

Holy Trinity Catholic Church

355 Oregon Ave
Bandon, OR 97411



St. John the Baptist

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Port Orford, OR 97465

Mission Statement: To be a welcoming Catholic community committed to love, prayer, and service.

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Holy Trinity office hours: M-Th-F, 9 am - 3 pm
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January 6, 2019 Epiphany of the Lord



They were overjoyed at seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother.
~ Matthew 2:10-11

Liturgy Schedule January 5-11, 2019

Holy Trinity ~ Bandon

Saturday Vigil Mass.....5:00 pm
Sunday Mass.....10:30 am

Weekday Prayer

Monday (Chapel).....9:30 am

Weekday Masses

Wednesday (Church).....5:30 pm
Thursday (Chapel).....12:00 pm
Friday (Chapel).....9:00 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Wednesday (Church).....4:30-5:15 pm
Saturday (Church).....3:30-4:30 pm

Adoration & Benediction

Thursday (Chapel).....12:30-8:00 pm
Friday (Chapel).....9:30 am-12:00 pm

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Masses

Sunday.....8:30 am
Wednesday.....9:00 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Sunday.....7:45-8:15 am

Highlights this Week

- The Red Cross will hold its monthly blood drive Tuesday, January 8, in the Parish Hall from 1-6 pm.
 - **Altar Society** will meet this Wednesday, January 9, at 1:00 pm in the Parish Hall.
- Wednesday Community Night Dinners, Religious Education and RCIA resume this week, January 9, after the 5:30 pm Mass. Dinner at 6:00, followed by classes at 6:30 pm.

Online Giving Now Available!

We are excited to announce that Holy Trinity Parish now accepts one-time and recurring donations conveniently from our website! You can make your secure donation via electronic check or debit/credit card by simply visiting www.holytrinitybandon.org/donate.

More information is available on our website or by calling the parish office at (541) 329-0697.

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St. John's Coordinators

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<u>Finance & Books:</u> Gary Dietel and James Huntzinger	332-0139
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Holy Trinity Activities



Monday 1/7

9:30 am.....Weekday Prayer, Chapel
1:30 pm.....Rosary, Chapel

Tuesday 1/8

11:30 am.....NO Mass

Wednesday 1/9

9:00 am.....Mass, St. John's
1:00 pm.....Altar Society, Hall
4:30-5:15 pm....Confessions, Church
5:30 pm.....Mass, Church
6:00 pm.....WCN Dinner, Hall
6:30 pm.....Religious Ed/RCIA, Hall

Thursday 1/10

10:45 am.....Bible Study, Hall
12:00 pm.....Mass, Chapel
12:30-8:00 pm.....Adoration & Benediction, Chapel

Friday 1/4

9:00 am.....Mass, Chapel
9:30 am - Noon.....Adoration & Benediction, Chapel

December 29-30 and January 1, 2019 Collections

Regular Collection \$2366.75

Solemnity of Mary \$706

Building Fund \$3

St. Johns \$272

Solemnity of Mary \$108

We at Holy Trinity and St. John's thank you, our parishioners, and our extended family, our visitors, for your contributions and support.



Rosary

Mondays
1:30 pm

In the Chapel
Come, join us!

Liturgical Ministers January 12-13

Saturday 1/12

Lector: Allison Hundley
EMHC: Elaine S. & Lorraine G.

Sunday 1/6

Lector: Kathy Cowan
EMHC: Lisa T. & Barye B.
Altar: Please step in and serve.



Holy Trinity

Sat 1/5: +David Hundley

Sun 1/6: +Angelo Giardinelli

Wed 1/9: All those on Holy Trinity's prayer chain

Thur 1/10: +Reverend John Hubbard

Fri 1/11: The needs and intentions of all Pacific View residents

St. John the Baptist

Sun 12/30: Intentions of all St. John's parishioners

Tue 1/1: All those on St. John's prayer chain

EXPERIENCE LOVE & ACCEPTANCE BY COMING HOME TO THE CATHOLIC CHURCH.

There's an old saying that goes, "Once a Catholic, always a Catholic." Maybe you have been away from the Church for a little while or for quite some time, but now you feel a tug at your heart calling you back to the Catholic Church. Listen to that tug. It's your Heavenly Father reaching his arms out to you, the Holy Spirit whispering in your ear, hoping to draw you home.

We hope you accept this as your invitation to rediscover the truth, wonder and mystery of the Catholic faith. As your brothers and sisters in our world-wide Catholic family, we want you back. We've missed you, and our Church is not the same without you.

Regardless of why you left or got out of the habit of going to Mass, you can always come home and return to the practice of the sacraments and the fullness of relationship with Jesus Christ and the Church he founded. We are Catholic. Welcome home.

