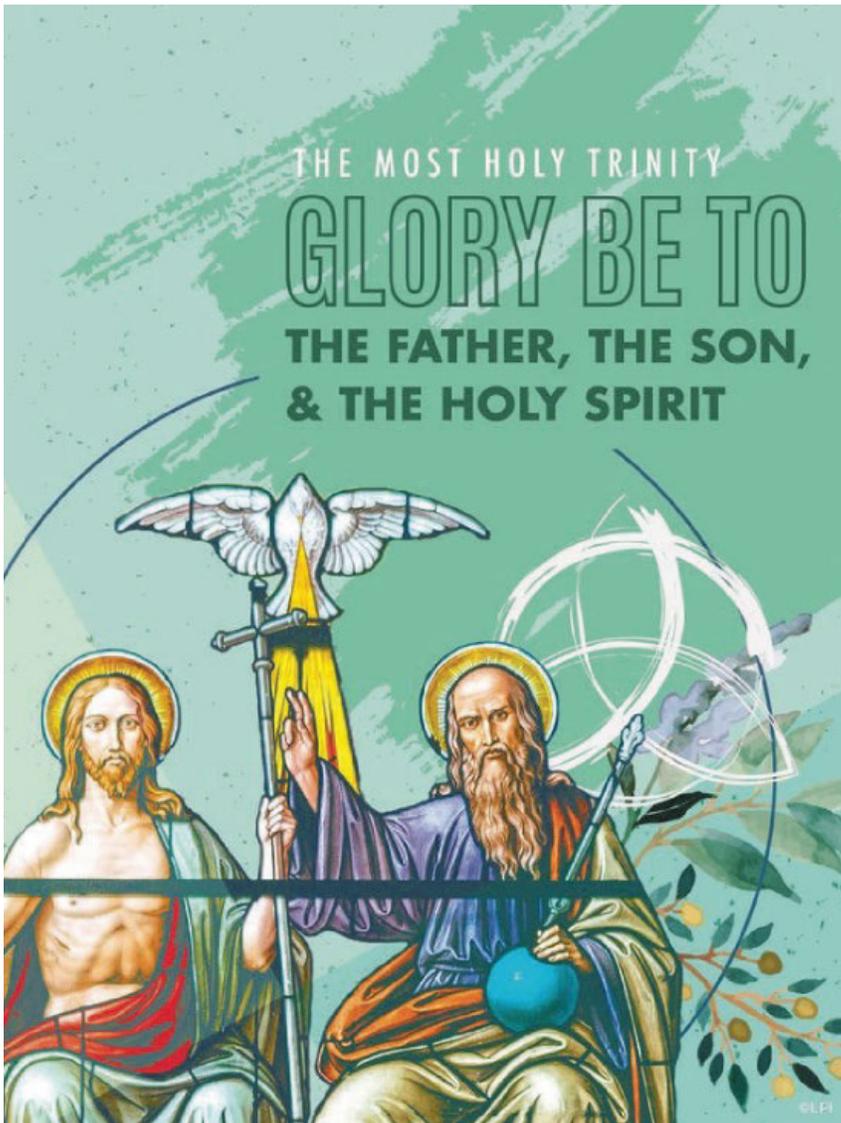


June 15, 2025

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MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Sat., June 14, 2025 *Flag Day*

4:30 p.m. at CC
4:00 p.m. at St. B

Sun., June 15, 2025 *The Most Holy Trinity, Father's Day*

8:30 a.m. at St. A Michelle Klotz Hemp +
9:00 a.m. at OLOM Alvina Simmerman +
10:30 a.m. at St. B
11:00 a.m. at QM Mae & Mike Meyring +
Judy Pope +
Deacon Skip Royer +

Mon., June 16, 2025 *(No Mass or Communion Service)*

Tues., June 17, 2025

8:30 a.m. at CC

Wed., June 18, 2025

8:30 a.m. at OLOM Lowell & Theresa George +

Thurs., June 19, 2025 *St. Romuald, Abbot, Juneteenth*

8:30 a.m. at QM

Fri., June 20, 2025 *(No Mass or Communion Service)*

Sat., June 21, 2025 *St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious*

4:30 p.m. at CC
4:00 p.m. at St. B

Sun., June 22, 2025 *The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ*

8:30 a.m. at St. A Stephanie Tozzi +
9:00 a.m. at OLOM Jim & Mary Jo Omlor +
10:30 a.m. at St. B
11:00 a.m. at QM

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Saturday, June 21, 2025 4:30 p.m. at CC

