

# Holy Trinity Church

*Staffed by the Missionaries of La Salette*

**Sixth Sunday  
Of Easter**

## PARISH OFFICE

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**OFFICE HOURS:** (Please call for an appointment outside these hours)  
**Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday:** 9:00 am to 4:00 pm  
**Wednesday:** 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

**HOLY TRINITY PARISH CENTER** 413-568-4352

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**Finance Council Chairperson:** Wade Brunelle

**Parish Council Chairperson:** Lucyna Lewinski

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## MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Thursday: 12:10 pm

Friday: 12:10 pm Communion Service

Saturday: 4:00 pm Vigil

Sunday: 7:00 am, 8:30 am (Polish), 10:30 am

Holy Days of Obligation: Eve of Holy Day: 7:00 pm,  
Holy Day: 12:10, 7:00 pm

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 3:00 to 3:45 pm, 15 minutes before  
weekday Masses during Lent, or by appointment

## SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING

A person does not need to wait until the point of death to receive this sacrament. Please call the office if a parishioner is seriously ill, in the hospital or planning surgery.

## SACRAMENTS OF BAPTISM and MARRIAGE

Those who desire the Sacraments of Baptism or Marriage must be registered and practicing members of the Parish for at least three months.

**BAPTISMS:** Please call the Parish Office to schedule an appointment prior to making any arrangements. The Sponsors (i.e. Godparents) must also be practicing Catholics.

**WEDDINGS:** Please call the Parish Office one year in advance. Consult the Parish Priest before setting a date.

## HOLY TRINITY MISSION STATEMENT

Holy Trinity Parish is a Roman Catholic La Salette Community proud of our Polish heritage, and committed to witnessing the Gospel message of Jesus Christ through liturgy, education, and celebrating the sacraments, especially the Eucharist. Our parish community is a FAMILY, seeking to develop a cooperative spirit of supporting each other in facing the joys and sorrows of everyday life. By serving others in this way, we can bring about love, forgiveness and compassion representing the heart and hands of Jesus Christ through the message of mercy revealed to us by Our Lady of La Salette in 1846. We invite you to join us!!!



**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

**MONDAY- May 7**

**12:10 pm:** Thomas & Veronica Taudel  
R/B granddaughter

**TUESDAY - May 8**

**12:10 pm:** Zofia & Stanislaw Goralczyk  
R/B Irene Urban

**WEDNESDAY - May 9**

**12:10 pm:** Jan Urban  
R/B Brancewicz family  
**7:00 pm:** Vigil Mass: for all parishioners

**THURSDAY - May 10 Holy Day of Obligation**

**The Ascension of the Lord**



**12:10 pm:** Jan Sobolewski  
R/B sister Krystyna Smigiel  
**7:00 pm:** departed members of the  
Flynn & Schaller families  
R/B Annette

**FRIDAY - May 11**

**12:10 pm:** Communion Service

**SATURDAY- May 12**

**4:00 pm:** Helen Romanski (100 birthday celebration)  
R/B Bob & Kathy  
Katherine Bannish (birthday remembrance)  
R/B Ann Bannish & family

**SUNDAY - May 13**

**MOTHER'S DAY**



**7:00 a.m. 8:30 a.m. (Polish) 10:30 a.m.**

*Sunday Masses are for the intention of all mothers of the parish and those listed on remembrance envelopes.*

**MEMORIAL CANDLE for the WEEK of 5/6**

Mary Larese  
R/B Marilyn McNeil

**Merciful Father**

PLEASE WATCH OVER the souls of our dear departed as they journey to be with you . Please COMFORT the grieving and offer reassurance to the bereaved and help us to remain STEADFAST in our faith so that we may be reunited with our loved ones in HEAVEN when our time

**May 6, 2018**  
**Sixth Sunday of Easter**



“ I will ask Father,  
And he will give you... the Spirit of Truth”

