MOST HOLY TRINITY PARISH

Mass Schedule, Intentions for April 18th-26th

(O) = St. Theresa's in Orleans; (I) = St. John Vianney in Irasburg; (B) = St. Paul's in Barton

Special Note: Fr. Curtis will still offer Masses privately for the intentions scheduled (and videos will be posted on our parish website), but you can ask to have them rescheduled.

2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER, DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Saturday — April 18 — Henry Lebrecque
By Jeannette Lebreque

Sunday — April 19 — Jason, Loli, & Roger Berard, & Alice Cook By Mary E. Fleck

Monday — April 20 — Intentions of Brandon Poginy
By Kayla Poginy

Tuesday — April 21 — Intentions of Alicia Poginy
By Kayla Poginy

Wednesday — April 22 — Intentions of Quinn D'Andrea
By Kayla Poginy

Thursday — April 23 — Our Parishioners

Friday — April 24 — Genevieve Lafleur (8th Anniversary)

By Richard Lafleur & Family

2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER, DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Saturday — April 25 — Andrew Harbec

By Pauline Vanasse

Sunday — April 26 — Walter Hartman By Mary E. Fleck

Prayers have been requested for:

Shut-Ins & Sick George LeBlanc Guy Lamadeleine Blaise DeCario Webber Dolores Harbec **Bob Trombly** Darin Fortin Alice Locke Jon Lasseigne Jeannine Jolin Liliane Lanciaux Real Couture Ida Couture Monique Lapointe Cookie Broome Jeannine Berard Irene Lanoue Brian Hinton Kathy Vento

Patricia Smolinsky
Evelyn Ann Moore
Georgette Griffin
Theresa Carrier
Linda Gullard
Anthony Rodenas
Dorothy Quintal Fuller
Real Gauvin
Bill Torrisi
Scott Pellerin
Maurice LaClair
Joseph Bertolaccini

Rest In Peace: Keith Stone Irene Riendeau Annette Blais Nancy Rivers Armande Meunier Fern Tanguay Brandon Bradley



Please contact the parish office with any additions, deletions or corrections to our prayer list: 525-3711, trinityparish@ymail.com

Letter From Fr. Curtis

Dear Parishioners,

Happy Easter! This Holy Week and Easter was certainly different from any other we've experienced before, yet the truth of this celebration is still the same: Christ has risen from the dead. Alleluia! We pray that the victory of Christ's cross and resurrection may extend to us today, and give us the strength to get through these trying times.

I hope that you were able to spend some time in prayer and fellowship with family and friends during these holy days, even if only over the phone or by video conference. If you don't have anyone to share this time with, feel free to give me a call at the rectory 525-3711. I would be happy to chat with you. I'm also going to be trying to call as many parishioners as I can to check in. (I'm getting a late start, but I've been busier in the office than I expected!)

As you probably know, I spent the Triduum with the two priests at Corpus Christi Parish in St. Johnsbury. Sorry that the live-stream of those Masses didn't work. If you missed them, they can still be viewed at:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/ UCZFQv5mPhC7NlmvsvDnaqWQ/videos

This Sunday, April 19, is Divine Mercy Sunday. This was a day instituted by Pope St. John Paul II to celebrate the mystery of God's merciful love, particularly as revealed to St. Faustina, a Polish nun who had visions of Jesus in the 1930s. One of the devotions introduced through the visions of St. Faustina is the Divine Mercy Chaplet. I've included a guide for how to say this prayer on the next page. The hour that Jesus gave His life for us on the cross, 3 p.m., is a traditional time to offer this prayer. It's a simple, but powerful prayer that can be said using a regular Rosary.

Have a happy and blessed Easter season! Fr. Curtis

Thank you for mailing in or dropping off your offertory envelopes to the rectory!

<u>Parish Collections</u>: 4/10 Good Friday for Holy Land \$182, 4/12 First: \$1,119, 4/12 Second: Energy \$267 No 2nd Collection this weekend 4/19, Next weekend: Evangelization & Catechesis

Other Area Weekend Masses:

Sacred Heart Church, 130 S. Pleasant St., Troy: Saturday at 6:00PM, Sunday at 9:00 AM. St. Mary's Church, 191 Clermont Terrace, Newport: Saturday at 4:00PM, Sunday at 10:00AM and 7:00PM.

Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

St. Paul's School



51. Paul, patron of our school, help us to be good students & Christians today

Our teachers and staff are still working (remotely) and our students are still learning (a lot of it online). Please continue to support them with your prayers and financial assistance. This is a very hard time for many of our families, especially if parents are our of work, so any assistance you can provide would be appreciated.

Work StudyPrayPlay

Catechism Corner The institution of the Eucharist (continued)

"Do this in memory of me"

1341 The command of Jesus to repeat his actions and words "until he comes" does not only ask us to remember Jesus and what he did. It is directed at the liturgical celebration, by the apostles and their successors, of the memorial of Christ, of his life, of his death, of his Resurrection, and of his intercession in the presence of the Father.

1342 From the beginning the Church has been faithful to the Lord's command. of the Church of Jerusalem it is written:

They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers.... Day by day, attending the temple together and breaking bread in their homes, they partook of food with glad and generous hearts.

How to Pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet

Optional Opening Prayers:

You expired, Jesus, but the source of life gushed forth for souls, and the ocean of mercy opened up for the whole world.

O Fount of Life, unfathomable Divine Mercy,

envelop the whole world and empty Yourself out upon us.

(Repeat 3 times:) O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a fountain of Mercy for us, I trust in You!



Our Father, Hail Mary and the Apostle's Creed

(On each large "Our Father" bead of the rosary, pray:)

Eternal Father, I offer you the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your Dearly Beloved Son, Our Lord, Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.

(On each of the 10 small "Hail Mary" beads, pray:)
For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.



(Repeat these prayers for all five decades.)

Concluding prayer (Repeat 3 times) Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

Optional Closing Prayer

Eternal God, in whom mercy is endless and the treasury of compassion inexhaustible, look kindly upon us and increase Your mercy in us, that in difficult moments we might not despair nor become despondent, but with great confidence submit ourselves to Your holy will, which is Love and Mercy itself. Amen.