

September 22, 2024

Church of the Most Holy Trinity

*The Parish that We Dream
is the Parish that I Help to Build*



ROMAN CATHOLIC
DIOCESE OF ROCHESTER

CENSUS 2024

My dear family of Holy Trinity Church.

The Diocese of Rochester is currently in the process of carrying out a census initiative. The purpose of this census is to gather accurate and up-to-date information about all our registered parishioners, as well as those Catholics not yet registered in our parishes. By conducting this comprehensive survey and obtaining accurate contact information, we aim to strengthen pastoral care, stewardship, and enhance communication by having a reliable means of informing you about events, programs, ministries, and greater opportunities for spiritual growth at your parish and throughout the Diocese.

Kindly be assured that all information provided will be handled with the utmost confidentiality. The data collected will be used solely for pastoral, stewardship, and communication purposes.

Action Steps

Over the coming months, every Catholic in the Diocese will be asked to participate in the census. In the coming days, you will receive an email with a link asking you to complete the digital census. This email is not spam, and I encourage you to complete it. The email is from me, but it will not be from my DOR email address. Should you feel uncomfortable completing the census shared in the email, we will have opportunities over the next few weeks to complete the census form in digital or paper format.

Should you have any questions about the census process, please contact the parish office at (585) 265-1616. I appreciate your participation in this initiative.

Remember, "The Parish that we dream is the parish that I help to build."

God bless you and may the Blessed Virgin Mary be with you always!

Fr. Jorge Ramirez

Our Mission

We are a Catholic faith community blessed with the joy of God's love. Together we share this love with all who hunger for God's presence in their lives. We follow Christ who taught us to find God by giving our lives in service to others and gathering to celebrate a Eucharist that welcomes everyone. Join us on this journey!

PASTORAL EMERGENCIES: If you have a pastoral emergency after office hours, please call **(315) 604-8070**.

WEEKEND MASS TIMES: Saturday (vigil) **4:30 p.m.**
Sunday **8:30 a.m.** and **10:30 a.m.**

DAILY MASS TIMES: Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Call Tricia Kull, Faith Formation Coordinator at 265-4750.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE: Saturdays from 3:00 - 4:00 p.m. or by appointment with a priest. **No Tuesday Confessions during the summer months (July –September).**

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE: Arrangements for marriage for registered parishioners must be made at least six months in advance through the Parish Office. Preparation includes meetings with the pastor, Pre-Cana and the Fully Engaged inventory.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK: The Eucharist and Sacramental Anointing are available to the homebound and those in need. Please contact the Parish Office to make arrangements.

HOSPITAL VISITS: Please call the Parish Office in advance, if possible.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: Thursday - 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.

FAITH FORMATION: See our website or contact Tricia Kull for more information at (585) 265-4750 or Tricia.Kull@dor.org

- Religious Education Classes offered for Grades 1-7 in our Sunday Program or Family Program.
- Sacrament Preparation for First Penance and First Holy Communion (two-year program) for Grades 2 and over.
- Children's Liturgy of the Word on Sundays (October - June) during our 10:30am Mass for Grades Pre-K - 3.

YOUTH MINISTRY - See our website or contact Michelle Schultheis for more information at (585)265-4750x328 or michelle.schultheis@dor.org

- Confirmation Preparation (two-year program) for Youth in Grades 8 and over.
- OCIC to prepare children ages 7-17 to enter fully into the Catholic Church through Baptism.
- Children, Youth, and Family opportunities to gather in fellowship throughout the year. Watch our monthly newsletter for more information.

PENNY SUNDAY
SEPTEMBER 21-22, 2024
St. Damien Pediatric Hospital

St. Damien Mission: Poverty imposes a tremendous burden of sickness and suffering on children. In an effort to offset these injustices, St. Damien Pediatric Hospital offers quality and dignified healthcare to thousand of children each year. St. Damien strives to include parent participation in this care through ongoing dialogue, on-site opportunities for education, and encouraging any level of material support they can offer for the care of their children.



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Altar Candles will burn this week for the following:

The **Sanctuary Lamp** will burn in loving memory of Helen & Andrew Kostick.

