

Welcome to

Most Blessed Trinity Parish

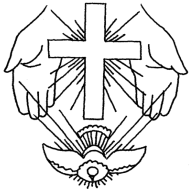
14th Sunday in Ordinary Time



July 4-5, 2020

Most Blessed Trinity Parish is a Christ-centered sacramental family, modeled after the love of the Trinity—the Father, Son and Holy Spirit—3 persons in 1 God. We are dedicated to grow in their love and continue the Great Commission of spreading the Gospel to all nations, starting right here in Western Schuylkill County.

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Chapel: 840 E. Grand Avenue, Tower City, PA 17980
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MOST BLESSED TRINITY PARISH

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Office Manager: Michele Antalosky
Coordinator of Religious Education: JoAnn Yesenosky
July 04/05, 2020, Year A—Cycle II

WELCOME!

All are most welcome at Most Blessed Trinity Parish. Please register as soon as possible. Also, please call the rectory when changing your address.



Fourteenth Week in Ordinary time

Saturday, July 4

Church—Vigil: 4:00 PM +Gedona Zunno by Daughter Helen

Sunday, July 5

Chapel—9:00 AM For the People of the Parish by Father Paul

Church—10:30 AM Health and God's Blessings for Logan Barr on your Future Endeavors by Sis

Weekday Masses are held at the Church in Tremont

Monday, July 6

8:00 AM +Francis "Vic" Vicamanovich by Jean J.

Tuesday, July 7

6:00 PM +George MacDonald

Wednesday, July 8

8:00 AM Health and God's Blessings for Tony and Charlene Betz by Jean J.

Thursday, July 9

8:00 AM 65th Wedding Anniversary Blessings for Francis and Carole Wiscount

Friday, July 10

8:00 AM +Betty Sabadish by the Yesenosky Family

Saturday, July 11—St. Benedict

8:00 AM Living and Deceased Fathers on Father's Day Envelopes by Donors

Fifteenth Week in Ordinary Time

Church—Vigil: 4:00 PM Living and Deceased Parishioners on Heritage Spiritual Remembrances by Donors

Sunday, July 12

Chapel—9:00 AM Living and Deceased Parishioners on Heritage Spiritual Remembrances by Donors

Church—10:30 AM Living and Deceased Parishioners on Heritage Spiritual Remembrances by Donors

Next Week's Readings

Is 55:10-11 Ps 65:10-14
Rom 8:18-23 Mt 13:1-23



Thank YOU for supporting our Parish, despite the Coronavirus crisis, by mailing us your envelopes or doing on-line giving !

Meetings of our Parish Groups?

As long as the Diocese prohibits such meetings to guarantee public safety, ALL Church groups have been cancelled until further notice.

Sunday Collections

Total-June 27/28 \$2,061.00

Thank you for your continued support for your Parish.



Our Second Collection next weekend, July 11 and 12, has been designated for Heritage Spiritual Remembrances.

Ask Father Paul: "What helps me get along better with my guardian angel?"

As holy angels, the guardian angels never fail in doing their God-assigned tasks for us (Matthew 18:10). But we often neglect our duties toward them, such as gratitude (Tobit 12:2), confidence, and our deep respect or reverence. If the relationship which you share with him is not what it should be, then you are the one who is falling short. It is childish to blame the Devil for all one's failures, or to credit one's guardian angel for all one's successes. There is room enough for us human beings to fail or to succeed on our own merits without the constant intervening or interfering from superior or lower cosmic forces. A guardian angel provides each of us with a very precious, unique companionship. And it perfectly fits the way in which God has created both angels and us. "From its beginning until death, human life is surrounded by their watchful care and intercession. Beside each believer stands an angel as protector and shepherd leading him to life. Already here on earth the Christian life shares by faith in the blessed company of angels and men united in God" [CCC 336]. It is no doubt certain that each and every baptized Christian has a special guardian angel, and it is at least commonly thought that this is also true of every human being from birth on. Despite Hollywood, humans never become angels, but can become "like angels." Never speaking directly to your guardian angel is not a sin, but praying to him daily might very well enhance your relationship. The *Angele Dei*, very often recited by families at morning and evening prayers, or whenever the Angelus is recited, is popular: "Angel of God, my guardian dear, to whom God's love commits me here. Even this day be at my side, to light and guard, rule and guide. Amen." Who says we may pray only to God? In the book of Psalms, David prays a few times to the angels above. Almost all of us are ignorant of the name of our guardian angel. This is OK. In fact, the Church discourages assigning him a name of our own choosing. Because every angel has no sex gender, there are no female angelic names revealed in Catholic tradition. Technically speaking, there are no genuine male angelic names either. But in order to make human speech about angels easier, we refer to such pure spirits as "he," "his" or "him," even as we refer to God as "He," "His" or "Him." We should always be thankful to Him for including our companionship with angels in His Divine Plan. It is a great compliment to our human dignity that He put each of us under the perfect guardianship of a Creature superior to all of us in dignity, so as more easily to become holier creatures ourselves, renewed in Christ's image, through their service. October 2nd is the Memorial feast day of the Guardian Angels in the liturgy.

A group ROSARY is recited every Wednesday at 1:00 PM at the Chapel in Tower City. All are welcome!



