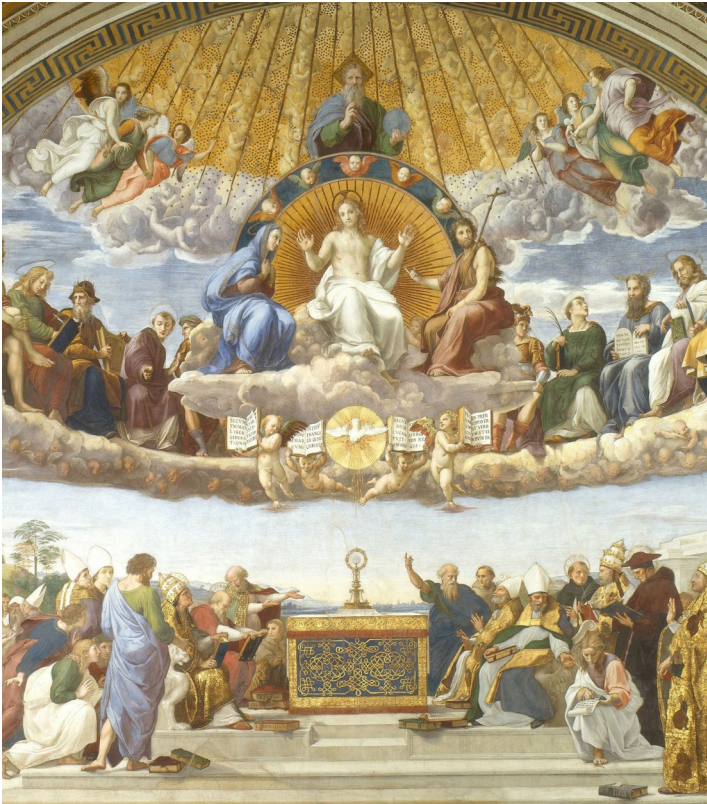


Blessed Trinity Parish

Roman Catholic Church

Greenfield, Massachusetts

Feast of The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph — December 28, 2025



Schedule of Holy Mass

Lord's Day Vigil— Saturday 4 pm

Lord's Day—Sunday 8 am, 9:30 am, & 11 am

Weekday Daily Mass Schedule

M -T -Th - F- 8:30 am

Wed. 12:05 pm & 6 pm

First Saturday - 8 am

Holy Day Vigil - 6 pm

Holy Day - 8:30 am, 12:05 pm, & 6 pm

*"Just as the living Father sent Me
and I have life because of the Father,
so also the one who feeds on Me
will have life because of Me."*

Jn 6:57

Our Churches & Sacred Spaces

Blessed Sacrament Church

221 Federal Street

Mass: Saturday - 4 pm | Sunday -11 am
Monday & Tuesday 8:30 am | Wed - 6 pm
Holy Day Vigil: 6 pm | Holy Day: 8:30 am

Holy Trinity Church

135 Main Street

Mass: Sunday - 8 am & 9:30 am
Wed—12:05 pm | Thursday & Friday 8:30 am
Holy Day: 12:05 pm & 6 pm

Calvary Cemetery

Wisdom Way
First Burial recorded 1792

Beacon of Light Preschool

14 Beacon Street
Founded 2025

Adoration Chapel

221 Federal Street
Daily 6:00am - 10:00pm

www.blessedtrinitygreenfield.org

All are Invited & Welcome to Join Us!

We are a diverse Catholic Community of Greenfield which shares a faith in Jesus Christ, is nourished at the table of the Eucharist, celebrates life-giving and healing Sacraments, tries to live the Beatitudes, and reaches out in service, together. Please join us on this journey of life and faith!

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH — MONTH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

O God, Who were pleased to give us the shining example of the Holy Family, graciously grant that we may imitate them in practicing the virtues of family life and in the bonds of charity, and so, in the joy of Your house, delight one day in eternal rewards. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever — **Amen**



PASTORAL CENTER & PARISH OFFICES.

