

## From the Pastor

Dear Parishioners,

As the school year comes to an end, our Religious Education Program has finished. Each Wednesday night middle and high school students attended the classes. They desired to learn more about their faith in the presence of their peers. To accomplish this massive effort, we needed several dedicated Catechists. I thank all of you for your commitment and dedication. Our Religious Education program is the second largest ministry we perform at Precious Blood. God bless our students and catechists.

Another group is our largest ministry at Holy Trinity Catholic School, our regional SCHOOL. I am so proud you were awarded the Four Star award. The dedication of parents, students and teachers is amazing. We are blessed in deed. As I walked through the halls the last few weeks I was humbled by the children's actions. As I walked from one classroom to the next I heard one child after another giving thanks. Oh "I love the food here," "we have the best teachers," and "I enjoy going to Mass." Just the other day I heard one of the teachers giving thanks for Holy Trinity and the parents that send their children to school here. These are people who enjoy life and they are a blessing to be around. God bless our students and teachers.

Having said all that I am ready for a break, but in June I miss the hustle and bustle of kids. Precious Blood is fortunate to host a school on our Parish Campus. It adds a level to Parish life. Today I give thanks to all who support our Religious Education program and Holy Trinity Catholic School. God bless all our graduates, grade school, high school and college.

Sincerely,

Fr. Gary



## Stewardship of Treasure

Collection for May 19/20	\$	16,602
Amount Needed Each Week:	\$	15,598
(Shortfall) / Over This Sunday:	\$	1,004
(Shortfall) / Over Year-To-Date:	\$	16,012
Children's Weekly Collection:	\$	0
Children's Year-To-Date:	\$	69
Adoration Chapel:	\$	407

### Trivia Question

(questions & answers are from *The Great Catholic Trivia Challenge* by Claire Mary Smith)

How many books make up the New Testament and how many make up the Old Testament?

- A) NT 27, OT 46
- B) NT 4, OT 64
- C) NT 17, OT 4
- D) NT 103, OT 6
- E) NT 7, OT 446

### Pope Francis' Monthly Intention

*The Mission of the Laity*

That the lay faithful may fulfill their specific mission, by responding with creativity to the challenges that face the world today.



# THE MOST HOLY TRINITY



## Weekly Readings and Mass Intentions

### Saturday, May 26

Reading: *Jas 5:13-20; Mk 10:13-16*  
4:00 p.m. Virgil Burger (A)

### Sunday, May 27

Reading: *Dt 4:32-34, 39-40; Rom 8:14-17; Mt 28:16-20*  
8:00 a.m. Paul Messmer  
10:30 a.m. People of the Parish

### Monday, May 28

Reading: *1 Pt 1:3-9; Mk 10: 17-27*  
No Mass

### Tuesday, May 29

Reading: *1 Pt 1:10-16; Mk 10:28-31*  
\* 8:30 a.m. Robert L. Berg (A)

### Wednesday, May 30

Reading: *1 Pt 1:18-25; Mk 10:32-45*  
8:00 a.m. Arnold Mehringer

### Thursday, May 31

Reading: *Zep 3:14-18a; Lk 1:39-56*  
8:00 a.m. Ray Schepers

### Friday, June 1

Reading: *1 Pt 4:7-13; Mk 11:11-26*  
8:00 a.m. Allan Boehm (A)

### Saturday, June 2

Reading: *Jude 17, 20b-25; Mk 11:27-33*  
4:00 p.m. Deceased Members of  
Precious Blood Parish

### Sunday, June 3

Reading: *Ex 24:3-8; Heb 9:11-15; Mk 14:12-16, 22-26*  
8:00 a.m. People of the Parish  
10:30 a.m. Bill Eckerle (A)

\* = *School children attend this Mass.*

## PTA Scrip News

Don't forget to think ahead for those special people in your life ... Father's Day and graduation gifts!! A SCRIP gift certificate is an easy way to give a useful gift. Simply purchase and give the generic SCRIP gift certificate, and the recipient may then choose from the numerous vendors we have to offer. A perfect way to give him or her something that they may want or need.

Next Selling Date at Precious Blood  
June 9 Brenda Obermeier  
June 10 Jennifer Kluemper

### Weekday Mass Intentions Available

There are dates available for weekday Mass intentions in the upcoming months. Anyone interested in requesting a Mass intention, please come to the Parish/School Office or call the office at 812-482-4461.

