



# Blessed Trinity

CATHOLIC CHURCH



## All Are Welcome



**NOVEMBER 26, 2023**

**OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE**

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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**

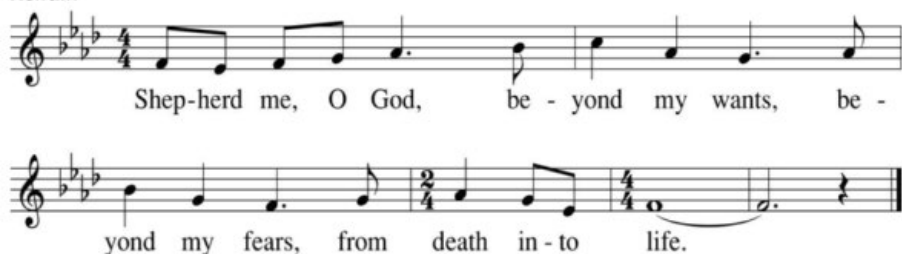
### OUR MISSION STATEMENT

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.



### Shepherd Me, O God

Refrain



Text: Psalm 23 Martyr Haugen Music: Martyr Haugen 1986, GIA Publications, Inc



**Advent begins next Sunday**

You've probably heard of an Advent calendar. It anticipates the celebration of the birth of Jesus by counting down the days before Christmas arrives. Often the "doors" of the calendar are distributed across the calendar in no particular order. The calendar doors open to reveal an image, a poem, a portion of a story (such as the story of the Nativity of Jesus), or a small gift, such as a toy or a chocolate item. Often, each door has a Bible verse and Christian prayer printed on it, which Christians incorporate as part of their daily Advent devotions.

This year, we'd like to provide an opportunity for you to make your own calendar by creating a "reverse Advent calendar." Instead of getting a gift each day, you can give a gift. This is how to do it.

Advent begins on December 3 Get a box and mark the days before Christmas by placing an item into the box each day during Advent. If you light an Advent wreath at home, you can combine lighting the wreath by adding your own ritual prayer. For example, you could say, "Today we add boxed potatoes. We thank God for those who planted them and those who harvested them" or "Today we add a bar of soap. We pray for the homeless or those in war torn countries who have no soap or no place to wash themselves." Be creative. (P.S. Little children might enjoy learning where soap comes from. Also big children.)

When you come to Mass on Christmas Eve or Christmas Day, bring your box. The box may be heavy, so disciples will be outside the church to carry the box from your car to the church if you need help. If you carry the box in yourself, place it in the sanctuary or near the big Christmas trees in front of the cry room. The contents will go to the Bountiful Basement. In addition to helping us celebrate

Advent, your donations will help the Bountiful Basement after Christmas when donations often go down.

- December 3 – Kleenex
- December 4 – boxed potatoes
- December 5 – paper towels
- December 6 – canned fruit
- December 7 – canned tomatoes
- December 8 – canned tuna
- December 9 – dessert mix
- December 10 – applesauce
- December 11 – toilet paper
- December 12 - dish soap
- December 13 – canned beans  
(not green beans)
- December 14 – box of crackers
- December 15 – package of rice
- December 16 – laundry detergent
- December 17 – elbow macaroni
- December 18 – spaghetti sauce
- December 19 – can of soup
- December 20 – box of crackers
- December 21 – can of cream soup
- December 22 – can of vegetables
- December 23 - peanut butter
- December 24 – canned meal

Feel free to substitute any of the items on the list. The Bountiful Basement can always use cleaning supplies, bar soap, a bottle of aspirin, pasta, soups, a package of Band-Aids, shampoo, mayonnaise, pickles, salad dressing, hamburger helper, stuffing mix, etc.

Travel sizes are acceptable, especially for more expensive items like laundry detergent. May the upcoming season of Advent be for you and yours, a time a gratitude and generosity.

There will be a reception for Sonia who is resigning from her position as music minister after the 11:00am Mass in church on November 26th .All are invited.





