Holy Trinity Parish

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A Parish of the Diocese of Greensburg

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Mass Schedule:
Sunday Masses:
Saturday: 5:30 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
Weekdays:
Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m.
Please check bulletin for weekly variation.

Parish Business Office Hours:
Monday-Wednesday & Friday 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Sacrament of Penance:
Saturday: 4:00 p.m.
Anytime by Appointment.

Finance Council

Pastoral Council

Parish Meetings:

Pastoral Council:
TBD

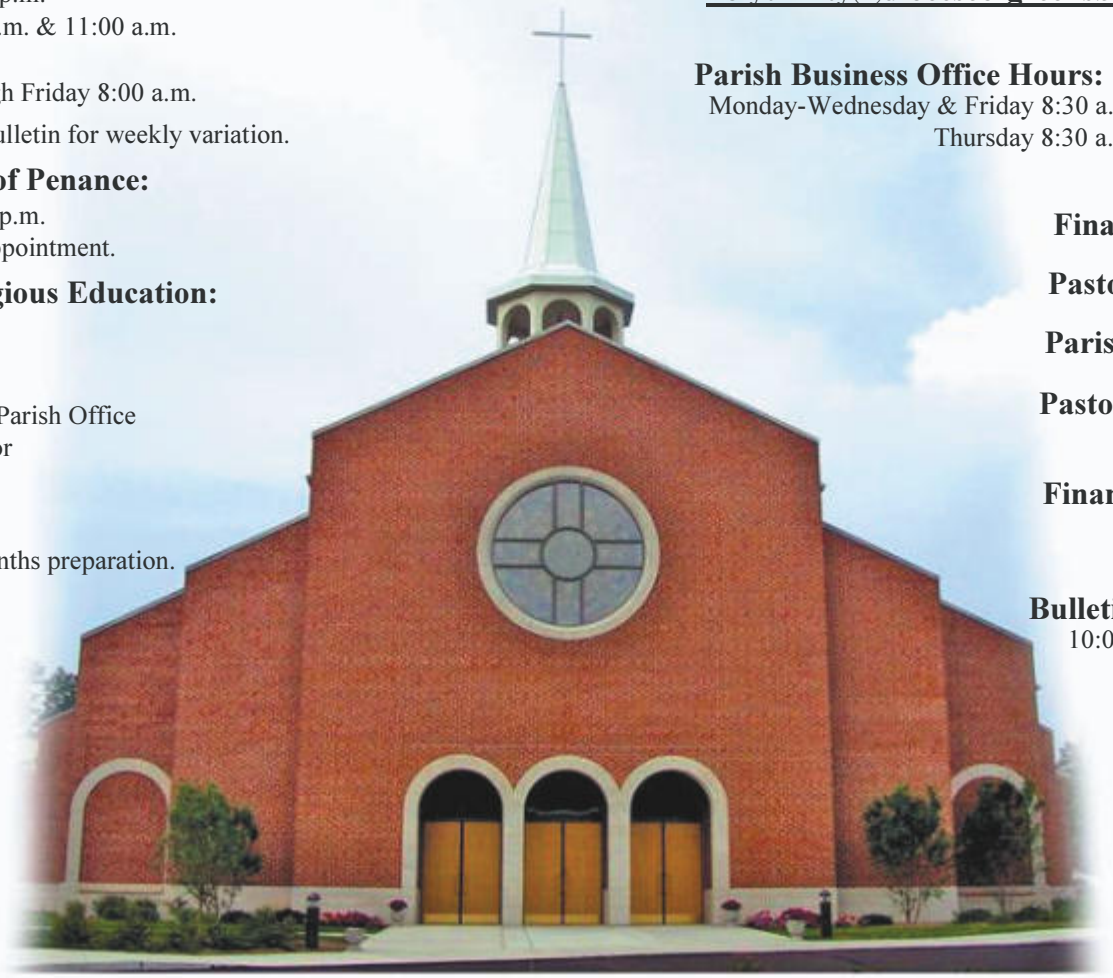
Finance Council:
TBD.

Parish Religious Education:
TBA.

Baptisms:
Please call the Parish Office
four weeks prior
724-238-6434

Marriages:
At least six months preparation.

Bulletin Deadline:
10:00 a.m. Monday



Faith. Academics. Service.