## Ministry Assignments

### Saturday, June 2— 4:00 p.m.

Gift Bearers: Chad & Tammy Hurm Family  
Servers: Megan Rydberg, Meredith Knies,  
Mason Thornburgh, Jobe Luebbehusen  
Eucharistic Ministers: Bernita Heim, Tammy Hurm,  
Sharon Williams, June Giesler,  
LaVonne & Michael Seidl, Kent Reyling  
Hospitality Ministers: Randy Voegerl, Greg Luegers,  
Kadon & Chad Hurm  
Lector: Janet Rydberg  
Sacristan: Sharon Williams  
Cantor: Kari Keeley

### Sunday, June 3— 8:00 a.m.

Gift Bearers: Hospitality Ministers  
Servers: Isaac & Avery Bartley, Caleb Hopf  
Eucharistic Ministers: Eric Schue, Joshua Peter, Grant Keller,  
Peggy Merkel, Kathleen Boehm,  
Doug Ackerman, Ralph Schwenk  
Hospitality Ministers: Leroy Jerger, Timothy Erny,  
Ayden Wigand, Daniel Healy  
Lector: Keith Bartley  
Sacristan: Stephanie Schepers  
Cantor: Brian Ketzner

### Sunday, June 3— 10:30 a.m.

Gift Bearers: Eckerle Family  
Servers: Abby Fischer, Lilly Rasche,  
Kyle Hedinger, Caleb Lehmkuhler  
Eucharistic Ministers: Zach Rydberg, Sharon Dick,  
Ann & Caroline Theil,  
Theresa & Dean Smith, Angie Schuch  
Hospitality Ministers: Scott Fischer, Timothy Obermeier,  
David & Sandy Wehr  
Lector: Clay Armstrong  
Sacristan: Richard Dick  
Cantor: Linda Shaneyfelt

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**Jasper Pediatrics**

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## Parish Calendar for the Week

### Sunday, May 27

Children's Liturgy of the Word—Gr. 1-2 during 10:30 a.m. Mass  
Children's Church—Preschool & Kindergarten (ages 4-5) during  
10:30 a.m. Mass. Meet in the Gathering Area

### Wednesday, May 30

9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. All Day Quilting— lunch provided.  
6:00 p.m. Pray the Rosary in Church

### Thursday, May 31

6:30-8:00 p.m. Adult Choir

### Saturday, June 2

3:00-3:45 p.m. Reconciliation

### Sunday, June 3

Children's Liturgy of the Word—Gr. 1-2 during 10:30 a.m. Mass  
Children's Church—Preschool & Kindergarten (ages 4-5) during  
10:30 a.m. Mass. Meet in the Gathering Area  
4:00-5:00 p.m. Healing Mass

## Parish Announcements

### New Member Call Out

The Stewardship Committee is looking to add more members to their group. The committee of parishioners assists our various ministries by coordinating and allocating the efforts and resources of our parish, in order to make best use of the time, talents, and treasures of our parishioners. Contact Holly Brake at 812-219-2967 or Anita Lukemeyer at 812-639-9544 for more information.

The Parish / School office will be closed on May 28  
for Memorial Day.

The office will reopen on Tuesday morning at 8 a.m.  
The summer office hours will be Monday thru Friday  
8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

### Precious Blood Men's Club

Precious Blood Men's Club will be selling raffle tickets for a Weber Spirit Gas Grill @ \$5.00 each. Tickets will be sold after all Masses on June 9th & 10th and June 16th & 17th or from any Precious Blood Men's Club member. Raffle proceeds will be used to help fund special parish projects. This year we will be honoring the Brute Society award winners with a plaque placed in the gathering area. The drawing will be held Father's Day, June 17th after 10:30 Mass. Tickets will also be available for purchase at the Parish Office.



## Area Announcements

**June 3 - St. Joseph (Jasper) Summer Picnic** will be from 10 a.m until 3 p.m. Picnic food on the Plaza with Chicken and Roast Beef Meals in A/C! Stay in your car and use the drive thru. Child and Adult games, Bingo, Baskets, Quilts, Country Store, Entertainment, Free inflatables and more.

**June 3 - Catholic Community of Washington Summer Social** - Please join us for buffet style dinners, grand raffle, kids games, bingo, and much more. Located on the Washington Catholic School grounds starting at 11:00.

**June 3 - Healing Mass** will be celebrated at Precious Blood Catholic Church, Jasper, IN. Praise and Worship will begin at 3:30 EST with Mass following at 4:00 EST. Come and bring a friend.