## AROUND THE PARISH & OTHER PARISH NEWS



### PASTORAL TEAM

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Rev. Mr. Dick Beercheck, *Deacon*

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### E-MAIL BULLETIN NOTICES TO:

[bulletin@blessedtrinitycleveland.org](mailto: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:

[tntriedel@sbcglobal.net](mailto:tntriedel@sbcglobal.net)

### Please pray for:

Joan Andrews, Thomas Ausnehmer, Doris Eikens Az-zarello, Lenore Begin, Vincent Bontempo, Charlene Boyer, Mary Brennan, Adele Burke, 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, Will Gibson, Vesna Goverdovski, Michael Graham, Dottie Green Family, Donald Haluska, Robert Hardman, Catherine Heidinger, Susanne Heisey, Agnes Hocevar, Anna Hvizdos, John Itayem, Eileen Kelly, Nicola Jandric, Roubir Jesri, Jr., Vicki & Rudy Juris, Joanne Kauchuk, Dan Kemer, Tony Kernan, Paul Kish, Diane Kortan, Karen Kraus, Linda Kreon, Fr. Dennis Kristancic, Ken Lesko & Family, Marilyn Lombardo, Karen Long, Mary Lynch, Eileen Mangan, Sr. Rita Marra, SND, George McKee, Margaret McMahon, Molly McQuillan & family, Andrea Medina, Betty Ann Menzing, Mary Jo Menzing, Tony Miller, Charles Miller, Michael Mitchell, Jim & Steve Moravcik, Genevieve Noar, Dave Norris, Tom O'Boyle, Terri Pastura, Lisa Prokopius, Jose Rivera, Carol Roberts, Matthew Rossman, Liz Rosa, 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!

<b>Sunday, 11/12</b>	<b>\$ 4,796.00</b>
<b>Special Gifts 11/12</b>	<b>\$ 2,430.00</b>
<b>Gift Card Profit 11/12</b>	<b>\$ 181.63</b>
<b>Bountiful Basement 11/12</b>	<b>\$ 298.34</b>
<b>All Souls Day 11/12</b>	<b>\$ 220.00</b>
<b>Haiti Mission 11/12</b>	<b>\$ 193.33</b>

There will **NOT** be a Children's Liturgy of the Word Sunday, Nov. 26. We have no adult Leader. CLW **will resume Dec.3.** We can use some more adult leader help. Contact Katie

### Giving and Grateful . "Tis the season"

Please Give . About just 1 hour a week of your time? WEST PARK MEALS ON WHEELS is in desperate need of volunteers. Drivers or Deliverers on any day you can be available. Mon. thru Fri. (No Holidays). Normally one hour out of your day is all that is needed . It is a very rewarding one hour per week that will make a difference to you as well as to the people served and they are very Grateful.

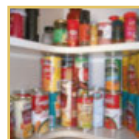
Please help by calling : Georganne at: 216-251-6255 and Please leave a message.

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
- \* 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
- \* A.J Butler. (Army) Grandson of Nancy Butler

### Advertiser of the Week:

Nature's Way Day Care Center



For the month of November the Bountiful Basement could use canned meals. Thank You!!!!!!!!!!



## This Week at Blessed Trinity

### **Saturday, Nov 25**

8:30am– 10:30am Fellowship Prayer Breakfast ( FH&K)

### **Sunday, Nov 26**

9:30am-10:00am RCIA ( R Liv)  
10:00am-11:00am Breaking Open the Word ( R Lib)  
12:00pm-1:00pm Farwell For Sonia

### **Monday, Nov 27**

9:00am-10:30am Legion of Mary ( Church )  
7:00pm-8:30pm Financial Council Meeting ( JC Lg)

### **Tuesday, Nov 28**

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)  
10:30am-12:00pm A.A Meeting ( RB)  
6:30pm-8:00pm Centering Prayer Group ( JC Lg)

### **Wednesday, Nov 29**

4:00 pm - 6:00 pm IDCC (Joseph Center)  
5:00 pm - 6:45 pm Bountiful Basement (BB)  
7:00pm-8:00pm Tai Chi Practice ( FH)  
7:00pm-8:00pm LGBTQ Faith Sharing ( R Liv Rm)

