

# *Blessed Trinity Parish*

## *Roman Catholic Church*

*Greenfield, Massachusetts*

*Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time - August 13, 2023*



### *Schedule of Holy Mass*

Lord's Day Vigil— Saturday 4 pm

Lord's Day—Sunday 8 am, 9:30 am, & 11 am

#### **Weekday**

M-T-Th-F- 8:30 am

Wed. 12:05 pm & 6 pm

First Saturday - 8 am

Holy Day Vigil - 6 pm

Holy Day - 8:30 am, 12:05 pm, & 6 pm

*"Just as the living Father sent me  
and I have life because of the Father,  
so also the one who feeds on me  
will have life because of me." Jn 6:57*

### *Our Churches & Sacred Spaces*

#### *Blessed Sacrament Church*

221 Federal Street

Mass: Saturday—4 pm | Sunday—11 am

Monday & Tuesday—8:30 am | Wednesday—6 pm

Holy Day Vigil: 6 pm | Holy Day: 8:30 am

#### *Calvary Cemetery*

Wisdom Way | First Burial recorded 1792

#### *Holy Trinity Church*

135 Main Street

Mass: Sunday - 8 am & 9:30 am

Wednesday 12:05pm | Thursday & Friday—8:30 am

Holy Day: 12:05 pm & 6 pm

#### *Perpetual Adoration Chapel*

221 Federal Street | Always present 24/7

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### *All are Invited & Welcome to Join Us!*

We are a diverse Catholic Community of Greenfield which shares a faith in Jesus Christ, is nourished at the table of the Eucharist, celebrates life-giving and healing Sacraments, tries to live the Beatitudes, and reaches out in service, together.

Please join us on this journey of life and faith!

## **NINETEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME – MONTH OF THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY**

Almighty ever-living God, whom, taught by the Holy Spirit, we dare to call our Father, bring, we pray, to perfection in our hearts the spirit of adoption as Your sons and daughters, that we may merit to enter into the inheritance which You have promised. - **Amen**



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#### **PASTORAL CENTER HALL** (14 Beacon St)

#### **BL. MCGIVNEY CONFERENCE ROOM** (14 Beacon St)

Arrangements for use can be made through the Parish Office.

#### **PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL**

Deacon John Leary, Coordinator

Hours available and Coverage Requested

#### **CALVARY CEMETERY**

Arrangements for burial can be made through the Parish Office.

## **OUR MINISTRIES.**

#### **FOOD PANTRY**

Saturday 9 am– noon | Tuesday Noon-3 pm | Thursday 3 pm-6 pm | pantry@blessedtrinitygreenfield.org

**COMMUNITY MEALS:** 2nd, 4th & 5th Thursdays—to volunteer call Kathy Melnik 413.773.3311

#### **ALTERNATIVES PREGNANCY CENTER**

413.774.6010 *Pregnancy Tests, Counseling, Support, Post Abortion Support*

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## Thoughts from the Pastor's Desk ...

Dear friends of Blessed Trinity,

With joyful praise, we meet one another on this festival day! Celebrating this weekend our parish anniversary, our deanery Marian day, and our common witness in vocational discernment and dedicated service, there is cause for great joy. It is our shared meeting in the Lord!

Each of us, whether married couples or single persons. Whether clergy or consecrated religious. Whether active in youth or resting in retirement. Each of us are called to give witness to the near presence of the Lord and the gift of faith. Each of us are called to reflect the life of grace, His life in ours!

As the people of Greenfield and beyond, with visiting Sisters and neighboring parishes, we have gathered to recognize the God who is in our midst. We have gathered to hear His Word proclaimed and to encounter His Word made flesh.

Our readings today showcase the discernment necessary to perceive God ever in our midst. While the winds howl and the earth quakes, the Lord speaks in a whispering sound. While the waves crash and hope wavers, the Lord comes out to meet us. Noise and turmoil may flash and flicker but God's grasp is firmer still.

God is present ...

