

# Holy Trinity Catholic Church

409 CHERRY STREET ~ COLUMBIA, PENNSYLVANIA 17512



APRIL 19, 2026  
THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

We welcome everyone who comes to worship God with us, through Our Lord Jesus Christ. This is not a place of judgment, but a place to seek God's truth and love; a place to find healing from the wounds of sin, which damage our peace with God, with one another, and within ourselves.

We hope your experience of worship and prayer here with us helps you to know His presence in the challenges you might be facing, and to know that *God loves you always.*

**Fr. Mark Wilke** - Pastor ([frmwilke@hbgdiocese.org](mailto:frmwilke@hbgdiocese.org))  
**Deacon Henry Reese** - Permanent Deacon  
**Deacon Jim Doyle** - Retired Permanent Deacon  
**Sister Anna Cosgrave** - Ministry Coordinator  
**Faith Murphy** - Director of Religious Education  
**Christine Horn** - Parish Secretary

## Parish Organizations

Altar Rosary Society	Jeanmarie Nobile	715-3521
Archives Committee	Teresa Weisser	871-0331
Pro-Life Advocacy	Georgie Stetter	327-5565
Music/Organ/Choir	Bernard Wickenheiser	252-5731
Religious Education	Faith Murphy	684-2711
Holy Name Society	Mark Grab	252-4615
Men's Club	Hal Snyder	415-8072
Health Ministry	Chamaine DeLeon	201-280-2323
Parish Pastoral Council	Jay Barninger	330-9624
St. Vincent de Paul	Paul Nikolaus	684-3316
Legion of Mary	Darlene Herman	808-3987
St. Matthew Ministry	Claudia Reese	449-9626
Ushers	Kevin Kraft, Sr.	587-4266
Youth Ministry (CCYM)	Laura Kemmick	725-5219
Vocation Cross	Parish Office	684-2711
Companions on a Journey	Rosanne Settino	203-2982
Finance Committee	Mary Barninger	
<b>Our Lady of the Angels Catholic School</b>		684-2433
Principal	Mrs. Holly Maher	
<b>Lancaster Catholic High School</b>		509-0315

## Parish Office Phone

(717) 684-2711

## Parish Email

[office@holyltrinitycolumbiapa.com](mailto:office@holyltrinitycolumbiapa.com)

## Parish Webpage

[holyltrinitycolumbiapa.com](http://holyltrinitycolumbiapa.com)

## Parish Office Hours

8:00 am - 12:00 noon

1:00 pm - 4:00 p.m.

Closed -Tuesday Mornings and  
Friday afternoons

## Confessions

Saturday 3:30-4:30 p.m.

## Weekend Masses

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Sunday 8:00 a.m.

Sunday 10:30 a.m.

## Weekday Masses

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 7:30 a.m.

Friday 7:30 a.m. (every other) 8:15 a.m.

Saturday 8:00 a.m.

## Baptisms and Weddings

Please contact the Parish Office



**WEEKEND MASS INTENTION**

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**Saturday April 18**  
5:00 p.m. Sp. Int. Shelby Leed

**Sunday April 19**  
8:00 a.m. People of Parish  
10:30 a.m. † Gerald Fischer

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

**Monday April 20**  
7:30 a.m. † Sr. Jean Wickenheiser

**Tuesday April 21**  
7:30 a.m. No Mass

**Wednesday April 22**  
7:30 a.m.. Sp. Int. Fr. Michael Grab

**Thursday April 23**  
7:30 a.m. † Annabelle Auer

**Friday April 24**  
7:30 a.m. † Eileen Zweifach

**Saturday April 25**  
8:00 a.m. † Eleonore Hindes

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**Saturday April 25**  
5:00 p.m. † Russel Zercher

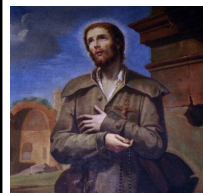
**Sunday April 26**  
8:00 a.m. † Cletus & Betty Horn  
10:30 a.m. People of Parish

**April 11-12**

123 envelopes (out of 537)	\$	4,612.00
Loose Collection	\$	669.00
Children's Envelopes	\$	76.00
Online Giving	\$	1,871.67
<b>Weekly Total</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>7,228.67</b>
Weekly Goal	\$	9,735.00
<b>Weekly Deficit</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>2,506.33</b>
Year to Date Total	\$	343,686.49
Year to Date Goal	\$	389,400.00
<b>Year to Date Deficit</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>45,713.51</b>

To meet our budgeted expenses for the fiscal year, the sum of 9,735.00 is needed on a weekly basis in the Sunday collection.

**ALTAR ROSARY** - Altar Rosary Society will  
Monday, April 20th at 6:30 p.m. in the  
Parish Hall.



Saint Benedict Joseph Labre, Patron of the Homeless, whose feast was celebrated on April 16, was a Third Order Franciscan, who lived a life of poverty and pilgrimage, begging his way to all the places of Christian devotion in France and Italy. He shared his meager food with the homeless, ministered to them, cured many and died in Rome in 1783. Prayer cards honoring him are available in the rear of the Church.



