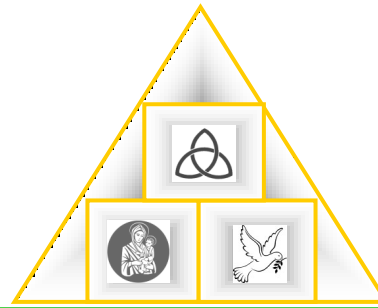


Holy Trinity Parish

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time October 27, 2024

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He threw aside his cloak, sprang up and came to Jesus. Jesus said to him in reply, "What do you want me to do for you?" The blind man replied to him, "Master, I want to see." Jesus told him, "Go your way; your faith has saved you." Immediately he received his sight and followed him on the way. Mk.10:50-52



HOLY MASS SCHEDULE					READINGS
Sat.	5:30PM	HT	Oct. 26	+Bernard Goihl	Eph 4:7-16 / Ps 122 / Lk 13:1-9
Sun.	8:45AM	SM	Oct. 27	+Cy and Mary Ellen Reding	Jer 31:7-9 / Ps 126 / Heb 5:1-6 / Mk 10:46-52
	10:30AM	SC		Parishioners	
Mon.	8:00AM	SM	Oct. 28	+Mrs. Edwin (Gladys) O'Reilly	Eph 2:19-22 / Ps 19 / Lk 6:12-16
Tue.	8:00AM	HT	Oct. 29	Anne Skalicky	Eph 5:21-33 / Ps 128 / Lk 13:18-21
Wed.	8:00AM	HT	Oct. 30	Shawn Frederixon	Eph 6:1-9 / Ps 145 / Lk 13:22-30
Thu.	9:00AM	SC	Oct. 31	+Ralph and Jeanelle McNamara	Eph 6:10-20 / Ps 144 / Lk13:31-35
Fri.	9:00AM	SM	Nov. 1	Pro Life Movement Parishioners	Rev 7:2-4, 9-14 / Ps 24 / 1Jn 3:1-3 / Matt 5:1-12a
	8:00PM	HT			
Sat.	9:00AM	SC	Nov. 2	Faithful Departed Parishioners	Wis 3:1-9 / Ps 23/ Rom 6:3-9 / Jn 6:37-40
	5:30PM	HT			
Sun.	8:45AM	SM	Nov. 3	+Norbert Frawley	Dt 6:2-6 / Ps 18 / Heb 7:23-28 / Mk 12:28b-34
	10:30AM	SC		All Souls in St. Columbkil Cemetery	

Mission: *We grow together in Christ.*

Welcome to our Parish Churches!



Holy Trinity Church (HT)
 211 4th Street North
 Goodhue, MN 55027



St. Columbkil Church (SC)
 36483 County 47 Boulevard
 Goodhue, MN 55027



St. Mary Church (SM)
 221 Chester Avenue
 Bellechester, MN 55027

From Father McCabe

This coming Friday, November 1, God calls us to celebrate All Saints Day, a Holyday of Obligation. Adoration/Confession will be offered at St. Mary, Bellechester, from 8:00-8:45AM with Solemn Mass at 9:00AM. Adoration/Confession will be offered at Holy Trinity, Goodhue, from 7:00 – 7:45PM with Solemn Mass at 8:00PM.

We will read from the Sermon on the Mount, Mt. 5:1-12a, but the Sermon continues to Mt. 7:27, and I highly recommend that you read and meditate on its entirety. It begins with the **Beatitudes** which Jesus lovingly gives to us as principles for growing in a personal relationship with God, and others.

The beatitudes guide us to a happier life on earth and to perfect happiness in heaven because we believe that God is a personal God, the divine King of the universe, who lovingly created each human in the divine image and likeness so that we can truly love God and others and love the truth of God's ways of happiness and holiness. Although by sin our intellect has been darkened and our free will weakened, we can still reflect on God and freely choose God because of the graces that Jesus Christ won for us by his suffering, death and resurrection to Eternal life.

Knowing this, and that we can assuredly receive sanctifying grace in the seven sacraments when we are well disposed by resolving to live God's Ten Commandments, we can better understand Christ's famous Sermon on the Mount.

“Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the Kingdom of heaven.” This first beatitude corresponds to and deepens the first commandment: **“I am the Lord your God, you shall have no other gods beside me.”**

When a person is poor in spirit, they enrich themselves by taking the Word of God to heart and are “blessed” by seeking the things of God through daily prayer, reading the Bible, and serving the Lord by helping others and sharing their faith journey with them.

“Blessed are they who mourn, for they will be comforted.” This sounds strange, yet this second beatitude corresponds with the second commandment of God, **“You shall not take God's name in vain.”** If you meditate on this beatitude, you discover that there are only two things that make a Christian sad: sin and its effects.

