

5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER



[Jesus said,] "My children, I will be with you only a little while longer. I give you a new commandment: love one another."

- Jn 13:33a, 34a



Congratulations to our First Holy Communicants who have received the Body of Christ for the first time on May 8, 2022: Joshua, Imogene, Bianca, Haven, Patrick, and Carter.



GRADES 1-12 FAITH FORMATION!!!

May 16 7th & 8th Confirmation Prep 6-8 pm.
 May 23 7th & 8th Confirmation Prep 6-8pm.



**YOU'RE INVITED TO
 CAMP VIRTUE!**

Hosted at Mother of Sorrows Parish

July 11-15 | 8:30am-5:00pm

Cost: \$125 per camper



Register Here

Camp Schedule:

7/11 Scavenger Hunt with 60 MINUTE MISSIONS

7/12 Ropes Course @ Camp Guyasuta

7/13 Kayaking 2 Dam Kayak Rentals

7/14 St. Vincent Basilica & Idlewild

7/15 Service Opportunities at various locations

Camp Virtue is a day camp that allows middle school youth to enter more fully into the life of the Catholic Faith with an understanding of living out the Virtues in their homes, schools, community and world. Camp Virtue will help participants understand that they can enjoy each day to the fullest while being filled with Faith and a love for God.

Camp Virtue will include dynamic talks on the virtues, praise and worship, small group sharing, games and much more until lunch time. After lunch we will depart via school bus for a HIGH ADVENTURE activity for the afternoon.



Camp is being sponsored by Mother of Sorrows Parish, the partnered Parishes of St. John Baptist de La Salle and St. Mary Our Lady of Lourdes, St. Barbara Parish, Immaculate Conception, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, and St. Agnes, the partnered parishes of Sacred Heart and Ascension.

Registration deadline is June 25.

Additional details, please contact our Youth Coordinator, Tina Komarinski at tkomarinski@dioceseofgreensburg.org



We need saints without cassocks, without veils - we need saints with jeans and tennis shoes. We need saints that go to the movies, that listen to music, that hang out with their friends.

-Pope Francis

Flowers on the altar this weekend are donated in loving memory of **Edith Hollick** requested by the Hollick Family.



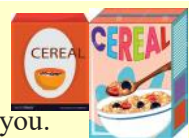
Graduates of 2022
 You are Cordially invited
 To Attend A Baccalaureate Mass
 Sunday, May 29, 2022
 11:00 AM Mass
 At Holy Trinity Parish
 Bring your family, friends, and fellow graduates to join in the celebration for the Class of 2022

Refreshments will be served after Mass in the Atrium.

Wear your Graduation Cap and Gown!
 Please arrive by 10:45 AM and meet in the Church Narthex.
 RSVP to Parish Office 724-238-6434
 By Wednesday, May 25, 2022.

Coffee Social and Baccalaureate Reception
 A coffee social will follow the 8 AM Mass on May 29. A reception will follow the 11 AM Baccalaureate Mass on the same day.

Holy Trinity is collecting CEREAL for the May Food Pantry. Please bring cereal to church before May 20. Thank you for your generosity. God Bless you.



Christian Mothers News
 On Sunday, June 5, after 8:00 AM Mass, Christian Mothers & Women of Holy Trinity who would like to join Christian Mothers are welcome to a **Spring Get Together Brunch** at Veronica Sander's house. Please RSVP ASAP to 724-238-4028 and leave a brief message.
 May God bless and keep all of you always.

Volleyball Picnic
 4 p.m. Friday, May 27th Legion Keener Park
 Bring some sunscreen and a friend! Food & volleyball will be provided.
 (In Holy Family Young Adult event ages 18-35)
 The Holy Family Latrobe Young Adult Group is hosting a Volleyball Picnic on Friday, May 27 at Legion Keener Park in Latrobe at 4 PM. This is for young adults age 18-35.





BLESSED AND GLORIOUS EASTER!! Already we have come to the Fifth Sunday of Easter – we are more than halfway through the Easter Season 2022. Jesus reminds us of the primacy of love today – we show our love for Him by loving our sisters and brothers. Through the Sacrament of the Most Holy Eucharist, we are strengthened to put our love for Jesus into practice. This new commandment is truly the sign of the Kingdom of God. May our practice of the virtues of faith, hope, and love come to fulfillment in the new heavens and new earth prepared for us by Jesus Christ Himself.

