



Holy Trinity Parish

342 West Main Street Ligonier, PA

A Pennsylvania Charitable Trust
A Parish of the Diocese of Greensburg

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Parish Business Office Hours:

Monday-Wednesday & Friday 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Mass Schedule:

Sunday Masses:

Saturday: 5:30 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Weekdays:

Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m.

Please check bulletin for weekly variation.

Sacrament of Penance:

Saturday: 4:00 p.m.

Anytime by Appointment.

Parish Religious Education:

6:00 - 7:30 PM.

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

9:00 - 11:00 AM.

Baptisms:

Please call the Parish Office

four weeks prior

724-238-6434

Marriages:

At least six months preparation.

Finance Council

Pastoral Council

Parish Meetings:

Pastoral Council:

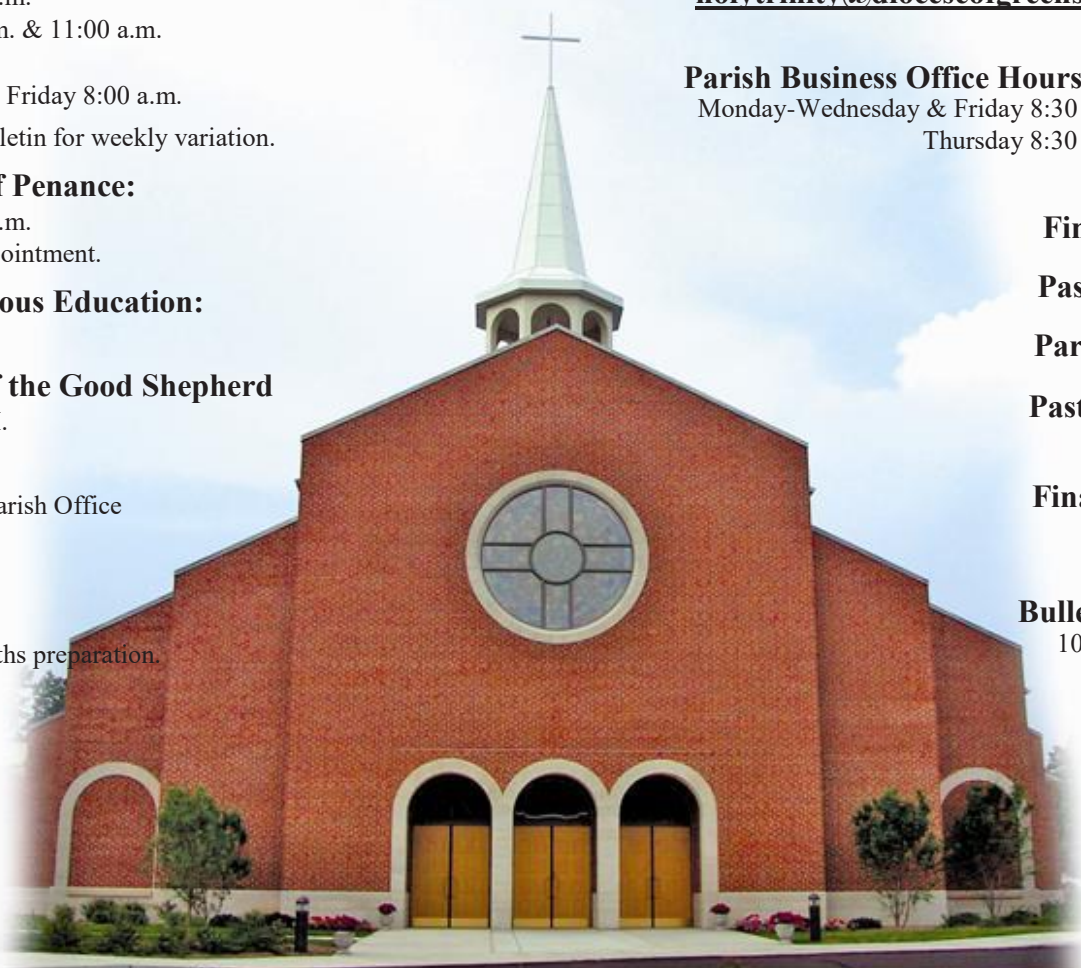
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Finance Council:

