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**MAY 19, 2024**

**PENTECOST SUNDAY**

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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 104: LORD, SEND OUT YOUR SPIRIT

Ken Canedo



Lord, send out your Spir-it, and re - new the face of the earth.

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### New Diocesan Structure

The Catholic Diocese of Cleveland is adopting a new organizational structure with the establishment of 12 deaneries, which will equip parishes throughout the eight-county diocese to more effectively coordinate collaborative ministries and develop plans to bring more people into an encounter with Christ, while better utilizing the resources of its clergy. The deanery structure replaces the district structure that has been in place for a number of years.

All parishes within the diocese have been assigned to one of 12 deaneries based on geographic location, with each being led by an assigned dean – a pastor with significant experience – with the support of a new, full-time position in the bishop’s office led by Robert Koonce, director for deanery operations and planning. Koonce reports to Father Don Oleksiak, the vicar general and moderator of the curia.

Our deanery consists of the Catholic parishes in West Park, the Catholic parishes in Lakewood, St. Thomas More in Brooklyn and St. Leo in Cleveland. Our dean is the Rev Robert Ramser, pastor of Our Lady of Angels.

Each dean is charged with fostering accountability in matters of parish governance, and helping with the care and support of their brother priests and deacons. They will call together a deanery committee that consists of lay staff, clergy, (active and retired) and religious, engaged in ministry in parishes and other ministries within the deanery. A deanery chair will be appointed to lead the process of developing and implementing a pastoral plan for each deanery.

“Today’s challenges requires us to be more creative, more agile and more fruitful in our work,” said Bishop Malesic. “It is my sincere hope that these structural changes will equip us to be more effective at caring for one another and crafting innovative pastoral plans that

bring many more people into encounter with our Lord.”

The bishop said the deans will facilitate conversations to ensure that pastoral plans are bold, manageable and that they are achieved. “Each dean will be a champion for the vision, developed at the grassroots level. The end goal is to make it clear that we are one church here in the eight counties that comprise the Diocese of Cleveland, laboring together to bring ourselves and others into intimate contact with God’s overabundant love for humanity.”

In light of this news, it seems appropriate to look at our own parish structure vision and goals. A town hall meeting including what’s on your mind is a good start. There will be two gatherings on Friday, May 31, one at 1:30 in the afternoon and one at 6:30 in the evening, both in church..

We are in a time of great transition in the parish. Questions to think about might be:

What role does Blessed Trinity play in your life, if any?

Are your spiritual needs being met by the parish? Do you know what your spiritual needs are?

What kind of staffing do we need for the changing needs of our parish?

Do we need a parish Council?

Is parish communication adequate e.g. bulletin, flock notes.

I will be able to retire in less than three years. If there is a new pastor, what characteristics and qualities would you like the new pastor to have?

Join Rabbi Enid Leder and I for a fun evening of interfaith chat on May 29 starting at 7:00pm.

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# AROUND THE PARISH & OTHER PARISH NEWS



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## *Please pray for:*

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## *Thank you for your generous support!*

<i>Sunday 5/12</i>	<b>\$ 4,069.75</b>
<i>Special/ Memorial 5/12</i>	<b>\$ 3,108.00</b>
<i>Gift Cards 5/12</i>	<b>\$ 197.85</b>
<i>Bountiful Basement 5/12</i>	<b>\$ 315.00</b>

"Thank You!" Spring fundraiser profit results are in. The Reverse Raffle raised 7,471.21. Lenten Fish Fries raised \$11,044.03 (up from \$4,849.87 last year). Thanks to all who participated in these events and to the many disciples who worked the events and made possible this successful fundraising season!

**OUTDOOR Clothing Giveaway**, June 2, 12:30-2 p.m. Rain date June 9th. Only 2 weeks left to gather your donations. ONLY donations of clothing, shoes, toys, bedding, and baby items. Donations can be brought after noon that Sunday. YOU will lay your donations out by size & gender in the designated sidewalk areas along Puritas Ave. and the main drive. Limited volunteer help may be available to assist those physically unable to do this. If you would be able to set up at 10 am OR help during this event OR help with cleanup, sign up at the back table in church or contact Katie.

**UNUSABLE Clothing Drive** We are collecting your torn and stained clothing that is well-worn beyond use and headed for a landfill. These clothes are still good for rags. The only requirement is that the clothing items are clean. Bag them. Mark the bag unusable. Bring to the June 2nd Clothing Giveaway and place in the UNUSABLE CLOTHING area.

## *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 Daycare Center**



For the month of May the Bountiful Basement could use hygiene Products (Bar Soap, Shampoo, Deodorant, Toilet Paper) Thank You!!



