

PARISH ADMINISTRATION

Spanish Speaking Ministry, *Fr. Luis Pulido
Parish Bookkeeper, *Tara Dahill
Program Manager, *Colleen Glazer
Parish Secretary, *Catherine Jestice
Parish Plant Manager, *Victor Zambrano

PASTOR'S ADVISORY COUNCILS

Finance Council, Steve Bujno
Lay Trustees, Norma Ytuarte, Sheila Mullan

WORSHIP

Acolytes, Kevin McKenna
Devotions, Private,
Adoration / Daily Evening Rosary, Ellen Valko
Legion of Mary, Blanca Bulit
Sagrado Corazon, Yolanda Pardo
Lectors, Stephanie Miller
Floral Decorations, Mia Kravitz
Sacred Music, *Andrew Yeargin, Director
Cantors, *Andrew Yeargin
Contemporary Ensemble, Phelder St. Germain
Misa in Espanol, *José (Cheito) Guevara
Schola Cantorum, *Andrew Yeargin
Sacristans, *Victor Zambrano III, * Francisco Fernandez

COMMUNITY BUILDING

Bulletin, Parish Weekly, * Catherine Jestice
Calendar, Master Parish, *Catherine Jestice
Concert Series
GUEST, Andrew Yeargin
PARISH, Andrew Yeargin
CRC (Contemporary Roman Catholics), James Hulak
Scouting Programs, Bob Deaver
Trinity Counters, JoAnne Pollio

FORMATION / EDUCATION

Adult Faith Formation, *Colleen Glazer
Lectio Divina-Young Adults, *Fr. Gary Mead
Christian Meditation, Donald Main
RCIA (Christian Initiation), *Gary Cushing
Religious Education, *Colleen Glazer

OUTREACH

Blood Drive, Catherine Jestice
Breakfast Line, *Colleen Glazer
Cubans in Exile, Iladio Blanco
Food Pantry, Colleen Glazer
Guest Clergy Hospitality, * Msgr. Sandi
Homeless Shelter, Mike Griffin
Making All Things New (MATN), Kenneth Craig
Twelve-Step Programs, * Catherine Jestice

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Please keep our sick in your prayers:

Lois Mazzitelli, Kate Concannon, John Muratori, Iris Okun,
Anthony DeFrancesco, Regina & Joe Rywelski, Steve
Manfredo, Ralph Asher, Jorge de Armas, Jr., Marie
DeTullio, John Melaney, Pat Stinchi, Dianne Mastrorocco,
Alice Mayer, Graziella Piciulo, Kelsey Kruse, Shannyn
Craig, Jonathan Sloan, Karen Murphy, Kit Gill, Anne Lia,
Brennan Strovink, Maria Alvarado, Edouard Tiger, Edward
Haggerty, Francisco Marcus, Jr., Matthew Escobar, Keira
Maloney, Ellen Blackwood, Antoinette Durso, James Leung,
Arsemic Bakaev, Ilia Koguashvide, Joaquin Caraccioli,
Peter Zabriskie

Names will remain on our prayer list for one month. If you would like us to carry a name longer, please contact the Rectory.



JULY 17, 2016

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



“Martha, Martha, you are worried about many things. There is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part and it will not be taken from her.”

THIS WEEK AT HOLY TRINITY

MONDAY

DA Meeting – Rectory – 12:30 PM
Rosary – Church – 5:10 PM
NA Meeting – Center – 7:30 PM
Legion of Mary – Rectory – 7:30 PM
Baptism Class – Rectory – 7:30 PM

TUESDAY

Rosary – Church – 5:10 PM
SCA Meeting – Rectory – 6:15 PM
Lectio Divina (Spanish) – Center – 7:00 PM
Christian Meditation – Rectory – 7:00 PM
Fr. Gary YA Lectio Divina – Rectory – 7:30 PM

WEDNESDAY

Rosary – Church – 5:10 PM
NA Meeting – Rectory – 5:30 PM
R.C.I.A – Rectory – 7:30 PM

THURSDAY

AI Anon Meeting – Rectory – 12:15 PM
Rosary – Church – 5:10 PM
AA Men’s Meeting – Rectory – 7:00 PM

FRIDAY

Rosary – Church – 5:10 PM
AA Women’s Meeting – Rectory – 8:15 PM

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YOUR DONATIONS
Last week’s collection: \$3,909.00
THANK YOU!

