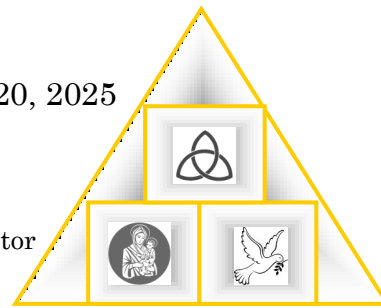


Holy Trinity Parish

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord April 20, 2025

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Baptism: Call at least 3 months before the birth to attend a class and set a date.
First Penance/Eucharist: Register for 1st grade catechism classes in preparation.
Confirmation: Register as soon as possible in the fall since there are requirements including weekly attendance at Mass.
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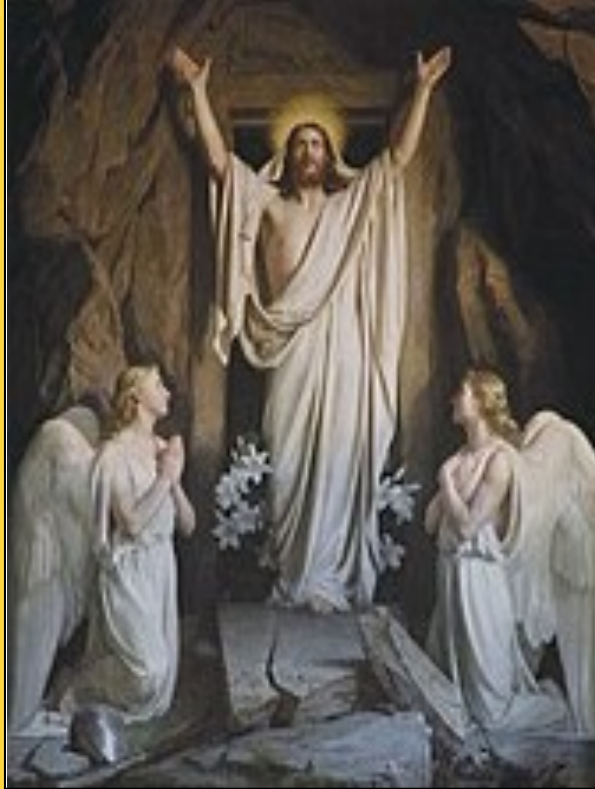
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At daybreak on the first day of the week the women who had come from Galilee with Jesus took the spices they had prepared and went to the tomb. They found the stone rolled away from the tomb; but when they entered, they did not find the body of the Lord Jesus... Two men in dazzling garments appeared to them... They said to them, "Why do you seek the living one among the dead? He is not here, but he has been raised. Remember what he said to you while he was still in Galilee, that the Son of Man must be handed over to sinners and be crucified, and rise on the third day."
 - Luke 24:1-7

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE					READINGS
Sat.	8:30PM	HT	April 19	Easter Vigil/Parishioners	Gn 1:1-2:2; Gn 22:1-18, Ex 14:15:1, Ez. 36:16-17a, 18-28 Rom 6:3-11; Ps 118:1-2, 16ab-17, 22-23; Lk 24:1-12
Easter Sun.	8:45AM	SM	April 20 (Octave of Easter)	+Ray & LaWanda Keller	Acts. 10:34a, 37-43; Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23; Col 3:1-4; Jn 20:1-9
	10:30AM	SC		Amy Feely	
Mon.	8:00AM	SM	April 21	+Joseph Keller	Acts 2:14-22-33; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11; Mt 28:8-15
Tue.	8:00AM	HT	April 22	David and Sheila Sullivan	Acts 2:36-41 Ps 33:4-5, 18-20, 22; Jn 20:11-18
Wed.	8:00AM	HT	April 23	+John Carlson	Acts 3:1-10; Ps 105:1-4, 6-9; Lk 24:13-35
Thu.	9:00AM	SC	April 24	+Chris Donner	Acts 3:11-26; Ps 8:2a, 5-9; Lk 24:35-48
Fri.	8:30PM	HT	April 25	Confirmation Candidates	Acts 4:1-12; Ps 118:1-2, 4, 22-27a; Jn 21:1-14
Sat.	5:30PM	HT	April 26	Parishioners	Acts 4:13-21; Ps 118:1, 14-15b, 16-21; Mk 16:9-15
Sun.	8:45AM	SM	April 27 (End Octave)	+Norbert Frawley	Sat. PM/Sun. AM: Acts 5:12-16; Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24; Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19; Jn 20:19-31
	10:30AM	SC		+Elizabeth Gorman	

Mission: *We grow together in Christ.*

Welcome to our Parish Churches!



