

Holy Trinity Catholic Church

409 CHERRY STREET ~ COLUMBIA, PENNSYLVANIA 17512



MARCH 24, 2024
PALM SUNDAY

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.*

Father Daniel C. Mitzel
Sister Anna Cosgrave
Christine Horn
Faith Murphy
Deacon Henry Reese
Deacon Jim Doyle

- **Pastor**
- **Pastoral Assistant**
- **Parish Secretary**
- **Director of Religious Education**
- **Permanent Deacon**
- **Retired Permanent Deacon**

Parish Organizations

Altar Rosary Society	Jeanmarie Nobile	684-8475
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
Saint 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
Our Lady of the Angels Catholic School		684-2433
Principal	Mrs. Holly Maher	
School Board		

Lancaster Catholic High School

509-0315

Parish Office Phone

(717) 684-2711

Parish Email

holytrinitycol409@gmail.com

Parish Webpage

holytrinitycolumbiapa.com

Parish Office Hours

8:00 am - 12:00 noon

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

Eucharist Adoration

Sundays 9:00 –10:30 a.m.

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

Saturday March 23
 5:00 p.m. † Dorothy Glinski

Sunday March 24
 8:00 a.m. † Anita & Hammer Grab
 10:30 a.m. People of the Parish

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday March 25
 7:30 a.m. † Margaret Leschke

Tuesday March 26
 7:30 a.m. No Mass

Wednesday March 27
 7.30 a.m. † Grace Styer

Thursday March 28
 7:30 a.m. No Mass
 6:30 p.m. † Mary Nitroy

Friday March 29
 8:15 a. m. No Mass

Saturday March 30
 8:00 a.m. No Mass

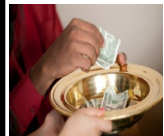
WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday March 30
 7:00 p.m. Adults being initiated into the Church


Sunday March 31
 8:00 a.m. People of the Parish
 10:30 a.m. † Jorge Rojas Negrete

March 16-17

172 envelopes (out of 537)	\$	4,685.00
Loose Collection	\$	561.00
Children's Envelopes	\$	58.00
Online Giving	\$	2,800.78
Weekly Total	\$	8,104.78
Weekly Goal	\$	9,399.00
Weekly Deficit	\$	1,294.22
Year to Date Total	\$	326,140.65
Year to Date Goal	\$	357,162.00
Year to Date Deficit	\$	31,021.35



SECOND COLLECTION - the second collection for this weekend is for Palm Sunday.




CONGRATULATIONS - to Donald Christopher and Faith (Nikolaus) Murphy whose son Donald Christopher Murphy III recently received the Sacrament of Baptism.

HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH
LIVE STREAM SCHEDULE

DAILY MASSES
 Monday, Wednesday, Thursday at 7:30 a.m.
 Friday at 7:30 a.m. or 8:15 if school is scheduled

WEEKEND MASS
 Saturday at 8:00 a.m.
 Sunday at 8:00 a.m.

Visit Holy Trinity Catholic Church via Facebook
 Facebook.com/htparish

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM - Baptism classes are held the second Sunday of each month at 6:00 p.m. in the rectory 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 Father Mitzel or Deacon Henry beforehand to start the process.

WHAT'S HAPPENING!!



OUR LADY OF THE ANGELS SCHOOL



Stations of The Cross -

Stations of the Cross will take place every Friday during Lent at 2:00 p.m. with the school children and again in the evening at 7:00 p.m.



With the change of Liturgical seasons we observe a change in the service music to assist us to enter into the character of each season.

For Lent we will sing the simple Latin chant settings of the Eucharistic acclamations found in the Word & Song hymnal.

The Diocese of Harrisburg Young Adult Catholics



Never Alone

I Am With You Always
- Matthew 28:20

Friday, May 24th - Sunday, May 26th

Christian Retreat Center

369 CRC Dr, East Waterford, PA 17021

**A Catholic retreat for all young adults
(20s and 30s), married or single**

Registration



Early Bird Price:

(Deadline April 8)

Cabins: \$80

Lodge: \$125

Regular Price:

Cabins: \$100

Lodge: \$150

Private Rooms for Married Couples are Available

DAILY MASS-ADORATION- CONFESSION-SPEAKERS- SMALL GROUPS-FELLOWSHIP

"IN MEMORY OF" DONATIONS

Thank you to the friends and family of the Kuhns family for your generous donations to Holy Trinity Parish in memory of John Kuhns.