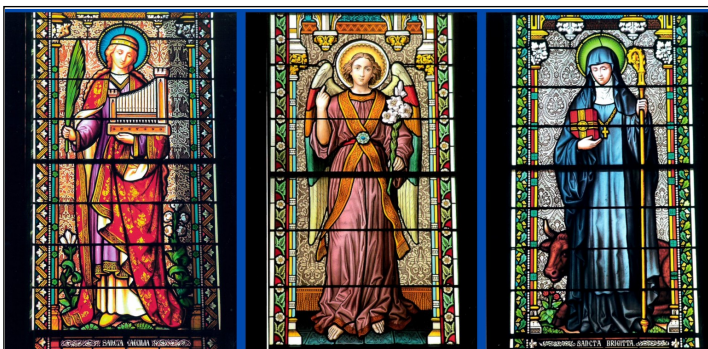
He asks us to trust ... To know He is there.

As we begin a new year together, giving thanks for the work already done and strength for the work yet to be accomplished, let us trust in the Lord's presence. As St. Paul's great love for his kindred wrenches his heart when they wander or are lost, so may our hearts be filled with love and charity for each person who crosses our path. Do not be afraid of vividly and joyfully expressing your faith in the abiding presence of Christ. Do not be afraid to reach out to that person you've seen at Mass week in and week out but never knew their name or are embarrassed you may have forgotten it. Do not be afraid to build up the Church of Christ, in this His Church of Greenfield. The Lord is near. Our God is present.

*Most Holy Trinity, I adore You!*

*My God, I love you in the Most Blessed Sacrament!*

**Fr. Pierz**



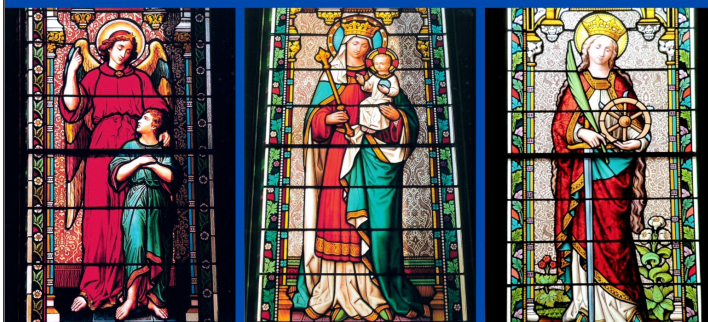
### SUMMER LECTURE SERIES AT SAINT MICHAELS ON STAINED GLASS: A FORETASTE OF HEAVEN

EVERY WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28 - SEPTEMBER 27

5PM - EVENING PRAYER

FOLLOWED BY THE PRESENTATION,

47 WALNUT STREET, BRATTLEBORO, VERMONT



**AUGUST 16TH - 5:00PM**

Father Pierz will be presenting on St. John the Baptist  
at Saint Michaels Church, Brattleboro VT

## NEW PARISHIONERS—WELCOME!

*Thank you for joining us today.  
We are so glad you are here!*

As Blessed Trinity Parish celebrates its First Anniversary, we are eager to welcome and accompany all people of Greenfield and its surrounding towns and villages.

No matter where you come from - No matter what your background - No matter what your situation is or has been - Know that you are welcome and invited to join us on the way of holiness and the practice of the virtues as brothers and sisters in Christ!

We are eager to meet you & invite you to register at the Parish Office. We look forward to getting to know you in prayer & service & we hope that you will favor our Parish with your prayers, your presence, and your talents.



# OUR FAITH.

## OUR SACRAMENTS.

### EUCCHARIST:

#### LORD'S DAY MASS

Saturday 4:00 pm (BSC) | Sunday 8:00 am (HTC), 9:30 am (HTC), 11:00 am (BSC)

#### WEEKDAY MASS

M & T 8:30 am (BSC) | Wed. 12:05 pm (HTC) & 6 pm (PAC) | Th & F 8:30 am (HTC)

#### ADORATION

Always present, 24/7 in our Perpetual Adoration Chapel (PAC)

### CONFESSION:

Saturday, 2:30-3:30 pm | 30 min. before Sunday Masses | Wednesday, 5-5:45pm | or by appointment. (Every effort is made to arrive 30 min. before the 11 am Mass for Confession, however priest availability can be limited.)

### BAPTISM:

Please contact the Parish Office to schedule baptism preparation classes, review sponsor eligibility, and plan celebration of the sacrament. Typically celebrated within 8 weeks of birth. Ceremony may be private or during our Sunday Masses.

### MARRIAGE:

Please contact the Parish Office at least 9 months in advance to enroll in marriage preparation classes and plan liturgy arrangements.

