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<u>MASS SCHEDULE AT BLESSED TRINITY</u>		
<u>WEEKEND</u>		
Saturday	4:00 pm and 6:00 pm	
Sunday	7:10 am, 8:45 am, 11:00 am 1:00pm Spanish, 5:00 pm Life Teen	
<u>DAILY</u>		
Mon-Fri	7:10 am and 5:30 pm	
Wednesday	8:15 am (follows school schedule)	
Thursday	6:30 pm (Spanish)	
Saturday	8:00am	
Reconciliation	Saturday	2:45-3:30 pm 5:00-5:30pm

<u>MASS SCHEDULE AT OUR MISSION CHURCHES</u>	
<u>WEEKEND</u>	
Saturday	7:00 pm at Christ the King (Spanish)
Sunday	10:15 am at Christ the King 7:00pm at La Guadalupana (Spanish)
<u>DAILY</u>	
Tuesday	7:00pm at La Guadalupana (Spanish)
Wednesday	4:00 pm at Christ the King 4:00 pm at Holy Days of Obligation

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PARISH LIFE

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BAPTISM: We are pleased to help your family prepare for the special event of your child's entrance into our faith community. To help parents and godparents prepare, a class (English) is held the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:30pm in the Community Center and in Spanish the 2nd Saturday of each month at 9:00am at Guadalupana. Parents and Godparents must attend this class prior to scheduling baptism.

MARRIAGES: If you are planning to be married at Blessed Trinity, your preparation process should begin at least four (4) months prior to desired date. We look forward to helping you during your time of engagement and preparation for the vocation of Christian marriage. Call the Church Office for an appointment with one of our priests.

SICK CALLS AND HOSPITAL VISITS: If you or a family member are in a local hospital or homebound and would like to receive Communion or Sacrament of the Sick, please call the Church Office at 629.8092 or Sister Juliet at x3211. When registering at the hospital, put your name on the Catholic List.

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STEWARDSHIP

POTENTIAL

A STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

In today's second reading, Saint Paul gives us reason to hope for a wondrous future beyond our imagination. He preaches this hope amidst the suffering of the early Christian communities. "Brothers and sisters: I consider that the sufferings of this present time are as nothing compared with the glory to be revealed for us" (Romans 8:18). Good stewards realize that by remaining faithful to the Gospel with persistence, fervor and endurance, our hope in the promises of Christ Jesus will be rewarded. Reflect this week on concrete ways you can remain faithful to the Gospel during these challenging times.

STEWARDS OF THE WEEK

Kirstin Gummerson & Family

The Adopt A Parking Lot Island Ministry would like to thank Kirstin and her family for spending so much of their time and talent helping to keep Blessed Trinity looking so beautiful!

Thank you for being faithful stewards!

New Parishioners:

Baptisms:

Eleina Rosamarie Schanel

Emilio Manuel Santiago

In today's Gospel from Matthew, Jesus shares the familiar Parable of the Sower. It is a powerful image for the stewardship way of life, demonstrating the gradual but transformative effect that a life centered on God can have on us over time.

In the parable, some seed falls on a path where birds quickly carry it away. Other seed falls on rocky ground, where it begins to grow but cannot develop deep roots. Still more seed falls among thorns that eventually choke the young plants.

Finally, some seed falls on rich, fertile soil and produces an abundant harvest. Jesus explains that the seed is the Word of God, generously scattered for all to receive. The question is whether our hearts are prepared to receive it and allow it to take root. This is where the stewardship way of life comes in. When we offer our time, talent, and treasure to God and place Him first in our lives, we help create the "good soil" needed for the Kingdom to flourish within us.

Stewardship removes the "rocks" of mistrust as we grow in confidence that God will provide for our needs. It clears away the "thorns" of worldly concerns that can distract us from what matters most. Through prayer, the sacraments, and generous service, the soil of our lives is continually nourished and renewed.

Let us deepen our commitment to this way of life, allowing the Divine Sower to do His work within us. In time, He will produce an abundant harvest through our lives.



WORSHIP

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Venezuela Disaster Relief

We are called to assist our brothers and sisters in Venezuela who are faced with the loss of their loved ones, their worldly possessions and economic livelihood due to the recent 7.2 and 7.5-magnitude twin earthquakes. The death toll has risen to over 1,400 people and there are still ongoing efforts to rescue those that are trapped in the rubble. We offer our prayers to all the families affected by these disasters and pray for the repose of the souls whose lives were taken.

In solidarity with our brothers and sisters, we ask you to participate this weekend, July 11/12, in this disaster relief. The funds collected in this special appeal will be used to support the efforts of the official relief agencies of the U.S. Catholic Church, Catholic Charities USA and Catholic Relief Services, as they and their local agencies respond to immediate emergency needs for such necessities as water, food, shelter, and medical care, and aid in long-term rebuilding and recovery efforts; and the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops for pastoral and reconstruction needs of the church.

New Youth Director Needed!

