

Blessed Trinity Catholic Church

*March 24, 2019
Third Sunday of Lent
Tercer Domingo de Cuaresma*

God of Second Chances

-Luke 13:1-9

Dios de Segundas Oportunidades

-Lucas 13:1-9



4020 Curtiss Parkway
Virginia Gardens, Florida 33166
Parish Office: Phone: 305-871-5780
School Office: Phone: 305-871-5766

Mass Times/ Horario de Misas

Monday- Friday/lunes a viernes: 7:30 AM (English)

Saturday/sabado: 8:30 AM (English) & 5:00 PM (English Vigil)

Sunday/domingo: 8:30 AM, 10:30 AM, 5:30 PM (English) & 12:30 PM (Spanish)

Confessions/Confesiones : Saturday 4 :00 PM - 5:00 PM Sunday 9:45 AM – 10:30 AM

Parish

Pastoral Staff
Fr. José N. Alfaro,
Pastor

Fr. Pawel Duda,
Parochial Vicar

Dennis Jordan, José Alemán,
and Javier Inda
Deacons

Parish Office Hours

Monday – Friday: 8:30 am – 5 pm
Saturday: CLOSED
Sunday: 9 am – 2 pm
reception@blessed-trinity.org

Parish Mission

Our mission is to live the Gospel message and to bring God's Trinitarian love to others in order to be a beacon of light and hope for all.

School

Pre-K2 through 8th Grade

School Office Hours

7:30 am - 3:30 pm
btschool@blessed-trinity.org
btsreligion@blessed-trinity.org

Mrs. María Teresa Pérez,
Principal

School Mission

"Blessed Trinity Catholic School's mission is to witness and nurture the transforming power of the teachings of Christ through academic excellence and servant discipleship"

St. Joseph's Convent

1040 Hunting Lodge Drive
Miami Springs, FL 33166
Phone: 305-871-3246

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The Sacraments



Baptisms / Bautizos

ENGLISH: First Sunday of every month @ 2PM

ESPAÑOL: Segundo domingo del mes @ 2PM

Baptismal Preparation classes:

ENGLISH: First Thursday of every month @ 7PM

ESPAÑOL: Segundo jueves de cada mes @ 7PM

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Communion and Confirmation require 2 years of preparation in order to receive the Sacrament.

*La Primera Comunión y Confirmación requieren 2 años de preparación para recibir el sacramento.*

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Holy Matrimony - A date cannot be set until all requirements are met. You should schedule to meet with our priest at least 8—10 months prior to expected wedding date.

No se puede establecer una fecha hasta que se cumplan todos los requisitos. Usted debe hacer cita con el sacerdote por lo menos 8– 10 meses antes de su boda.

Anointing of the Sick / Unción de los enfermos

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Anyone who is ill, anticipating surgery, or undergoing medical testing is encouraged to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick.

*Cualquier persona que esté enferma, anticipando una cirugía, o sometiendo a pruebas médicas, puede recibir el Sacramento de la Unción de los enfermos.*

### Communion to the Sick / Comunión a los enfermos

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If you are homebound for any reason and would like to receive communion, please call the parish office so we can arrange for a minister to come to you.

Si no puede asistir a Misa y necesita que le traigan la Comunión, por favor llame a la oficina para que le manden un ministro.