Catholic Schools

Catholic School tuition assistance now available

SPREAD THE NEWS! We are thrilled to announce the 12 Diocese of Greensburg Catholic Schools now have millions of dollars in tuition assistance available! Become a TOP Student today. Visit www.CatholicSchoolsGuide.org or call 724-552-2565. Bishop Kulick also announced:

- An anonymous donor has agreed to continue funding of the St. Pope John Paul II Tuition Opportunity Partnership (TOP Student Initiative) for an additional 5 years.
- With this donation, alongside new corporate and individual donors, nearly $20 million in tuition assistance is expected to be available to Catholic School students in the Diocese of Greensburg over the next five years.
- Capital Project Donations were gifted totaling more than $300,000 from Lindy Paving, Golden Triangle Construction and Arch Masonry at many of the school campuses.

The United States Association of
The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Would you like to help your child enjoy a deeper relationship with God? The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is a Montessori-based approach to the religious formation of children, rooted in Sacred Scripture, Liturgy, and respect for the child's rich relationship with God. To learn more about the spiritual life of the three to six-year old child, contact **Michelle (724-238-3316) or Kristin (724-238-4751). Registration information is available on the Narthex display table.**

Food Pantry Request

Holy Trinity Parish will be collecting "Boxed Meals" (Hamburger Helper, Rice and Sauce etc.) for the Ligonier Valley Food Pantry. Boxes may be placed in the grocery cart in the Narthex next to the Jesus cutout! As always we thank you for your generous giving hearts.

August Happy Birthday Parishioners!!

August 1
Marie Fazio
Daniel Golden
Patrick Heeney
Kristine Hoffer
Max Jablunovsky
Welby Jackson
Marie Kerlin
Peter Kerlin
Seth Palcic
William Snyder
Denise Stevens

August 2
Michelle Farrell

August 3
Jessica McHugh

August 4
Emalyn Di Rinaldo
Devin Morrison

August 5
Shirley Salem

August 6
Mark Ebberts
Amelia Hall
Constance Pilz
Melanie Trzeciak

August 7
Vince DeCosmo
Shepard Paul Seitz

August 8
Scott Beauchamp
Jeffrey Brown
Mark Scalise
Sharon Snyder

August 9
Carla Arnone
Angela Getto
Mary Smith

August 10
Adam Fruehauf
Kenneth Niebauer
Jillian Ritenour
Elizabeth Rogers

August 11
Margo Gamble
Roy Kerlin
Carole Sichula

August 12
Patricia Barron
Lisa Bassi
Mary Jane Bolter
Scarlett Carns
Lynn Deist
Adam Miller

August 13
Benjamin Gardner
Barbara Kravits
Lyndsey Queer
Mary Lou Rodgers
Lorraine Sapalio
Julia Smith

August 14
Lisa Boyd
Shannon Glass
Emma Hunt
Dan Robertson
Rebecca Smykal

August 15
Jamie Giesey
Kaely Verscharen
Joseph Vasinko

August 16
Olivia Di Rinaldo
Tracy Kontor
Todd Pochciol

August 17
Eugene Bolter
Sue Lawlor
Linda Rogers
Kim Turcheck

August 18
Christina Bielic
Joseph Kondisko
Rose Withrow

August 19
Ellie Camp
Jeffrey Plourde

August 20
Stephanie Fagan
Jarett Krupper
William Rummell

August 21
Donna Barr
Kathy De Mao
Colin Dunar
Patricia Roskosh
Ian Shaw

August 22
Junah Krupper
Scott Weaver

August 23
Thomas Holowaty

August 24
Evan Hodos
Mark Sorice

August 25
Jacob Bleehash
Stacie Knupp
Patti Kuhn
Manfred Sander
Anthony Spinelli

August 26
Jacob Fitz
Ashton Jasper
Zan Rich

August 27
Thomas Adair
James Breisinger
Cathy Reale
Corey Turcheck

August 28
Paisley Adams

August 29
Ronald Geary
Elizabeth Turcik

August 30
Joey Anthony
Diane Carns
Penny Gessner
Angelica Parrish

August 31
Tisalah Frei
Alexis Gonda
Mari Smith
Timothy Widich

FROM THE DESK OF FATHER ANTHONY……

Two weeks ago the Bishops of Pennsylvania announced that Catholics would once again be obliged to attend Mass on Sundays and other Holy Days of Obligation, beginning on Sunday, August 15. As you know, the Bishops issued a dispensation from this obligation in March 2020 as one of their responses to the Covid 19 pandemic. Because the pandemic has subsided, the Bishops believe that the risks of spreading the virus have also subsided. I encourage you to return to Mass as soon as it is possible. The Bishops remind us that sickness, care for the sick, and vulnerability to sickness are legitimate reasons for not attending Mass; however, we are obliged to pray on Sunday. The Bishops encourage those who cannot attend Sunday Mass to participate in televised and/or live-streamed Masses. THE PARISH COMMUNITY OF HOLY TRINITY WELCOMES BACK ALL WHO ARE RETURNING AND ALL WHO DESIRE TO WORSHIP WITH US.

