



Holy Trinity Catholic Church

20523 Huebner Road
San Antonio, Texas 78258

Website: www.holytrinitysat.org

September 23, 2018

People who believe and belong ~ The Kingdom of God is where you are

Parish Office - 210-497-4200

FAX: 210-497 - 4285

Monday-Thursday: 8:30AM – 8:00PM

Friday 8:30 AM—5:00 PM

Saturday 9:00AM - 12:00PM

Pastoral Staff

Pastor - Msgr. Michael H. Yarbrough

Parochial Vicar - Rev. Daniel Villarreal

Parochial Vicar - Rev. Michael English

Deacon Michael Cleary, 857-0930

Deacon John Eichelberger, 490-1784

Deacon Chris Laskowski, 497-4486

Deacon Guy LoTurco, 497-2363

Deacon Jerry Micek, 415-8107

Deacon David Seguin, 365-4902

Deacon Dickie Yzaguirre, 545-2604

Parish Staff

Parish Administrator: Deacon Oscar Perez

Parish Secretary & Notary Public: Gloria Barretto

Finance Coordinator: Cecilia Greene

Accounting Clerk: Brenda Mireles

Director of Music & Liturgy: Lucy Tavira

Coordinator of RCIA & Adult Ed: Desma Delgado

Receptionist:

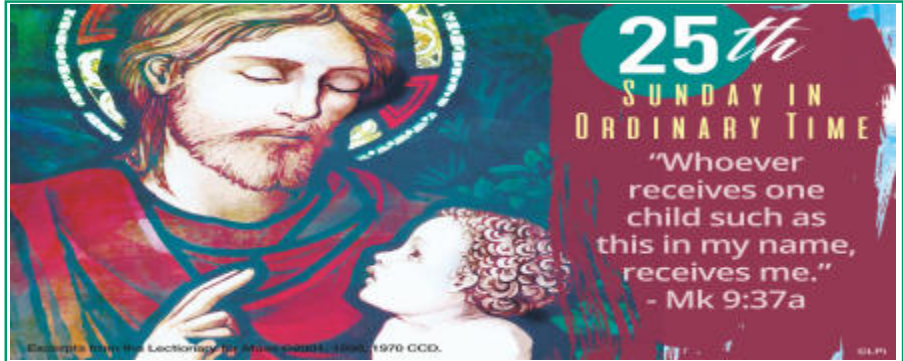
Michael Kranz (Monday –Friday 8:30AM-5:00PM)

Daniel Kranz (Mon - Thurs. 5PM-8PM & Sat 9-12)

Sacristan: Doug Stolo

Facilities Manager: Deacon Ray Gonzales, Jr.
(210-497-0700)

Maintenance Coordinator: Joaquin Martinez



WELCOME

We extend a warm welcome to anyone new to our parish family & all visitors who celebrate with us throughout the year. If you would like to join this parish, please pick up a registration form which can be found near both bulletin boards in the foyer. Complete & return the registration form at your convenience.

Eucharistic Celebrations

Saturday: 5:00 PM

**Sunday: 8:00AM, 9:30AM, 11:15AM,
1:00 PM (Spanish) & 5:30 PM**

Weekday - refer to page 2 for changes:

Mon., Wed., Fri., Mass is at 8:30 AM & 12:05PM

Tue. & Thu., Mass is at 6:30 AM

Adoration Hours:

9:00AM - Noon ~ Mondays and Wednesdays

9:00AM - Midnight ~ Fridays

9:00AM First Fridays to 9:00AM First Saturdays (24 hour adoration)

Adoration Closed on Holidays

Faith Formation Office - 497-4145

Monday—Friday: 8:30 AM – 5:00 PM

(Limited Hours in July)

Elementary Faith Formation Staff

Coordinator of Religious Ed: Kristin Casas

Admin. Asst. Gabriela Diaz

Admin. Asst. Martha Sandoval

LIFETEEN - High School Ministry

Youth Minister of Lifeteen: Debra Gray

Confirmation:

Youth Minister of Confirmation: Renee Kuntz

The EDGE - Middle School Ministry

Youth Minister of Edge: Cristina Hodde

Young Adult Ministry

Young Adult Ministry Coordinator :

Eric Mejia 210-497-4145

Inquiry into the Catholic Faith:

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA).

Call Desma Delgado 497-4200

SACRAMENTS

Penance:

Saturday, 3:00-4:30 PM

in church building
or call the office
for an appointment.

Baptism:

Pre-baptism instruction is required.

Classes for 2018:

Last Monday of the month at 7PM
in the Church

Jan. - Nov., unless it's a Holiday.

Call the parish office for information.

Marriage:

There is a 6 month preparation period
for Sacramental marriages. Please call
the parish office for details.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS, ARTICLES AND REQUESTS

BULLETIN DEADLINE:

**10 days prior to date published
and via email please:**

gloria@holytrinitysat.org

PULPIT ANNOUNCEMENTS

by 10:00 AM by Wednesday

Prior to weekend needed:

gloria@holytrinitysat.org

PARISH REPORTER

Sylvia Theall - sylviatheall@att.net.

**Help us
keep our records current.**

**Please notify the Parish Office
if you are moving or if your
personal status has changed.**

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK

Monday September 24

Celebrant – Fr. Daniel

8:30AM - Jose Iletto, †, Antoinette Moron, †, & Craig Robinson, †

Celebrant – Fr. Zinzer

12:05PM - Meryl & Elizabeth Bushnell †,
William & Bernadine Campbell, †
& Albert & Wanda Gore, †

Tuesday September 25

Celebrant - Msgr. Mike

6:30AM - Aliana Castillo, Sp. Int. Antonio Pedraza Sp. Int.
& Jesus Rivera, Sp. Int.

Wednesday September 26

Celebrant - Fr. Mike

8:30AM - Pat Cummings, †, Henry Hogeda, Sr. †,
& Candice Brooke Noriega, Sp.Int.

Celebrant – Fr. Mike

12:05PM - Julieta Fabrega, †, Maria Noli Childs, Sp. Int.
& Aliana Castillo, Sp. Int.

Thursday September 27

Celebrants– Fr. Daniel

6:30AM - Norman Riebe, †, Tony Salsedo, †
& Bill Crutchfield, Sp. Int.

Friday September 28

Celebrant - Msgr. Mike

8:30AM - Andrea Bravo, †, Cris Nutall, †, & James Clark, †

Celebrant - Msgr. Mike

12:05PM - Rolando Noli Ojedis & Luz Maria Rodriguez, †
Derrick Hayes, † & Fr. Walter Ebarb, †

Saturday September 29

Celebrant – Fr. Mike

5:00PM – Aline Verstraeten, †, John Clifford, †
& Frances Adel Williams, Sp. Int.

Sunday September 30

Celebrant – Msgr. Mike

8:00AM Cary Collins, †, Henry Hogeda, Sr. †,
& Candice Brooke Noriega, Sp.Int.

Celebrant – Msgr. Mike

9:30AM Francis Smith, †, & Janice Lindsey, Sp. Int.

Celebrant - Fr. Mike

11:15AM Ponciana Reina, †, Michael X. Destefano, †
& Rowley Albrecht, †

Celebrant - Fr. Daniel

1:00PM Anita Vargas, † & Maria Isabel Ramos, †

Celebrant - Fr. Daniel

5:30PM Jennifer Bishop, Sp. Int.

Celebrant subject to change

2019 MASS INTENTION BOOK IS NOW OPEN

Consider having a Mass said for a birthday,
graduation, anniversary, special event,
or a memorial for someone special.

Last minute intention requests are not guaranteed
Dates fill up quickly

Please come by the parish office during regular business hours
to reserved your date and time for a Mass intention.