Diocesan Coordinators for Minors

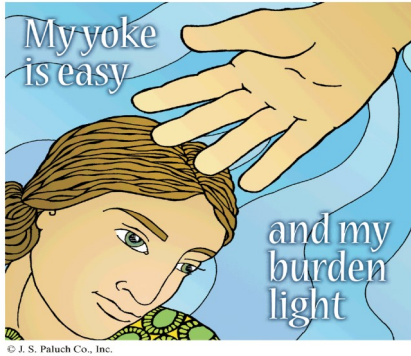
Safe Environment: Ms. Pamela J. Russo, M.S.W, M.S., Secretary for Youth Protection, (610) 871-5200, ext. 2204

Victim Assistance: Ms. Wendy Krisak, M.A., NCC, LPC, Direct Phone (800) 791-9209

To learn more about the Diocese of Allentown's Youth Protection Programs, Sexual Abuse Policy, and Code of Conduct, please visit www.allentowndiocese.org and click on "Youth Protection" in the upper right-hand corner of the page.

Congratulations and Best Wishes to All of our Parish Graduates! May your futures be bright and Successful!

Happy Anniversary!!! Congratulations to Carole and Francis Wiscount for their 65th Wedding Anniversary which they will celebrate on July 11th. May God grant them many more!



Despite the virus epidemic, the Sacramental life of the Church continues. THIS PAST FRIDAY, the following children, going into Third Grade this coming Fall, received their FIRST HOLY COMMUNION. With heartfelt thanks to God, we congratulate them: Alora Eller, Katie Fletcher, Keyara Mervine, and Cole Schneck.

A WEEKLY BULLETIN SENT UPON REQUEST

The Co-vid-19 Virus can live on paper from ten minutes to as many as five days. Until now, since the epidemic began, we have resisted printing bulletins for bulk distribution at our Masses. Without further pre-cautions, anyone might touch your copy, or you might touch their copies. Not everyone has access to a computer. But if you do, then you may print out copies for yourself and those near to you. We do encourage all others to take heart. All they need to do is call the rectory to receive a clean bulletin in the mail.

SCHEDULE YOUR CONFESSION WITH FATHER PAUL.
 This requires face-to-face social distancing, masks worn by both the priest and the penitent, and good ventilation.

SACRAMENTS AND LAST RITES

IF you have a loved one in a hospital or nursing home who needs confession or Last Rites, the priest must conform to all safety policies of the facility. Contact is made with the patient by a disposable cotton swab and no skin contact. In cases of lock-down, Last Rites (without Viaticum) and General Absolution can occur outside the building, near the window of the person in need. If the patient makes a recovery, one should remind him or her that a duty exists of making a confession "sin by sin" to a priest when personal duties start again. General Absolution takes place only in emergencies.

Nativity BVM High School is looking for Part-Time Teachers in Chemistry and Math. A Bachelor's Degree in Chemistry/Science Education and /or Mathematics is required. Chemistry and math certification is preferred. Interested candidates for either position should send resume, certifications and all clearances to: Nativity BVM High School, Attn. Mrs. Lynn Sabol, Principal, One Lawtons Hill, Pottsville, PA 17901. lsabol@nativitybvm.net.

NOTE DATE CHANGE: The Tower City Food Pantry will distribute food on **Saturday, July 11th**, from 10-11:30 AM, at the **Moose Lodge, 536 E. Grand Ave., Tower City. DRIVE-THROUGH ONLY.** It is available to people who live in the Williams Valley School District and to those who are unemployed because of the Coronavirus, but you must pre-register by calling Donna Hunter @ 717-647-9486.

The Sanctuary Candle at the Church burns for Nils Jeppson



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 If you have an allegation of abuse against a bishop, please contact the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service at www.ReportBishopAbuse.org or contact this service by calling 800-276-1562.

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<p><u>Liturgical Schedule</u></p> <p>Church: Saturday Vigil 4:00 PM, Sunday 10:30 AM Chapel: Sunday 9:00 AM Daily Mass: 8:00 AM at the Church (except Tuesday at 6 PM)</p>	<p><u>Holy Day</u></p> <p>Church: 8:00 AM, 7:00 PM Chapel: Vigil 7:00 PM</p>						
<p><u>Sacrament of Reconciliation</u></p> <p>Church: Saturday 3:15-3:45 PM, 1st Friday 6:00 PM Chapel: Sunday 8:15-8:45 AM or by appointment</p>	<p><u>Sacrament of Marriage</u></p> <p>Couples should contact Fr. Paul as soon as they are engaged, at least 6 months before the date of the marriage.</p>						
<p><u>Sponsor Certificates</u></p> <p>Letters of recommendation for sponsors may be obtained by calling the rectory, and will be issued for registered parishioners who meet the qualifications as set forth in Canon Law.</p>	<p><u>Sacrament of Baptism</u></p> <p>Parents must be registered for at least 3 months and be practicing their faith. Baptism classes are set at the convenience of the parents and rectory.</p>						
<p><u>Home Bound Outreach</u></p> <p>Please call the rectory if you are physically unable to attend Mass and you will be visited during the first week of the month.</p>	<p><u>Diocesan Schools in Pottsville</u></p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td>Assumption BVM School (gr. K-8)</td> <td style="text-align: right;">(570) 622-0106</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Nativity BVM High School (gr. 9-12)</td> <td style="text-align: right;">(570) 622-8110</td> </tr> <tr> <td>St. Joseph Center for Special Learning</td> <td style="text-align: right;">(570) 622-4638</td> </tr> </table>	Assumption BVM School (gr. K-8)	(570) 622-0106	Nativity BVM High School (gr. 9-12)	(570) 622-8110	St. Joseph Center for Special Learning	(570) 622-4638
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<p><u>PREP</u></p> <p>Church: Sun. 9:00 – 10:15 AM Loc. Sup. Dawn Myers Chapel: Sun. 10:00 – 11:15 AM Loc. Sup. Stella Durkin</p>	<p><u>Hall Use (Church and Chapel)</u></p> <p>Pastor must first approve. Rent and liability fees may apply.</p>						