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NOVEMBER 13, 2022

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Wednesday: 9am—8pm

Thursday & Friday: 9am—5pm

(Closed for lunch 12:30–1:00 pm)

Saturday: 1pm—3:45pm

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 pm

Sunday: 9:00 am and 11:00 am

Monday: 11:00am

At Westpark Healthcare Campus

4387 W. 150th St.

Tuesday: 8:30am

Wednesday: 8:30am

Thursday: No Mass

Friday: 8:30am

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OUR MISSION STATEMENT

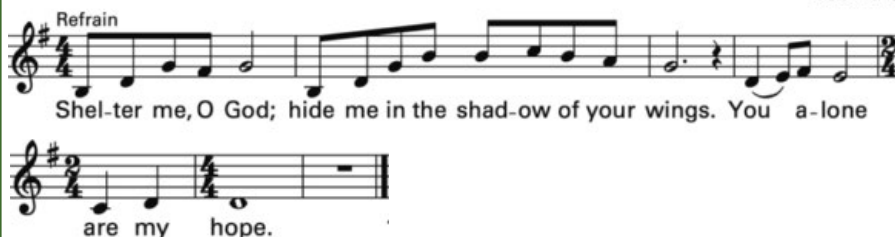
Blessed Trinity Parish is an open and welcoming Catholic community, centered in the Eucharist and celebrating God's gift of Diversity. We bring God's love to one another and support one another in responding to the challenge of living the Gospel. We strive to deepen participation and encourage all parishioners to take ownership for the everyday life of their church, especially Spiritual Growth, Community Life, the Building of a Just Society, and Service to All God's People.



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From the Desk of Fr. Doug

November News

At our staff meeting on Tuesday we all agreed how fast the time has flown by. The last half of November is upon us and preparations must be made to make it happen.

Our new electronic sign outside is working just fine. Linda and Ginger and I continue to look at the many ways it can be used. As yet, we have not figured out how to upload pictures or videos but it can be done. Being able to publicize last week's craft fair and this Sunday's community meal are a great help in making the neighborhood aware of how they can benefit from the parish.

Retraining for Eucharistic ministers is this Tuesday, Nov. 15th at 7:00pm. On Nov. 20, the feast of Christ the King, we will begin distributing communion under the form of bread and wine. All are encouraged to receive communion under both species as this is a fuller expression of the sacred meal we gather to celebrate. Consult last week's bulletin about the hygienic safety of receiving communion from the cup.

Our interfaith Thanksgiving service will be held live this year, our first interfaith get together since the pandemic. It will be held at the United Church of Christ on Rocky River Dr. just south of Lorain Ave. This will be an interfaith and intercultural event. There will be a combined choir. Prayer and biblical readings will be proclaimed in Hebrew and Arabic as well as English and Spanish. Translations will be displayed on video screens. There will be good eats afterwards provided by the Turkish American Cultural Center and Islamic Society. Internationally acclaimed Rev. Kito March, currently the pastor of Second Calvary Church on Bellaire Rd. will be the preacher.

November 27 is the first Sunday of Advent. Because Christmas also falls on a Sunday, we will be able to celebrate the full four weeks of

Advent. Families or individuals will be asked to light the Advent wreath during our gathering hymn, Love's Pure Light. There are different verses for each week of Advent.

As we have done in past years, each week of Advent we will focus our attention on the needs of those outside the parish, especially women and children.

The first week we will be accepting gift cards for Zechariah House. Zechariah House was formerly known as Maggie's Place. Zechariah's House provides life-changing programs and services for pregnant and parenting women and their children, offering a warm and welcoming community, a safe place to live and learn and ongoing services to help them become self-sufficient.

The second week of Advent is always reserved for the Retirement Fund for Women Religious.

The third week of Advent we will accept gift cards for Haven House. Haven House accepts women and children who need to find shelter when all the regular women's shelters are full.

The final week we will once again have a collection for the St. Vincent de Paul Society which serves the needs of the larger community within our neighborhood.

December 8th is the feast of the Immaculate Conception, the patronal feast of our country. The vigil Mass will be on Wed Dec 7th at 7:00pm instead of 4:00pm because of mobile pantry. Mass on Thursday Dec. 8th will be at 12:05pm.

After all that ministry, it will be time for fun and rejoicing. Returning for the first time since the pandemic is the holiday concert on Dec 9 at 7:00pm. Secular and sacred musical selections will resound with joy in our church. The concert is free and open to the public. The bell choir, adult choir and a quartet from Cleveland Institute of Music will perform. A free will offering will be taken up. Don't miss it.

AROUND THE PARISH & OTHER PARISH NEWS

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E-MAIL PRAYER LINE REQUESTS TO:

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Thank you for your generous support!