### CONFIRMATION:

Typically takes place through our Religious Education program. If you are an adult and have not received the Sacrament of Confirmation, please contact the Parish Office.

### HOLY ORDERS:

Have you ever been inspired of a vocation to the priesthood or religious life? Please speak with Fr. Pierz or call the Parish Office.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK:** Available during pastoral visit, Sacrament of Confession, or by appointment.

**ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS:** Seeking to receive all your sacraments and enter full communion with the Catholic Church? You are invited and welcome to join us! Please contact the Parish Office to learn how to become Catholic and receive the sacraments of initiation.



The **Magnificat** is a monthly Catholic spiritual publication that provides daily prayers, liturgical readings, reflections, and hymns. A physical and digital edition option is offered. Each issue of Magnificat features reflections written by renowned spiritual writers, clergy, and theologians, morning and evening prayers as well as various prayers for special occasions and intentions.

### MAGNIFICAT AND FORMED

Blessed Trinity Parish is looking into subscriptions to

#### The **Magnificat** and **Formed**

This could be a fantastic resource for our parish and the wider community we encourage in the Catholic faith through our Pastoral Ministries.

*These subscriptions would be funded through your annual donation. Are you interested?*



**FORMED** is an online database with thousands of Catholic movies, programs, audio, and books which can be accessed through smartphones, computers, and SmartTVs. There is programming for Adults & Children!

Ordering your **Magnificat** subscription through the parish offers many benefits. Cost saving benefits, community engagement, liturgical consistency are a few, but a greater benefit is parish support. When you order your subscription with the parish, we are able to offer free copies to those who desire a connection to our Catholic faith and community through our Jail Ministry, Sick & Homebound Ministry, as well as our Homeless, Poor, & Hungry Ministry.

With a parish subscription to **FORMED** each of our parishioners would be able to have an account and enjoy the many programs.



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# OUR FAITH.

## SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Tuesday August 15th is a Holy Day of Obligation.

Monday Vigil 6:00 pm Blessed Sacrament Church

Holy Day 8:30 am BSC | 12:05 pm HTC | 6:00 pm HTC



**The Assumption is the feast that celebrates Mary being taken body and soul into Heaven at the end of her earthly life.**

What does the Assumption of Mary mean? According to the *Catechism of the Catholic Church*, the Assumption refers to an event that occurred at the end of the Virgin Mary's life. It is the oldest feast day of Our Lady. This feast has had several names over the centuries, but we don't know how it first came to be celebrated. However, in the seventh century, it began to be celebrated in Rome under the title of the "Falling Asleep" (*Dormitio*) of the Mother of God. Soon the name was changed to the "Assumption of Mary," since there was more to the feast than her dying. It also proclaimed that she had been taken up, body and soul, into Heaven.

The Assumption completes God's work in her since it was not fitting that the flesh that had given life to God Himself should ever undergo corruption. The Assumption is God's crowning of His work as Mary ends her earthly life and enters eternity. The

feast turns our eyes in that direction, where we will follow when our earthly life is over.

The feast days of the Church look to the present and to the future and give us an insight into our own relationship with God. The Assumption looks to eternity and gives us hope that we, too, will follow Our Lady when our life is ended. *"Finally the Immaculate Virgin, preserved free from all stain of original sin, when the course of her earthly life was finished, was taken up body and soul into heavenly glory, and exalted by the Lord as Queen over all things, so that she might be the more fully conformed to her Son, the Lord of lords and conqueror of sin and death."* *The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin is a singular participation in her Son's Resurrection and an anticipation of the resurrection of other Christians. (CCC 966) (catholicculture.org)*

### AN INVITATION TO THE CATHOLIC FAITH.

The Blessed Trinity Parish will be offering our **OCIA Program** starting this September. The program will run weekly on **Tuesday evenings** from **6pm till 7:30pm** at the **Pastoral Center Hall** at 14 Beacon Street in Greenfield. The program will be open to those within Greenfield, surrounding communities and other parish communities. Anyone interested can contact the parish office at 413-773-3311 or by email at [office@blessedtrinitygreenfield.org](mailto:office@blessedtrinitygreenfield.org). Additional information and registration forms will be available in subsequent bulletins.