Our Blessed Mother's Altar Candle will burn in loving memory of Catherine Krowl, req. by Anna Blair.

St. Joseph's Altar Candle will burn for the special intentions of Sheila Arieno, req. by Sharon.

If you would like a candle lit in memory of a loved one or for special intentions, please call the parish office.

A REMINDER: If you need a devotional candle lit immediately for a loved one, a special occasion, or special intentions, you are invited to light the small votives that are on the side altars of the Blessed Mother and St. Joseph. They will burn for about 4-5 hours.

Eucharistic Adoration
Thursdays 3 to 4 PM
Holy Trinity Church



The better you know Jesus, the more you will love him.

Exposition

Litany of the Sacred Heart

Quiet time with Jesus

Chaplet of the Divine Mercy

Repose of the Blessed Sacrament

All are welcome. Jesus is waiting!

RETIREMENT RECEPTION FOR
CLARE SCHREIBER

Saturday, September 21st after the 4:30 Mass in the Gathering Space

(light refreshments will be served)

and

Sunday, September 22th after the 8:30 and 10:30 a.m. Masses in the Gathering Space



Becoming Catholic

Join Us on a Journey of Faith



If you believe God is calling you to join the Catholic Church or to deepen your relationship with Him, we invite you to join us as we begin a journey of faith called OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults). We meet each Sunday for fellowship, prayer, and lively conversation. Participation does not imply a commitment to join the Catholic Church. Come and see where the Holy Spirit leads you. Sessions begin September 29 at noon. Meet us in the Marian Room on the office level below the church. We hope you will join us! Contact Mary Kramer for more information: mary.kramer@dor.org or (585)265-1616, ext. 306.

Stewardship by the Book

In the second reading today, St. James has harsh words for those who do not put their faith into action. May we be such good stewards of God's gifts to us that we can never be accused of having "faith that does nothing in practice".



Office Closing

PLEASE NOTE the Parish Office will be closed on Wednesday, September 25th from 12:00 noon - 4:00 p.m. for our annual Staff Retreat.

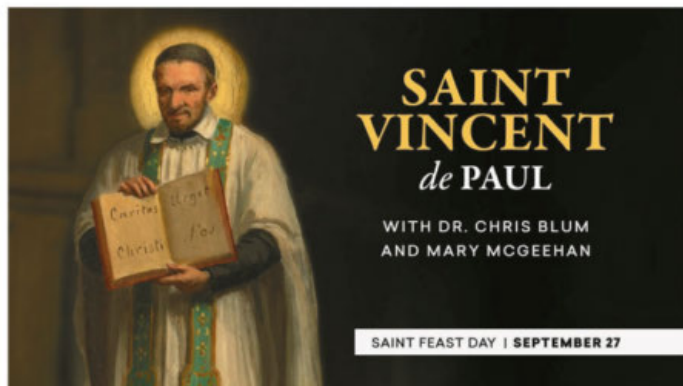


Knights of Columbus #4618 McGivney Center Open House

Trinity Council will be holding an **OPEN HOUSE** on **Sunday, October 6th** at The McGivney Center, our Council home, located behind the church on the campus of Holy Trinity Parish. The Open House will be from 9:00 am until 1:30 pm. All interested men and their families are welcome to join us.

If you were ever curious about the Knights of Columbus Fraternal Order of Catholic Men, this is a perfect time to come see what we do and ask member Knights about this wonderful charitable and benevolent association, guided by our principles of charity, unity, and fraternity. Come and stop by for donuts and coffee from 9 to 11, or hot dogs and soda from 11 to 1:30.

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September Song

It seems that Summer's fading fast
And autumntime is here;
The leaves all turn to red and gold
About this time of year.

October's just a breath away
And now September song;
There's loveliness about the earth
And birds sing all day long.

The crimson red and gold and green
All to the eye will please;
Folks come from miles to mountains high
To view this lovely scene.

I thank You, God, for all I see
So picturesque and clear;
Each pretty leaf we see today
Is in Your loving care.

