

# Holy Trinity Catholic Church

409 CHERRY STREET ~ COLUMBIA, PENNSYLVANIA 17512



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 effects of sin, which damage our peace with God, with one another, and within our souls.

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

**Father Stephen P. Kelley** - Pastor  
**Sister Anna Cosgrave** - Pastoral Assistant  
**Melissa Horn** - Secretary & Office Administrator

## Parish Organizations

Altar Rosary Society	Kathleen Lutz	684-7841
Pro-Life Advocacy	Bonnie Schmitt	951-5492
Music/Organ/Choir	Bernard Wickenheiser	252-5731
Religious Education	Sister Anna Cosgrave	684-2711
Holy Name Society	Mark Grab	252-4615
Men's Club	Dave Young	222-2501
Health Ministry	Chamaine Alfonseca	251-5174
Parish Pastoral Council	Rick Morrison	682-6109
Saint Vincent de Paul	Bill Kloidt, Jr.	684-7444
Legion of Mary	Darlene Herman	684-9067
Ushers	Kevin Kraft, Sr.	684-9579
Youth Ministry (CCYM)	Laura Kemmick	725-5219
Vocation Cross	Parish Office	684-2711

**Our Lady of the Angels Catholic School** 684-2433

Principal	Mrs. Amanda Young
Athletic Association	Joe Droege
Home & School Association	Jaema Dommel
School Board	Luke Parrish
Director of Advancement	Mandee Havrilla

**Lancaster Catholic High School** 509-0315

## Parish Office Phone

(717) 684-2711

## Parish Office Fax

(717) 684-9612

## Parish Email

[holytrinity409col@gmail.com](mailto:holytrinity409col@gmail.com)

## Parish Webpage

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

## Parish Office Hours

8:00 am - 12:00 noon

1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

## Confessions

Saturday 3:30-4:30 pm

## Weekend Masses

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 8:00 am

Sunday 10:30 am

## Weekday Masses

Monday-Friday 7:30 am

Saturday 8:00 am

## Baptisms and Weddings

Please contact the Parish Office



**WEEKEND MASSES**

**Saturday December 21**  
 5:00 pm † Lee and Veronica Rhoads

**Sunday December 22**  
 8:00 am People of the Parish  
 10:30 am † Michael Bronokoski

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

**Monday December 23**  
 7:30 am † Pauline Giandalia

**Tuesday December 24**  
 7:30 am † Judith E. Byerly  
 5:00 pm † Gerald Fischer  
 7:00 pm People of the Parish  
 9:00 pm † George and M. Ruth Shenberger,  
 and Nadine Askey

**Wednesday December 25**  
 9:00 am † Candice Kaufhold

**Thursday December 26**  
 7:30 am The Mannion Family

**Friday December 27**  
 7:30 am † Helen G. Kiehl

**Saturday December 28**  
 8:00 am ▣ Sp. Int. Patricia Smith

**WEEKEND MASSES**

**Saturday December 28**  
 5:00 pm † Chet Grove

**Sunday December 29**  
 8:00 am † Anita and Hammer Grab  
 10:30 am People of the Parish

<u>December 14-15 Weekend Collection</u>	
218 envelopes (out of 615)	\$ 6,994.00
Loose Collection	\$ 382.00
Children's Envelopes	\$ 45.00
Online Giving	\$ 238.05
<b>Weekly Total</b>	<b>\$ 7,659.05</b>
Weekly Goal	\$ 8,800.00
<b>Weekly Deficit</b>	<b>\$ -1,140.95</b>
Year to Date Total	\$ 173,733.74
Year to Date Goal	\$ 202,400.00
<b>Year to Date Deficit</b>	<b>\$ -28,666.26</b>

**COOKIES TO COMBAT WORLD HUNGER** - We would like to congratulate Holy Trinity Parish with setting a new record! Last weekend, the Parish raised approximately \$3,200.00 to help Combat World Hunger! Your generosity is extremely appreciated!

**2019 DIOCESAN ANNUAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE** - The 2019 Diocesan Campaign will wrap up in a few weeks. We have not yet reached our goal and with your help, we can be successful in this important effort. You can make your gift online at this secure site: [www.hbgdiocese.org/dac](http://www.hbgdiocese.org/dac). 100% of the monies collected over our parish goal are returned to the Parish for our use. If we are short of our goal, the Parish must rely on savings to fulfill our commitment. As you think about your personal philanthropy at the end of the year, please consider your Parish and many programs supported by the Diocese to benefit our Parish. You can contact the Parish Office or the Office of Stewardship and Development at the Diocese for more information. Thank you in advance for your generous support.