14 Beacon Street. Greenfield, MA 01301

HOURS: Monday-Friday: 9 am - 3 pm

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PASTORAL CENTER HALL (14 Beacon St)

K OF C CONFERENCE ROOM (14 Beacon St)

Dedicated and sponsored by the Knights of Columbus

PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL

Deacon John Leary, Coordinator

Hours available and Coverage Requested

CALVARY CEMETERY

Arrangements for burial can be made through the Parish Office.

For More Information and to Reserve our Spaces:

413.773.3311 | office@blessedtrinitygreenfield.org

Welcome! New Parishioners & Guests.

Thank you for joining us today! We are so glad you are here! We are eager to meet you & invite you to learn more about our parish and register at the Parish Office.

Thoughts from the Pastor's Desk ...



Dear friends of Blessed Trinity,
Merry Christmas!

As we find ourselves finally now in the Christmas season, after four weeks of Advent preparation and openness of heart to hearing and receiving God's Word made flesh, we rejoice in the mystery of His birth in our midst. God is with us, Emmanuel!

The first Sunday of the Christmas season invites us to contemplate the coming of the Lord, not in the power and glory of His Second Coming, but in the humility and simplicity of His First. How does this First Coming take place ... but in the tenderness of home and family. Today, we celebrate the Feast of the Holy Family.

God enters human history through the human family. He takes on our nature in the uniqueness yet commonplace reality of the home. God sanctifies the family as the sanctuary of holiness and human endeavor. It is the privileged place where we each begin our lives, hopefully and truly as His saints. The family is not some mere social construct or natural consequence of biology, but a willfully intended participation in a communion of divine relationship. While we know that our own experiences are most often incomplete in that sacred mystery of perfect relationships (such is human nature!), we must nevertheless acknowledge that the family is where our hopes and heavenward journey begin.

As we gather with family during these days and all embark together on a new year, I invite you to hear the words of our Second Reading again, perhaps recognizing in them the fruitfulness of what our family can be and embracing a living motto for our families in the new year:

*Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly,
as in all wisdom you teach and admonish one
another, singing psalms, hymns, and spiritual
songs with gratitude in your hearts to God.*

*Most Holy Trinity, I adore You!
My God, I love you in the Most Blessed Sacrament!*

Fr. Pierz



~ PASTORAL COMMISSIONS ~ **FAITH FORMATION COMMISSION (ADULTS)**

(Vacant)

OCIA | Bible Studies | Adult Confirmation
Baptism Preparation | Marriage Preparation | Lectures

PASTORAL MINISTRY TO THE HOMELESS, POOR, & HUNGRY

Kathy Melnik, Chair

Resource for Shelter | Food | Clothing

Food Pantry: Sat. 9a- 12p | Tue. 12p-3p | Thur. 3p-6p

Donna Leary, Coordinator

pantry@blessedtrinitygreenfield.org

Community Meals: Every Thur. 5-6p @ HTC

Kathy Melnik, Coordinator

Saint Dismas Jail Ministry: Deacon John Leary

PASTORAL MINISTRY TO THE SICK & HOMEBOUND

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Holy Communion | Prayer Partners |

Sacraments of Confession & Anointing of the Sick

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Altar Server Program | Ushers/Greeters ministry

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Joseph Ruscio, III, Grand Knight

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Pregnancy Tests | Counseling | Post Abortion Support

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Young & Catholic: Young Adult Group of Franklin Co.:

franklincounty@youngandCatholic.org

Contact any group at office@blessedtrinitygreenfield.org
(unless otherwise noted)

OUR FAITH.

OUR SACRAMENTS.

EUCCHARIST:

LORD'S DAY MASS Saturday 4:00 pm (BSC) | Sunday 8:00 am (HTC), 9:30 am (HTC), 11:00 am (BSC)

WEEKDAY MASS Mon & Tues 8:30 am (BSC) | Wed. 12:05 pm (HTC) & 6 pm (PAC) | Thurs & Fri 8:30 am (HTC)

ADORATION Present in our Adoration Chapel (PAC) | Daily 6:00 am - 10:00 pm

CONFESSION: Saturday, 2:30-3:30 pm | Wednesday, 5-5:45 pm | or by appointment.

BAPTISM: Please contact the Parish Office to schedule Baptism preparation, review sponsor eligibility, and plan celebration of the sacrament. Typically celebrated within 8 weeks of birth. Ceremony may be private or during our Sunday Masses.