**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM** - Baptism classes are held the second Sunday of each month at 6:00 p.m. in the rec-tory basement and Baptisms are held the first Sunday of the month at 12:00 noon. Please contact the Parish Office at (717) 684-2711 to schedule a mandatory appointment with Deacon Henry beforehand to start the process.



**Academics and Faith rolled into one!**

Our Lady of the Angels Catho-lic School is now enrolling stu-dents for the 2026-2027 school year!



Please visit our website and call the office for a tour and more information!



**TICKETS AVAILABLE AFTER MASS**  
 AFTONTICKETS.COM/M4MLLANCASTER

**ST. LEO THE GREAT CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
 2427 MARIETTA AVENUE  
 LANCASTER, PA 17601-1942

THURSDAY  
**APRIL 23, 2026**  
 7:00-9:30PM

Do you ever ponder the why behind the what of the Catholic Church? Do you find yourself longing for more but finding emptiness in things? Join us for an evening of visual beauty, live music, and reflection that will open your senses to the secret of God revealed in all creation. Learn how to orient your whole life toward the satisfaction of your deepest longings. This is a ticketed event. Want a sneak peek? Select the link: <https://vimeo.com/1105237188/09a4e690b5?share=copy>. To purchase tickets, visit <https://aftontickets.com/m4ml Lancaster>.



**First Holy Communion** - The Children of the Parish will receive First Holy Communion this Sunday, April 19th at the 10:30 mass. Parishioners are invited to a light reception following the 10:30 mass in the parish hall.



**Companions on a Journey** - are hosting a bingo night on Wednesday, April 22 from 6-8 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Come join us for a night of fun!




**2026 Light of Christ Scholarship** - This Scholarship is open to any senior students who are practicing Catholics enrolled in any high school in Lancaster or York counties who will be attending a two or four year college. There are three ways a candidate may qualify to be considered for this scholarship. First option –your father or grandfather (living or deceased) is or was at least a third degree Knight in good standing of Columbus #2294 . Second - your mother or grandmother is or was a member of the ladies auxiliary of the Knights of Columbus. Third- option your father or grandfather is a member of the Holy Trinity Men’s Club. All Applicants must have the pastor sign the application. Applications must be returned by April 27,2026 to the Council home or mailed to the Knights of Columbus P.O. box 26 Columbia, Pa 17512

Applications forms are in the vestibule of the church.

## Caring for the Caregiver

This workshop is sponsored by the Columbia Catholic Mental Health Ministry and will feature guest speaker **Matt Brown, MA, LPC, CAADC** Therapist at Ellie Counseling in Lancaster, PA



At this month's workshop - **Care for the Caregiver** - we will be looking at the caregiver of those who care for someone with a mental, emotional, or other significant health issue that affects a "whole" person. We will learn how caregivers can fight burnout; work through guilt; incorporate healthy self-care; and explore available local resources to aide caregivers navigate their care-giving and self-care journey.


Our guest speaker, Matt Brown, is well versed in presenting this topic as his expertise is in creating lasting behavioral change and supporting individuals with co-occurring mental health concerns.

Matt's professional background includes extensive experience in aiding those grappling with behavioral and substance addiction, trauma, eating disorders, anxiety, depression, and low self-esteem.

Matt's ultimate goal is to witness positive transformations within individuals and families, empowering them to evolve into their best selves.

**Location:** St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church, 121 2<sup>nd</sup> Street. Columbia PA 17512 Social Hall

**When:** Wednesday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> @ 7 PM



**Columbia Catholic Mental Health Ministry**  
 CCMentalHealthMinistry@gmail.com



**Mother / Daughter Banquet**  
 “Living Life with ZEST”

The Mother / Daughter Banquet is for **ALL** woman and girls of the Parish regardless of you having a daughter or your mother is deceased. **YOU ARE** still a daughter of someone and we want you to know your welcome to attend.

**Hands of Christ – Creating Hope Benefit Dinner Join** - Catholic Charities for the

Diocese of Harrisburg for an inspiring evening of fellowship, reflection, and impact at our annual charity dinner. Enjoy a cocktail hour, silent auction, plated dinner, and a meaningful program featuring Dr. Anne DeSantis, with Dennis Owens as Master of Ceremonies. Thursday, April 30, 2026, from 5:00 – 8:00 PM at the Diocese Center, 4800 Union Deposit Rd, Harrisburg, PA. Individual Tickets: \$125. Your support helps provide vital services to individuals and families in need across our community. Reserve your seat today: [https:// bit.ly/44Vulr0](https://bit.ly/44Vulr0). Together, we are creating hope.

**Kick Off May with Our St. Matthew Ministry Meat Raffle!**

Spring is in full bloom—and so is your chance to win big! St. Matthew Ministry is excited to host a Meat Raffle for the entire **month of May**, featuring a variety of prizes awarded daily from Andy’s Markets—perfect timing for grilling season!

