

Welcome to

Most Blessed Trinity Parish

of the Diocese of Allentown

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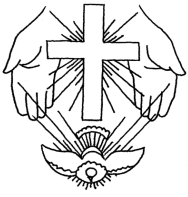
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<u>Liturgical Schedule</u>		<u>Holy Day Mass always in Church</u>	
Church: Saturday Vigil 4:00 PM, Sunday 10:30 AM Chapel: Sunday 9:00 AM Daily Masses: 9:00 AM, except for Tuesday at 6 PM in the Rectory for the winter season; no Saturday morning Mass		Church: 9:00 AM, 5:00 PM Chapel: Vigil 7:00 PM	
<u>Sacrament of Reconciliation</u>		<u>Sacrament of Marriage</u>	
As needed		Couples should contact Fr. Johnson as soon as they are engaged, at least 6 months before the date of the marriage.	
<u>Sponsor Certificates</u>		<u>Sacrament of Baptism</u>	
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.		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.	
<u>Home Bound Outreach</u>		<u>Diocesan Schools in Pottsville</u>	
Please call the rectory if you are physically unable to attend Mass and you will be visited during the first week of the month.		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	
<u>PREP</u>		<u>Office Hours</u>	
Church: Sun. 9:00 – 10:15 AM Loc. Sup.-Mary Kreiser Chapel: Sun.10:00 – 11:15 AM CRE-Maria Flynn		Monday-Thursday 10:30 AM — 4:00 PM Friday Closed	



MOST BLESSED TRINITY PARISH

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 13/14, 2024
Year B — Cycle II

WELCOME!

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

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.



Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, January 13

Church—4:00 PM +Anne Joyce by Ed & Beth Ann Thomas

Sunday, January 14

Chapel—9:00 AM For the People of the Parish by Fr. Johnson

Church—10:30 AM +Irma Pothering by JoAnn & Elmer
(Daily Masses are now being held in the Rectory)

Monday, January 15

9:00 AM No Mass

Tuesday, January 16

6:00 PM +Diane Centeleghe by Husband

Wednesday, January 17—St. Anthony

9:00 AM Health & God's Blessings for Tom & Cathy Santai by the Ochs Family

Thursday, January 18

9:00 AM Health & God's Blessings for Mary McGuire by Jean Jeppson

Friday, January 19

Church—9:00 AM Health & God's Blessings for Tom & Cathy Santai by Jackie Reibsane

Church—9:30 AM Adoration, Benediction & Confessions

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, January 20

Church—4:00 PM +Anne Joyce by Charles & Ann Blackwell

Sunday, January 21

Chapel—9:00 AM + Scott Null, Sr. by the Ss. Peter & Paul PREP Students

Church—10:30 AM For the People of the Parish by Fr. Johnson

MAY OUR PRAYERS RISE UP FOR HER

Please pray for the repose of the soul of:

+Michelle Kroh, who was our choir director and longtime parishioner passed away recently.

We extend our sincere sympathies and prayers to her family and friends.

May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. AMEN

Memorial Fund

In Memory of Anne M. Joyce
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We would like to give a *Special Thank You* to everyone who sent us cards, personal gifts, treats and Christmas wishes this year. We are so grateful for all the help with decorating, and servers that made this Christmas season so joyful.

Many Blessings,
Father Johnson and Staff

Next Week's Readings

1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19 Ps 40:2, 4, 7-10
1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20 Jn 1:35-42



Our Second Collection next weekend, January 20/21, will be taken up for Our Food Bank.

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.

If you have an allegation of abuse against a bishop, please contact the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service at www.ReportBishopAbuse.org or by calling 1-800-276-1562.

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Exhibition: Bob Miller has done a fantastic job with adult coloring, so on Saturday, February 3, 2024, his children and wife Mary Frances will be exhibiting his work after Mass in the parish hall. All are invited and refreshments will be served.

Trinity Guild News: The next meeting of the Guild is this Tuesday, January 16th at 6:30 PM in the Tremont social hall. New members are always welcome!

Please note: The daily morning Mass on Monday, January 15th is cancelled.

2024 Mass Book is Open! Please call the rectory to schedule your Mass requests Monday through Thursday, after 1:00 PM. The offering is \$10.00. From now until January 31, 2024, each household of parishioners is temporarily limited to TWO weekend Mass intentions throughout the year. There is no limit on weekday Masses. Dates are filled on a first-come-first-serve basis. Thank you for your cooperation.

Estate Planning:
Please consider remembering Most Blessed Trinity in your Will Planning so as to promote the future strength of our parish for generations to come.

Altar Servers for January 20/21:

- 4:00 PM Saturday-Lector:** Paty Adams **EM:** Sean Lyons **Server:** Beau Lyons
9:00 AM Sunday-Lector: Amy & PREP Students **EM:** Jackie Reibsane **Servers:** Mallory & Mason Leitzel
10:30AM Sunday-Lector: Jean & PREP Students **EM:** John Adams **Servers:** Jacob Fletcher



REMEMBER WE HAVE ONLINE GIVING! We are providing this option in addition to cash or check donations through traditional parish envelopes, but now you can make recurring or one-time gifts online with a credit/debit card or electronic check. If you need help setting this up, please call the office at (570) 695-3648.
 To give online through the platform, visit our giving page on our website at <http://mostblessedtrinity.us>. Click on the "More" tab and then select "Giving" from the drop down menu. You can also give through text message by sending "Give" to (570) 559-8777.
We also now have our Parish Registration form on our website for new families to fill out!

St. Patrick Preschool @ Assumption BVM in Pottsville is having an open house January 28th, 12 to 2 PM, and are accepting registrations for the 2024-2025 school year. We offer two, three and five day programs both full and half days. Contact us for more information at 570-622-0106 or saintpatricks.prek@gmail.com. Check out our Facebook page Saint Patrick's Preschool @ Assumption BVM.

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