MARRIAGE: Please contact the Parish Office at least 9 months in advance to enroll in marriage preparation classes and plan liturgy arrangements.

CONFIRMATION: Typically takes place through our Religious Education program. If you are an adult and have not received the Sacrament of Confirmation, please contact the Parish Office.

HOLY ORDERS: Have you ever been inspired of a vocation to the priesthood or religious life? Please speak with Fr. Pierz or call the Parish Office.

AN OINTING OF THE SICK: Available during pastoral visit, Sacrament of Confession, or by appointment.

ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS: Seeking to receive all your sacraments and enter full communion with the Catholic Church? Please contact the Parish Office to learn how to become Catholic and receive the sacraments of initiation.

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION. SOLEMNITY OF MARY, HOLY MOTHER OF GOD



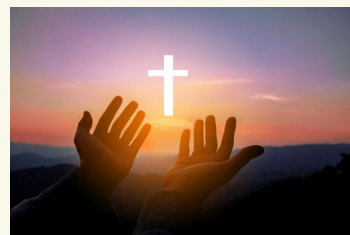
Wednesday, Dec 31st
Vigil: 6:00 pm (BSC)

Thursday, January 1st 2026
Holy Day: 8:30 am (BSC)
12:05 pm (HTC)
6:00 pm (HTC)

O God, who through the fruitful
virginity of Blessed Mary
bestowed on the human race the grace
of eternal salvation, grant, we pray,
that we may experience the intercession
of her, through whom we were found
worthy to receive the Author of life, our
Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son.
Who lives and reigns with You in the
unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever
and ever. Amen.

PRAYER CHAINS.

Please contact us with
your petition. Our
Parish Prayer Chains are
available to all. Call or
email the Parish Office.



STEWARDSHIP & ESTATE PLANNING.

*No more shall people call you "Forsaken", or your land
"Desolate", but you shall be called "My Delight," and your
land "Espoused."*

*For the **LORD** delights in you and makes your land his spouse.*
(Is 62:4)

Please kindly remember *Blessed Trinity Parish
Greenfield, MA* as a Beneficiary in your Estate
Planning and Financial Decision-Making.

*To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for
some benefit. One and the same Spirit produces all of these,
distributing them individually to each person as he wishes.*

(1 Cor 12:7,11)



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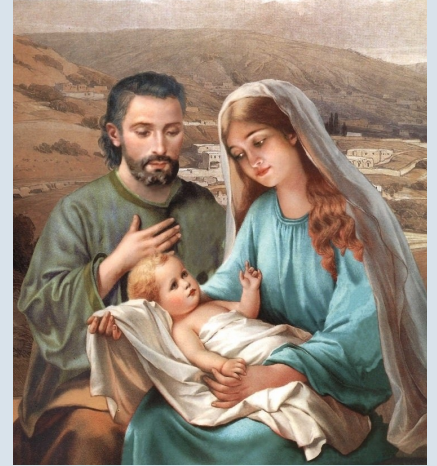


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OUR FAITH.

THE FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

When they had departed, behold, the angel of the Lord appeared to Joseph in a dream and said, "Rise, take the child and his mother, flee to Egypt, and stay there until I tell you. Herod is going to search for the child to destroy him." Joseph rose and took the child and his mother by night and departed for Egypt. He stayed there until the death of Herod, that what the Lord had said through the prophet might be fulfilled, "Out of Egypt I called my son." ... When Herod had died, behold, the angel of the Lord appeared in a dream to Joseph in Egypt and said, "Rise, take the child and his mother and go to the land of Israel, for those who sought the child's life are dead." He rose, took the child and his mother, and went to the land of Israel. But when he heard that Archelaus was ruling over Judea in place of his father Herod, he was afraid to go back there. And because he had been warned in a dream, he departed for the region of Galilee. He went and dwelt in a town called Nazareth, so that what had been spoken through the prophets might be fulfilled, "He shall be called a Nazorean" (Mt 2:13-15, 19-23).