Once again I invite anyone who is interested in learning more about the Catholic Church and/or in becoming Catholic to contact me at the parish office. Also, if you are a Baptized Catholic over the age of 15 and have not yet celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation and/or have not received First Holy Communion, we will be happy to talk with you and help you prepare for those Sacraments of Initiation. Please let me know.

Just a reminder to parents of children elementary school age and above – Faith Formation Sessions will begin September. We hope to have registration materials on our webpage soon. Also – something new this year! We will begin the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd in September. Children ages 3-6 are eligible to enroll. Please see more information elsewhere in the bulletin today.

The parish picnic will occur this year on Sunday, October 3. Several parishioners have expressed some interest – next week we will announce the day and time for an organizational meeting. Thanks to all who have responded – however, we certainly need more assistance – hope you'll decide to assist with this parish event.

I ask your prayers for a priest of our Diocese – Fr. John Moineau – who is the pastor of Immaculate Conception Parish, Irwin, and St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, North Huntingdon. Fr. John was recently diagnosed with pancreatic cancer. He is asking for prayers. Please keep Fr. John in your prayers.

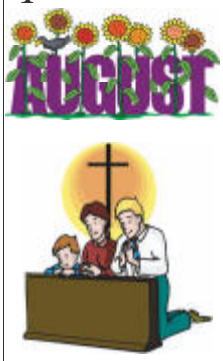
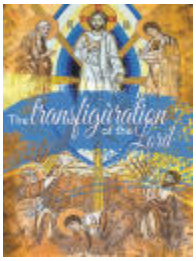
Our parish needs ushers and ministers of hospitality to assist parishioners and others who come here to worship God with us. We need persons who can offer assistance in case of an emergency, persons who can direct others to what they need, etc. Do you think you could do this? Please let me know and we can meet in order that the "job description" can be shared. This might sound rather unimportant, but persons who are willing to function in this helpful way will make our environment more inviting. To put it more simply, we need persons who will know where to find something that is needed in case of an emergency. Thanks for thinking about this.

A few weeks ago I mentioned that the roof of the Education Building was in need of repair and I quoted a cost of $80,000. That amount was given to us before the final proposal was presented to the Diocese and to the parish. The cost is actually $90,000. ☹ You may be aware that many materials for building, construction and repairs are rather scarce and have become more expensive. This fact has led to increased costs.

GOD, THE FATHER OF MERCIES, HAVE MERCY ON US!
OH MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS, HAVE MERCY ON US
GOD, THE HOLY SPIRIT, OUR CONSOLER, HAVE MERCY ON US!
ST. JOSEPH, PRAY FOR US!

Parish Activities Calendar for August, 2021

A=Atrium C=Church H=Social Hall L=Loft PL=Parish Library SL= Old School Library
PMR=Parish Meeting Room
All Times Are PM Unless Otherwise Indicated

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 	2	3 *Adoration 8:30 AM - 3:30 C*	4 *Catholic Faith Discussion Group 6:00 - 7:30 - A*	5	6 	7 *Bible Study 6:30 - 7:30 - A*
8 *2nd Collection Catholic Accent*	9	10 *Holy Hour 3:00 - 4:00 - C*	11 *"That Man Is You" 6:00 - 7:30 - A*	12 *Parish Office Closed*	13 *Parish Office Closed*	14
15 *The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary*	16 *Parish Office Closed*	17 *Holy Hour 3:00 - 4:00 - C*	18 *Catholic Faith Discussion Group 6:00 - 7:30 - A*	19	20	21 *Bible Study 6:30 - 7:30 - A*
22 *2nd Collection The Food Bank*	23	24 *Holy Hour 3:00 - 4:00 - C*	25 *"That Man Is You" 6:00 - 7:30 - A*	26	27	28 *Bible Study 6:30 - 7:30 - A*

Flowers on the altar this weekend were donated in loving memory of Wanda Golden's birthday. Requested by Stanley Golden.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Heavenly Father, your loving providence accompanies us on our life's journey. Thank you for the many gifts you have given us. We ask that you continue to call sons and daughters from our families and parishes to serve as priests, deacons and consecrated men and women in the Diocese of Greensburg. Send your Spirit upon us so that many will respond with great love to your call to service and leadership in your Church. Give to those you have chosen the faith of the apostle, the vision of the prophet, and the courage of the martyr. Through the intercession of our Diocesan patroness, Our Lady of the Assumption, help us to be faithful disciples of your Son by following the example of Mary. Make us generous in sharing ourselves and our talents for the sake of your Kingdom on earth. We ask this through Christ the Risen Lord.