Sunday, Nov. 6	\$ 7,875.00
Special Gifts	\$ 1,805.00
Scrip, profit from gift cards	\$ 226.84

The Haiti Committee will be selling **Just Haiti coffee** after all the Masses this weekend (**Nov. 12/13**). Bags of Whole Bean or Ground are \$12 each and Boxes of "J" Cups are \$10 each. Thank you for your support!

Our **bonus week** for paper and cardboard recycling is **Now until Nov. 22!** Bring in all your **"heavy" paper items**, such as catalogs, magazines, paperback books, hardbound books, old encyclopedia's, etc...



The Peace and Justice Committee is collecting gloves, mittens and hats to help keep our parish community and neighborhood warm during the winter months. Baskets are at the main entrance of the Church for donations or dropped off at the rectory during office hours. The clothesline will be up by the Thanksgiving holidays and continue through the winter months. Thank you.



Please pray for:

Nancy Abarca, Thomas Ausnehrmer, Doris Eikens Azarello, Lisa Baus, Lenore Begin, Vincent Bontempo, Charlene Boyer, Mary Brennan, Joan Bryan, Adele Burke, Ann Busch, Callie Carley, Gladys Castro, Pat Chapin, Romualdo Cipro, Alex & Ashley Comet, McKayla Coyne, Teri Crowe, Cathrine Damm, John Darmstadt, Diane Dorenkott, Martin Patrick Dugan, Dukles Family, Barb Dylag, Edward Dzuro, Scott Eidam, Shirley Fago, Donald Flanagan, Vesna Goverdovski, Michael Graham, Dottie Green Family, Liz Greller, Donald Haluska, Robert Hardman, Catherine Heidinger, Susanne Heisey, Agnes Hocevar, Helena Hoogstraten, Gail Iseli, Carole Iseli, John Itayem, Nicola Jandric, Roubir Jesri, Jr., Vicki & Rudy Juris, Annette Kalister, Joanne Kauchuk, Tony Kernan, Karen Kraus, Linda Kreon, Fr. Dennis Kristancic, Marilyn Lombardo, Karen Long, Mary Lynch, Eileen Mangan, Sr. Rita Marra, SND, Rosemarie Martin, Patrick McAvinue, George McKee, Molly McQuillan & family, Andrea Medina, Betty Ann Menzing, Mary Jo Menzing, Tony Miller, Charles Miller, Jim & Steve Moravcik, Dave Norris, Tom O'Boyle, Noreen Ortiz, Tony Pierson, Lisa Prokopius, Carol Roberts, Matthew Rossman, Ron Ruble, Bob Ruddy, Mary Salamon, Grace Samarin, Marilyn Samonte, Jerry Secunde, Brandy Shuttera, Debbie Shavorinsky, Terri Siegwarth, Joanna Somerville, Larry Sowders, Bernie Sprenger, Christopher Stein, Roberta Steinbacher, Janet Tang, Kevin Thompson, Sherrie Thompson, Celine Whelpley, Noreen Williams, Jay Yesenko, Eileen Young, Jeala Youssefi, Jacqueline Zambarano.

Please pray for all who are serving in the military, especially the men and women connected to our parish:

- * Brook Robinson (Navy), son of David & Michelle and grandson of Dolores Coleman
- * Kyle A. Riley (Air Force), nephew of Robert Hollowell
- * Greg Koch (Air Force), nephew of Nancy Koch
- * James Ashenhurst (Navy), stepson of Stephen Flynn and son of Jenny Simons
- * Yoshi Cacho (US Marine Corps), son of Medel & Marianne Cacho
- * Michael Duniec (Air Force), grandson of Dottie Schultz and nephew of Margie Pavone.

The second training session to retrain Eucharistic Ministers will be held on Tuesday Nov 15 at 7pm in the church. All EM's must attend one of the sessions to review procedures and best practices and to learn how we will be doing communion under both species post COVID.

The **Blessed Trinity Centering Prayer group** meets at 6:30 PM in the Joseph Center every 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month. Contact Steve Flynn at 440-539-0689 or sflynn1129@gmail.com if you would like to join us.



This Week at Blessed Trinity

Sunday, Nov 13

8:45am—10:30am	Atrium Level I (Joseph Center)
9:00am—10:45am	PSR gr. 1-3 (Church atrium)
10:00am—10:45am	PSR gr. 4-8 (Rectory Basement)
11:00am Mass	Children's Liturgy of the Word
12:30pm—1:30pm	Community Meal (Fogarty Hall)
6:30pm—8:30pm	Taize' Practice (Church)

Monday, Nov 14

9:30am—10:30am	Legion of Mary (Church)
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Tuesday, Nov 15

8:00am-8:30am	Novena—Rosary (Church)
9:30am—12:00pm	Bountiful Basement
10:30am—12:00pm	AA Meeting (Rectory Basement)
7:30pm—10:00pm	Holy Name/Men's Ministry (J. C.)