FAMILY IN MOVEMENT

If there is a fact that is striking when reading today's Gospel text, it is all the "motion" verbs: depart, arise, flee, take refuge, stay.... There is even a map that is no less impressive: Bethlehem, Egypt, then Nazareth. Certainly, the key to all this "movement" is found in the citation of the Prophet Hosea: "*Out of Egypt I have called my son*" – a place of refuge for the persecuted and the place of departure for Israel's Exodus. The Family of Nazareth thus traces the journey of many persecuted people and refugees down through history. At the same time, it recalls the powerful hand of God who knows how to liberate His people.

The experience of the family of Nazareth cannot but make us think of the many families today who are also "in movement" – certainly of those families forced to leave their homes and their own land in search of peace, serenity and work, but also of those families who live with the apprehension and anxiety of not making ends meet, of unstable marital situations, the fear of illness...

In the family of Nazareth, our families, as well as the human family, can learn to allow ourselves to be guided by God's powerful hand. If it is true on the one hand that in many situations people feel like "refugees", "strangers in their own homes", or in the heart of a dear one, it is also true that every obstacle, every difficulty can be transformed into an opportunity to "depart," an opportunity for a "journey toward conversion" which alone can lead to serenity, peace, stability.

THE HOLY SPIRIT SPEAKS TO TODAY'S FAMILIES

Today, the Holy Spirit still continues to guide "all peoples," "all couples," "all parents." But we need to listen to the Spirit who speaks in us. If the Son of God came to live with us as a child, and only the eyes of faith can perceive His presence, how important it is to remind ourselves that everyday things are never of little importance, that daily occurrences are never useless or purely coincidental. The eyes of faith are necessary to grasp the hidden and the beyond. Everything becomes a "place" to encounter or reject God's presence. Everything is a sign for those who believe.

THE GOSPEL OF THE FAMILY

To live the gospel of the family is not easy today. Those who want to defend life from the moment of conception are criticized or attacked. Yet in the Gospel we find the way to live a beautiful life on the personal and familial level, a way that is certainly challenging, but attractive and all-embracing. It is a way that still deserves to be trusted and undertaken after the example and through the intercession of the Holy Family of Nazareth itself. There are happy and sad, serene and difficult moments in every family. This is life. To live the "gospel of the family" does not exempt us from experiencing difficulties and tensions, of encountering moments of pleasant fortitude and painful weakness. Families who are wounded and marked by weakness, failure, difficulty... can rise again if they learn how to draw from the font of the Gospel. There, they can rediscover new possibilities of starting over.

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OUR DIOCESE.



Diocese of Springfield Office of the Bishop

December 15, 2025

Dear Friends in Christ:

During this time of Advent, as we prepare for the birth of our Lord, we count our blessings. One of those blessings is the College of Our Lady of the Elms, an institution which, in light of the many ways it serves our people, is a special gift to the Diocese. By providing a college education in the Catholic Intellectual Tradition, the College of Our Lady of the Elms contributes to the evangelizing mission of our Diocese. And, like all private institutions of higher education, Elms is dependent on private support to fulfill its mission.

For more than 30 years, you and your parishioners have stood by and assisted Elms College through the diocesan collection. Your beneficence has enabled the College to make a top-rate Catholic education accessible to many in the region. Represented by a dedicated body of faculty, staff, and administrators, the Elms is committed to honoring the mission of the Sisters of St. Joseph who founded the College of Our Lady of the Elms almost 100 years ago. Each year, Elms College continues to grow academically and has had heightened visibility as a top-ranking Catholic college in Western Massachusetts.

Since its inception in 1928, Elms College has fulfilled its mission to assist in the development of students rooted in faith, educated in mind, compassionate in heart, and responsive to civic and social obligations without compromising principle. Many graduates have remained in the Diocese and have served this area in education, healthcare, human services, and business. This continued legacy is due in large part to the faithfulness of the parishes of the Diocese. This academic year, the weekend of January 3rd and 4th 2026, is scheduled for a special collection in all diocesan parishes to support the Elms College Founder's Fund for Excellence, which underwrites student financial aid.

As a result of the generous efforts by you and your parishioners, last year over \$28,000 in aid was contributed to the College of Our Lady of the Elms. I trust this year that help will continue and with God's blessings, be exceeded.