We call ourselves by Christ's name as Christians – followers of Christ – but our sins reveal that we are not always willing to follow him because of vanity. This makes us **“mourn,”** but as a practicing Christian we know that in Christ's name we can receive the grace to repent of our sins, assuredly by celebrating the Sacrament of Confession, and receiving forgiveness and **“comfort”** by resolving to sin no more, never giving up on his mercy.

This is how the saints lived. It was not that they never sinned, except for the Blessed Virgin Mary (“Hail, full of grace. The Lord is with you.” Lk. 1:28) but rather they persevered in seeking God's forgiveness, forgave others and grew in the divine virtues of faith, hope and love by living the beatitudes.

The third beatitude **“Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the land,”** corresponds to the third commandment, **“Remember to keep holy the Sabbath day.”** We **“remember”** to gather at church for weekend Mass as **“meek”** members of the Mystical Body of Christ. We worship God by offering our gifts and lives, to glorify God and to receive his natural and supernatural blessings for ourselves and our loved ones, living and deceased.

Not one family built and maintains our beautiful churches, ministries and cemeteries – this holy land – but

rather many “meek” laity and priests work together with their Bishop to bring about this land as God's gift to us, with the promise of inheriting the new land of heaven by living in a state of grace – sanctifying grace which holds to the Ten Commandments and strives to live the beatitudes.



The most difficult beatitude is the last, **“Blessed are you when they insult you and persecute you and utter every kind of evil against you falsely because of me. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven.”**

This beatitude corresponds with the last two of God's commandments: **“You shall not covet your neighbor's wife (spouse)”** and **“You shall not covet your neighbors' goods.”** Our tendency is to seek physical comfort instead of dying to self and opposing evil in the world by giving witness to the true teachings of Jesus Christ and his Catholic Church.

However, there are others like Christoph Probst (Nov. 6, 1919 – Feb. 22, 1943), a German medical student and father of three, who resisted Nazism – National Socialism. He grew up as an agnostic but was inspired by the principle of religious freedom and basic human rights that were under attack by the Nazis.

Some Catholics strongly opposed the Nazi socialists. Christoph joined a resistant group called “White Rose” which wrote and distributed leaflets against Nazi philosophy. He was caught and was executed in Munich, Germany.

Before his death Christoph called for a priest, was baptized, celebrated the Sacrament of Confession, and told the priest, “Now my death will be easy and joyful.” His youngest child was four weeks old.

We celebrate **All Saints Day** because we know that there are more Saints in heaven than just the most popular one's like St. Francis of Assisi, St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta and Pope St. John Paul the Second.

Christoph was probably tempted to “covet” the life of his neighbors who went along to get along with the Nazis who murdered Jews and others, but the love and truth of God and neighbor spurred him on to resist this evil.

Jesus said that all his followers will be salted with fire (Mk. 9:49). This fire is the gift of the Holy Spirit, the divine person of the Holy Trinity who sanctifies us, to make us holy unto Jesus Christ by carrying our cross with Christ. Those who suffer because of the evil they oppose in today's world can take Jesus' words to heart, as did his saints: **“Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven.”**

Peace through Jesus Christ and Mary,
Fr. Thomas McCabe

Jesus said, “I have come so that they might have life and have it abundantly.” Jn 10:10b

Thank you for helping pay the \$1,000 deductible for replacing stained vestments due to leaky roof at Holy Trinity. We have \$250 to go. Please note “HT Liturgy account” in memo. The roof is repaired. Thank you!

Catholic Mutual Group through the Archdiocese of St. Paul/Minneapolis will pick up the rest of the bill of about \$5,000.00.

News and Events

Catholic Daughter Court St. Mary Peter #1864 meets on Mon., Oct. 28 at Sts. Peter/Paul, Mazeppa at 6:30PM followed by a light meal at 7:00PM. All are welcome. Call Jeanette - 507-251-7269 with questions.

Singers Invited to sing the Litany of the Saints at Mass on Sun., Nov. 3 at 10:30AM at St. Columbkil. Contact Shannon at 651-301-5948 for rehearsal time.

Blessed and Broken: We all grow together. Join us with an open heart on Mondays, twice a monthly at 5:00PM at St. Mary, Bellechester beginning Mon., Oct. 28. Contact Denise Voth 651-380-8773 or Diane Ryan 651-380-1385.

Appalachian Christmas Mission: This is the last weekend to donate gifts. Individual gift items or several items put together in shoe boxes. **NEW ITEMS ONLY PLEASE.** Want to send money? Addresses for the churches on the posters. Questions? Call Marlys McNamara 651-923-5117 or Mary Jo McNamara. Thank you!