John 14:16-17



**The month of May is dedicated to The Blessed Virgin Mary**

**Most Holy Virgin,**  
who has deigned to come to Fatima to reveal to the three little shepherds the treasures of graces hidden in the recitation of the Rosary, inspire our hearts with a sincere love of this devotion, so that by meditating on the mysteries of our redemption that are recalled in it, we may gather the fruits and obtain the conversion of sinners, the conversion of Russia, and this favor that I so earnestly seek....  
(Mention the purpose of your prayer.)  
...which I ask of you in this novena, for the greater glory of God, for your own honor, and for the good of all people. ~Amen

**TODAY'S READINGS:**

**First Reading --** The gift of the Holy Spirit was poured out on the Gentiles.

**Psalms --** The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power (Psalm 98).

**Second Reading --** Let us love one another, because love is of God (1 John 4:7-10).

**Gospel --** This is my commandment: love one another as I love you (John 15:9-17).

**SUNDAY May 12 & 13**

**Saturday 4:00 pm Reader:** Robert Nomakeo  
**Ministers of the Body and Blood of Christ:**,  
Frank Dawicki, Mary Corliss, Mark Galica

**Sunday 7:00 am Reader:** Peter Danek  
**Ministers of the Body and Blood of Christ:**  
Joellyn Douthwright, Maria Misterka, Jane Wood

**8:30 am Reader:** Stanislaw Urbanek  
**Minister of the Body and Blood of Christ:**  
Stanislaw Pluciennik

**10:30 am Reader:** Nicholas Rossi  
**Ministers of the Body and Blood of Christ:**  
Diane Bedor, Dan Tenero, Brenda Gawron

## SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

*Please pray for those intentions expressed in the Book of Intentions located in the back of the church, Also:*



Dorothy, Elaine, Barbara Rosiensi, Bill, Matthew DeMars & family, Theresa, Donna Capell, Liam Bisson Ingersoll, Larry, Carol Jeneral, Laura & Edward Danek, Lillian & Natalie Danek, Marie Anne, Marlene Bannish, Michael, Paul M., Kaylee Paulson, Bernie B., Steven Hezik, Maureen W., Kevin S., Joan & Tom K., Eli, Emil Onik, Kazimierz, Therese Vecchiarelli, Warren, Monika Laz, and Neva, all in hospitals, nursing homes, or home-bound, those with mental illness or addictions, the unemployed, homeless, our youth, our political leaders, all in the military, those who have fallen away from the faith, the souls in purgatory and for the safety of all.

### PRAYER FOR PRIESTS

*Our Lady of Good Success, pray that your Son will grant a haven of peace in His Sacred Heart to all priests, especially those newly ordained.*

May 7 Rev. John Sullivan, 8 Rev. Victor Incardona, MIC, 9 Rev. Francis M. Kennedy, 10 Rev. Msgr. David Joyce, 11 Rev. Daniel Malone, MIC, 12 Rev. John Lis (Healing), 13 Rev. Dan Cambra, MIC.

*Also extend these prayers to the deacons of our diocese.*

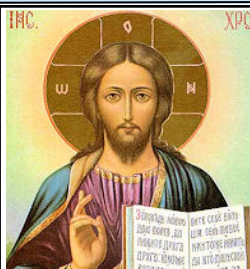
**RESPECT LIFE ~ 5/6 ~** From today's 1st Reading, 1st Acts of the Apostles 10: **"While Peter was still speaking these things, the Holy Spirit fell upon all who were listening to the word."**

You are not in a vacuum when you are defending life with your words and actions.

### April 21 & 22, 2018

Weekly:	153 envelopes	\$2,860.00
Loose:		\$341.00
<b>Total Offertory:</b>		<b>\$3,204.00</b>
Improvement Fund:	10 envelopes	\$135.00
Fuel Fund:	13 envelopes	\$205.00
Boiler Fund:	80 envelopes	\$739.00
Boiler Loose:		\$168.75
<b>Boiler Total:</b>		<b>\$907.75</b>
Mothers Day:	31 envelopes	\$370.00
Catholic Home Mission:	28 envelopes	\$289.00

**Thank You to those who continue to financially support our parish. *God bless your generosity!***



Grant, almighty God, that we may celebrate with heartfelt devotion these days of joy, which we keep in honor of the risen Lord, and that what we relive in remembrance we may always hold to in what we do. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.



