

MAY 27, 2018
The Most Holy Trinity

ST. MARY MOTHER OF GOD CATHOLIC CHURCH

*"Serving the People of God
Spiritually and Physically since 1848"*

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Mass Schedule

Sunday - 10:45 am

Holy Day - 5:15 pm



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Prayer Line

Dottie Carpenter (260) 705-1690

Chairperson Parish Pastoral Council

Jennifer Hayes (260) 450-2193

Sacraments

Matrimony

Arrangements are to be made with priest at least 6 months in advance. Pre-marriage instruction required.

Sick and Communion Call

Please keep the Church Office informed of the sick and homebound, particularly when there is serious illness.

Baptism

For details please call the Church Office. Baptismal Preparation is required for parents.

Reconciliation

Sunday: 10:00am-10:30am OR
Anytime by appointment.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Call Parish Office for information.

Parish Pastoral Council

Nov, Jan, Mar, May, 1st Sunday, after Mass

Bulletin Deadline

Monday 12:00 pm
Call or email submissions.

Parish Mission Statement

"Believing in faith in action, St. Mary Mother of God Catholic Church strives to reach out to others through the joyful celebration of Word and Sacrament, embracing diversity, and working for peace, justice, and non-violence."

Parish Membership Welcome

Our warmest welcome to all who celebrate with us, whether visitors, long time residents, or newly arrived in the parish. *We thank God for you.* If you wish to register, please call the parish office, pick up a registration form in the pew, or complete below and place in collection basket.

Name _____ Phone No _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Check one:

New Parishioner New Address New Phone Number Moving, remove from list

Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

Happy Trinity Sunday! In today's Gospel, we hear Jesus declare together all three Persons of the Trinity. "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."

When we speak of the Trinity, two different theological words are sometimes used: immanent and economic. The immanent Trinity is the life of the three Persons within themselves, the inner harmonious relationship between Father, Son, and Spirit. We see this in the Gospels when Jesus speaks of his Father and promises to send the Holy Spirit. The term "economic" has its roots in the Greek word *oikonomia*, roughly meaning "household management." The economic Trinity is our three-Personed God's relationship with creation; it is creation and redemption and ongoing relationship with us.

Made in the image and likeness of God, we are called to imitate God's immanence by giving and receiving love with one another in community. However, this is not limited only to

those close to us, though that's where love often starts. We also imitate the economy of God when we go out, when we extend our love and care in a life-giving way. "Go therefore?"

Every believer is sent on mission. Every believer is invited to follow Jesus and the Apostles "to the nations," to the margins, to the people who require a little extra reach. This could be a distant relative, the residents of your local homeless shelter or even the forgotten neighbor next door! When we love well, we create something beautiful—a relationship, a holy moment, a foretaste of heaven. This Trinity Sunday, take some time to examine the relationships in your life. How well do you love those nearest to you? How well do you reach out to those farther away? How are you creating something beautiful?

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Blessed the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

**Sunday, May 27**

Sacristan: Chuck Luther

Commentator/Petitions: Rena Zirille

Servers: Brock Randolph, Noah Johnson, Nathan Johnson

First Reading: Pat McBride

Second Reading: Metrice Smith

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Chuck Luther, Celeste Streicher, Dottie Carpenter, Ken Yahne, Louise Yahne, Rosemary Mausser, John Barnett, Angela Greven

Ushers: Andy Johnson, Katrina Johnson, Gayle Randolph, Antonio Salazar

Greeters: Christine and Jasmin Myles

Sunday, June 3

Sacristan: Susan Berghoff

Commentator/Petitions: Carmen Doyle

Servers: Nicole Obioma, Michael Obioma, Aric Koenig

First Reading: Greg Gemperline

Second Reading: Ben Clemmer

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Susan Berghoff, Dottie Carpenter, John Barnett, Eugenia Barnett, Jennifer Hayes, Maureen McCon, Joanne Miller

Ushers: Dennis Doyle, Val Vorndran, Gary Grider, Antonio Salazar

Greeters: Andy & Katrina Johnson

"to everything there is a season and a time for every purpose under heaven"

"a time to be born..."

"a time to love..."

"a time to be healed..."

Please pray for the sick of our Parish

"a time to die"

"and a time for peace"

and in our world, all people, both military and civilian who are in the midst of war, or natural disasters.

