

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: 9:00 AM, except for Tuesday at 6:00 PM
in the Tremont Church, no Saturdays.
Adoration 20 minutes prior to Daily Masses.

Holy Day Mass always in Church

Church: 9:00 AM, 5:00 PM

Chapel: Vigil 7:00 PM

Diocesan Coordinators for Minors

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

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MOST BLESSED TRINITY PARISH

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

November 22-23, 2025
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UPDATE CONTACT INFO!

Help us stay in contact with you by letting the office know when your phone, address and/or email changes.

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.



Mass Intentions

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

St. Cecilia - Saturday, Nov. 22 - Church 4:00 PM +Lardner Family by Jean Jeppson

Sunday, Nov. 23 - Chapel 9:00 AM +Deceased members of the Winborn Family by Jackie

Sunday, Nov. 23 - Church 10:30 AM For the People of the Parish by Father Johnson

St. Andrew Dũng-Lạc - Mon., Nov. 24 - Church 9:00 AM +Paul Withelder, Sr. by Crystal Ochs

Tuesday, Nov. 25 - Church 6:00 PM +Bob Morgan by Mom

Wed., Nov. 26 - Church 9:00 AM +Diane Wolfe by Jean Jeppson

Thurs., Nov. 27 - Church 9:00 AM Health & God's Blessings for Carol Wiscourt by Anna Wiscourt

Friday, Nov. 28 - Church 9:00 AM +Barbara Donmoyer by Rita Primeau

THE FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT

Saturday, Nov. 29 - Church 4:00 PM +Thomas Yesalavage by wife, Mary

Sunday, Nov. 30 - Chapel 9:00 AM +John Buggy by Grandchildren

Sunday, Nov. 30 - Church 10:30 AM For the People of the Parish by Father Johnson

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK, and THEIR CARETAKERS.

Especially:

Ina Pijar

Elsie Salukas

Carole Wiscourt

Dennis & Brenda Wiscourt



The next OCIA Program meeting will be on Tuesday, December 2nd after Mass with class from 6:30-7:30 PM in the Tremont Social Hall. If anyone is contemplating becoming a Catholic, please contact our parish office at (570) 695-3648. The instructors will be Fr. Johnson and JoAnn Yesenosky.

The Women's Club's Annual Christmas Party is

Thursday, December 4th at 6 PM, in the Chapel's social hall. All ladies of the Parish are invited; cost is \$15.00. A sign-up sheet with meal choices will be placed in the Church vestibules (Tremont and Tower City). Please bring a wrapped gift worth \$10.00 to play the "Santa Swap" game. Set-up date for the party is Monday, December 1st at 6 PM.



Readings for November 29th & 30th

Is 2:1-5

Ps 122:1-9

Rom 13:11-14

Mt 24:37-44

The Sanctuary Candle burns in Tower City for Joseph Korab.



The Sanctuary Candle burns in Tremont for Tony Merlino.



Keepers of the Lord's House

11/23/25

Helen, Kathleen & Michele

Next weekend's Second Collection, November 29th & 30th will go toward Major Building Repairs.



A parishioner at Our Mother of Perpetual Help parish in Ephrata, PA is asking for prayers and the help of a truly generous individual. **Jody is in need of a living**

donor kidney transplant. Due to a genetic condition, both her kidneys are slowly failing. If you would like to learn more about the disease or the donation process, please contact her at: kidneyforjody@gmail.com.



The Women's Club Annual Christmas

Cookie Sale (exchange) will be held on

Sunday, December 14th after Mass at the

Chapel. The cost is \$5.00 per box; a

disposable glove will be provided for use in picking out cookies. Donations of homemade cookies are needed; please drop off cookies prior to the 9 AM Mass. The Women's Club will be making benekies for the Christmas Cookie Sale.

Also: tickets for the **Holiday Basket of Cheer** are \$5.00; the drawing will be at the Christmas Cookie Sale. Please see any member of the Women's Club or contact the Parish Office to purchase tickets.