With every good wish, I am
Your friend in Christ,

Most Reverend William D. Byrne
Bishop of Springfield

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SCHOLARSHIP

**2 — \$1000.00 SCHOLARSHIPS ARE
AVAILABLE TO GRADUATING SENIORS THAT
ARE MEMBERS OF BLESSED TRINITY PARISH**

**APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE
ENTRANCES OF THE CHURCH OR YOU CAN
CONTACT THE PARISH CENTER OFFICE.**



**Applications due
by March 31, 2026**

LT. JOHN J. GALVIN COUNCIL #133



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OUR YOUTH.

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CORNER



RELIGIOUS ED. SCHEDULE: DECEMBER & JANUARY DEDICATED TO THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Christmas Break Dec 21 & 28

JANUARY—HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Jan. 4 — All Classes

Jan. 11 — Family Catechesis in Blessed Sacrament Church, Family join Students

Jan. 18 — All Classes

Confirmation Class Attends Bread of Life

Jan. 25 — All Classes

Religious Education takes place Sundays,
9:45-10:45am in our Pastoral Center.

Parents—Please join us each week while your students are enjoying their Religious Ed Class for coffee & pastries.

5 WAYS YOUR FAMILY CAN IMITATE THE HOLY FAMILY

PRIORITIZE FAMILY TIME: Scripture shows that Jesus, Mary, and Joseph spent meaningful time together. With today's busy schedules, this can be challenging, but prioritizing family time doesn't require a major lifestyle change. Simple practices like family dinner or nightly prayer are great places to start.

PRACTICE LOVE AND COMPASSION: The Holy Family modeled love and compassion, even though it can be hardest to practice these virtues with those closest to us. That's why intentional effort is so important. Pope Francis reminds families that the keys to peace are the words "please, thank you, sorry." These simple habits help family members feel valued and loved, and even children can help reinforce them with visual reminders at home.

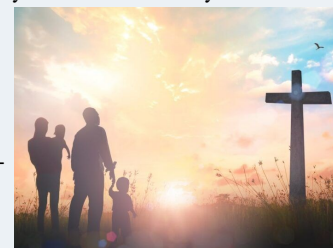
LIVE A LIFE OF HUMILITY: Jesus would have learned humility from Mary and Joseph, and it later became a cornerstone of His ministry. Families can imitate this by fostering gratitude and modesty at home. Teach children to appreciate what they have, perhaps by donating unused toys during Advent, and make a habit of expressing gratitude to others as a family.

EMBRACE OBEDIENCE AND RESPONSIBILITY: While "obedience" can be a

challenging concept today, the Holy Family lived fully surrendered to God's will. Parents can lead by example through responsibility and faithfulness, teaching children accountability through shared family duties. This creates a sense of shared purpose and strengthens family commitment.

FOSTER SPIRITUAL GROWTH: Mary and Joseph raised Jesus within a strong spiritual foundation, actively participating in worship and prayer. Likewise, families today should nurture spiritual growth together. Continue attending Mass and add simple practices such as praying grace before meals, a weekly rosary or decade, or a short bedtime devotion to help instill faith and purpose.

Follow the example of the Holy Family by making small, intentional choices that strengthen love, humility, and faith in your home. Commit to simple daily practices—shared time, kind words, gratitude, and prayer—that help your family grow together in faith.



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OUR PARISH.

FREE ITEMS AVAILABLE.

Our parish has a few free items available. We have # of Kneelers & Chairs, # Pews similar to the ones in our Blessed Sacrament Church, and about twenty three tabletop sized Sheep & Goat figurines of varying poses. Please reach out to the Parish Office or Kathy Melnik if interested.



Ongoing Parish Meetings

Everyone is WELCOME to participate in our parish meetings. We encourage ALL to come to these discussions with your ideas or concerns. Attend just once or several times—no commitment required.

All Parish Meetings are held in our Pastoral Center *Knights of Columbus* Conference Room unless otherwise noted

BLESSED TRINITY ROSARY SOCIETY.

