Holy Trinity Catholic Church

409 CHERRY STREET ~ COLUMBIA, PENNSYLVANIA 17512



NOVEMBER 27, 2022 First Sunday of Advent

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 Melissa Horn Faith Nikolaus Deacon Henry Reese Deacon Jim Doyle

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

Parish Organizations

School Board

Lancaster Catholic High School

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Altar Rosary Society	Kathleen Lutz	684-7841
Archives Committee	Teresa Weisser	871-0331
Pro-Life Advocacy	Georgie Stetter	327-5565
Music/Organ/Choir	Bernard Wickenheiser	252-5731
Religious Education	Faith Nikolaus	684-2711
Holy Name Society	Mark Grab	252-4615
Men's Club	Dave Young	222-2501
Health Ministry	Chamaine DeLeon	201-280-2323
Parish Pastoral Council		
Saint Vincent de Paul	Paul Nikolaus	684-3316
Legion of Mary	Darlene Herman	808-3987
St. Matthew Ministry	Bill Kloidt	201-5134
Ushers	Kevin Kraft, Sr.	684-9579
Youth Ministry (CCYM)	Laura Kemmick	725-5219
Vocation Cross	Parish Office	684-2711
Companion's on a Journey	Rosanne Settino	203-2982
Our Lady of the Angels Catholic School		684-2433
Principal	Mrs. Holly Maher	

Tom Fleckenstein

509-0315

Parish Office Phone

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Parish Office Fax

(717) 684-9612

Parish Email

holytrinitycol409@gmail.com

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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-Friday 7:30 a.m. Saturday 8:00 a.m.

Baptisms and Weddings

Please contact the Parish Office



WEEKEND MASS INTENTION

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Saturday November 26 5:00 p.m. Tree of Love

Sunday November 27

8:00 a.m. People of Parish 10:30 a.m. **†** Nancy Boswa

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday November 28

7:30 a.m. **†** Ed Wickenheiser

Tuesday November 29

No Mass

Wednesday November 30

7:30 a.m. **†** Paul & Alma Nikolaus

Thursday December 1

9:00 a.m. **†** Esther & Benjamin Weaver

Friday
7:30 a.m.

December 2
+ Sp. Int.

Saturday

December 3

Saturday December 3 8:00 a.m. † Wilda Droege

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday December 3

5:00 p.m. Celeste Haubert

Sunday December 4

8:00 a.m. People of Parish 10:30 a.m. **†** Marie "Dori" Giffing

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 beforehand to start the process.



<u>PARISH WEEKLY FINANCES</u> - Because of the Thanksgiving holiday, the weekly finances for the weekend of November 20th will be provided in the December 4th bulletin.



SECOND COLLECTION - The second collection for next weekend is for Christmas Flowers. We thank you for your generosity in advance.



ALTAR ROSARY CHRISTMAS

PARTY - The Ladies Altar Rosary Society will hold their annual Christmas Party on Tuesday, December 6th at 6:30 p.m.

This is a covered dish social so please bring along your favorite, signature dish. RSVP by 27th November to Betty Mahan 717-684-3233 or Kathleen Lutz 717-684-7841. A offering will be collected for the St. Vincent DePaul Society at this event.

HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH LIVE STREAM SCHEDULE

DAILY MASSES

Monday through 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



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 "Objective Arguments for God's Existence." 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 Zoom option is available. For more information, contact Paul Resch at (717) 449-0056 or at paulresch@comcast.net.



THANK YOU - to everyone that donated a gift bag for a needy child. God Bless You!





CONGRATULATIONS

Winners of the Turkey Raffle

Betlany Grove 14. Christine Fostina

2. Jaydon Groton 15. Georgia Kennedy

3. Theresa Stein 16. Joe Schauren

4. Nick Nobile 17. Amy Smith

5. Bernard Foehlinger 18. Gina Kuhns

6. Joan Kauffman 19. R. Fisher

7. Matt Nikolaus 20. Ronda Roberson

8. Steve Henry 21. Valerie Schauren

9. Eleanor Weisser 22. Jim Knapp

10. Pat Schauren 23. Phil Haberstroh

11. Nick Nobile 24. Brittany Styer

12. Carolyn Kauffman 25. Kathy Kuhn

13. Julia Strickler

All Winners have been notified.
Thank you for your support.

300 CLUB 1st Drawing

\$40.00 - #7 \$10.00 - #156 \$20.00 - #270 \$10.00 - #73

\$20.00 - #70

Tickets are still available! If you are interested in buying or canceling your ticket, please contact Kathy Kuhn at (717) 684-9292.

