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RECTORY OFFICE HOURS Monday–Wednesday: 9am—8pm Thursday & Friday: 9am—5pm (Closed for lunch 12:30–1:00pm) Saturday: 1pm—3:45pm

MASS SCHEDULE Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm Sunday: 9:00am and 11:00am Monday: 11:00am At Westpark Healthcare Campus 4387 W. 150th St. Tuesday: 8:30am Wednesday: 8:30am Thursday: No Mass Friday: 8:30am

RECONCILIATION BY APPOINTMENT ONLY AT THIS TIME

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.

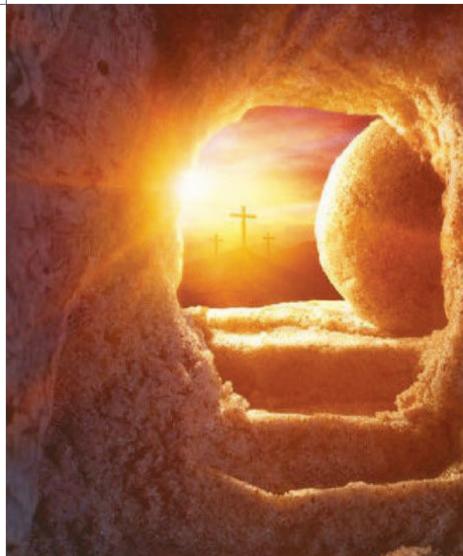






SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

PURITAS





From the Desk of Fr. Doug

Gratitude for a Wondrous Holy Week

Our Holy Week services were moving this year. We are so grateful to all those we could see serving in the ministry of worship. Altar servers, lectors, cantors, choir, bell choir, homilists, ushers, greeters and lift operators made everything run so smoothly.

I mentioned at the end of the Easter vigil, all the people behind the scenes that made it possible. Anne and Steve Suding are two of those people who not only served as sacristans but did so many other things. They trained the servers for Palm Sunday and Holy Saturday and came to rehearsals for those services. They set up chairs for Holy Saturday, got the towels ready and took the dirty laundry home afterwards to wash it.

They helped put those little papers on the congregational candles, arranged the microphones and text for the Easter vigil, made sure all the necessary extras like the stylus, the flashlight, the follower and the holy water fonts were cleaned. Steve did the lights during the liturgy of the word at the Easter vigil and Anne also was cantor for one of the psalms. Those three days would not have happened without them.

Also Phil our custodian gets special mention. Phil hates heights but he put up and took down the purple banners. He set up the sound system for Palm Sunday and brought the needed tables over. He brought them back for the vigil and did the same thing. Phil cleaned out the baptismal font after the Holy Thursday service and did the same on the Monday after Easter. With the help of Chris Malinowski, Phil and Chris gathered braches from all over the property to build the Easter fire. They wetted the ground around the fire for safety purposes, had a hose ready just in case and cleaned up everything by Monday morning. They took the bulletins over and cleaned up the pews on Monday as well.

Thanks to the bread bakers who let us "taste and see the goodness of the Lord"; to Frank Budziak, our office manager, who got schedules ready and bulletins sent out on time; to Katie for printing certificates and preparing the children for all three sacraments of initiation; to the parents of Eloise, Flannery and Ella for helping them prepare for that big day; to the spouses of those who memorized readings for Holy Saturday, who shared their anxiety daily in the weeks leading up to the vigil; and to my infectious disease specialist who enabled me to be here for another year.

Thanks also to Ginger who ordered out palms months before and also our Paschal candle. We got a discount for ordering it in October of last year.

Someone had to go buy Easter flowers and arrange them on the altar. Someone is watering them to keep them alive. Someone cleaned up the church of forgotten items and left over papers.

All of these hidden hands made our liturgies relevant, prayerful and meaningful. Thank you to all those, visible and invisible, who made Holy Week a time of great celebration.