Visit www.catholicscomehome.org.



Life is fragile handle with Prayer

Please remember in your prayers Brent Ahern, Jay Straley, Pete Goodbrod, David Willis, Tricia Brown, Janet Hawthorne, Skip Thomas, Nancy LaBay, Arianna Ernst, Pierre Dupree, Greg, and everyone on Holy Trinity & St. John's Prayer Chains.



Reflecting on Sunday's Readings

The Baptism of the Lord ~ January 13, 2019

To help you prepare for Mass next weekend, here are next Sunday's readings:

Reading I: Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7
Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 29
Reading II: Acts 10:34-38
Gospel: Luke 3:15-16, 21-22



Weekday Adoration

Thursday
12:30-8:00 pm

Friday
9:30 am - Noon

*In the
Chapel*



Bible Study

Bible Study class will resume on **Thursday, January 10** in the Parish Hall. We will gather at **10:45 am** with a social time, followed by study of the upcoming Sunday's Scripture readings at 11:00. Class is finished in time to attend daily Mass at Noon. For more information, please call Kathy Cowan at 347-3031.



All are welcome!

February Men's Group Meeting

The next Men's Group meeting will be **February 2 after the 9 am First Saturday Mass**. Please contact Jeff Turner with any questions about the group or the meeting at **503-302-6425** or by email to **bootsmedrn@gmail.com**.

"The Son of God became a man to enable men to become sons of God." ~ C. S. Lewis



Is God Calling You to Serve?

We are in need of more people to serve as Sacristans, Altar Servers, and Lay Communion Ministers. Please prayerfully consider participating in these very important ministries.

Sacristans, call Judy Crowe, 347-5043

Altar Servers, Jeff Turner, 503-302-6425, or Father Anthony 347-2309

Extraordinary Communion Ministers, Kathy Cowan, 347-3031

Ushers, Carol Holden, 347-1949



Thanks! Dankeschön! Merci Beaucoup! Dalu!

Thank you to Mike Hahn for providing "Keep Christ in Christmas" magnet gifts for the entire parish. If you have not received yours, they are available at the back of the church. We appreciate your generosity, Mike!



Wednesday Community Night Dinners, Religious Education and RCIA/Adult Ed will resume this Wednesday, **January 9, 2019**, in the Parish Hall.
See you there!



Graceful Aging

February 2nd, 2019

9am - 4pm

Bandon Community Center, "The Barn"

To register go to

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Epiphany: You Are the Light Today

My dear friends in Christ,

Today, we celebrate the Feast of Epiphany. Epiphany is a Greek word which means manifestation. In general, it reflects the appearance of the divine in time and space. In particular, it celebrates the revelation of Christ to the gentiles. The revelation of Christ to the Gentiles entails the revelation of Christ to the entire world especially to those who do not know him. This shows us that Epiphany sheds further light on Christmas as a continuing celebration of Jesus Christ who dwelt among us. While Christmas draws our attention to the birth of Christ in the flesh, Epiphany emphasizes and celebrates the earthly manifestations that tell us that the newborn child is the eternally begotten Word.

This revelation of Christ to the world came in a threefold manner: First, the star leads the Magi, *Wise Men*, to the crib of the newborn child; second, the baptism of Jesus in the Jordan River; and third, the miraculous wine at the marriage feast of Cana.

What are we to make of these three mysteries? What are the Magi to us? What meaning can Christ's baptism have for us today? How can we relate to the marriage feast of Cana?

Let us turn our attention to the first mystery, the coming of the Magi. It is important for us to remember that the Magi were considered Gentiles, for they came from pagan nations, but it was through their experience that the passages of Scripture relating to Christ opened their meaning to us, that Christ would be a light to the nations. Through his birth, he brought joy not to a chosen few, but to every soul. The star summoned the three wise men out of their distant lands and led them to recognize and adore Christ. As St. Leo says, "the obedience of the star calls us to imitate its humble service: to be servants, as best we can, of the grace that invites all people to find Christ." We are called to have the same zeal to be of help to one another as we search for Christ.

Today's celebration shows us the Magi of yesterday so that we can become the magi of today. Let us make real in ourselves what we see in the figures of the Magi. Let us point others to the star through the example of our lives.

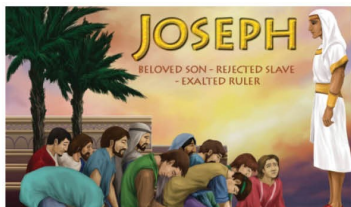
May the light of Christ's birth continue to shine upon you.

--Fr. Anthony Ahamefule
Parish Priest

Our parish recommendations on FORMED this week for:

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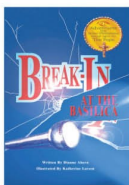
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