

Welcome to

Most Blessed Trinity Parish

of the Diocese of Allentown

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Liturgical Schedule

Church: Saturday Vigil 4:00 PM, Sunday 10:30 AM

Chapel: Sunday 9:00 AM

Daily Masses: 8:00 AM at the Church (except Tuesday at 6 PM), no Saturday morning Mass

Holy Day

Church: 8:00 AM, 5:00 PM

Chapel: Vigil 7:00 PM

Sacrament of Reconciliation

As needed

Sacrament of Marriage

Couples should contact Fr. Johnson as soon as they are engaged, at least 6 months before the date of the marriage.

Sponsor Certificates

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.

Sacrament of Baptism

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.

Home Bound Outreach

Please call the rectory if you are physically unable to attend Mass and you will be visited during the first week of the month.

Diocesan Schools in Pottsville

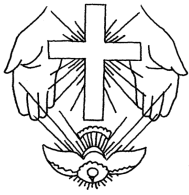
Assumption BVM School (gr. K-8) (570) 622-0106
Nativity BVM High School (gr. 9-12) (570) 622-8110
St. Joseph Center for Special Learning (570) 622-4638

PREP

Church: Sun. 9:00 – 10:15 AM DRE-Joelle Bretz
Chapel: Sun.10:00 – 11:15 AM Loc. Sup.-Stella Durkin

Hall Use (Church and Chapel)

Pastor must first approve.
Rent and liability fees may apply.



MOST BLESSED TRINITY PARISH Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 07/08, 2021
Year B — Cycle I

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.

Parish Mission Statement—Most Blessed Trinity Parish is a Christ-centered sacramental family, modeled after the love of the Trinity—the Father, Son and Holy Spirit—three persons in one 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.



Nineteenth Week in Ordinary Time Saturday, August 7—First Saturday

Church—Vigil: 4:00 PM +Bonnie Ganly by Jessie & Dana
Sunday, August 8

Chapel—9 AM +John Weaver, Sr. by Charles & Doris Fox
Church—10:30 AM +Justine Messaros by Wayne & Rita (Stine) Primeau

Weekday Masses are held at the Church

Monday, August 9

8:00 AM +Fr. James R. Brady by Family

Tuesday, August 10—St. Lawrence

6:00 PM Health & Gods Blessings for Mary Ellen Booth by Tom & Cathy Santai

Wednesday, August 11—St. Clare

8:00 AM +Ginny Fasnacht by the Allar Family

Thursday, August 12

8:00 AM Health & God's Blessings for Billy Ochs by Mom & Dad

Friday, August 13

8:00 AM +Elizabeth Ferguson by Daughter

Saturday, August 14—St. Maximilian Kolbe

8:00 AM No Mass

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Church—Vigil: 4:00 PM +In Memory of Ann M. & Elmer L. Drumheller by Elmer & JoAnn Drumheller

Sunday, August 15

Chapel—9:00 AM +Francis A. Fox by Francis & Suzanne Fox & Family

Church—10:30 AM +William Burke, Jr. by Sal, Brady & Kyler

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

"Rejoice in the Lord always, and again I say, rejoice!" Philippians 4:4.

We are in the middle of summer! I wake up every morning listening to the songs of birds on the trees. This morning, I saw the sun rising up in the East like a golden egg. Its rays entered into my eyes and then into my heart making me so cheerful. I thanked the Lord for hanging him up in the sky for giving us light and warmth. When I scribble this short note, I see the maple trees, moving its branches in joy. He is joining me praising the Lord! I thank God for placing me in this beautiful place called Tremont! I thank you all for your goodness!

Although the Pandemic brought us horror and nightmare in our social and personal life, its hold on us is slowing down. Let us be grateful to the Lord for his omnipresence! You, probably, know that our Bishop has reinstated the Sunday obligation from August 15th onwards, allowing us once again to come together to Church to worship again as a parish family. As we usher into this new season, I solicit your presence for two important events in our parish that will take place in September: First, I will be installed as the Pastor of this parish by Rev. Monsignor Bill Glosser. Second, a Healing Mass with a Relic of Saint Padre Pio. Padre Pio is a Saint from Italy who had the wounds of Christ in his body. More information about him will follow in the forthcoming bulletins. I hope that as so many of us have been suffering from spiritual and physical ailments at this time, the intercession of Saint Padre Pio who healed thousands in his lifetime would soothe our strained nerves! Both the Installation and the Healing Mass will be held at our Church in Tremont on Friday, September 24th at 6.00 PM.

