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# HOLY TRINITY

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The State University of New York at Fredonia

“And now these three remain: faith, hope and love. But the greatest of these is love.”

4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## 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)

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*Holy Trinity Catholic Church*

## Live the Liturgy

January 30, 2022

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

### What does it mean that the greatest of these is love?

First Corinthians 13:13 says, “And now these three remain: faith, hope and love. But the greatest of these is love.” This comes just after Paul’s eloquent and famous description of what true love—*agape* love—is.

Love is greater than faith and hope in that both faith and hope depend on love for their existence. Without love, there can be no true faith; a loveless faith is nothing but an empty religious exercise. As Paul says, “If I have a faith that can move mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing” (1 Corinthians 13:2). Without love, there can be no genuine hope; a loveless hope is an oxymoron, because we can’t truly hope for something that we do not love. Faith and hope are dead, sterile things if not accompanied by love.

Jesus taught that the greatest two commandments both include love, the greatest gift: “‘Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.’ This is the first and greatest commandment. And the second is like it: ‘Love your neighbor as yourself.’”

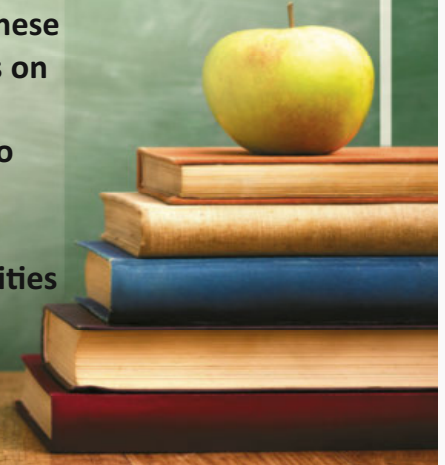
Jesus says, “A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another.” Love always requires an “other” as an object; love cannot remain within itself, and that is part of what makes love the greatest gift.

Love is core to God’s character and central to the Christian life. “Love never fails” (1 Corinthians 13:8), and it will never cease. Because of this, love is greater than even hope and faith.

## CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

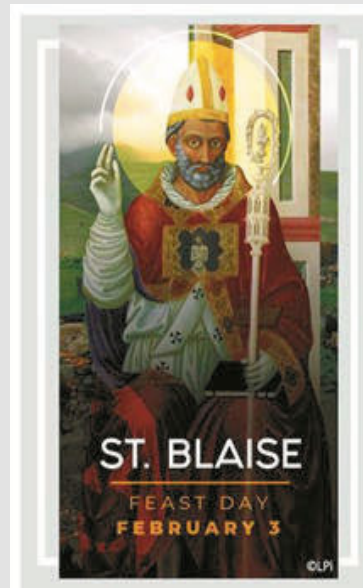
January 30—February 5

Since 1974, National Catholic Schools Week is the annual celebration of Catholic education in the United States. The theme for 2022 is “**Catholic Schools: Faith. Excellence. Service.**” Schools typically observe the annual celebration week with Masses and other activities for students, families, parishioners and community members. Through these events, schools focus on the value Catholic education provides to young people and its contributions to our church, our communities and our nation.



### Blessing of Throats on the Feast of St. Blaise

February 3rd & weekend  
Masses February 5th & 6th



On his feast day the Church recalls a miracle cure associated with this bishop, physician, and martyr from the 8th century. Blaise apparently saved the life of a boy who was choking on a fish bone.

The saint said that anyone who lit a candle in his memory would be free of infection, thus candles are used in the traditional throat blessing.

The candles are crossed against the throat, and the following prayer is said:

*Through the intercession of Saint Blaise, bishop and martyr, may God deliver you from ailments of the throat and from every other evil. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.*



# Mass Schedule & Intentions



<b>SAT. Jan 29</b> 4:00pm	<b>4th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Vigil)</b> Romaine Crawford & Judi Geiben by John Crawford
<b>SUN. Jan 30</b> 8:30am 11:00am	<b>4th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Iggy Parisi by Darryl & Lisa VerHague Tom Brown by Warren Family
<b>MON. Jan 31</b> 8:15am	<b>St. John Bosco, Priest &amp; Religious Founder</b> Daniel Tracy, Jr. by Robin Brown & Jane Dickerson
<b>TUES. Feb 1</b> Noon	<b>Weekday</b> David Schrantz by Joe & Kathy Carrus
<b>WED. Feb 2</b> 8:15am	<b>Presentation of the Lord</b> Linda Bradley by Phil & Annette Julian
<b>THUR. Feb 3</b> 8:15am	<b>Weekday</b> Sam Crea by Crea Family
<b>FRI. Feb 4</b> 8:15am	<b>Weekday</b> Chester & Rosemary Gliwa by Ken & Mary Gliwa & Family
<b>SAT. Feb 5</b> 4:00pm	<b>5th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Vigil)</b> Bill Carlson by O'Donnell & Kranick Family
<b>SUN. Feb 6</b> 8:30am 11:00am	<b>5th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Peter Cox by Ringler Family Gary Pfeiffer by Ronald & Joann Joy

## The Sanctuary Remembrance

for the week of January 30, 2022  
is in remembrance of

*Romaine, Judi, Delphine,  
& Francis Renwick*  
by The Crawford Family

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

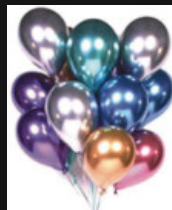
combination Retirement and 80th birthday party for him. The event will take place this summer and be held outdoors on our campus.

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**



## Statement of Financial Contributions for Taxes

Any statements not distributed at last weekend's Masses **have been mailed**. If you have not received your statement by February 7, please contact Patty Donovan in the Parish Office.

A limited number of **Little Black Books for Lent 2022: Six-minute meditations on the Parables of Jesus** are now available in the church for a nominal donation of \$2 each.

Don't miss these insightful gems which will enhance your Lenten experience! **Meditations begin February 27, 2022 and end Easter Sunday, April 17, 2022.** Each **Little Book** has been carefully crafted to

help you explore the depths of Scripture and deepen your relationship with Christ.



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 19, 2022

Envelopes from 1/12/22 through 1/19/22

Envelopes.....	\$6,887.00
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 New registration information.  
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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.