

Holy Trinity Catholic Church

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St. John the Baptist

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

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November 14th, 2021
33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year b)



And then they will see 'the Son of Man coming in the clouds' with great power and glory, and then he will send out the angels and gather his elect from the four winds, from the end of the earth to the end of the sky.

Liturgy Schedule

November 13th—November 19th, 2021

Holy Trinity - Bandon

Saturday Vigil Mass (livestreamed).....5:00 pm
Sunday Mass.....10:30 am
Wednesday Mass.....5:00 pm
Thursday Mass.....12:00 pm
Friday Mass.....12:00 pm
Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday.....3:30-4:45 pm

St. John the Baptist - Port Orford

Sunday Mass.....8:30 am
Thursday Mass.....9:30 am
Sacrament of Reconciliation.....Sunday 8am -8:30am

Highlights this Week

St. Johns Women's Guild will be having a Christmas Bazaar / Rummage Sale on December 3rd & 4th. Donations and items re being accepted beginning November 27th. No Electronics are being accepted. Please contact Rosie Hajek at 541-332-1230 for additional information.

November is the month of the Holy Souls. In the pews you will find envelopes on which to write the names of your deceased loved ones for remembrance throughout the month of November. Envelopes may be dropped into the collection basket at Mass, or they may be brought or mailed to the parish office.

The Altar Society is again sponsoring donations for the Pacific Pregnancy Clinic. The drive will begin on October 30th and end on November 28th. Baby clothing up to size 4T or other baby items may be placed in the back of the church during those dates. You can also make checks out to Holy Trinity Altar Society and on the memo line please write Pacific Pregnancy Clinic. The clinic has greatly appreciated our past donations.

Online Giving

Holy Trinity Parish accepts one-time and recurring donations conveniently on our website. You can make your secure donation via electronic check or debit/credit card by simply visiting www.holytrinitybandon.org/donate

Prayer Intentions

Marty & Marilyn Hunt, Johnny Waller & Family, Michelle Greenway, Dan Fenger, Clayton Duvall, Tom Simas, Hannah Gibson, Guy Lawrence, Alexander Shenkin, Bernie Karlin, Roseann & Bob Gates, Steven White, Jr., John Freitag Jr, Tom Lindstrom & family, all who are suffering with illness, those who serve us in health care and essential services, everyone with Holy Trinity and St. John's Prayer Chains. If you would like to add or remove a name, contact the parish office at 541-329-0697

Almighty and ever living God,
through the love of the Most Sacred Heart
of Jesus Christ, Your Son, in your mercy,
restore the spiritual, emotional, and
physical health of all those mentioned
above mentioned above. Amen

November 6-7 Collections

Holy Trinity Weekly Goal \$2700
Regular Collection \$3041

St. John's Weekly Goal \$450
St. John the Baptist \$351

"God loves a cheerful giver."

Psalm 37:16-17

*16 Better the little that the righteous
have than the wealth of many
wicked;*

*17 for the power of the wicked will
be broken, but the LORD upholds the
righteous.*

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

5 pm Saturday Vigil Nov. 20th

Lector: Allison Hundley

Sacristan: John Freitag

10:30 am Sunday Mass Nov. 21st

Lectors: Kathy Cowan

Sacristan: Kevin Kroll

Mass Intentions this Week

Holy Trinity

Sat Vigil 11/13 + Souls in Purgatory

Sun 11/14 + Johnny Waller

Wed 11/17: + James Rielly

Thu 11/18: + John Holden

Fri 11/20: + Holy Innocence

St. John the Baptist

Sun 11/14: + Souls in Purgatory

Thu 11/18: + Babies lost to Abortion

Pastor's Message

Remaining Focused on Jesus

1st Reading: Dn 12:1-3 | **2nd Reading:** Heb 10:11-14, 18 | **Gospel:** Mk 13:24-32

GROW: Many of us don't like to think about death, and the same can be said for some references to the end times, particularly those like we hear in the Book of Daniel: "Some shall live forever, others shall be an everlasting horror and disgrace." However, in today's Gospel, Jesus assures us that we who believe need not fear the Second Coming, for at that time the Son of Man shall "gather his elect." Yes, "heaven and earth will pass away," but the words of Jesus never shall. It is true, we don't know the time or the hour of his return and so we prepare for it by remaining focused on Jesus' words and turning our lives over to him in and through the sacramental life of the Church. Strive to live well on earth, following the path to eternal life that our loving and merciful Savior has paved for us.

