

Holy Trinity Parish

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April 30, 2023

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Parish Council (Trustees, Board, PCCW Officers): Kurt Palik (Trustee), Dwayne Pelan (Trustee), Alan Tejral, Leon Jakub, Josh Pelan, Wayne Pernicek, Sandy Bongers, Andrea Svoboda, Deb Pleskac & Ashley Miller.

Prayer Circle Leaders:

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

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

Weekday Masses

May 1 Mon. 7:30 AM Greg Tejral
May 2 Tues. 7:30 AM Bill Vandenberg
May 3 Wed. 7:30 PM Knights of Columbus
May 4 Thurs. 7:30 AM All Souls
May 5 Fri. 7:30 AM Dorothy Kobza

Fifth Sunday of Easter

May 6 Sat. 6:30 PM For the Parishioners
May 7 Sun. 9:00 AM Arthur & LeVena Ratkovec

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Adults **04/23/2023** \$ 450.00
Online Giving \$ 855.00
Children's Offerings \$ 5.00
Loose Plate \$ 89.00
Votive Candles \$ 76.50
Easter Flower Memorials \$ 45.00
Klein Center Rent \$ 300.00
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Holy Trinity Quilters will meet May 1 at 1:00 p.m. in the Klein Center.

Rice Bowls can be placed in the collection at any time. The proceeds are sent to Catholic Relief Services

Senior Mass for our graduating seniors will be on Sunday, April 30. This is a change from what was initially on the CCD Calendar.

The Next PWWC Meeting will be on Wednesday, May 3, at 6:30 in the Klein Center.

The Knights of Columbus will meet on Wednesday, May 3, in the Klein Center at 8:00.

First Friday adoration will be on Friday, March 5, from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. Come spend some time in prayer with the Lord.

May Crowning will take place at the beginning of the 9:00 am Mass Sunday, May 14. First Communion students should dress up for the crowning. All CCD students are invited to bring flowers to present to Mary.

Totus Tuus is scheduled for June 17-23. Assumption in Dwight will host this year. Watch the bulletin for more information as it gets closer.

Annual Parish Dinner: Our parish dinner will take place on August 20, 2023. Head Chair couples this year are: Greg & Shari Havlovic, James and Mollie Kriz, Kurt & Shelly Palik and John & Katie Fencl. **A chair couples meeting will take place on Monday, May 15, at 7:00 p.m. at the Klein Center.**

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 \$10,910.00. **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 6-7 & 13-14) as we have**

in the past. To give online, go to www.lincolndiocese.org.

Spring Chicken Dinner: St. Wenceslaus Parish in Bee will have their Spring Chicken Dinner on Sunday, April 30, from 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Adults \$15 and children \$6. Add \$1 for carry out. Split-the-pot, cake walk and Country Store/Bake Sale sponsored by the FCSLA.. Mass in Bee is at 8:00 a.m.

St. John Nepomucene's PCCW Group in Weston is having their Annual "Salad Buffet" on Thursday, May 11th, at St. John's School Gym in Weston serving from 6:00 pm—7:00 pm. There will be a Coffee Can raffle, mystery raffle, wine cork pull, split the pot and door prizes. Tickets are \$12.00 at the door. Reserved tables of 8 or 12 are by Advanced Ticket sales only. Call Peg Bouc at 402-480-2962 for Advanced Tickets.

Spring Concert: Parents, senior citizens, and former teachers are invited to attend the spring concert presented by the East Butler Music Dept. on Friday, May 5, at 8:00 a.m. Use the activity entrance on the north side. Coffee and Rolls to follow.

The Butler County Right to Life will be sponsoring an ad in The Banner Press for Mother's Day and Father's Day again this year. If you would like to submit any names to be published in the ad you may do so in the back of church by April 30th for Mother's Day and June 5th for Father's Day. Enter the name on the list and check the appropriate box: In Honor of (if living) or In Memory of (if deceased). The cost is \$2 per name. You may put your money in the envelope on the table marked "Mothers/Father's Day Ad Money." 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.

Easter Flower Memorials were offered by the following parishioners:
Leonard & Carolyn Dvorak in memory of *Our Parents & Grandparents;*
Tom & Gretchen Pesek in memory of *Mari Pesek & our parents;*

Chairs for the parish dinner in 2023:

Darell & Theresa Aerts - Chris Blatny & Jerome Kudlacek - Marcia Bohuslavsky- Jerry & Sandy Bongers - Margaret Bruner - Lyle & Karen Dvorak – Alice Eckstein - Patricia Foral-Scott & Julie Foral - Jody Gans - David Havlovic - Steve & Vicki Hines - Eric & Sara Hofpar - Ron & Vicky Hula – Lyle & Pam Jakub - Bill & Katie Janak - Chris & Brenda Janak - Greg & Susan Janak – Mark & Denise Janak - Mitch & Wendy Janak – Jerry & Dee Kabourek - Don & Deb Kost - Ken & LuJane Kotera- Irene Kozisek & Darlene Kouma-Dean & Lynelle Kriz -Gary & Mary Kay Kucera – Nicholas & Jessica Miller - Rick & Julie Novacek -Art & Jodi Pelan - Ron & Deb Pelan – Tim & Erin Pelan - Irvin Pernicek - Teresa Pernicek -Tom & Gretchen Pesek – Leon & Nancy Piitz - Galen & Deb Pleskac - Neil & Shannon Pleskac - Larry & Barb Ratkovec – Bruce & Joyce Rezac - Joel & Taylor Schommer - Marc & Tracy Spatz – Bob & Lisa Steager – Dave & Bev Struebing - Dave & Val Tvrdy – Eric & Andrea Svoboda - Gary & Diane Svoboda - Jerry & Phyllis Swanda - Chris & Karen Zetocha - Dan & Rachelle Zysset

Please notify Fr. Snitily if you are not able to serve as a chair couple this year.

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Apr. 29 Saturday Mass at 6:30 PM

Acolyte: Vern Dvorak
Lector: Sharon Bruner
Servers: Volunteers
Rosary: Vern Dvorak

Apr. 30 Sunday Mass at 9:00 AM

Acolyte: Lyle Jakub
Lector: Dave Struebing
Servers: Joshua Palik & Kaleb Palik
Rosary: Larry Ratkovec's