Sympathy

**We offer condolences and sympathy to our parishioners
who have experienced a death in their family.**

**Nancye Alvarado,
wife of Sir Knight Richard Alvarado**

**Edward Morgan,
brother-in-law of Susan Bononcini**

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle; be our protection
against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke
him, we humbly pray: and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by
the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who
prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen

Parish Prayer List:

For Inclusion on the Ill and Homebound prayer list in the Bulletin
contact: Gloria Barretto - 497-4200 ext. 307

gloria@holyltrinitysat.org

For the Parish Email Prayer Chain contact:
ZZ Mylar at ZZMylar@hotmail.com



Alexis Arabit	Rosa Maria Gonzalez-Chapa	Carla Patton
Emily Baril	Donna Grohman	Shanthiny Prabu & baby
Jesse Barrios	Yazmin Guillen	Taylor Ray
Graciela Bernal	Rosy Gutierrez	Julian Perez
Teresa Bernal	David Hidalgo	Neal Poirier
Alicia Betz	Charlie Hill	Maria Elena Ponce
Jennifer Bishop	Carlos Hinojosa	Kelly Powers
Dylan Blanford	Mary Holzmamm-Snell	Jessica Pover
Skyler Blanford	Dustin Howard	Zach Pover
William J. Bonneze	Terri Hunter	Tom Rasmussen
Beverly Boyd	Marilyn Iorio	Rylee Reinecke
Elisa Callahan	Bob Irvine	Felipe Reyes, Jr.
Joe Albert Cantu	Terry Jacob	LeAnn Ridens
Yolanda Carbajal	Gerald Jendrusch	Jane Riley
Michael Cavazos	Monica A. Jimenez	Shannon Riley
Heather Cheshier	Robert Jimenez	Sebastian Robles
Theresa Chism	Marge Kiobassa	Louise Rodriguez
Jung Yol Cho	Sheila Klein	Courtney Roubo
Mary Cordova	Miriam Koneski	Betty Ruiz
Michael & members of	Henry Laverway	Melinda Saenz
the Cronin family	Phil Ledwig	Rosa Marie Salinas
Bill Crutchfield	Emma Leeseberg	Michelle Sanchez
Julia Cuevas	Sr. Bernice Lindsey	Patricia Sanhueza
Fr. Brian Dalton	Alicia Lions	Adrian Santos Williams
Michelle Davern	Ofelia Lopez	Elysia Saucedo
Cassie DeBolt	Deacon Guy LoTurco	Kathie Schottenhamel
Beverly DeCroix	Donna Loukas	Eleanor Serna
Yolanda Delgado	Adriana Lozano	Eric Shinn
Mark Desch	Clemencia Lozano	John Silvestro
Reyna de la Torre	Jackie Macy	Tiffany Spagnoli
Bert DeVillena	Mary Maikhail	Gerry Stallman
Dunatov Family	Fr. George Mancha	Tom Stieres
Jim Ermis	Patricia Matteson	Peter Suess
Dick Errhalt	Greg Martin	Helen Swete
Dr. Clarence Feller	Richard "Dickie" Martin	John Theall
Antonio Finona	Rickie McGinty	Sylvia Theall
Beatrice Finona	Erica Cozier McNally	Patrick Tumulty
Violet Georgine Flores	Mickey Meis	Regina Lynn Valdez
James Ford	Sulema Mejia	Valdez Family
Cathy Fragoso	Patti Miketinac	Janet Valus-Waskow
Bernice Friesenhahn	Sonia Morton	Enrique Villarreal
Alfredo Galindo	Terri Bradford Mullen	Estela Villarreal
Patricia C. Galindo	Ruby Iletto-Nolasco	Roberto Villarreal
Judy Garcia	Larry Nolta	Tomas Villegas
Sharon M. Garcia	Donald Novak	Penelope Viteo
Veronica & Mario Garza	Steffi & Matt Novak	Darnell Waun
Carmel Gatt	Jim O'Farrell	Caroline White
Belinda Gaytan	Rose Ogilvie	John White
Cathy Goin	Lupito Orozco	Steve Yosko
Moses Gonzalez	Paul Paniszczyn	Efrem Zuniga

Our parishioners serving overseas:

Pray for their safe return of Eric Hohman, Kevin Semrlath,
Brithney Boucher, Shane Mears, Matthew Wolf & Briana McCary

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS at HOLY TRINITY

Sunday Sept. 23	7:00AM - 8:00AM	Choir Practice/Church Angel Room
	9:30AM-10:45AM	RCIA meets in Church Angel Room
	9:30AM-10:45AM	Confirmation Class /FFC
	10:00AM	Spanish Choir Practice/ FFC
	11:00AM	Spanish Choir Practice/ Church Angel Room
	12:30PM-2:00PM	Young Adult Bible Study/BH
Monday Sept. 24	After Lifeteen Mass	Lifeteen - FFC
	9:00AM-12:00PM	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament/Chapel
	4:30PM & 6:00PM	Elementary Faith Formation/FFC
	6:30PM	Choir Practice/Church Angel Room
	6:30PM-8:30PM	Adult Bible Study-Fullfilled/FFC
	7:00PM	EDGE /FFC
Tuesday Sept. 25	7:00PM	Baptism Class/Church
	7:00PM	AA Meeting/BH
	7:30PM	Servicio de Bendición y Adoracion /Chapel
	9:30AM	Estudio de Biblia / FFC
	9:30AM	Catechesis of the Good Shepherd/FFC
	10:00AM	Bridges Beyond Grief/BH
Wednesday Sept. 26	10:00AM	Apostolado de la Cruz/BH
	1:00PM	Rosary in the Chapel
	5:00PM	Elementary Faith Formation/FFC
	6:45PM-8:45PM	Talleres de Oracion/BH
	7:00PM	Catecismo de la iglesia Catolica/FFC
	7:00PM	Matachines Practice/Banquet Hall
Thursday Sept. 27	7:00PM	Divine Mercy Cenacle/BH
	7:00PM	Benediction Service/Church'
	7:00PM	Lifeteen Core Meeting/FFC
	7:00PM	Knights of Columbus 4th Degree/BH
	9:00AM-12:00PM	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament/Chapel
	9:00AM	Rosary Bilingual/Church
Friday Sept. 28	9:15AM	Catechesis of the Good Shepherd/FFC
	9:15AM-11:15AM	Adult Bible Study-Fullfilled/FFC
	10:00AM	Nueva Evangelizacion Dr. Antonio/BH
	5:00PM	Elementary Faith Formation/FFC
	6:45PM	RCIA for Children/BH
	6:45PM-8:45PM	Talleres de Oracion/BH
Saturday Sept. 29	7:00PM	Cenaculo de la Divina Misericordia/BH
	7:00PM-8:30PM	Confirmation Class /FFC
	7:00PM-8:45PM	RCIA for Adults/Church Angel Room
	7:00PM	LTLC Leader Group Meeting/FFC
	9:00AM	Senior Time Line Dancer/BH
	9:00AM	ENDOW/Angel room in the Church
Sunday Sept. 30	10:00AM	Adult Bible Study-The Holy Spirit/FFC
	6:30PM	Spanish Women's ACTS Team Mtg/BH
	6:30PM	ENDOW/BH
	6:30PM	Luvenes Credential College Group/FFC
	6:30PM-8:45PM	Divorced & Separated Ministry/ FFC
	6:30PM	Catholic Daughters of the Americas Mtg / FFC
Monday Oct. 1	7:00PM	Adult Confirmation Class/Angel Room in Church
	9:00AM-12:00PM	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament/Chapel
	9:00AM	Rosary Bilingual/Church
	9:30AM	Cenaculo de la Divina Misericordia/BH
	9:30AM	Catechesis of the Good Shepherd/FFC
	6:45PM-8:30PM	Comunidad de Matrimonios/FFC
Tuesday Oct. 2	6:00AM	That Man Is You/FFC
	9:00AM	Children's Spanish Choir/FFC
	3:45PM	Choir Rehearsal/Angel Room
	3:00PM	Confessions/Church
	5:00PM	Vigil Mass

