

# Blessed Trinity

## All Are Welcome



**JUNE 21, 2026**

**TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

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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 1:15–1:45 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 69: Lord, in Your Great Love

Refrain

Lord, in your great love, an-swer me.

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## FROM THE DESK OF BRIAN...

Hello, my name is Brian Hamblen, and I am the new Pastoral coordinator at Blessed Trinity. Let me start by saying thank you to everyone who made my transition to my new role here very easy and welcoming.

For those of you that don't know me, let me tell you a little about myself. I was born and raised right here in the greatest neighborhood in Cleveland, Westpark. I attended both St. Patrick's and St. Mel's before taking my talents to St. Edward High School. At St. Ed's I participated in football and baseball along with everything else my mother told me to do. After graduating high school, I went to Mercyhurst College in Erie, Pennsylvania, where I studied criminal justice and was on the varsity football team. While at Mercyhurst I became a Eucharistic Minister, to surprise my mother. Boy, she was surprised! So surprised she couldn't make the ceremony. (Single moms need to work or was it golf?) Upon coming back to Cleveland and for the next fifteen years I was a manager and operating partner for some of the most successful nightclubs and restaurants in Cleveland and one nightclub even got national recognition. I'd like to say it was because of me or maybe it was the gentleman who rented it out every Saturday, not a big name, not known globally or anything and one of the only people that everyone knows by just one name, LeBron. After finishing my career in the hospitality industry, I was offered a job at Puritas nursery as a manager. I knew nothing about plants, shrubs or trees. I took the job and never looked back.

Now I am 50 years old and ready to start the next chapter in my life. When Father Doug offered me the job as Pastoral coordinator for Blessed Trinity my eyes began to water and my body shook vigorously. Right then and there I knew that I had to take the job. I knew that God was taking over my body and letting me know that this is now my calling.

I would like to take a couple minutes now before you leave to go to breakfast or brunch with family or friends or maybe even get ready for a midafternoon cookout with juicy mouth-watering steaks or just a great old-fashioned burger. Does that make you hungry? Now what if I told you that 40% of the people in our neighborhood don't have that option and don't know where their next meal will come from and children go to bed hungry and get their only meal from their school, Unfortunately, it's true! So, I am asking each one of you to help us at Bountiful Basement so that no child goes to bed hungry and no family wonders when their next meal will be. We are in desperate need of volunteers and donations. Bountiful Basement is open on Tuesday mornings and Wednesday evenings. If you would like to volunteer, there will be a sign-up sheet at the back of the church. If you would like to donate, please specify on your envelope that it's for the Bountiful Basement. If you have any questions please don't hesitate to ask, my office is always open. Thank you!

*May the Peace of Our Lord be with  
Wilma Jean Hess, mother of Christine  
Mancino and Genevieve Noar,  
aunt of Darla Naftanel. May God  
grant comfort to their family and  
friends.*



# 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.



The water department continues repairs on W. 140<sup>th</sup> Street. There may not be access to parish property from W.140 from time to time. There may be different traffic patterns from day to day. Leave some extra time to get to church.

**Summer Solstice Taize - June 21 7:00-8:00 pm.** Join us at Centering Space, 14812 Lake Ave, for our first Taize summer prayer. We will be outdoors, weather permitting, and indoors if the weather is rainy or too humid. Our prayer will be followed by a social. Bring a chair, bring a snack to share! Join our meditative evening prayer!

**Thank you for your generous support!**

<b>Sunday, June 14</b>	\$ 7,070.00
Haiti Missions	\$ 73.33
Bountiful Basement	\$ 401.34
Help the Needy	\$ 58.33
St. Vincent de Paul Society	\$ 50.00
Capital Improvements	\$ 50.00
Memorials & Special Gifts	\$ 3,255.00

## Please pray for our sick:

DeAnna Behring, Mary Ann Bowers, Charlene Boyer, Adele Burke, Gladys Castro, Pat Chapin, Teri Crowe, Scherrie Damm, John Darmstadt, Al Delattre, Diane Dorenkott, Dukles Family, Joseph Dunn, Barb Dylag, Erma Eifel, Jenny Flynn, Will Gibson, June Grace, Michael Graham, Louise J. Hall, Thomas Heim, Susanne Heisey, Agnes Hocevar, Gail Iseli, Eileen Kelly, Nicola Jandric, Annette Janetzke, Vicki & Rudy Juris, Joanne Kauchuk, Dan Kemer, Ralph & Judy Kobus, Marilyn Lombardo, Karen Long, Liz Mahon, Eileen Mangan, Jerry Masek, Claudette Matero, Andrea Medina, Betty Ann Menzing, Mary Jo Menzing, Michael Mitchell, Jim & Steve Moravcik, Steven Povlis, Jose Rivera, Matthew Rossman, Liz Rosa, Mary Salamon, Marilyn Samonte, Rob Salvaore, Betty Schmidt, Dottie Schultz, Catherine Sesztak, Evana Stanonik, Christopher Stein, Richard Stein, Sharon Tressel, Kathy Vasko, Tom Vasko, Monica Woodman, Maggie Wooley, 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

**The Catholic Cemeteries Association's** next Sunday Grief Support Group will be on Sunday June 28th. In-person will meet at 3pm, virtual at 5pm. In a welcoming and supportive setting, find fellowship among others who share their experiences and understand the pain of loss. Meetings will be held on the 4th Sunday this month, at no charge to you. Please join us for an hour of listening, healing, and finding comfort with others who understand. For details, call Suzi at 216-930-4866 or visit: [www.clecem.org/Events](http://www.clecem.org/Events)

## In-Person Location:

· Holy Cross, Brook Park | 14609 Brook Park Road  
**Virtual—Please register at:**  
<https://clecem.org/Information/Bereavement.aspx>

**Villa Maria Education & Spirituality Center** in Villa Maria, PA will host Drawn to Follow the Road of Fire: Teilhard and Struggle with Kathleen Duffy, SSJ from Sunday, June 28 to Friday, July 3, 2026.