Katherine Smith Matheney

FROM OUR YOUTH MINISTRY OFFICE

We are super excited to announce that we are kicking off this year's Confirmation Classes this Sunday, September 22nd. These classes provide a time of enrichment for you, to be able to learn more about what it means to walk with Jesus in your everyday lives. Our catechists are looking forward to meeting and working with all of you!!



We are also looking forward to our first SLEEP-IN-SUNDAY YOUTH MASS of the year on Sunday, September 29 at 6:30pm. All youth in Confirmation Preparation through Grade 12 are invited to "sleep-in" on Sunday morning and join together for Mass at night! This Mass is catered totally to you – our youth! You'll have opportunities to serve as a lector, usher, and more, in the Mass as well as worship with more contemporary music. We're looking forward to worshipping together!

Right after Mass, we will have our YOUTH MINISTRY NIGHT until 8pm. WOOHOO!! We will have food, games, fellowship, and fun! We are looking forward to having you join us and feel free to bring along some of your friends! Let's get excited!!

And then on Sunday, September 29th at 10:30am, we have our Confirmation Enrollment Mass! It's a busy month for all of us and we are SO happy to be journeying together with you!

Wreaths Across America

Holy Trinity is honoring veterans resting in our cemetery through Wreaths Across America Webster. Let's remember all our heroes with a \$17 Veteran Wreath on December 14, 2024. \$5 of the cost will go to the Knights of Columbus Trinity Council #4618 to support their efforts, such as purchasing warm coats for Webster children. Find out more information following Masses in the Gathering Space on the weekends of September 21-22, September 28-29, and October 5-6.

You can also find more information at wreathacrossamerica.org.

**Mass Intentions:
September 21 - September 28, 2024**

All weekday and weekend Masses will be live-streamed

**Saturday -
September 21, 2024**

4:30 p.m. (VIGIL) For the people of Holy Trinity, living and deceased.

**SUNDAY - TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

September 22, 2024

8:30 a.m. † Leonello Casilio, req. by wife.
10:30 a.m. † Carol Tripi, req. by Kim Toscano.

**Monday - Saint Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest
September 23, 2024**

9:00 a.m. † Phil Quackenbush, req. by Michelle Quackenbush.

**Tuesday - Weekday
September 24, 2024**

9:00 a.m. † Catherine Krowl, req. by Robert Krowl & family.

**Wednesday - Weekday
September 25, 2024**

9:00 a.m. Pat Urso, in gratitude, req. by Jeanne Wolf.

**Thursday - Saints Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs
September 26, 2024**

9:00 a.m. † Fred Buechel, req. by Dan & Nora Craft.

**Friday - St. Vincent DePaul, Priest
September 27, 2024**

9:00 a.m. † Martin Schreiber, req. by family.

**Saturday -
September 28, 2024**

4:30 p.m. (VIGIL) † Ruth & Leonard Vincent, req. by daughter, Mary Kramer

**SUNDAY - TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

September 29, 2024

8:30 a.m. For the people of Holy Trinity, living & deceased.
10:30 a.m. † Bill Kalamanka, req. by Barbara & family.

This Week at Holy Trinity Church

Tuesday, September 24

9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Cursillo - Wing Room
9:45 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Legion of Mary - Marian Room

Wednesday, September 25

12:00 NOON - 4:00 P.M. - OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED

Thursday, September 26

3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Adoration - Church

Friday, September 27

8:30 a.m. - Rosary - Church

Saturday, September 28

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Pastoral Ministry Leader Meeting - Trinity Hall
3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Confession - Church



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1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
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**Website: www.holytrinityweb.com
Email address: wholytri@dor.org**

MASS TIMES:

Monday - Friday: 9:00 a.m.
Saturday: 4:30 p.m. Vigil
Sunday: 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Tuesday 4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.. (Oct. - June)

(no Tuesday confessions during the summer)

**If you find that you are unable to attend Mass in person,
you may view our live-stream at [https://livestream.com/
accounts/18862485/events/5598269](https://livestream.com/accounts/18862485/events/5598269)**

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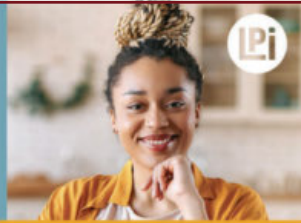
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