Holy Trinity Church (HT)
 211 4th Street North
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St. Columbkille Church (SC)
 36483 County 47 Boulevard
 Goodhue, MN 55027



St. Mary Church (SM)
 221 Chester Avenue
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From Father McCabe

Jesus Christ is risen, from the dead, Alleluia!

We rejoice that thirteen student disciples have prepared for the reception of the Sacrament of Confirmation which initiates them into the fullness of the Catholic faith. Confirmation will be celebrated at the ***Cathedral of St. Paul, Saturday, April 26, 10:00 AM***. Since many other parishes are present, only the immediate family can attend, but let us pray for these candidates who are in the final stage of preparation: Dominic Bartholome, Jack Buck, Brody Doerhoefer, Nora Frederick, Ellie Jennings, Stephanie Jimenez-Saldana, Toby Lodermeier, Brady McNamara, Jesenia Monjaraz, Patrick O'Reilly, Cody Ryan, Tim Strauss and Aaron Cruz.

On Holy Thursday Archbishop Hebda celebrated the Chrism Mass at the Cathedral of St. Paul. At this Mass the priests of the Archdiocese renew their priestly vows, and the Archbishop consecrates the Holy Oils used in the sacraments: The *Oil of the Infirm* is used in the Sacrament of the Sick and Dying; the *Holy Oil (Oil of the Catechumens)* is used as a sacramental before an infant or adult is baptized; and the *Sacred Chrism* is used at Baptism, Confirmation, Ordination and the consecration of altars and church buildings.

We read in the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* about the importance of the Sacrament of Confirmation:

1306: Every baptized person not yet confirmed [Catholic] can and should receive the sacrament of Confirmation. Since Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist [reception of Holy Communion] form a unity, it follows that "the faithful are obliged to receive this sacrament at the appropriate time," for without Confirmation and Eucharist, Baptism is certainly valid and efficacious, but Christian initiation remains incomplete.

1307: For centuries, Latin custom has indicated "the age of discretion" as the reference point for receiving Confirmation. But in danger of death children should be confirmed even if they have not yet attained the age of discretion.

1308: Although Confirmation is sometimes called the "sacrament of Christian maturity," we must not confuse adult faith with the adult age of natural growth, nor forget that the baptismal grace is a grace of free, unmerited election and does not need "ratification" to become effective. St. Thomas [Aquinas, STh, III, 72,* ad 2: cf. Wis 4:8] reminds us of this:

Age of body does not determine age of soul. Even in childhood man can attain spiritual maturity: as the book of Wisdom says: "For old age is not honored for length of time, or measured by number of years." Many children, through the strength of the Holy Spirit they have received, have bravely fought for Christ even to the shedding of their blood.

1309: *Preparation* for Confirmation should aim at leading the Christian toward a more intimate union with Christ and a more lively familiarity with the Holy Spirit – his actions, his gifts and his biddings – in order to be more capable of assuming the apostolic responsibilities of Christian life. To this end catechesis for Confirmation should strive to awaken a sense of belonging to the [Catholic] Church of Jesus Christ, the universal Church as well as the parish community. The latter bears special responsibility for the preparation of confirmands.

1310: To receive Confirmation one must be in a state of grace. One should receive the sacrament of Penance in order to be cleansed for the gift of the Holy Spirit. More intense prayer should prepare one to receive the strength and graces of the Holy Spirit with docility and readiness to act.

Jubilee Year 2025: Pilgrims of Hope

1313: *In the Latin Rite*, the ordinary minister of Confirmation is the [Catholic] bishop. If the need arises, the bishop may grant the faculty of administering Confirmation to priests, although it is fitting that he confer it himself, mindful that the celebration of Confirmation has been temporally separated from Baptism for this reason. Bishops are the successor of the apostles. They have received the fullness of the sacrament of Holy Orders. The administration of this sacrament by them demonstrates clearly that its effect is to unite those who receive it more closely to the [Catholic] Church, to her apostolic origins, and to her mission of bearing witness to Christ.



1315: "Now when the apostles at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had received the word of God, they sent to them Peter and John, who came down and prayed for them that they might receive the Holy Spirit; for it had not yet fallen on any of them, but they had only been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus. Then they laid their hands on them and they received the Holy Spirit." (Acts 8:14-17)

1316: Confirmation perfects Baptismal grace; it is the sacrament which gives the Holy Spirit in order to root us more deeply in the divine filiation, incorporate us more firmly into Christ, strengthen our bond with the Church, associate us more closely with her mission, and help us bear witness to the Christian faith in words accompanied by deeds.