The Youth Ministry Director is responsible for fostering the spiritual growth of our parish youth by developing, organizing, and leading programs, events, and activities that encourage young people to deepen their relationship with Christ and actively participate in the life of the Church.

We are now open to accepting applications for parish youth director. If anyone needs a job description, please call Kathryn or Melinda at the church office.

Collection for The Catholic University of America

This collection provides funding for academic scholarships at The Catholic University of America in Washington, DC in response to the commitment made by the bishops at its foundation in 1887.

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The collection will be next weekend, July 18/19.

GIFT SHOP NEWS

Happy 250th Birthday USA

The BT gift shop has a few "Red, White and Blue" items to choose from to continue to showcase your American patriotism throughout the summer and beyond!

Be sure to stop by to pick up the latest devotional reading monthly magazine. This is an especially great time to get "The Word Among Us" because this edition is 2 months for the price of one!

The gift shop is open Saturdays before the evening Masses and Sundays after the morning Masses based on volunteer availability.

Also open on
Wednesday July 22nd,
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French Boys Choir Concert




St Theresa's Catholic Church will be hosting
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Peace & Social Justice

We are selling **FAIR TRADE** coffee, tea, cocoa, and olive oil this weekend after Mass. Through **FAIR TRADE** small scale farmers are better able to support their families and stay on their land with better income and support from their local co-operatives. As members of a democratically run co-operative, framers gain control of their own livelihoods and make strides together in agriculture quality control. They improve their communities by making investments in education, health programs, and social services. Thank you for purchasing these products after Mass this weekend.



We Need Slide Operators!

We need some new slide operators for the weekend Masses. Please see Colleen Rabe at the end of any Mass to sign-up! Or call me in the church office at 352.629.8092 or email crabe@blessedtrinity.org

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Mass times:

Saturday 4pm (critical need for slide operators)

Saturday 6pm

Sunday 7:10am

Sunday 8:45am

Sunday 11am (critical need for slide operators)

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK

Wis 12:13, 16-19

Rom 8:26-27

Mt 13:24-43

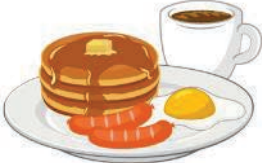


Knights of Columbus Breakfast

The Knights of Columbus invites you to attend the breakfast after the 7:10 and 8:45 Masses on the second Sunday of each month. Our next one will be this Sunday, July 12.

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Pope Leo XIV's Monthly Prayer Intentions

July

For respect for human life



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July 11 / 12: In memory of Librada Porciuncula from her family

July 18 / 19:

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Lord Jesus, You invite me to be near You. In the stillness of Adoration, You want to speak to my heart. Help me to respond with love and trust. Show me the hour you are asking of me and give me the grace to offer it freely and faithfully. May this small gift of time draw me closer to Your Sacred Heart. Amen

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Tuesday, July 14	7:10am	Bob Leger †
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Wed, July 15	7:10am	John & Ceil Wisneski †
	5:30pm	Margaret Clark †
Thursday, July 16	7:10am	Ssemudo Family L/D
	5:30pm	Blakelee Marie Baker †
Friday, July 17	7:10am	Sisters of IHMR L/D
	5:30pm	Machico Matsabura †
Saturday, July 18	8:00am	Emilio & William Canganelli †
	4:00pm	Mary & Ted Gureczny †
	6:00pm	Charlene Bethea †
Sunday, July 19	7:10am	Brian, Scott, Craig & Gary Wicks †
	8:45am	Jane Kearns †
	11:00am	Anton Saad †
	1:00pm	Spanish Community
	5:00pm	Daryl Robinson †

Please pray for all those who have recently passed away.

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Weekend of July 11-12

No Life Night after Life Teen Mass July 12.



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Weekend Total:	418	\$ 21,006.26
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Loose Cash / Votives Total:		\$ 1,622.00
School Mass Offering:		\$ 0.00
Non Sunday:	56	\$ 8,466.00
Grand Total for Week:		\$ 77,126.75
Amount needed for Operating Expenses:		\$ 85,791.00
Difference		(\$8,664.25)

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Christians must be stewards of their personal vocations, for it is these that show how, according to the circumstances of their individual lives, God wants them to cherish and serve a broad range of interests and concerns: life and health, along with their own intellectual and spiritual well-being and that of others; material goods and resources; the natural environment; the cultural heritage of humankind—indeed, the whole rich panoply of human goods, both those already realized and those whose realization depends upon the present generation or upon generations yet to come. Catholics have a duty, too, to be stewards of their church: that community of disciples, that Body of Christ, of which they, individually and together, are the members, and in which”...if one part suffers, all the parts suffer with it; if one part is honored, al the parts share its joy” (1 Cor 12:26).

Stewardship includes sharing one’s gifts and blessings with the church, and much more. The more we share this great call to live and grow as stewards in all aspects of our lives, the greater the likelihood that people of all ages and stages of life and faith will hear the call and enthusiastically respond to it.

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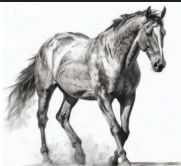
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