Holy Trinity Parish Annual Financial Report 2023-2024: Thank you for your generous support! Copies of the annual report are posted near the Church entrances. Summary: each church met their budgetary goal, although we are short a parish maintenance/custodial part time person, and have no money set aside for deferred maintenance. In August we replaced the main roof at St. Mary and tarred a small roof section at Holy Trinity, **but these are not included in this report** because the new financial year began in July. However, the \$16,000.00 flat roof repair at St. Mary is included. St. Mary's financial outlook is good because the investment income from the Beulah Wahlin Estate offset this repair. This generous estate gift also paid for the \$70,000.00 roof replacement at St. Mary, which will be on the next annual report. The interior repairs at St. Mary because of past water damage will cost approximately \$38,000.00, but Catholic Mutual Group through the Archdiocese will pick up that bill, except for a \$2,000.00 deductible. Please consider gifting Holy Trinity Parish in your estate planning. Thank you and God bless you!

Financial Report July 1, 2024 to September 30, 2024	Holy Trinity	St. Columbkil	St. Mary
Income	12,116.13	23,732.92	29,814.69
Expense	18,568.46	20,998.38	87,930.91*
Net	-6,452.33	2,734.54	-58,116.22
Budgeted Income	19,931.25	21,793.75	23,655.50
Budgeted Expense	19,898.75	21,701.25	23,622.50
Budgeted Net	32.50	92.50	33.00

*Included in St. Mary expenses is a one-time \$70,000 roof repair.



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Father Augustine Maria of the Blessed Sacrament therealpresence.org

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Please pray for: Marcy Dilworth, Susan Brown, Margaret Wagner, Maxine Ryan, Ed Heppelmann, Anne Merry, Ray Poncelet, Dave Buck, Scott Cyert, Jerry Joe Majerus, Louise Heppelmann, Brent Hokanson, Anne Skalicky, Neil Stehr, Jen Berg, Marge Majerus, Shawn Frederixon, Gabe Ryan, Laura Luhman, Colten Zimbar, Ryan Zorn, Beth Carlson, Chuck Havrilla, Randy Nardinger, Wilma Seither and Linda Bowar.

Calendar/Events

Sat., Oct. 26	HT	4:45-5:20PM	Sacrament of Confession
Sun., Oct. 27	SM	8:20-8:40AM	Sacrament of Confession
Mon., Oct. 28	SM	6:30-9:00PM	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Wed., Oct. 30	HT	9:00AM-2:00PM	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Wed., Oct. 30	HT	2:15-3:30PM 7:25-8:35PM	Faith Formation Class Grades 1-6 Faith Formation Class Grades 7-12
Thur., Oct. 31	SC	8:00-8:45AM	Adoration / Confession
Fri., Nov. 1	HT	7:00-7:45PM	Adoration / Confession
Sat., Nov. 2	SC	8:00-8:45AM	Adoration / Confession
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Sun., Nov. 3	SM	8:20-8:40AM	Sacrament of Confession

**Holy Trinity Church
(HT) Collection:**
10/19: \$ 570.00

**St. Columbkil Church
(SC) Collection:**
10/20: \$1077.00

**St. Mary Church
(SM) Collection:**
10/20: \$1932.00



Behold the Lamb of God!

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Mondays at St. Mary from 6:30-9:00PM, Wednesdays at Holy Trinity from 9:00AM-2:00PM, and Thursdays at St. Columbkil from 8:00AM-9:00AM (unless otherwise noted). Come and spend some time with Jesus!

Weekend Ministry Schedule

Church	Role	October 26/27	November 2/3
HT: Saturday 5:30PM Oct. 26 & Nov. 2	Musician	Wanda Schafer	Wanda Schafer
	Cantor	Katie Ludwig	Aurora Wiskow
	Lector	Loretta Froyum	
	Servers	Brynn and Nora Frederick	
SM: Sunday 8:45am Oct. 27 & Nov. 3	Musician	Wanda Schafer	Wanda Schafer
	Cantor	Taylor Dowden	
	Lector	John Huneke	Pat Mensink
	Servers	Henry, Noah and Maya Keller	Isaac Ryan, Cooper Utley, Danny Keller
SC: Sunday 10:30am Oct. 27 & Nov. 3	Musician	Cindy Eppen	Cindy Eppen
	Cantor	Eleanor O'Reilly	Shannon Dicke
	Lector	Michael Poncelet	Pam Altendorf
	Servers	Brady and Liahna McNamara	Jay Roschen, Derek Stehr

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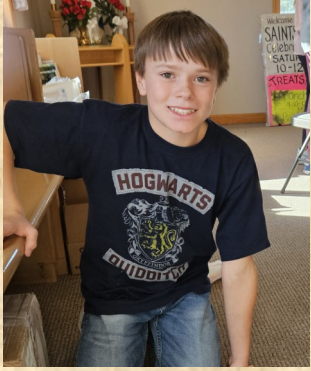


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