

**Holy Trinity Parish**

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**April 20, 2025**

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**Parish Council** (*Trustees, Board, PCCW Officers*):  
Josh Pelan (Trustee), Wayne Pernicek (Trustee),  
Kevin Behne, Lyle Jakub, Jerry Bongers, Aaron  
Behne, Julie Novacek, Karla Wall, Andrea Svoboda,  
Sara Hofpar.

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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**

April 21 Mon. No Mass  
April 22 Tues. 7:30 AM 7 Sisters of Holy Trinity  
April 23 Wed. 7:30 PM Martha Fortik  
April 24 Thurs. 7:30 AM All Souls  
April 25 Fri. 7:30 AM Susan Chloupek

**Divine Mercy Sunday**

April 26 Sat. 6:30 PM Mary Kay Kucera  
April 27 Sun. 9:00 AM For the Parishioners

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Adults **4/13/2025** \$ 700.00  
Children \$ 5.00  
Online Giving \$ 585.00  
Loose Plate \$ 95.00  
Votive Candles \$ 79.75  
Easter Flowers \$ 60.00  
Combined Collection \$ 150.00  
CCD/Education Grants \$ 1,063.95  
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**Holy Trinity Quilters** will meet on April 21, at 1:00 p.m. at the Klein Center.

**Thank you very much** to all who helped make Holy Week and Easter beautiful. Thank you especially to those who decorated the church each day for the Triduum and for Easter. Your hard work, talent, and creativity are noticed and appreciated. Thank you also to the choir and organists for the music throughout the Triduum. Thank you for using your talents to help make the most important Masses of the year more beautiful.

**A Divine Mercy Holy Hour** is planned for Sunday, April 27, at 3:00 p.m., which is the hour of mercy. The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed, Fr. Snitily will hear confessions for a short time, there will be a short homily on Divine Mercy, and we will pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet together. We will have benediction at 4:00 p.m.

**Envelopes for Easter Flower Memorials** are in the back of church.

**First Communion** will be on Sunday, April 27 at 9:00 a.m. There will be practice on Saturday, April 26.

**Senior Mass** for our graduating seniors will be on Sunday, May 4.

**May Crowning** will take place at the beginning of the 9:00 am Mass Sunday, May 11. All CCD students are invited to bring flowers to present to Mary.

**Please pray for our seminarians:** Eli Reiter from St. Peter Parish in Bellwood who is in the Propaedeutic Stage at St. Gregory the Great Seminary.

**Put on your dancing shoes!!** Tall Tall Redwoods from Nashville will be performing at St. John School Gym in Weston on Friday, April 25 from 8pm – 11pm. Enter gym on east side. \$15 cover charge. It will be a great time!

**Sailing into St. Mary’s** Dinner & Show at Aquinas High School on April 26, 2025. 2 meat buffet by Buresh Catering. Doors open at 5pm, Dinner at 6pm, Show at 7pm. Dinner & Show tickets-\$30, Show only tickets-\$8. Tickets available at St. Mary’s Rectory or call Deb 402-270-1983 or Michelle 949-533-4096. Advanced ticket deadline April 21. Pirate themed attire optional!

**Spring Chicken Dinner:** St. Wenceslaus Parish in Bee will have their Spring Chicken Dinner on Sunday, April 27, from 10:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Adults \$15 and children \$7. Add \$1 for carry out. Split-the-pot, cake walk and Country Store. Mass in Bee is at 8:00 AM.

**The Butler County Right to Life** will be sponsoring a poster with names submitted by Holy Trinity parishioners in the back of church again this year. If you would like to submit any names to be published on the poster you may do so by picking up a form in the back of church. The forms will be available through May 10<sup>th</sup>! Enter the name on either the Father’s Day List or the Mother’s Day List and check the appropriate box: In Honor of (if living) or In Memory of (if deceased). The cost is \$2 per name. Put your form and money in an envelope and put in the collection basket. Checks can be made to: Butler County Right to Life. If you have questions, you may contact Nancy Vrbka at 402-545-2025 or 402-367-8835. Thank You for helping us keep up this very important tradition!

**Forget to register for MAGNIFICAT’s SPRING PRAYER MEAL** with SPEAKER ~ Anna Sullivan ~ There’s still time! It’s Saturday, April 26, 9:30 a.m., Dawson Hall, John XXIII Diocesan Center, 3700 Sheridan Blvd, Lincoln. By Tuesday morning, April 22, text 402.525.6396 with your reservation and go online at: <https://www.osvhub.com/magnificatmorningstarchapter/forms/april-prayer-meal-featuring-anna-sullivan> Adults are \$22 and students \$15. Be a friend and bring a friend, as we share our Joy in the Spirit of Gratitude and Praise of Christ Our

King! “Glorify the Lord with me. Let us together extol His Holy Name!” Ps 34:4

**Easter brings us new hope.** Let us bring new hope to our marriage by attending a Marriage Encounter Experience to learn how Jesus gives us the graces for a strong Sacrament. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience is on: Sept. 19-21, Grand Island, NE. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at: [www.wwme.org](http://www.wwme.org) Follow us on Instagram and Facebook! @worldwidemarriageencounter

**Easter Blessing**

May almighty God bless you through today’s Easter Solemnity and, in his compassion, defend you from every assault of sin.

And may he, who restores you to eternal life in the Resurrection of his Only Begotten, endow you with the prize of immortality.

Now that the days of the Lord’s Passion have drawn to a close, may you who celebrate the gladness of the Paschal Feast come with Christ’s help, and exulting in spirit, to those feasts that are celebrated in eternal joy.

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**Apr. 26 Saturday Mass at 6:30 PM**

Acolyte: Mitchell Janak  
Lector: Doug McGee  
Servers: Volunteers  
Rosary: Kathy Janak

**Apr. 27 Sunday Mass at 9:00 AM**

Acolyte: Bill Janak  
Lector: Dave Tvrdy  
Servers: Vincent & Spencer Vandenberg  
Rosary: Darlene Kucera