1st Mon. @ 6:30 pm (except Jan., Feb., Jul & Aug.)
in our Fr. Casey Hall (HTC)

BUILDINGS & MAINTENANCE

COMMISSION. 4th Thursday @ 5:00 pm.

CEMETERY COMMISSION.

1st Thursday @ 4:00 pm.

FAITH FORMATION COMMISSION.

2nd Thurs. @ 6:00 pm.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

3rd Thurs. @ 6:00 pm.

PASTORAL MINISTRY TO THE HOMELESS, POOR, & HUNGRY.

2nd Monday @ 6:00 pm.

PASTORAL MINISTRY TO THE SICK & HOMEBOUND.

3rd Monday @ 6:00 pm.

PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL

COMMITTEE. 3rd Wednesday @ 4:00 pm.

ST. DISMAS JAIL MINISTRY.

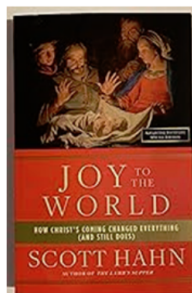
4th Monday @ 6:00 pm

WORSHIP COMMISSION. 1st Wednesday @ 4 pm.



Literary Ladies

*Are you a woman who loves to read, drink tea, and discuss books with other women?
Come read with us!*



This month's book is:

Joy to the World: How Christ's Coming Changed Everything and Still Does
by Scott Hahn

What could be more familiar than the Christmas story – and yet what could be more extraordinary? This book examines the characters of the Nativity story in light of their Biblical and historical context.

Join us for the discussion on
Thursday, January 8 at 6:30 p.m.

at the Pastoral Center
14 Beacon Street

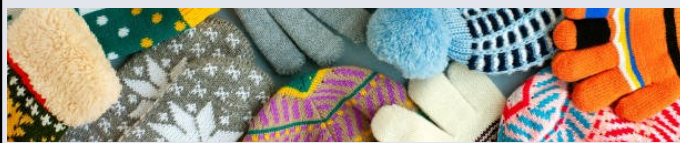
Questions? Email l.alderman.stereste@gmail.com.

Please Consider Donating.

December: Hats & Mittens

for our Food Pantry

Containers available for donated items at the entrances of each church. **Thank You!**



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OUR PARISH.

DECEMBER 28—JANUARY 10

BSC SANCTUARY CANDLE: *(Available)*

HTC SANCTUARY CANDLE: is burning for **Peace** by Kathy & Steve Melnik

ADORATION CHAPEL CANDLES

1. is burning for **Our Sick & Homebound**, that they find **Peace** and **Joy** this Advent.
2. is burning for **Health & Healing** for John Whitney.
3. is burning for **Renewed Faith** in our community of Franklin County.
4. is burning for **Clergy** as we begin a new church year.

Sanctuary Candles: \$15 | Chapel Candles: \$25

If you would like to burn a candle or donate flowers for a special occasion, in memory or honor of a loved one, or other intention, Call or visit the Parish Office at 773.3311

MITTEN TREES.

These special trees will be placed at the entrances of both of our churches starting on December 1st. We will be collecting hats, scarves, mittens, gloves & socks to be donated through December 31st.

These items will be donated to those in need throughout our community of Franklin County.



Sponsored by our *Pastoral Ministry to the Homeless, Poor, & Hungry.*

PARISH CLOSURES FOR NEW YEAR'S DAY.

Parish Office — Closed Thursday January 1st

Food Pantry — Closed Thursday January 1st

Community Meal — New Year's Day Lunch
12:00pm—1:00pm

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH

DECEMBER 28, 2025

Give eternal life, O Lord, to all our beloved dead.
May they rest in peace! We remember in our prayers:

SHARON ELWELL

WEEKEND OF DECEMBER 14, 2025

*"Pray, brethren, that my sacrifice and yours
may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father"*

	<u>Envelopes</u>	<u>Online</u>
Weekly Collection:	\$4549	\$1829
Fuel/Energy Collection:	\$73	\$51
Maintenance Collection:	\$50	\$195

"May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of His name, for our good and the good of His Holy Church."

Collection information for weekend of Dec 21st was unavailable at deadline. Collection information will be recorded in our Jan. 4th Bulletin.

BLANKET & WARM CLOTHES DRIVE.

