

# HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH

Washington, DC

June 11 & 18, 2023 Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### Parish Council Reflections on Trinity Synod Feedback By Jennifer Dorsey, President of the Parish Pastoral Council

This past year, the Holy Trinity Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) reviewed the comments specific to life at Holy Trinity that were expressed during the 2022 parish Synod process. As a council, we considered all comments and synthesized them into an overall follow-up report to our 2022 Synod Summary. The new report is available on Trinity.org as of this weekend. We hope you will take some time to review it.

It is not lost on us that the Synod survey and listening sessions were conducted during the COVID-19 public health emergency, just as the parish slowly returned to in-person activities. And if emerging from the pandemic taught us anything, it's that this parish is as strong, if not stronger than ever.

The influence of the two preceding years significantly impacted the feedback we received. Parishioners overwhelmingly believe that Trinity has changed for the better, particularly in how we include those who are, for any given reason, unable to be with us in person. How we all interact with everything-from events to mass to each other - has shifted, likely permanently. And we, as a council,



are committed to supporting our committees, partnering with the staff and the Jesuits, and listening to all of you so that we can provide guidance and recommendations to everyone who continues to keep our community thriving.

The Synod feedback also told us that Trinity is a place that parishioners and visitors alike choose on purpose. Yes, it is a neighborhood parish for many. But it is also a place people travel to from across the DC Metro area, visit regularly

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### **DAILY MASS SCHEDULE**

MONDAY - FRIDAY: 8:00 AM - Chapel

SATURDAY (VIGIL): SUNDAY:

5:30 PM — Chapel SATURDAY: 8:00 AM — Chapel 5:30 PM — Church 7:30 AM — Church 9:30 AM — Church, Livestream 11:30 AM — Church 5:30 PM — Church

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Saturdays, 4:30 - 5:15 PM — Church

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when they are in town, and now Zoom into when they move away. It is a unique and thriving spiritual home that we all belong to because we want to.

Several topical themes emerged regarding areas our parish can improve on – from a need for greater transparency into how to be a part of life at Trinity, to a commitment to social justice as a priority, to a desire focus on growing the next generations. Throughout the report, we expanded on where these efforts are being taken on and where there are opportunities for growth. Staff and committees have worked to improve on these priorities for more than a year. The efforts will continue in the months and years to come. All the focus areas listed in the report are ongoing, living topics that will continue to evolve with time.

As the PPC wraps up its final month of activity for this year, we hope that you will consider the feedback in the document we prepared. If you have thoughts, want further detail, or feel something is missing, we would love to hear about it. You can email *parishcouncil@ trinity.org* and *ppcpresident@trinity.org* to get in touch or attend one of our meetings in the 2023-2024 year. We publish the full calendar of meetings in September as well as the Zoom link you can join from. And we hope to provide more opportunities for you to give feedback in the coming months. \$

## **Parishioners in Action**



Each week Ash, Kathy, Barbara and Colleen pack groceries for our migrant families.

#### STEWARDSHIP

Looking for a quick and easy way to make your Pledge or Offertory contribution in support of Christ's work here at Holy Trinity? Scan this QR Code to get started! Also, please note that every year we receive contributions - especially from stocks and IRA Distributions - that we cannot attribute to a donor. Your broker or agent often will NOT tell us the donor without your explicit instruction. For example, we recently received a Fidelity IRA Distribution of \$4,308.47 for which no donor was identified. If you can verify this is your contribution, please let Rock Schuler know at *rschuler@trinity.org.* Thank you!





Some of the 50 flags that were placed at the graves of deceased veterans at Holy Rood on Memorial Day Weekend.

## **TODAY!**

#### ENVELOPED: 18TH ANNIVERSARY SPRING CONCERT June 11 & 15 | 7:30 PM, Church

The 18th Street Singers is an all-volunteer 50-voice choir based in Washington, D.C. The ensemble is known for performing choral music from a variety of styles, from Renaissance polyphony to contemporary classical music.

Join us June 11th (in-person or for our 2nd ever livestream) and June 15th (in-person only).

For this concert series, tickets are available to reserve online and at the door for a suggested donation of \$20 for those who are able. Free student, GA, and donatewhat-you'd-like ticket options are also available. Reserve your tickets today *18thstreetsingers.com/home* 



#### **PRIDE MASS**

June 14 | 5:30PM, Church

Please join members of the LGBTQIA+ community and their friends and families for Mass followed by a light reception in the East Garden. All are welcome!

## INFORMATION SESSION ON THE SPIRITUAL EXERCISES

June 17 | 11:00 AM – 12:00PM, Zoom

The Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius Loyola are one way to come to love as God loves. Throughout an 8-9 month retreat made in daily life, the retreatant can grow in self-knowledge,



deepen their intimacy with Jesus, and grow in their practice of discernment of spirits. Join us for an hour conversation about this gift that God gave the church through St. Ignatius. Contact Martina O'Shea at *moshea@trinity.org* for the link to the online session.

#### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL ELECTION

Parish Pastoral Council Ballot Now Open. Voting is now open to select new members of the Parish Pastoral Council. Thanks to all who chose to run! We have five candidates for four open positions. Please take a moment to review the candidate statements and cast your vote.

Voting will be open through **June 11**. Candidate information and ballots can be accessed by using the QR codes below or by visiting *trinity.org* under Announcements. Please email *ppc@trinity.org* with any questions.





CANDIDATE STATEMENTS

VOTE

#### KAYAKING WITH YOUTH MINISTRY

June 17 | 3:00PM, Key Bridge Boathouse Celebrate summer with Youth Ministry at the Key Bridge Boathouse. Reserve your



kayak or canoe. Stay for mass at 5:30pm afterward. Email Katie Laskey at *klaskey@trinity.org* with questions or for financial assistance.

#### SUMMER SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES FOR TEENS

**Grades 7-8, ServiceworX**, a local service program, July 10-14. Grades 9-11, **Baltimore Community Engagement,** overnight, July 16-22. See *trinity. org/youth/youth-summer-experiences/* for registration details contact Katie Laskey, *klaskey@trinity.org*, ASAP for availability.

#### **CHAPERONES NEEDED**

Adults interested in accompanying youth through a week of service-learning **July 10-14** are asked to contact Katie Laskey, *klaskey@trinity.org*, with their interest. Visit *trinity.org/youth-volunteers* for more information.

#### **COCKTAILS & CONVERSATION**

June 13 | 6:00 PM, st. Joseph's on Capitol Hill 313 2nd St. NE, Washington, DC. RSVP at *info@gregorianfoundation.org* 

#### **Special Guest**

**Rev. Hans Zollner SJ** President, IADC (formerly the Centre for Child Protection)

**Rev. Bill George SJ** Senior Advisor, Gregorian University Foundation

## COMMUNITY SUPPORT NEEDED THROUGHOUT THE SUMMER

The needs of our community do not take a pause during the summer months. These are wonderul opportunities for friends and family to serve together, and for students to get a jump on their service requirements. Please mark these dates on your calendar!

#### Saturday Suppers

July 1, 8, 22 at Mt. Zion www.signupgenius.com/go/ssjulydates#/

Community Food Collection (breakfast casseroles and snack bags) June 25, July 23 www.signupgenius.com/go/springsummer#/

Christ House Birthday Cupcakes (monthly July, August, September) www.signupgenius.com/go/chcupcakes#/

#### FEAST OF MARY MAGDALENE

July 22 | 8:00AM, Chapel

Anne Koester of our Women Who Stay and RCIA programs will share a reflection on the Feast of Mary Magdalene during morning Mass. Immediately afterwards Anne will lead a discussion exploring one of Jesus' earliest followers in McKenna Hall. Refreshments available.

#### **MORNING PRAYER ONLINE**

Mondays and Fridays | 9:00 AM, Zoom

Morning Prayer is celebrated on Mondays and Fridays 9-9:45 am via Zoom. All are warmly invited to join whether once, occasionally, or regularly. Go to *trinity. org/morningprayer* for information and the link.

#### HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL IS HIRING

Holy Trinity School, a Catholic elementary school in the Jesuit tradition, seeks to hire a

- Middle School Math Teacher
- Middle School Teachers of Religion/ELA or Social Studies/ELA

• **Middle School physical education teacher** starting in the 2023-2024 school year. This are permanent positions.

Qualifications: Bachelor's degree in Education or a related field, minimum, and 2 - 3 years teaching experience; Certified to teach in MD, DC, or VA or is willing to gain certification within three years. Benefits included.

#### MIDDLE SCHOOL MATH INTERVENTIONIST

An educator who is able to plan and deliver targeted instruction to students with diverse learning styles and levels of mathematical skills.

• Front-desk,data manager/receptionist

Visit *htsdc.org/careers/* for full job descriptions. To apply to any open positions, please submit a resumé to *principal@htsdc.org*. No calls, please.

#### Holy Trinity is Hiring!

#### **Director of Communications**

We are seeking a creative, energetic and skilled communications professional to join our pastoral staff.

#### Administrative Assistant (Multiple Positions)

We are looking for administrative assistants to perform a wide variety of administrative, clerical and support activities for the directors of ministerial programs.

Visit *trinity.org/jobs* for full job descriptions.

To apply to any open positions, please submit a resumé and cover letter to *jobs@trinity.org*. No calls, please.