1319: A candidate for Confirmation who has attained the age of reason must profess the [Catholic] faith, be in the state of grace, have the intention of receiving the sacrament, and be prepared to assume the role of disciple and witness to Christ, both within the ecclesial community and in temporal affairs.

Some may wonder, "Maybe I wasn't in the state of grace when I was confirmed. What then?" Catholic theology suggests that once a person celebrates a good confession (repenting of mortal sin by confessing the kind and number to the best of one's ability and intending to live a devoted life) the Holy Spirit becomes activated in a powerful way whereby they have a greater understanding and zeal to live their faith by sharing the Good News by following Jesus Christ in his Catholic Church – the certain path to Eternal Life and Perfect Happiness.

Please note that the Divine Mercy devotions will be offered at Church of St. Michael, Pine Island, on Sunday, April 27, 1:00-4:00PM with confessions starting around 2:00PM.

Catholic Young Adults (age 18-45+) will gather for social/potluck, presentation and prayer, Sunday, April 27, at Holy Trinity Church from 6:30-9:00 PM, with Bjorn Otterness giving a testimony of how Jesus Christ is working in his life. RSVP to frmccabe@bevcomm.net to share what you will bring and who.

Peace in the Risen Christ,

Fr. Thomas McCabe

"Jesus in the Tabernacle protects me against all my enemies, evil spirits, the world, my own wicked passions and evil inclinations. He is my support in weakness, my comfort in suffering, my weapon in combat, my refreshment in heat, food for my hungry soul, my stimulus when I am exhausted. He is my Heaven on earth." - St. Ignatius of Loyola



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News and Events

HT/SC CCW Meeting: **Date change** on our next CCW Meeting for Holy Trinity & St Columbkil - April 30, 7pm at Third Place in Goodhue. Hostess SC - Marlys McNamara; Lunch- Regina Poncelet, HT: Judy Lodermeier, Bev Mancilman. Program will be discussion & voting on merging Holy Trinity & St Columbkil CCW, followed by reorganization of CCW group as one with new officers and other changes to strengthen our CCW. Bring your thoughts, talents and enjoy this wonderful group of ladies.

Leone Arendt burial: May 3, at 11:45 AM at St. Mary's Cemetery. She was the wife of Frank Arendt (son of Dorothy and Walter Arendt). Lunch will be served afterwards at the Bellechester Community Center.

Thank Mom for Life plants for Mother's Day: With abortions rising 39 percent in just two years in our state, MCCL (MN Citizens Concerned for Life) is committed to changing the culture and rebuilding a pro-life Minnesota-and they are doing it through expanded outreach, social media, presentations and youth events, and so much more. One way to impact our culture for Life is by honoring Moms! That's what MCCL's annual Mother's Day Project is all about, and we need your help. Thank Mom for life on Mother's Day, with a plant with a "Thanks Mom for Life" button attached. Begonias and African Violet plants and Mini Rose bushes will be available at all Masses on Mother's Day weekend, May 10 and 11. Suggested donation for the Begonias and Violets is \$8.00 and the Mini Rose bush, \$10.00. This project honors Moms and raises funds to save precious lives by furthering pro-life efforts. (Donations are **not** tax deductible for income tax purposes.)

Money counters needed: Please contact the office if willing to help count weekend collections on a rotating schedule. Counters are especially needed at Holy Trinity. Background check required.

We need your donations! Garage Sale-Free Will Donation, Bake Sale, & Food Stand. Holy Trinity/St. Columbkil/St. Mary. When: Thursday & Friday, May 15 & 16, from 8a.m.-4p.m.; Saturday, May 17, from 8-10a.m. at Holy Trinity. What to donate: Gently used items. Examples: men, women, and children's clothing and shoes; bedding; linens; books; sewing and craft items; kitchen items; toys; baby items; sporting goods; tools; religious items; small appliances; holiday décor; dishes; glassware; baskets; etc. We will not be able to accept large appliances, cribs, car seats, computers, air conditioners, TVs, or upholstered furniture. Proceeds to benefit our Youth Faith Formation. If you would like your items picked up in advance, or have questions, call Eva Diercks at 651-923-4584.

Movie Night! This Easter season, enjoy a movie with family. *The King of Kings* is about a father who tells his son the greatest story ever told, and what begins as a bedtime tale becomes a life-changing journey. Through vivid imagination, the boy walks alongside Jesus, witnessing His miracles, facing His trials, seeing His ultimate sacrifice. Produced by Angel Studios; PG. Check online for showtimes.