**Tickets are just \$20** and are available **NOW** at both the **Parish Office and Andy’s Markets**.

Every ticket purchased helps support St. Matthew Ministry and its important work within our parish community.

Don’t miss your chance to participate—join the fun and support a great cause!

**2026 Diocesan Annual Campaign**

**Parish Goal for 2026: \$70,570.00**



**MARRIAGE MENTORING COUPLES NEEDED**

Diocese of Harrisburg is seeking Marriage Mentoring couples. New Mentor Couple training sessions will be held May 9, August 1 & November 14. Sign up by visiting [https:// hbgdiocese.formstack.com/forms/new\\_mentor\\_couple\\_training](https://hbgdiocese.formstack.com/forms/new_mentor_couple_training)

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**CALENDAR MEAT RAFFLE**  
 Each Ticket gives you a chance to win 30 days of prizes valued at over \$2,000!!  
**Raffle Entries are \$20.00 each (No purchase limit)**

- Raffle proceeds benefit the Holy Trinity Catholic Church
- Raffle will begin on May 1, 2026 and will run through May 30, 2026.
- Winning tickets will be displayed on Andy's Market Facebook daily and winners will be called.
- Winning ticket holders will contact Andy's Market directly to make arrangements to claim prize.

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3 \$40.00 Gift Certificate	4 110 6oz Patties 300 Chicken Legs 300 Chicken Breast 300 Jumbo Wings 300 Happy Hot Dogs 300 Groff's Bacon	5 20 6oz Filet Mignons 20 10oz Delmonico 20 10oz NY Strip	6 20 6oz Filet Mignons 10 Sea Scallops 2 1/2 Lb Peef Shrimp 20 10oz NY Strip 20 10oz Delmonico	7 20 1lb Ground Beef 20 1lb Fresh Sausage 20 1lb Chopped Steak	8 20 10oz Delmonico 10 Beef Cubes 20 1lb Ground Beef 20 6oz Pork Chops 10 Groff's Bacon	9 20 1lb 6oz Beef 20 Philly Meatball 300 Jumbo Wings 2 5lb Chuck Roast 20 10oz NY Strip 200 Chicken Breast 20 1lb Chopped Steak 20 1lb Sausage
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Christ is Risen! He is Risen, Indeed!

A few updates for our Parish in the midst of these wonderful Days of Easter!

First Holy Communion: Congratulations to our Parish Children who will receive their First Holy Communion this weekend — on Sunday, April 19, at the 10:30 am Mass – as well as to their parents and families who have nurtured the faith in the lives of these young boys and girls! Thank you to all who help to prepare our Children for the Sacraments!

MADE FOR MORE: Visions of the Promised Land: Holy Trinity Church with the Churches of St. Peter, Columbia, Sacred Heart of Jesus, Lancaster, and St. Leo the Great, Lancaster, is proud to host a wonderful opportunity to learn more about St. John Paul II's Theology of the Body

through a 90-minute presentation on Thursday, April 23, at 7 pm at St. Leo's Parish Hall. Please note this is a ticketed event (advance sales: \$25, at the door: \$30), with tickets for sale this weekend in the vestibule of the Church or by contacting Tina Johnson by phone: (717) 394-1742 or email: [tjohnson@stleos.org](mailto:tjohnson@stleos.org).

This dynamic presentation from Christopher West along with Mike Mangione and the team from the Theology of the Body Institute will use live music, active and interactive presentations, big screens showing clips of images of both sacred and secular art, and YouTube videos – the goal of this exciting event is to get us in touch with the deepest cry of the human heart as God created it and paint a vision of the Promised Land of the more for which we are truly made. This is an incredible opportunity to grow deeper in our faith, to really understand how God reveals himself through creation and how our desires are meant to draw us closer to Him.

Diocesan Annual Campaign – DAC: We are off to a strong start to our annual DAC Goal. As you know, Holy Trinity Church benefits from the Diocesan Annual Campaign through administrative services and Pastoral guidance from the Diocese of Harrisburg. Also, the DAC funds efforts of evangelization and charity that have an impact throughout our entire Diocese.

One tangible example is that the Diocesan Annual Campaign supports Catholic Education through expertise, guidance and additional resources for our 33 Catholic Schools and all of our Parish religious education programs. Within our Diocese nearly 10,000 students are enrolled in Catholic Schools. And last year, over 1,700 of our young people received the Sacrament of Confirmation. The DAC helps our principals and teachers, as well as for our Catechists and staff, to support our families in handing-on the faith and to form our children into disciples.

Gifts can be made by designating "DAC" on the memo line of your check written to our Parish, by placing monies or making a pledge using the DAC envelopes in the Church, by contacting the Parish Office, or using this website: [www.hbgdiocese.org/diocesan-annual-campaign](http://www.hbgdiocese.org/diocesan-annual-campaign).

St. John Neumann, pray for us!

Fr. Wilke

