



# HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH

Washington, DC

June 4 & 11, 2017

*Beginning June 4, the bulletin will serve as a two week issue for the summer. Weekly bulletins will resume September 10.*

## Please Join Us!

Annual Outdoor Mass & Picnic  
June 11 at 10:30am  
Georgetown Visitation

### Highlights Include:

- Celebration of Mass outdoors— a joyful way to connect with others in a relaxed environment
- All-American picnic featuring grilled hot dogs and delicious sides!
- Games for the whole family including an appearance by everyone's favorite, Mandy the Clown

Please bring your own blanket or chairs.

If you are interested in volunteering,  
please visit [www.trinity.org/parishlife](http://www.trinity.org/parishlife)

## Parish Pastoral Council Election

The Parish Pastoral Council opened nominations for the four openings on the Council from May 2-23. We received applications from five active and qualified parishioners who wish to share their time and talent to work in conjunction with the other council members and Father Kevin Gillespie to guide Holy Trinity over the next three years in accomplishing its goals and living its mission. Excerpts from their candidate statements are printed on page 5.

## Summer Reading Recommendations

Pick up a book to accompany you on family vacations or lazy days by the pool! Cardinal Donald Wuerl provides suggestions beyond the summer blockbusters that may fuel your spiritual growth at [cardinalsblog.adw.org/2017/05/summer-reading](http://cardinalsblog.adw.org/2017/05/summer-reading).

We also asked our Jesuit staff and ministry leaders for summer reading suggestions and will be sharing them in the coming weeks. Here are a few picks to add to your list:

*Building the Human City: William Lynch's Ignatian Spirituality for Public Life* by John F. Kane

At a time when there is so much polarization in our nation and in our world, the thinking of Fr. William Lynch (1908-87) is more important than ever. Using the insights derived from philosophy as well as the Greek classics, Kane sees Lynch as providing ways to see the contemporary world in terms of Apollo, Dionysius and Prometheus. Through the power to "imagine the real" Lynch finds the understandings of faith and irony as a source for unity. While intellectually dense at times, Kane's interpretation of Lynch's writings is rich with insights.—*Kevin Gillespie, S.J., Pastor*

*Bread of Life, Cup of Salvation* by John Baldwin

An excellent primer on the history, practice and theology of the Mass. Baldwin (a Jesuit!) puts the Mass into an historical context that grounds how we celebrate the Mass today. It includes discussion questions at the end of each chapter for your dinner table conversation or book club (wine not included).—*David Pennington, Pastoral Associate for Worship & Liturgy*

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## MISSION STATEMENT

We are a Jesuit Catholic parish that welcomes all to:

Accompany one another in Christ  
Celebrate God's love  
Transform lives

## PARISH CENTER

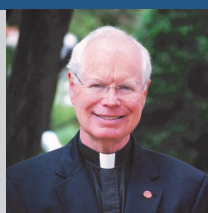
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**Emergencies Only:** 202-903-2817

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## From the Pastor's Desk

You might call them The Magnificent Seven--the Seven Sacraments, that is. This past and coming month each one of the sacraments is being witnessed at Holy Trinity.

For example, on June 3 at the Saturday Vigil Mass a host of Holy Trinity Parish teenagers will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation. Bishop Barry Knestout will confirm some 66 of them, while at the Saturday Vigil on June 10, Bishop Mario Dorsonville will confirm another 66. Meanwhile, since Easter Sunday at more than a dozen weekend liturgies, 135 of our children have received their First Holy Communion. The witness of so many of our youth, individually and collectively, is indeed a great grace for the entire parish.

Turning to the other sacraments since Easter, there have been a number of baptisms, some in St. Ignatius Chapel and others sprinkled into the weekend Masses. With the coming of spring, every weekend there have been one or more occasions for the Sacrament of Matrimony. Of course, parishioners have made regular use of the Sacrament of Reconciliation on Saturday evenings and some parishioners who are ill or about to undergo a serious operation have requested the Sacrament of the Sick. And I am happy to announce that on Saturday morning, June 11 at Fordham University, Brett McLaughlin, the son of parishioners Lori and Tim McLaughlin will be ordained a priest in the Society of Jesus. Congratulations to all recipients and their families!

Each one of the Magnificent Seven represents an opportunity for the recipient as well as we witnesses to be formed by the presence of the Holy Spirit revealed at the first Pentecost. This Sunday, Pentecost Sunday, we commemorate this first occasion and just as importantly celebrate the reverberating signs of the Spirit revealed in and through the Seven Sacraments.