Readings for the Week of September 23, 2018

Sunday:	Wis 2:12, 17-20/Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6-8 [6b]/Jas 3:16--4:3/ Mk 9:30-37
Monday:	Prv 3:27-34/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5 [1]/Lk 8:16-18
Tuesday:	Prv 21:1-6, 10-13/Ps 119:1, 27, 30, 34, 35, 44 [35]/ Lk 8:19-21
Wednesday:	Prv 30:5-9/Ps 119:29, 72, 89, 101, 104, 163 [105]/Lk 9:1-6
Thursday:	Ecl 1:2-11/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17bc [1]/Lk 9:7-9
Friday:	Ecl 3:1-11/Ps 144:1b and 2abc, 3-4 [1]/Lk 9:18-22
Saturday:	Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 4-5 [1]/Jn 1:47-51
Next Sunday:	Nm 11:25-29/Ps 19:8, 10, 12-13, 14 [9a]/Jas 5:1-6 Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48



*The Special Intentions
of
All Those Who Have Suffered,
Lost Their Homes, and are Grieving
From the effects
of
Hurricane Florence*

Contact: Desma Delgado to reserve your date

497-4200 or desma@holytrinitysat.org

Thank You to our florist ~ The Last Straw ~ Joe & Maria Ramirez, Parishioners

Eucharistic Adoration Invitation

Is the Holy Spirit calling you to a deeper
relationship with the Lord through
Eucharistic Adoration ?



If you are interested in either becoming a
committed weekly adorer for any of the times below
Please call for more information:

Mary Kay Wakely: mkwakely@gmail.com

Home: 210-592-6700 or Cell: 210-683-3949

We are in desperate need of adorers at these times

**Monday & Friday: 11:00AM - NOON
(preferably an EM who can repose)**

**Fridays: 4-5 PM, 5-6PM and 7-8PM
(security provided Friday evening hours)**

We have many different ministries here at Holy Trinity.
We would like to feature a different Ministry each month.
We will pray for the efforts and support of these ministries in
the chapel during adoration hours.

For the month of September

We pray the hurting members of the Church

BAPTISM CLASS AT HOLY TRINITY

Parents, Parents-to-be and Godparents:

The Baptism Class is offered to anyone.

Our next class is Monday, September 24, 2018

For more information please call the parish office at 497-4200

Pastor's Message



Something significant is occurring in your life. This event touches you to the core of your being. You have struggled with it all by yourself. Now you seek the help of someone around you. This person (or persons) is an individual that you have already spent significant amounts of time with already. You trust them. You know in their own way they care for you. You even are willing to identify them as someone who loves you. You long to share this momentous happening with another. Finally, have much soul-searching; you've identified who that someone is to be. You feel confident with this person because you have spent time with and shared other moments with them before. Again, you recognize that you have struggled with this and very likely so will they. But now that you have done so, you look for the support and the sharing with those you feel close to. So, the time comes for the sharing to take place. You tell them what's about to happen! It includes suffering, betrayal, killing and death. Your eagerly await their response. You search their faces for some kind of response. Any response would do. And as you read their faces, blank stares comes back at you. A lack of understanding fills their faces. Fear seems to be there as well. You are saddened. You are deflated. You are disheartened. If that's happened to you, you are in good company. It happened to Jesus in today's gospel. Jesus gives us an example. Seeing a lack of response from His disciples, He continues on. Despite his disappointment, it does not deter Jesus from going on with His ministry. He takes them where they are. He asks what they were arguing about along the way. And when they respond to His query, Jesus uses the situation as a teachable moment. He speaks of what is important, what is the greatest. The most vulnerable among us is the greatest in the eyes of Jesus...When people don't understand you, what do you do? Do you carry on anyway? Do you seek another moment? Do you get angry? Are you disappointed? Choose a response that benefits everyone.

-Msgr. Mike

LEARN ABOUT YOUR FAITH

A Holy Trinity parishioner recently sent an email to Msgr. Mike in response to the priest abuse scandal. The parishioner indicated having read many articles about the current crisis, one of the ways that is repeatedly mentioned as a way to strengthen the Church (in addition to praying and fasting) during this time is to learn our faith in all its fullness. The email said: **"Catholics who know their faith are not fleeing the church....we're fighting for it."** There are many opportunities for further studies about our Catholic faith here at Holy Trinity. One is "Fulfilled" which begins on September 26 on Wednesday mornings. "Fulfilled" is a bible study by Ascension where we will "uncover the biblical foundations of Catholicism."

There are others as well:

ENDOW will study Humanae Vitae Thursday mornings and evenings
That Man is You on Saturdays
Mothering with Grace on Fridays
Holy Spirit Bible Study on Thursdays
Spanish Bible Study on Tuesdays
Fulfilled bible study on Monday nights and Wednesday mornings
TOOLS groups

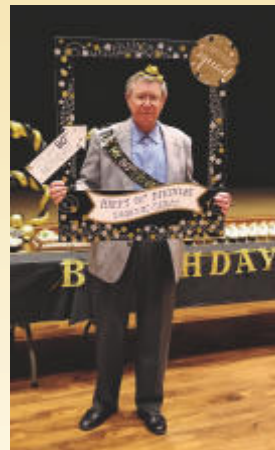
Come and join us!

MSGR. MIKE'S SCHEDULE

- Sep 22 – Baptism: **Preston Carr Martinez**, 11AM, HT
Penance, 3-4:30PM, HT
Liturgy, 5PM, HT
- Sep 23 – Liturgy, 8AM
Catholic Daughters of St. Matthew, SAT, Fashion Show, Omni Hotel, 11AM
- Sep 24 – Meeting on Quinceañera Process, 9:30AM, Msgr. Mike's Office
Deanery Meeting, 10:30-12Noon, Holy Trinity
- Sep 25 – Dentist Appointment, 10AM
Clergy Day, St. Pius X, 1PM
- Sep 28 – Liturgy, 8:30AM & 12:05PM
Clergy Appreciation Dinner, 7PM HT Banquet Hall
- Sep 29 – Penance, 3:00-4:30PM, HT
- Sep 30 – Liturgy, 8:00AM & 9:30AM
- Oct 01 – Parish Pastoral Council, 7-8:30PM, Conference Room
- Oct 02 – Liturgy, 6:30AM
8-12Noon, Threat Management Workshop, Padre Pio
Knights of Columbus Meeting, 7:00-8:30PM, Banquet Hall
- Oct 03 – Liturgy, 8:30AM
Jesus Caritas Meeting, 10-4PM, Holy Trinity
- Oct 05 – Liturgy, 12:05PM
Wedding Rehearsal: Kranz-Cervantes Wedding, 5PM
- Oct 06 – Wedding: **Michael Kranz – Cindy Cervantes**, 2PM, HT
- Oct 07 – Liturgy, 1PM & 5:30PM

Thank You

Thank you Holy Trinity family and friends for celebrating in my Appreciation Gathering, 80th Birthday & 19 years as Deacon



I am truly blessed





ONLINE GIVING UPDATE!

EXCITING NEWS!

We now accept Credit Cards for all Offertory and Capital Campaign Contributions

Visa and Mastercard Only



Go to our parish website at www.holytrinitysat.org and click on the Online Giving button to start

We would love to see the numbers increase with this program, please consider this form of giving.

If you prefer to donate by check, consider discontinuing your envelopes. We are able to post your check without an envelope.

Tip: If you write your envelope number on the check, it is most helpful!