### Receiving the Body and Blood of Christ

for the first time this Sunday, May 6 are:

*Henri Alan Anderson    Michaela Avery Masciadrelli*  
*Riley May Grant        Constantine Joseph Zelazko*  
*Chloe Elizabeth Fisher*  
*Stanley Alexander Meacham*

*~As you celebrate your First Communion today, remember that Jesus' love will always be there to comfort you, guide you, and bless you. May you remember to thank God often for the gift of your life.*

Let us keep these children and their families in our prayers at this very special time in their lives.



### ~COME, HOLY SPIRIT~

*Come as the wind to stir my heart, Come as the rain to refresh my soul,  
 Come as the fire to light my being; Give me your wisdom, your strength and your courage.  
 Amen.*

### Please pray for those being Confirmed At St. Mary's

*Daniel Antonellis                      Frank Florek*  
*Scott Evangelos Bussell              Zachary Hall*

**The gifts of the Holy Spirit are:** wisdom, understanding, counsel, knowledge, fortitude, piety, and fear of the Lord.

**The fruits of the Holy Spirit are:** love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, generosity, gentleness, faithfulness, modesty, self-control and chastity.

**DANCE PERFORMANCE AT HOLY TRINITY**

Holy Trinity Church will be hosting a dance performance by the "**Small Planet Dancers**" on **Saturday, May 19 at 6:30pm in the parish hall.** The performance **Remembering the War to End All Wars, is a Tribute to the Heroes of WWI.** The 90-minute program commemorates the history of the war through dance, readings and song. Veterans are the guests of honor and will be recognized for their faithful service to our country. The family friendly performance is FREE and open to the public. For more info. contact: Jo Sarnelli (413)746-9067. or SmalPlanetDancers.com.



**GOLF FOR THE SAINTS**

**Saturday, June 9 Cut-Off June 1**  
Tekoa Country Club, Westfield.

**ONLY \$100.00 Per Golfer**

See bulletin board for details



Come Join us for the **FEAST OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS.** Friday, June 8. Mass is at 7pm & Eucharistic Adoration will go until 10pm. Confessions will be after the Exposition.

••Memorial Day Mass••

On Memorial Day, Monday, May 28th. Mass will be celebrated at Saint Mary Cemetery at 8:00 AM rain or shine. The Celebrant for this Mass will be Father Frank Lawlor, Pastor of Saint Mary Parish. All are most welcome to attend. There will be a limited number of chairs available so please bring a lawn chair if you need to be seated.

SPECIAL PROGRAMING  
**CATHOLIC COMMUNICATIONS**



Catholic Communications has announced programming changes for the June 10th Chalice of Salvation that will air at a special time of 6 a.m. on WWLP, 22News. Please be sure to make a note of this special time and let your homebound friends know as well. Full versions of the Chalice of Salvation can be viewed at [www.iobserve.org](http://www.iobserve.org) starting the Monday after broadcast.

**ST MARY'S HIGH SCHOOL  
WELCOMING NEW STUDENTS!**

Do you know a student who is looking for a smaller school with superior academics and competitive athletics? Would they thrive in classes based on individual attention? Are they interested in theatre, creative arts, community service or other clubs and activities? **Saint Mary's High School has been supplying top quality education centered around family values and integrity for over 100 years.** We offer shadowing opportunities for interested students and tours upon request. Come see for yourself why everyone is recommending STM high school – watch for our OPEN HOUSE coming soon! We are the small school delivering big results!

**2018 Annual Catholic Appeal**



**"In giving, we receive"** is an opportunity to thank God for the blessings in our lives and share your blessings with thousands of brothers and sisters in need.

And, it is simple to give....send in your one-time contribution, or make a pledge using the donation card you receive in the mail, or donate online through [iobserve.org](http://iobserve.org) and click on the icon entitled, **"In giving, we receive."** Donation envelopes are available at the church doors. All donations are tax deductible to the extent that the law allows. Your prayerful contribution combines with those of other faith-filled Catholics in western Massachusetts.