OLA has a new website! Check us out at: ourladyoftheangels.org Registration is open and tours are being scheduled for prospective students. Call the office or head to the website for more information about attending OLA! 717-684-2433.

There is a lot happening at OLA this month! The Knights of Columbus have been giving a "Student of the Month" award at the final Mass of the month. Each month we honor two students, and their families are invited to attend mass and see them being recognized. We are thankful to the Knights of Columbus for sponsoring this award and coming to present it each month!

OLA was chosen by the NAEP to be included in our nation's report card. Eighth grade students were tested in either math or reading. Their scores will be included in next year's assessment data for the nation.

Eighth graders were back at LCHS to attend Mass and have lunch with OLA alumni that attend LCHS this past Monday. This is the third time our eighth graders were invited to visit their upcoming high school. Nine out of the eleven eighth graders will be heading to LCHS for high school next year.

Seventh and eighth graders traveled to Harrisburg to see The Diary of Anne Frank at the Open Stage Theatre. Students participated in a question/answer session about the Holocaust. Thank you to a private donor for making this trip possible!

The Garden Club will begin in April. This is a new club for OLA. Students are excited to learn about sustainability and the environment

Our choir, Seraphim, will be singing at the state capitol on March 25. They will tour the Capitol and sing for all present. Mrs. Cook and the choir were invited by Tom Jones, alumni of OLA.

Preschool – third graders participated in Dr. Seuss' birthday and Read Across America activities last week. They enjoyed a visit by the Cat in the Hat himself!

Third, fourth and fifth grades are currently holding a canned good drive for the local soup kitchen/pantry.

Middle school has planned a "Penny War" for all the grades. Students are having a ball bringing in all the change they can find. Each grade is competing to see who can raise the most money for the Columbia Animal Shelter.

DATES TO REMEMBER - Upcoming dates to place on your calendar.

Living Stations/ Ham Raffle - March 27, 2024

Mother Daughter Banquet - May 7, 2024

Chicken BBQ - May 11, 2024

HT 50th Class reunion May 18, 2024

Yard Sale - June 1, 2024



The Parish office will be closed on Good Friday and Easter Monday.



JAZZ - The "Big, Big Jazz Band, Inc." will perform on Friday, April 5, 2024 in the Parish Center at St. Peter's Catholic Church, Second and Union Streets, in Columbia. The event will begin at 7:00PM featuring a full band ensemble with vocals. The event is free and open to the public. A

free-will offering will be accepted for CHOP, Children's Hospital of Pennsylvania, Lancaster Catholic High School's Tri-M Music Honor Society community service charity project.



Columbia Catholic Youth Ministry - Remaining practices for **Living Stations of the Cross** are March 24 (2-4 pm), and Wednesday March 27 (4 pm through conclusion of

live presentation).



HERSHEYPARK

Hershey Park Discount Ticket Offer!

Discount tickets to Hersheypark are available to the friends and families of the parish for significant savings. Gate admission for Regular is \$87.80; our price is \$43.95 (ALL ages 3+) valid until 1/1/25. *ADD-ON Hersheypark Single Use Meal Deal Tickets for \$19.06 each and *ADD-ON Parking Pass - \$25.00 pre-ordered or pay \$30.00 onsite Tickets purchased in 2024 are valid for any single day of operation throughout the 2024 calendar year, but will not be valid past their expiration date. Refunds, extensions or upgrades will not be offered Orders must be received at the parish by Friday, April 26, 2024. Parishes will receive tickets on or before the week of May 20, 2024. Order forms will be placed in the back of church and will be available in the parish office.



Companions On A Journey
Calendar of Events:

April 24: 6:30 - 7:30

Raven Ridge Wildlife Presentation

Learn about the wild animals that inhabit our area.