What a great blessing to celebrate the Sacraments of Initiation at the Easter Vigil this year! It was also a blessing to celebrate First Holy Communion last week with six young parishioners – we will celebrate First Holy Communion again on Sunday, June 19, with three more young parishioners. We have several youth from the parish preparing to celebrate Confirmation in a few weeks with Bishop Kulick at Holy Family Parish, Latrobe. I mention this to remind interested parties that I will be delighted to speak with you about the Sacraments. If you are an adult who would like to become Catholic, please let me know so that we can begin the process. If you are a parent and have children to be baptized or to be prepared for the reception of the other Sacraments of Initiation, please let me know. I am eager to speak with you about this.

As mentioned last week in the bulletin, Thursday, May 26 is the Solemnity of the Ascension of our Lord. This is great feast day for us and is a Holy Day of Obligation. We are reminded that Heaven is our goal and that our bodies are also destined for heavenly glory. We will celebrate the Ascension of the Lord with two Masses – we will celebrate on Wednesday, May 25, at 7:00PM, and again on Ascension Thursday, May 26, at 8:00AM. I hope that you will be able to assist at Mass at either time. Immediately after the celebration of our Lord's Ascension into Heaven, the Church begins the yearly period of intense prayer for the Descent of the Holy Spirit on Pentecost. We will pray the Pentecost Novena after Mass from Friday, May 27, through Saturday, June 4. Because of the Novena, we will have Mass on Saturday mornings May 28 and June 4. *Please note that the parish office will be closed on Ascension Thursday, May 26; Friday, May 27; and Monday (Memorial Day), May 30.*

The United States is facing many challenges these days. I imagine that each of us have been affected in one way or another – illnesses and isolation; economic uncertainties; employment opportunities, or lack thereof; violence; wars between nations; and now even more social unrest. The recent leak of the draft of a Supreme Court decision is fueling much rhetoric, debate, protests, and even violence. I hope and pray, whatever the Supreme Court decision is regarding *Roe v. Wade*, that we will not see further violence in the streets and in neighborhoods, churches and charitable entities. ***More than enough violence and bloodshed have resulted because of abortion – the lives of unborn children are ended in horrific ways.*** I also must point out that the legality of abortion has no standing on its morality. The fact that something is legal does not make it moral. Abortion is a sin because it is the ending of an innocent life. Please pray for the protection of all human life, especially the most vulnerable. Surely the unborn are in that category. Please remember also God's response to sin – God desires to forgive us our sins, no matter what they are. Let's open our hearts to His mercy, love, and forgiveness. ***OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE, PRAY FOR US!***

Have you ever considered online giving? We have the link for this set up on our parish webpage (www.holytrinityligonier.org). Please check it out if this is something that you are interested in. It would certainly be beneficial to the parish, especially in a time like this. Also, if you would be interested in "texting" your donations, that is an option, also. Let us know and we can provide the link for this. The diocesan webpage (www.dioceseofgreensburg.org) also has a tab that you can use in donating electronically to our parish. Thanks for your consideration.

Thanks for your generous response to the Diocesan Lenten Appeal. We are now up to \$82,253, well beyond the diocesan goal of \$50,997. We have received gifts from 161 parishioners. Also, we have received our first DLA refund from the Diocese in the amount of \$23,173.48. This amount has been placed in our reserve account.











GOD THE FATHER OF MERCIES, HAVE MERCY ON US!

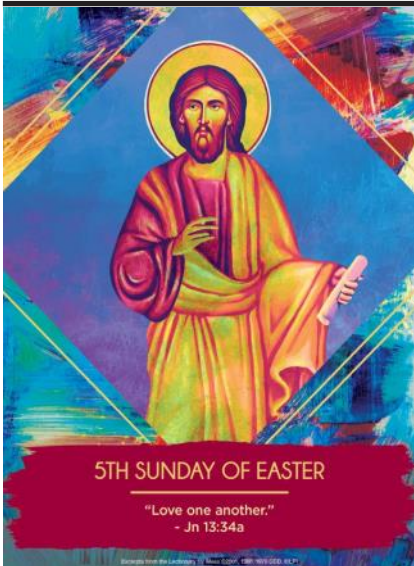
GOD THE SON, JESUS CHRIST, CRUCIFIED AND RISEN, HAVE MERCY ON US!