		INTENTION	REQUESTED BY
Saturday, March 23 Vigil	5:00 PM	†Sr. Ruth Hall SSJ	Pat & Dick Clough
Miami Airport Chapel	7:00 PM	For all travelers	Parish Priests & Deacons
Sunday, March 24	8:30 AM	†Mary Louise Andresen	Grace Zimmermann & family
	10:30 AM	People of the Parish	Parish Priests & Deacons
	12:30 PM	Magalys Quintero - Su salud Bendiciones Brian Peña - Sus 15 años Kamila Cardonne—Su cumpleaños †Rosa Batista †Adrianne M. Napoles-Huizenga †Jesus, Amada y Sandy Santos †Jeanette Garcia Rosario	Su salud Su familia Su familia Sus vecinos Su familia Charlie y familia Sara y familia
	5:30 PM	†Donald Bender	His family
Monday, March 25	7:30 AM	† Wehbe Wehbe ††James & Elizabeth D'Autrechy	Claire Poland Claire Poland
	6:30 AM	Luz Castro's birthday	Her family
Tuesday, March 26	7:30 AM	People of the Parish	Parish Priests & Deacons
	6:30 PM	People of the Parish	Parish Priests & Deacons
Wednesday, March 27	7:30 AM	†Marco Florio	His family
	6:30 PM	Miembros de la Parroquia	Sacerdotes y Diaconos
Thursday, March 28	7:30 AM	†Lazaro Diaz	His family
	6:30 PM	†Gino Molinari	Fundación Chi-Chi Puig
Friday, March 29	7:30 AM	People of the Parish	Parish Priests & Deacons
	6:30 PM	Miembros de la parroquia	Sacerdotes y Diaconos
Saturday, March 30	8:30 AM	For the recently deceased Mary Louise Andresen In thanksgiving for prayers to the students, faculty & staff of Blessed Trinity.	Parish Priests & Deacons The Ghalloub family
Vigil	5:00 PM	†Sebastian Ortiz	The Ortiz family
Miami Airport Chapel	7:00 PM	For all travelers	Parish Priests & Deacons
Sunday, March 31	8:30 AM	†John Cavalier	His wife
	10:30 AM	People of the Parish	Parish Priests & Deacons
	12:30 PM	Joanna Stone—Su salud †Maria y Juan Pacheco †Guillermo e Isabel Lopez †Manuel Dianderas †Jeanette Garcia Rosario Por las recién fallecidas Esther Roses y Maria Guzman	Karen Dianderas Sus hijos y familia Charlie y familia Karen Dianderas Sara y familia Sacerdotes y Diaconos
	5:30 PM	†Maria Elena & Lazaro Diaz	Manolo & Ambar Vidal & family



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March 17th, 2019— \$ 10,362.50
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Daily Mass Readings

25 Mon THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD Solemnity

Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38
PS 40

26 Tue Dn 3:25, 34-43/Mt 18:21-35 PS 25

27 Wed Dt 4:1, 5-9/Mt 5:17-19 PS 147

28 Thu Jer 7:23-28/Lk 11:14-23 PS 95

29 Fri Hos 14:2-10/Mk 12:28-34 PS 81

30 Sat Hos 6:1-6/Lk 18:9-14 PS 51

31 SUN FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Jos 5: 9a, 10-12/2 Cor 5:17-21/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32 PS 34



**KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS**



Come and pray the Rosary in English with the Knights on Sunday, March 31 at Noon at the church.

Vengan y acompañen a los Caballeros a rezar el Rosario en la iglesia, a las 12 de la tarde el domingo, 31 de marzo.

Praying for more vocations.

Now more than ever we need to pray for vocations. When you sign up to pray for voations, you are committing to pray for 1 week. You are given a cup and prayer booklet for the week. Once your week is over, you return the cup and prayer book and a different family gets it the next week. Please call the Parish office if you are interested.



A praying Community

Please keep all of these intentions in your daily prayers:

For our Pastor's Intentions:

* Let us pray in reparation for the sins committed by Cardinals, Bishops, Priests and Deacons against the Lord's commandments, as well as for healing for the victims of sin.

* That the Holy Spirit may give us the gift of worship and more people discover the gift of music and join our choirs.

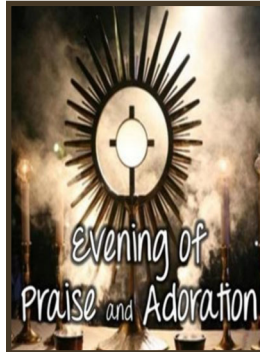
* For the youth of our parish.

For our Parish Intentions: For the Holy Spirit to fall fresh upon our parishioners and for the constant renewal of our parish.

For the Pope's Intentions: That Christian communities, especially those who are persecuted, feel that they are close to Christ and have their rights respected.

For the sick and elderly of the parish especially Anthony Parodi and Valerie Lorenzo

For the eternal repose of the recently deceased members of our parish familiespecially Luis Castro.



Come join us, every Wednesday beginning with a rosary at 7 P.M. Followed by an hour of adoration with the Blessed Sacrament!

We also have Adoration on Wednesdays from 10am to Noon!

