

Holy Family Parish

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EUCHARISTIC LITURGIES

Holy Family

Tuesday ... 8 AM
Wednesday ... 8 AM
Saturday.....4 PM
Sunday.....11 AM
Holy Days & Civil Holidays:

Consult the Mass schedule in the Bulletin

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday at 3 PM or by appointment

St Anne

Monday....8AM
Thursday....8AM
First Friday .. 8 AM (preceded by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament).. 7-8 AM
Saturday....4:30 PM
Sunday.....8 AM & 11 AM
Holy Days & Civil Holidays:
Consult the Mass schedule in the bulletin
Sacrament of Reconciliation:
Saturday at 3:30 PM

Save the Date:

Faith Fun Nights June 16 July 28 August 11



JUNE 12, 2022 FEAST OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

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First Reading:

"When there were no depths I was brought forth, when there were no fountains of springs of water; before the mountains were settled into place, before the hills, I was brought forth; while as yet the earth and fields were not made, nor the first clods of the world." (Prv 8:24-26)

Psalm:

O Lord, our God, how wonderful Your name in all the earth! (Ps 8)

Second Reading:

The love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us. (Rom 5:5)

Gospel:

"Everything that the Father has is Mine; for this reason I told you that He will take from what is Mine and declare it to you." (Jn 16:15)

Readings for the week of June 12, 2022

Sunday: Prv 8:22-31/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [2a]/Rom 5:1-5/Jn 16:12-15

Monday: 1 Kgs 21:1-16/Ps 5:2-3ab, 4b-6a, 6b-7/Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday: 1 Kgs 21:17-29/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 11 and 16/Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday: 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14/Ps 31:20, 21, 24/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: Sir 48:1-14/Ps 97:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7/Mt 6:7

Friday: 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20/Ps 132:11, 12, 13-14, 17-18/Mt 6:19-23 Saturday: 2 Chr 24:17-25/Ps 89:4-5, 29-30, 31-32,

33-34/Mt 6:24-34

Next Sunday: Gn 14:18-20/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 [4b]/1 Cor 11:23-26/Lk 9:11b-17

Observances for the week of June 12, 2022

Sunday: The Most Holy Trinity

Tuesday: Flag Day

Next Sunday: The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ; St. Romuald, Abbot; Father's Day

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"Keep looking, everybody. We've got to find the car keys."

4:00 PM | Saturday, June 11

Lector: Keegan Eucharistic Minister: Page

11:00 AM | Sunday, June 12

Lector: Beneccio Eucharistic Minister: Quinn

4:00 PM | Saturday, June 18

Lector: Hughes

Eucharistic Minister: Balenovich

11:00 AM | Sunday, June 19

Lector: Materkowski Eucharistic Minister: Schehr

Mass Intentions Saturday, 6/11

For: Andy Chopp From: Rita Pruni & Mike

Sunday, 6/12

For: Living & Deceased Members of Holy Family Church

Tuesday, 6/14 Weekday

For: Dolores Tegnalia From: Chris & Dick Giannamore

Wednesday, 6/15 Weekday

For: Anna & Mike Dubinshak From: Family

Saturday, 6/18

For: Marvann Keegan From: Marcia Janitor Hutchinson

Sunday, 6/19

For: All Fathers

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.

WORSHIP TOGETHER

Feast of The Most Holy Trinity -

(Proverbs 8: 22 – 31; Romans 5: 1 – 5; John 16: 12 – 15)

Even though the Easter Season officially came to an end with the celebration of Pentecost last weekend (and the liturgical color we see is now green), the Church uses these next two weekends to highlight two special beliefs of our faith - this weekend "The Feast of the Most Holy Trinity", and next weekend "The

Body and Blood of Christ.'

We've heard the saying: "Inquiring minds want to know." We would like to have an intellectual answer to know Who God is / What God is. We do not like vague answers with gray areas. Ultimately, we must admit God is a mystery. And it is the central mystery of our Christian Faith. Too often, this mystery is presented as a difficult mystery - unconnected with our daily lives. But, in fact, it is a mystery that Jesus invites us to

enter and to experience.

While it is important to know about God, it is more important to know Him. Today, then, is a celebration not only of a Christian and Catholic Doctrine, it is also a celebration that tells us something fundamental about Him - namely - God knows us and loves us, and He wants us to know that. That's one of the reasons the Second Person of the Trinity became Incarnate: so that seeing Jesus and hearing Him, we can actually see and hear the Father and know about God Who is Father / Creator, Son / Redeemer, and Spirit / Sanctifier.