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

WEEK OF JUNE 12, 2023

MONDAY	8:00 AM	Gerald David Strid +
	5:30 PM	Brice Prinzie +
TUESDAY	8:00 AM	
	5:30 PM	Ellen Krause +
WEDNESDAY	8:00 AM	
	5:30 PM	Margaret James +
THURSDAY	8:00 AM	
	5:30 PM	Nicholas Halley +
FRIDAY	8:00 AM	
	5:30 PM	Jane Lydon +
SATURDAY	8:00 AM	Bert Rosecan +

#### MASS INTENTIONS

WEEK OF JUNE 19, 2023

MONDAY	8:00 AM	Mary Lydon +
	5:30 PM	
TUESDAY	8:00 AM	
	5:30 PM	Marilyn & Robert Marsteller
WEDNESDAY	8:00 AM	Family
	5:30 PM	
THURSDAY	8:00 AM	Margaret James +
	5:30 PM	
Friday	8:00 AM	
	5:30 PM	
SATURDAY	8:00 AM	Jack and Abby Mullally

## **DAILY READINGS**

SUNDAY, JUNE 11

**SOLEMNITY OF THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST** Deut. 8:2-3, 14b-16a | 1 Corinthians 10:16-17 | John 6:51-58

MONDAY, JUNE 12

MONDAY OF THE TENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME 2 Corinthians 1:1-7 Matthew 5:1-12

#### **TUESDAY, JUNE 13**

**MEMORIAL OF SAINT ANTHONY OF PADUA** 

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

#### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14

WEDNESDAY OF THE TENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY

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

#### **THURSDAY, JUNE 15**

THURSDAY OF THE TENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY

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

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 16

SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS Deuteronomy 7:6-11 Matthew 11:25-30

#### **SATURDAY, JUNE 17**

MEMORIAL OF THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY 2 Corinthians 5:14-21 Luke 2:41-51

#### **SUNDAY, JUNE 18**

#### **ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Exodus 19:2-6a | Romans 5:6-11 | Matthew 9:36-10:8

## **DAILY READINGS**

#### SUNDAY, JUNE 18

**ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** 

Exodus 19:2-6a | Romans 5:6-11 | Matthew 9:36-10:8

MONDAY, JUNE 19

MONDAY OF THE ELEVENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY Τιμε

2 Corinthians 6:1-10 | Matthew 5:38-42

#### TUESDAY, JUNE 20

**TUESDAY OF THE ELEVENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY** 2 Corinthians 8:1-9 Matthew 5:43-48 TIME

#### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21

**MEMORIAL OF SAINT ALOYSIUS GONZAGA** 

2 Corinthians 9:6-11 Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18

#### THURSDAY, JUNE 22

THURSDAY OF THE ELEVENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY 2 Corinthians 11:1-11 | Matthew 6:7-15 Τιμε

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 23

FRIDAY OF THE ELEVENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY ΤΙΜΕ

### 2 Corinthians 11:18, 21-30 Matthew 6:19-23

#### SATURDAY, JUNE 24

SOLEMNITY OF THE NATIVITY OF SAINT JOHN THE Isaiah 49:1-6 | Luke 1:57-66, 80 **BAPTIST** 

#### SUNDAY, JUNE 25

#### **TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Jeremiah 20:10-13 Romans 5:12-15 Matthew 10:26-33



#### **New Parishioner Registration**

Welcome to Holy Trinity! We invite you to join our parish. You may register at *www.trinity.org/register* or click the **QR code below.** 



#### **RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION**

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 at *akoester@trinity.org* or (202) 903-2825. Holy Trinity also offers RCIA adapted for children and youth who are not Baptized (ages 7 through high school). Please contact Anne Marie Kaufmann at *akaufmann@trinity.org* (202) 903-2832 for more information.

#### **LGBTQIA+ MINISTRY**

Holy Trinity's commitment to accompany one another in Christ invites us to be more deeply aware of the diversity of our community and more welcoming to those who are marginalized by society or the Church. Our layled ministry embraces individuals who are lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, questioning/queer, intersex, asexual and their families and friends. More information and upcoming meetings can be found at *www.trinity.org/lgtbqia* or by emailing *LGBTQIA@trinity.org*.

#### 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. Contact President Jennifer Dorsey at *ppcpresident@trinity.org* and Vice President Gail Louis at *parishcouncil@trinity.org*.

#### **MISSION STATEMENT**

We are a Jesuit Catholic parish that welcomes all to accompany one another in Christ, celebrate God's love and transform lives.

#### PARISH CENTER

**Phone:** (202) 337-2840 **Fax:** (202) 337-9048 **Emergencies Only:** (202) 903-2817 **Hours:** Monday-Friday: 8:30am - 4:30pm Saturday & Sunday : Closed

#### JESUIT STAFF

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