ARCHBISHOP'S APPEAL 2018

Together, we have made excellent progress towards the 2018 Appeal goal of \$4.5 million. The following chart is the AA report as of September 11, 2018

of Parishes: 167

Goal: \$4,664,722

Total Pledged: \$4,713,302

Total Paid: \$4,222,686

Pledge Balance \$490,616

Households: 172,360

of Donors: 19,286

Parish Rebate Payout: \$185,957

For our parish of Holy Trinity Church in San Antonio, for 2018 the goal ascribed to us is **\$209,972**. To date, **\$137,176** has been pledged and **\$124,404** has been donated. Our parish families for the AA is listed at **3,450** of which **344** has thus far contributed which is a 10% participation rate. We are part of the North Central Deanery. Here are the goals and pledges paid thus far on the Deanery churches

Parish	Goal	Pledged	Paid	Part.	Rate
Church of the Holy Spirit	\$126,119	\$129,546	\$115,352		7%
Our Lady of Perpetual Help-Selma	\$165,638	\$126,527	\$115,286		10%
St. Helena Church	\$74,457	\$69,290	\$60,849		9%
St. Joseph Church-Honey Creek	\$100,818	\$102,878	\$92,205		17%
St. Mark the Evangelist	\$193,759	\$162,392	\$145,149		12%
St. Padre Pio of Pietrelcina	\$61,794	\$57,465	\$50,979		10%

EVERY LIFE

cherished • chosen • sent

"You who are my messenger, in you I place my absolute trust."

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

Celebrate Respect Life Month with the Archdiocese of San Antonio at one of three Life-themed Masses.

SUNDAY | OCTOBER 7 | 8:00 AM

Archbishop Gustavo Garcia-Siller, M.Sp.S.
San Fernando Cathedral
BUILDING A CULTURE OF LIFE
THROUGH ENCOUNTERS

SATURDAY | OCTOBER 13 | 6:00 PM

Auxiliary Bishop Mike Boulette, V.G.
St. Lawrence Catholic Church
OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE, PRAY FOR US!
(Hope, Healing, and Reconciliation)

SUNDAY | OCTOBER 28 | 12:30 PM

Father Larry Christian
St. Ann Catholic Church - San Antonio
GOD'S GIFT OF LIFE
(From Conception to Death)

Contact your parish for other ways to get involved in Respect Life Ministry.



Hope for the Future/Catholic School Special Collection

The Special Collection for October 7th is in support of **Hope for the Future** and the **Catholic schools and students** within our community.

Your support will help fund tuition assistance and grants for the 38 schools in the Archdiocese of San Antonio. **"Everything indeed is for you, so that the grace bestowed in abundance on more and more people may cause the thanksgiving to overflow for the glory of God."** (2 Cor 4:15)

Your contribution will help more children receive a **priceless** Catholic school education where they can grow academically and spiritually.

Thank you for your support!

Holy Trinity Mission Statement

The mission statement is: We at Holy Trinity Catholic Church seek to live out the message and mission of Jesus Christ as a community of worship, shared faith, and service, where we believe and belong and share the gifts and talents received from God through the Holy Spirit.

Nosotros, en la Iglesia Católica Holy Trinity buscamos vivir el mensaje y la misión de Jesucristo como una comunidad de adoración, fe compartida y servicio, donde creemos y pertenecemos y compartimos los dones y talentos recibidos de Dios a través del Espíritu Santo.

Please provide any feedback you may have to the PPC chair,

John Kuderer
jkuderer@swbell.net

Are you looking to become involved in the Parish?

Serve Our Lord Serve Your Parish

Are you looking for a way to become involved? Do you feel a calling? Do you have a special talent you would like to share with the Parish? Have you been involved in a ministry at a previous parish? We are seeking interested individuals who would like to share their time and talent with the various ministries and groups we have here at Holy Trinity. Please contact anyone of our Ministry or group leaders for more information.



Catholic Counseling &

Professional Therapy Services

For individuals, couples and families

Antonio Ramirez PhD., D. Min, LPC-S

Carla Tovar, MA (PhD student)

Amaranta Penate, MA

Gladys Vazquez, MA

16607 Blanco Rd. Suite, #1001,

San Antonio, Texas 78232

Business Administrator: Patricia Vincent

For Appointments: 210-884-8310

Servicios Profesionales de Consejería Católica y Terapia

Para individuos, parejas y familias

Por favor póngase en contacto con:

Dr. Antonio Ramirez, PhD

210-884-8310

16607 Blanco Road, Suite 1001
San Antonio, Texas 78232

HOLY TRINITY MINISTRIES & GROUPS

LITURGICAL MINISTRY- Lucy Tavira, 210-244-3743

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion , Lectors, Greeters & Altar Servers

ACTS - Elsa Wenzel, 210-478-6872

Adult Faith Formation

Desma Delgado, 210-497-4200 ext.313

Alcohol & Drug Dependence

John Welsh, 210-687-9019

Altar Guild, Monica Behrens, 867-3468

Alzheimer's Ministry

Pat Waisley, 210-497-7254

Carol Short, 210-497-4639

Bridges Beyond Grief

Emily Baril, 210-497-8166

Bunco, Ruth Jones, 210-724-3457

Christ Centered Marriage Ministry

Elsa & James Wenzel, 210-478-6872

Christian Assistance Ministry CAM

JJ & Laura Hansbrough, 210-479-7561

Cancer Support Group

Mary Anne Boll: 210-244-3659

Patricia Matteson, 210-408-6387

Catholic Daughters of The Americas

Debbie Caraway, 210-481-7683

Divine Mercy Cenacle

Ed Kowalsky, 210-452-3837

Divorced and Separated

David - 210-473-1841, Mary, 210-473-9608

Or Dan, 210-497-1704

ENDOW

Emily Schuelke, 210-551-8836

Eucharistic Adoration

Mary Kay Wakely,

H-210-592-6700 C-210-683-3949

Evangelization & Theological Formation

Dr. Antonio Ramirez, 210-884-8310

Forever Young Seniors

Lina Ramirez, 210-643-2805

Habitat for Humanity

Jack Wilder, 275-2587

Hospital Ministry

Goldie LoTurco, 210-497-2363

Patricia Matteson, 210-408-6387

Journey Companions (Widows Group)

Kay Barrett - 210-490-0162

Cynthia Hetsko - 501-463-2706

Knights of Columbus

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Kerry Johnston, 210-287-8939

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Spiritual Direction

Mary Wilder, 210-213-9920

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Stephen Ministry

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Regnum Christi Women

Cata Villarreal, 210-501-2873

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Oscar Centeno

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Ujieres

Gerardo Barona, 210-262-2227

Monaguillos

Silvia Jimenez, 210-296-6725

On one occasion, I felt an urge to set to work and fulfill whatever God is demanding of me. I entered the chapel for a moment and heard a voice in my soul saying, **Why are you afraid? Do you think that I will not have enough omnipotence to support you?** At that moment, my soul felt extraordinary strength, and all the adversities that could befall me in carrying out God's will seemed as nothing to me. (#527)



Una vez sentí en el alma un apremio para que me pusiera a la obra y cumpliera todo lo que Dios exigía de mí. Entré un momento en la capilla, oí esta voz en el alma: **¿Por qué tienes miedo? Piensas que Me faltará la omnipotencia para ayudarte?** Y [en] aquel momento sentí en el alma una extraña fuerza y me parecieron nada todas las contrariedades que me habrían podido suceder [en] el cumplimiento de la voluntad de Dios. (#527)

Source: The Diary of St. Faustina, Divine Mercy in My Soul, paragraph #527

For further information call Ernesto Brux, 843-730-3134

Divine Mercy Cenacles available in English on Tuesday - 7:00PM and

Cenaculo de la Divina Misericordia en Español - Wednesday - 7:00PM and Friday - 9:30AM

ALZHEIMER MINISTRY

The Alzheimer Ministry
at The Haven, 511 Knights Cross,
San Antonio



We meet at The Havens at 10:00 every Thursday to socialize and do activities with the residence of the Alzheimer Care facility there. Carol will usually bring one of her service dogs for the residents to enjoy. Besides visiting with the residents, volunteers join in on the singing, exercise and other activities. The current Ministry Volunteers are seeking more volunteers.

