

PARISH LIFE



A Weekly Publication for Parishioners & Friends of Holy Trinity Parish

MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS	5:30 PM
SUNDAY MASS	7:30 AM 9:00 AM* 11:00 AM
MONDAY – FRIDAY MASS	8:15 AM
FIRST SATURDAY MASS	8:15 AM
SACRAMENT OF PENANCE	SATURDAY 4:00–5:15 PM OR BY APPOINTMENT
ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT	EVERY THURSDAY 9:00 AM–5:00 PM
*LIVESTREAM	

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OUR PURPOSE:

To proclaim the Gospel so that all will be one in Christ for the glory of God.

OUR VISION:

Holy Trinity Parish is a Catholic community forming missionary disciples who live as stewards committed to hospitality, prayer, formation and service.

September 8, 2024 ~ Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Please read our bulletin and visit our website for updated information:
www.holytrinityparish.org

Church hours: Sun. 7:30 AM-1 PM; Sat. 8 AM-6:30 PM; Mon.-Fri. 8 AM-4 PM

Parish Office hours: Monday-Friday 8:45 AM-4:00 PM

Upcoming Events:

- Sept. 8 Children's Liturgy of the Word resumes 9:00 & 11:00 AM Masses
- Sept. 8 Welcome Breakfast after all Masses
- Sept. 10 or 15 Year 2 Confirmation Session – St. Teresa of Avila group
- Sept. 12 New Hybrid Scripture Study – The Psalms, begins 6:30 PM
- Sept. 15 High School Youth Group Kickoff Luau 5:30 PM Youth Center
- Sept. 16 New Women's ENDOW Study Group begins 5:30 PM
- Oct. 5 First Saturday Mass 8:15 AM
- Oct. 12 St. Sebastian Conf. Group Morning of Reflection 9:00 AM-Noon
- Oct. 13 Confirmation Mass 1:30 PM
- Oct. 14 Knights of Columbus Charity Golf Tournament
- Oct. 19/20 Knights of Columbus Intellectual Disabilities Drive



HOSPITALITY

Acting as Christ the Shepherd, a parish committed to stewardship is a true community of faith that welcomes, honors, and involves every person in the life and work of the Church, acknowledging the blessing of our richly different backgrounds and experiences.

High School Youth Group is back!

High schoolers, mark your calendars for Sunday, **September 15** for our kickoff luau. Our parish High School Youth Group meets one Sunday a month from 5:30 – 7:00 PM in the Youth Room. We look forward to meeting first-time attendees and enjoying delicious food, fun games, and of course, fellowship! Feel free to bring a friend.

Knights of Columbus Intellectual Disabilities Drive

The Knights of Columbus is hosting their annual Intellectual Disabilities Drive after all Masses **October 19 & 20**. Knights' members will be available at the entrance/exit doors to receive your donations which go to local charities that support persons with intellectual disabilities. Thank you for your generosity.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter



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New Women's ENDOW Study Group!

Come and join a group of women who want to cultivate deep friendships by studying the rich spiritual and intellectual documents of the Catholic Church. We will gather together, read the book aloud and discuss the questions at the end of the chapter. No homework is required. You can learn more at endowgroups.org

Please join us on Monday **September 16** at 5:30 PM in the Youth room. Our first study will be on Catherine of Siena. For more information and to purchase the book, contact Jana Devereux at 530-391-1925 or janadev1@hotmail.com.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT

October 14th, 2024

at the Cold Springs Country Club
6500 Clubhouse Dr. Placerville

Check-in 9:30 - 10:45 am
shotgun start 11:00am

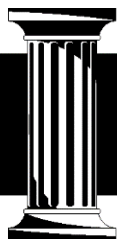
Entry fee includes bag lunch, practice balls, golf, cart, tee prizes, contest events, beverages & dinner

Golf \$175 per person or
Dinner Only \$50

Contact:
Randy Bickel or Keith Flaherty
(650)504-5016 (916)826-3943
KofC12394@gmail.com

REGISTER ONLINE!

Mother Teresa Maternity Home provides a temporary residence, in a safe environment, for pregnant women in need, to help them complete their pregnancy in safety and comfort; to assist them with referrals to existing community services and agencies; to encourage communication with families.



PRAYER

Acting as Christ the Priest, a parish committed to stewardship strives to nourish each person through prayer, strengthening our relationship with the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit and focusing on the Eucharist, the "source and summit of the Christian Life."

New Hybrid Scripture Study! The Psalms

Learn how to meditate fruitfully on the words of the psalms using lectio divina and study the many ways the psalms foretell the life and mission of Jesus. This study will help you to deepen your participation in Mass and in praying the Liturgy of the Hours.