Jesus speaks of His relationship with God by describing God as Father / ABBA / Daddy. Jesus tells us that He shares everything with the Father. And at the heart / the center of God is this intimate love between the Father, and the Son. The expression of that love is the Holy Spirit. You and I are called to share in that love through Baptism. We hear that in today's reading from St. Paul. He says: "the love of God has been

poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit."

So now, through Baptism, which is administered in the name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit, we share God's own Trinitarian life, which is a communion of love. And we are reminded of that love every time we make the Sign of the Cross. This God of Love is the God in Whose image we have been created.

Such an image of God as a community of Love must have practical implications. At Mass, we are immediately involved in that communion / that relationship of Love when the priest begins the Mass with the greeting: "The grace of Our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God the Father, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you."

In the Eucharist we are invited to share more deeply in that Divine life. We eat His Body and drink His Blood as we commemorate His self-giving love on the cross. And – we are invited to go on imitating His sacrificial love in our daily lives with the words: "Do this in memory of Me."

Like the disciples last week, who received the Holy Spirit at Pentecost and then went into the world telling of God's love and care for His people, we, too, are called to let our breaking of the Bread affect the way we interact positively with others: by sharing our God-given gifts & talents, by sharing our possessions with those around us who are in need, by taking time to visit with others. It is in these and other ways that the Trinitarian God-head makes an impact on lives. You see, we are reflecting on - not an image of a distant God "out there" somewhere, but rather on One Who chose to live and to work and die with us. In Jesus we come to know about a God Who really cares about us.

When we realize His love and care for us, we come to realize how we are invited to share His love and care with others - so that through our belief in this God and the living out of that belief, others may come

to know and believe in Him.

Saints for this week

Let us Pray for the Conversion of the World & for Peace

June 13 - St Anthony of Padua - was first of all an Augustinian monk, but he was so impressed by the martyrdom of five Franciscans who had been spreading the faith in Morocco that he became a Franciscan friar himself, so that he could preach the Gospel in Africa also. Illness obliged him to leave Morocco, and a storm then drove his ship to Sicily, so that he found himself taking part in the General Chapter of the Franciscans in 1221, where he met Saint Francis of Assisi. His preaching career then took him to northern Italy and southern France, then a stronghold of the Albigensian heresy. Later he returned to Italy, to Padua, where he was an outstanding preacher and the first Franciscan theologian. His sermons are full of gentleness, but he reproved the wicked with fearless severity - especially backsliding clergy and the oppressors of the weak. His shrine is a center of pilgrimage, and he is also the patron saint of the lost and found.

Condolences - Our Prayers and Condolences to our former Bishop Edward C. Malesic, and his family, on the recent death of his father - Joseph Malesic. Mr Malesic was 104 years old and he lived outside of Hershev, PA.

Eternal Rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in peace. AMEN



Upcoming

Faith Fun Nights

June 16 5:45 PM St Anne Parish Hall July 28 5:45 PM St Anne Parish Hall August 11 5:45 PM St Anne Parish Hall

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3rd Grade Teacher

The Faith Formation program is looking for a thirdgrade teacher for the upcoming 2022-2023 faith formation school year. No experience is necessary only a good understanding of our Catholic Faith and a want to teach the children of our churches about God and his love for them. For more information, please email Angela Ehrhardt at

<u>aehrhardt@dioceseofgreensburg.com</u> or by calling her 724-984-9255.



Confirmation

Information has been mailed to the parents of 8th graders who will be making Confirmation this fall. If you have a child -- attending public or catholic school -- and have not received this information, please contact Rachel Lewis at 724-797-2216 or rlewis@dioceseofgreensburg.org. Please note in order to receive the sacrament, your child must have completed 7th grade faith formation classes.

<u>Ultimate Thursdays – Fun, Faith, and</u> <u>Fraternity</u>

Inviting all high school young men entering grades 9-12 for the upcoming academic year! Please join us for *Ultimate Thursdays* this summer on June 9, 23, and July 7 at Christ Our Shepherd Center. The evening includes brotherhood, a game of ultimate frisbee, food, prayer, and a halftime talk offered by the seminarians. For more information and registration please visit GreensburgPriest.org.

GODPARENT/CONFIRMATION SPONSOR CERTIFICATE:

For a Catholic to be a sponsor for the Sacraments of Baptism or Confirmation, one must be a practicing Catholic regularly attending Sunday Mass and receiving the Sacraments, a registered member of the Parish and a faithful contributor to the support of the Parish for a minimum of four months. All requests for a certificate should be made four weeks in advance of the designated date needed for sponsorship.