Please consider joining this Ministry by contacting:
Pat Waisley 497-7254; patkw46@yahoo.com
or Carol Short 497-4639; short1950@sbcglobal.net

JOURNEY COMPANIONS A Ministry for Parish Widows

Have you thought about joining this group, but you are not sure if it is right for you? Perhaps this information will help you decide. We are different than most healing ministries. Our mission is to build bonds of friendship by assisting widows in establishing new social routines as we come together as Sisters in Christ. In doing so, we help each other move beyond our grief and find new joys in life. The activities that we present are meant to introduce new experiences with new friends. For example, we come together for theater, concerts, museums, retreats, day tours and of course "lunches and brunches". Having a calendar of social events to look forward to is quite meaningful to someone who has been left alone. If you are a widow and a member of Holy Trinity Parish and think you would enjoy a new beginning in your life, please call us. We are here to help you get started.

For more information please contact
Kay Barrett at 210-490-0162
or Cynthia Hetsko - 501-463-2706

Holy Trinity Rosary Ministry

Holy Trinity has a Rosary devoted to Our Lady, and all are welcome to join: We speak and pray a universal language of love for Our Blessed Mother! Training is provided and rosary making supplies are provided for you to take home and make rosaries on your own time at your own pace.

Workshops are held on:

First Tuesday of each month

Banquet Hall Room 208 at 6:30 - 8:30 pm

Third Tuesday of each month

Banquet Hall Room 202 at 11:00 - 1:00 pm

Come and join us, as we pray and make a very Powerful and Beautiful tool ... A Rosary

If you like more information please call
Ana Flores 210-307-6083
or htrosaryministry@gmail.com



Holy Trinity Prayer Shawl Ministry



We meet on the First Tuesday of each month at 2:00 pm in the Family Room of the Banquet Hall. The shawls are available to anyone in need of prayers, support, comfort, encouragement, as they confront the struggles in their lives. All the members as well as anyone in the parish are encouraged to request or obtain a shawl for someone in need; there are request slips placed in the chapel and on the shelf in the foyer of the church. The ministry is always open to anyone who would enjoy joining us in the creation of the shawls. If you have knit, crochet, or weaved and would enjoy creating a few shawls and having the fellowship of others please feel welcome in joining us. If you would enjoy creating and can not attend the meeting you are welcome to work on projects at home and turn them in the container in the foyer of the church. Please indicate who you are so we can thank you and provide you with the person who received the shawl so you can pray for them.

please call: Carol Short at 210-497-4639
or Judith Rodriguez at: 210-595-7262 956-2266-4786



Holy Trinity parishioners have become involved in visiting incarcerated men in San Antonio area prisons through the **Kolbe Prison Ministries (KPM)**.

KPM primarily organizes ACTS-type retreats for the inmates but also is involved in offering monthly retreat reunions, Bible studies, Communion services and RCIA classes. You can learn about KPM at its website: kolbeprisonministries.org Remember what Jesus said in Matthew 25:36 "I was in prison and you visited me."

If you are interested in heeding Jesus' call and getting involved in KPM or for more information please contact Kerry Johnston at 210-287-8939

~ Catholic Daughters of the Americas ~ Court Our Lady of the Holy Trinity #2661

*"Every step of our life should bring us closer to God, and help to provide at least a little happiness to our neighbor."
St Raphael Kalinowski*



All women 18 years of age and older are invited to join us at our next meeting:

Thursday, Sep 27, 2018

6:30PM Spiritual Activity

7:15PM Court Meeting

on the second floor of the

Faith Formation Building,

Tyler Peltier Gathering Area

Contact Debbie Caraway, Regent on

210-481-7683 or holytrinitycda@gmail.com

<http://www.holytrinitysat.org/catholic-daughters-of-the-americas>



CDA Halloween Costume Collection

Trick or Treat! Catholic Daughters needs your help to collect Halloween costumes for Catholic Charities' **The Little Pumpkins Palooza**.

The Halloween party will be held at the **Guadalupe Community Center**. It provides a safe family friendly environment for kids not as fortunate as ours, to experience the fun of Halloween. Each child is given a costume when they arrive at the party. They enjoy games, treats and a hot meal.

Please drop off a **new or gently used costume** in the church lobby the weekends of **October 6/7** and **October 13/14**. You can put a smile on a little face!

Adopt Our Lord

Adoption is always a laudable endeavor. We adopt children, we adopt pets. Now the Holy Trinity Adoration committee is asking each ministry in the parish to "Adopt an hour to be with the Lord" on a weekly or monthly basis. In addition to members of your ministry getting to spend time with the Lord, this is a perfect time/setting for that member to pray for the needs of the ministry they represent. Ministries can assign one volunteer to fill the hour on a weekly basis or can have various ministry members share the responsibility. God bless our ministries at Holy Trinity, and Come Holy Spirit, enkindle your fire in our hearts!

Hours that are available:

Mondays and Wednesdays: 9 a.m.-noon

Fridays: 9 a.m. -midnight

First Saturdays: Midnight -9 a.m.

The Holy Trinity Adoration Committee Call/email Mary Kay Wakely to volunteer at mkwakely@gmail.com 210-592-6700

BENEDICTION SERVICE

**Tuesday Evening,
September 25, 2018 at 7:00PM
In the Church**



Please join us Tuesday evening, September 25, for the Monthly Benediction Service. For September we ask that you bless young people in Africa. May they have access to education and work in their own countries. The Chaplet of Divine Mercy will be prayed in song and there will be a few minutes of silent prayer and adoration before Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. The service will last approximately 50 minutes. All parishioners, families and children are invited.

ASSEMBLY 2018

Do you seek to help bring the message of Jesus to others, to renew your faith, your hope and your love for Christ and his Church, and bring God's message to the world?

Then **Assembly 2018** is where you need to be! Join Archbishop Gustavo on Saturday, November 3rd, at St. Mary's University, for a day of celebration and inspiration. Seating is limited, so register today at www.AssemblySA.org or call **210-734-1911**.

ASAMBLEA 2018

¿Estás buscando cómo ayudar a llevar el mensaje de Jesús a los demás, renovar tu fe, tu esperanza y tu amor por Cristo y su Iglesia, y llevar el mensaje de Dios al mundo?

¡Entonces tienes que estar en la **Asamblea 2018**! Acompaña al Arzobispo Gustavo el sábado, 3 de noviembre, en St. Mary's University, durante un día de celebración e inspiración. Tenemos cupo limitado, así que regístrate hoy en www.AssemblySA.org o llama al **210-734-1911**.

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(210-4168004 or 210-8848310) and/or
check Holy Trinity's Bulletin

LECTORS

The Word of God

Do you hear that voice calling?

Stop and "listen" -

It could be the voice of God calling you to offer your time and dedication to our ministry. We are seeking individuals for our Lector ministry with a talent, passion and understanding for proclaiming God's Word.

If you believe you have a calling and wish to become involved in our ministry. We have openings for several Lector positions and would like to meet with you.

For further information, to arrange for a meeting, or if you have any questions regarding this worthy calling, please contact Jamie Briseno at (210) 415-9665 at jbriseno@harrybateslaw.com or Lucy Tavira at lucy@holytrinitysat.org



We are called to be Happy!
Estamos llamados a ser felices!

Gaudete et exsultate

Sept. 27
6:30 - 8:30pm
Holy Trinity
Banquet Hall

Presented by
Dr. Antonio Ramirez

Forever Young Senior Group



Parishioners:
YOU'RE INVITED...

If you are 55 or older,
or retired seniors,
this invitation is for you.

We are a group of senior parishioners who gather once a month on the 3rd Tuesday of the month either at the Faith Formation Center or at a local restaurant. The purpose of the group is to create fellowship and friendship, and to share each other's company through prayer and a scripture reading for that day. These fun get togethers provide our seniors the opportunity to get out of the house and meet other parishioners of Holy Trinity Catholic Church.

