

Sacred Heart

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Office Hours:

Mon. - Thurs. 8:30am - 4:30pm

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Sacraments & Liturgies

Sunday Masses:

Saturday Vigil: 5:30pm

Sunday: 8:00am (Spanish), 10:30am

Holy Days of Obligation:

9:00am & 7:00pm

Daily Mass:

Tues, Wed & Fri.: 9:00am

Thurs.: 5:30pm

First Friday Mass: 12:00 p.m. at

St. John's Chapel

Confession:

Saturday: 4:30-5:15pm & by appt.

Baptism: By appointment, contact Parish Office.

Weddings: Six months notice required. Please contact the pastor to begin the preparation process.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Tuesday 9:30-10:30am & Friday

6:00-7:00pm.

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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May 30, 2021 • The Most Holy Trinity

GOSPEL MEDITATION

Let God be who God is. This is often one of the hardest things to do. Rather than allowing the mystery of being created in the image and likeness of God unfold and take root in our lives, we change the dynamic. We want to be the creators who want to make God into the image and likeness we need God to be. We have a hard-enough time letting the people in our lives be who they are. We struggle even more so with God. It is almost as if we want God to be our imaginary friend who is not only with us whenever we need but becomes the Being we need God to be. Who is it that we want God to be today? A protector, disciplinarian, champion for justice, healer, advocate for our cause, grantor of prayers, guardian of my life, or the avenger? Our prayers tell an interesting story. When you pray, what does God look like?

Recently, a young woman who was feeling invisible, overlooked, ignored, and misunderstood by her husband struggled to make her feelings known and get his attention. Finally, she screamed, "Listen to me!" Thus, birth was given to a renewed and healthier relationship. We spend so much time storming heaven with our agenda and trying to make God into a "god" of our desires that we do not hear God saying, "Listen to me!" God is desperately trying to get our attention. God is saying, I am here among you as not one but three, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Many people seldom notice God's presence because they are so caught up with other spiritual cares and concerns. And, when the "god" they fashion and create doesn't produce as they desire, they shake the dust from their feet and move on. "I tried," they exclaim, "but God didn't listen."

Healthy relationships aren't built on making someone be who we need them to be. Healthy relationships are built on encounters of persons and the development of an appreciation of someone solely for who they are. Deeper relationships can even be found with two people marveling at each other and almost experiencing a childlike joy and giddiness when they see the other coming. Do you ever have these feelings about God? Believe it or not, God does for you! There is a joyful laughter that gives rise to and connects all three members of the Holy Trinity. It is this laughter, flowing from the very depths of the Godhead that not only keeps the Trinity in joyful unity but spills over into the creation of all beings and things. It is an expression of Divine Delight! Have you ever taken time away from your agenda to experience the Divine Joyfulness of God?

We can reach a connection of Presence wherein even the smallest of creatures suddenly radiate the fullness of God: the wonderful creation of their being, the innocence and playfulness of their movements, and the sustaining life breath that flows through their veins. The same God who created the heavens and the earth is the same God who wants you to call him 'Dad' and the same God who preserves your life and has all things in His care.

Catechetical Corner

*Religious Education classes have ended for the year
Classes will resume in the fall
Have a blessed summer break*

Prayers for the Sick:

Please pray for:

Juan Franco, Jean Beesley, Don & Mary Louise Boyne, Don Perno, Ray Conners, Judy Diskin, Dianne Perno, Lindsey Roberts, Richard Contu, Evangelina Harly, Donna Esko, Jolinda Contu.

Happy Birthday to: Anne Belveal (2).

Happy Anniversary to: Vincent & Bonnie Greuel (29);
Don & Lisa Perno (30).

Did we miss your birthday or anniversary?

Please contact the office so we can update our information.