This 11-week study meets on Thursdays at 6:30 PM in the Media Center OR via Zoom **beginning September 12**. Please contact Cynthia Mulcaire (cmulcaire@holytrinityparish.org; 530-677-3234, ext. 233) to sign up.

Is God Calling You to be a Sister?
Come and See!

September 27-28-29, 2024
Religious Vocation Discernment Retreat
Los Altos Hills, California
Stay with us! Pray with us!
See what being a Sister is all about!

Daughters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul

FOR MORE INFORMATION:
Daughters-of-Charity.com/retreats/
For Single Catholic Women 18-40.

Spiritual Support for Families

If you or a family member need an Anointing of the Sick, please call the parish office. After hours, follow the prompts to be connected directly to a priest: 530-677-3234.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, Sept. 9

8:15 AM ~Bania, deceased, by Vivian Camillo
~Beverly Hutchinson, deceased, by Richard & Peggy Nielsen
~Gene & Rusty Cochetti, deceased, by Richard & Peggy Nielsen

Tuesday, Sept. 10

8:15 AM ~Salvadore De Los Santos, deceased, by Lourdes De Los Santos

Wednesday, Sept. 11

8:15 AM ~All Souls

Thursday, Sept. 12

8:15 AM ~Mar Munzon, deceased, by Lissner family

Friday, Sept. 13

8:15 AM ~Grace Gapuz, special intention, by Gapuz family

Saturday, Sept. 14

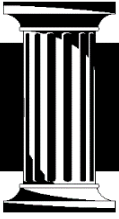
5:30 PM ~Fred Ruth, deceased, by Dick & Rosie Cox

Sunday, Sept. 15

7:30 AM ~Jerry Rich, special intention, by William and Annette Gadt
~Priscilla Vassallo, deceased, by Arthur & Doris Vassallo
9:00 AM ~Jerry Rich, special intention, by William & Annette Gadt
~Patricia Lewandowski, special intention, by Mary Ann Doerzbacher
~Patricia Durkin, deceased, by Carol Medina
~Kathy Winchester, deceased, by Eileen Gottschall
~Robert Pyle, deceased, by Cahill family
~Dave Rhoads, deceased, by Marlene Rhoads
11:00 AM ~Parishioners of Holy Trinity

For DAILY READINGS

Please visit us @ holytrinityparish.org or www.usccb.org/bible/readings/090824.cfm



FORMATION

Acting as Christ the Teacher, a parish committed to stewardship emphasizes, through evangelization and catechesis, the development of households of faith, where our Catholic story as the Body of Christ is lived and shared with one another.

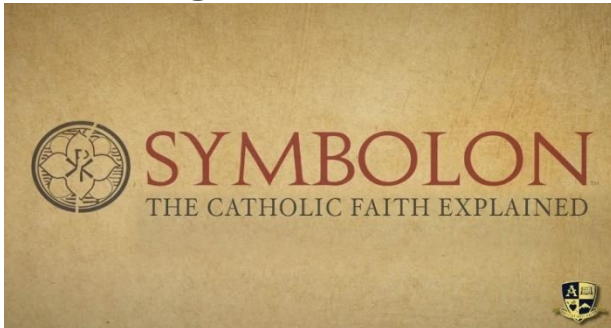
Questions for Faith Sharing Sept. 15 Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

In next Sunday's Gospel, Mark 8:27-35, Peter struggles as he ponders where following Jesus might lead. Our faith must inspire us to act in a very specific way: our actions must focus on radically following Christ and dedicating ourselves to justice. Jesus openly speaks to his disciples about the suffering he will endure, which reminds us that the cost of discipleship is great. This is difficult to hear, but Jesus challenges us to heed God's plan.

Reflection for families:

- In what ways do you live out your faith in works?

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<https://watch.formed.org/symbolon-the-faith-of-the-church>

Join Our Team at Holy Trinity School!

Our Holy Trinity School is seeking enthusiastic and dedicated substitute teachers for grades TK-8. If you have a passion for education and enjoy working with young learners, we want to hear from you! Contact Principal Denise Remick for more details 530-677-3591 or dremick@holytrinityschool.net. Apply today and make a difference!

Confirmation Groups Update

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kjones@holytrinityparish.org

St. Sebastian Group:

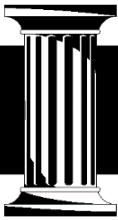
- Confirmation Weekend! Morning of Reflection for candidates and sponsors, Saturday, October 12, 9:00 AM - 12 noon (includes rehearsal for Confirmation) & Confirmation Mass, **Sunday, October 13**, 1:30 PM (Candidates & sponsors check in 1:00 PM).