The group meets at 11:30 am and lunch is catered by Charlie's Kitchen. We ask for a \$5 donation to cover the main entrée and we follow a different menu and theme every month. Then after lunch activities include bingo, bridge, dominos and a raffle of a few fun door prizes.

Once a year the group visits old and historic churches in San Antonio and in the surrounding areas and enjoy a fun filled lunch nearby. Check our parish bulletin for our monthly activity and tell us **YOU ARE COMING!**

It's fun, so come and join us. "SOMOS BUENA GENTE"



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
 IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

Knights of Columbus
TACO SUNDAY

Sunday, September 30th
After all morning Masses



Did you know? Purchase of a breakfast taco helps support the many different Charities supported by the Knights of Columbus to include our Priests, Sisters, and Seminarians, Parish Ministries, Mission Trips, and Special Olympics just to mention a few. Please consider the purchase of some Breakfast Tacos to us help others.



Call for help
for the East Coast

Hurricane Florence has made landfall in North Carolina, its crushing winds setting up hours and hours of destruction. Rising water is bringing life-threatening storm surges – up to 10 feet – along the coasts.

In response to the devastation, the Supreme Council has launched an online donation drive to assist with local relief operations. One hundred percent of the proceeds will go directly to relief efforts.

Your support is urgently needed.

Please **DONATE TODAY**

to help those suffering such devastation.

<https://www.kofc.org/en/secure/charities/disaster-relief.html>



Gentlemen of Holy Trinity,

We meet every Saturday at 6:15 am upstairs in the Tyler Peltier Gathering Area with breakfast tacos, coffee, and fellowship and we promise to have you out the door by 8 am sharp to get back to your family for the rest of the day.

You can find out more at our Ministry Website.

Log on to www.holytrinitytmiy.org

to learn about our program or call Ministry Leads

Patrick Guerra 210-618-1926 or Dan Robles 210-995-6803

Come Join Us!

Hermanos de Holy Trinity,

Nos reunimos todos los sábados a las 6:15 a.m. en el edificio Faith Formation con tacos, café y compañerismo, y prometemos terminar antes del 8am para que pueda regresar con su familia por el resto del día

Puede obtener más información en nuestro sitio web del Ministerio.

Inicie sesión en www.holytrinitytmiy.org para informarse sobre nuestro programa o llame a los líderes ministeriales

Patrick Guerra 210-618-1926 o Dan Robles 210-995-6803

¡Ven y únete a nosotros!



CHRIST CENTERED MARRIAGE MINISTRY (CCMM)

NOW ACCEPTING REGISTRATIONS

The next Christ Centered Marriage Ministry Retreat is October 19-21, 2018 at the beautiful MO Ranch in the Hill Country. This 2 ½ day weekend of prayer and sharing as a couple will be a step forward in your spirituality. You will spend quality time together as a couple, as well as share in fun and fellowship with other married couples from our parish. Join your Brothers and Sisters in Christ from Holy Trinity Parish, amid the beautiful Hill Country surroundings of the MO Ranch Retreat Center near Hunt TX, for a weekend you won't soon forget. Only 20 retreatant couples can go and slots will fill up fast.

If you have any questions about the Christ Centered Marriage Ministry or about this next retreat please contact our Retreat Co-Directors.

Jennifer & Elias Harrington (210)-279-8913 or Sheryl & Rick King (210) 757-3578

Find us at: www.holytrinityccmm.org

Cancer Support Group

Meetings: 3rd Wednesday of each month from 7:00 to 8:00 pm

Next Meetings is:

October 17, 2018

at Banquet Hall Rm 3202 (Children's Room)

Together We Can. Treat. Fight. Win.

Support groups can:

- Help you feel better, more hopeful, and not so alone
- Give you a chance to talk about your feelings and work through them
- Help you deal with practical problems, such as problems at work, family or school
- Help you cope with side effects of treatment

Prayer to St. Peregrine:

O God, in St. Peregrine You gave us an outstanding example of faith and patience. We humbly ask You that, by imitating him and by the help of his prayers, we may believe more fully in Your healing help, bear the suffering of this life without wavering, and come with joy to the peace of heaven. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Please join us!

For questions please contact

Mary Anne Boll: Ma_boll@sbcglobal.net 210-244-3659 or

Patricia Matteson: pdmatteson@sbcglobal.net 210-408-6387

Learn, Grow, and Serve by Becoming a Stephen Minister

Do you have gifts for caring, encouragement, and listening? If so, please prayerfully consider becoming a Stephen Minister. Stephen Ministers provide emotional and spiritual support and care to people who are going through a difficult time, such as divorce, grief, hospitalization, unemployment, terminal illness, relocation, chronic illness, or loneliness.



Holy Trinity will be training a new class of Stephen Ministers beginning in January. Applications are being accepted now and are available in the parish office or by contacting:

John at 210 215-0411 or

Pam at 210 394-5723 or email Pam at pjsmemories@gmail.com. The applications will be due by November 16th.

And, if you or someone you know is in need of a Stephen Minister's care or if you have other questions about the ministry, please reach out to John or Pam for more information.

Our Stephen Ministers are there to care!

Is your Marriage Struggling?

There is hope. There is help...



Retrouvaille™

A highly successful program to Help Couples Heal and Renew their Marriages.

Since 1977, tens of thousands of couples in hopelessly cold, unloving relationships, or on the verge of divorce, have restored their love for one another by attending the program.

The next course in San Antonio begins on **October 19, 2018.**

For more information, or to register, go to HelpOurMarriage.org or call 210-848-3278

Divorced & Separated Ministry

Our "Surviving Divorce" program for Divorced & Separated meets every Thursday at 6:30 p.m. in the St. Teresa conference room on the second floor of the Faith Formation Center building.

If you are interested in the program, please plan to join us at the next meeting. It is OK to join the group at any time. This is a peer group ministry program presented by ministers who have personally experienced Divorce & Separation. Our goal is to help you find Hope and Healing.

For questions or more Information, please contact:

David - 473-1841 - dchavarriasr63@gmail.com

Mary - 473-9608 - marydchavez10@yahoo.com

or Dan - 497-1704 - danwojtx@aol.com.

Additional information regarding the Surviving Divorce Program can be found at the web site www.catholicdivorce.com

Reflection ~ Good Grief

"Mom, it feels like someone has died," I tearfully said to my mother the month after my divorce was filed. The emotional pain was so overwhelming it paralyzed me. I couldn't think clearly, and getting through the day doing even just basic tasks, like brushing my teeth or getting dressed, took every ounce of energy I could muster. I was right, a death had occurred--the death of my marriage. What I did not realize in that tearful moment was that I was in a full-blown grief cycle. I came to learn that grief is a very important part of healing from divorce. The end of a marriage must be grieved in very much the same way as the death of a loved one. If the grieving process is not embraced, it will delay, or even stall, the healing process. This can cause many long-term emotional (and even physical) problems. To make sure you fully recover from your divorce, and to prevent it from anchoring you in your past, you must grieve.

There are five phases to the grief cycle: shock/denial, anger, depression/detachment, bargaining, and acceptance. To reach acceptance, which is the gateway to healing and moving forward after divorce, it is important to work through each phase. It is not uncommon to experience the phases out-of-order. For example, you might experience the anger phase before you experience the shock that comes with the reality of divorce. Because grieving is a process, it has a beginning, a middle, and an end. The good news is that grieving, when embraced, does have an end. While it may feel like life after divorce will be forever filled with sadness, anger, and despair, by understanding that grief is a cycle, we can look forward in hope to it ending.

Try to embrace your grieving much like you would embrace physical therapy. Cooperate fully with the process and endure the pain, knowing that it is necessary to fully healing and resuming a normal life after divorce.

Blessed are they who mourn, for they will be comforted.