GOD THE HOLY SPIRIT, DESCENDING UPON US IN GLORY, HAVE MERCY ON US!

Parish Activities Calendar for May & June, 2022

A=Atrium C=Church CA=Children's Atrium CR=Class Room PH= Parish Hall
 L=Loft PL=Parish Library SL= Old School Library PMR=Parish Meeting Room
 All Times Are PM Unless Otherwise Indicated.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>15</p>  <p>2nd Envelope for Communications Media</p>	<p>16</p> <p>Morning Mass at 8:00 AM</p>  <p>Confirmation classes only 6:00 - 7:30 - CR</p>	<p>17</p> <p>Morning Mass at 8:00 AM</p>  <p>Holy Hour 3:00 - 4:00 - C</p>	<p>18</p> <p>Morning Mass at 8:00 AM</p> <p>"That Man Is You" 6:00 - 7:00 - PMR</p>	<p>19</p> <p>Morning Mass at 8:00 AM</p> 	<p>20</p> <p>Morning Mass at 8:00 AM</p>	<p>21</p> <p>Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Children's Sessions 9:00 - 11:00 AM - CA</p>  <p>Bible Study 6:30 - 7:30 - A</p>
<p>22</p> 	<p>23</p> <p>Morning Mass at 8:00 AM</p>  <p>Confirmation classes only 6:00 - 7:30 - CR</p>	<p>24</p> <p>Morning Mass at 8:00 AM</p>  <p>Holy Hour 3:00 - 4:00 - C</p>	<p>25</p> <p>Morning Mass at 8:00 AM</p>  <p>The Ascension of the Lord Vigil Mass at 7:00 - C</p>	<p>26</p> <p>The Ascension of the Lord Mass at 8:00 AM</p>  <p>Ascension Parish Office Closed</p>	<p>27</p> <p>Morning Mass at 8:00 AM</p>  <p>Parish Office Closed</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Morning Mass at 8:00 AM</p> <p>Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Children's Sessions 9:00 - 11:00 AM - CA</p> <p>Bible Study 6:30 - 7:30 - A</p>
<p>29</p>  <p>Coffee Social after 8:00 and 11:00 AM Masses A Baccalaureate Mass 11:00 AM - C</p>  <p>2nd Collection for the Catholic Accent</p>	<p>30</p> <p>Morning Mass at 8:00 AM</p>  <p>MEMORIAL DAY REMEMBER AND HONOR</p> <p>Parish Office Closed</p>	<p>31</p> <p>Morning Mass at 8:00 AM</p>  <p>Holy Hour 3:00 - 4:00 - C</p>	<p>1</p> <p>Morning Mass at 8:00 AM</p>  <p>June</p> <p>"That Man Is You" 6:00 - 7:00 - PMR</p>	<p>2</p> <p>Morning Mass at 8:00 AM</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Morning Mass at 8:00 AM</p> 	<p>4</p> <p>Morning Mass at 8:00 AM</p> <p>Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Children's Last Sessions 9:00 - 11:00 AM - CA</p> <p>Bible Study 6:30 - 7:30 - A</p>
<p>5</p> 	<p>6</p> <p>Morning Mass at 8:00 AM</p>	<p>7</p> <p>Morning Mass at 8:00 AM</p> <p>Adoration 8:30 AM - 4:00</p> 	<p>8</p> <p>Morning Mass at 8:00 AM</p> 	<p>9</p> <p>Morning Mass at 8:00 AM</p>	<p>10</p> <p>Morning Mass at 8:00 AM</p> 	<p>11</p> <p>Bible Study 6:30 - 7:30 - A</p> 



Could you not watch one hour with Me?
Eucharistic Adoration
Every First Tuesday
8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
All other Tuesdays
3:00 to 4:00 p.m.
 You are invited to commit to an hour's adoration for the first Tuesday of each month by signing the schedule sheet located in the Narthex.