In their own way, the Church's Seven Sacraments magnify God's incarnational presence in our lives. Through signs, symbols, songs and stories, they evoke ways for us to imagine God through life's various phases and passages. Some theologians refer to this as a process of seeking and sensing God's real presence by means of an analogical imagination. While we may not experience God directly, we are invited to do so God analogously.

As we celebrate the Season of Pentecost may our imaginations be stirred by the reception of one of the Magnificent Seven by so many of our parishioners. And may our souls, like Mary the Mother of Jesus, be magnified and made magnanimous in love for one another in the Spirit sent by her Son.

*Rev. C. Kevin Gillespie, S.J.*

## Daily Mass Intentions

### Week of June 5-10, 2017

Monday	8:00am	Sue Gourley+
	5:30pm	Edmund Kardauskas+
Tuesday	8:00am	
	5:30pm	John Page+
Wednesday	8:00am	Ann Gill+
	5:30pm	Mary T. O'Malley+
Thursday	8:00am	
	5:30pm	Katherine O'Rourke+
Friday	8:00am	
	5:30pm	Louise Ann Proulik+
Saturday	8:00am	John & Mary McAuliffe+

### Week of June 12-17, 2017

Monday	8:00am	Steve Spahn, S.J.+
	5:30pm	Nestor Santiago+
Tuesday	8:00am	Fred Levering+
	8:00am	Mona Pearson+
Wednesday	8:00am	
	5:30pm	
Thursday	8:00am	
	5:30pm	
Friday	8:00am	Donald McDonough, Jr.+
	5:30pm	Kenneth & Delores Bellis+
Saturday	8:00am	Daniel & Ellen Moriarty+

### Pray for those who are sick:

*Molly Palmer*

### Pray for those who are dead:

*Edward G. Warin*

## PRAYER REQUESTS

To add a name to these prayer lists, contact Lisa Dittmeier at [ldittmeier@trinity.org](mailto:ldittmeier@trinity.org). You must be an immediate relative of the one to be remembered, or have express permission in order to add a name to these lists. The names on this prayer list will be mentioned aloud at Sunday Mass during the General Intercessions and will be published in the parish eLetter and bulletin.

We also invite parishioners to write the name of deceased loved ones in the Book of the Dead, which is kept in the back of the chapel. The parish community remembers these persons each time we gather for Eucharist.

## SACRAMENTS

### Mass Schedule (Check bulletin or website for Holy Days)

**Weekdays:** 8am & 5:30pm in the Chapel (on N St.)

*Note: Chapel is open on weekdays between Masses.*

**Saturday:** 8am — Chapel; 5:30 pm Vigil — Church

**Sunday:** 7:30am, 9:30am, 11:30am, 1:15pm & 5:30pm

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Every Saturday from 4:30pm—5:15pm or by appointment

### Sacrament of the Sick

Communal anointing is celebrated on the first Wednesday of the month at 7pm in the St. Ignatius Chapel. Call the Parish to request the sacrament at home or in the hospital.

### Baptisms and Weddings:

- To schedule a Baptism or Wedding, contact Helene Flanagan, 202-903-2806 or [hflanagan@trinity.org](mailto:hflanagan@trinity.org)
- To register for the preparation process, see next item.

### Sacramental Preparation:

Persons desiring to receive certain sacraments at Holy Trinity need to be registered parishioners and are expected to participate in a preparation program. For more information or to register, contact the appropriate staff person:

- Infant Baptism: [readmin@trinity.org](mailto:readmin@trinity.org), 202-903-2808
- First Reconciliation: Judith Brusseau, 202-903-2807
- First Eucharist: Judith Brusseau, 202-903-2807
- Marriage Preparation: [readmin@trinity.org](mailto:readmin@trinity.org), 202-903-2808
- Adult Initiation (RCIA): Anne Koester, 202-337-2840 x128
- Children's Initiation (RCIA): Judith Brusseau, 202-903-2807
- Adult Confirmation: Judith Brusseau, 202-903-2807
- Youth Confirmation: Sara Seligmann, 202-903-2814

## NEW PARISHIONER REGISTRATION

Welcome to Holy Trinity! We invite you to join our parish. You may register at [www.trinity.org](http://www.trinity.org). Parishioner registration forms can be found under the **Participate** tab. Questions about registering can be directed to [registration@trinity.org](mailto:registration@trinity.org).

