

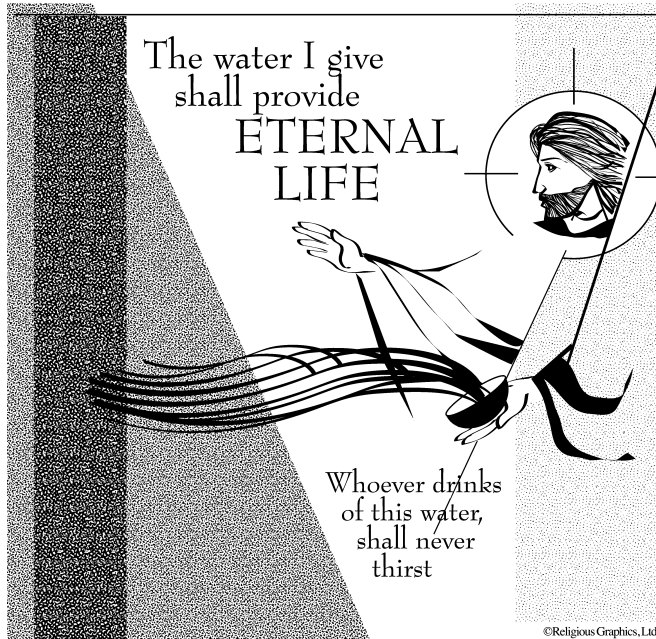
HOLY TRINITY
CATHOLIC CHURCH
Edinburgh, Indiana
-Founded 1851-



Third Sunday
in Lent

March 19, 2017

Jesus is Lord!



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While still sinners

CHRIST died for us

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WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

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SATURDAY, MARCH 18, 2017

Extraordinary Minister of Holy

Communion: Janet Bartram

Lector: Dick Hammond

Server: Volunteer

Greeter: Gary L.

SUNDAY, MARCH 19, 2017

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy

Communion: Patty Guerra & Jim Beeson

Lector: Adam Ramsey

Servers: Erin & Joseph N.

Greeters: Jeff & Isabelle Sciutto Family



If today
you hear his voice,
harden not your heart

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SATURDAY, MARCH 25, 2017

Extraordinary Minister of Holy

Communion: David Lee

Lector: John Lee

Server: Volunteer

Greeter: Gary L.

SUNDAY, MARCH 26, 2017

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy

Communion: Joanne Hollenbeck

Lector: Barb Pierse

Servers: Bronwyn N. & Josiah G.

Greeters: Jeff & Isabelle Sciutto Family

MASS INTENTIONS



Sat., March 18, 6:30 PM—†Monica Phillips

Sun., March 19, 9:30 AM—†Steven Thompson

Wed., March 22, 6 PM—†John Rutherford

Sat., March 25, 6:30 PM—†Russell & Mary Gunderson

Sat., March 25, 8:00 PM—†Barbara Parker

Sun., March 26, 9:30 AM—†Doris Wolter

We still have many available openings for our Masses with the exception of our Saturday evening 6:30 Mass. Please fill out an envelope and either drop it in with the collection or give it to me. The suggested donation for having a Mass said for your intention is \$10, but any or no amount is acceptable.



Torrie Brown, Autumn Burton, George & Mary Carpenter, Bob Dehner, Isabelle Estep, Shirley Freese, Nan Hayes, Larry Higdon, Mariana Lee, Norris Moore, Quinton Richardson, **Jim Vandygriff** & Larry Whitlock.



2016-2017 Regular Collection

Budgeted Amount/Week	\$3,653.85
Online Giving	\$185.00
March 5	\$4,719.00
	\$1,250.15

Central & Eastern Europe	\$484.31
Black & Indian Missions	\$50.00

“For he is our God, and we are the people he shepherds, the flock he guides.” (Psalm 95:7)

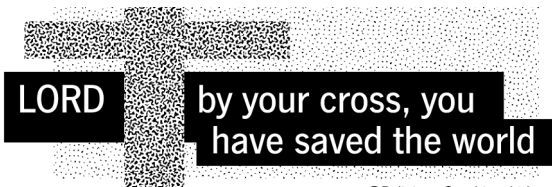
THIS WEEK'S READINGS MARCH

- 19 SUN Ex 17:3-7/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42
- 20 Mon 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16/Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22/Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a
- 21 Tue Dn 3:25, 34-43/Mt 18:21-35
- 22 Wed Dt 4:1, 5-9/Mt 5:17-19
- 23 Thu Jer 7:23-28/Lk 11:14-23
- 24 Fri Hos 14:2-10/Mk 12:28-34
- 25 Sat Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38
- 26 SUN 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41

When we pray, we speak to God. When we read the Bible, God speaks to us.



We are taking a few weeks off now for Spring Break, so our next meeting is not until April 2nd following Mass. At that meeting, we will plan for our pancake breakfast which will take place on Palm Sunday, April 9, after 9:30 Mass. We'll need "all hands on deck" as we serve a delicious breakfast to our parishioners and guests. Please make plans now to help out.