Amen

Please Remember in Your Prayers

Bishop Brandt, Fr. Anthony Wozniak, Fr. Willie Lechnar, Fr. Stephen West, Dorothy Holtzman, Amy Newhouse, Karen West, Sr. Shelly Sharbaugh, OSB., Janet Franks, Adele Griffith, Martha Knupp, Jake McDermott, Kim Daffinger, Judie Shannon, D.J. Jackson, Paul Fagan, Hudson Donahue, Tom Japalucci, Eva Japalucci, Celine Steinmiller, Jim Horwat, Shawn Kiser, Michael, Yvonne, Patty Hall, Jason Ludwig, Kim Lukatch, Albert Clark, Nicole Wedge, Terry S., Bill Withrow, Sr. Stephanie, Shirley Bassi, and Fr. John Moineau.

Could you not watch one hour with Me?

Eucharistic Adoration Every First Tuesday
8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
All other Tuesdays 3:00 to 4:00 p.m.

You are invited to commit to an hour's adoration for the first Tuesday of each month by signing the schedule sheet located in the Narthex.

Mass Intentions

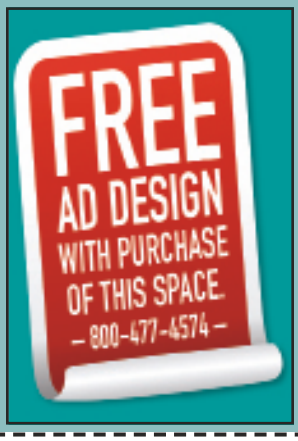
	Saturday, July 31
5:30 pm	+ Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Golden, Sr. by Golden Family
	Sunday, August 1
8:00 am	+ Earline L. Vidakovich by Husband, John, in Memory of Wedding Anniversary
11:00 am	For All Parishioners
	Monday, August 2
8:00 am	+ Millie Springer by Darlene Stahl
	Tuesday, August 3
8:00 am	+ Jean Glasstetter by Husband, Tony
	Wednesday, August 4
8:00 am	+ Regina Bridge by Donna Ludvigson
	Thursday, August 5
8:00 am	+ Dora Seamens by Rosemary Evans & Maryann Dipadova
	Friday, August 6
8:00 am	+ Elizabeth L.H. Angel
	Saturday, August 7
5:30 pm	For All Parishioners
	Sunday, August 8
8:00 am	+ Michael Kondracki Birthday Remembrance by Annie Urban
11:00 am	+ The Bizup Family by Tom Kuhns

Going on vacation? Please consider Online Giving to catch up on offertory. Go to HolyTrinityLigonier.org and click on the link for Online Giving, it's quick and easy!

Your support during summer months helps to sustain our parish.

YOUR GENEROSITY For July 24 & 25, 2021	
Adult Envelopes	$6,180.00
Loose Cash	$309.00
Total Ordinary Income for Bills	$6,489.00
Catholic Accent	$71.00
Capital Reserve	$1,046.00
Food Bank	$200.00
Community Service	$29.00
Total for Specific Purposes	$1,346.00
Peter's Pence & Holy See	$25.00
Total Diocesan Collections	$25.00
Total Deposit	$7,860.00
Online Gifts Through the Diocese	$315.00
Total Offertory	$8,175.00

Mass Attendance for July 24 & 25, 2021	
5:30 p.m.	92
8:00 a.m.	121
11:00 a.m.	124
Total	237



Holy Trinity Parish Change of Status Request

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

CHECK ONE:

❒ I wish to receive parish registration information.
❒ My Address has changed.
❒ My phone number has changed.
❒ I am moving out of the parish.
❒ Other (Please specify:_____)

Please drop Request Form into the offertory basket or mail to Rectory.

Note: Use of this form does not automatically register you with the church. You will be contacted to arrange an appointment. Thank you.