Wednesday, Nov 16

3:00pm—3:45pm	Witness for Ukraine/End Racism (front sidewalk)
5:00pm—6:45pm	Bountiful Basement
7:00pm—8:00pm	Tai Chi Easy (Fogarty Hall)

Thursday, Nov 17

11:00am—12:00pm	AA Meeting (Rectory Basement)
2:00pm—4:00pm	Stephen Min. Grp. Mtg. (Rec. Lib.)
6:30pm—8:00pm	F. S. P. G. (Rec. Lib.)
6:30pm—8:30pm	Women's Faith Sharing Group (J.C.)

Friday, Nov. 18

1:00pm—3:00pm	Stephen Leaders Mtg. (Rec. Lib.)
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Saturday, Nov 19

8:30am—10:30am	Fellowship Prayer Breakfast (Fogarty Hall)
5:00pm—5:45pm	Witness for Ukraine (front side walk)

Early bulletin announcement deadlines for the holidays. If any ministry/organization has announcements coming up for the Nov. 20th thru Jan. 1st bulletins, our deadlines are changed.

For Nov. 20th bulletin, deadline is Fri. Nov. 11th

For Nov. 27th bulletin, deadline is Thurs. Nov. 17th

For Dec. 11th bulletin, deadline is Mon. Dec. 5th

For Dec. 18th bulletin, deadline is Fri. Dec. 9th

For Dec. 25th bulletin, deadline is Thurs. Dec. 15th

For Jan. 1st bulletin, deadline is Thurs. Dec. 22nd.

Please make a note of these for your records.

Ride Needed 9 a.m. Mass Two parishioners living on Brookside (near the First District Police Station) have requested transportation. If you can provide rides at all, even if not every week, or not for 9 a.m. but for another Mass time, contact Katie.

The **Fellowship Prayer Breakfast** is this Saturday, **Nov. 19 at 8:30am** til 10:30am. Cost is \$3 or 2 for \$5. All are welcome. Bring a friend.

Advertiser of the Week: *Centering Space*



WORSHIP

Saturday, Nov 12

4:00pm Blessed Trinity

Sunday, Nov 13 (Mal 3:19-20a; 2Thes 3:7-12; Lk 21:5-19)

9:00am Special Intention: Nicholas, Nichole & Nadine Weeden (Victoria Suarez)

11:00am Dan Miller (Deborah Maschke)

Monday, Nov 14

No Mass

Tuesday, Nov 15

8:30am All Souls

Wednesday, Nov 16

8:30am All Souls

Friday, Nov 18

8:30am Janice Resar Palmer (Mary Kreager)

Saturday, Nov 19

4:00pm Pat Harkins (T. J.)

Sunday, Nov 20 (2 Sm 5:1-3; Col 1:12-20; Lk 23:35-43)

9:00am Deacon Jack Koch (Family)

11:00am Blessed Trinity

Caring Corner



Author Gerry Spence once wrote "I have learned more from my dog than from all the great books I've read. When he yearns to be loved ... he puts his head on my lap and looks up at me, waiting to be petted. No professor or sage ever told me I might live a more successful life if I simply asked for love when I needed it." We can learn a valuable lesson from our dogs or other pets. Don't hesitate to admit our needs to ourselves and share them with our family, close friends, and most of all with God.

Our guest speaker for the **Holy Name/Men's Ministry meeting on Tuesday Nov. 15** will be retired Deacon Leo Bistak, sharing a variety of topics so we can get to know him. **Doors open at 7pm** and all folks are welcome.

Taize Thanksgiving Prayer Join parish members and others at a Taize Prayer of Thanksgiving on Sunday, November 20 from 7-8pm at Lakewood Baptist Church, 14321 Detroit Ave. This is a meditative, prayerful way of blessing God for life's gifts.

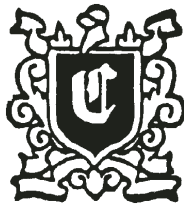
Our Lady of Angels Holiday Craft Fair, Saturday, Nov. 19 from 9am til 3pm in Linus Hall at 3644 Rocky River Dr. Free Admission & Free Parking. Food, snacks and beverages, Chinese raffle. 45 Booths!

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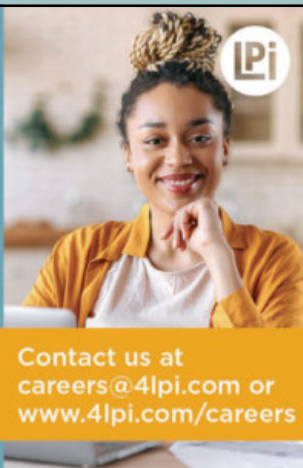
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