OCIA stands for **The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults**, it is the process for adults and teens who desire to join the Catholic faith and for those seeking more information on the Catholic Church. OCIA can also be a method for Catholics to complete their reception of the initiation of sacraments. Together we will discover many aspects of the Catholic Faith, God is Love, the Holy Trinity, the Bible as God's love letter to Humanity, the Story of Salvation, Who Jesus is, the Paschal Mystery, the Holy Spirit, the Mystery of the Church, Mary and the Saints, the Sacraments, the Eucharist, a walk through the Mass and much more.

#### WHO IS OCIA FOR?

- Non-Catholics who want to find out more about the Catholic Faith
- Those who want to join the Catholic Church through Baptism, or Profession of Faith
- Those who were baptized Catholic as infants but never received religious education, Confirmation, or First Eucharist.



*We look forward to meeting all who are interested!*



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# OUR MINISTRIES.

## OUR UPCOMING PASTORAL COMMISSION MEETINGS.

Our Pastoral Commissions are on hiatus in the month of August. Meetings will resume in September.

**Have a great summer!**

### **BLESSED TRINITY PARISH VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

**Parish Office** - Reception | Project Coordination

**Refugee Assistance** - Donation Sorting | Donation Delivering | Welcoming Visitors to Mass

**Adoration Chapel** - Adoration Hours Available

**St. Cecilia's Choir** - Funeral Choir | **Community Meals** - Baked Goods | Meal Volunteers

**Pastoral Ministry to the Sick & Homebound** - Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion |  
Visitors | Card Ministry

**Blessed Solanus Casey Food Pantry** - Stocking | Pantry Hour Coverage | Greeting

*If interested please contact the Parish Office 413-773-3311*

*"If you can't feed a hundred people, then feed just one."* - Mother Teresa

## OUR MINISTRIES – MAKING A DIFFERENCE.

Each week we will update how our growing Ministries are having a positive impact in our community while sharing our Catholic Faith by the caring of others.

**Community Meals:** Our team served 102 meals of Shepard's Pie, green beans, fruit, and a homemade dessert on July 27th!

**Homebound & Nursing Homes:** Currently we have 22 amazing volunteers visiting 49 homebound parishioners and 50 parishioners in nursing homes.

**Food Pantry (June):** Total Individuals served: 2,021 | New individuals: 42  
| Total households: 780

**Bread of Life - (June):** 40 meals, prepared by 12 of our 2023 Confirmation Class & family volunteers



**Interested in volunteering?**

Please contact us at the Parish Office 413.773.3311 or [office@blessedtrinitygreenfield.org](mailto:office@blessedtrinitygreenfield.org).

### **REFUGEE ASSISTANCE**



The Town of Greenfield Board of Health is no longer accepting donations for the refugee. A huge thank you to all our parishioners who donated. Through you we were able to provide much needed clothing, baby items, toiletries, and hygiene items to our community members in need.



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# OUR MINISTRIES.

## OPEN PARISH MEETINGS — 1 YEAR LATER.

Last Fall we had an incredible response to our Open Parish meetings shortly after Blessed Trinity Parish was formed. So many parishioners attended, shared their thoughts, ideas, concerns and suggestions. And you were heard.

**One Year later—how are we doing?** As we enter our second year, we invite you to prayerfully attend and continue to share your thoughts, concerns and ideas with the follow up series of open dialogue meetings. Come learn about our progress over the last 12-months with updates on what we have accomplished in our Ministries and our vision for the future. Please be a part of these important discussions as together we shape the future of our Parish. All meetings in our Pastoral Center Conference Room. ***Come be a part of shaping our future!***

**Wednesday, September 13—10:00 am | Thursday, September 14— 7:00 pm**

**Saturday, September 16— 11:00 am**



## PASTORAL COUNCIL FORMATION.

**Thank you to all** who have come forward to be a part of our newly formed Blessed Trinity Parish pastoral commissions this past year. Many ideas for these commissions and ministries were created from our initial Open Parish Meeting discussions last Fall to see what was working and what was needed to fill a void in our community. Next, we extended an invitation to all parishioners to come to the various newly-formed commission meetings to see who was interested in learning more and sharing ideas specific to that ministry. So many of you came forward to join these meetings and have contributed suggestions and followed through with actions. Based on those meetings we currently have expanded or created the following commissions:

∞ **Sick & Homebound | Homeless, Poor, & Hungry | Worship | Faith Formation | Hospitality (proposed)** ∞

**1-Year Later— Follow Up Open Parish Meetings.** In September we will be hosting several more Open Parish Meetings as a follow up to see how we are doing one year later. (See above.)