To benefit local community members at our Community Meal, a blanket and warm clothing drive is being conducted by the **Knights of Columbus** through March. If you would like to donate, please leave the blankets and clothing in the containers by the doors of either church. For more information contact Lou Grader or Jay Dillon at 413.773.3311

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL 2025 12/10/25



Thank you for your donations!

Donors: 146

Cash Gifts: \$38,120

Pledges: \$34,100

Total Raised: \$72,200

Please consider a gift to the 2025 Annual Catholic Appeal. You can make your gift online at <http://diospringfield.org/aca>.



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OUR PARISH.



Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, December 27 — FATHER AKSAMIT
4:00 BSC EDWARD H. LETOURNEAU † — 16 YEAR ANNIVERSARY — by the Family

SUNDAY, December 28 — FATHER NORMAN
THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY, & JOSEPH
8:00 HTC THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
9:30 HTC WILLIAM & MARY COUGHLIN † — by Jane McDonough
11:00 BSC CHARLES F. MCCARTHY, SR. †

MONDAY, December 29 — POPE LEO XIV
SAINT THOMAS BECKET, BISHOP & MARTYR
8:30 BSC JOYCE TILTON — by Laurie Tilton

TUESDAY, December 30 — DEACON CULLITON
SIXTH DAY WITHIN THE OCTAVE OF THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD
8:30 BSC JIM DEJOY † — by the Family

WEDNESDAY, December 31 — FATHER GLOVER
SAINT SYLVESTER I, POPE
12:05 HTC CYNTHIA SOCHOCKI † — by the Family
6:00 BSC THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

THURSDAY, January 1 — VOCATIONS
SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD
8:30 BSC THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
12:05 HTC MARTIN TIGER BECH † — by Mary Reilly Parsons
6:00 HTC GRACE & BLESSINGS FOR MAUREEN FILIAULT — by Laurie Tilton

FRIDAY, January 2 — FATHER CAMPOLI
SAINT BASIL THE GREAT & GREGORY NAZIANZEN, BISHOPS & DOCTORS OF THE CHURCH
8:30 HTC RUTH COSTELLO † — by the Family

SATURDAY, January 3 — FATHER DIMASCOLA
THE MOST HOLY NAME OF JESUS
8:00 PAC SEAN & KATIE PIERCE — by the Pelc Family
4:00 BSC JOSEPH BROZO, JR. † — by his Wife & Family

SUNDAY, January 4 — FATHER O'MANNION
THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD
8:00 HTC ELIZABETH PLAUSKY † — by Pat & Tom Coffin
9:30 HTC THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
11:00 BSC JAMES F. KELLY, SR. † — by his Son, James

This Week at Blessed Trinity Parish

SATURDAY December 27

2:30 pm—3:30 pm Confession (BSC)

4:00 pm Mass (BSC)

SUNDAY December 28

8:00 am Mass (HTC)

9:30 am Mass (HTC) Confession: 30-mins prior

10:20 am Rosary before Mass

11:00 am Mass (BSC)

MONDAY December 29

8:30 am Mass (BSC)

6:30 pm Roses for Mary - (PAC)

TUESDAY December 30

8:30 am Mass (BSC)

12-3:00 pm Food Pantry Open—Pastoral Center

WEDNESDAY December 31

12:05 pm Mass (HTC)

6:00 pm Vigil Mass (BSC)

THURSDAY January 1

Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

8:30 am Holy Day Mass (BSC)

12:00-1:00pm Community Meal (Fr. Casey Hall)

12:05 pm Holy Day Mass (HTC)

6:00 pm Holy Day Mass (HTC)

FRIDAY January 2

8:30 am Mass (HTC)

SATURDAY January 3

8:00 am First Saturday Mass (PAC)

9-12:00pm Food Pantry Open—Pastoral Center

2:30 pm—3:30 pm Confession (BSC)

4:00 pm Mass (BSC)

SUNDAY January 4

8:00 am Mass (HTC)

9:30 am Mass (HTC) Confession: 30-mins prior

9:45-10:45 am CCD Classes (Pastoral Center)

10:20 am Rosary before Mass

11:00 am Mass (BSC)



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