<u>Catholic Charities</u> seeks donations of baby clothing, diapers

Catholic Charities is requesting donations of diapers (sizes 4-6) and new clothing in boys' sizes newborn, 3 months and 9-12 months and girls' sizes 12 months, 18 months and 24 months. To donate, call 724-837-1840 to schedule a drop-off time at 711 E. Pittsburgh St., Greensburg

St. Emma Monastery, Greensburg Giant flea market June 16-18

A giant indoor-outdoor flea market is planned Thursday-Saturday, June 16-18, at St. Emma Monastery, Greensburg. Hours are 2-6 p.m. June 16 (earlybird admission \$5), 10 a.m.-4 p.m. June 17 and 10 a.m.-3 p.m. June 18 (50% off). Food will be available, and the gift shop/bookstore will be open. The grounds are handicapped accessible. Volunteers are needed for setup June 1 and takedown June 21. For details, call 724-834-3060 or visit stemma.org.

DLA

<u>UP-TO-DATE DLA RECEIPTS</u>: We have reached our Diocesan goal of \$24,672 for this year's campaign with 45.1% participation. Our Parish goal is \$11,046, so we have raised \$13,413.00. Your support is so very much appreciated and we thank you for your Donations.

Financial Report for 6/6/31/2022

Offertory: \$2,794.00 Loose: \$58.00 Monthly: \$205.00 Candle: \$74.00 Ascension: \$20.00 Starter Set/1st Off: \$10.00

Parish Income: \$3,161.00

Peter's Pence: \$40.00 Catholic Accent: \$3.00

Total Offertory: \$3,204.00

<u>First Diocesan Car Show planned June 18 at</u> Christ Our Shepherd Center, Greensburg

Bring Dad to the first Diocese of Greensburg Car Show Saturday, June 18, at Christ Our Shepherd Center, Greensburg, for a spectacular day of fun for the entire family. The car show will be followed by a special outdoor Father's Day Mass and blessing of fathers by Bishop Larry J. Kulick. Also planned are DJ Frankie Day, food trucks, craft beer, wine vendor, 50/50, basket raffles and a Father's Day craft for the kids, plus a special award for father-son or father-daughter pairs who show their classic cars. All proceeds will go to emergency relief in Ukraine. Car show registration begins at 9 a.m. Those who preregister will get a free T-shirt (while supplies last), and all vehicles will receive dash plagues. The show is in conjunction with the Western Pennsylvania Chapter, Pontiac-Oakland Club International. For a full list of events, sponsors and vendors, and to register a family or car, visit DioceseofGreensburg.org/CarShow.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK AND HOLY COMMUNION: Anointing and Holy Communion are available upon request to

those who are sick, elderly or homebound. Families are requested to call the Parish Office to arrange a visit.

Catholic Relief Services Spotlight

Across East Africa, drought, flooding and diminishing crops have compounded a crisis that millions of vulnerable people are facing. Across all three countries, malnutrition rates among children are soaring as food, water and incomes diminish. In South Sudan, about 1.8 million children, and pregnant and nursing mothers are acutely malnourished. At the same time, three years of severe flooding, coupled with overflow from the River Nile and its tributaries, has submerged homes and settlements. Many families have been displaced after losing their homes, food, land, assets and livelihoods. It is predicted that 33,000 people may face catastrophic hunger levels in the coming months.

CRS is responding across the region with comprehensive assistance, meeting needs, including health and nutrition services, and support for safe water, sanitation and hygiene. Please visit www.crs.org today to see how you can help! When you give, you provide food for malnourished children and displaced families who have lost everything. Your gift also gives clean water and health and hygiene supplies to the most vulnerable people suffering from drought and hunger. Thank you for your vital support at this critical time.

St. Edward Parish, Herminie Golf outing June 24

St. Edward Parish, Herminie, will hold a golf outing Friday, June 24, at the Madison Club. Cost for the four-person scramble, with a shotgun start at 9 a.m., is \$100 per person or \$400 for a foursome, which includes greens fees, cart rental, a hot dog and beverage at the turn, buffet dinner, a "guest for a day" certificate (which includes one 18-hold greens fee), skill and door prizes, and team awards. For information, contact Mike Ochap, 724-433-2181.

St. Edward Parish, Herminie

Festival and food truck rally July 24

St. Edward Parish, Herminie, will hold a festival and food truck rally Sunday, July 24, from noon-6 p.m. For information, call 724-446-5197.