\$5/individual, \$10/family

May 18: Matinee at the Fulton

"South Pacific"

Must reserve by March 30

\$60

RSVP to Rosanne Settino (717-203-2982)



ALUMINUM CANS - The Men's Club is still collecting aluminum cans. Please drop them off in the metal shed (near the back door) in the small parking lot of the OLA school. **Please do not include plastic or trash!**



ONLINE GIVING SIMPLIFIED - Your generosity helps our parish in faith, love, and support. Visit our website today at holyltrinitycolumbiapa.com

and click on the "Parish Giving" logo and complete the information. It's that simple! If you are in need of more information contact the parish office.

300 CLUB

FINAL DRAWING

- | | |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| \$125.00 - #139 J. Schauen | \$15.00 - #256 N. Smith |
| \$100.00 - #117 F. Knapp | \$15.00 - #232 J. McCarty |
| \$75.00 - #105 M. Fischer | \$15.00 - #254 C. Fostina |
| \$50.00 - #108 G. Hurlbert | \$15.00 - #37 B. Ruiz |
| \$25.00 - #249 T. Lawson | \$15.00 - #126 M. Grab |
| \$15.00 - #213 J. Heisler | \$15.00 - #6 J. Yohe |
| \$15.00 - #164 R. Snyder | \$15.00 - #96 R. Nikolaus |
| \$15.00 - #19 T Lowson | \$15.00 - #160 M. Nau |
| \$15.00 - #241 Joe Schauen | \$15.00 - #54 C.Roda |
| \$15.00 - #161 J. Nobile | \$15.00 - #149 B. Seibert |
| \$15.00 - #93 D. Mc Allister | \$10.00 - #284 B. Wolgemuth Jr. |
| \$15.00 - #196 D. Peters | \$10.00 - #19 T. Lawson |
| \$15.00 - #298 M. Haberstroh | \$10.00 - #113 M. Kauffman |
| \$15.00 - #285 A. Hobday | \$10.00 - #208 D. Resch |
| \$15.00 - #299 J. Sweitzer | \$10.00 - #228 T. Doutrich |

Tickets are still available! If you are interested in buying or canceling your ticket, please contact Hal Snyder at (717) 415-8072.

Art, Craft & Yard Sale

GET READY NOW - The Art, Craft & Yard Sale is coming on Saturday, June 1, 2024. Now's the time to start cleaning out, start making your crafts and getting ready for another successful day of fun food and unique finds. Registration forms will be placed on the bulletin board in the vestibule of the church.

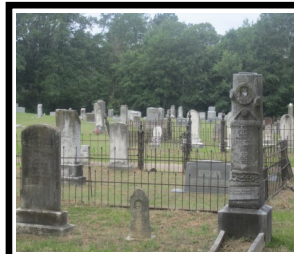


HAM RAFFLE - The Holy Name Societies of Holy Trinity & St. Peters will be sponsoring a Ham Gift Card Raffle. 20 Hams will be raffled off on Wednesday March 27th after the Youth Ministry Living Stations. Donations are \$1.00 a ticket and can be purchased at the Parish office. This benefits the Columbia Catholic Youth Ministry.

 **Holy Trinity**
CHICKEN
BAR-B-QUE
May 11 th
11am-2:00pm
Donation: \$10.00
Picnic Pack Includes:
1/2 chicken, a treat, bag of chips & drink
Half Chicken Only: \$7.00

Tickets are available
Rectory Office (8am-4pm)
Or by texting/calling
Sara Greth 717-684-3238
Regina Fisher 717-475-7990

Easy drive through pick-up
Columbia Boro. Fire Dept 10th & Manor St. Columbia
Prepared by: Formerly Susquehanna Fire & Rescue Co. #4



CEMETERY CLEAN UP -All Christmas decorations will be removed from the cemetery. If there is a wreath or anything you want, please remove it before the March 24 or it will be discarded.



THAT MAN IS YOU - That Man is You! Men's group will meet at 6:30 a.m. Saturday in the St. Peter Parish Center, downstairs. The topic for this week is "Easter Sunday Through Jewish Eyes." Men are invited to join their brothers from St. Peter, Holy Trinity, and other local churches on a spiritual journey that will lead them to the three spiritual foods Christ proclaims: The Eucharist, The Word of God, and The Will of God. Sessions begin at 6:30 a.m. and conclude at 7:45 a.m. A virtual option is available. For more information, contact Paul Resch at (717) 449-0056 or paulresch@comcast.net.