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Bulletin Deadline:

10:00 a.m. Monday





**GRADES 1-8
FAITH FORMATION !!!**

THANK-YOU BAGS

for Ligonier Firefighters and Police

Donations will be accepted once again this year to assemble goodie bags for our Ligonier Firefighters and Police. Tubs will be located at all entrances through November 14th. to receive items such as CHAPSTICK, MINTS, GUM, PROTEIN BARS, CANDY, etc. Monetary gifts may be made at the parish office or dropped in the offertory basket in an envelope marked 1st Responder Donation. Bags will be assembled and delivered Monday, November 22, 2021. Spread the Word!!!!!!!

Extra Parent volunteers will be needed on November 22 starting at 5 pm to help set up, assemble, tie, and box the goodie bags for delivery. If you can help, please email

tkomarinski@dioceseofgreensburg.org.

THANK YOU!!!



**Ring the Bell for the Salvation Army
at Giant Eagle**



Are you looking for something to help others during this holiday season? Holy Trinity is once again assisting the Salvation Army with their Red Kettle Drive by ringing the bell in front of Giant Eagle on Thursday, December 2. Please consider volunteering a half-hour or an hour to represent Holy Trinity.

A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board the Narthex.

For questions, call Dee McColly at 412-558-6179.

Food Pantry Request

Holy Trinity Parish will be collecting "Canned Meals" Stews, Ravioli etc. for the Ligonier Valley Food Pantry. Items may be placed in the grocery cart in the Narthex next to the Jesus cutout! As always we thank you for your generous giving hearts.



During November, as we give thanks for our blessings, please help the less fortunate of the **BLACKBURN CENTER AGAINST DOMESTIC & SEXUAL VIOLENCE**

"Needs" are NEW dish drying racks, plates & bowls, cookie sheets, gallon size Ziploc bags, anti-slip bathtub mats, bath towels, full size sheet sets, twin & full size blankets & comforters, women's warm PJ's, collapsible/pop-up hampers, duffle bags, extension cords, tool kits, square Sterlite laundry baskets.

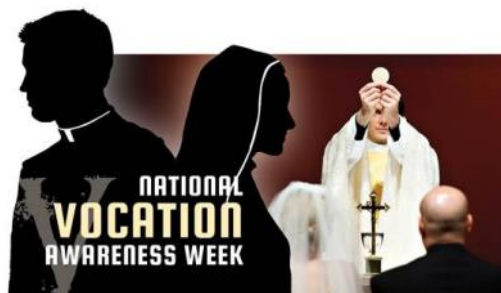
A collection basket is in the Church Narthex. Or call Veronica 724-238-4028 and leave your name & phone number. Every donation is very much appreciated.

Thank you from,
CHRISTIAN MOTHERS



We would like to thank Fr. Anthony for allowing candles to be put on the graves at St. Ann Cemetery on All Souls Day. Also a thank you to Wilpen VFD for cleaning and cleaning leaves and other fire hazard debris at the cemetery. Placing candles on the graves used to be a tradition in Wilpen even after the Church was torn down. We are appreciating seeing the candles lit this year on All Souls Day.

Mary Ann DiRinaldo



PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Heavenly Father, your loving providence accompanies us on our life's journey.

Thank you for the many gifts you have given us. We ask that you continue to call sons and daughters from our families and parishes to serve as priests, deacons and consecrated men and women in the Diocese of Greensburg.

Send your Spirit upon us so that many will respond with great love to your call to service and leadership in your Church. Give to those you have chosen the faith of the apostle, the vision of the prophet, and the courage of the martyr.

Through the intercession of our Diocesan patroness, Our Lady of the Assumption, help us to be faithful disciples of your Son by following the example of Mary. Make us generous in sharing ourselves and our talents for the sake of your Kingdom on earth. We ask this through Christ the Risen Lord.

Amen

FROM THE DESK OF FATHER ANTHONY.....

We recently received a notice from Fr. Tyler Bandura, Vocation Director of the Diocese of Greensburg -- *Get ready! National Vocation Awareness Week is just around the corner. This is an annual celebration of the Catholic Church in the United States dedicated to promoting vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and consecrated life through prayer and education, and to renew our prayers and support for those who are considering one of these particular vocations. Together, we can create a culture of vocations in the Diocese of Greensburg.* Please see more information elsewhere in the bulletin regarding National Vocation Awareness Week, which runs November 7-13.