Presider:
Lector: Vince Sacksteder
Eucharistic Ministers: Pat Gill / Detsy Sacksteder
Server:

Saturday, June 21, 2025 4:00 p.m. at St. B

Note: New time Change

Presider:
Lectors/Readers:
Petitions: Eucharistic Ministers:

Sunday, June 22, 2025 8:30 a.m. at St. A

Presider:
Lector: Jeff Bruns
Eucharistic Ministers: Joan Cameron, Doug Hoog,
Patrick Barnett, Randy Klotz

Server: Susie Stewart

Sunday, June 22, 2025 9:00 a.m. at OLOM

Presider:
Lectors: Sr. Pauline Siesegh
Eucharistic Ministers: Deb Ravenstein / Sr. Gerri
Server:

Sunday, June 22, 2025 10:30 a.m. at St. B

Presider:
1st Reader – Mary O’Basuyi
2nd Reader – Michelle Sherman
Petitions – Deacon Victor O’Basuyi
Extraordinary Ministers –
Tracy Henderson, Janice Allen, Sylvia Orr (R);
Emmett Orr, Dominique Akpore, Kim Brown (L)
Deacon Victor O’Basuyi (C)

Sunday, June 22, 2025 11:00 a.m. at QM

Presider:
Lector: 1-Don Tomczak 2- Becky Phillips
Eucharistic Ministers: Charlotte Minnelli / Jim Zeller
Server: Larry Schwieterman

Let's Communicate!

BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

DEADLINE MONDAY AT NOON

Send bulletin information to Marty:

mphillips@gmdayton.org

Family- wide SUNDAY PULPIT

ANNOUNCEMENTS

pertaining to all locations

DEADLINE WEDNESDAY AT 9:00 am

Send family-wide pulpit announcements to Liz:

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SUNDAY PULPIT ANNOUNCEMENTS

pertaining to just your location

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writer to be read at Mass**



HOLY SPIRIT FAMILY OF PARISHES WEEKLY CALENDAR

| MONDAY June 16, 2025 | | |
|-------------------------|--|---|
| 11:00 am | St. Benedict the Moor Rosary In the sanctuary and Dial-In on Phone | Dial-In Number: 6677701427 Access Code: 556136 |
| TUESDAY June 17, 2025 | | |
| 9:30 am | Charismatic Prayer Group | CC Madonna Room |
| 4:00 pm | Neighborhood Meal | CC Madonna Room |
| WEDNESDAY June 18, 2025 | | |
| 9:30 am | QM Bible Study | McAuley Hall QM |
| 6:30 pm | St. Augustine Rosary | SA |
| 6:00 pm | St. Benedict Bible Study | St. Benedict meeting room |
| SUNDAY June 22, 2025 | | |
| 10:30 a.m. | Queen of Martyrs Rosary, before Mass | QM |



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May 18, 2025

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ST. BENEDICT THE MOOR Saturday and Sunday Mass

May 18, 2025

To Be updated

OUR LADY OF GRACE - OLOM & CC Saturday and Sunday Mass

May 18, 2025

Collection \$783

QUEEN OF MARTYRS Sunday Mass

May 18, 2025

Collection \$957, CRS \$10

Sacrament of Reconciliation

*Saturdays before the 4 p.m. Mass at SB,
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 or by appointment.*

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**GOSPEL MEDITATION -
ENCOURAGE DEEPER
UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE**

