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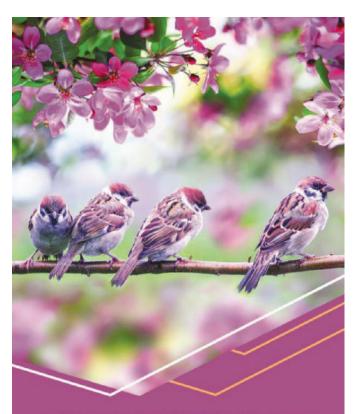
# Holy Trinity Church



207 Glebe Street, Johnstown, N.Y. 12095 Phone: (518) 762-2636 ~ Fax: (518) 762-6920 *Rectory:* 205 Glebe Street, Johnstown, N.Y. 12095 Phone: (518) 762-2011 Email: HTJohnst@rcda.org Website: https://parishes.rcda.org/HolyTrinityJohnstown/

#### OFFICE HOURS at HOLY TRINITY PARISH : Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M. OFFICE HOURS at HOLY SPIRIT PARISH: Monday & Wednesday 9:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M. (Closed 12:00-P.M.-1:00 P.M. for lunch)

Rev. Matthew Wetsel, Pastor Matthew.Wetsel@rcda.org Rev. Donald Czelusniak, Pastor Emeritus



LINKED PARISH STAFF Liz Anderson, Office Manager Michele Miller, Administrative Assistant Ann Simonson, Faith Formation Coordinator Adam Valachovic, Buildings & Grounds Tricia Tauss, Office Assistant

CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT David Connolly, Cemetery Director, Mt. Carmel Cemetery

Rich Nigro & Ron Zimmerman, Trustees

CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST Saturday Vigil - 4:00 P.M. Sunday - 11:30 A.M. Daily Mass - Thursday & Friday 8:30 A.M.

#### HOLY TRINITY

George Buseck, Buildings & Grounds John Sefcovic, Cemetery Caretaker-St. Anthony's Cemetery Concetta Sager & Lynn Knowlton, Trustees

> CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST Sunday - 8:00 A.M. & 10:00 A.M. Daily Mass - Tuesday & Wednesday 8:30 A.M.

LINKED PARISH MISSION STATEMENT: "Inspired by the words of Holy Scripture and committed to serving others with love, our communities are called to be a light to the world."

12th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Do not be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows." - Mt 10:31 **BAPTISM:** First time parents are required to receive instructions. Call parish offices.

**RECONCILIATION:** 2:15 P.M. Saturday at Holy Spirit *AND* First Wednesday of the Month following devotions, alternating monthly between parishes.

**MATRIMONY:** Pre-Cana is expected. Call parish offices at least six months in advance.

**RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA):** Call the Parish Offices.

**SACRAMENT OF THE SICK & HOMEBOUND:** If you are planning a surgery, ask one of our priests to celebrate the Sacrament after one of our weekend or daily Masses. Seriously ill or home bound should call the office. If you or a loved one are sick and not able to attend Mass, please make sure to call your respective parish office (the numbers are listed on the front of the bulletin) to let the office and Father Matt know so we can reach out as soon as possible.

#### **PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL:**

At The Church of the Holy Spirit.

**CEMETERIES:** Call parish offices.

**MOTHER TERESA'S CLOSET:** Emergency household and personal care items available at Holy Trinity Parish.

**DURABLE MEDICAL EQUIPMENT:** Items are available, free of charge, at Holy Trinity Parish for those in need.

## WEDNESDAY DEVOTIONS: 3:00 P.M. -3:30 P.M.

In June the Wednesday Devotions will be at Holy Trinity Church with the Divine Mercy Chaplet in the presence of the exposed Blessed Sacrament. Prayer to Our Lady Undoer of Knots, Prayer for Vocations, Benediction, Divine Praise and closing prayer.

#### WEEKDAY MASSES: 8:30 A.M.

Tuesday & Wednesday at Holy Trinity, Johnstown Thursday & Friday at Holy Spirit, Gloversville.

#### FIRST SATURDAY MASS: 8:30 A.M.

Sites will alternate to coincide with the Wednesday Devotions.

**GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP:** Call the office to leave your name and phone number. Meeting times and location to be determined by the group.