**June 8/9 - Annunciation Summer Social** - Join us on Friday, June 8 and Saturday, June 9 for the Annunciation Summer Social on Holy Spirit Campus, 1800 Lodge Ave. Enjoy a home cooked dinner of Fried Chicken, Chicken & Dumplings and all the fixins' from 5-7 p.m. in our airconditioned cafeteria. There will be kid games, inflatables and food booths open from 5-9 p.m. Our beer garden from 6-10 p.m. with live music both nights 7-10 p.m. by The Shivvers. Raffle drawings will begin at 8 p.m. on Saturday with our Theme Baskets, Silent Auction items, Quilt and Cash Raffle for a total of \$4,000 in cash prizes.

**June 14 - Senior Concerns Seminar**, 7-8:30 pm at St. Joseph Parish Center, Kundek Hall. Catholics are called to be good stewards of their time, talent, and treasure. This is just as true in retirement as it is in your working years. If you are retired, or hope to be retired someday, please plan to attend this informative evening. Come, learn how to be a better steward of your treasure during these uncertain times. Topics of discussion will include ideas and strategies for guaranteed income in retirement, and ways to protect your estate from the rising costs of long term care. Come find out how to maximize your income without running out of money in your golden years. This event is open to all Dubois County Catholic parishioners. It is for your personal education only. No products or services will be sold at this event. There will be light refreshments served. Please RSVP by emailing [chad.lueken@kofc.org](mailto:chad.lueken@kofc.org) or call 812-630-6656, by June 7th. Presented by St. Joseph Parishioner, Chad Lueken. Chad has been an agent for Knights of Columbus Insurance since 1999. Come, take advantage of his expertise.



### Precious Blood Ladies' Sodality *Bake Sale*

June 16 & 17, after all Masses in the Gathering Area. Come and buy many delicious treats! Pies, Cakes, Cupcakes, Sweet Rolls and Breads.  
Ladies: Bake....Bake....Bake ....Thanks!!

# THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

## Religious Education

### **C.L.O.W. Facilitators:**

June 3: Theresa Singer & Anne Brake  
June 10: Janessa & Meredith Knies

### **Children's Church Facilitators:**

June 3: Nathan Seng & Mackenzie Sargent  
June 10: Abbey Armstrong & Abby Fischer

### **Vocations' Traveling Chalice:**

June 3: Mary Jo Hart  
June 10: TBA

**Who are the Saints? St. Joan of Arc** (1412 - 1431) Born of a fairly well-to-do peasant couple in Domremy-Greux south-east of Paris, Joan was only 12 when she experienced a vision and heard voices that she later identified as Saints Michael the Archangel, Catherine of Alexandria, and Margaret of Antioch. During the Hundred Years War, Joan led French troops against the English and recaptured the cities of Orléans and Troyes. This enabled Charles VII to be crowned as king in Reims in 1429. Captured near Compiègne the following year, Joan was sold to the English and placed on trial for heresy and witchcraft. Professors at the University of Paris supported Bishop Pierre Cauchon of Beauvais, the judge at her trial; Cardinal Henry Beaufort of Winchester, England, participated in the questioning of Joan in prison. In the end, she was condemned for wearing men's clothes. The English resented France's military success—to which Joan contributed. On this day in 1431, Joan was burned at the stake in Rouen, and her ashes were scattered in the Seine River. A second Church trial 25 years later nullified the earlier verdict, which was reached under political pressure. Remembered by most people for her military exploits, Joan had a great love for the sacraments, which strengthened her compassion toward the poor. Popular devotion to her increased greatly in 19th-century France and later among French soldiers during World War I. Theologian George Tavard writes that her life "offers a perfect example of the conjunction of contemplation and action" because her spiritual insight is that there should be a "unity of heaven and earth." Burned at the stake as a heretic after a politically-motivated trial. Joan was beatified in 1909 and canonized in 1920. She is the patron saint of soldiers and France. Her feast day is May 30. (Resource used [www.franciscanmedia.org](http://www.franciscanmedia.org))

### **Divine Providence Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Chapel Open Hours**

2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month 12:00 - 1:00 A.M.

Every other Saturday 2:00 A.M. - 3:00 A.M.

Friday 2:00 P.M. - 3:00 P.M.

Saturday 12:00 A.M. - 1:00 A.M.

Contact [dp@adorationmanager.com](mailto:dp@adorationmanager.com) or call  
812-630-8382 for more information.



Splash Canyon VBS will be held Monday, June 11 – Friday, June 15, 9:00 am – 12:00 Noon. Students will meet their guide for the week in the gym at 9:00 am. Closing program and family picnic will be Friday evening. More information will be handed out.

