

**Holy Trinity Parish**

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**November 10, 2024**

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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**

Nov. 11 Mon 7:30 AM Rudy Jakub  
Nov. 12 Tues. 7:30 AM Betty Dufek  
Nov. 13 Wed. No Mass  
Nov. 14 Thurs. Funeral  
Nov. 15 Fri. 7:30 AM Deceased Members of the  
7 Sisters of Holy Trinity

**Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Nov. 16 Sat. 5:00 PM Leona Divis  
Nov. 17 Sun. 9:00 AM For the Parishioners

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Adults **11/3/2024** \$ 2,250.00  
Children \$ 5.00  
Loose Plate \$ 279.00  
Online Giving \$ 1,070.00  
Votive Candles \$ 33.00  
World Mission Sunday \$ 250.00  
All Saints Day \$ 595.00  
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**Holy Trinity Quilters** will meet on November 18, at 1:00 p.m. at the Klein Center.

**Please pray** for the repose of the soul of Lyle Divis and the consolation of his family. There will be a rosary on Wednesday at 7:00 and the funeral will be on Thursday at 10:00 a.m. May he rest in peace.

**Thank You:** Thanks to everyone for their donations to the October Pro-Life Diaper Drive. Holy Trinity collected 1,272 diapers and 56 wipes! Your generosity is greatly appreciated! -PCCW Officers

**The PCCW** will meet on Wednesday, November 13, at 6:30 in the Klein Center.

**Vigil Mass Time Change:** On Saturday, November 9, the evening Mass will be at 5:00 p.m. and continue at that time until the spring.

**Reminder to PCCW members:** If you have not already paid your annual dues, please be sure to turn them in. If you are not sure if you have paid them, contact Andrea Svoboda. Also, if you have any phone/address changes, contact Deb Pleskac so they can be reflected in the 2025 Handbook.

**Please Pray for our religious sisters:** Sr. Kateri Toler from Mobile, AL who is a Jr. Sister with the Marian Sisters of the Diocese of Lincoln.

**Please pray for our seminarians:** Rev. Mr. Isaac Wahlmeier from St. Michael parish in Hastings who is in the Theology IV at St. Charles Borromeo Seminary.

**The Bishop's Appeal for Vocations:** Our parish has generously raised \$9,030 which exceeds our goal of \$4,8000.00. Many thanks to all of our generous parishioners

**Envelopes for All Souls** are in the back of Church. List the names of the deceased on the envelope or a separate sheet of paper. The money from all of the envelopes will be collected and for each \$10, a

Mass will be said for all the names submitted. The Mass intention will be for "All Souls". It is an act of charity to pray for the souls in Purgatory.

**World Mission Sunday Envelopes** are in the back of church and can be placed in the collection in the upcoming weeks. Make checks payable to Holy Trinity.

**Mass at Loma:** The next Mass at Loma will be on Sunday, December 22, at 2:00 p.m. The Ostry Family will sing Christmas music for 30 minutes before Mass. The Mass will be offered for the repose of the soul of Leona Petrzilka.

**St. John Nepomucene School in Weston** is having a Drive-Thru Pork Dinner on Saturday, November 9<sup>th</sup> from 4pm – 8pm. Serving Pork Sandwich, Potato Salad, Chips, Cookie and Water. Free Will Donation. Carry Out Only! Split-the-Pot! Proceeds go to teacher classroom needs & student educational activities. Come grab a delicious meal for supper! Hosted by St. John's PTA

**Eyeglasses Collection:** The PCCW service commission will be collecting eyeglasses. Please bring them in an eyeglass case or wrap them in tissue. Please do not bring broken frames. We will also be collecting hotel soaps, lotions, and shampoos. These items may be placed in the box in the back of church. Thank you.

**St. John the Baptist** – Prague 2024 Craft Fair: Interested vendors please contact McKenzie at [praguecraftfair@hotmail.com](mailto:praguecraftfair@hotmail.com) or call 402-443-7692 to reserve your tables at the 2024 Craft Fair on Sunday, November 24<sup>th</sup>.

**Marriage Encounter:** Do we put our trust in God and allow him to be Lord in every area of our life like the widow did? Sign up today to attend the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on: Feb. 14-16, 2025, Lincoln, NE; Aug. 8-10, 2025, Littleton, 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](http://www.wwme.org). Follow us on Instagram and Facebook! @worldwidemarriageencounter

**Precepts:** The "minimum requirements" for being Catholic are called the Precepts of the Church. They aren't talked about much, perhaps because we don't want to reduce our faith to the bare minimum. The Precepts of the Church are:

1. Attending Mass on Sundays and holy days of obligation.
2. Going to confession annually if not more often or when needed.
3. Receiving Holy Communion during Easter. Receiving weekly or daily is encouraged, though.
4. Observing laws on fasting and abstinence: one full meal on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday; not eating meat on Fridays during Lent.
5. Obeying the marriage laws of the Church.
6. Supporting the Church financially or otherwise.

In general, Catholics are basically required to live a Christian life, pray daily, participate in the sacraments, obey the moral law, and accept the teaching of Christ and his Church.

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**Nov. 16 Saturday Mass at 5:00 PM**

Acolyte: Mitchell Janak  
Lector: Ron Hula  
Servers: Volunteers  
Rosary: Kathy Janak

**Nov. 17 Sunday Mass at 9:00 AM**

Acolyte: Lyle Jakub  
Lector: Kevin Behne  
Servers: Vincent & Spencer Vandenberg  
Rosary: CCD Students