**PROJECT RACHEL:** Call the 24/7 confidential help line at 518-312-3825 if you are hurting from an abortion. Men and women can find healing. Email rachelsvineyardalbany@yahoo.com.

As Catholics, our mission is clear-we are called upon to share our faith as disciples ourselves and disciple-makers as Jesus preached: "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded of you." (Matthew 28:19-20) Since each parish and the Diocese are partners in this work, robust support of parish offertory and the Diocesan Appeal ensures the Church has the resources it needs to carry out its mission.

#### 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

When I was in middle school, there were times I didn't want my fellow students to see my parents drop me off or pick me up in the school parking lot. I was embarrassed of my parents. Why? I have no idea. Maybe it was our station wagon. Or I didn't want to look like a little kid. But in retrospect that was a silly thing to do. I was a kid. And I had two parents who loved me and had built a wonderful family. I was afraid of the other kids' judgment. How silly! I should have been afraid of forgetting or downplaying my family, which is where my identity had its deep roots. This is a way to understand Jesus' words to his disciples this Sunday, when he says, "Don't be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather, be afraid of the one who can destroy both soul and body in Gehenna." Fear, in this sense, refers to where we find our deepest identity and our highest love. That's why Jesus says next that when we acknowledge him before others, he will acknowledge us before the Father. It doesn't mean we're brash or boastful. But rather we unhesitatingly and humbly embrace our identity as followers of Jesus and children of God the Father. After all, if we love who we are and where we come from, who cares what the other kids think about us?

- Father John Muir

#### **Mother Teresa's Closet**

With our monthly distributions to Fulton County families in need, our closet needs re-stocking. While we gladly accept un-opened bar soap, deodorant, feminine products, tissues, paper towels, laundry detergent, cleaners, toilet paper, shampoo, toothpaste, and baby wipes, our greatest needs are diapers and adult incontinent supplies. Monetary donations in memory of loved ones also welcome. Mail your donation to Holy Trinity Parish, 207 Glebe Street, Johnstown. Please include the name of the person that you would like remembered, and note 'Mother Teresa's Closet' on the memo line. Volunteers are needed on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month from 9am to 12:30pm in the Holy Trinity Parish Hall. We are very grateful for our volunteers and for all of the donors in our linked parishes that support this ministry, including the Helper's Community Store.

### **READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 25, 2023**

**Sunday:** Jer 20:10-13/Ps 69:8-10, 14, 17, 33-35 (14c)/Rom 5:12-15/Mt 10:26-33

**Monday:** Gn 12:1-9/Ps 33:12-13, 18-19, 20 and 22/Mt 7:1-5 **Tuesday:** Gn 13:2, 5-18/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5/Mt 7:6, 12-14 **Wednesday:** Gn 15:1-12, 17-18/105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 7:15-20 **Thursday:** Vigil: Acts 3:1-10/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Gal 1:11-20/Jn 21:15-19 Day: Acts 12:1-11/ Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18/Mt 16:13-19

Friday: Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5/Mt 8:1-4 Saturday: Gn 18:1-15/Lk 1:46-47, 48-49, 50 and 53, 54-55/Mt 8:5-17 Next Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a/Ps 89:2-3, 16-17, 18-19 (2a)/Rom 6:3-4, 8-11/Mt 10:37-42

JUNE 25, 2023				
The Church of the Holy Spirit Collection information	Holy Trinity Parish Collection information			
<ul> <li>Budgeted Expenses for the Fiscal Year 2022-2023 are \$350,447.00. The average weekly collections needed to meet our expenses (including income from other sources is \$6,739.37.) Thank you for your continued support.</li> <li>FINANCES WILL BE REPORTED NEXT WEEK</li> </ul>	FINANCES WILL BE REPORTED NEXT WEEK			
LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR THE WEEKEND OF JULY 2, 2023				
CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRITLECTORMINISTER	HOLY TRINITY PARISH LECTOR MINISTER			
<b>4:00 P.M.</b> Trina Zimmerman Rita Bravo Ron Zimmerman	9:00 A.M. Gary McCoy Rebecca Weiderman			
<b>11:30 A.M.</b> Jamin Clemente Pam Bray Benedetta Scarpa				