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❖ **REGISTRATION FOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION** ❖
for **SEPTEMBER 2016**

Religious Ed. classes: Grades K-6 Sundays 10:30-11:45 AM
Grades 5-High School: Mondays 6:00-7:15 PM
Applications on our website: htcny.org & at the Rectory

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY 7/16

5:30 Brian Abbot

SUNDAY 7/17

7:30 HT Parishioners

9:30 The Poor Whom We Serve

11:15 Jon P. Marcus

12:30 Renée Elizabeth Kaplan & Marina &
Angel Suárez Fernández

5:30 Seminarians/Those in Religious Formation

MONDAY 7/18 *Camillus de Lellis, priest*

9:00 Parish Deceased

5:30 Parish Infirm

TUESDAY 7/19

9:00 Parish Single Adults

5:30 Walter Eisenberger

WEDNESDAY 7/20 *Apollonius, bp.*

9:00 Parish Families

5:30 Clemencia Angeles

THURSDAY 7/21 *Lawrence Brindisi, doctor*

9:00 Pastoral Staff

5:30 Charles Houghton Family (living & deceased)

7:00 Rhadames Velasquez

FRIDAY 7/22 *Mary Magdalene, Apostle to the Apostles*

9:00 Unborn Children

5:30 Parish Children

SATURDAY 7/23 *Bridget, rel.*

9:00 Parish Benefactors

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Hmmmmmm !

Think about our Enemy and God's ... He's good at what he does. He works on the mind ... subtly. He knows us very well. He merely hints at human pleasures; allows us to flesh it out ... to take the bait. He uses anything available: people, feelings, thought, self pride, even Scripture (according to William Shakespeare's Merchant of Venice:

"The devil can cite Scripture for his purpose.

An evil soul producing holy witness

Is like a villain with a smiling cheek,

A goodly apple rotten at the heart.

O, what a goodly outside falsehood hath!"

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Pews Flooring Being Finished

The master carpenter, who worked so hard under Monsignor Leonard to replace and refinish much of the woodwork in our church, is now **refinishing the surface underneath the pews** – section by section. We are sorry for the inconvenience, but we know you understand the importance of preserving the physical beauty that is our basilica-like building.

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FATHER MARIANO PERRON

Our friend from Madrid is expected to arrive on the 25th. We look forward to his valuable assistance and cheerful presence during the middle of summer.

Monsignor is on Vacation

Our pastor is away for a few weeks till **July 30th** to visit his sisters and friends.

Divine Murmurs

Many Minds, Many Sources; Same God

One must have spiritual strength and remain brace and cheerful in hard times. Pain and suffering are but externals; for such things it is not worth losing God's love and the ability to smile.
Guy de Larigaudie

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Our Lady of Balance

by V. Insolera, S.J.

O Mary, Virgin Mother of God and ours, we ask you for the gift of Christian balance, so necessary to the Church and the world today.

Free us from evil and meanness, save us from compromises and conformism; keep away from us myths and illusions, discouragement and pride, timidity, ignorance, and presumption, and from error and hardness of heart.

Give us tenacity in work, calm in defeat, courage to start over, and humility in success. Open our hearts to holiness!

Give us a perfect simplicity, a pure heart and love of the truth and its essentials, the strength of doing without counting the cost, wisdom to know our limits and respect them.

Give us the grace to know and live the Word of God. Give us the gift of prayer. Open our hearts to God!

We ask you to give for love of the Church, as your Son willed, to participate in it and with it, in fraternal communion with all members of the People of God – hierarchy and the Faithful – for the salvation of all of our brothers and sisters.

Infuse us with understanding, respect, mercy and love. Open our hearts to others!

Help us stay committed to live and increase this balance, which is faith and hope, wisdom and righteousness, the spirit of initiative and prudence, openness and interiority, total gift, love. Holy Mary, we entrust ourselves to your tenderness. Amen.

In the summer of 1967 a monk, intent on morning meditation, suffered more distractions than usual, thinking about the word "balance." The same day, while in the attic straightening out things he no longer used, he came upon a bronze relief with a prayer, "Alma Mater Aequilibrii" – "Our Lady of Equilibrium" or "Our Lady of Balance." The venerated painting on canvas by Brother Armando Panniello is now kept in the Cistercian Frattocchie in Rome.

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+ **Holy Trinity – 10 Years Ago** +
“from the archives!”

Musica Trinitatis Presents

The Musicians of the Cardinal Vaughan Memorial School, London, England. Scott Price, Director – Iestyn Evans, Organ. Join us for an evening of music by J.S. Bach, Elgar, Bruckner and Stanford.
 Monday, February 13th, 7:30 PM. Admission free.