**Next Step—Selecting Council Members.** Our next step is to select Council Members from parishioner recommendations to form an advisory body known as the **Pastoral Council**. This Council advises the Pastor in his pastoral duty and is comprised of the 6 Commission Chairs, 6 At-Large Members, Ex-Officio staff (such as Deacons, Director of Religious Education, etc.) and 1 Youth Representative (H.S. Student). This body will come together to recommend and engage pastoral initiatives throughout Greenfield and coordinate the various Commissions. Its mission is to promote, deliberate, communicate, and advise on various aspects of parish life while encouraging the activity of our parish, its vitality, outreach, and discipleship in Christ. It is a way for each commission to understand and know what the other commissions are doing for a coordinated and cohesive effort for the Parish and report back to their members for streamlined communication.

**Effective Pastoral Council Members.** To be an effective councilor, members must share an understanding of and commitment to the mission. Canon law stipulates that pastoral council members should be Christians in full communion with the Catholic Church, and that they be outstanding in faith, morals, and prudence. A good mix of members will bring a range of personal and professional competencies that expand and enrich the knowledge and wisdom base of the council. Pastoral councils cannot function without people who are doers, willing to take responsibility and bring research, discussion, and pondering to a conclusion. The Church particularly prizes pastoral council members who have the ability to study a matter deeply, reflect on it thoroughly, and draw sound conclusions to be effective in fulfilling the council's mission. (*uscbb.org*)

**Once fully seated, the Pastoral Council will meet monthly and our first encounter is planned for October!**

**Looking for At-Large and Youth Pastoral Councilor Recommendations.** If you or someone you know might be a good fit for this Council, to serve on a three year term, please call or email Father Pierz or the Parish Office with your recommendations to this Council. The main role of a Pastoral Council member is to advise the Pastor and represent the views of all parishioners within the Parish and to listen to, and understand, the views and needs of different groups in the wider Greenfield community.



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## Mass Intentions

SATURDAY, August 12 — OUR RETIRED CLERGY

4:00 BSC SAINT JANE FRANCES DE CHANTAL  
IN MEMORY OF CHESTER & DOMENKA  
RODZWELL BARANOSKI, JOHN & NELLIE  
RODZWELL PERHONIC, PHILIP & ADELE  
RODZWELL BOURNE, & GERALD  
BARANOSKI — by the Gerald Baranoski  
Children Fund

SUNDAY, August 13— VOCATIONS, SEMINARIANS,  
AND DEACON CANDIDATES

8:00 HTC FRANCIS BRISSETTE — by the Family  
9:30 HTC ROBERT HOYNOSKI 6<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY — by  
his Wife & Children  
11:00 BSC SIMON FOLEY — by the Family

MONDAY, August 14 — FATHER ROACH

8:30 BSC SAINT MAXIMILIAN KOLBE, PRIEST & MARTYR  
JANET, MICHAEL, PETER, & RICK DUFRINE  
— by Doug & Joanne Brown

6:00 BSC Reverend W.H. Arnold — by Mary Fleury

TUESDAY, August 15—DEACON LEARY

**THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

8:30 BSC GRACE & BLESSINGS FATHER MATT HIMES  
— by Maureen Filiault  
12:05 HTC STEPHEN FLEURY — by the Family  
6:00 HTC MARK FLEURY — by the Family

WEDNESDAY, August 16—DEACON DECARLO

12:05 HTC SAINT STEPHEN OF HUNGARY  
FATHER THOMAS SCHMITT — by the  
Filiault Family

6:00 PAC RICK DUFRINE — by Deb & Greg Isles

THURSDAY, August 17—FATHER LISOWSKI

8:30 HTC MARTIN LEO & FRANCES B COYNE

FRIDAY, August 18—DEACON NOLAN

8:30 HTC RUSSEL F. ZRAUNIG—Mr. & Mrs. Michael  
Zraunig & Family

SATURDAY, August 19—DEACON BUCCI

4:00 BSC SAINT JOHN EUDES, PRIEST  
SPECIAL INTENTION FOR DORIS BESSETTE  
— by Mary Fleury

SUNDAY, August 20—BISHOP BYRNE

8:00 HTC ALECK & JENNIE KOWNACKI — by Steve &  
Kathy Melnik  
9:30 HTC FATHER PETER SULLIVAN — by Jane  
McDonough  
11:00 BSC LEARY FAMILIES — by Barbara Most

## NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**JULY 23, 2023**

Give eternal life, O Lord, to all our beloved dead.  
May they rest in peace! We remember in our prayers:

**Frances Fronckus | Willet “Bill” Forbes**

**Carole Ann Scanton**

## AUGUST 13-26



**BSC SANCTUARY CANDLE** is burning for **Jack Dutcher** - from Alec & Mary Anne Duda

**ADORATION CHAPEL CANDLES** will burn in memory/honor of:

1. **Special Intention** — by Anonymous
2. **Health & Blessings Theresa Shattuck**— by Claire Heath
3. **Jack Dutcher** — by Alec & Mary Anne Duda
4. **Patricia Duffey Earley**— from Robert Earley

**HTC 7-DAY CANDLE:** (Available)

*If you would like to burn a candle or donate flowers for a special occasion, in memory of a loved one or other intention, call the parish office at 773.3311*

## **FRENCH & SPANISH MASS**

Blessed Trinity Parish will  
be hosting a Mass  
celebrated in  
French and Spanish  
**August 27th**  
**at 12:30 pm**



at our Holy Trinity Church

## **MESSE EN FRANÇAIS ET EN ESPAGNOL**

Blessed Trinity Parish accueillera une messe célébrée à  
français et espagnol  
Le 27 août à 12h30 à notre Holy Trinity Church

## **MISA EN FRANCÉS Y ESPAÑOL**

Blessed Trinity Parish será anfitriona de una Misa celebrada  
en francés y español  
27 de agosto a las 12:30 horas en nuestra  
Holy Trinity Church



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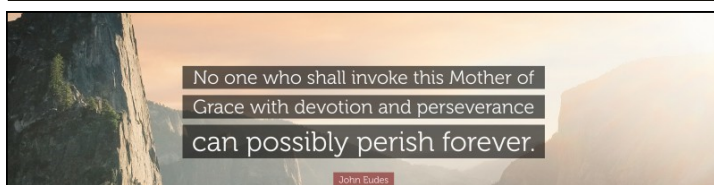
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## BLESSED TRINITY PARISH GIVING ENVELOPES ARE HERE!



By now you should have  
received your  
September/October  
Giving Envelopes.

If you have not, please  
reach out to the Parish  
Office.



## WEEKEND OF AUGUST 6, 2023

*"Pray, brethren, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to  
God, the almighty Father"*

Weekly Collection: \$5304

Fuel/Energy Collection: \$529

Maintenance Collection: \$222

*"May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and  
glory of His name, for our good and the good of His Holy Church."*

**Thank you for your generosity!**

**ANNUAL  
CATHOLIC  
APPEAL**

**Please consider making your donation today.**

**Contact 413-452-0670**

**or email [aca@diospringfield.org](mailto:aca@diospringfield.org)**

## UPCOMING COMMUNITY MEALS:

Thursday from 5-6pm on  
August 24

*Take out only at our Holy Trinity Church  
For more info, contact Kathy Melnik at 773.3311*

## ROSES FOR MARY PRAYER GROUP.

*Join us for prayer in our  
Perpetual Adoration Chapel*

**Each Monday at 6:30pm**



## THIS WEEK AT BLESSED TRINITY PARISH

MARK YOUR  
CALENDAR!



### Saturday August 12

**4:00 pm** Mass (BSC)

### Sunday August 13

**8 am** Mass (HTC) Confession: 30-minutes  
beforehand

**9:30 am** Mass (HTC) Confession: 30-minutes  
beforehand

**11:00 am** Mass (BSC) Confession: 30 minutes  
beforehand (Note: Priest availability can be limited  
with 9:30 am Mass at HTC.)