The Diocesan Appeal year has begun and a mailing was sent in-home in October. As you contemplate your investment, please consider the role of the Catholic Church in your life and that of your family. Your support of both your parish offertory and the Diocesan Appeal are the most fundamental ways to ensure the health and **Diocesan** vitality of our entire Catholic community

of 126 parishes in 14 counties, serving

Appeal

you in the day-to-day and milestone moments of your life. If you are eager to get started, you can make a gift or pledge online at

www.thediocesanappeal.org or set-up bill pay through your bank for recurring gifts (easier on your budget), asking the bank to make checks payable to Diocesan Appeal, 40 N. Main Ave., Albany, NY 12203. Be sure to include your name and the name & location of our parish. Thank you!

#### Our Parish assessments are as follows:

Holy Spirit \$34,580.00 Gifts/Pledges \$37,013.00 Balance \$0

Holy Trinity \$32,676.00 Total Payment/Pledge \$20,417.00 Townsend Trust \$10,000.00 Balance \$2,259.00

#### ALTAR FLOWERS

The beautiful flowers that adorn the altar this weekend are in loving memory of Todd E. Orsell from Mom, Dad, Brandi, Corey, and Corey Michael.

#### FAMILY LIFE BOOTH AT THE FONDA FAIR

Once again we have the opportunity to help in the ecumenical family life booth at the Fonda Fair. This is a chance to talk to fair goers about the importance of life from conception to natural death. If you think you might be interested in this form of evangelization, please call Chris at 518-736-1558 for more information. The 2023 Fonda Fair runs from August 30 through September 4.



Welcome to Adoration of Our Lord Everyone is invited to come and visit Jesus in the Adoration Chapel at anytime. Perpetual Adoration Chapel at Holy Spirit.

JESUS WAITS FOR US. If you are interested in becoming an Adorer or a substitute, please call Ann: 518-725-5989 or Cindy: 518-725-3532.

Thank you for your continued support.

## THE TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

#### CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT AND HOLY TRINITY PARISH FAITH FORMATION NEWS:

Ann Simonson, Faith Formation Coordinator email: nosnomis3@yahoo.com

#### SAVE THE DATE

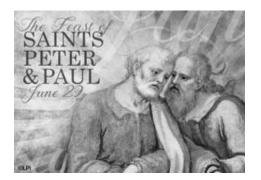


Our combined Parish **Fun Fest** will be held on Sunday, August 6th from 12:30 pm to 5:30 pm. Come and enjoy an afternoon of games, food, and music.

#### ST. STANISLAUS CHURCH FESTIVAL CORNELL STREET AMSTERDAM

July 8th, 4 p.m. 5 to 9 p.	Polka Mass m. Polish and American Kitchen Open Music by Polka Family Band
July 9th 12 Noon	Festival Opens Polish and American Kitchen Open
12-2 p.n	n. Live Broadcast—Polka Magic
3-7 p.m	
7 p.m.	Raffles Begin; Festival Closes

Polish Kitchen and American Food, Games, Raffles, and Polish Vendor. Free Admission—Rain or Shine.



If you are unable to get to Mass and would like to receive Communion or if you know of anyone who would like to receive, please call the Parish office with your contact information so we can arrange for one of our Eucharistic Ministers to bring Communion to you.



**HELPERS COMMUNITY STORE:** Hours are 12:00 P.M.-4:00 P.M. Monday-Saturday. If you are interested in volunteering or substituting at the store, please call Richard or Christine at (518) 736-

1558. All donations should be dropped off at the store, 103 N. Main Street, Gloversville, NY. At this time, we are in need of small kitchen appliances.