This week  
our parish Vocation Cross  
is in the home of  
James and Missy Horn  
and Family  
Thank you for your prayers!

**CHRISTMAS LITURGY  
AND  
OFFICE SCHEDULE**

**Sunday, December 22nd**

7:00 pm Parish Penance Service

**Tuesday, December 24th**

4:30 pm Parish Children's Christmas Pageant  
5:00 pm Christmas Eve Mass (Children)  
6:30 pm Musical Celebration of Christ's Birth  
with Choir and Instruments  
7:00 pm Christmas Eve Mass (Adult Choir)  
9:00 pm Christmas Eve Mass (Mass at Night)

**Wednesday, December 25th**

9:00 am Christmas Morning Mass

**Tuesday, December 31st**

5:00 pm Mass of Mary, Mother of God

**Wednesday, January 1st**

9:00 am Mass of Mary, Mother of God

**The Parish Office Will Be Closed  
December 24th, 25th, 31st, and January 1st.**

**CONFIRMATION RETREAT** - There will be a half day retreat on Saturday, January 4th from 8:00 am until 12:00 pm. Candidates should come to the 8:00 am morning Mass and then go to the lower level of the Rectory. This is **mandatory** for all Confirmation Candidates. Breakfast, refreshments, and snacks will be served. Lunch will not be provided.

**PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES** - On Saturday, January 11th, there will be a presentation of 8th grade Confirmation Candidates to our Parish Community. This will take place at the 5:00 pm Mass. Please check your email for more details. If you have not received this email, please contact the Parish Office.

**ST. VINCENT DEPAUL MEETING** will be held Sunday, January 5th after 8:00 am Mass in the Teachers' Lounge of the Parish Center.

**PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING** will be held Wednesday, January 8th at 6:30 pm in the lower level of the Rectory.

**HOLY NAME SOCIETY MEETING** will be held Sunday, January 12th after the 8:00 am Mass in the lower level of the Rectory.

**300 CLUB - FIRST DRAWING**

\$40.00 - #141	\$10.00 - #275
\$20.00 - #021	\$10.00 - #128
\$20.00 - #204	

The 300 Club Party will be held Sunday, January 5th at 4:00 pm in the Parish Hall. Tickets are still available!

**HOLY TRINITY PENANCE SERVICE** will be held Sunday, December 22nd at 7:00 pm.

**RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)** - Classes will not be held on Tuesdays December 24th and 31st. The next class will be held Tuesday, **January 7th** with the topic Sacrament of Confirmation and Blessing of the Catechumens instructed by Claire Storm.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION** - There will **not** be classes held on Sundays December 22nd and 29th.

**NEW ARRIVALS!** Check out the Stewardship rack in the vestibule for new books! They are great gifts for Christmas too!





**THAT MAN IS YOU!** men's group will not meet over the holidays. The next session will be January 25th at 6:30 pm in the St. Peter Parish Center, downstairs. For more information, contact Paul Resch at (717) 449-0056 or paulresch@comcast.net



**ENROLLMENT IS NOW OPEN** for the 2020-2021 school year. Spaces are limited, please contact Mande Havrilla-Sahd at (717)449-5542.



**LANCASTER CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL**

**LANCASTER CATHOLIC'S ACTIVITIES FAIR** - On Saturday, January 25th from 1:00-3:00 pm in the LCHS Berger Gym, prospective families have the chance to speak to and interact with various clubs, sports teams, campus ministries, and the Fine and Performing Arts ensembles at the 3rd Annual Activities Fair! Students who complete their bingo card indicating that they spoke with a variety of extracurricular activities will be entered into a raffle for a **FREE Tuition** for the 2020-21 school year! To register for the Activities Fair, please visit [www.lchsyeh.org/activities](http://www.lchsyeh.org/activities). Attendees that pre-register will be entered into a raffle to win Amazon gift cards.