PARISH OFFICE VOLUNTEERS - Through out the year the parish secretaries need volunteers to help keep the parish office open when they take vacation or are off sick. This consists of very light office duties like answering the phone and maybe selling a mass card or two. If you are available to help out between the hours of 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. and/or 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. please contact the parish office at 717-684-2711 to get on a list of volunteers we can call upon when needed.





PARISH CHRISTMAS PARTY - Save the date! The Men's club will hold the annual parish Christmas party on Sunday December 18th at noon in the parish hall. More information to follow in next week's bulletin.



YOUTH ADULT
DAY OF REFLECTION—December
3rd- All young
adults ages 18-39
are invited to the
Diocese for a day of

reflection and celebration to welcome in the ad-The day will be split into two vent season. parts. The first will be filled with informative talks by speakers such as Bishop Gainer and the new Director of Youth and Young Adult Ministry, Zack Haney. There will also be time for discussion, prayer, and adoration. Lunch will be provided. We will then celebrate Mass together before heading into the second, evening portion, which will feature a Christmas/Advent party followed games, dancing, and more! Participants are welcome to attend either session or both! Come ioin us! December 2022. Harrisburg Diocesan Center Cost: \$20 per session \$35 for or both, Afternoon Session 11am-4pm, Mass 4pm -5pm, Evening Session 5pm-8:30pm For visit details. please https:// www.hbgdiocese.org/event/adventus-youngadult-day-of-reflection/



<u>Companions Corner</u> - Please check this calendar of events for 2022.

DECEMBER-15th Parish Hall 6:30 p.m. Advent with **Woman at the Well**. Welcome the Advent spirit and preparation for Christmas. Refreshments including wine and cheese. RSVP required.

<u>DECEMBER</u> (December 10th) Trip to the **National Christmas Center** in Elizabethtown. Travel back in time to Columbia in the 1950's. Meet at 9:00 am in the parking lot. Coat is 20.00 per person.



CEMETERY LEAF CLEAN

<u>UP</u> - at Holy Trinity Cemetery on Saturday December 3rd at 9:00 am. Please come join us in keeping our loved ones buried here in our cemetery a clean well maintained place to rest.

Please bring your own racks, leaf blowers, gloves and what ever else you use to clean up leaves.



300 CLUB - The current 300 Club drawing started on November 18th with the dinner being held on December 11th. Make sure you get your tickets in. Tickets are still available! If you are in-

terested in buying or canceling your ticket, please contact Kathy Kuhn at (717) 684-9292.



REMEMBER YOUR PARISH IN YOUR

ESTATE - A very simple way to help Holy Trinity Parish endure and thrive is "planned giving" to include the parish as a beneficiary in your estate planning. These planned gifts help to continue the work of

Christ in the world, and can be specified in one's will as either a dollar amount or a stated percentage of one's estate. Those who have taken this step have discovered a great sense of satisfaction, hope for Christ's continued work, and inner joy. Please contact the parish office for more information or go to www.hbgdiocese.org/giving and scroll down the right hand side to specialty giving.



DISPLAY CASES - The Stewardship - A Mission of Faith Committee has filled the display cases in the vestibule with a variety of media for people of all ages: children to adults. These are excellent gift-giving materials. Come look at the new arrivals. Why not . . . stop and "check them out"!

GET READY

Drawing Starts this Thursday!



Return this stub with your payment. Make checks payable to: Holy Trinity Catholic Church

- VOCATION CROSS

The Parish Vocation Cross will be in the following homes for the last week of September and the following weeks of October.

November 27- December 4 Deacon Henry & Claudia Reese

December 4-11 Florence Brown

December 11-18 Barbara & Michael Leibhart

December 18-24 OLA student body

December 24-31 Emily & Joel Springer & Family

The Vocation Cross and prayers are in the velvet bag and can be found at the Blessed Mother Altar. The cross should be picked up on the date listed and should be returned to the altar by the following weekend.



SAVE THE DATE! - MEN'S CONFERENCE

The 2023 Men's Conference is scheduled for March 18th at the Diocesan Center in H a r r i s b u r q .

The Keynote Address will be given by Marcel LeJeune, President and Founder of Catholic Missionary Disciples. As a Catholic evangelist, international speaker, and award-winning author, Marcel loves to share his greatest passion - helping others come to know the love of Jesus and how to share that love with others.