GO: It's easy to become complacent in that striving. I notice that tendency in everyday life – taking your spouse for granted, not being mindful of how what we say and do serves as an example (either good or bad!) for another. It's like moving through the day with blinders on. In today's Gospel, Jesus is teaching his disciples about his return in glory, and how those who follow him will be able to sense its approach. "Learn a lesson from the fig tree. When its branch becomes tender and sprouts leaves, you know that summer is near." In other words, "pay attention; be observant" – the opposite of complacency. To counter this within ourselves, we can ask God to open our eyes to the signs of his love all around us – our spouses and dear friends, our families, the church and all the gifts we have been given. Just as importantly, we can accompany one another as we seek to grow in holiness and prepare for the day we meet Jesus, living as an example in word and deed. As the Book of Daniel so eloquently tells us, "The wise shall shine brightly like the splendor of the firmament, and those who lead the many to justice shall be like the stars forever."

PRAY: Read the life of the saints. Their stories contain inspiring examples of lives well lived. Take a moment in this month of November to pray for all who have died. Make a conscious effort to be a specific example to another of Christ's love in the world that they, too, might be better prepared for Christ's return.

Reflecting on Next Sunday's Readings

34th Sunday in Ordinary Time - November 21st, 2021

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

Reading I: Daniel 7:13-14

Responsorial Psalm: 93

Reading II: Revelation 1:5-8

Gospel: John 18:33b-37

Ongoing Programs



Faith Formation is every Wednesday at 5:30-6:15
Look for upcoming information.

RCIA is on Wednesdays at 5:30—6:15pm in the Parish Hall after Mass.

Rosary is on Mondays in the Chapel at 1:30. All are welcome.

Altar Society meets on the 2nd Wednesday of every month, at 1:00 pm in the Parish Hall. All ladies are welcome.

Bible Study is on Thursdays at 11am in the Parish Hall. All are welcome.

Adoration is on Thursdays at 12:30—8:00 pm and on Fridays 9:30am—12 noon starting October 7

Announcements

Thanksgiving Mass will be held November 25th at 9:00am.

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Parish Record Update: We have come to realize in the Parish Office that many of our parish records are outdated. Please fill out a Parish Record Update request sheet and place it in the collection basket, mail/bring to the parish office or give to Fr. Anthony at the end of Mass.. Our parish handles your information confidentially and will not share it with anyone without your permission.

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Nov. 18: DEDICATION OF THE BASILICAS OF STS. PETER AND PAUL, Apostles



The anniversaries of dedication of these two basilicas (among the 4 major basilicas in Rome) were celebrated as early as the twelfth century. Both were completed in the fourth century but were later rebuilt due to different reasons.

Saint Peter's Basilica was originally built in 323 by the emperor Constantine. The basilica was constructed over the tomb of Peter the Apostle, the Church's first Pope. After standing for more than a thousand years, Pope Julius II ordered the building to be torn down due to structural concerns. The construction of the new church spanned over 200 years before its completion. It was dedicated on Nov. 18, 1626. It is considered the most famous church in Christendom.

St. Paul's Basilica in the Ostian Way was also built over his tomb and was rebuilt in the nineteenth century. It was originally located outside the original walls of Rome and was also originally built by the emperor Constantine but it was destroyed by fire in 1823. Donations from around the world made the reconstruction possible. Before the completion of Saint Peter's Basilica, St Paul's was the largest church in Rome. Pope Pius IX consecrated the Basilica in 1854.

"The Holy Mother Church has always been the friend of the fine arts and continuously sought their noble help so that all things set apart for use in divine worship should be truly worthy, becoming and beautiful, signs and symbols of heavenly realities" (Vatican Council II, Sacrosanctum Concilium, 122).

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FORMED: This week's FORMED recommendations are below. Getting started is easy:

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Click on our parish from the drop-down menu and enter your email address to create an account.

Then go to your inbox, click the link in the message generated by your request, and start watching!

Children

The Wonderful World of Benjamin Cello

Episode 5 Overcome Evil with Good
25m

When Benjamin Cello's beautiful day is ruined by "bad news" filling his cottage with soot and smoke, he retreats to Pennywhistle Park where Brother Joseph's courage and Lolly Popular's joy show everyone how to overcome evil with good.



Adults

Blessed Duns Scotus: Defender of the Immaculate Conception~

The inspiring true story of the holy Franciscan priest and theologian who won a famous debate against the Dominicans in the thirteenth century, in which he defended Our Lady's great privilege of her Immaculate Conception. He laid the groundwork for the Church to define that as a dogma of the Catholic Faith.



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