Third Sunday of Lent Weekend of March 18/19, 2017

Jesus' longest-recorded conversation with anyone is the one he has with the Samaritan woman at the well. She discovers she can be honest with Jesus and goes and tells others about him. She gives witness. She's not the most certain, thorough or even convincing witness. But her witness is enough. It is inviting, humble, non-judgmental and sincere. What is the quality of our witness? How do our words and actions give daily testimony on behalf of Christ? During this season of Lent, how might we do a better job at proclaiming the risen Lord in word and deed?

THOUGHTS FROM DEACON RUSS



Thank you to all parishioners who have completed and submitted your Commitment Card to the church. As a reminder, all commitments need to be submitted to the church no later than April 2 in order to be accounted for in the final Summary Report. Please complete and submit your card to the church even if you are unable to make a change to your current level of giving. For those registered parishioners not currently supporting the church with regular offertory gifts, please consider a monthly gift to support the needs of our parish. If you have any questions, please contact me the church office. We also encourage all parishioners to consider our electronic giving method and to setup your reoccurring offertory gifts electronically. Several families have shown an interest in contributing through this easy on-line means.

How do
you get
started?
Go to



Online Giving
from Our Sunday Visitor

<https://osvonlinegiving.com/2990>. You will create an account and you can decide from which account or credit card you wish to make payments. From there, you can setup a recurring or one time gift. It only takes a few minutes then you can forget about writing checks. Let us know and we will stop sending envelopes.



LENT CONTINUES—I hope your Lent is off to a great start! The importance of this season is to turn back to God, seek out his forgiveness. Several penance services are planned throughout the Archdiocese over the next few weeks. You can find the list in *The Criterion*. We will again join with Saint Bartholomew for a combined penance service on Thursday, March 30, at 7:00 p.m. And, as always, you can also participate in the sacrament of reconciliation each Saturday evening before Mass.

TRIDUUM—Triduum is a word that means “Three Days.” The specific three days to which is refers is Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday. The liturgical celebrations that we celebrate during these three days is really one continuous liturgy. It begins with the Mass of the Lord’s Supper, continues with the Good Friday Service during which we once again hear the reading of the passion and venerate the cross, and reaches it climax with the Easter Vigil on the night of Holy Saturday. This year, we will join with Saint Bartholomew as we celebrate together the Triduum. Times for these services will be published in weeks to come.

SIMPLE SOUP SUPPERS—Our simple soup suppers continue on most Wednesdays during Lent at 6:30 p.m.

WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE A DISCIPLE? - I found some excellent videos from Fr. John Riccardo on Discipleship. We will watch these Wednesday evenings after our soup suppers.



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LITURGICAL ART—We wish to again thank Madeson Shehan for designing, creating and sharing with us her artistic talents this Lent with her *Jesus praying under the olive tree*. We have not yet worked out the best lighting to reveal her creations true beauty. At this point in time, we may be at the best we will have for this Lent. Perhaps we can see about coming up with a better display for next year?

WELCOME NEW FAMILIES—Please join me in welcoming three new families who have registered in our parish in recent weeks. First there is Chad and Nichole Gitcheff and their three children: Autumn, Cooper and Bailey. Next we have Larry and Mary Ann Taylor. And, last but not least, Steve and Sally Paulin. If you see someone in church that you don't know, please introduce yourself and welcome them. I read recently that someone coming to a new church makes their decision about returning in the first three minutes after they arrive. Be friendly!

SECOND COLLECTIONS

There are several second collections during Lent; next week we have the collection for Catholic Relief Services, the U.S. Bishops' agency that provides assistance to the poor outside of the United States. These special collections offer you the opportunity to give alms during this Lenten season. Another way is by using the CRS Rice Bowl. CRS Rice Bowl is one way Catholics can enhance their Lenten fasting practice by giving up meals and donating the cost of those meals to Catholic Relief Services in order to help those who do not have enough to eat. Please pick up a Rice Bowl on your way out of church today.



UNITED CATHOLIC APPEAL:
Christ Our Hope

Thank you to each parish family who helped us not only reach but exceed our United Catholic Appeal goal this year. I received a letter this past week from our Archdiocesan Administrator, Msgr. Bill Stumpf. He explained that over the course of the past few years there had been a discussion with then Archbishop Tobin concerning parish goals. They have remained the same since 2009. A taskforce was created to determine a better method for setting goals which will be phased in over the course of the next five years. You can read his letter in the hallway of the parish center if you so desire.



40 DAYS FOR LIFE CONTINUES!

You can register and sign up here: <https://40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/bloomington/> Every time we do this campaign, abortion numbers drop dramatically. Thank you for all of your past help and prayers. Please consider spending one hour in prayer at the Planned Parenthood location in Bloomington.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS—The Knights of Columbus will once again be leading us in the stations of the cross each Friday during Lent at 6:30 p.m. Walking the stations is a very old tradition possibly going back to Mary retracing Christ's steps.

HAPPENING AT SAINT BARTHOLOMEW

BOOK STUDY TO BEGIN—A reminder to all pre-registered participants, our Lenten Book Study is set to begin on Monday, March 20 at either 10:00 a.m. or 7:00 p.m. We will begin with prayer in the church. We will then dismiss to small groups.