New parishioner orientations are held several times throughout the year. See the bulletin, eLetter and website for announcement of dates and times.

## RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a process of conversion and faith formation for individuals who are interested in living the Christian life in the Catholic tradition. Those who want to learn more about the possibility of becoming Catholic are welcome to come to the Inquiry meetings held every Tuesday evening at 7pm in the Faber Room, Holy Trinity Parish Center. Please contact Anne Koester [akoester@trinity.org](mailto:akoester@trinity.org) for more information or visit our website.

## PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL (PPC)

PPC members share leadership responsibility with our pastor. As advisors to the pastor, PPC members assist the pastor in discerning, articulating and communicating to other parishioners the identity and mission of the parish, and they assist the pastor in assuring fidelity to that identity and mission.

President	Kirk Willison	<a href="mailto:ppcpresident@trinity.org">ppcpresident@trinity.org</a>
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## IGNATIAN SPIRITUALITY

Deep summer is when laziness finds respectability.  
-Sam Keen

### Peter Faber Training Program

We aspire to form compassionate and competent guides of the Spiritual Exercises who will serve the People of God. This program enables participants to develop the competencies enumerated in the document, "Guiding Standards for Those Who Give the Spiritual Exercises," and approved by the Jesuit provincials of Canada and the United States. Visit our website for more information. For questions or to request an application packet, please contact Martina O'Shea at [moshea@trinity.org](mailto:moshea@trinity.org) or (202) 903-2810. The application deadline is **June 30**.

### Young Married Couples Faith Sharing & Fellowship

Young married couples (married less than 10 years) are invited to gather to pray and reflect on your faith life as a married couple on **June 17** from 4-5pm in McKenna Hall. A program for young children (infant to 6 years) is provided in the adjacent room. Email Catherine Heinhold at [isadmin@trinity.org](mailto:isadmin@trinity.org) to RSVP and include the names and ages of any children who will join the children's program.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION/ FAITH FORMATION

### Sacramental Preparation Registration

Sacramental Preparation registration for Reconciliation and Eucharist is now open. There is no fee for registration and the deadline is **August 1**. For more information and to register online, visit [www.trinity.org/register-reconciliationeucharist](http://www.trinity.org/register-reconciliationeucharist). Please note that we have gone green and no paper registration forms will be mailed this year.

### Get Involved with RE this Summer!

#### Faith Formation Volunteer Corps

Summer is a busy time for RE/Faith Formation! Join our volunteer corps as we prepare for the 2017/18 year. Email [readmin@trinity.org](mailto:readmin@trinity.org) for opportunities.

#### Share Your Faith!

Become a catechist for the 2017/18 year. Training and opportunities to engage with others are offered this summer. Email [readmin@trinity.org](mailto:readmin@trinity.org) for details.

#### RE Parent Survey

Last call! Thank you to the 55 families who have responded to our RE End of the Year parent survey. If you are among the 460 who haven't taken the opportunity to share your thoughts, please do so this week! Your feedback help us plan for the upcoming year.

## PARISH LIFE

### New Parishioner Orientation

All new members to the parish are invited to our New Parishioner Orientation on **June 25** from 4-5:30pm in McKenna Hall. Children are welcome and no RSVP is required. Refreshments will be served. For more information, contact Lisa Dittmeier at 202-903-2801 or [ldittmeier@trinity.org](mailto:ldittmeier@trinity.org).

### Camp Trinity: All Are Welcome



Camp Trinity is a weekend of enriching our faith through fellowship, prayer and activities. This year, the camp will take place **September 22-24** at the Shrine Mont retreat center, nestled in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains in Shenandoah, and the theme is "All are Welcome." Youth ministry chaperones/volunteers will be leading teen-specific

activities in addition to joining in certain activities with the Camp Trinity parish community. Past youth activities have included night hikes and s'mores at the fire pit. Teens are encouraged to bring friends.

Learn more and register at [www.trinity.org/parish-life/camp-trinity](http://www.trinity.org/parish-life/camp-trinity).

### Separated/Divorced/Widowed Group

The group is a warm and inviting ongoing support group where everything is confidential. We use *Rebuilding When Your Relationship Ends* as a basis for discussion. There is no cost associated with the group.

Meetings have been moved to Tuesday evenings. Upcoming meetings include **June 6** and **June 13**, both from 7:30-9pm in the Neale Room.