**ALTAR SERVERS**

**Monday 7:30 (Dec. 23)**  
A. Dommel, M. Kraft

**Tuesday 7:30 (Dec. 24)**  
J. Snyder, E. Shank

**Thursday 7:30 (Dec. 26)**  
Si. Wickenheiser, Se. Wickenheiser

**Friday 7:30 (Dec. 27)**  
C. Rineer, T. Rineer

**Saturday 8:00 (Dec. 28)**  
R. Kraft, G. Murray

**Saturday 5:00 pm (Dec. 28)**  
A. Stehman, B. Stehman, C. Stehman

**Sunday 8:00 am (Dec. 29)**  
H. Murphy, K. Horst, M. Grove

**Sunday 10:30 am (Dec 29)**  
O. Edmond, B. Shoff, A. Pessolano

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS**

**Saturday 5:00 pm (Dec 28)**  
K. Fischer, B. Ruiz, P. McBride, P. Derstler

**Sunday 8:00 am (Dec 29)**  
J. Schauren, P. Nikolaus, H. Snyder, B. Grab

**Sunday 10:30 am (Dec 29)**  
L. Joy, J. Warfel, D. Byard, M. Willy



**WE'RE GROWING OUR TEAM BY 3**

- If you would like to play a critical role in providing for women and families in need of resources related to pregnancy, parenting, and sexual health, please check out our website to see if one of our 3 job openings would be right for you! We are currently hiring for a part-time (30-hrs/week) Office Manager, part time Sonographer (8 hrs/week), and an Advancement Coordinator (30 hrs/week). Find the details about these positions and apply online at <https://www.pregnancylancaster.com/jobs>.



**MARCH FOR LIFE** - The 2020 March for Life will take place in Washington, D.C. on Friday, January 24th. Join the thousands of pro-lifers from every state in the Union to demand an end to the evil of abortion in our nation. Catholics Defending Life of Lancaster PA has hired four buses to transport to the March those willing to sacrifice a little time and comfort, in order to stand up for the right to life of the unborn. Be a voice for the voiceless! To reserve your seat on one of the buses, contact Francine at (717)684-3764. Suggested bus fare is \$10.00 per individual and \$20.00 per family, with free seats available for the mere asking. Contributions from those unable to attend the March in support of those attending will be greatly appreciated.



## **DIOCESE OF HARRISBURG**

**ART CONTEST!** - The Harrisburg Diocesan Council of Catholic Women (HDCCW) invites girls in grades 9-12 in the Diocese of Harrisburg to enter an art contest. The task: design the cover for the 95th Annual HDCCW Convention on April 25th, 2020. The art work should be an original drawing or painting for a 9x12 folder and based on the Convention theme "Rejoice and be Thankful". The grand prize is \$150.00, second prize is \$75.00, and the third prize is \$50.00. The deadline to enter is January 20th, 2020. For complete details and contest guidelines, please refer to the HDCCW website <http://hdccw.webs.com/> or contact the Parish Office at (717) 684-2711. You may also contact HDCCW at (717) 860-0700 or email [hdccw1@gmail.com](mailto:hdccw1@gmail.com) with questions.

**CATHOLIC SCHOOLS NIGHT WITH THE HERSHEY BEARS** - Celebrate Catholic Schools' Week with the Hershey Bears Hockey Team vs. Lehigh Valley Phantoms at the Giant Center in Hershey, for the Annual Catholic Diocese of Harrisburg Night on Saturday, February 1st at 7:00 pm. It is a fun-filled action packed night at the Giant Center. Open to all, this night is a great way to celebrate our Catholic Schools! Discounted tickets are available for \$16.50 each for all ages (regular admission price is \$20.00). Deadline to order is Friday, January 24th. For order forms, contact the Parish Office and for more information contact Janet Dise at [jdise@hersheypa.com](mailto:jdise@hersheypa.com)

### **MEN'S DISCERNMENT RETREAT**

What is your vocation? Do you think Jesus may be calling you to be His priest? Join other men as we gather in prayer and fraternity to spend a weekend discerning our Lord's voice.

**When:** Friday, January 3rd-Sunday, January 5th

**Where:** Mother Maria Kaupas Center, Mt. Carmel

**Who:** Men, 18-35

**Cost:** \$15.00 per person

Rev. Jonathan Sawicki, Vocation Director will be the chaplain. For more information or to register, contact the Office of Vocations, (717)657-4804 ext. 282 or Email [vocations@hbgiocese.org](mailto:vocations@hbgiocese.org).

*Have a Very Blessed  
and Merry Christmas!*

*From Fr. Kelley, Sr. Anna, and the  
Staff at Holy Trinity*

