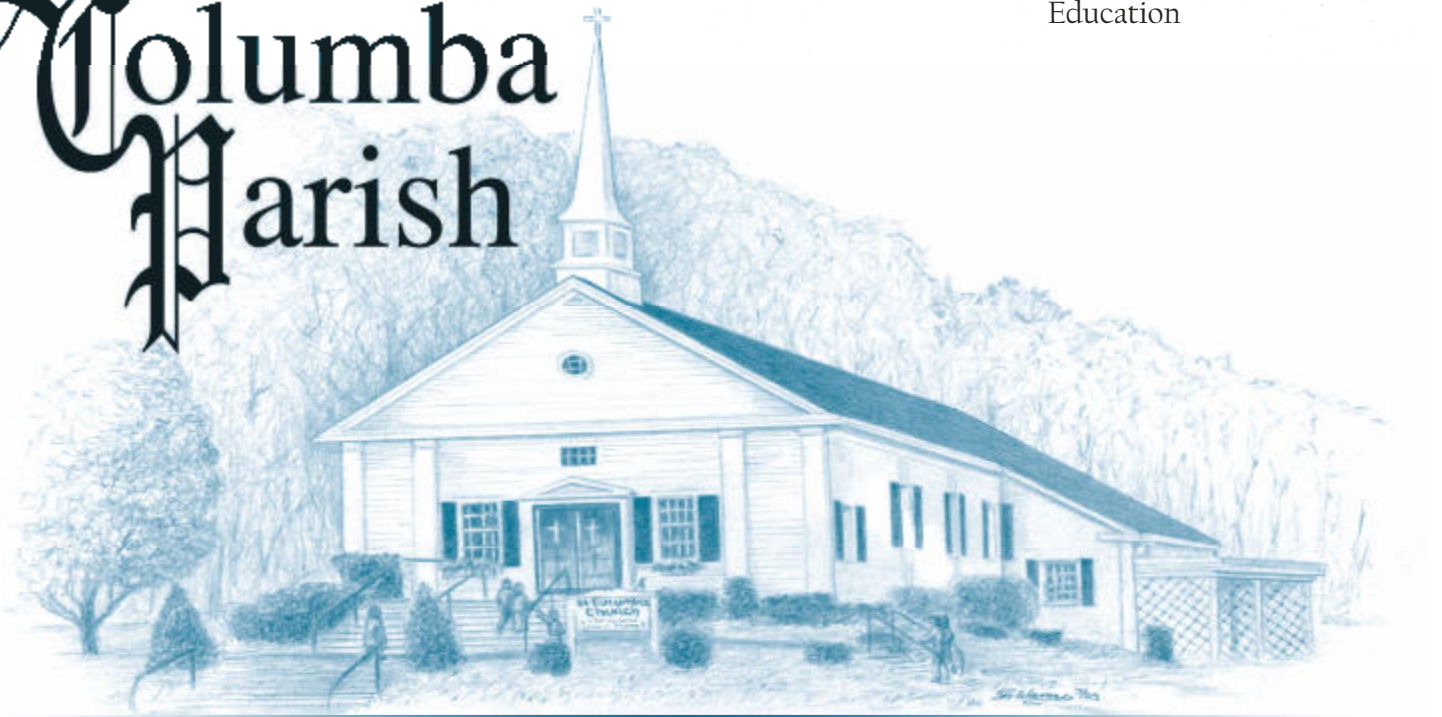


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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Evening 5:00PM, Sunday Morning 8:00 AM and 10:00 AM

WEEKDAY MASSES

6:00PM (Monday & WEDNESDAY)

8:00AM (TUESDAY & THURSDAY)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Confessions are heard on Saturday at 4:15PM

Any other time is by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call the office for instructions and a Baptismal date.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Please call the office when you become engaged

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Friday 12:00 PM

WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS

Please introduce yourselves. We want to know and serve you.
We hope you become an active part of our Parish Community.

**FIRST READING**

Thus the LORD passed before him and cried out: "The LORD, the LORD, a merciful and gracious God, slow to anger and rich in kindness and fidelity." (Ex 34:6)

**PSALM**

Glory and praise for ever!
(Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56 (52b))

**SECOND READING**

Mend your ways, encourage one another, agree with one another, live in peace, and the God of love and peace will be with you. (2 Cor 13:11b)

**GOSPEL**

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. (Jn 3:16)

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WORSHIP & MEDITATION

**GOSPEL MEDITATION****Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture**

A well-choreographed dance can be truly inspirational. Each movement and step are interconnected, each contributing a piece of the unfolding artistic story. The beholder is caught up in the rhythms, music, and gestures, realizing that none are dispensable and all are necessary. The same is true of the Divine Dance of the Trinity. Each Person plays a part, using unique gestures and movements that are connected to the other Divine Partners. They tell a story of love. Every movement and step is born of love and flows on into eternity. The Divine Dance never ends.