Did you know that you can gain a plenary indulgence for the souls in Purgatory by visiting a Catholic cemetery during the month of November? Usually the indulgence can be gained only between November 1 and 8, inclusive, but the Holy Father has extended the time period to include the whole month. To gain an indulgence for yourself or for another person, you must be in a state of grace, fulfill the required act – that is, visit a Catholic cemetery, celebrate the Sacrament of Confession within two weeks, pray for the Pope’s intentions, and have a detachment from sin. Usually you can gain only one indulgence per day, but by visiting a Catholic cemetery on multiple days and fulfilling the other requirements would gain indulgences for others, also. In addition to this, don’t forget that we are still celebrating the special Year of St. Joseph, which will conclude on December 8, 2021. You can gain a plenary indulgence by praying the Litany of St. Joseph on Wednesdays and by fulfilling the other requirements. Friday, November 19 has also been designated as a day when this indulgence can be gained.

Take a look at the kiosk. Many titles for the Advent and Christmas Seasons have been added. I also want to remind you about FORMED, the online formation source. FORMED has many videos and other sources of catechetical materials to help you grow in your relationship with God and to come to greater knowledge of the Catholic faith. I hope you will avail yourselves to these opportunities.

I am sure you do not need to be reminded that Christmas is coming. We will announce the Christmas Mass schedule soon. Christmas falls on a Saturday this year, and the following Saturday we celebrate the Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God. Because these two solemnities fall on Saturday, the Diocese is recommending that parishes do not celebrate the usual Saturday evening Masses on those two Saturdays. We will follow the diocesan recommendation here at Holy Trinity – we will NOT have 5:30PM Mass on Saturday, December 25 and Saturday, January 1. The usual Sunday Masses at 8:00AM and 11:00AM will be celebrated on Sunday, December 26 and Sunday, January 2.



Happy Veterans Day to our parishioners who are Veterans this Thursday, November 11. We thank you for your service to our nation and the world, protecting not only the freedoms of Americans, but also those of other nations. This is also the Memorial of St. Martin of Tours, the patron of soldiers. St. Martin was serving in the army of the Roman Empire when he became a Catholic.



**GOD, THE FATHER OF MERCIES, HAVE MERCY ON US!
CRUCIFIED AND RISEN LORD, HAVE MERCY ON US
GOD, THE HOLY SPIRIT, OUR CONSOLER, HAVE MERCY ON US!
ST. JOSEPH, PRAY FOR US!**

All are welcome to pray the Rosary after the 8:00 AM Mass on Wednesday. The Rosary is a powerful prayer, and we can share in that power as we meditate on the lives of Jesus and Mary. Through uniting our prayers with those of the Blessed Mother we can learn to unite our wills to the Father’s as Jesus and Mary so perfectly did.

Parish Activities Calendar for November & December, 2021

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>7</p>  <p><i>2nd Envelope for The Annual Appeal for Retired Religious and Diocesan Retired Priests</i></p>	<p>8</p> <p>"ENDOW" Women Group Meeting 6:00 - 7:15 - A</p>  <p>Faith Formation 6:00- 7:30 - CR</p>	<p>9</p> <p>Holy Hour 3:00 - 4:00 - C</p>	<p>10</p> <p>Catholic Faith Discussion Group 6:00 - 7:30 - A</p> 	<p>11</p>  <p>Parish Office Closed</p>	<p>12</p>  <p>Parish Office Closed</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Bible Study 6:30 - 7:30 - A</p> 
<p>14</p> 	<p>15</p> <p>Faith Formation 6:00 - 7:30 - CR</p> 	<p>16</p> <p>Holy Hour 3:00 - 4:00 - C</p>	<p>17</p> <p>"That Man Is You" 6:00 - 7:30 - A</p> 	<p>18</p>	<p>19</p> 	<p>20</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>21</p>  <p>Coffee Social After the 8:00 and the 11:00 AM Masses - A</p>  <p>2nd Collection for the Catholic Accent</p>	<p>22</p> <p>Faith Formation 6:00 - 7:30 - CR</p>	<p>23</p> <p>Holy Hour 3:00 - 4:00 - C</p>	<p>24</p> <p>Catholic Faith Discussion Group 6:00 - 7:30 - A</p>  <p>Parish Office Closed</p>	<p>25</p>   <p>Parish Office Closed</p>	<p>26</p>  <p>Parish Office Closed</p>	<p>27</p> <p>Bible Study 6:30 - 7:30 - A</p> 
<p>28</p>  <p>FIRST SUNDAY OF Advent</p>	<p>29</p>  	<p>30</p> <p>Holy Hour 3:00 - 4:00 - C</p>	<p>1</p> <p>"That Man Is You" 6:00 - 7:30 - A</p> 	<p>2</p>	<p>3</p>	<p>4</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>