Asking God's Blessings on all of you in this Summer month,

In Jesus,

Father Johnson



Next Week's Readings

Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab Ps 45:10-12, 16
1 Cor 15:20-27 Lk 1:39-56

Parish Collections for July 31/Aug. 1

Offertory.....\$2,128.00
Regular Maintenance....\$645.00
MBR.....\$30.00
Candles.....\$29.00



**Thank you for your continued support
for your Parish!**

Our Second Collection next weekend, August 14/15, will be taken up for Mission Co-Op. Due to Covid we will not have a missionary visit the parish again this year.

**August 8—Helen, Kathy & Michelle
August 15—Annette Fleming**



Diocesan Coordinators for Minors

Safe Environment: Ms. Pamela J. Russo, M.S.W., M.S., Secretary, Youth Protection & Catholic Human Services, P.O. Box F, Allentown, PA 18105-1538 (610) 871-5200, ext. 2204 prusso@allentowndiocese.org

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.

CCD NEWS: In person classes will resume in the fall. Please get your child's registration form in ASAP so we can order books. We are also in need of teachers in Tremont and Tower City for the upcoming school year. Clearances are required. If you have any questions, please email Joelle Bretz at prepofmbt@gmail.com .

Altar Servers for August 14/15:

4:00 PM Saturday--Lector: Mary Frances Miller Server: Alex Krawchuk

9:00 AM Sunday-Lector: Jackie Reibsane Server: Alayna Leiter

10:30 AM Sunday--Lector: Jean Kreiser Servers: Katie & Jacob Fletcher



Holy Name Society Meeting

will take place this Tuesday, August 10th at 7:00 PM in the Grotto. All members are Urged to be present as this is a very important planning meeting.



Trinity Guild News: The Guild's next monthly meeting will be on Tuesday, August 10th at 6:30 PM in the Church social hall. New members are always welcome!

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



The next Food Bank distribution will take place on Saturday, August 14th from 10-12 PM. A drive-thru pick up will be from the basement of the Church in Tremont. Families in need are asked to call and pre-register by giving their name and how many are in the family to make sure we have enough boxes made. The following items are most needed: rice, peanut butter, jelly, spaghetti sauce, soup, canned veggies, canned fruit, tissues, toilet paper, toothpaste, bar soap, and any kind of cleaning products.

Although we appreciate your donations, please check the dates more carefully on the items you are donating. We have been finding some items that are out of date and cannot distribute them. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

More volunteers are also needed to help with this endeavor. We meet every Wednesday at 11:00 AM, to sort donations and fill bags/boxes. Please come and join us!

Ss. Peter & Paul Ladies Club News: The ladies will be making Chow Chow starting in September. They are in need of donations of Apple Cider Vinegar and Sugar at the moment. These donations can be dropped off at Sunday Mass or given to any club member. Thank you.



Nativity BVM High School is accepting applications for the position of Part-time Music Teacher for the 2021-22 school year. A minimum of a Bachelor's Degree and Teacher Certification is required.

Interested candidates should send resume, certifications and all clearances to: Nativity BVM High School, Attn: Mrs. Lynn Sabol, Principal, One Lawtons Hill, Pottsville, PA 17901 or lsabol@nativitybvm.net .

Holy Family Parish is sponsoring a Basket Auction in the Parish Center at Hillcrest, 631 Minersville-Llewellyn Highway. Browse and Bid on Friday, August 20th, 5-8 PM; Saturday, August 21st, 4-8 PM; Auction -Sunday, August 22nd. Doors open at 11 AM, Auction starts at 2 PM. Large table items include: 55" TV, Money Tree, Lottery Tree, Tub of Cheer, Rocking Chairs & accessories, Chromebook, & Yeti Cooler. Many Theme Baskets and other large items. Food will be served Saturday & Sunday.

30th Annual St. Joseph Center for Special Learning Golf Classic will be held on Friday August 20, 2021 at Mountain Valley Golf Course, Barnesville, PA with registration and lunch at 11:00 AM, golf bell at 1:00 PM and dinner at 5:00 PM. Register and Pay online @ www.stjosephctr.com by Tuesday, August 10th.

Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service

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