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APRIL 13, 2025

PALM SUNDAY

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RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday–Wednesday: 9 a.m.–8 p.m.
Thursday, Friday: 9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.
(Closed for lunch 12:30–1:45 p.m.)
Saturday: 1:00–3:45 p.m.

MASS SCHEDULE

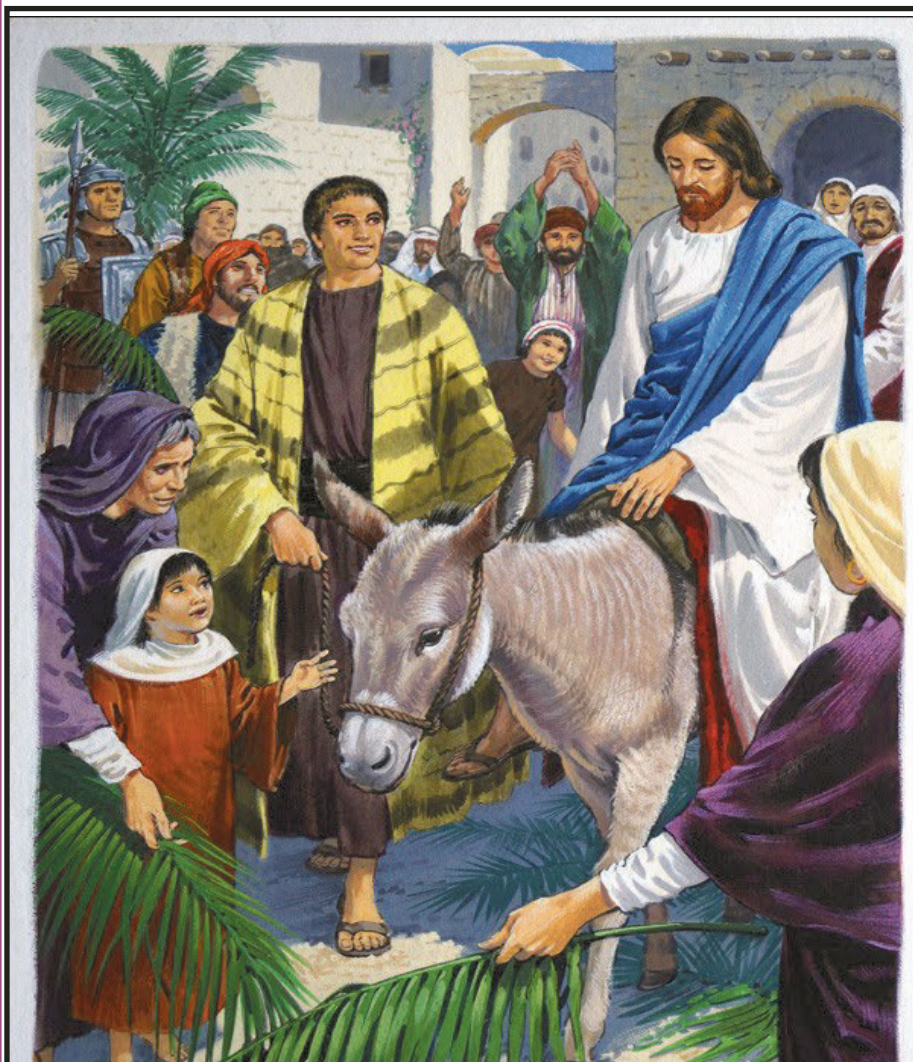
Saturday Vigil: 4:00 p.m.
Sunday: 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
Children's Liturgy of the Word: 11 a.m.
Monday: see worship calendar
for time & location
Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 8:30 a.m.

RECONCILIATION

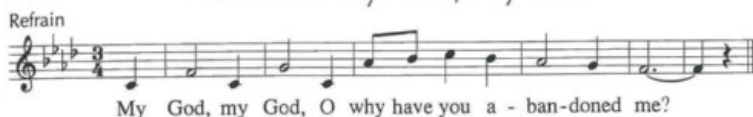
Anytime by appointment only

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 22: My God, My God



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The Beauty of Holy Week is Upon Us

Holy Week begins with the vigil Mass on Saturday. It is the most solemn week of the year. During this week we commemorate the saving love of Jesus Christ who is the perfect model of Christian love. The liturgies of Holy Week speak for themselves and are filled with symbolism, rituals, and prayers. Homilies are to be short or omitted altogether. If done well, the Holy Week liturgies move, inspire and challenge us.

On Palm Sunday, we will gather outside, weather permitting, for the blessing of palms. Then we will process into church singing ‘Sing “Hosanna” to the Chosen One.’ And yet, we are not re-enacting that first Palm Sunday. We are entering into it ritually that we might be touched and formed by it.

The Liturgy of the Word includes the reading of the Passion according to St. Luke. It is long, maybe 15 minutes. As always I encourage you to stand through it like we always do for the proclamation of the Gospel, but if you can’t, please feel free to be seated.