Mass Intentions: May 29th - June 4th, 2021

Saturday Claire & Jonathan Marrero/Bill & Sue Johnston
Sunday 8:00 Special Intentions
Sunday 10:30 Special Intentions
Tuesday Jaxen Kirk / Rick & Jennifer Rumsey
Wednesday Jeremy Kirk / Rick & Jennifer Rumsey
Thursday Special Intentions
Friday Our Country / Jennifer Rumsey



Readings for the week of May 30th, 2021

Sunday: Dt 4:32-34, 39-40/Ps 33/Rom 8:14-17/
Mt 28:16-20
Monday: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16/Is 12/Lk 1:39-56
Tuesday: Tb 2:9-14/Ps 112/Mk 12:13-17
Wednesday: Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a/Ps 25/Mk 12:18-27
Thursday: Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a/Ps 128/
Mk 12:28-34
Friday: Tb 11:5-17/Ps 146/Mk 12:35-37
Saturday: Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20/Tb 13/Mk 12:38-44
Next Sunday: Ex 24:3-8/Ps 116/Heb 9:11-15/
Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

<u>Saturday</u>	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Ushers</u>
May 29	- D Hancock	Volunteers
June 5th	- M Tanner	D Cavenah/M Neises
June 12th	- K Sontag	J Sontag/D Hancock
June 19th	- J Everard	D Young/D Cavenah
<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Ushers</u>
May 30	- Sue Ausmus	Volunteers
June 6th	- C Gebetsberger	K Lawson/D Wise
June 13th	- J Haskell	W Haney/R Mulvihill
June 20th	- S Beuchat	C Lawson/B James

Sacred Heart Church Collections



May 23rd, 2021 Collection

Envelope\$ 1,946.00
 Loose\$ 1,161.00
Total Weekend Collection\$ 3,107.00

Capital Improvement\$ 50.00

May 16th, 2021\$ 3,592.00

Honor the Lord with generosity Ecc.35:7



Save the Date

Totus Tuus

July 18th - 23rd, 2021

Grades: 1st - 12th



The Father is my hope. The Son is my refuge. The Holy Spirit is my protector. Glory to the holy and undivided Trinity, now and forever.

Let us praise the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit; let us bless and exalt God above all forever!

Almighty and everlasting God, to whom we owe the grace of professing the true faith, grant that while acknowledging the glory of the eternal Trinity and adoring its unity we may through Your majestic power be confirmed in this faith and defended against all adversities; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

**LIVE THE LITURGY -
INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK**

The immensity, scope, intimacy, and pervasiveness of God's presence is too intense for the human mind. We often limit God by our expectations of Him and have a hard time just letting God be God. Some people all too easily lose faith because God does not meet their expectations. Worse still, the idea of faith is rejected altogether by others because of polarities and experiences they have that don't square with who they need God to be. The Holy Trinity is one of those teachings that is best encountered rather than dissected. It is only through being present with the Trinity that we can experience both the immensity and otherness of God's presence as well as the intimacy of the God who wants us to call Him "dad." We feel the loving guidance of a God who wants to take us from fear and give us confidence. Our God of yesterday, today, and tomorrow is a God of all ages whose three-fold Presence invades all senses, seasons, and times. God, who is Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, is much more than any of our expectations if we simply let God be who God is.

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Parish Organizations

Knights of Columbus: The Sacred Heart Council meets at 7:00 pm on the 1st Tuesday of the month.

Contact Grand Knight Robert Mulvihill 918-906-7170.

Prayer Network: For prayer requests, contact Sheila Ford at (918) 695-8796 or email at skfgma14x@gmail.com or contact the office.

Women's Bible Study Group: Meets Tuesday mornings 10:30-11:45am. Contact Julie Pittman 918-519-2029.

Fatima Ladies: Every 3rd Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 11:45 a.m. Contact Sue Johnston 918-227-1431.

Grief Support Group: 2nd, 3rd & 4th Tuesdays/8 wk sessions Contact Connie Anderson by text at 319-470-2800.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SAVE THE DATE: The Feast of the Sacred Heart will be on Friday, June 11th. The Novena will begin on June 2nd and will end on the Feast of the Sacred Heart. The evening will begin with Mass at 6:00 pm followed by a cookout hosted by Parish Life and The Knights of Columbus. There is a sign up sheet in the gathering area so we will know how much food to purchase.



God of power and mercy, you destroy war and put down earthly pride. Banish violence from our midst and wipe away our tears, that we may all deserve to be called your sons and daughters. Keep in your mercy those men and women who have died in the cause of freedom and bring them safely into your kingdom of justice and peace. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

-from Catholic Household Blessings and Prayers

The office will be closed Monday, May 31st in observance of Memorial Day.

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