St. Teresa of Avila Group:

- Your first Year 2 Combined Session, "Burn," is scheduled for **Tuesday, September 10** (5:30-7:00 PM) OR **Sunday, September 15** (10:15-11:45 AM), Social Center. Candidates must attend with a parent or sponsor.
- If you have not yet turned in your Saint Letter and Saint Project to the Faith Formation Office, please do so as soon as possible.

St. Ursula Group:

- If you missed the Confirmation Orientation Session, please reach out to the Faith Formation Office to receive your Confirmation Packet.
- All Year 1 candidates must choose a sponsor and have them complete a Sponsor Form. Forms are available on our website.
- If you would like to register a candidate for Confirmation, contact Kim Jones in the Faith Formation Office: kjones@holytrinityparish.org.



SERVICE

Putting into action our commission as Christ the Shepherd, Priest, and Teacher, a parish committed to stewardship serves the many needs of its own parish family, as well as the needs of the larger community and the world.

Stewardship...

“Did not God choose those who are poor in the world to be rich in faith and heirs of the kingdom that he promised to those who love him?” James 2:5

What is more important – being rich in faith or rich in possessions? Society tells us that possessions are most important. God teaches a different lesson. When we are rich in faith, we keep God first and experience true joy and peace. When we put possessions first, we soon realize we can never have enough, and happiness is fleeting. When we put faith over possessions, we truly realize it is better to give than receive.

Consider making your gift electronically:

<https://www.holytrinityparish.org/give>.

In re: The Roman Catholic Bishop of Sacramento, Case No. 24-21326
U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of California

Notice of Deadline for Filing Claims: October 1, 2024

YOU MAY HAVE A SEXUAL ABUSE CLAIM OR OTHER CLAIM AGAINST THE DIOCESE OF SACRAMENTO

On April 1, 2024, The Roman Catholic Bishop of Sacramento aka Diocese of Sacramento filed a chapter 11 bankruptcy petition for protection under title 11 of the United States Code.

If you were sexually abused by any person connected with the Diocese, you must file a claim so as to be received by October 1, 2024, or otherwise you will be forever barred, estopped, and enjoined from asserting such claim against the Diocese.

Claims based on acts or omissions of the Diocese that occurred before April 1, 2024, must be filed on or before October 1, 2024, even if such claims are not now fixed, liquidated, or certain or did not mature or become fixed, liquidated, or certain before April 1, 2024.



For more information on how to file a claim or about the bankruptcy, please visit: <https://www.donlinrecano.com/rcbsacramento>, or contact the Debtor's claims agent Donlin, Recano, & Company, Inc. via email at rcbsacramentoinfo@drc.equiniti.com or by phone at 1-866-714-7301; or visit the Debtor's website at <https://scd.org> and follow the links for Chapter 11 filing.

Lifeline for Marriage

The Retrouvaille Program is for married couples facing difficult challenges in their relationship. Many couples who attend a Retrouvaille weekend heard about the program in their church bulletin. They tell us that seeing it announced repeatedly in their bulletin gave them the courage to attend. This is a marriage program that helps couples restore their marriage and rebuild a loving relationship. It is a practical program to improve communication and build stronger marriages. Our feedback indicates that Retrouvaille was the lifeline that helped save their marriage and family.

Our next weekend is **October 11-13** at Christ the King Passionist retreat center in Citrus Heights. For confidential information or to register for the program, contact John and Peggy at 530-536-0449 or visit www.helpourmarriage.org.

Christ the King Fall Gala

Christ the King Passionist Retreat Center in Citrus Heights will hold their 7th Annual Fall Gala (Denim & Diamonds) on **Saturday, October 5, 2024**, 4:00PM – 10:00 PM. This is the largest fundraising event for the Center including Mass, dinner, dancing, silent and live auctions. The cost is \$135/person or \$250/couple. Purchase tickets through September 30 online at: www.christthekingretreatcenter.org. For more information or to buy tickets by phone, contact Sandra Gill: 916-725-4720, ext. 302.

St. Joseph Marello Concert

St. Joseph Marello Parish in Granite Bay is hosting a concert featuring an evening of Classical Sacred Music in Our Blessed Mother's Rose Garden **Saturday, October 26**. The concert is free of charge and features some amazing musicians and vocalists from Northern California. Wine and cheese will be served at 6:00 PM and the concert will begin promptly at 7:00 PM. Arrive early for limited chair seating. Space is also available for blankets and/or lawn chairs. For more information, call or email Bill Morgan: 916-652-2020 / babysallydog@gmail.com.

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Contact: Deacon Dan
at 916-517-6558 or
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