### **Thursday, Nov 30**

11:00am-12:00 pm A.A Meeting ( R B)

### **Friday, Dec 1**

1:00pm– 3:00pm Stephens Ministry ( R Liv)

### **Saturday, Dec 2**

8:30am—10:30am Ragamuffin Faith Sharing Group  
( R Liv)

### **Sunday, Dec 3**

9:30am—10:00am RCIA ( R Lib)  
9:30am -10:45am CGS Level 1 Atrium  
9:30am – 10:45am PSR 1-3 Grade ( A)  
9:30am—10:45am PSR 4-6 Grades ( R B )  
10:00am– 11:00am Breaking Open The Word ( R Lib)

**Early bulletin announcement deadlines for the holidays :** If any ministry/ organization has announcements coming up for December 10th– December 31st our deadlines are as follows:

For Dec 10th bulletin, deadline Dec 1st, For Dec 17th bulletin, deadline Dec 7th, For Dec 24th bulletin, deadline Dec 12th, For Dec 31st bulletin, deadline Dec 18th

Philip Katsadourous reaching out to invite Blessed Trinity Catholic Church to an informational session with the Greater Cleveland Habitat for Humanity. We will be hosting two Open Houses in December (Friday, December 1st and Saturday, December 9th from 11-2pm) Located at 10010 Shale Ave, Cleveland Ohio. The main goal will be to share what Habitat has been doing in the Cleveland community, as well as ways to potentially get involved.

## WORSHIP

### **Saturday, November 25**

4:00pm Jerry Nusbaum ( Family)

### **Sunday, November 26**

**Our Lord Jesus Christ, King Of The Universe**  
**Ez 34:11-12, 15-17 1Cor 15:20-26,28 Mt 25:31-46 (160)**

9:00am Thomas & Joanne Salem ( Family)  
11:00am Blessed Trinity

### **Monday, November 27**

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

### **Tuesday, November 28**

8:30am All Souls

### **Wednesday, November 29**

8:30am Jerry Nusbaum ( Nature's Way)

### **Friday, December 1**

8:30am All Souls

### **Saturday, December 2**

4:00pm Blessed Trinity

### **Sunday, December 3**

**First Day Of Advent**  
**Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7 1 Cor 1:3-9 Mk 13:33-37 (2)**

9:00am Thomas & Joanne Salem ( Family)  
11:00am Kevin Boyer

An inter-parish men's group will meet December 1st for a First Friday luncheon at St. Clarence Church, 30106 Lorain Road, North Olmsted. Registration begins at 11:15 AM, followed by the luncheon, then an inspirational talk, and concludes with Mass. Please call George Perz at (440) 937-6606 by Tuesday, November 28th to make a reservation. Cost is \$16.00.

The Peace and Justice Committee will be accepting donations of mittens, gloves, hats, scarves and socks for the clothes line at the bus stop on West 140th across from the library. Donations can be put in the baskets at the main entrance of the church or dropped off at the rectory during regular office hours. If you would like to help package items or hang them on the line when needed, please contact Kathy Ruppe at [kruppe@live.com](mailto:kruppe@live.com). Thank you.

Just wanted to say Thank You to all who helped out for our Craft Show. You are all a true Blessing. Thank you so much. We could not have done it without your help.  
Thanks,  
Chris and Lisa McAvinue

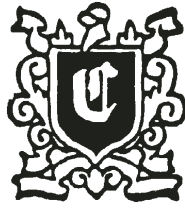


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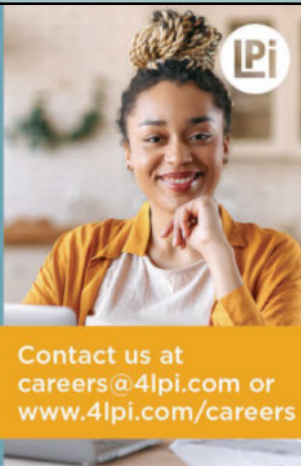
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