AROUND THE PARISH & OTHER PARISH NEWS

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E-MAIL BULLETIN NOTICES TO:				
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the rectory office. Notices MUST be in by Monday of the				
week before the bulletin is distributed.				
E-MAIL PRAYER LINE REQUESTS TO:				
tntriedel@sbcglobal.net				

Thank you for your generous support!

Because of the Easter Holiday, collection amounts for Easter Sunday will be in a future bulletin.

Holy Name.

Our Holy Name Guest will be from Catholic Charities, Christine Horn and she will be sharing many of the works that this Great Organization is involved with among helping the homeless and Single Moms. Please join us for this get together on Tuesday, April 18th in the Joseph center.. Doors open at 7pm and our guest starts around 7:30pm. ALL Women and Men are welcome. See you there.

Tai Chi Easy

Tai Chi Easy is every Wednesday from 7-8 in Fogarty Hall. Tai Chi is led by parishioner Mike Reiling. It is excellent for improving balance and overall health. Start anytime. Free-will offering goes to our parish's Haiti Fund.

Coffee

The Haiti Committee will be selling coffee this weekend after all the masses.

May the Peace of Our Lord be with Grace Samarin May God grant comfort to her family and friends.

Flease pray for:

Joan Andrews, Thomas Ausnehmer, Doris Eikens Azzarello, Lisa Baus, Lenore Begin, Vincent Bontempo, Charlene Boyer, Mary Brennan, Adele Burke, Ann Busch, Callie Carley, Gladys Castro, Pat Chapin, Romualdo Cipro, Alex & Ashley Cornet, McKayla Coyne, Teri Crowe, Cathrine Damm, John Darmstadt, Diane Dorenkott, Martin Patrick Dugan, Dukles Family, Joseph Dunn, Barb Dylag, Edward Dzuro, Scott Eidam, Shirley Fago, Donald Flanagan, Will Gibson, Vesna Goverdovski, Michael Graham, Dottie Green Family, Liz Greller, Donald Haluska, Robert Hardman, Catherine Heidinger, Susanne Heisey, Agnes Hocevar, Gail Iseli, Carole Iseli, John Itayem, Eileen Kelly, Nicola Jandric, Roubir Jesri, Jr., Vicki & Rudy Juris, Joanne Kauchuk, Dan Kemer, Tony Kernan, Karen Kraus, Linda Kreon, Fr. Dennis Kristancic, Marilyn Lombardo, Karen Long, Mary Lynch, Eileen Man-gan, Sr. Rita Marra, SND, Rosemarie Martin, Patrick McAvinue, Roy McInerney, Jr., George McKee, Molly McQuillan & family, Andrea Medina, Betty Ann Menzing, Mary Jo Menzing, Tony Miller, Charles Miller, Jim & Steve Moravcik, Ginger Needham, Dave Norris, Tom O'Boyle, Tony Pierson, Jean Plato, Lisa Prokopius, Carol Roberts, Matthew Rossman, Ron Ruble, Mary Salamon, Marilyn Samonte, Betty Schmidt, Vic Scigliano, Jerry Secunde, Brandy Shuttera, Debbie Shavorinsky, Terri Siegwarth, Larry Sowders, Bernie Sprenger, Evana Stanonik, Christopher Stein, Roberta Stein-bacher, Janet Tang, Kevin Thompson, Sherrie Thompson, Judy Urban, Celine Whelpley, Noreen Williams, Karin Wishner, Monica Woodman, 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
- * Francisco Cacho (Police), son of Medel Cacho and Stepson to Marianne Cacho.
- * Michael Duniec (Air Force), grandson of Dottie Schultz and nephew of Margie Pavone
- James Andrews (Navy), nephew of Bob and Kathy Grega

For the month of April the Bountiful Basement could use soap dish powder and liquid. Thank you!