**June 15, 2025
The Most Holy Trinity
John 16:12-15**

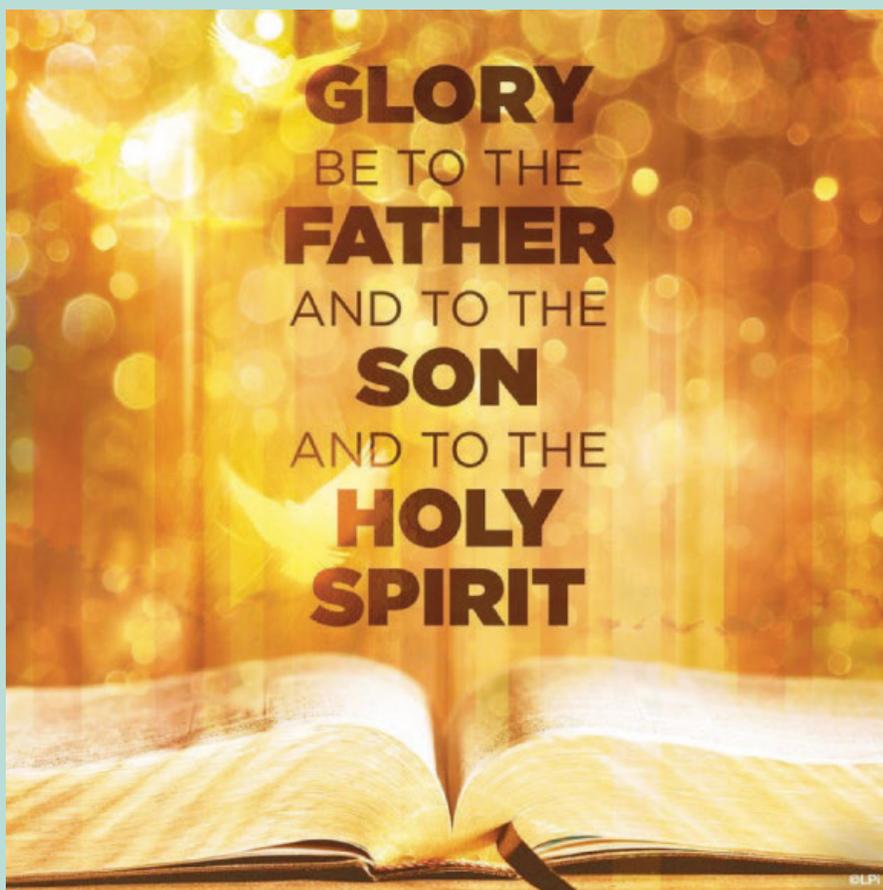
I am amazed at how my four siblings teach their many kids in age-appropriate ways. For example, now that my nephew Brandon is 24 years of age, they give him insights and freedoms that would have been positively confounding or even dangerous when he was a toddler. Imagine if they had taught him at age four how to drive a car, use a credit card online, or handle power tools. But eventually, they did, and he is a high functioning young man, I'm proud to say. They are good teachers.

This week we learn that Jesus teaches us in a similar way. He says to his Apostles, "I have much more to tell you, but you cannot bear it now" (John 16:12). How disappointing for them. But imagine at that moment, before his resurrection and ascension, if the Lord had started telling them about synods and sacraments, popes and parishes, martyrs and monasteries, rosaries and relics, catechisms and crucifixes? They would have been absolutely overwhelmed, confused, and discouraged. He tells them what they need to know, when it is time for them to know it.

So he does for us. Jesus has unceasingly taught the Church as she matures through the centuries, just as he teaches you and me through our lives in ways we can understand. Our task should be to learn what he is teaching us now, knowing that (although revelation per se is complete in him and his Apostles), he never ceases to teach us as we spiritually mature. Be confident: he knows what you are ready to learn now.

— Father John Muir

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Respect Life Corner

“Through our prayers and through the intercession of St. Joseph, patron of fathers, may fathers come to know the irreplaceable role they hold in the lives of their children, and the responsibility they share in welcoming God’s gift of new life!”

**Most Reverend Shelton J. Fabre,
Bishop of Houma-Thibodaux
“Fathers’ Irreplaceable Role in Welcoming Life”**

VOCATION VIEW

The love of God is being poured forth into our hearts. Open yourself to receive and share that love. Be open to God calling you to spread love through a Church vocation. (Romans 5:1-5)

Prayer to the Holy Trinity

**Glory be to God the Father, God the Son,
and God the Holy Spirit,
who calls us into communion with Him,
a life of grace and mystery, reconciliation and unity.
Amen.**



Bible Studies

St. Benedict Bible Study: We will re-start in person Bible Study on Wednesday, April 23, 2025. We will meet promptly at 6:00pm in the St. Benedict meeting room.

We will continue in person until Daylight Savings ends in November 2025.

Queen of Martyrs Bible Study Wednesday Mornings
9:30 am to 11:00 am. McAuley Hall. Year round.

Our Lady of Grace Bible Study will be on Summer Break starting in June. Our next session will begin in late August. Updated information will be posted in July.

LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

Jesus knew how it would be. He knew we would stumble in the dark, grasping for answers. And so he sent us a light: the Holy Spirit, the illumination of all that is true. Dare we look into the light? Are we ready to see the truth?



PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK AND SHUT-INS:

*Pat Bell, Betty Jones, Susie Roberts,
Angelina Matin, Nancy Green, Mary Dudley,
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Dorian Choice, Robert Florence, Loure Hayes,
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Join your church family in praying the Rosary for the community and each other.