MATTHEW 5:4 GRIEF MINISTRY GATHERING—Our next Grief Ministry gathering will take place on Tuesday, March 29 following the 5:30 p.m. Mass. Join us in conference room #2 for dinner and a sharing session. The group is facilitated by Annette Barnes and Colleen North.



CURRENT NEEDS:

In addition to the normal food needs, e.g. canned fruits and vegetables, pasta, tuna and the like, they also like health and beauty aids, toilet paper, laundry or dish soap, frozen meats and milk. Some of these things require special handling.

There is a basket in the hallway of the parish center in which you can place your food donations. Why not pick up a little something extra when you are at the grocery store?

Volunteers are always needed. Joanne Hollenbeck is the Holy Trinity contact.

Here is a list of times when volunteers are needed:

2nd Tuesday of every month at 11am to unload truck and stock the pantry;

2nd Friday of every month at 2:30 to unload trucks and stock the pantry;

2nd Saturday of every month - food pantry distribution from 10am - 1pm;

4th Wednesday of every month at 2:30 to unload trucks and stock the pantry;

4th Thursday of every month - food pantry distributions from 10am - 1pm. -THIS IS A NEW TIME FOR THURS.

Feeding the hungry, one of the corporal works of mercy. Won't you show mercy as the Father has shown you mercy?

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MASS SCHEDULE—HOLY TRINITY

Saturday 6:30 PM
Sunday 9:30 AM
Wednesday 6:00 PM
Holy Days—schedule will be published

ST. BARTHOLOMEW, COLUMBUS, INDIANA

Saturday 5:00 PM
Sunday 8:00 AM
Sunday 10:45 AM
Sunday 1:00 PM Misa en español
Tues. 5:30 PM; Wed. Noon; Fri. Noon
Holy Day 8:30 AM & 6:30 PM

PARISH INFORMATION

PARISH LIFE COORDINATOR:

Deacon Russ Woodard
Telephone: Holy Trinity (812) 526-9460
Cell (317) 456-7722

SACRAMENTAL MINISTERS:

Fr. Clem Davis
Fr. Andy Syberg

BOOKKEEPER/SECRETARY:

Mrs. Cathy Shehan

PARISH OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK:

My son will be in Indy this week on leave from the Air Force, so I will take a few days off so that I can spend time with him. Cathy will be in the office on Wednesday, and I will be in on Friday. If you have a need, please don't hesitate to call me. If you leave a message on the parish phone, I will get an email.

NEW PARISH EMAIL ADDRESS:

parishoffice@holytrinityedinburgh.net

WEB: hthilltop.weconnect.com

Scan this QR code to go directly to our web site.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Sarah KurdzielMarch 19
Nicholas HoltMarch 20
Gabriella RussellMarch 22
Tom KorsonMarch 24
Kitty AshleyMarch 26

Is your name missing? Then, we perhaps don't have your complete or correct information. Please be sure to fill out and turn in a parish census/registration form.

VETERANS—Indy Honor Flight is a non-profit organization created solely to honor Indiana's veterans for all of their sacrifices. They transport our heroes to Washington, D.C. to visit and reflect at their memorials completely free of charge. We are currently seeking WWII, Korean and Vietnam veterans who would like to apply for this opportunity. The next flight is scheduled for Sept. 9th. If you are interested, or know of family or friends who are veterans who would like to make this trip please contact parishioner Karen Fitzpatrick (812-526-9220) for more information and the application forms. You can also visit the website indyhonorflight.org.

Mark your calendars
for the following
events and activities:



03/19 **NO Religious Education—**
Spring Break
Mass at 9:30 AM
Coffee & Doughnuts after Mass

03/20 Office Closed

03/21 Morning Prayer 8:00 AM
Office Closed
Archdiocesan Listening Session

03/22 Morning Prayer 8:00 AM
Office Open 8:30—noon &
1:00—4:30 PM
Simple Soup Supper with
Small Discipleship Groups
video following Mass.
Join us for fun and fellowship!

03/23 Morning Prayer 8:00 AM
Office Closed
Rosario en español 6:00 PM
Prison Ministry 6:15 PM

03/24 Morning Prayer 8:00 AM
Office Open 8:30—11:45 AM &
1:15-4:30 PM
Stations of the Cross 6:30 PM

03/25 Tribunal Workshop in Indy
Mass 6:30 PM
Misa en español 8 PM

03/26 Religious Education 8:00 AM
Mass at 9:30 AM
Coffee & Doughnuts after Mass

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM - Please call the office to make
arrangements at least one month in
advance

MARRIAGE - Please contact the parish
office at least nine months before the
planned date.

RECONCILIATION - Saturday at 6 PM

ANOINTING OF THE SICK - Please call
Deacon Russ to make arrangements for
anointing of the sick by a priest.

**COMMUNION TO THE SICK & HOME-
BOUND** - Please call Deacon Russ.



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3RD SUNDAY OF LENT

