

Holy Trinity Parish

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Parish Council (Trustees, Board, PCCW Officers):
Alan Tejral (Trustee), Leon Jakub (Trustee), Josh Pelan, Wayne Pernicek, Kevin Behne, Lyle Jakub, Julie Novacek, Andrea Svoboda, Deb Pleskac, Ashley Miller.

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Prayer Circle Leaders:

M.L. Meister: 545-2731, Joyce Rezac: 545-3374,
Darlene Kucera: 545-3289

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Confessions: 30 min. before weekend Masses

The Holy Rosary: 20 min. before each Mass

Perpetual Help Devotions: after Mass each Tuesday

Divine Mercy Chaplet: after Mass each Friday

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Weekday Masses

Aug. 26-30 **NO MASSES**

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Aug. 31 Sat. 6:30 PM Marion & Betty Lou Kobza
Sept. 1 Sun. 9:00 AM For the Parishioners

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Adults	08/18/2024	\$ 498.00
Children		\$ 5.00
Online Giving		\$ 300.00
Loose Plate		\$ 242.00
Votive Candles		\$ 71.50
Mission Cooperative		\$ 190.00
Assumption		\$ 226.00

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Holy Trinity Quilters will meet on September 9, at 1:00 p.m. at the Klein Center. There will be no quilting on August 26, as was previously scheduled.

August 25, 2024

The Knights of Columbus Poker Run is Sunday August 25. All vehicles are welcome. Proceeds will support the Guardian Angel Tuition Assistance fund at Aquinas High School. Registration from 9:30-12:00. Entry fee is \$25, which includes the meal.

Thank you to all who worked to make our parish dinner a success. Thank you in a special way to our Head Chairs: John & Katie, Kurt & Shelley, Josh & Elizabeth and Dwayne & Kathy who have been working on this for the past few months. Thank you to Clayton & Dorean Kastl for the use of their building, and equipment, as well as leading the crew in preparing the chicken. Thank you to all who labored behind the scenes preparing the food. Thanks also to those who worked longer than their assigned shifts and helped with things that were not their assigned responsibility. It is always edifying to see everyone come together and work for the good of our parish. We received many compliments from our guests.

THANK YOU!!! To everyone who helped with our Parish Dinner last weekend. Your hard work made the day run smoothly, and made it very enjoyable for our guests! -Head Chairmen

Parish Dinner Chairmen: Please complete your final reports, and place your binders in the blue tote in the back of church by September 15. Your quick attention to this is very much appreciated. -Head Chairmen

Kindergarten CCD: Parents of children who will be in Kindergarten CCD are asked to please contact the rectory so we can order enough textbooks.

CCD Classes will begin on September 8 at 10:00 AM. A calendar will be handed out to each student on the first day of classes and will also be available on the parish website soon

Please Pray for our religious sisters: Sr. Maravillas of Jesus from Lake Elmo, MN who is a Junior Professed Novice with the Sisters of the Carmel of Jesus, Mary and Joseph.

Sunday Funday: St. Wenceslaus parish in Bee will host their Sunday Funday on Sunday, August 25 from 11:00-3:00. Serving Pork Sandwiches, Hot Dogs, Baked Beans, Salad, Dessert & Drink for a free will offering. Live music, raffle and live auction.

Roast Beef Dinner: Enjoy a fun filled day with the Plasi Parishioners on Sunday August 25th from 11:00-2:00! Make the trip to the Prague Parish Hall for a FULL self-serve roast beef dinner with loads of sides, including Kolaches! Try your hand at our bake/gift walk and \$1,000 Raffle. Purchase delicious baked goods from our masterful bakers! Prices: Adults-\$16, Children (5-10years)-\$7, Preschool-Free. (No added fee for take-outs!) Dine-in, Take-Out & Drive Thru available.

Envelopes for the Mission Appeal are now available in the back of Church. This year we are asking for prayers and financial assistance for the daily care of the residents at St. Simon de Rojas Mercy Home, Thrissur, India. This home provides comfort and care to the homeless. They provide at Simon de Rojas Mercy Home adequate health services, a social life for interconnectedness, counseling, prayer, rest, and relaxation. The Trinitarians are hopeful that your generosity during this Mission Appeal will help them to more effectively serve those residents at St. Simon de Rojas Mercy Home. Please consider supporting the work of the Trinitarians in India as they continue to spread God's mercy and redemption in this remote part of the world. Checks and donations can be made out to our parish for the work of the Trinitarians.

Registration for Emmaus Institute fall courses is now open, including a **free** course, *Encountering the Heart of God in the Psalms*, taught by Dr.

Vern Steiner (Thursdays). Emmaus Vice President of Academics, Dr. John Kincaid, a recognized expert on St. Paul, will offer *The Apostle: An Introduction to Paul's Theology* (Wednesdays, online only). Other courses include *The Gospels and Acts* (Mondays) and *Elementary Biblical Greek I* (Wednesdays). All courses are twelve weeks in length, beginning the week of August 19 and concluding the week of November 11. Learn more and register at www.EmmausInstitute.net.

Learn the tools to live as God commands us on the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on: Sept. 27-29, Lincoln, NE; Oct. 4-6, Grand Junction, CO; Nov. 1-3, Dillon, CO. For questions, feel free to contact: Brenda & Gary Granger: 402-370-5839. Space is limited, so reserve your weekend early. For more information about Worldwide Marriage Encounter, please visit www.wwme.org

Our Lady of Good Counsel's has summer 4-day and 8-day retreats, and Fall weekend retreats for men and women of all ages! Read more and register at www.goodcounselretreat.org, email office@olgcretreat.org or call 402-786-2705.

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Aug. 31 Saturday Mass at 6:30 PM
Acolyte: Mitchell Janak
Lector: Dave Tvrdy
Servers: Volunteers
Rosary: Diane Pleskac

Sept. 1 Sunday Mass at 9:00 AM
Acolyte: Lyle Jakub
Lector: Bill Perk
Servers: Gunner & Nash Fencel
Rosary: Larry Ratkovec