33-37
Next Sunday: Prv 8:22-31/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [2a]/Rom 5:1-5/
Jn 16:12-15

June 5, 2022

The Church of the Holy Spirit
Collection information



Holy Trinity Parish
Collection information

Budgeted Expenses for the Fiscal Year 2021-2022 are \$350,447.00. The average weekly collections needed to meet our expenses (including income from other sources is \$6,739.37.) Thank you for your continued support.

FINANCES WILL BE REPORTED NEXT WEEK.

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LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR THE WEEKEND OF JUNE 12, 2022

CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

LECTOR

MINISTER

4:00 P.M. Rita Bravo

Volunteer
Volunteer

11:30 A.M. Michele Downing

Jamin Clemente
Sandy Brower

HOLY TRINITY PARISH

LECTOR

MINISTER

8:00 A.M. Amanda Nellis

Gerard McAuliffe

10:00 A.M. Renee Smith

Ronnie Quinn

CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION CAMPAIGN



Diocesan Appeal

The Diocesan Appeal year has begun and a mailing was sent in-home in October. As you contemplate your investment, please consider the role of the Catholic Church in your life and that of your family. Your support of both your parish offertory and the Diocesan Appeal are the most fundamental ways to ensure the health and vitality of our entire Catholic community of 126 parishes in 14 counties, serving you in the day-to-day and milestone

moments of your life. If you are eager to get started, you can make a gift or pledge online at www.thediocesanappeal.org or set -up bill pay through your bank for recurring gifts (easier on your budget), asking the bank to make checks payable to Diocesan Appeal, 40 N. Main Ave., Albany, NY 12203. Be sure to include your name and the name & location of our parish. Thank you!

Our Parish assessments are as follows:

Holy Spirit \$31,057.00
Total Payment/Pledge \$35,667.00
Total Collected to date \$33,457.00
Balance \$0

Holy Trinity \$47,398.00
Total Payment/Pledge \$22,720.00
Townsend Trust \$20,000.00
Total Collected to date \$40,811.00
Balance \$4,678.00

This week our special collection supports the Catholic Communication Campaign. This campaign connects people with Christ and builds Catholic communities in the United States and developing countries using the internet, television, radio, and print media. Fifty percent of the money collected remains here in the Diocese of Albany to fund local communications efforts, while the other fifty percent supports projects around the world. In our diocese your support allows our diocesan Communications Office to work with various departments, parishes, schools and organizations to promote their ministries. You have a direct hand in our efforts to spread the word about vocations, respect life, Catholic schools, youth ministry, special liturgies, and more. With your help we are able to inform and inspire, educate and evangelize. Please give generously to this special collection this week.



Welcome to Adoration of Our Lord

Everyone is invited to come and visit Jesus in the Adoration Chapel at anytime.

Perpetual Adoration Chapel at Holy Spirit.

JESUS WAITS FOR US. If you are interested in becoming an Adorer or a substitute, please call Ann: 518-725-5989 or Cindy: 518-725-3532.

Thank you for your continued support.

PENTECOST SUNDAY

CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT AND HOLY TRINITY PARISH FAITH FORMATION NEWS:

Ann Simonson, Faith Formation Coordinator
email: nosnomis3@yahoo.com



On Sunday, June 12th, both parishes will be celebrating and blessing our graduates. The graduates will be celebrated at the 10:00 am mass at Holy Trinity and the 11:30 am mass at Holy Spirit. Graduates and their families are welcome to attend whichever mass is the most convenient for them.



A Prayer for Ukraine

God of love, Our world is wrought with war and violence, as brother turns on brother, and the innocent awake to gunfire and bombs. May Your compassion and healing move hearts and bring a new day to Ukraine. Fortify your children to resist aggression and instead become instruments of peace. We ask this in the name of the One who is the Prince of Peace, Jesus Christ. Amen.



SISTERS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT JUNE MEETING

The June meeting will be our indoor picnic on Monday, June 6th at **5:00 PM** in the Parish Hall. Bring your own bagged meal in a decorated bag. A prize will be given for best decorated bag. Dessert, coffee and water will be provided. Please feel free to bring a friend. This is the last meeting until September.

*****PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF THE
*****DATE CHANGE*****

Sisters of the Holy Spirit Rummage sale:

Friday, June 10th in the parish hall 8:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M. Your donated items for the sale may be left in the hall on Monday-Wednesday, June 6th through June 8th from 8:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M. and on Thursday, June 9th until 11:00 A.M. The committee will be setting up at 11:00 A.M. on Thursday. **Men are needed on Friday, June 10th at 2:00 P.M. to help with clean up.** Anyone able to volunteer would be greatly appreciated.



Diocese of Albany -- Step Up Men's Conference

The Diocese of Albany is hosting the Step Up Men's Conference on Saturday, August 20 from 9 AM to 5 PM at the Our Lady of Martyrs Shrine in Auriesville.

The Step Up Men's Conference will give men the tools needed to grow in holiness in their everyday lives. The event will include presentations from Fr. Donald Callo-way and Fr. Roger Landry, Reconciliation, Adoration, Rosary, and 4 PM Mass. The purpose of this event is to grow in our relationship with Christ and establish a plan to bring this energy back to our families and parish families. The cost is \$50 per person and includes lunch; College age and younger men are FREE.

For more information and to register: <https://www.rcda.org/StepUp>

If you are unable to get to Mass and would like to receive Communion or if you know of anyone who would like to receive, please call the Parish office with your contact information so we can arrange for one of our Eucharistic Ministers to bring Communion to you.



