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AUGUST 27, 2023

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Wednesday: 9am—8pm

Thursday & Friday: 9am—5pm

(Closed for lunch 12:30–1:00pm)

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.



Psalm 128: Blest Are Those Who Love You

Refrain



Blest are those who love you, hap - py those who



fol - low you, blest are those who seek you, O God.



Text Psalm 128: 1-2, 3, 5; Marty Haugen Music: Marty Haugen; refrain II adapt. By Dianna Kodner 1987, 1993, GIA Publications, INC.



Disciple Appreciation Day is One Month from Today

The parish would like to acknowledge our disciples, who make our parish run, through an afternoon of appreciation. There will be hot dogs, hamburgers, beverages and more. And the classic car show will be here, too. How do you know if you are a disciple? If you have done one of the following, you are invited:

Bought gift cards
 Prayed for Children of the Light
 Participated in a What's on Your Mind event
 Served on Finance Council
 Teach PSR
 Work with Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
 Faith Formation through RCIA
 Present bible study
 Teach Attend bible study
 Have an Adopt-a-Spot
 Participated in the calendar raffle
 Picked up donuts
 Served Donuts and coffee
 Helped with the Community Meal
 Went for food at the Food Bank
 Worked the Fish Fries
 Unloaded the Food Truck on Mondays
 Made bags for Bountiful Basement
 Packed food for BB
 Carried bags up the stairs for BB
 Took orders for BB
 Restocked BB shelves
 Planted in the community garden and donated some food
 Planted or Weeded in EF1
 Planted or Weeded in EF2
 Beekeeper
 Spread mulch
 Worked the Haiti fundraiser
 Serve with the ID Crisis Collaborative
 Help with Mobile Pantry Vegetable Giveaway
 Serve on Peace and Justice Commission
 Help with the Hot Meal on Bridge Ave.
 Serve on the St. Vincent de Paul Society
 Participate in the Witness for Ukraine
 Help on the Microloan/Entrepreneur program

Assist with the Legion of Mary
 Attend Mass at West Park nursing home on Mondays.

LGBTQ prayer/support group
 Attend Men's ministry breakfast
 Attend Holy Name Society meetings
 Participate in a parish Faith Sharing Group
 Participate in the prayer line
 Shawl ministry
 Funeral lunches
 Bread baking ministry
 Drive someone to church
 Provide Hospitality after events in church
 Meet and Greet team member
 Wash corporals and purificators
 Sacristan
 Help decorate the church at Christmas
 Help with Children's Liturgy of the Word
 Cleaned the church pews
 Harvested looffa
 Clothing giveaway
 Picked mulberries
 Made raspberry Jam
 Made applesauce
 Made mulberry jam
 Eucharistic Minister
 Altar server
 Greeter
 Usher
 Lector
 Preached
 Money Counter
 Cantor
 Music minister instrumentalist
 Choir member
 Bell choir member
 Weekday evening office volunteer
 Busy buddy bag supplier
 Participated in Peace & Justice initiatives- mitten/scarf line, signed letters, made phone calls
 Walked for Hunger
 Contemplative Prayer group
 Stephen Ministry
 Drive someone to church or for errands or shop/
 deliver groceries
 Bake for Fish Fries



AROUND THE PARISH & OTHER PARISH NEWS



PASTORAL TEAM

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E-MAIL BULLETIN NOTICES TO:

bulletin@blessedtrinitycleveland.org or deliver them to the rectory office. Notices MUST be in by **Monday** of the week before the bulletin is distributed.

E-MAIL PRAYER LINE REQUESTS TO:

tnriedel@sbcglobal.net

Please pray for:

Joan Andrews, Thomas Ausnehmer, Doris Eikens Azarello, 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, Scherrie Damm, John Darmstadt, Martin Patrick Dugan, Dukles Family, Joseph Dunn, Barb Dylag, Edward Dzuro, Scott Eidam, Shirley Fago, Donald Flanagan, Joan Francis, Will Gibson, Vesna Goverdovski, Michael Graham, Dottie Green Family, Donald Haluska, Robert Hardman, Catherine Heidinger, Susanne Heisey, Agnes Hocevar, Anna Huizdos, 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, Ken Lesko & Family, Marilyn Lombardo, Karen Long, Mary Lynch, Eileen Mangan, Sr. Rita Marra, SND, Roy McInerney, Jr., George McKee, Margaret McMahon, Molly McQuillan & family, Andrea Medina, Betty Ann Menzing, Mary Jo Menzing, Tony Miller, Charles Miller, Michael Mitchell, Jim & Steve Moravcik, Dave Norris, Tom O'Boyle, Terri Pastura, Lisa Prokopius, Carol Roberts, Matthew Rossman, Ron Ruble, Mary Salamon, Marilyn Samonte, Betty Schmidt, Vic Scigliano, Brandy Shuttera, Larry Sowders, Bernie Sprenger, Evana Stanonik, Christopher Stein, Roberta Steinbacher, Janet Tang, Kevin Thompson, Sherrie Thompson, Celine Whelpley, Noreen Williams, Karin Wishner, Monica Woodman, Jay Yesenko, Eileen Young, Jeala Youssefi, Jacqueline Zambarano

Thank you for your generous support!