NYS EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS: Catholics from across New York State are planning to come together at Our Lady of Martyrs Shrine in Auriesville on October 20-22, 2023 to celebrate the real presence of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ in the Eucharist. The Congress will feature inspiring talks, Mass, Eucharistic adoration, opportunities for confessions, inspiring music and more. For details and to register, log onto https://nyseucharisticcongress.org

#### MASS SCHEDULE CHANGE

Beginning with the weekend of **July 1st/2nd 2023**, the new Mass schedule will be as follows:

**Saturday:** 4 pm Vigil at Church of the Holy Spirit Note: Confessions will still be offered from 2:15 pm to 3:45 pm preceding the Vigil

Sunday: 9 am Mass at Holy Trinity Church Sunday: 11:30 am Mass at Church of the Holy Spirit

#### **BULLETIN DEADLINES**

Please follow the dates listed below when submitting **announcements** to be in the bulletin. Announcements need to be in the office no later than noon on the dates listed below. **Mass requests do not follow the same guidelines.** Masses must be requested at least two and a half weeks ahead of the your requested date due to bulletin deadlines.

#### BULLETIN:

JULY 2ND

**JULY 9TH** 

JUNE 26TH NO LATER THAN 12 NOON

**DEADLINE:** 

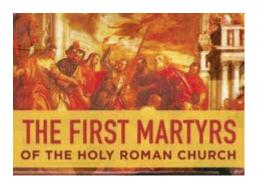
JUNE 28TH NO LATER THAN 12 NOON

## Church of the Holy Spirit & Holy Trinity Catholic Church



#### HOLY SPIRIT MASS INTENTIONS WEEK OF JUNE 25, 2023

SAT. 4:00 P.M.	JOHN SYPER
	REQUESTED BY FRANCO FAMILY
	GEORGE ST. PETER (2ND ANN)
	REQUESTED BY WIFE, JEANNETTE
	ALMA AND GEORGE ST. PETER
	REQUESTED BY ST. PETER FAMILY
	HEALING FOR BRUCE MRHA
	REQUESTED BY JIM, KELLY, & SALLY LANDRIC
SUN. 11:30 A.M	CAROLE CRANE
	REQUESTED BY FAMILY
	WÌLLIAM WOOD JR.
	REQUESTED BY CAROLE AKEY AND FAMILY
MON.	NO MASS
TUES. 8:30 A.M.	MASS AT HOLY TRINITY
WED. 8:30 A.M.	MASS AT HOLY TRINITY
THURS. 8:30 A.M	FRANCES KUCERA REOUESTED BY KUCERA ESTATE
	REQUESTED BY RUCERA ESTATE
FRI. 8:30 A.M.	KAREN PITKIN YAWMAN
T KI, 0.50 A.M.	REOUESTED BY BETTY YAWMAN
	REQUESTED DI BETTI TAWMAR
SAT. 8:30 A.M.	FOR THE PEOPLE
SAT. 4:00 P.M.	ROBERT BRIDGE
	REQUESTED BY CHERYL, DIANE, & SUZIE
SUN. 11:30 A.M.	JO ANN ROSSI
	REQUESTED BY JOSEPH ROSSI, HUSBAND
	LEO VISCONTI
	REQUESTED BY CAROL, LORRI, ELAINE, LISA AND FAMILIES
	AND FAMILIES



He woke up, rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Quiet! Be still!" The wind ceased and there was great calm. Then he asked them, "Why are you terrified? Do you not yet have faith?" – Mk 4:39-40

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#### HOLY TRINITY MASS INTENTIONS WEEK OF JUNE 25, 2023

LESLIE KACZOR REQUESTED BY CAROLYN HENZEL AND TIM CELLARY DAVID VAN ALSTYNE REQUESTED BY HOLY TRINITY PARISH FAMILY TODD E. ORSELL (15TH ANN) REQUESTED BY MOM, DAD, BRANDI, COREY, AND COREY MICHAEL
LENNY FRASIER REQUESTED BY FAGAN FAMILY
NO MASS
SMULLENS FAMILY
IN THANKSGIVING KRISTIN BRADT REQUESTED BY FAMILY
MASS AT HOLY SPIRIT
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ANTHONY BARTLETT REQUESTED BY JOHN & MARY PRADELSKI AMY STOCK (8TH ANN) REQUESTED BY MOM AND DAD ROSE RANERI (55TH ANN) REQUESTED BY SON, PETER





Please remember in your prayers all those members of our parish family who are sick or suffering. All those in hospitals & nursing homes and all of our homebound. We pray for all those who have died

recently. Remember the men and women serving in the armed forces and their families along with all first responders, & health care workers.