## HOLY TRINITY SCHOOL

### RSVP for Alumni Night!

Holy Trinity School's Alumni Night will take place Friday, **June 16** from 6-8pm in Trinity Hall. To RSVP and to learn more about our upcoming bicentennial celebration, please visit [www.htsdc.org/alumni-night](http://www.htsdc.org/alumni-night).

### Stay Connected this Summer!

Sign up for our Holy Trinity eLetter for weekly updates at [www.trinity.org/e-lettersubscribe](http://www.trinity.org/e-lettersubscribe)

## Parish Pastoral Council *continued from page 1*

All nominees were required to answer three questions as part of their submission. We have provided the candidates' answers to the first question, "*Why do you want to be a part of the PPC at Holy Trinity? What gifts, visions and talents would you bring that would contribute to the work of the parish?*"

Please visit [www.trinity.org/parish-pastoral-council/](http://www.trinity.org/parish-pastoral-council/) for complete submissions. Contact PPC Elections Chair Margaret Miller with questions and comments at [margaret.miller@lnf.com](mailto:margaret.miller@lnf.com).

### Kathleen & Kevin Coogan



If we had a slogan it would be "Stronger Together." We were invited to consider PCC membership as a couple who is active in both the church and the school. Kathleen is a lawyer, diplomat and a recognized promoter of diversity who has completed nineteen years of Catholic schooling. Her social justice activities have included a

year as a Holy Cross Associate serving as a counselor and program manager at a shelter for victims of domestic violence. Kevin is a political and financial quantitative analyst and public speaker who has developed a system for making predictions about markets and elections. He has had the honor of co-coaching numerous soccer and basketball teams for Holy Trinity School students and has organized a new chess team for Fall 2017. We are both trained community mediators and mediation trainers, which has helped hone our active listening skills and will help as we encourage parishioners to discuss with us parish needs. We have been school parents for the past six years, and were parishioners several years prior to that. We offer the perspective of parents facing the demands of both young children and aging parents.

As parishioners, we draw strength and support from members of both the church and school, the entire Holy Trinity community. We have decided to run for the PCC so that we can give back to the parish at a deeper and more meaningful level. One idea we have is to explore new ways for the church and school to work together to support parishioners. The church and school are stronger together. In the event a vote would be required, we recognize that together we will cast one vote.

### Chris Hannigan



Before I walked in the doors of Holy Trinity, I had never known a faith community as welcoming as ours. Holy Trinity is a place where a wide variety of ministries invite and empower parishioners to employ their unique passions and talents in service of God. I am running for PPC because I want to help make our community as welcoming for others as HTC has been for me.

Previously, I taught at-risk middle and high school students in DC and Virginia.

Lifelong education is integral to our Jesuit identity; I want to offer a teacher's experience to the PPC as our parish charts the way ahead for formation programs.

Today, I work as a strategic planner for a government agency. As a professional who forecasts budgets and programs on a five-year horizon, then plans and executes projects today, I can help design practical plans for our long-term parish goals.

### Kenny Kraft



My wife and I have been registered parishioners at Holy Trinity since 2012 and have three children, ages two, four and seven (the oldest two of are in the RE program). I want to be a part of the PPC to continue my family's contribution to building an evermore connected faith community at Holy Trinity in service to our shared Jesuit

mission and traditions.

As a relatively new member of the parish, I have been involved in a number of ministries and parish-wide activities, bringing my natural enthusiasm for building community while identifying specific challenges and organizing toward common goals. In different committee meetings, I am often asked to give my perspective or ideas as a parent of young children with all the related challenges of raising faith-filled children in D.C. I'd like to bring that same energy, perspective and voice to the Parish Pastoral Council.

### Carlos Salinas



These are troubling times. As I try to love, seek, and walk with God, Holy Trinity joyfully points me to Life in Jesus through challenging instruction and consoling renewal. So I want to give back by sharing my perspective, which connects my Parish participation with my life dedicated to social justice activism.

When I became confirmed at Holy Trinity in 2004, I heeded advice to deepen my faith by becoming an active parishioner. From liturgical ministries to Ignatian retreats to religious education, Parish opportunities have continually increased my love for God and my desire to follow Jesus.

Concurrent with the confirmation process, I began accompanying Amazonian indigenous healers whose culture was being ripped apart. This struggle has tested my beliefs by exposing me to the ravages of our cruelty and indifference. Thus I have a growing sensitivity to the signs of the times, which we must navigate while avoiding partisanship.