God the Creator powerfully, yet with gentle love, leads. Creating and recreating, birthing and sustaining, He dances with the compassionate incarnate Son, guided by the breath of the Holy Spirit. They are three distinct Persons but move as One. On one hand, the cascading flow of their Presence appears motionless, yet on the other, flows and moves with effortless attention. They share one heart, one goal, and one purpose and invite all of creation to join in their dance, their joy.

The energy of the Trinity flows through all created things. It is a dance of the heart, not of the mind. It has to be experienced, not dissected, and contemplated, not understood. We stand in awe of the Divine Dance and find ourselves watching in amazement all that God creates and sustains. The dance continues in the majesty of a mountain, the power and wonder of an ocean, and the vastness of the universe. It moves in the cry of a newborn infant and in the soul of one who has been forgiven. It flows in the cry for justice and in the wounds of the oppressed. It circles through the changing of seasons, the cycles of birth and death, and the wisdom that one acquires when they love God.

The Dance never ends. Its movements and rhythms go on forever. The Trinitarian Dance sustains all things, endures all things, and brings hope. You are invited to dance. Don't just watch as if you were simply a spectator. Join in the dance and move as they move.

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

SATURDAY – JUNE 6TH

9:00a.m. -Rosary

5:00p.m. -Mass

For James Cavanaugh
1st Anniversary
Requested by the Family

SUNDAY – JUNE 7ST

8:00a.m. -Mass

10:00a.m. -Mass

For All Graduates

MONDAY – JUNE 8TH

6:00p.m. -Mass

TUESDAY – JUNE 9TH

8:00a.m. -Mass

WEDNESDAY – JUNE 10TH

6:00p.m. Mass

THURSDAY – JUNE 11TH

8:00a.m. -Mass

For
The Simon Katonis Family
Requested by Cindy Katinas

FRIDAY – JUNE 12TH

NO MORNING MASS

SATURDAY – JUNE 13TH

9:00a.m. -Rosary

5:00p.m. -Mass

SUNDAY – JUNE 14TH

8:00a.m. -Mass

10:00a.m. -Mass

Partners In Charity

Thank you to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2020 Partners in Charity Appeal. To date our Parish has responded with approximately \$33,125. Towards our goal of \$39,900. If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, you may do so on line by visiting www.partners-charity.net to complete an online gift or pledge. You may also mail your gift or pledge to St. Columba Parish. Partners in Charity is the Annual Appeal for the Diocese of Worcester, serving 28 charitable, educational, and pastoral ministries. Through your generous support we are able to serve thousands of families and individuals in Worcester County through outreach, formation, evangelization, and worship. Thank you!

Mass Intentions

There will be someone in the Parish Office on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 9am until 11am if you would like to reschedule Mass Intentions that were for Masses between 3/17 and 5/23. Please call the rectory at 508-755-0408 and we will be glad to reschedule your Mass Intention.

To the Graduating Class of 2020



Congratulations Graduates! What a nice sound that must be to your ears. For many years you have worked toward a goal placed in front of you and you have accomplished it during very difficult times. As you complete this wonderful milestone in your life please know how much pride and joy we feel as your church family in this great accomplishment.

Mrs. Nummelin

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK AND IN A SPECIAL WAY FOR

Muriel Walsh, Dan Daignault, Eric Henault
Ursula Shea, Doris Metilly, Connie Bernier
Mellissa Angiolillo, Julie Dix, Garry Power,
Jackie Cook, Blake George Murawski
Barbara Englander, Ginny Bean, Patrick Remington
Aline Riedle, Robert Mertig, Christina Marden
Patricia Jones, Elena & Paul Coffey,

Weekly Offertory Collection

Our parish budget requires \$4,000 weekly to meet our expenses. For the week of May 24th we received \$3018. Thank you for your continued and generous support of our parish.

If you wish to make a weekly direct deposit to the parish, please refer to the instructions on the parish website listed under the “DONATE” tab at www.stcolumbapax.org.

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