**12:00** Blessed Trinity Parish Anniversary Picnic

**2 pm** Franklin County Deanery Marian Celebration -  
Blessed Sacrament Church

### Monday August 14

**8:30 am** Mass (BSC)

**6:00 pm** Roses for Mary Prayer Group (PAC Mon.)

### Tuesday August 15

**8:30 am** Mass (BSC)

### Wednesday August 16

**11:30 am** Most Holy Rosary (HTC)

**12:05 am** Mass (HTC)

**5-5:45 pm** Confession (PAC)

**6:00 pm** Mass (PAC)

**7 pm** Holy Hour for the Sick & Dying-(PAC)

### Thursday August 17

**8:30 am** Mass (HTC)

### Friday August 18

**8:30 am** Mass (HTC)

### Saturday August 19

**2:30 pm—3:30 pm** Confession (BSC)

**4:00 pm** Mass (BSC)

### Sunday August 20

**8 am** Mass (HTC) Confession: 30-minutes beforehand

**9:30 am** Mass (HTC) Confession: 30-minutes  
beforehand

**11:00 am** Mass (BSC) Confession: 30 minutes  
beforehand (Note: Priest availability can be limited  
with 9:30 am Mass at HTC.)

## LIONEL M. MARTIN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP



Our Knights of Columbus Council  
#133 Lionel M. Martin Memorial  
Scholarship is open.

This scholarship is open to graduating  
high school seniors who are active in  
our parish and in their faith.

*Applications are available in the Parish Office.*



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# OUR PARISH.

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 13**

*A Day of Celebration!*

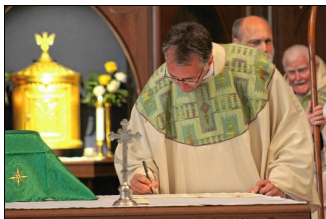


Join your fellow Blessed Trinity parishioners for a Parish Celebration with prayer and rejoicing of so many wonderful milestones! Festivities at Blessed Sacrament Church will begin at 12 noon following the 11 am Mass. Let us come together to celebrate with festivity and fellowship!

♦ **Franklin County Deanery Marian Day Celebration**—Blessed Trinity Parish is happy to be hosting the county-wide Marian Celebration. This beautiful service begins at 2 pm at Blessed Sacrament Church with a Rosary Procession.

**Celebrant** - Rev. Msgr. Ronald Yargeau | **Homilist** - Rev. Fr. Philippe Roux

♦ **50th Anniversary Jubilarians, our deanery's own, Monsignor Yargeau & Father Roux**— Offer congratulations to each as they mark a major milestone in their Priesthood journey and are our special participants of the Marian Celebration.



♦ **1 Year Anniversary of Blessed Trinity Parish & Father Pierz as our new Pastor.** On August 21, 2022 Father Pierz joined us as we merged Holy Trinity Church and Blessed Sacrament Church to become Blessed Trinity Parish.

♦ **1 Year Anniversary Parish Picnic— Fellowship | Lunch | Kid's Activities**

Join your fellow Blessed Trinity parishioners for a Parish BBQ following our 11:00 am Mass. Our Knights of Columbus will be cooking up Hamburgers and Hotdogs, and serving Potato Salad, Fruit Salad, Beverages, and more! Seating available—lawn chairs and picnic blankets encouraged!



♦ **Special Guests: Servants of the Lord & the Virgin of Matará.** 20 Novices and Postulants of young women religious will be joining our parish for 11am Mass and the day's festivities.

## Celebration Day Schedule:

**11 am Sunday Mass**— at Blessed Sacrament Church

**12-2 pm Parish Picnic**—outside on lawn of Pastoral Center (or inside if raining)

**12:45 pm – Confessions** will begin at 12:45 pm

**2 pm—Franklin County Deanery Marian Day Celebration**—Rosary Procession begins at 2 pm

*We look forward to seeing you there!*



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# AND MORE.

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Blessed Trinity **CRYPTOQUIP**

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**Saint Joseph Parish Fundraiser**

34 Monroe Avenue, Shelburne Falls, MA

**Saturday, August 19 (8 AM – 2 PM)**

**Sunday, August 20 (9 AM – Noon)**

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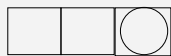
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**In order that obedience be  
supernatural it must not proceed  
from reason, but from faith.**

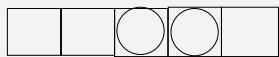
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Blessed Trinity **Jumble**

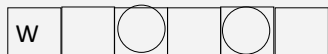
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Divine Worship engages the whole person in it's beauty, with sight and sound, taste, touch and even smell!

Our hearts and minds rise up to God with prayers ....

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