Jubilee Year Indulgence/Cathedral Guided Tour: Let's visit the Cathedral of St. Paul for a special Jubilee Year Indulgence! Friday, May 9, Mass at HT 9:00 am (**optional**), brunch after Mass at the Goodhue Depot (**optional, your expense**), Coach Bus boards at 11:45 am at Holy Trinity parking lot (\$10 per person, families no more than \$50) and departs at 12:00 for Cathedral Guided Tour which begins at 2:00 pm for about 1 hour. Coach Bus returns to HT around 4:30 pm. 9 spaces available. RSVP to parish office by May 1! Anonymous donor subsidized the bus fee.

PT Maintenance/Custodial Position: At least age 21, with a MN Driver's License can apply. A practicing Catholic is preferred, since no employee of the Catholic Church can be a counter witness to the Church. Up to 6 hours per week, \$14-\$17/hr. depending on skill. Snow removal before office hours, Masses and Faith Formation classes and other events at HT; grounds care, maintain riding mower, some custodial and maintenance work at each church. Call Fr. McCabe at 651-923-4472 by April 30 and provide references. The Essential 3 Safe Environment program (background check, Code of Conduct and VIRTUS training) will need to be completed.



Wishing all parishioners a most blessed and joyful Easter Season!

Please pray for: Bob Eppen, Diane Ryan, Wanda Schafer, 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, Ryan Zorn, Beth Carlson, Chuck Havrilla, Randy Nardinger, Amy Feely, Alan Gadiant, Roy Goranson, Susan Brown, Jocelyn O'Reilly.

Holy Trinity is dedicated to protecting children and vulnerable adults. Volunteers serving with minors and vulnerable adults must complete requirements before engaging in ministry. Contact: holytrinitygoodhue@gmail.com.

The Holy Father's Prayer Intention for April 2025:

For the use of the new technologies

Let us pray that the use of the new technologies will not replace human relationships, will respect the dignity of the person, and will help us face the crises of our times.

Calendar/Events

Mon., April 21	SM	6:30-9:00 PM	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Wed., April 23	HT	9:00AM-2:00 PM	Adoration with Benediction at 2:00 PM
Wed., April 23	HT	2:15-3:30 PM	Grades 1-6 Faith Formation Class
Wed., April 23	HT	7:25-8:35 PM	Grades 7-12 Faith Formation Class
Thurs., April 24	SC	8:00-8:45 AM	Adoration/Confession (Daily Mass 9:00 AM)
Fri., April 25	HT	6:00PM	Confirmation Prep Night
Sat., April 26	Cathedral	10:00AM	Confirmation
Sat., April 26	HT	4:45-5:20 PM	Sacrament of Confession

**Holy Trinity Church
(HT) Collection:**
4/12: \$ 5,360.00

**St. Columbkil Church
(SC) Collection:**
4/13: \$ 921.00

**St. Mary Church
(SM) Collection:**
4/13: \$ 944.00



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	April 19/20	April 26/27
HT: Saturday 8:30PM April 19 & 5:30PM April 26	Musician	8:30 PM Eileen Frischmon	Cindy Eppen
	Cantor	Michelle Matthees	Katie Ludwig
	Lector	Loretta Froyum/Lily Peterson	Karin Albers
	Servers	Letta, Aubriel, Oleana, Stuart O'Reilly	
SM: Sunday 8:45am April 20 & 27	Musician	Wanda Schafer	Wanda Schafer
	Cantor	Taylor Dowden	Cathy O'Reilly
	Lector	Taylor Buck	Patricia Mensink
	Servers	Addy and Will Poncelet, Derek Stehr, Cooper Utley	Isaac Ryan, Cooper Utley
SC: Sunday 10:30am April 20 & 27	Musician	Cindy Eppen	Cindy Eppen
	Cantor	Eleanor O'Reilly	Joel Hernke
	Lector	JJ O'Reilly	Ann Buck
	Servers	Patrick, Francis, Phillip O'Reilly	Brady and Liahna McNamara, Corbin Jaeger

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Recent Events

Fifth and sixth grade students participate in a Passover meal reenactment during Faith Formation class, along with teachers Teresa Buck and Katie Ludwig.



*The Holy Trinity
Mission Quilters
have been busy!*

*Numerous quilts
were sewn in recent
months, and blessed
by Fr. McCabe on
April 5. They are
being donated to
those in need.*



**Father McCabe making a home visit to
Betty and Albert Miller.**