HELPERS COMMUNITY STORE:

Hours are 12:00 P.M.-4:00 P.M. Monday-Saturday. **WE ARE IN NEED OF VOLUNTEERS!** If you are interested in volunteering or substituting at the store,

please call Richard Crane at (518) 725-3701. All donations should be dropped off at the store, 103 N. Main Street, Gloversville, NY. We would like to thank the current volunteers and substitutes for their dedication and commitment in serving the store's mission of following Christ's example.



MOTHER TERESA'S CLOSET:

Mother Teresa's Closet has re-opened. The monthly distribution of personal hygiene and cleaning products to families in need in Fulton County is scheduled for the second Thursday of each month. Volunteers are needed on the Tuesday of that week (9:00 am - 11:00 am) to assemble and pack supplies and for Thursday (9:00 am - 1:00 pm) for the distribution. Distribution will begin at 9:30 am and will be located in the Holy Trinity Parish Hall.

Church of the Holy Spirit & Holy Trinity Catholic Church



“I have much more to tell you, but you cannot bear it now. But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth. He will not speak on his own, but he will speak what he hears, and will declare to you the things that are coming. He will glorify me.”

— Jn 16:12-14a

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HOLY SPIRIT MASS INTENTIONS WEEK OF JUNE 5, 2022

SAT. 4:00 P.M. **RAYMOND FARHART**
REQUESTED BY BROTHER MAURICE & FAMILY
FRANK CERASIA
REQUESTED BY JOHN AND SHARON POLING
MARY PROIETTI
REQUESTED BY LOUIS & MILLIE GARGUILO
ANTHONY VERDE
REQUESTED BY STANYON FAMILY

SUN. 11:30 A.M. **JOHN MCDONOUGH**
REQUESTED BY WIFE SOFIA
CAROL CRANE
REQUESTED BY FAMILY
MARY SANGES
REQUESTED BY MATTHEW CASTIGLIONE

MON. 8:30 A.M. **NO DAILY MASS**

TUES. 8:30 A.M. **MASS AT HOLY TRINITY**

WED. 8:30 A.M. **MASS AT HOLY TRINITY**

THURS. 8:30 A.M. **FOR THE PEOPLE**

FRI. 8:30 A.M. **HARRY J. PRZYBYLO**
REQUESTED BY BARBARA RIETH

SAT. 4:00 P.M. **BRIDGET AND MARIO PAPA**
REQUESTED BY PAPA FAMILY
ANN AND ART POLING
REQUESTED BY JOHN AND SHARON POLING
MARION DESANTIS
REQUESTED BY LOUIS & MILLIE GARGUILO
BRENDAN GERAGHTY
REQUESTED BY BEBE AND CHRISTOPHER AND FAMILY

SUN. 11:30 A.M. **JOSE DOMINGUEZ (B'DAY)**
REQUESTED BY FAMILY
JAMES F. ROSSI
REQUESTED BY SON JOSEPH ROSSI
SAL COZZOLINO (1ST ANN)
REQUESTED BY KATHERINE COZZOLINO
**IN MEMORY OF THE DECEASED
FAMILY MEMBERS OF THE
D'ERRICO & COZZOLINO FAMILIES**



The Sisters of the Holy Spirit are pleased to congratulate Bridget K. Will, this year's scholarship winner! We wish her well as she journeys through another facet of her life.

HOLY TRINITY MASS INTENTIONS WEEK OF JUNE 5, 2022

SUN. 8:00 A.M. **FOR THE PEOPLE**

SUN. 10:00 A.M. **JOSEPH HANCHAR (3RD ANN)**
REQUESTED BY LOVING DAUGHTER DEBORAH
MARY PROIETTI
REQUESTED BY KEVIN AND RONNIE
GEORGIANNA CHATTERTON
REQUESTED BY HOLY TRINITY ROSARY SOC.

MON. 8:30 A.M. **NO DAILY MASS**

TUES. 8:30 A.M. **JACK ACKEY**

WED. 8:30 A.M. **GREG HALLORAN**
REQUESTED BY BOB JEAN SCHULTZ

THURS. 8:30 A.M. **MASS AT HOLY SPIRIT**

FRI. 8:30 A.M. **MASS AT HOLY SPIRIT**

SUN. 8:00 A.M. **ELIZABETH STRAUSS**
REQUESTED BY CHILDREN
GEORGIANNA CHATTERTON
REQUESTED BY HOLY TRINITY PARISH FAMILY
CORA LICCARDI
REQUESTED BY HOLY TRINITY ROSARY SOC

SUN. 10:00 A.M. **IN MEMORY OF THE
AHEARN FAMILY
MARY PROIETTI**
REQUESTED BY BOB AND JEAN SCHULTZ
PATRICIA WORMUTH LANOIS
REQUESTED BY LEE LANOIS

Please remember in your prayers all those members of our parish family who are sick or suffering. All those in hospitals & nursing homes and all of our shut ins. We pray for all those who have died recently. Remember the men and women serving in the armed forces and their families along with all first responders, & health care workers during this unprecedented time. We continue to pray for a resolution to the worldwide corona pandemic.



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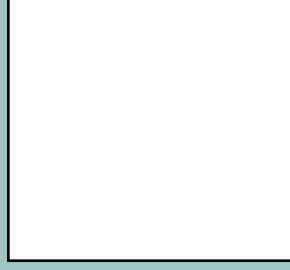
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