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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturdays: 4:00 PM
Sundays: 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 AM
Weekdays: 8:00 AM as scheduled
Holy Days - see bulletin

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays: 3:00—3:45 PM
First Fridays: 7:30 - 8:00 AM
Anytime on request.

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Grades 1 and 2:

Monday - 6:00 - 7:15 PM

Grades 3 through 8:

Monday & Wednesday - 6:00 - 7:15 PM

RELIGIOUS ED. OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday 3--8 PM
Friday - Closed

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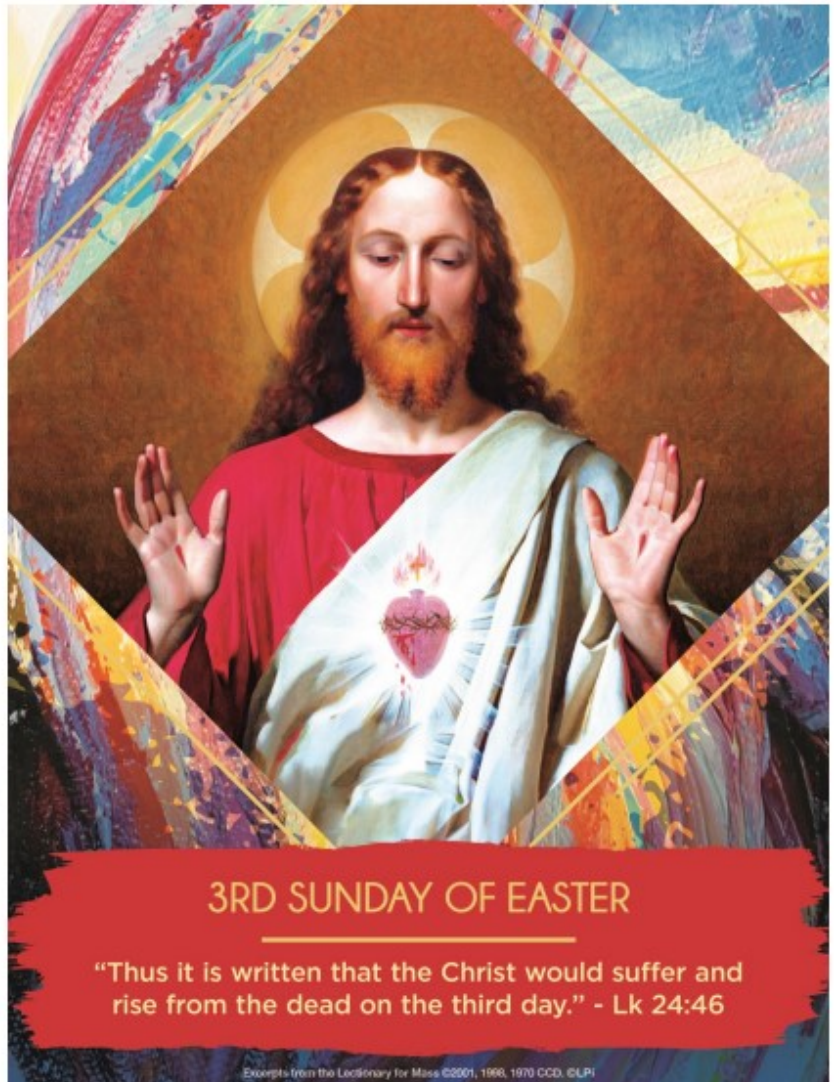
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Service by calling 800-276-1562 or
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3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER

"Thus it is written that the Christ would suffer and
rise from the dead on the third day." - Lk 24:46

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April 14, 2024



Mass Intentions
Third Sunday of Easter

Saturday, April 13, 2024

4:00 pm Parishioners of Holy Trinity

Sunday, April 14, 2024

7:30 am Dolores Neupauer from Hilda & Bill Fonzone

9:30 am First Catholic Slovak Union District 8

Living and Deceased Members

11:30 am Eugene Koncz from Dan & Maria Loch

Weekday Mass Schedule

April 15 - 19, 2024

Monday

Monday of the Third week of Easter

8:00 am Michael Payonk Jr. from Veronica Wilder

Tuesday

Tuesday of the Third week of Easter

8:00 am John Stribula from Wermann Family

Wednesday

Wednesday of the Third week of Easter

8:00 am NO MASS

Thursday

Thursday of the Third week of Easter

8:00 am Ben, Anna, and Edward Maleskas from Estate

Friday

Friday of the Third week of Easter

8:00 am Kathryn Steward from Grandchildren

Acts 4:8-12 * Jn 3:1-2 * Jn 10:11-18

Saturday, April 20, 2024

4:00 pm Parishioners of Holy Trinity

Sunday, April 21, 2024

7:30 am Mary Merlo from Piston Family

9:30 am Wasyl & Grace Romanyshyn from Family

11:30 am John & Mary Kulanko fr: Dave & Joan Yasenchock

Sacrament of Reconciliation every Saturday from **3:00-3:45pm** in the Reconciliation Room or upon request.

Your Sacrificial Offering:

April 7, 2024— Stewardship: Envelopes: \$5,626.00;
Online Giving: \$3,698.00; Rice Bowl donations: \$2,693.00

Thank you for your generosity!

Pierogies will **not** be made during the month of April. We will make pierogies next month, May 13/14.



Weekly Eucharistic Adoration will be held on **Thursday, April 18, from 6:00 to 7:00pm**. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available from 6:15 to 6:45pm.

