

Prayer Intentions

Carol Roberts, Lupe Converse and Family, Denise Zeller & Trevino Family, Guy Hawthorne, Michelle Tate, Tom Lindstrom & family, Tom Sheehan & Family, Mark Fisher, Dupree Family, Farey Family, Turner Family, Holden Family, Duvall Family, Guy Lawrence, John Freitag Jr, & 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.
Amen

April 9-10 Collections

Holy Trinity Weekly Goal \$2700

Regular Collection \$3644

St. John's Weekly Goal \$450

St. John the Baptist \$327

*Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse,
That there may be food in my house.*

*Put me to the test, says the Lord of hosts,
and see if I do not open the floodgates of
heaven for you,*

*and pour down upon you blessing
without measure! Malachi 3:10*

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Saturday Easter Vigil April 16th 8:30pm

Lector: Kathy Cowan & Denise Daigre

Sacristan: John Freitag Jr

Sunday April 17th 10:30am

Lectors: Allison Hundley

Sacristan: Carol Holden

Mass Intentions this Week

Holy Trinity

Sat Vigil 4/16

Sun 4/17

Wed 4/20

Thu 4/21

Fri 4/22

St. John the Baptist

Sun 4/17

Thu 4/21

+ Souls in Purgatory

+ Johnny Waller

+ Bruce Johnson

+ Holy Innocents

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Pastor's Message

He is Risen! Alleluia!

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

The Lord Has Truly Risen! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

It is with great joy that I say Happy Easter to you all. After forty days of Lenten Season and the beautiful celebrations of Holy Week, we are now in the Easter Season. Easter reminds us that there is light at the end of the tunnel. Through His passion, death and resurrection, Christ has destroyed the power of death and given us the gift of new life.

This light of Christ was welcomed in a special way by Autumn Freeman, William Stoddard, John Augsburg, Christina Waller and Roseann Gates who received the Sacraments at the Easter Vigil Mass and became members of our Catholic family by virtue of their baptism. We congratulate and welcome them into the family of God's people.

I want to also extend a very warm welcome to everyone at Holy Trinity and St. John's this Easter Season. Whether you are a regular, have been away, is returning for the first time since the pandemic or this is your first time here, I want to greet you very warmly and very simply with: "Welcome Home!"

You may have heard me say this before and I strongly believe that home is a place where you belong; a place where you are loved; a place where you seek refuge; a place where you draw strength. No matter where you have been, what you have been through in life or what you have done, you have a home in the Life, Death and Resurrection of Jesus Christ and in His Church (that is us). If Jesus Christ made a home for us through His dying and rising, we too are called to be witnesses to the grace and power of Jesus' resurrection in our lives.

One of the gifts of the resurrection is joy. Reclaim your joy in Christ. Witness to that joy by sharing it with and bringing it to others. Never let the ever-changing circumstances of life drain or take away that joy which, only Jesus can give.

Appreciation

I want to thank all the ministers, altar servers, lectors, the choir, those who beautified the church and all who, in so many ways helped in the celebrations of Holy Week, especially on Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Vigil. You made it possible for our Holy Week celebration to be beautiful and for us to be enriched and enhanced in our faith.

We are also grateful to Lisa Turner for organizing the Easter Egg hunt, which adds more to our Easter joy. Thank you all very much.

I pray that the peace of the Risen Christ fills your hearts and homes.

Happy Easter!

---Fr. Anthony Ahamefule

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Ongoing Programs

All Religious Education classes are every Wednesday at 5:30-6:15

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

A Ministry of Health & Well-being: Fresh air, movement, and sunshine. It's time to join the parish walking group! The group meets every Wednesday at noon in the Jesus Courtyard - all levels, all ages welcome!



Announcements

Rice Bowls will be collected April 23rd –May 1st. Please bring your collection to Mass and place in rice bowl baskets or bring into the office the last week of April on Tuesday, Thursday or Friday between 9am—3:30pm (regular office hours).

Next Sunday is Divine Mercy Sunday. We will begin praying the Divine Mercy Novena on Easter Sunday and reciting the Chaplet of Divine Mercy before each Mass next week.

Next week we will be publishing the summarized themes of the Synod. Further information will be available in the vestibule after Mass.



Mass Intentions

All parishioners are invited to have a Mass offered for your loved ones or other special intentions.

You may contact the parish office at 541-329-0697 or stop by the office Tues, Thurs, Fri 9-3:30
A suggested donation of \$10 for this service is appreciated.

The Voice of the Shephard

Archbishop Sample gives an overview of our Christian story and our rescue by God: Proclaiming the Good News that Jesus IS the peace, joy, love, truth, and eternal life for which you've been looking. Jesus doesn't just change some things - Jesus Changes Everything! We invite everyone to listen to Archbishop Samples inspiring messages here visit:



www.youtube.com/ArchbishopSample

~ Reflecting on Next Sunday's Readings ~

April 24th, 2022 2nd Sunday of Divine Mercy

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

Reading I: Acts of the Apostles 5:12-16

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 118:2-4,13-15,22-24

Reading II: Revelation 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19

Gospel: John 20:19-31



Easter Prayers for Kids

In the weeks before Easter, chocolate, plastic Easter eggs, baskets, candy, cards and more fill the shelves of grocery stores.

However, if our children's only experience of Easter is the Easter Bunny and the gifts it brings, they'll completely miss the true meaning and importance of Easter.

You can celebrate Easter with baskets of treats *and* hearts filled with love of God. And it doesn't require elaborate prayers. Pray one of these simple prayers with your kids to keep Jesus at the center of the day:

- Jelly Bean Prayer: Red is for the blood you gave, and black is for the empty grave. Yellow is for the shining sun, white is for the new life begun. Green is for the grass and trees and purple is for your majesty. Orange is for the edge of night, and pink is for the morning light. Amen!
- Jesus, thank You for your sacrifice. Jesus, thank You for my life. Today is Easter so we pray, That we'll join you in heaven someday.
- Today is a very special Sunday. We thank you, God, for all the love You've given us and for the gift of Jesus. On this Easter, we pray in Your name. Amen.
- Bunnies remind us of all the animals You made, and all the beautiful things You created. We love you, God, more than any chocolate, candy or toy. We ask for Your Easter blessing on this special day. Amen.

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He Is Risen! The Power of the Resurrection

Easter Sunday • 29m

Join Brother Francis as he celebrates the power and splendor of the Resurrection of Jesus Christ in this moving and instructive animated presentation!



This episode includes: An animated presentation of key points in the life of Jesus Christ, His Death on the Cross, triumph over death, and Ascension to the Father. A visual representation of how we celebrate Holy Week and the Easter Triduum.

"He Is Risen!"—a joyful, visualized song that fills our hearts with praise to God.

Steeped in Scripture and instruction, Brother Francis: He Is Risen! is a wonderful reminder of the reality of God's power and presence!

Adult

Did Jesus Really Rise from the Dead?
Easter Sunday • 10m



The Search Continues

How do we know Jesus rose from the dead? Dr. Michael Barber and Chris Stefanick discuss various oppositions to the truth that Jesus actually died and rose from the dead.

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