The Palm Sunday liturgy ends in silence. Please respect that silence. It only takes one person to ruin that solemn ending. We leave church quietly to digest the meaning of this solemn feast. Talking may resume after the procession is over. Letter writing about immigration policy will then begin.

On Tuesday of Holy Week, Bishop Malesic will celebrate the Chrism Mass at 7:00pm at the cathedral. The entire diocese is invited to join him for this special liturgy. At this Mass, the oils used for the sacraments of initiation will be blessed along with the oil of the sick.

On Holy Thursday we celebrate the Mass of the Lord’s Supper. In this liturgy we read of the washing of the feet from John’s Gospel. John emphasizes that the Eucharistic meal is a call to service. All are invited to come forward and have their feet washed.

After the petitions, the oils blessed by the bishop, are brought up in procession before the Preparation of the Gifts.

At the end of the Holy Thursday liturgy the entire congregation will process to the altar of repose. There we will stand and pray for a moment, then disperse in silence. You are invited to “stay awake with Jesus” before the Blessed Sacrament any time between the time the Mass ends and 11:00pm.

Our Good Friday Service this year begins at noon. It has three parts: the liturgy of the word, the veneration of the cross and communion. Come and join us for this commemoration of the anniversary of the death of our Savior, Jesus the Christ.

The Easter vigil is the most glorious liturgy of the year. It has four parts. The first is the celebration of light in which we bless the primal fires outside and then process into church for the hymn, the Exultet.

Part two is the liturgy of the word in which we hear the highlights of salvation history from seven readings of the Old Testament. After the epistle reading, we finally sing the word “Alleluia” once again, signifying the joy of the risen Christ.

Part three is the liturgy of baptism. During this part of the liturgy, those preparing for reception into the church will receive their sacraments. Clare Moriarity Gainley will receive the sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation and later in the Mass, first Eucharist. Morgan Gimlett Gainley will be baptized during this part of the Mass.

Part four is the Liturgy of the Eucharist. Energized and uplifted by the previous parts of the vigil., we come to the table of the Lord to receive the Risen Christ in the Eucharist. It is the body of Risen Christ that we receive, not the body of Jesus.

I want to thank in advance Julio Santana our music minister, who has worked so hard to make out music uplifting and prayerful, the adult choir, the bell choir, the lectors who memorized their readings, Steve and Anne Suding who served as sacristans throughout Holy Week and did so much behind the scenes work, and all those involved in any liturgical ministry. Our parish is blessed because of you.



*May the Peace of Our Lord be with
**Rosemary Nosetic, Sister of Nancy
Koch.** May God grant comfort to her
family and friends*





AROUND THE PARISH & OTHER PARISH NEWS

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Peace and Justice News. Senator Mark Kelly and others have said there are two things we can do to preserve our democracy, write letters and show up. Each weekend after Masses the Peace and Justice Committee will have letters for you to sign and add your own message. This week's letter is about the value of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion. Come sign a letter and make your voice heard. Donations to cover the cost of mailing will be accepted.

Holy Name: Our guest speakers for our Holy Name meeting will be Cuyahoga County Council member, Dale Miller, who was unable to attend our March meeting, and also State Representative Bride Sweeney. The date is Tuesday April 15th starting at 7pm in the Joseph center. All Women and Men are Welcome.

Thank you for your generous support!

Sunday, Mar 30	\$	4,530.00
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Pastoral Ministry	\$	130.01
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Catholic Relief Services	\$	220.00
Operation Rice Bowl	\$	105.00

Please pray for:

Joan Andrews, Thomas Ausnehmer, Doris Eikens Az-zarello, Jim Beesley, Kathy Betz, Charlene Boyer, Jeanne Brent, Adele Burke, Callie Carley, Gladys Castro, Pat Chapin, Romualdo Cipro, Alex & Ashley Cornet, Teri Crowe, Scherrie Damm, John Darmstadt, Al Delattre, Martin Patrick Dugan, Dukles Family, Joseph Dunn, Barb Dylag, Edward Dzuro, Scott Eidam, Erna Eifel, Terry Evans, Donald Flanagan, Marianna Fleming, Jenny Flynn, Will Gibson, Vesna Goverdovski, Michael Graham, Dottie Green Family, Maria Guy, Louise J. Hall, Donald Haluska, Robert Hardman, Linda Heaton, Catherine Heidinger, Susanne Heisey, Agnes Hocevar, Eileen Kelly, Denise Kamiola, 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, Liz Mahon, Eileen Mangan, Sr. Rita Marra SND, Jerry Masek, Claudette Matero, Lucy McInerney, Tom McInerney, Tommy McInerney, 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, Steven O' Malley, Steven Povlis, Lisa Prokopius, Jose Rivera, Carol Roberts, Matthew Rossman, Liz Rosa, Ron Ruble, Mary Salamon, Marilyn Samonte, Rob Salvaore, Betty Schmidt, Vic Scigliano, Brandy Shuttera, Larry Sowders, Evana Stanonik, Christopher Stein, Roberta Steinbacher, Sean Szill, Janet Tang, Kevin Thompson, Sherrie Thompson, Tom Vasko, Noreen Williams, Jesse Wilson, Monica Woodman, Maggie Wooley, Eileen Young, Jeala Youssef, 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
- * 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

Save the date. The Reverse Raffle is April 26, from 5-10pm. Tickets are \$45 for dinner and main board, \$25 for dinner only, and \$10 absentee ticket.