St. Benedict Rosary is every Monday at 11:00 a.m. in the sanctuary **Dial-In Available at:**
New Dial-In Number: 6677701427 Access Code: 556136

St. Augustine Rosary is in person every Wednesday a 6:30 pm. Holy Hour every First Thursday of the month

Queen of Martyrs Rosary is in person every Sunday at 10:30 a.m., just before the 11:00 a.m. Mass

DO YOU NEED PRAYERS?

Please call Pat Wilson at 937-836-2006 and she will pray for you.

WE SALUTE OUR MEMBERS IN THE MILITARY

*Major Matthew Fecke, Tiffany Kracus Lewis,
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(PRACTICING) CATHOLIC - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

The Best Kind of Mystery

“Do you have a mystery for me to solve?”

If I’ve heard it once, I’ve heard it a hundred times. My daughter is obsessed with mysteries. It’s not enough for her to read about them in the pages of every Nancy Drew book she can get her hands on. She wants more than that. She wants a real-life mystery. A puzzle that resists being solved. A question that eludes an answer. Something that isn’t easy to wrap her head around.

And not surprisingly, she’s not satisfied with the “mysteries” I can offer her. The Mystery of Mom’s Missing Hair Tie (spoiler alert: it was in my purse). The Mystery of the Missing Lunch Ham (oops, Mom finished it).

Simple answers are so boring. “Will I ever have a real mystery?” she moans.

I get it. We’re all this way, really. We are drawn to the mysterious, to the inscrutable. It’s because we know that the answers to the really big questions are ones that can’t be explained in a neat and tidy way. We know that the reality of life and love and the human condition is something we can’t quite fit our heads around. We know that there is so much in this world, in this universe, that we can’t...understand. So, in a way, mysteries are the only things that really make sense to us.

Why do we love mysteries so much? Because God is a mystery. And that’s never as clear as it is today, on the Feast of the Most Holy Trinity, the mystery that boondoggles us all. Four relations. Three persons. One God.

Don’t ask me to explain it. I could, but I don’t have the word space, and frankly, it might not even make sense then. It’s a mystery, you see. A real one. The best kind.

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EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

Up to the Job

Have you ever had a job for which you didn’t feel qualified? I think we all have, whether it was a paying gig or not. A lot of us parents often feel in awe of the magnitude of that role and lose sleep worrying that we made the wrong decision in one situation or a bad call in another. Some of us feel intimidated by what our communities need from us, on the parish level or in our personal relationships. Or maybe we are simply dreading a task that seems too big, too overwhelming — that necessary base-ment cleanout, or the weekly organization of family schedules.

When we don’t feel qualified, we don’t want to do the work. We get stuck in our own fear. That’s the birthplace of procrastination, self-doubt and bitterness. When we look inward at our own abilities, we can only see all the traits that aren’t there. The intelligence, the dexterity, the ambition — whatever it is we lack, we get stuck on it.

I’ve got good news and bad news. I’ll start with the bad news: none of us are qualified for the call of discipleship. We simply aren’t. We don’t have the love or grace or strength to get the job done.

Now I’ll give you the good news: God knows this, and He doesn’t care. Stewardship does not insist that we possess every good quality — no, as a way of life, stewardship recognizes that we lack so many qualities. But it shows us where to find the love and grace and strength we need. Stewardship does not demand that we know every answer; it merely reminds us who to ask when we don’t.
— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS ©LPi

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK -



1st Reading Question:

Proverbs teaches us that the wisdom of God was present with God throughout creation, playing on earth and finding delight in humans. What brings delight to your life?

2nd Reading Question:

Paul encouraged believers that in Jesus we have peace with God and through the Holy Spirit we have the love of God in our hearts. Why do you think these fruits of the Holy Trinity have been given to us?

Gospel:

Jesus taught his disciples that the Spirit gives to believers everything the Father has given to the Son. When have you been generous to others?

Did you know
that the last
supper was when
Jesus instituted
the Eucharist?



Approximately
19 million Catholics
receive the Eucharist
weekly in the USA!



St. Benedict's Women's Ministry Group

There will not be a St. Benedict's Women's Ministry Group meeting in June 2025 due to our supporting the Murder Mystery Dinner Theatre. Our next meeting will be held on Saturday, July 19, 2025 @ 9:30 a.m. in the Meeting Room.

ST. AUGUSTINE PRAYER CHAIN

If you would like to be a part of the St. Augustine Prayer Chain, please contact Marie Klotz at prayerlinesta@gmail.com

ST. AUGUSTINE ONE CALL

To be added to the St. Augustine one-call, please contact Fran Delegato at frandelegato@gmail.com

All Holy Spirit Family of Parishes Event

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