

ANNOUNCED MASSES

The Most Holy Trinity- June 11th Vigil Mass

4:30PM-Regina Osterhout (D)-Ruth McKeon

The Most Holy Trinity June 12th-

9:00 AM –Antonio Molle(D)-The Gelsomino Family

11:30 AM –Intention Available

Monday June 13th – St Anthony of Padua, Priest, Doctor of the Church

8:30 AM- Intention Available

7:00 PM- Parish Council Meeting

Tuesday June 14th-Flag Day

8:30 AM –Intention Available

Wednesday June 15th-

8:30 AM-No Mass

Thursday June 16th –

8:30AM-Intention Available

Friday June 17th-

8:30AM- Intention Available

Saturday-June 18th –St Barnabas, Apostle

8:30AM-Intention Available

Corpus Christi- June 18th Vigil Mass

4:30PM-John J. Hayes (D)- Ada E. Cole

Corpus Christi June 19th-

9:00 AM –Vlado Naletilic(D)-The Naletilic Family

11:30 AM –Intention Available

2022 Mass Intentions

The 2022 Mass book is now open! A church tradition invites people to offer a Mass for a deceased loved one, a special intention for healing in thanksgiving for a special blessing, or an occasion such as a wedding anniversary or birthday. Please fill the form kept at the back of the Church and return it to the rectory either by mail or in person or put it in the collection basket.

Time Changed in the weekday Masses

The weekday Mass time is changed. We will be having **Monday, Tuesday, Friday, Saturday Mass at 8:30AM.**

Keep Them in Your Prayers

Our Country's Armed Forces, Father John J. Lynch, Adidlid Nunez, Kevin Kingsley, Anthony Blackwood, Patricia Coniker, Heather Brown, Jim Lund, Regina Wagner, Jeanne DePuy, Alyssa Bivins, Robert Huggins, Stephen Moses, Nestor Derkac, E & J Zysk, Joe Lao, Helen & Irving Ruffin, Norman Feig, Rosalie Siegel, Deneje Weyman, Stephanie Pullon, Janet Davis, Susan Giangiacomo, Cesare Silvestro, Brenda Hay, Sara Marie Ward, James Rose, Brenda Distel, Mary Caughey, Judy Bush, Ruth McKeon, Sheila Lashinsky, Henrietta Lynch, Tina Dowe, Ray Kester, Ryan Sanok, Anita Hartmann, Emma Noel, Scott Gudehus, Mari-jane Conklin the people of Ukraine, Buffalo, Uvalde, Texas and ALL our first responders and several special intentions. **CONTACT THE RECTORY FOR YOUR LOVED ONES NAME TO BE ADDED IN THE PRAYER LIST.**

Prayers for Our Active Military

Sean Rush, ABFAA, US Navy

Joshua Smith, CPT, US Army

Justin Neist, E7, US Navy

Frankie Smith, Pvt, US Coast Guard

Chris Whipple, CPT, US Army

Trey Robertson, CPT, US Army

Andrew Bagan, CPL, US Army

Gavin Simpson, SGT, US Army

Dana Manell Cavazos, 1st SGT, US

Weekly Reflection

Even though the disciples had spent many years with Jesus, they did not know everything. Jesus promised to send them the Spirit to guide them. They had to continue to grow in their understanding of Jesus' teachings. They did not always agree with each other. They had to listen to each other, reflect and pray for guidance. What do you do to deepen in your understanding of Christ's teachings? As long as we live, there is more to learn. Are you open to what the Spirit will teach you?

Amen App

Please visit augustineinstitute.org, the Amen app is the free catholic prayer app that inspires your daily conversation with God through faithful meditation and nourishing scripture. Please enjoy this latest offering from the Augustine institute.