Happy
THANKSGIVING

Ministry Schedule for November 29-30, 2025

4:00 PM Church	Lector: Crystal Ochs	EM: Sean Lyons	Server: Beau Lyons
9:00 AM Chapel	Lector: Patrick Kasper	EM: Debra Savage	Server: Mallory & Mason Leitzel
10:30 AM Church	Lector: Jean Kreiser	EM: Paty Adams	Server:

REMINDER: 10:30 AM Altar Servers should be vested & seated by 10:15 AM. Thank you!



FOOD BANK NEWS

Thank you for your generosity in giving monetary donations! We especially thank those who help fill the boxes, pick up needed supplies and distribute them. However, more non-perishable grocery items are urgently needed including: cereal, peanut butter, jelly, soup, spaghetti sauce and pasta along with laundry soap, bath soap, toothpaste, paper towels and toilet paper.

Please remember to sign up for the **SS Peter & Paul Women's Christmas Party** on December 4th at 6 PM. Sign-up sheets are in the Church/Chapel vestibules. Scotto's Restaurant is catering party entrees of (1) Stuffed Shells w/Meatballs and (2) Rigatoni Alfredo with Chicken (cost is \$15.00). Please bring a wrapped gift worth \$10.00, to play the "Santa Swap" game at the party.

Holiday Lottery Give Away

The Trinity Guild is selling chances on \$150 worth of lottery tickets. Chances are \$5.00 each. The drawing will be 12/13/25 after the Saturday 4 PM Mass. Tickets will be available for sale starting November 9th.



From the Parish Office

It has come to my attention that some parishioners have not yet received their next packet of offering envelopes. I contacted the envelope company, and this was their response: "Thank you for reaching out regarding your members that have not received their envelopes. We have confirmed that envelopes have been mailed to your members. We had been notified that there have been several delays with this post office. Your members should be receiving their envelopes very soon."

If you are missing envelopes, please continue to use the envelopes provided in the vestibule until yours arrive.

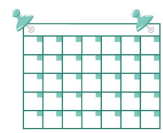
Thank you,
Cathy Deitrich, Parish Secretary



100 Envelope Fundraiser

We would like to gently remind everyone that our **Parish Envelope Fundraiser** is still underway. As you know, our parish continues to face a monthly financial deficit, and this fundraiser is an important way for us to meet our regular expenses while keeping our ministries and parish life strong. Please take one or more envelopes and prayerfully consider giving the amount indicated. Every single contribution—large or small—makes a real difference.

To all who have already taken part, **thank you** for your generosity and love for our parish. And to those who have not yet had the chance, I humbly ask you to join us in this effort. Together, as one parish family, we can meet our needs and continue the mission God has entrusted to us.



Notice to Parish Groups

To avoid scheduling conflicts, please consult with the Parish office when choosing event dates.



The Need for Confession as We Prepare for Christmas

As we prepare our hearts for the birth of our Savior this Advent, all parishioners are encouraged to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Confession is a powerful way to renew our souls and welcome Christ with joy. The Church also reminds us that every Catholic is obliged to go to Confession at least once a year. Please take this opportunity to seek God's mercy and peace.

COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING WORSHIP

The Community Thanksgiving Service will be held Wednesday, November 26th at 7 PM at Christ United Methodist Church in Tower City.

COMMUNITY CANTATA

There will be a Community Cantata held on Sunday, December 21st at 3 PM at Trinity UCC in Tower City. The choir is composed of members from area churches including our Parish.



<p>Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturdays: 3:15-3:45 PM Tremont Sundays: 8:15-8:45 AM Tower City 20 minutes before Daily Mass in Tremont Monday thru Friday</p>	<p>Sacrament of Marriage Couples should contact Fr. Johnson as soon as they are engaged, at least 6 months before the date of the marriage.</p>
<p>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.</p>	<p>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.</p>
<p>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.</p>	<p>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</p>
<p>PREP Church: Sun. 9:00-10:15 AM Loc. Sup - Kathy Brown Chapel: Sun. 10:00-11:15 AM CRE - Maria Flynn</p>	<p>Office Hours Monday-Thursday 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM Friday - Closed</p>



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