The Envelope for Retired Religious and Diocesan Priests is this weekend

Help aging religious. Elderly Catholic sisters, brothers, and religious order priests have offered their lives in service to others—educating the young, comforting the sick, and ministering to the less fortunate. Today, many are frail and need assistance. Your gift to the Retirement Fund for Religious helps furnish medications, nursing care, and more. Please give generously to today’s second collection.

Could you not watch one hour with Me?
Eucharistic Adoration Every First Tuesday
 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 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.

SCAM ALERT

DON'T GET SCAMMED!

Scammers are out there and in some cases are now posing as priests and other clergy. You might receive an email or text that appears to be from your Pastor or another priest that you may know requesting funds. **You should be suspicious of any request for funds of any type via and email message, text and phone call too. Know that priests will NEVER ask for financial transactions via email, text or phone call.** Know that any email from a priest should be from either a diocesan email or the email listed in the parish's bulletin. If you can't find the email on the parish or diocesan website, it is probably a scam. Please carefully check the email address and verify any request with a call to the person who supposedly sent it.

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, November 6**
+ George Sheaffer - Birthday Remembrance by Sylvia, George Jr., Ralph, and Pat
- 8:00 am Sunday, November 7**
For All Parishioners
- 11:00 am**
+ Helen Pettigrew by Michele & Ted Mrozek
- 8:00 am Monday, November 8**
+ Linda Golden by Bob & Jeanne Harkcom
- 8:00 am Tuesday, November 9**
+ Jean Glasstetter by Husband, Tony
- 8:00 am Wednesday, November 10**
+ Kerry James Robertson by Leo & Kathie Cavanaugh
- 8:00 am Thursday, November 11**
+ Therese Long by Jim & Ro Muzydla
- 8:00 am Friday, November 12**
+ Linda Golden by Husband, Dan & Family
- 5:30 pm Saturday, November 13**
+ William Burkhard by Son, John
- 8:00 am Sunday, November 14**
+ Earline L. Vidakovich by Daughter, MaryLou Rodgers, in remembrance of death anniversary
- 11:00 am**
For All Parishioners

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, Jake McDermott, D.J. Jackson, Paul Fagan, Hudson Donahue, Eva Japalucci, Celine Steinmiller, Jim Horwat, Michael, Yvonne, Jason Ludwig, Kim Lukatch, Albert Clark, Terry S., Withrow, Shirley Bassi, Tom Adair, Merlene Brand, Joni Verneau, Rod Stouffer, Kim Daffinger, Brian Kosczuk, Fr. John Moineau, and Fr. Tom Federline.

YOUR GENEROSITY For October 30 & 31, 2021

Adult Envelopes	\$6,261.00
Loose Cash	\$112.50
All Saints Day	\$252.00
All Souls Day	\$380.00
Total Ordinary Income for Bills	\$7,005.50

Catholic Accent	\$70.00
Capital Reserve	\$116.00
Christmas Flowers	\$30.00
Total for Specific Purposes	\$216.00
World Mission Sunday	\$40.00
Diocesan Poverty & Catholic Relief	\$5.00
Retired Religious & Diocesan Priests	\$95.00
Total Diocesan Collections	\$140.00
Total Offertory	\$7,361.50

Mass Attendance for October 30 & 31, 2021

5:30 p.m.	86
8:00 a.m.	96
11:00 a.m.	154
Total	336