## This Week at Blessed Trinity

<b>SATURDAY, JUN. 20</b>	
<b>SUNDAY, JUN. 21</b>	
10:00am-1:00pm	Coffee & Donuts (FH)
<b>MONDAY, JUN. 22</b>	
9:00am-10:30am	Legion of Mary (CH)
7:00pm-8:00pm	Finance Meeting (JC Lg)
<b>TUESDAY, JUN. 23</b>	
8:00am-8:30am	Novena (CH)
9:00am-11:00am	IDCC (JC Lg)
9:30am-12:00pm	Bountiful Basement (JC Lg)
10:30am-12:00pm	A.A. Meeting (RB)
6:30pm-8:00pm	Centering Prayer Group (JC Lg)
6:30pm-8:00pm	Parish Council (R Liv Rm)
<b>WEDNESDAY, JUN. 24</b>	
3:00pm-3:45pm	Witness for Ukraine (Outside)
4:00pm-6:00pm	IDCC (JC Lg)
5:00pm-6:45pm	Bountiful Basement (JC Lg)
7:00pm-8:00pm	Tai Chi (Outside)
7:00pm-8:30pm	LGBTQ Faith Sharing Mtg (R Liv Rm)
7:00pm-8:30pm	NAMI (JC Lg)
<b>THURSDAY, JUN. 25</b>	
11:00am-12:30pm	A.A. Meeting (RB)
<b>FRIDAY, JUN. 26</b>	
<b>SATURDAY, JUN. 27</b>	
<b>SUNDAY, JUN. 28</b>	
10:00am-10:45pm	Breaking Open the Word (R Lib)

## WORSHIP

<b>SATURDAY, JUN. 20</b>	
4:00pm	Blessed Trinity
<b>SUNDAY, JUN. 21 TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	
Jer 20:10-13	Rom 5: 12-15 Mt 10:26-33 (94)
9:00am	Blessed Trinity
11:00am	Giuseppe & Carmela Del Vecchio (Rosa & Family)
<b>MONDAY, JUN. 22</b>	
11:00am	All Souls at West Park Health Center 4401 West 150th, Cleveland, Ohio
<b>TUESDAY, JUN. 23</b>	
8:30am	Emily Clark & Elinor Barnett (Kathy Mickler)
<b>WEDNESDAY, JUN. 24</b>	
8:30am	Annette & Edward Kalister (The Family)
<b>THURSDAY, JUN. 25</b>	
No Mass	
<b>FRIDAY, JUN. 26</b>	
8:30am	Blessed Trinity
<b>SATURDAY, JUN. 27</b>	
4:00pm	Eddie Kenny (Dorothy Sadowski)
<b>SUNDAY, JUN. 28 THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	
2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a	Rom 6:3-4, 8-11 Mt 10:37-42(97)
9:00am	Women of Blessed Trinity (Women's Ministry)
11:00am	Blessed Trinity

### Tai Chi Outdoors and New Summer Time

Beginning Wednesday, June 3 and continuing till the end of August, Tai Chi class will be held outdoors in the field. There will also be a new time: 7:00 to 8:00 pm. Bring a chair ... Excessive heat or storms means we will be in the parish basement on Wednesdays. Tai Chi Easy is good for the body and the mind! Join us and bring a friend! Contact Mike Reiling for more information at [mreilingllc@gmail.com](mailto:mreilingllc@gmail.com).

Catholic Renewal Ministries invites you to the **43rd Cleveland Charismatic Conference** to be held on **Saturday July 25th** at St. Albert the Great Hall, in North Royalton. Guest speakers will be Dr. Monica Richards, Fr. John Gordon, and Fr. Bob Franco. Auxiliary Bishop Michael Woost will be the celebrant for the Vigil Mass, and Matt Fafrak will lead us in contemporary praise music. Visit our website: [crmweb.org](http://crmweb.org) for more information and to register. Don't miss it! This will be a wonderful time of prayer, lively teachings, and praise and worship of Jesus in the power of the Holy Spirit.

For the month of *June*, the **Bountiful Basement** could use hygiene products (bar soap, shampoo, deodorant, toilet paper) and plastic grocery bags. Large shopping bags are needed too.

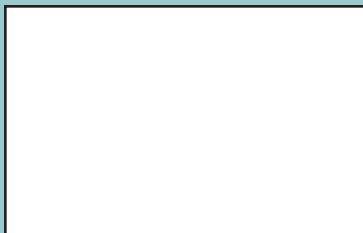


### Villa Maria Education & Spirituality Center

Wisdom of the Circle in Art and Prayer with Paulette Kirschensteiner, HM, CZT from **Sunday, July 5 to Thursday, July 9, 2026**.

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