~ Matthew 5:4

For more resources visit vincefrese.com and DivorcedCatholic.org

COMUNIDAD HISPANA

Aprende, Crece y Sirve Convirtiéndote en un Ministro Stephen

¿Posees los dones para cuidar, alentar y escuchar a los demás? Si así fuese, por favor considera en oración convertirte en un Ministro Stephen. Los Ministros Stephen brindan apoyo emocional y espiritual al atender y cuidar a personas que están pasando por un momento difícil en sus vidas, ya sea por un divorcio, el fallecimiento de un ser querido, estar hospitalizado, quedar desempleado, padecer una enfermedad terminal o crónica, haberse mudado de ciudad o vivir en soledad.



Holy Trinity estará capacitando a un grupo nuevo de Ministros Stephen a principios de enero. Ya estamos aceptando solicitudes las cuales se pueden obtener en la oficina de la parroquia o contactando a:

John, llamando al (210) 215-0411,
o a Pam, ya sea llamando al (210) 394-5723
o enviando un mensaje a pjsmemories@gmail.com.
Las solicitudes deberán entregarse a más tardar
el 16 de noviembre.

Y si tú (o algún conocido) necesitas el cuidado de un Ministro Stephen o si tienes alguna pregunta sobre el ministerio, no dudes en contactar a John o a Pam para obtener más información.
¡Nuestros Ministros Stephen están listos para apoyarte!

DIRECCION ESPIRITUAL

¿Te gustaría acercarte más a Dios?

ó ¿profundizar en tu relación con Dios?

Puedes empezar ese acercamiento a Dios a través de una Dirección Espiritual aquí mismo en tu parroquia, comunícate con:

Veronica Fernandez. Al teléfono: 210-875-6240
o al correo electrónico: vero2001@sbcglobal.net

Felicidades a nuestros feligreses que han completado el programa "Espiritualidad y dirección espiritual"

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Servicio de Bendición y Adoración al Santísimo - En Español

lunes 24 de Septiembre a las 7:30PM
En la iglesia



Únase a nosotros lunes, 24 de septiembre, para el Servicio de Bendición y adoración al santísimo. Durante este mes septiembre, te pedimos que bendigas a los jóvenes de Africa, para que puedan acceder a la educación y al trabajo en sus propios países. La Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia será rezada en cantos y habrá unos minutos de oración silenciosa y adoración ante Nuestro Señor en el Santísimo Sacramento. El servicio durará aproximadamente 50 minutos.

Todos los feligreses, familias y niños están invitados.

HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH
ESTUDIO DE BIBLIA

EL EVANGELIO SEGÚN SAN LUCAS



Septiembre 4 - Diciembre 11, 2018

Martes, 9:15 - 11:30 am

Edificio de Formación de la Fe

Costo de Recuperación: \$40

Inscripciones:
Oficinas de la Parroquia

Para mayor información:
Estelita Stevens (210) 286-1481



Comunidad de Matrimonios

Holy Trinity

Viernes de Adoración

28 de septiembre de 2018

De 7:00 p.m a 8:30 p.m.



¡Jesús te espera!

Acompáñalo durante hora en la Iglesia de Holy Trinity.

Habrà cuidado de niños!

Holy Trinity Catholic Church
20523 Huebner Rd.
San Antonio, TX. 78259



The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)
is an
Evangelization Ministry
 which welcomes and prepares adults to receive the sacraments of initiation (***Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation***) at the Easter Vigil.

Please call for information about the RCIA process
 Please contact: Desma Delgado at 210 497-4200.

Regular RCIA weekly gatherings are every Wednesday
 These weekly meetings will be held in the Angel Room from 7:00 to 8:30 PM.

Participants starting now will begin a year-long faith enrichment process and will receive the *sacraments of initiation* next year at the Easter Vigil – April 20, 2019.

Catholics who have received all their sacraments but are interested in learning more about their faith are also invited to attend.

Please Note: Teenagers needing the Sacraments of Initiation may join the adult group if they wish.
RCIA for children and teens will begin in the fall with the new school year.



Registration is now being accepted for Adult Confirmation.

The requirements are :

Baptism ~ First Communion ~ You must be 18 years or older.

If 18, you must have already have graduated from high school.
 There will be no exceptions.

There will be 10 sessions starting in September 13, 2018.
 The sessions will be held on Thursday's from 7pm – 8:30pm.
 Angel Room in the Church

Confirmation date is Saturday, December 1, 2018

For further information and to register,
 please contact Desma Delgado at 210 497-4200.



ENDOW Humanae Vitae
Thursday evenings Sept. 13—Dec. 13
6:30PM - 8:30PM

Holy Trinity Banquet Hall - Meeting Room A

Patricia Rodriguez-Vazquez
 210 363-1661

registration is online endowgroups.org/studies/humana-vitae-of-human-life

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We are pleased to announce the availability of **FORMED**, an online service for accessing thousands of Catholic videos, audios and ebooks On Demand anytime, anywhere. As a Parishioner, you will have access to entertaining movies, inspiring audio talks, informative bible studies, and much more. We are providing this resource free of charge to help our Parishioners learn and grow in their faith. Once you have signed up, you can download the free iOS or Android app to put FORMED at your fingertips. Please enjoy this gift from Holy Trinity in recognition of your generosity and service throughout the years. We hope you will use this service and spread the word to others. Every person in the family can have an account!

Thursday Morning Bible Study The Holy Spirit



Join us for this study and you will gain a better understanding of the Holy Spirit and it will lead you to a personal encounter with the Holy Spirit. You will learn to receive His fruits and exercise His gifts.

First class is Thursday, September 20th at 10:00 am
in the Faith Formation Building

\$25.00 registration fee which includes 2 books

For additional information on the Holy Spirit Study and the registration form go to:

holytrinitysat.org/adults and click on Holy Spirit Study

Jay Schuman is facilitator of the Holy Spirit study and can be reached at htisaiah2015@gmail.com or at 210-651-4151

Bible Study for Adults
“Fulfilled: Uncovering the Biblical Foundations of Catholicism”



Begins in mid-September for 7 sessions.

For more details and registration info visit
www.holytrinitysat.org/fulfilled

Mondays: 6:30 to 8:30 pm

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Ministry Contact Information Coordinator:

Eric Mejia at Phone: 210-497-4145 ext. 334 or Email:
yacsatx@gmail.com

Website: www.holytrinitysat.org/yac or Facebook:
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The Youth Ministry ZONE

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What is Life Teen?

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Debbie Gray ~ 210-497-4145 or
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After registering online please come to the Faith Formation office to:

- ⇒ sign the paperwork,
- ⇒ provide a copy of insurance card,
- ⇒ provide a copy of the **baptismal certificate** and pay the fee.
- ⇒ Your youth is not registered until the entire process is completed.

- **First year Confirmation is for 9th grade and above:**

This consists of participation in Lifeteen on Sundays starting with Kick Off in September. Lifeteen (Youth Ministry) runs following the 5:30pm mass and finishes at 8:30pm. Youth meet in the Tyler Peltier Room of the Faith Formation Building (Upstairs) and dinner is provided.

Cost is \$60

For questions contact Debbie Gray: High School Youth Minister debbie@holyltrinitysat.org

- **Second Year Confirmation:** is open to those who have completed the first year attendance requirement. Classes run on Sunday 9:30-11:00am or Wednesday 7:00-8:30pm starting Sept. 9 or 12. Cost is \$80 and baptismal must be provided or already on file at the time of registration.

For questions please contact Renee Kuntz at
renee@holyltrinitysat.org

- **Catholic School Students:** Need only complete year 2 (They are welcome and encouraged to attend Lifeteen) Please provide baptismal certificate and proof of registration in Catholic School. (10th grade and above only) the family must be registered at Holy Trinity.

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Registration for 2018-2019 is now open and can be completed in the Faith Formation Office. Cost for the year \$60.00

For more information see our youth ministry page or contact Cristina Hodde at Cristina@holyltrinitysat.org.

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FAITH FORMATION 2018-2019

Elementary Faith Formation has begun,
it's not late to register your child(ren)

Registration forms will be available online .

