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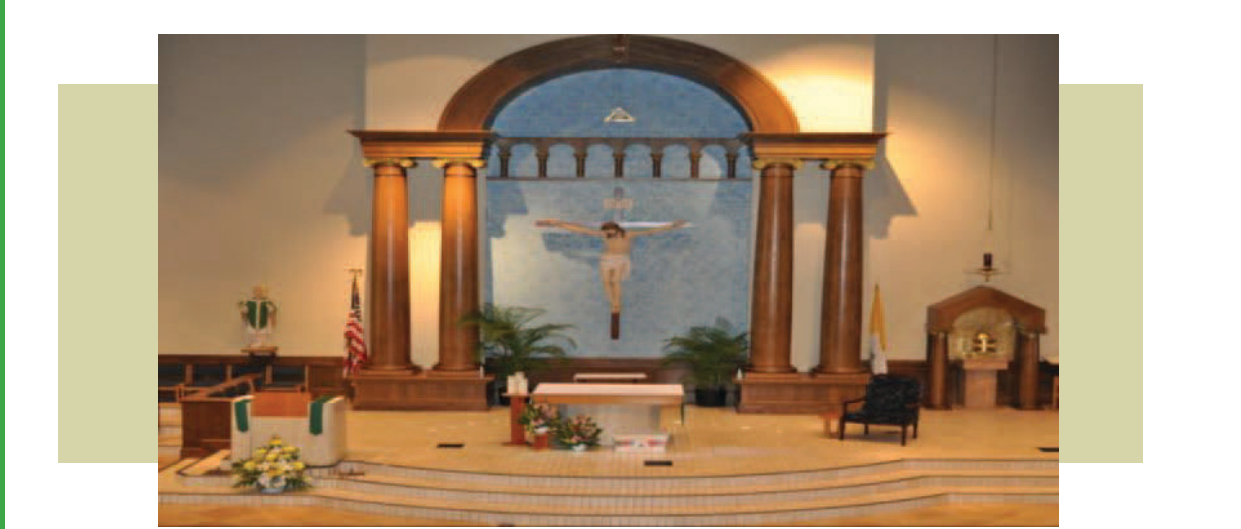
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Wednesday	8:15 am (follows school schedule)
Thursday	6:30 pm (Spanish)
Saturday	8:00am
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DAILY	
Tuesday	7:00pm at La Guadalupana (Spanish)
Wednesday	4:00 pm at Christ the King 4:00 pm at Holy Days of Obligation

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BAPTISM: We are pleased to help your family prepare for the special event of your child's entrance into our faith community. To help parents and godparents prepare, a class (English) is held the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:30pm in the Community Center and in Spanish the 2nd Saturday of each month at 9:00am at Guadalupana. Parents and Godparents must attend this class prior to scheduling baptism.

MARRIAGES: If you are planning to be married at Blessed Trinity, your preparation process should begin at least four (4) months prior to desired date. We look forward to helping you during your time of engagement and preparation for the vocation of Christian marriage. Call the Church Office for an appointment with one of our priests.

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STEWARDSHIP BY THE BOOK

In today's Gospel, Jesus sends out the disciples to meet the needs of others. His admonition to them is the same challenge He makes to us: "The gift you have received, give as a gift."

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A STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

In this weekend's Gospel reading from Saint Matthew, we hear of Jesus calling his disciples to enter into a partnership with him to advance his mission of healing, reconciling and proclaiming the Kingdom of God. Good stewards understand that this mission must begin with gratitude and trust and a willingness to share the wonderful hospitality of God to all human beings. A good reflection for this week: How do we understand our call to enter into a closer partnership with Jesus and to bring the Good News to neighbors and strangers alike?

STEWARDS OF THE WEEK

The Conner Family

The Adopt a Parking Lot Island Ministry would like to thank Daniel, Shelby and kids for giving so much of their time and talent helping to keep Blessed Trinity looking beautiful!

Thank you for being faithful stewards!

New Parishioners:

Jason & Kyla Vance

Baptisms:

Isabelle Harper St. Cyr
Felicity Anne Seminario
Michael Cole Stanton
Edward Michael Riley

The readings for the 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time provide us with profound insights into the essential aspects of living the stewardship way of life on our Christian journey.

In the first reading from Exodus, we witness the encounter between God and His chosen people at Mount Sinai. The Lord, through Moses, reminds the Israelites of His faithfulness and the covenant He has established with them. This reminds us of our vocation as stewards and disciples. They invite us to embrace the call to stewardship by recognizing our responsibility to care for God's creation and to generously share our gifts with others.

In our second reading from Romans, St. Paul beautifully articulates the depths of God's love for humanity. He reminds us that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us, reconciling us with God and offering us the gift of salvation. As stewards, we are called to gratefully recognize God's abundant love and respond by using our gifts and resources to build His kingdom. In our stewardship and discipleship, we discover the joy of participating in God's redemptive work, bringing hope and healing to a broken world.