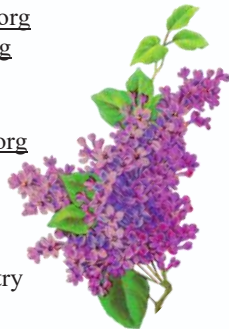
Please Remember in Your Prayers

Bishop Brandt, Fr. Willie Lechnar, Fr. Stephen West, Dorothy Holtzman, Karen West, Sr. Shelly Sharbaugh, OSB., Janet Franks, Adele Griffith, Martha Knupp, D.J. Jackson, Hudson Donahue, Eva Japalucci, Celine Steinmiller, Michael, Jason Ludwig, Terry S., Withrow, Shirley Bassi, Tom Adair, Rod Stouffer, Kim Daffinger, Brian Kosczuk, Shawn Kiser, Fr. John Moineau, Yvonne K., Msgr. John Regoli, Father Bill Berkey, Lucas James, and Adam Derr.



Holy Trinity Parish

342 W. Main St., Ligonier, PA 15658
 Parish Business Office: 724-238-6434
 Mon.-Wed. & Friday 8:30 AM - 3:00 PM
 Thursday 8:30 AM - 1:00 PM
 Email ... holytrinity@dioceseofgreensburg.org
 Parish Website: www.holytrinityligonier.org
 FaceBook: HolyTrinityChurchLigonier
 Rev. Anthony J. Carbone, JCL Pastor
 Email ... ACarbone@dioceseofgreensburg.org
 Mara Bradford, Business Manager
 Addy Evangeliste, Parish Secretary and Social Media Administrator
 Bennett Porchiran, Director of Music Ministry
 Tina Komarinski, Youth Coordinator



Matters of Sexual Misconduct Information

If you have any suspicion about the sexual abuse (or any other type of abuse) of a minor child by anyone — please contact PA ChildLine immediately at 1-800-932-0313. If the alleged abuser is functioning in a parish, school or diocesan position as clergy, religious, paid staff or volunteer you are also requested to contact the Bishop's Delegate for Matters of Sexual Misconduct after you have called the ChildLine number and made the report. The Bishop's Delegate may be reached at 724-837-0901, ext. 1221.

Mass Intentions

5:30 pm Saturday, May 14
 + Jozsef & Maria Bagoly
 by Daughter, Mrs. Marta Molnar
8:00 am Sunday, May 15
 For All Parishioners
11:00 am
 + Cecelia & Stephen Shepard
 by Cindy & Larry Busch
8:00 am Monday, May 16
 + Richard Ulery by Wife, Willie & son
8:00 am Tuesday, May 17
 + Jim Horwat by Paula & Bob Cooper
8:00 am Wednesday, May 18
 + Patricia Guzik by Family
8:00 am Thursday, May 19
 + John Salem by Shirley Salem
8:00 am Friday, May 20
 + Philip G. Urban - Birthday Remembrance
 by Annie Urban
5:30 pm Saturday, May 21
 For All Parishioners
8:00 am Sunday, May 22
 + Robert S. Gulibon
 by Gulibon & Duska Families
11:00 am
 Special Intention

Our Diocese will take up the annual collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC) this weekend. Please consider supporting the collection this year. You are helping to make our Church more accessible and connected to Catholics in our diocese and throughout the world.

YOUR GENEROSITY For May 7 & 8, 2022

Adult Envelopes	\$6,688.00
Loose Cash	\$256.00
Easter	\$45.00
Ascension of the Lord	\$37.00
Total Ordinary Income for Bills	\$7,026.00

Catholic Accent	\$33.00
Capital Reserve	\$10.00
Food Bank	\$50.00
Total for Specific Purposes	\$93.00
Communications Media	\$10.00
Holy Thursday	\$20.00
Holy Land (Good Friday)	\$20.00
Total Diocesan Collections	\$50.00
Total Deposit	\$7,169.00
Online Gifts through the Diocese	\$140.00
Online Gifts through the Holy Trinity Website	\$2,427.50
Total Offertory	\$9,736.50

Mass Attendance for May 7 & 8, 2022

5:30 p.m.	96
8:00 a.m.	147
11:00 a.m.	176
Total	419