**HOSPITAL LIST:** If you have a family member who is a patient at Baystate Noble Hospital, Baystate Medical Center or Mercy Medical Center and has not seen a priest or a Eucharistic Minister, please call the Rectory. With the new privacy laws the Hospitals will not give out patients' names, so please call us and let us know when family members are there so someone can visit.

**CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION CAMPAIGN**



Next week, you will have the opportunity to donate to the Catholic Communication Campaign. This campaign connects people with Christ, here and around the world in developing countries, through the internet, television, radio, and print media. And fifty percent of the funds remain in our diocese to fund local communications efforts. Your support helps spread the gospel message! To learn more, visit [www.usccb.org/cc](http://www.usccb.org/cc). *Donation envelopes at doors.*

**200 CLUB WINNERS:**

1st	\$200	# 113	Robert Puza
2nd	\$100	# 8	Anne Czelusniak
3rd	\$75	# 356	Anna Urban
4th	\$75	# 30	Helen Romanski
5th	\$75	# 135	Mary Ann Babinski

**CONGRATULATIONS:** The Next drawing will take place May 27, Please have all money in by May 21 The cost is \$5 a month or \$40 for the rest of the year. Make checks to "Holy Trinity 200 Club".

**HOLY TRINITY TAG & RUMMAGE SALE**

Our Tag & Rummage Sale will be held on Friday, June 22 and Saturday, June 23 at the Parish Center Hall.

**Donations are now being accepted and are greatly appreciated.** Needed are all types of clothing for all ages; shoes, accessories such as handbags, hats, gloves, scarves, jewelry, (jeweler boxes are needed) and belts. Also, toys, books, DVDs, CDs and vinyl; household & kitchen items and small kitchen appliances; knickknacks, bedding, linens & curtains; fishing and sports equipment and tools. No large furniture or large appliances can be accepted. Please call the office at 568-1506 or stop by during office hours to have the garage door opened for you to drop off items.

**STANLEY JEMIOLO SCHOLARSHIPS**

These three \$300 scholarships are given out each year in loving memory of Stanley Jemiolo, who worked so hard to provide this benefit. Seniors who will be attending college in the fall are encouraged to apply.

There are four requirements:

1. Student must be a practicing parishioner of Holy Trinity Parish. \*
2. Written proof of college acceptance
3. Official transcript of grades (Original only, no copies)
4. An essay on "Why I Wish to Further My Education & What my Ambitions Are".

**Mail the above 3 documents by May 16, 2018 to:**

**Holy Trinity Scholarship Committee**  
335 Elm St., Westfield MA 01085

\* A practicing parishioner attends Mass on a regular basis.



**ROSARY SOCIETY  
CORONATION OF  
BLESSED MOTHER  
on MAY 13**

The Rosary Society will crown the statue of Our Lady of La Salette in Church on Mother's Day, Sunday May 13, during the 10:30 a.m. Mass. Please plan to attend and honor Our Blessed Mother Mary. All First Communion children are welcome to participate.

**Holy Trinity 3on3 Basketball Tournament was held on Friday night and was a big hit! The "round robin" style format was co-ed and featured two age groups 8-10 & 14-16. Participants and spectators enjoyed the good competition food and refreshments. All participants received a t-shirt. The winning team players received a basketball and cash. After all expenses were paid the church made a \$570 profit. Thank you so much to the volunteers that truly made the event fun and successful!**



**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER/  
READER TRAINING SESSIONS:**  
Training sessions are going to be held in May for Eucharistic ministers and readers. If you are interested & would like more information please see Father René.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

We wish the following members of our parish a very Blessed & Happy Birthday! **Sto Lat!**



**Birthdays For 5/7 to 5/13 ARE:**

Daniel Armstrong, Dominika Blair, Michael Carmel, Johnathan Downs, Hannah Florek, Robert Gajda, Paul Gallagher, Matthew Gawron, Marcel Guzik, Pawel Jedziniak, Aneta Kisala, Kathy-Jean Monczka, Joseph Niedzielski, Monika Nowak, Stanislaw Pisklak, Giada Rossi, Thomas Setian, Kristine Whitehouse, Mildred Young, Hailey Zanolli, Zachary Zelazko.