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MUST be finalized in the Faith Formation Office in order to se-
cure the class session desired.

Families ARE REQUIRED to be
registered members of Holy Trinity parish.

Registration fee is \$60 per child.

Registration will continue until all classes are full.

For more information,
please visit the
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on the Holy Trinity website

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or to dialogue in your family prayer time, over the particular ques-
tion. Begin with prayer and then have someone pose the question.
Listen with respect to those who respond and close with another
short prayer, perhaps the Lord's Prayer. As a follow up to this
week's readings, we invite you and / or your family to reflect on
the following questions to further your own growth in faith.

This week's question is:

**How have you developed and honed your skill of
listening, especially with those you are close to
and are important to you?**

**¿Cómo ha desarrollado y perfeccionado su habilidad
de escuchar, especialmente aquellos que están
cerca y son importantes para usted?**

First Communion Requirements

In order to celebrate First Communion at Holy Trinity in the
spring of 2019, your child **MUST** meet the following require-
ments:

- ⇒ They must be at least 7 years old at the time of registration
- ⇒ They must have been enrolled in a Faith Formation class
during 2017-2018
- ⇒ They must be enrolled in a Faith Formation class at Holy
Trinity for the 2018-2019 school year (\$60.00 fee per child)
- ⇒ They must be registered for the First Eucharist Parent/Child
Workshops in 2018-2019 (\$60.00 fee per child)
- ⇒ They must be Baptized and a copy of their baptism certificate
MUST be presented at registration in August

**Only children who have met all of the above
requirements by September 30, 2018
will be able to celebrate
First Communion in May 2019.**

Requisitos de primera comunión

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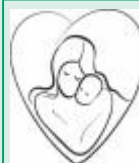
- Debe de tener al menos 7 años cumplidos en el momento del
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- Debió de asistir en una clase de Formación de Fe del ciclo
2017-2018
- Debe de inscribirse en una clase de Formación de Fe en Holy
Trinity para el año escolar 2018-2019 (tarifa de \$ 60.00 por
niño)
- Además debe de estar registrado para los talleres padres e hi-
jos Primera comunión y reconciliación en el ciclo escolar 2018-
2019

(tarifa de \$ 60 por niño)

- Debe de estar bautizado, presentar una copia de su certificado
de bautismo al momento del registro en agosto

**Solo los niños que hayan cumplido con todos los requisitos
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website: www.rcahybrid.org

FAITH FORMATION / YOUTH MINISTRY AREAS OF GROWTH

Msgr. Mike and the Faith Formation / Youth Ministry staff met again both as a group and individually.

The following are highlights of Areas of Growth that are being looked at for potential directions for these parish programs.

These come from Kristin, Debbie, Renee, Cristina, Eric, Gaby and Martha.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

We plan to add two more Level I Good Shepherd classes in the morning (Tuesday and Friday) in 2018-2019. These classes will run at the same time as the Spanish Bible Study (Tuesday) and Mothering with Grace (Friday) so that the children of participants in these programs will have a catechetical opportunity.

First Communion Preparation

We plan to offer some of the First Communion Parent/Child Workshop presentations in Spanish in 2018-2019 in order for our Spanish speaking parents to receive the preparation information in the language they are most proficient. The following Parent/Child Workshops will be offered in Spanish:

- Part 1: October 15 at 4:30 pm
- Part 2: November 12 at 4:30 pm
- Part 3: January 28 at 4:30 pm

Collaborative Opportunities

Vacation Bible School (VBS) was a great success this year primarily because almost all of the Faith Formation Staff was involved in the planning, preparation and implementation of the event. We would like to add a Family Movie Night on the last day of VBS next year as part of the finale. It would be great to have more of these opportunities to utilize everyone's strengths in one event. One example might be to offer a Day Retreat for all of our Catechists/Core Team. All of our programs would benefit and it would provide an opportunity for all of the Coordinators to work together on one event to provide spiritual enrichment for our catechetical teams.

Staff Relationship Growth Opportunities

We have already established a daily Staff Prayer time which has helped us grow together spiritually. We would like to start having some social opportunities in order for our staff to develop deeper relationships outside of work. Some ideas we have discussed include a movie night, Painting with a Twist and attending a Missions baseball game.

Growth areas for next year

- Better outreach to Catholic School youth, so they feel welcome to attend Confirmation at Holy Trinity. (registered parishioners)
- Outreach to young adults to be on Core Team for Confirmation. This helps bridge the gap between high school students and adult Catechist
- Continue to offer and find new meaningful Service opportunities for families that work with the busy schedules each of us have. (Such as BCFS and Catholic Worker House)
- Excellent and more communication with parents. Not only on programming, but also on life issues.
- Alive in the Spirit will be offered again and we have skits being added in addition to what is in place.
- If Pastor approves it, a trip into Mexico so our families can see and experience why youth would risk crossing the border. In addition to other opportunities being offered like the Alive in the Spirit retreat and service projects, this will help grow our community together in serving those in need.

Growth Area at Work

- Look to have a friendly environment every day.
- Find the way to help everyone at the office not only at work but as a person and to get closer to God
- Help with the First Communion workshops in Spanish.

Growth as a Team

- We can have a monthly/bimonthly/twice a year morning/evening retreat.
- We need a leader that helps us to have better communication and relationship.
- Go out as a team for a social, looking to be more united.
- Continuing to pray altogether without skipping.
- At least twice a year have a retreat for the volunteers (catechist, bible studies leaders, ministries leaders).
- Look ways to involve the community to get closer to God.
- Some teens and parents had asked for a college students formation program. We can look for a program to offer.
- Some adults volunteer had shared difficulties with the room they scheduled. (Adult formation programs)

Areas for Growth for Middle School Faith Formation / Edge for the coming year

- Add a second Edge Core Leader training in January
- Invite one of our Priests to do a Proclaim talk once a semester
- Goal of 200 Edge youth in attendance each week
- Increase 6th grade Lock-In attendance by 25% (from 35 to 45 youth)
- Add a service project
- Exalt!
- Make Catholic school students feel more welcome in Confirmation –Year 2. We have had several new students register.
- Better communication/catechesis with the parents/sponsors. There are two (2) meetings scheduled on the calendar and format already established.

Areas of Growth – Young Adults

- Increase Young Adult Core Team. Recruit two new core members.
- Increase active membership by 20%.
- Create more small-group centered ministry.
- Host Day retreat specifically for college students.
- Host weekend Lenten retreat for all young adults.

Areas of Growth in High School Youth Ministry

- We added a Mission Week in Houston- Restore -help in the recovery efforts left from Hurricane Harvey
- We added the Tyler Cup, and are continuing to Pray for Vocations
- We now do two Life Nights most weeks.
 - First Year, Fall, The Mystery of the Mass Revealed
 - First Year, Spring, Theology of the Body
- We celebrated our first "Baccalaureate" Mass

Growth Areas for Youth Ministry Future

- Starting of EXALT. Night of Adoration and Praise and Worship.
- Continue the Baccalaureate Mass and maybe do a celebration of our seniors in the Banquet Hall, families-cake and a small gift from the parish.
- Would like to do another Parish Mission. It was very well received and fairly inexpensive.
- We would like to do more evangelization events for non-"parish" youth. (Youth who have left the parish, confirmed teens that think they are done, non- parish kids that do not know Jesus.)

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Fr. Ray Kelly is a 64-year-old parish priest at St. Brigid's Church in Oldcastle, Ireland, who loves to sing. Now known as "The Hallelujah Priest," he became an internet sensation overnight in 2014: [an amateur video](#) surfaced of him singing a personalized version of Leonard Cohen's iconic song "Hallelujah" to a young couple while he presided at their wedding. It was posted on YouTube and has since reached over 62 million views. This spring he appeared on "Britain's Got Talent" and thoroughly wowed Simon Cowell, who declared Fr. Ray's audition to be one of his "favorite ever."

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