The Gospel reading from Matthew recounts how Jesus is moved with compassion as He sees the crowds who are like sheep without a shepherd. He commissions His disciples, empowering them to continue His mission of healing and preaching the Kingdom of God. Like the Good Shepherd, we are called to have hearts filled with empathy and concern for those who are lost, suffering, or in need. Stewardship challenges us to extend a helping hand, offer comfort, and meet the physical, emotional, and spiritual needs of our brothers and sisters in Christ.

By living a life of stewardship and discipleship, we are challenged to move beyond our comfort zones, embracing the call to serve and witness to the transformative power of Christ's love. This requires a willingness to step out in faith, be empowered by the Holy Spirit, and to be instruments of God's grace and healing.

Our Catholic Appeal

The number of replies coming in have slowed down. We have done well with the 689 families who have responded. That is still only 29% of the registered families. Because you are a baptized member of God's family, you owe Him a response.

Facilities Calendars

It's that time of year again to submit your calendar request for meeting locations.



ALL ministries and organizations need to submit a calendar for July-December 2026 indicating the name of the organization/ministry, the facility requested, starting and ending times and name and phone number of the contact person making the request.

Calendars will be available in the church office. Please return these completed calendars to the church office, attention Melinda Gunn.

Offertory Gifts

Representatives of the community bring the bread/wine/prayers and collection from the community to God's altar at Mass. It is a great honor and privilege to represent the community in this fashion. If you have never done this, decide today to accept this invitation.

All you have to do is let an usher know on your way into Mass. You can be a single person, a couple, a family or several single persons.

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THANK YOU!

The 2026 Uganda Mission Team would like to thank the generous donors, kind supporters and dedicated volunteers who worked tirelessly to make the sidewalk sale a great success.

We are closer to achieving the goal of providing textbooks to the 32 mission schools. Now three children will share a textbook for Math, English and Science classes. The schools have improved from five children sharing one textbook. Now we look forward to adding Religious Education textbooks in the future.

We are grateful to everyone who participated and thank you for your continued support and prayers in such an important need in helping to educate these children out of poverty.

Prayer and Action

Prayer and Action is coming! During the week-long retreat, high school teens experience God's love and serve our community. During the week, we pray, worship, work and have a lot of fun!

Our service projects include the soup kitchen, thrift store, church grounds and serving parishioners. If you're elderly or low income and have a project like yard work or painting, please call. We work in teams of 10, and we expect about 60 campers.

Our dates are July 27-30, 9am to 3pm. Also, we need chaperones and drivers. If you're available and over 25, please consider giving a rewarding day or two to help us.

Call Marianne at 352.875.7456 for more information.



READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK

Jer 20:10-13

Rom 5:12-15

Mt 10:26-33



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You can also see Matt Fradd's STRIVE program short introduction video at: <https://youtu.be/4xY10P3mZa0>



Knights of Columbus Breakfast

The Knights of Columbus invites you to attend the breakfast after the 7:10am and 8:45am Masses on the second Sunday of each month; the next one will be this Sunday, June 14.

The meal consists of scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage, pancakes, biscuits and gravy, coffee and three different juices.

All you can eat only \$6.00 for adults and \$3.00 for children under 10.

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Eucharistic Minister Training

We have scheduled a training for new eucharistic ministers on Saturday, June 27 from 9am-1pm in the King of Kings building.

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June 13 / 14:

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Lord Jesus, You invite me to be near You. In the stillness of Adoration, You want to speak to my heart. Help me to respond with love and trust.

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Thursday, June 18	7:10am 5:30pm	Janine Charles † Oscar Leyte-Vidal †
Friday, June 19	7:10am 5:30pm	O'Brien & Rothfus Families L/D Shelley Brooks †
Saturday, June 20	8:00am 4:00pm 6:00pm	Bernadine Smith † William Nagy † Thomas Woods †
Sunday, June 21	7:10am 8:45am 11:00am 1:00pm 5:00pm	Nilagros Jamora † Guido & Antionetta DePietro † Richard Dearborn † Spanish Community Ana Stable †

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- Join or start a summer bible study group
- Plan an outing with your family
- Introduce yourself to a fellow parishioner with whom you are unfamiliar
- Help a neighbor who is physically unable to clean their yard
- Invite someone to attend a weekend liturgy with you
- Make a blood donation
- Show genuine hospitality to visitors at your church
- Don't text when you drive
- Reduce your stress by getting outside and getting some exercise
- Drive courteously
- Make contact with a relative you haven't seen in a long time
- Take time to pray each day
- Treat your family or loved one to a day at the museum
- Volunteer to participate in a community cleanup effort
- Make a gift to your diocesan annual appeal
- Plant flowers, shrubs or trees in a park or other location
- Collect stuffed animals from friends and neighbors, write messages to tie or clip onto the animals and give them to a local police department to use in comforting children
- Take a hike in the woods or visit a botanical garden to remind you of God's beauty in nature
- Donate gently used clothing



STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE ~ WEEKLY OFFERINGS

Weekly Offering	June 7, 2026		
Weekend Total:	485	\$ 26,824.00	Year to date collection: \$ 3,753,775.51
Electronic Offering Total:	479	\$ 47,000.62	
Loose Cash / Votives Total:		\$ 2,268.00	Year to date budget: \$ 4,203,759.00
School Mass Offering:		\$ 0.00	Year to date deficit: (\$449,983.49)
Non Sunday:	70	\$ 13,158.00	
Grand Total for Week:		\$ 89,250.62	
Amount needed for Operating Expenses:		\$ 85,791.00	
Difference		\$3,459.62	

"Thank you for your donations."