Soup Kitchen... *For I was hungry and you gave me food...* (Matthew 25:35) Holy Trinity is scheduled to serve at the **Soup Kitchen** on **Sat., April 20**. Items needed next week are canned yams, canned green beans, and desserts. We'll also accept hams and items for the food boxes: peanut butter and jelly, tuna, cereal, mac and cheese, beans, and ready to eat items (soup, ravioli, beef-a-roni, etc.). Clipboards will be passed this weekend to record your donation.



Parishioner Susan Falkenstein and her **Children's Clothing Ministry** is hosting a **cash only sale** with over 1,000 pieces of spring clothing sizes newborn thru bigger kid's 18/20 **Sat., April 13, 4:00pm—6:30pm** and **Sun., April 14, 8am—1:30pm** in the Parish Hall. All clothing is new, and a top or bottom is just \$3-\$4.

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Seniors In Action will **not** hold their regular meeting in April. If interested, we will take a tour of Holy Family Senior Living in Bethlehem on **Fri., April 19**. Holy Family's mini bus with a limit of 12 people will pick us up at Holy Trinity at 1:00pm and return to Holy Trinity approximately at 3:00pm. You may also drive yourself and meet us at Holy Family. If you would like to attend, please call Dave Coraggio at 484-707-3878 to make your reservation.

Adult Confirmation - Bishop Schlert will celebrate the 11:30am Mass on Pentecost **Sunday, May 19** at the Cathedral of Saint Catharine of Siena, Allentown, wherein he will confirm adults of our Diocese. ***Those to be confirmed are those adults (eighteen years of age or older) who were baptized in the Roman Catholic Church, received their First Holy Communion, are catechized, but never confirmed.*** Please call the Rectory if you wish to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Please Welcome...



Roxana Niski daughter of Adam and Katarzyna Niski, who will be baptized this weekend. Please remember this family and all of our families in your prayers.



SAVE THE DATE—Two days this year! Saturday, July 13 from 6:00-10:00pm Pig roast, chicken dinner, drinks, music, fun and games. **Sunday, July 14** Outdoor Mass at 11:00am followed by our usual picnic menu, drinks, music, and games until 6:00pm. **Full committee planning meeting is scheduled for Thursday, April 18 at 7:00pm in the Parish Hall.**

Scripture reflection ... When I was a kid, a friend at my home parish told me, “If you get to Mass by the Gospel reading, it counts!” As a lifelong late-arriver, it’s something I have told myself many times, especially in my earlier years as a Catholic. If the “it counts” is justifiable on a pathetically minimal scale of liturgical legalism, then the Gospel reading today shows how insanely wrong-headed it is, and how helpful it is to re-think the Mass in its light.

The famous “Road to Emmaus” story recounts, on that first Sunday of the Resurrection, the basic two-fold structure of the Mass: Word, followed by Eucharist. Jesus spends a significant period of time with two dismayed disciples, as he connects a wide swath of the Hebrew scriptures with his own suffering, death, and resurrection. They would later report that this Liturgy of the Word touched their hearts with an inexplicable fire. This Word-induced flame alone is what leads the two disciples to discover Jesus’ presence in the “breaking of the bread.”

With this in mind, how can we possibly think that the Liturgy of the Word is unnecessary or incidental? The two disciples needed the Scriptures explained to them in order to experience Jesus alive in the Eucharistic breaking of bread. Sure, we say, but they had the Risen Jesus. But that’s precisely the point: Jesus is risen and accompanies us in both parts of the Mass. Imagine how much our experience of Jesus in the Eucharist would deepen if we (preachers and listeners) took even more seriously that Jesus himself sets our hearts ablaze with his Word so that we know him in the Eucharist. That Word-induced fire counts, too! — Father John Muir ©LPi

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**Office Hours: Mon.-Thurs. 3:00—8:00pm
Friday—closed**

Mon., April 15 and Wed., April 17 - Grades 1—7, Classes as scheduled.

Fri., April 19—First Holy Communion Practice at Holy Trinity from 6:30pm—7:45pm.

Sat., April 20—First Holy Communion 10:30am

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Cash Bingo—St. Peter Church Hall, Coplay, doors open at 1pm, Bingo starts at 2pm on **Sun., April 14**. Proceeds benefit Whitehall-Coplay Hunger Initiative.

St. Mary’s Support Ministry, 122 Union St., Catasauqua invites all who are grieving the loss of a spouse to an “Introduction to Grief Support” meeting on **Tues., April 16** at 11:00am in the Parish Center. Please call the parish for more info 610-264-0332.

Holy Family Manor, Bethlehem, our Diocesan Nursing Home, will be making a presentation at St. Peter Church on **Thur., April 25** at 6 pm. A light supper will be provided. Parishioners of Saint John the Baptist and Holy Trinity are invited to attend. This will be a great opportunity to find out the many services that Holy Family Manor provides and to make plans for yourself and for your loved ones. To reserve your seat, please contact Saint Peter Rectory at 610.262.2417 no later than Mon., April 22.

CALLING ALL CATHOLIC MEN Please consider increasing your spiritual life with a men’s retreat at MALVERN. **May 3—5**. For more information, see church bulletin boards or call Josh Cadman at 484-387-6841.

1st Annual K of C Corn Hole Tournament held at Egypt Memorial Park on **Sat., May 18**. Check-in/practice 11am, Tournament 12noon -7pm. \$60/team. See bulletin board. More info call John Fitzpatrick, 484-201-9188 or jlfitzpatrick83@gmail.com.

Redner’s - Save-A-Tape receipts are greatly appreciated. Please drop receipts in the collection basket, in the box in the vestibule, or mail.

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Congratulations to our talented students that placed in the Allentown Central Catholic Music Contest! We are so proud!

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