## This Week at Blessed Trinity

### **Saturday, May 18**

9:00am Jam Making ( FHK)

### **Sunday, May 19**

9:30am-10:00am RCIA ( R Liv)  
10:00am-1:00pm Coffee & Donuts ( FHK)  
10:00am-11:00am Breaking Open The Word ( R Lib)  
11:00am-12:00pm CLW ( Church Atrium)  
1:00pm-3:00pm Stephen Min. info Session ( Church)

### **Monday, May 20**

9:00am-10:30am Legion of Mary ( Church)  
7:00pm-8:30pm St. Vincent De Paul Society Mtg. (R LivRm)  
7:00pm-8:30pm Peace and Justice Mtg. ( JC Lg)

### **Tuesday, May 21**

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 AA Meeting ( RB )  
6:30pm– 8:30pm Holy Name Society ( JC Lg)  
6:30pm- Microloan Mtg. ( Rectory)

### **Wednesday, May 22**

3:00pm-3:45pm Witness for Ukraine  
4:00 pm - 6:00 pm IDCC (Joseph Center)  
5:00pm-6:45pm Bountiful Basement ( BB)  
7:00pm-8:30pm LBGTQ Faith Sharing Grp. ( R LivRm)  
7:00pm-8:00pm Tai Chi ( Outside / Back field )

### **Thursday, May 23**

11:00am-12:00 pm AA Meeting ( RB)

### **Friday, May 24**

Happy Friday!!!!!!

### **Saturday, May 25**

8:30am-10:30am Fellowship Prayer Breakfast ( FHK)  
10:00am Jam Making ( FHK)

### **Sunday, May 26**

11:00am-12:00pm Breaking Open the Word (R Lib)  
11:00am-12:00pm CLW ( Church Atrium)

36th Annual Walk for Hunger & 5K Run, Sat. June 1 Join our team or make a donation. Your gift will ensure that the 1 in 5 Clevelanders facing hunger have access to fresh, healthy food. Every \$1 raised provides 3 healthy meals. 94% of funds raised go directly to feeding our community. Hunger Network supports the Bountiful Basement and our Community Meal programs. We will be accepting donations at church the weekend of May 25/26. Place cash or check donations in the Walk for Hunger envelope in the pew and drop into the collection basket at Mass or bring to the rectory. Make checks payable to Blessed Trinity Parish with Walk for Hunger in the memo line. If you would like to walk with us register with our "Bountiful Basement Buddies" team. <https://give.hungernetwork.org/event/36th-annual-walk-for-hunger-5k-run/e539558> Parking is FREE at the Cleveland Metroparks Zoo, 3900 Wildlife Way, Cleveland, OH 44109. Walk begins at 9:00 a.m. For questions or if you'd like to share a ride, contact Katie Corbett. Maybe we'll be lucky and see our new baby gorilla, Jameela!

## WORSHIP

<b>Saturday, May 18</b> <b>4:00pm</b>	John & Ann Roddy ( Ron & Kathy Mickler)
<b>Sunday, May 19</b> <b>9:00am</b> <b>11:00am</b>	Pentecost Sunday Acts 2:1-11/1 Cor 12:3b-7,12-13 Blessed Trinity Deceased Keeper & Sullivan ( Kathy Betz)
<b>Monday, May 20</b> <b>11:00am</b>	Sara & Virginia Biagiotti (Linda Parente) @ Westpark Healthcare Center 4387 W 150th Street
<b>Tuesday, May 21</b> <b>8:30am</b>	Blessed Trinity
<b>Wednesday, May 22</b> <b>8:30am</b>	Blessed Trinity
<b>Friday, May 24</b> <b>8:30am</b>	Blessed Trinity
<b>Saturday, May 25</b> <b>4:00pm</b>	Brian McGraw ( Eileen Mone )
<b>Sunday, May 26</b> <b>9:00am</b> <b>11:00am</b>	The Most Holy Trinity Dt 4:32-34,39-40 Rom 8:14-17 Mt 28:16-20 (165) Deceased members of the Salem Family ( Richard Salem) Blessed Trinity

### Reminder:

Stephen Ministry information session is May 19th in church after the 11am mass.

### Help Wanted: Part-time St. Vincent de Paul Society Evening Meal Coordinator/Pantry Facilitator

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul, Diocese of Cleveland, is seeking an individual to coordinate and supervise its evening meal program and food pantry operations at St. Pat's Church, 3606 Bridge Avenue in Cleveland. For more information and to apply, visit the Catholic Diocese of Cleveland's job listings on its website: <https://www.dioceseofcleveland.org/offices/human-resources/employment-opportunities/evening-meal-coordinator-and-pantry-facilitator-society-of-st-vincent-de-paul>



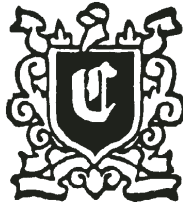
**Fellowship Prayer Breakfast** is Saturday, May 25 from 8:30am—10:30am in Fogarty Hall. Guest Speaker. All are welcome! Cost is only \$3 each, or 2 for \$5. So, bring a guest! All are welcome.

### Writing Congress about our warming planet

Concerned about what is happening as our planet heats up? Stop by in the narthex after masses next weekend to write a short letter to your representative or senator to express your concerns. It will take five minutes. It will be hand-delivered to congress on June 11th. The planet will thank you!



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