Advertiser of the Week: Nature's Way Day Care



This Week at Blessed Trinity

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Sunday April 16			
8:45 AM — 10:30 AM	Atrium Level I (Joseph Center)		
10:00 AM -1:00 PM	Coffee and Donuts (Fogarty)		
10:00 AM -10:45 AM	Planning for the Future Workshop		
	(Fogarty)		
11:00 AM -12:00 PM	First Eucharist for Maisie McPartland		
1	(Church)		
Monday April 17			
9:30 AM -10:30 AM	Legion of Mary (Church)		
7:00 PM -8:30 PM	Peace and Justice Mtg. (Joseph Center)		
7:00 PM -8:30 PM	St. Vincent DePaul Society Mtg.		
	(Rectory Living Room)		
Tuesday April 18			
8:00 AM -8:30 AM	Novena - Rosary (Church)		
9:00 AM -11:00 AM	IDCC (Joseph Center)		
9:30 AM -12:00 PM	Bountiful Basement (BB)		
10:30 AM -12:00 PM	A. A. Meeting (Rectory Basement)		
7:30 PM -10:00 PM	Holy Name Men's Ministry (Joseph		
	Center)		
Wednesday April 19			
3:00 PM -3:45 PM	Witness for Ukraine/End Racism (BT		
	Grounds)		
4:00 PM -6:00 PM	IDCC (Joseph Center)		
5:00 PM -6:45 PM	Bountiful Basement (BB)		
7:00 PM -8:30 PM	Tai Chi Easy (Fogarty)		
Thursday April 20			
11:00 AM -12:00 PM	A. A. Meeting (Rectory Basement)		
6:30 PM -8:00 PM	Faith Sharing Prayer Group (Rectory		
	Living Room)		
6:30 PM -8:30 PM	Women's Faith Sharing Group (Joseph		
	Center)		
Friday April 21			
6:30 AM -8:00 PM	Com Garden Mtg (Joseph Center)		
Saturday April 22			
1:30 PM -3:00 PM	Confirmation Prep (Joseph Center)		

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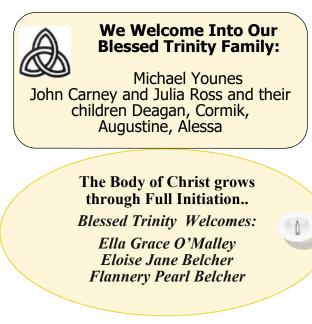
HOLY CROSS CEMETERY

Pre-Planning Seminar The Catholic Cemeteries Association invites you to attend a 1-hour pre-planning seminar on Wednesday, May 3, 2023 at 5:30 p.m. Please join us to learn more about your Catholic burial options, including options for cremated remains. Attendees will receive a personal reference guide and savings certificate. We kindly ask that you RSVP to this event to HOLY CROSS Cemetery – 14609 Brookpark Rd., Brook Park 216/641-7575 ext. 3 or email bdejohn@clecem.org.

WORSHIP

Saturday, April 15 **Blessed Trinity** 4:00pm Sunday, APRIL 16 (Acts 2:42-47; 1 Pt 1:3-9; Jn 20:19-31 (43)) Thomas & Joanne Salem (Family) 9:00am 11:00am **Blessed Trinity** Monday, April 17 11:00am All Souls **At West Park Healthcare Campus** 4387 W. 150th St. **Tuesday, April 18** 8:30am Annette Kalister (Family) Wednesday, April 19 8:30am John & Mary Jane Parente (Family) Friday, April 21 3:00pm All Souls Saturday, April 22 Robert J. Spevock (George Spevock) 4:00pm Sunday, April 23 (Acts 2:14,22-23;1 Pt 1:17-21; Lk 24:13-35 (46)) 9:00am **Blessed** Trinity 11:00am Edward Miller (Rudy & Vivian Juris)

35th Annual Walk for Hunger & 5K Run, Sat. June 3. Invite your family and friends to save this date and join virtually or in-person at the Cleveland Metroparks Zoo. Your donations to the Run/Walk for Hunger are more important now than ever before. Rising food prices and fewer resources are forcing families in need to face more frequent and longer episodes of hunger. Register with our "Bountiful Basement Buddies" team at https:// charity.pledgeit.org/WalkforHunger.







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