## Employment Opportunities

Holy Trinity is recruiting for a **Director of Stewardship** and a **Faith Formation/Religious Education Coordinator**. Interested applicants should contact Angela Grady, [agrady@trinity.org](mailto:agrady@trinity.org).

**Sunday, June 4, 2017****PENTECOST SUNDAY**

Acts 2:1-11/ 1Corinthians 12:3b-7, 21-13/ John 20:19-23

**7:15 PM Young Adult Community Mass**

Saint Ignatius Chapel

**8:15 PM Young Adult Community Café**

McKenna Hall

**Monday, June 5, 2017****MEMORIAL OF SAINT BONIFACE**

Tobit 1:3; 2:1b-8/Mark 12:1-12

**Tuesday, June 6, 2017****TUESDAY OF THE 9TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME**

Tobit 2:9-14/Mark 12:13-17

**7:00 PM Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)**

Faber Room

**7:30 PM Separated, Widowed & Divorced Group Meeting****Wednesday, June 7, 2017****WEDNESDAY OF THE 9TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME**

Tobit 3:1-11a, 16-17a/Mark 12:18-27

**7:00 PM Taize Prayer with Anointing of the Sick**

Saint Ignatius Chapel

**Thursday, June 8, 2017****THURSDAY OF THE 9TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME**

Tobit 6:10-11; 7:1bde, 9-17; 8:4-9a/Mark 12:28-34

**9:30 AM IONA Talk on Senior Issues**

McKenna Hall

**6:00 PM Christian Meditation Group**

Saint Ignatius Chapel

**7:00 PM Job Seekers Support Group**

Georgetown Neighborhood Library (R &amp; Wisconsin Ave NW)

**7:00 PM Young Adult Faith Sharing**

Saint Ignatius Chapel

**Friday, June 9, 2017****FRIDAY OF THE 9TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME**

Tobit 11:5-17/Mark 12:35-37

**Saturday, June 10, 2017****SATURDAY OF THE 9TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME**

Tobit 12:1, 5-15, 20/Mark 12:38-44

**7:30 AM Zen Meditation**Parish Center Upper Room [rdruecker@aol.com](mailto:rdruecker@aol.com)**4:00 PM Social Justice Reflection**

Saint Ignatius Chapel

**Sunday, June 11, 2017****SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY**

Acts 2:1-11/ 1Corinthians 12:3b-7, 21-13/ John 20:19-23

**10:30 AM Annual Mass & Parish Picnic**

Georgetown Visitation

**Monday, June 12, 2017****MONDAY OF THE 10TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME**

2 Corinthians 1:1-7/Matthew 5:1-12

**Tuesday, June 13, 2017****MEMORIAL OF SAINT ANTHONY OF PADUA**

2 Corinthians 1:18-22/Matthew 5:13-16

**7:00 PM Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)**

Faber Room

**7:30 PM Separated, Widowed & Divorced Group Meeting**

Neale Room

**Wednesday, June 14, 2017****WEDNESDAY OF THE 10TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME**

2 Corinthians 3:4-11/Matthew 5:17-19

**Thursday, June 15, 2017****THURSDAY OF THE 10TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME**

2 Corinthians 3:15-4:1, 3-6/Matthew 5:20-26

**6:00 PM Meditation Group**

Saint Ignatius Chapel

**6:00 PM Iconography Guild**

Saint Ignatius Chapel

**7:00 PM Job Seekers Support Group**

Georgetown Neighborhood Library (R &amp; Wisconsin Ave NW)

**7:00 PM Young Adult Faith Sharing**

Saint Ignatius Chapel

**Friday, June 16, 2017****FRIDAY OF THE 10TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME**

2 Corinthians 4:7-15/Matthew 5:27-32

**Saturday, June 17, 2017****SATURDAY OF THE 10TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME**

2 Corinthians 5:14-21/Matthew 5:33-37

**7:30 AM Zen Meditation**Parish Center Upper Room [rdruecker@aol.com](mailto:rdruecker@aol.com)**8:30 AM Holy Trinity Seminar Series**

Faber Room

**4:00 PM Young Married Couples Fellowship & Faith Sharing**

McKenna Hall

**Sunday, June 18, 2017****SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST**

Deuteronomy 8:2-3, 14b-16a/ 1 Corinthians 10:16-17/ John 6:51-58

**10:30 AM Annual Mass & Parish Picnic**

Georgetown Visitation