

Holy Trinity Parish

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May 4, 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

May 5 Mon. 7:30 AM Irene Kozisek
May 6 Tues. 7:30 AM Maxine Aerts
May 7 Wed. 7:30 PM Knights of Columbus
May 8 Thurs. 7:30 AM Bud Kriz
May 9 Fri. No Mass

Fourth Sunday of Easter

May 10 Sat. 6:30 PM For the Parishioners
May 11 Sun. 9:00 AM Char Greguras

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Adults **4/27/2025** \$ 2,455.00
Children \$ 2.50
Online Giving \$ 1,223.00
Loose Plate \$ 123.00
Votive Candles \$ 64.50
Easter Flowers \$ 100.00
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Holy Trinity Quilters will meet on May 5, at 1:00
p.m. at the Klein Center.

Interregnum: The time between papacies is called an
Interregnum. Traditionally, during this time there
are nine days of mourning known as the
Novemdiales. During these days we can all offer
prayers for the repose of the soul of Pope Francis,
and for wisdom and guidance for the Cardinals
who have the responsibility of choosing our next
Holy Father. Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon him.

Ballots for the parish dinner are in the back of
church. Voting will take place until May 11. Only
couples on the list are eligible to vote. Once
couples have completed their service, they are
exempt from being head chair couples for the next
five years. Those elected will work with Dwayne
& Kathy Pelan and Josh & Elizabeth Pelan.

Congratulations to our students who received their
First Holy Communion last weekend: Charlie
Hofpar, Mathus Spatz & Gabe Svoboda.

Congratulations to our parishioners who will be
graduating high school this year! They are: Justin
Bongers, Leah Bongers, Kaleb Palik, Dakoda
Schneider & Malorie Spatz. God bless you as you
start the next stage in your lives.

Congratulations to Elsie Jedlicka, the daughter of
Nathan and Nicole, who was baptized on April 27,
at Holy Trinity.

The Last CCD Class of the year will be on May 4.

Thank you to our CCD teachers for another
successful year of teaching the faith to our children.
Our teachers are Jessica Bartek, Julie Foral, Mollie
Kriz, Tracy Spatz, Wendy Janak, Eric Svoboda,
and James Kriz. Thank you for your dedication
and commitment of time to share the faith. God
bless you and your families.

The Next PCCW Meeting will be on Wednesday,
May 7, at 6:30 in the Klein Center.

Loma Mass: The next Mass in Loma is scheduled for
Sunday, June 8, at 2:00 p.m.

New ministry schedules are available online. There
are also copies in the back of church.

The Bishop's Charity and Stewardship Appeal
(CSA) Once a year, our bishop asks each of us to
make a commitment to support the work of our
diocesan programs and ministries that provide
services that no one parish could provide on its
own. As a reminder, 80% of the funds raised will
be returned to the parish. Once we have exceeded
our goal, 100% of the funds raised are returned to
the parish. This year, our parish goal is \$10,100.
Please be sure to sign your pledge card whether
you are able to make a donation or not. **Make
checks out to CSA or DDP. We will be collecting
pledges in the back of church for two weekends**
(May 3-4 & 10 & 11) **as we have in the past.** To
give online, go to www.lincolndiocese.org.

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

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.

Klein Center rental prices: For parishioners the west
side costs \$125 and the east side costs \$175. For
non-parishioners the west side costs \$200 and the
east side costs \$300.

Concert: Everyone is invited to a spring concert by
the East Butler Music Department in the gym on
Tuesday, May 6, at 8:00 a.m. Please use the
activity entrance. There will be coffee and bakery
served after the concert.

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 10th! 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!

Spirit Catholic Radio is hosting several events across
the state featuring Catholic speaker, host of "The
Dr. Is In" radio show (heard on Spirit Catholic
Radio, Monday through Friday at 12pm CT),
author, and family therapist, Dr. Ray Guarendi!
Tickets are on sale now for \$5 each, or 5 for \$20 at
spiritcatholicradio.com/drray.

Easter Flower Memorials were offered by the
following parishioners:
Alan & Tammy Tejral in memory of *Don & Loretta
Tejral, Greg Tejral, Cheryl Bartek, Toni Bohac &
Becky Hastings;*
Clayton & Doreen Kastl in memory of *Richard &
Leona Janak, Joe & Mollie Kastl & Phil Kastl;*
Todd Kastl & Tracy Kastl-Jacobs in memory of *Rose
Vrbka;*
Ron & Sue Benes in memory of *deceased family
members;*

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May 10 Saturday Mass at 6:30 PM
Acolyte: Darell Aerts
Lector: Ron Hula
Servers: Volunteers
Rosary: Diane Pleskac

May 11 Sunday Mass at 9:00 AM
Acolyte: Alan Tejral
Lector: Dave Struebing
Servers: Jason Bongers & Wyatt Steager
Rosary: Darlene Kucera