Reminder: Do your best to put your envelope number on the "memo" line of your check.

Leave a Legacy of Faith at Blessed Trinity

Have you prayerfully considered how you can continue supporting your spiritual home through a lasting gift? Including Blessed Trinity in your will or estate plans is a meaningful way to strengthen the future of our parish and help ensure that our church remains a place of worship, service, and community for all who call this parish home.

We are sincerely thankful for those who have already included the parish in their estate plans and are helping preserve the future of our parish community through their faithful generosity.

Soon, parishioners will receive information by mail about simple ways to make a legacy gift that helps ensure our parish remains a place of worship, service, and community for years to come. We invite you to review the materials when they arrive, pray about this opportunity, and consider how God may be calling you to share in this enduring legacy of faith. If you would like to get started today, please visit <https://cfocf.org/pgblessedtrinity/>.

Hospitality at Mass: A Key to Good Stewardship

For many individuals and families alike, summer means travel. And summer travel may mean new visitors to our parish for weekend liturgies. How we greet and provide hospitality for our guests says a lot about our practice of good stewardship.

Providing hospitality to strangers is a hallmark of Christian stewardship. In the Gospel of Matthew good stewards were commended for their hospitality: "I was a stranger and you welcomed me" (Matt. 25-35). Saint Benedict directed his followers to receive guests and travelers as if they were Christ. Extending hospitality is especially important when it comes to welcoming visitors who may be attending Mass at our parish for the first time.

There is a lot of anecdotal evidence suggesting that the ability of a first-time visitor to have a meaningful experience of Christ in the liturgy is directly impacted by the warmth of the welcome extended by the local worshipping community. When people say hello, the worship experience is enhanced. A warm welcome is part of evangelization, work necessary in a church's mission to help people discover or renew their faith in Christ.

How do we treat the unknown person who walks by us in church, or who sits next to us at Mass? Do we ignore them? Talk around them? Look at them and say nothing? Do we take the initiative to greet them, smile, extend a warm handshake?

Remember, we are Christ's ambassadors (2 Corinthians 5:20). Our actions and reactions toward visitors at Mass communicate who we are and who we represent. Let us take time to welcome visitors to our parish this summer. Welcoming gestures, however small, will not only have a positive impact on visitors, they will make us more hospitable ambassadors of Christ.

Stewardship Saint for June Saint Anthony of Padua

Saint Anthony of Padua is one of the most beloved and admired saints in the church. A Franciscan friar and a Doctor of the Church, he is considered one of the greatest preachers in the history of Christianity.

Anthony was born on the Feast of the Assumption in Lisbon, Portugal, in 1195 to a wealthy and educated family of the Portuguese nobility. He entered the Augustinian religious community at an early age where he devoted himself to the study of sacred scripture and Latin classics. He felt a call to missionary work, however, and was given permission to join the Franciscan Order when he was 26 years old.

Anthony traveled tirelessly to preach what it meant to live according to the Gospel. He is believed to have made as many as 400 trips to towns in both northern Italy and southern France where he attracted people by the thousands. He was so popular a preacher that he often had to speak in public squares and marketplaces rather than churches.

Anthony knew that preaching was not enough to help people understand how to follow Jesus Christ. He believed he had to give witness to the Gospel by the way he lived his personal life. So, he adopted and maintained a simple lifestyle consistent with what he believed the Gospel was calling him to. He became one of Francis of Assisi's favorite disciples and closest friend.

The last months of Anthony's life were lived in Padua, Italy, with preaching, hearing confessions, and assisting those in debt. He died there on June 13, 1231 at the age of 36 and was proclaimed a saint less than one year after his death. So simple, yet compelling and inspiring was Anthony's teaching of the Catholic faith that he was declared a Doctor of the Church in 1946.

Anthony is best known as the saint to whom one prays to find a lost article. When a novice took his Psalter without permission, Anthony prayed for the book's return. After the novice was visited by a ghost in a frightening nightmare, he rushed to give the book back to Anthony. Many people do not know, though, that St. Anthony is a patron of other causes. He is the patron saint of Brazil and Portugal, the poor, barren women, harvests and those who travel. His feast day is June 13.



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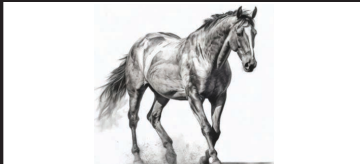
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