### **VBS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

Volunteers are still needed. We are in need of young adults or adults to be Classroom Guides for VBS. Please call Audra Schue at 812-631-4745 or Bonnie Meadows at 812-482-4461, if you have any questions or would be able to help.

### **VBS DONATIONS NEEDED**

We are currently accepting items and monetary donations for Vacation Bible School. The items needed are posted on the small gray bulletin board in the gathering area. Take one of the slips of paper with the item listed, purchase the item and bring it to the office or put in the box in the gathering area marked VBS. Please have items turned in by June 1. Thank you for your support.

### **Prayer Chain**

*Reminder:* When you want to have extra prayers interceding for a special situation or person, you can call Rosie Erny at 812-482-5430 or Gin Messmer at 812-634-1414. We have six chains that contain names of our parishioners who are praying for a particular person or cause. Feel free to call the above numbers at any time and your intention will go through each chain in a very short period of time. Many of you are familiar with and have already used this special ministry. This is a reminder that it is always available for you! God bless our parish family and loved ones!



### Picnic with the Bishop

Attention young people! Join others for a relaxing evening with Bishop Siegel on Thursday, May 31, 2018 at 4:00 pm at St. John Parish, Daylight. Anyone in high school or older is welcome to attend. We'll have Mass, presentations by priests, religious brothers and sisters and lay church ministers, followed by supper and some time to have fun. Contact your parish office if you are interested or you can email us at [vocations@evdio.org](mailto:vocations@evdio.org) or call Marilyn at 812-424-5536 to make reservations.

*Trivia Answer:* (A) The New Testament has 27 books and the Old Testament has 46 books.

### Pilgrimage to Poland

Fr. Ray Brenner invites you to join him on a Pilgrimage to Poland and Eastern Europe on November 5-16, 2018. We will visit sites such as the birthplace of Saint John Paul II, St. Faustina's Divine Mercy Shrine, Warsaw, Krakow, Auschwitz, Budapest, Vienna, Prague and other places of history. Call Fr. Ray at [812-482-1805](tel:812-482-1805) or email at [rbrenner@evdio.org](mailto:rbrenner@evdio.org) with your name and address for a full-color brochure.

### St. Joseph Parish Surviving Divorce Group

The First Tuesday of every month beginning, Tuesday, June 5, 2018, a continuation group for the Catholic Divorce Survival will meet. This is a continuation from the 12 week Catholic Divorce Survival program. This is open to new folks waiting for the 12 week sessions which are on hold until late fall/winter. Things to know:

- \* You will be fed!! It will be known as Taco Tuesday!
- \* Both Men & Women are welcomed. To be clear this is not a dating event. It is for support/opportunity to address needs in dealing with hardships that come with divorce.
- \* 6:30 – 8PM Saint Joseph Parish Center Kundek Hall
- \* Discussions for First Tuesdays will be relevant to needs of divorced community.
- \* For more information contact the parish center 812-482-1805.

Congratulations to  
**June Giesler, Jasper**  
Our May, 2018

**Quilt-of-the-Month Winner**

Join St. John Bosco Youth Ministry for the day at  
Holiday World!

**Who:** All Middle & High School Youth

\*Youth will be asked to check in with a chaperone various times throughout the day.

**When:** Tuesday, June 12; Bus leaves St. Joe at 9AM and returns to St. Joe by 5PM.

**Cost:** Thanks to our AMAZING donors, this trip is FREE!

**RSVP:** Contact Angie to sign up by Wednesday, June 6th. SPACE IS LIMITED. Youth will receive permission forms when they RSVP. Youth are only registered when Angie has their completed permission forms.

\*\*Looking for adult chaperones as well! Contact Angie to sign up. [agreulich@evdio.org](mailto:agreulich@evdio.org) or call/text 812-639-4227



## Welcome Newcomers

We would like to welcome  
Scott Murry & Amanda Sickbert  
to our Parish Family.

### Prayer for Community

Embracing Father,  
You grace each of us with equal measure in your love.  
Let us learn to love our neighbors more deeply,  
so that we can create  
peaceful and just communities.  
Inspire us to use our creative energies  
to build the structures we need  
to overcome the obstacles  
of intolerance and indifference.  
May Jesus provide us the example needed  
and send the Spirit to warm our hearts for the journey.  
Amen

— from *Being Neighbor: The Catechism and Social Justice*

# Holy Trinity



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GOD          HOLY          SON  
TRINITY      JESUS        SPIRIT



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