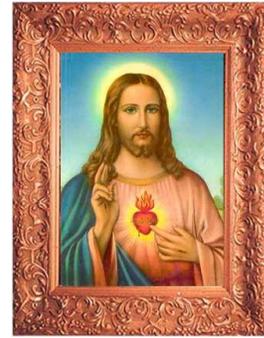
Fuma Sacra Chamber Choir. Andrew Megill, Director.
 Sunday, February 19th, 3:00 PM (2/12/06)

A Special Thank-You

The Grace Children’s Foundation (TGCF) is pleased to announce that the fourth Annual New York City Marathon Pledge Drive had raised \$10,000. These funds will be earmarked for children coming from an orphanage in China to the United States for life-altering surgeries. On the fifth of February, several of the children who have come through **TGCF’s Project Healing** will attend the 9:30 Mass at Holy Trinity before the Chinese New Year Celebration in midtown at noon that day. If you would like to meet the children that many of you have supported through your outstanding generosity, please come to the 9:30 Mass on February 5th. If you wish to have details on TGCF’s New Year Celebration, please contact Nancy Robertson. We are very grateful for your prayers and support on behalf of the children who wait.
 (1/29/06)

[The Grace Children’s Foundation continues to serve the “children who wait” in China, needing special surgeries. Nancy Robertson served on the Holy Trinity Parish Council.]

¡Vegan a Mi!



El texto del evangelio de hoy subraya algunos rasgos profundamente humanos de Jesús:

- Se fueron en barca a un sitio tranquilo y apartado.
- Al desembarcar, Jesús vió una multitud y le dió lástimas de ellos ...
- Y se puso a enseñarles ...
- Con calma ...

Y les dijo: Venid vosotros solos a un sitio tranquilo a descansar un poco.

Pero San Marcos hace constar que dicha invitación fue hecha *después* de que: “los apóstoles volvieron a reunirse con Jesús y le contaron todo lo que habían hecho y enseñado ... Porque eran tantos los que iban y venían que no encontraban tiempo ni para comer”. Se trata entonces de una invitación a un descanso merecido por la misión cumplida.

Porque la tarea evangelizadora del discípulo, para que resulte humana y eficaz, ha de ser interrumpida por “un poco” de descanso con Jesús. Pero un permanente descanso que se interrumpe con esporádicas, improvisadas y flojas “activades pastorales” no es ni discipulatura cristiana ni tarea evangelizadora.

Hoy Jesús nos hace la misma invitación. Invitación a salir de la rutina, a la pausa y al silencio, a la tranquilidad y al reposo ... para estar con El ... en quien “encontramos nuestro alivio y descanso” y *La Eucaristía* ha de ser espacio privilegiado de encuentro íntimo con el Señor que nos invita diciendo: “Vengan a Mi todos los que están cansados y agobiados ...” Encuentro que nos reanima para volver compadecidos a la multitud que anda como oveja sin pastor.
 – Padre Mizael Roa

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✦ **BANNS OF MARRIAGE** ✦

JOHN GLYNN & LINDA KEARNEY

DAVID MICHAEL PRASSE & JENNIFER LYNN PASCHKA
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PARISH PAY & HOLY TRINITY

Summer is an excellent time to consider **Parish Pay**, if you are not already using this secure, automated giving system. While you are away for a weekend or a week, your contributions to support Holy Trinity will continue uninterrupted. You can, of course, adjust your giving amounts at any time. Go to: www.parishpay.com

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USE MORE OF YOUR MIND AT MASS

ADAPTED FROM FR. JAMES WELDON

Donate cheerfully!

Your contributions will go toward the building up of the parish in more ways than you know. Think about that.

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A Reflection –

“THE BETTER PART ...”

“For modern audiences, everything Martha does seems correct. And the ancient audience would have agreed. Martha welcomes Jesus into her house and does exactly what a woman in ancient Palestine would have done: she waits on him and offers appropriate hospitality. In many parts of the Greco-Roman empire this was standard procedure. Men would visit with the guests, but women not as commonly.

Instead of confirming Martha’s concern and conventional gender roles, Jesus admonishes Martha for her anxiety over such matters and affirms Mary for her attentive listening and courage. Mary has risked disapproval in order to listen to the teacher. Jesus is not condemning Martha as much as he is trying to teach her, pointing out that being ‘anxious and worried’ is blocking her – not only from listening, but perhaps also from performing heartfelt service. He hopes for Martha to recognize the lesson that Mary already has learned: the presence of God’s Kingdom trumps daily concerns and conventional wisdom.”
 – *At Home with the Word*