Ecclesiastes 3:1f

Readings for the Week of May 27, 2018

Sunday: Dt 4:32-34, 39-40/Ps 33:4-5, 6, 9, 18-19, 20, 22 [12b]/ Rom 8:14-17/Mt 28:16-20

Monday: 1 Pt 1:3-9/Ps 111:1-2, 5-6, 9 and 10c [5] /Mk 10:17-27

Tuesday: 1 Pt 1:10-16/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 [2a]/Mk 10:28-31

Wednesday: 1 Pt 1:18-25/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20 [12a] /Mk 10:32-45

Thursday: Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 [6]/Lk 1:39-56

Friday: 1 Pt 4:7-13/Ps 96:10, 11-12, 13 [13b]/Mk 11:11-26

Saturday: Jude 17, 20b-25/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6 [2b]/Mk 11:27-33

Next Sunday: Ex 24:3-8/Ps 116:12-13, 15-16, 17-18 [13]/ Heb 9:11-15/Mk 14:12-16, 22-26

HOLY FATHERS INTENTIONS FOR JUNE

Universal: Social Networks

That social networks may work towards that inclusiveness which respects others for their differences



"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 you. And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age." - Mt 28:19-20 Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001,



Mass Intentions

Sunday, May 27

10:45 am Ron Mausser

Sunday, June 3

10:45 am For the People of St. Mary Mother of God



Altar of Service

Saint Mary's Soup Kitchen

Please mark your grocery lists for our Soup Kitchen. This week we are asking for ...NOODLES.

Soup Kitchen Weekend volunteers

Saturday 10:00 am-1:00 pm

Sunday 11:30 -1:00 pm

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Saturday, May 26: John's friends

Sunday, May 27: Nina Gery, Liz & John P.

Thank you for volunteering at the Soup Kitchen. Please call me if you are unable to make your scheduled day.

Val Vordran 625-5757 or 450-5170

AVE MARIA HOUSE PANTRY NEEDS:

Hygiene Products

HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

Do you feel a calling to minister to our shut-ins? Please call the church office at 424-8231 or Sue Koester at 493-4282 for more information, or if you know of a parishioner who may be homebound and in need of communion brought to them.



The Week Ahead

Sunday, May 27

- Rosary Recitation beginning at 10:20

Monday, May 28 Memorial Day

- St. Mary's Office Closed

BABY SHOWER DURING MAY

The St. Martin dePorres Society is sponsoring a baby shower to benefit young mothers from Ave Maria House and Vincent House. They are accepting items of clothing, blankets, and diapers size 2 and up (please no preemie or size1). **Donations are being accepted through June 3.**

Parish Announcements

TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALLGAME

Our annual *TinCaps* outing will be Monday, June 11th at 7:05pm. This will be a Family Feast Night, so hot dogs, popcorn, pizza slices, and small drinks will cost \$1. Tickets will cost \$10, and will be sold before and after Mass every Sunday until May 27. Cash and checks will be accepted. Tickets will be available for pickup at church on June 3rd and 10th.

PENTECOST COLLECTION FOR SEMINARIANS

If you did not make your Pentecost Collection offering, please take time to do so today. Please use your Pentecost Collection envelope, or feel free to donate online at the diocesan website, www.diocesefwsb.org/diocesan-donations. Thank you for your generosity to this important collection.!

LEARN ABOUT CATHOLIC FINANCIAL LIFE

Jacob and David, Representatives from the nation's first Catholic fraternal benefit society, Catholic Financial Life, will be available for questions/information following mass on the weekend of June 3rd. Catholic Financial Life has been a trusted partner to Catholic families for 150 years. While they have a long and solid history, they may be new to you. Stop by to learn more about Catholic Financial Life and how their benefits and services could help you and your family. Catholic Financial Life is available to men, women, and children of all ages. To request more information, visit: join.catholicfinanciallife.org/Gibson, - join.catholicfinanciallife.org/David or call 877.631.7779

2018 VITA TAX PROGRAM

The VITA program at St. Mary's was a great success again this year with a substantial 1,511 tax returns prepared and \$1,823,049.00 in tax refunds generated from the St. Mary's preparation site.

PRIESTHOOD ORDINATION

The Diocese of Fort Wayne-South Bend announces the Ordination of Patrick John Hake, Jay Paul Horning, David Sylvester Huneck, Nathan Anthony Maskal, and Thomas Wayne Zehr to the Sacred Priesthood of Jesus Christ at the Cathedral of Immaculate Conception on Saturday, June 2 from 11:30pm.—1:00 pm ;through the Imposition of Hands and the Invocation of the Holy Spirit by Most Reverend Kevin C. Rhoades, Bishop of Fort Wayne-South Bend. Can't make the priesthood ordination? Watch the live stream. The live stream will be accessible on the diocesan Facebook, Twitter, and YouTube Channels.

SAVE THE DATE

The Class of 1958 Central Catholic High School will celebrate their 60th Anniversary at Halls Guest House and Hotel 1313 W Washington Center Rd. We will have a mass at 4:00 P.M. at Dwenger Chapel and celebration from 5:00 to 11:00 Sept. 8, 2018. \$35.00 per person. Make checks payable to Central Catholic High School class of 1958 C/O Mary Ann Quinn 5330 Hewitt Lane 46835. Judy Fox Mattes 260-749-5235