A dumb debate on God: The following hypothetical debate for the mute and the deaf scholars is a warning to out pastors who think that they have explained Holy Trinity well to their flock on Trinity Sunday. The Jews and the Catholics are having a debate about God and decide that they can each send one representative to prove that their side is right. The only rule is that words are not allowed. They decide on their representatives. The Vatican decides to send their best brain Cardinal Ratzinger, the head of the Congregation of Faith and Moral while the Jews pick one of their best rabbis to represent them. As a sign of respect the Jews allow the debate to be held at the local cathedral. The time for the debate comes and the rabbi walks into the cathedral and up to the cardinal. The cardinal waves his hand towards the sky. The rabbi responds by slamming his fist into his palm. The cardinal holds up three fingers. The rabbi responds by holding up his middle finger. The cardinal then pulls out bread and wine. The rabbi then reaches into a bag and pulls out two fish. At this point the cardinal holds up his hands and walks away.

After the debate the cardinal heads back to the Vatican to talk it over with the pope and the other cardinals. “Man, those Jews have it all figured out. First I said to him, ‘God is everywhere,’ and he responded, ‘God is right here.’ I was taken aback. So I held up three fingers representing the Holy Trinity, and he responded, ‘we all worship the same one God.’ I didn’t know what to do so I showed him bread and wine representing sacrifice of Jesus, and he responded with two fish, representing that Jesus provides.

The rabbi headed back to the synagogue to tell the others his version what had happened. “Man, you wouldn’t believe those Catholics. The moment I walked in this guy with a weird hat gestures at me ‘No Jews Allowed.’ I said I’m staying right here.’ Then he said, ‘you have three minutes.’ I said, ‘get lost’ then he pulled out his lunch, so I showed him mine.”

Triune God is no magic: One of life’s greatest pleasures is watching a good magician at work. We all know that what the magician is doing is simply a trick. The old saying, “The hand is quicker than the eye” is what the magician hopes to demonstrate. He wants us to believe that he can do the seemingly impossible. Of course, there are some magicians who don’t rely on trickery. The great Harry Houdini, for instance, preferred to rely on his physical ability to perform his tricks. Every magician, no matter how talented, must in some way rely on distraction. Somehow, our eyes must be distracted at just the right time so that the illusion is achieved. Some magicians use a pretty girl to distract the viewers. Others use noise and flames. Still others rely on

mirrors, traps doors, and secret compartments. And they succeed in fooling us. But God of Christian revelation is not a magical illusion nor an invention of our mind. He is real; His presence and power are real; His promise of eternal life is real. Scientists estimate that 90% of the cosmos is mystery. Then its creator God must be an enigmatic mystery. We can explain the Triune God only by using imperfect images. Dennis Hayes in his book “*Ray of Hope*” says that the sun is a good image of the Most Holy Trinity. Its light is an image of God the Father who created us by the mighty power of His word. Its heat is an image of God the Son who redeemed us by warmth of His loving heart. Its energy is an image of God the Holy Spirit who sanctifies us by the transforming power of His divine grace.

Next Week’s Readings

June 19th, 2022

**Corpus Christi Sunday
Year C**

Gn 14:18-20

1 Cor 11:23-26

Lk 9:11b-17

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OFFERTORY REPORT

June 5th, 2022

1 st Collection	\$1460
ICC 2 nd Coll	\$ 626
SCC Chorus	\$ 200

Total	\$ 2286
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THANK YOU AND GOD BLESS YOU for your contributions and continued support of our parish!

Please consider remembering your parish of Immaculate Conception in your last will and testament by a bequest to Immaculate Conception church. This how you might include Immaculate conception in your will: “I give, devise and bequeath to Immaculate Conception Church, Woodbourne, New York, the sum of \$_____or _____ percent of my estate to be used by its trustees in carrying out its corporate objectives and purposes”.

Memorial or Intercessory Gifts

All are invited to offer one or more of the items we use in worship for the intention of loved ones, living or deceased. Donations for your intentions (listed here for **two weeks**) are: altar bread \$15, altar candles \$20, altar wine \$10, the sanctuary lamp \$15, the children’s leaflets \$10. You can reserve one by placing a plain white envelope in the collection listing 1) your name, 2) the person remembered, and 3) the object donated.

The Spirit of truth will guide you to all truth.-John 16:13