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3RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



*The Spirit of the Lord is upon me...
He has sent me to proclaim liberty to captives
and recovery of sight to the blind,
to let the oppressed go free.
- Lk 4:18*

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekends:

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM (Confessions 3:15-3:45)

Sunday:

8:30 AM (Mass also broadcast on WDOE 1410)

11:00 AM (Contemporary Choir)

Weekdays:

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 8:15 AM

Tuesday: Noon (Rosary at 11:30)

Parish Council

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No matter your present status
in the Catholic Church;
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No matter your personal history,
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No matter your own self-image
or self-esteem;
You are invited, welcomed, accepted,
loved and respected at

Holy Trinity Catholic Church

January 23, 2022

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Live the Liturgy

Human history reveals many periods where people lost a sense of God's transcendence. It may even be argued that human beings have been wandering and lost more than they have been at home and focused. Human nature being what it is, we struggle with who God really is — the God of our salvation history or the "gods" of human constructs. Relying on our own designs and pursuits, we forget that we really are meant to listen to One upon whom the Spirit of the Lord rests, Jesus Christ, and not to ourselves. That same history that reveals our fickleness and infidelity also reveals God's constancy and faithfulness. God always finds us.

As people wander and fumble to find their way, God is there bringing them back to holiness and giving them the assurance of His presence. We have to allow God's Word, God's life, to touch us and change us. It can make us more flexible and attentive to the sacred in all facets of life so that every day is one that is holy. Every day is a time when fulfillment is possible for one's soul. Jesus stood before those gathered in the synagogue as the fulfillment of words of promise that were echoed long ago. God doesn't forget. He always comes for us.

Now it is time to remember to go to God. Sometimes our lives are so confused and tangled that it is difficult to see the Word and hand of God. But when we realize, deep within, the depth of friendship God offers to us it really has the power to turn sadness to joy. The promise is fulfilled. Going frequently to God's Word, allowing ourselves to be enriched and rejuvenated, and pondering the certainly of God's fidelity and promise permanently transforms us. We will be more aware of the sacred and the holy and less invested in things that pull us away.

What is a Sanctuary Remembrance?

A **Sanctuary Lamp** burns in our church by the Tabernacle every day, 24 hours a day, to remind us of the sacramental presence of Jesus Christ in the Blessed Sacrament .

At Holy Trinity, as in most Catholic churches, parishioners may request the Sanctuary Lamp burn for one week in memory or in honor of a loved one. We call this the

Sanctuary Remembrance. The person (or people) who the intention is for is prayed for by name during the prayer of the faithful at **all three weekend Masses.** This is a good way to remember in prayer someone who has recently passed, or deceased (or living!) parents or relatives on their wedding anniversary, birthday, or other important date. Intentions are published in the weekly bulletin.

The suggested donation is **\$25.00 for the week.** A beautiful letter is customized upon request for you to present to the family of the loved one, in much the same way a Mass Card might be presented.

Please contact the Parish Office to schedule.



Celebrating The Year of Saint Joseph

Joseph and the Family

What does your family tree look like?

No, not your biological family tree, but perhaps your *spiritual* family tree. Did you ever wonder where you come from spiritually? Or consider who first shared the gift of faith with you? How did they come to know our faith? Where were you baptized and when? Perhaps, like many families, your Catholic roots are wide and deep, spanning centuries and continents. Or, maybe you're the one planting "spiritual saplings." Regardless, if you are a believer, you are in a long line dating all the way back to Abraham. But even more important for each of us to consider is what our spiritual family tree may look like going forward. Are there areas of

personal growth that might be budding off of your branch or areas that might need some pruning or "fertilization" for strength and growth? Each year, we have the opportunity to reflect on the genealogy of Jesus traced through Joseph at the Christmas Vigil Mass. So, what does your spiritual family tree look like? Are you willing to include the good, the bad, and the in-between? At your next family gathering or event share this idea and allow the Spirit to nourish what you know about where you come from, and perhaps, where you want to go! Start with your baptism and go from there! Dates, locations, family Bibles and stories, even videos and photos can tell our spiritual story.



January 23, 2022



Mass Schedule & Intentions



SAT. Jan 22 4:00pm	3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time (Vigil) Helen Barone by Phil & Linda Kleeberger
SUN. Jan 23 8:30am	3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Werner Stang by Giacchino, Rusch, Tynan, & Zajas Cousins
11:00am	Joseph Griffo by Ronald & Joann Joy
MON. Jan 24 8:15am	St. Francis deSales, Bishop & Doctor of the Church Ralph Dalrymple by Mother
TUES. Jan 25 Noon	Conversion of St. Paul, Apostle Louie Godina by Daughter Carol
WED. Jan 26 8:15am	Saints Timothy & Titus, Bishops Stanley Saeli, Jr. by Roseanne, Laurie, Stan & Sam
THUR. Jan. 27 8:15am	Weekday Patrick Glowski by Walking Friends
FRI. Jan 28 8:15am	St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest, Religious, & Doctor of the Church Virginia Gullo by Joe & Kathy Carrus
SAT. Jan 29 4:00pm	4th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Vigil) Romaine Crawford & Judi Geiben by John Crawford
SUN. Jan 30 8:30am	4th Sunday in Ordinary Time Iggie Parisi by Darryl & Lisa VerHague
11:00am	Tom Brown by Warren Family

Statement of Financial Contributions for Taxes

All parishioners registered at Holy Trinity will be receiving a letter in the mail before the end of January along with a summary of your 2021 financial contributions for tax purposes.

Holy Trinity Cemetery

Have you made plans for your final resting place? Do you know where your paperwork is? Does your family? This simple preparation can help those left behind, providing peace in a difficult time.

Burial options at Holy Trinity Cemetery include in-ground, Mausoleum, and Columbarium.

Contemplating cremation?

Holy Trinity's Columbarium has niches available for purchase. Please stop by the parish office for more information on pricing for any of the above options.

The Sanctuary Remembrance

for the week of January 23, 2022
is in remembrance of

George Catalano

by Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Pucciarelli

The schedule of Mass intentions is subject to change.



Many of you have been asking about a retirement party for Fr. Dan.

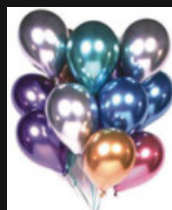
We are in the process of planning a

combination Retirement and 80th birthday party for him. The event will take place this summer and be held outdoors on our campus.

We will keep our parish family updated as more information is available. There will be many opportunities to help to make this a wonderful celebration.

Celebrating

**RETIREMENT
and
80th BIRTHDAY**

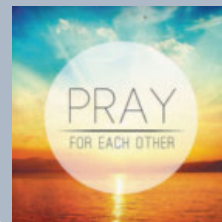


Strength and peace come when we pray for one another.

If you would like **prayers for a special intention** this week,

please call Bobbie Hollander at 716-366-2332 from 5-6pm.

She will notify the prayer group.



January 11, 2022

Envelopes from 1/5/22 through 1/11/22

Envelopes:.....	\$6493.00
Loose	\$396.00
Monthly Upkeep.....	\$175.00
Fuel.....	\$100.00
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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.