Sunday 8/20	\$ 3,650.00
Special Gifts 8/20	\$ 1,927.00
Gift Card Profit 8/20	\$ 110.00
Bountiful Basement 8/20	\$ 663.00

THANK YOU for the anniversary cards you sent, filled with your notes and signatures. What a surprise for us. We enjoyed reading every word! It was so nice of you to think of us. —Rudy & Vicki Juris

Blessed Trinity Bible Study resumes on September 14, 2023. We meet on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month from 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. in the rectory living room and via Zoom. The fall study will meet for 6 sessions. Our topic is **THE HOLY SPIRIT IN THE BIBLE**. Participants should pick up the book and schedule in the rectory library. For more details contact Carla Fritsch (contact information is in the parish directory). All are welcome!

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



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*Blessed Trinity welcomes:
Dorothea Elizabeth McCall*

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This Week at Blessed Trinity

Saturday, Aug 26

5:00pm Funeral Planning Workshop

Sunday, Aug 27

12:00 pm Funeral Planning Workshop

Monday, Aug 28

9:00 am – 10:30 am Legion of Mary (Church)

Tuesday, Aug 29

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)

Wednesday, Aug 30

3:00 pm - 3:45 pm Witness for Ukraine (BT Grounds)

4:00 pm - 6:00 pm IDCC (Joseph Center)

5:00 pm - 6:45 pm Bountiful Basement (BB)

Thursday, Aug 31

11:00 am - 12:00 pm A. A. Meeting (Rectory Basement)

Friday, Sept 1

Enjoy the Holiday Weekend !

Saturday, Sept 2-4

Office & Rectory Closed (Holiday)

We Welcome Into Our Blessed Trinity Family:

Donte & Christine Wallace & Family

Brian & Allison McCall & Family

Michael & AnnMarie McKenna

Michael & Susan Matus

Clair & Ramlall Phagoo & Family

Steve & Alexendra Kerosky

Jeffrey & Amy Marko & Family

Audrey Snahnican

Mary Kay Pescho & Family

Anthony Carrubba

Mark Constantine

Summer Taize Prayer On August 27th at 7 pm

Join us outdoors at Centering Space in Lakewood for our Sunday, August 27, Taize Prayer from 7-8 pm. Our theme is "All praise and Blessing Be Given". Bring a chair. The bad weather site is our own church at 7 pm.

Liturgy & Ignatian Spirituality: Mass & Ignatian Reflections in September. Tuesdays, September 5, 12, 19, 26. 8:00 - 8:30am.

On Tuesdays, the **Jesuit Retreat Center** offers Mass in the Main Chapel followed by a brief reflection on Ignatian Spirituality. Free will offering (registration is not necessary).

WORSHIP

Saturday, August 26

4:00 pm Ernesto & Luisa Cacho (Family)

Sunday, August 27 Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 22: 19-23 Rom 11:33-36 Mt 16:13-20 (121)

9:00am Blessed Trinity

11:00am Bertha Heim (Tom Heim)

Monday, August 28

11:00am *West Park Healthcare Campus*
4387 W.150th Street

Tuesday, August 29

8:30am All Souls

Wednesday, August 30

8:30am All Souls

Friday, September 1

8:30am Jerry Nusbaum (Kim & Jen)

Saturday, September 2

4:00pm Ma-an Samonte (Family)

HELP US UPDATE OUR RECORDS If your child celebrated First Eucharist or Confirmation since 2018 at another parish, please notify the rectory office. Include the youth's name, the sacrament, parish, and date of celebration.

PSR Grades 4-8: ADULT HELP NEEDED Sundays, Sept. 24 - Apr. 28, 9 – 10:45 am, in the rectory basement. Adult assistant needed. Are you available weekly? Only once a month? Please prayerfully consider if God is calling *you* to share your faith with a great group of youth. **Substitutes needed**, on-call, for all levels, ages 3 through grade 8. Contact Katie.

PSR & Sacramental Prep Don't be left out if you would like your child (age 3 yrs through gr 8) enrolled in a faith formation program or preparation for First Eucharist or Confirmation this year. Sessions begin in Sept. Forms are at the back table in church and the rectory. Adaptive programs for special needs are also available for all programs. Contact Katie for more information.

Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLW), Sundays, 11 am, needs Leaders and adult assistants. During CLW, Sunday scriptures are read from a children's lectionary and through an interactive homily youth connect the readings to their life experiences. **Are you interested** in leading CLW for ages 5-10 and breaking open scripture with them? Training and resources will be provided. Please call Katie Corbett with questions or to say, "Yes!" We will not be able to offer this program without more Leaders and assistants.

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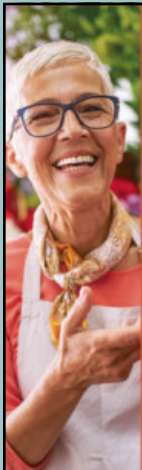
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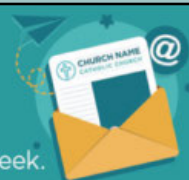
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