This Week at Blessed Trinity

SATURDAY, APR 12

SUNDAY, APR. 13

9:00am-10:45am	CGS Level 1 (A)
9:00am-10:45am	PSR Grade 1-3 (A)
10:00am-11:00am	Breaking Open The Word (R LivRm)
10:00am-10:45am	PSR Grades 4-8 (R B)
11:00am-11:45am	CLW (CH)
12:00pm-1:00pm	Community Meal (c)FH&K

MONDAY, APR. 14

9:00am-10:30am	Legion of Mary (CH)
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TUESDAY, APR. 15

8:00am-8:30am	Novena - Rosary (CH)
9:00am-11:00am	IDCC (JC Lg)
9:30am-12:00pm	Bountiful Basement (BB)
10:30am-12:00pm	AA Meeting (RB)
5:00pm-6:00pm	First Communion Prep (A)
7:00pm-9:30pm	Holy Name Meeting
7:00pm-9:00pm	Bell Choir Practice (CH)

WEDNESDAY, APR. 16

3:00pm-3:45pm	Witness for Ukraine
4:00pm-6:00pm	IDCC (JC Lg)
5:00pm-6:45pm	Bountiful Basement (BB)
6:30pm-7:30pm	Tai Chi (FH)
7:00pm-8:00pm	Choir (CH)

THURSDAY, APR. 17

11:00am-12:00pm	AA Meeting (R B)
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FRIDAY, APR. 18

12:00pm-1:00pm	Passion of Our Lord (CH)
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SATURDAY, APR. 19

8:30pm-9:30pm	Easter Vigil (CH)
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SUNDAY, APR. 20

10:00am-11:00am	Breaking Open The Word (R LivRm)
10:00am-1:00pm	Coffee & Donuts (FH)
11:00am-11:45am	CLW (CH)

Glory Road. Glory Road is a prayerful walk with Jesus through the 7 days of Holy Week, based on the Gospel of Mark. Developed and led by Mike Reiling, it will be held at Centering Space in Lakewood Sunday, April 13 from 2 -3:30. Information flyers can be found on the tables by the entrances to church.

Eccumenical Holy Week Taize Prayer. We gather for a meditative experience of Holy Week on Tuesday, April 15 at 7 pm., at Lakewood United Methodist Church, 15700 Detroit Ave. in Lakewood. Join members of our parish and others in song, silence, and scripture.

There is a collection this week for the Holy Land. Please place donations in a separate envelope.

SATURDAY, APR 12

4:00pm Blessed Trinity

SUNDAY, APR. 13 PALM SUNDAY

Lk 19:28-40 (37) Is 50:4-7 Phil 2:6-11 Lk 22:14-23:56

9:00am Blessed Trinity

11:00am Angelina Martino (Rosa & Family)

MONDAY, APR. 14

11:00am at West Park Health Center
4401 West 150th, Cleveland, Ohio

TUESDAY, APR. 15

8:30am Blessed Trinity

WEDNESDAY, APR. 16

8:30am Edward & Annette Kalister (Family)

THURSDAY, APR. 17

7:00pm Mass of the Lord's Supper

FRIDAY, APR. 18

12:00pm Good Friday Services

SATURDAY, APR. 19

8:30am Blessed Trinity

SUNDAY, APR. 20 EASTER SUNDAY

Acts 10:34a, 37-43 Col 3:1-4

9:00am Blessed Trinity

11:00am Blessed Trinity

Caring Corner



In these turbulent times, it's easy to get off-kilter, out of sorts, discombobulated.. If that describes you, consider this exchange from Tolkien's The Fellowship of the Ring; "I wish it need not have happened in my time," said Frodo. "So do I," said Gandalf, "and so do all who live to see such times. But that is not for them to decide. All we have to decide is what to do with the time that is given us." If you or someone you know could benefit from the listening ear, caring presence, and Christ-centered support of a Stephen Minister, please call 216-671-5890, Ext. 12.

We still have Applesauce & Jam for sale. Jam is \$7 a jar and applesauce is \$5 a jar



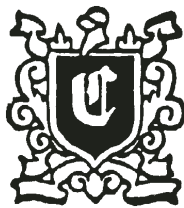
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