Weekly Meetings

Adoration/Holy Hour.....	Wednesday	7PM	Church
Adult Choir Practice.....	Thursday	7PM	Church
Alpha	Wednesday	7PM	Parish Hall-
Children's Choir Practice...	Wednesday	3PM	Church
English Bible Study.....	Thursday	10AM	Parish Ofc
Griefshare.....	Sunday	2PM	BT Library
Legion of Mary.....	Monday	7PM	Parish Ofc
Ministerio de Intercesión....	Jueves	7PM	Library
RCIA	Sunday	10AM	Parish Ofc
Rosary Group.....	Mon—Sat	8AM	Church
TMIY.....	Thursday	6AM	Parish Hall
Youth Group			
Lifteen—High School	Sunday	6:45PM	Carney Ctr
Edge— Middle School	Wednesday	6:45PM	Carney Ctr



Monthly Meetings:

Emmaus Men's	2nd Thursday
Knights of Columbus	4th Monday
Ladies Guild	3rd Thursday
SAAM	2nd Saturday
Grupo Enriquecimiento Conyugal	1er Viernes

Rosary Prayer:

KoC 12:00 pm in Church	Last Sunday
Legion of Mary	First Saturday
(Corner of Curtiss Pkwy & Church)	



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| • Defibrillator for Church | 1,350.00 |
| • Defibrillator for School | 1,350.00 |
| • CPR Training Staff/Ushers | 900.00 |
| • Torches for Procession | 1,000.00 |
| • Equipment for Livestreaming | Pend Est. |
| • Masses and Conferences | 3,500.00 |
| • Refurbishing of church statues (Donated) | 3,920.00 |
| • Easter Lilies for Altar | 1,200.00 |
| • New chairs for the Parish Hall | 6,700.00 |
| • Roof Pressure Cleaning (Church) | 1,500.00 |
| • Roof Pressure Cleaning (Rectory) | 700.00 |
| • Steubenville retreat for Lifeteen | 4,500.00 |

NOTE: All Dollar amounts are just estimated costs



ABCD Pledge Update

Pledges and Payments as of 3//19	\$ 96,434 .00
Parish Goal	120,048.00
Anticipated Gift Over/Under	(23,614.00)

Thank you for your generosity
Gracias por su generosidad



STATIONS OF THE CROSS
Via Crucis
March 8 thru April 12, 2019

FRIDAYS 7:15 pm Bilingual

Confirmation Confirmacion

Our Confirmation Ceremony will be Saturday,
April 6th during the 5:00 p.m. Vigil Mass
*Nuestra Ceremonia de Confirmación será el sábado,
6 de abril a las 5:00p.m.durante la Misa de Vigilia*

May the Holy Spirit fill the hearts of our Confimandi with the desire to get closer to our Lord, Jesus Christ.

Que la esencia del Espiritu Santo llene los corazones de cada uno de los que serán confirmados con el deseo de acercarse a nuestro Señor Jesucristo.

Julian Acosta	Lucas Lapido
Alejandro Aguirre	Nicolas Lavin
Natalie Arce	Sofia Lopez
Katherine Arencibia	Alexander Lorenzo
Chelcie Baca	Lourdes Martinez
Anna Bellas	Michael McWhorter
Mia Cabrera	Patrick McWhorter
Veronica Carillo	Ariana Mejia
Jason Cruz	Alejandra Mora
Joshua De Armas	Eber Olguin
Alexandra De la Torre	Ana Perez
Rocco Dimatteo	Isabella Perez
Roberto Dorta	Natalie Quintana
Gena Escanaverino	Joel Ramirez
Briana Esquenazi	Juliette Rico
Alejandro Flores	Vivianna Rodriguez
Matthew Fox	Maylin Rojas
Madison Fuentes	Arianne Santa-Cruz
Sophie Gonzalez	Cary Scheurle
Santiago Guillamont	Mary Scheurle
Hermes Hernandez	Thomas Suarez
Catherine Ibarra-Cutie	Chloeane Vico
Nicole Jaimes	

Keep our candidates in your prayers.
Oren por nuestros candidatos.



Join us for BUNCO! We guarantee you will have a great time, delicious food, games, and lots of prizes...all for \$5.00!

50/50 tickets are \$1.00 or 3/\$2.00. Bring your friends—
Blessed Trinity Parish Hall, 7PM, Thursday, March 28th.

BLESSED TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH
te invita a nuestra
MISIÓN DE CUARESMA 2019



CUÁNDO

Cada noche: 7:30 - 9:00 PM

Lunes 25 de Marzo, Conferencia #1:

“CUARESMA: VOLVER A LA CASA DEL PADRE”

Martes 26 de Marzo, Conferencia #2:

“HOY SE CUMPLEN LAS PROMESAS DE DIOS PARA NOSOTROS”

Miércoles 27 de Marzo, Conferencia #3:

“CUARESMA, CAMINO HACIA LA PASCUA”

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DÓNDE

En nuestra Iglesia
4020 Curtis Parkway., Virginia Gardens, FL 33166

**ENTRADA
GRATIS**

PRESENTADOR

Teólogo y predicador, **Dr. Oscar Henao**, graduado en Teología y Maestría en Sagrada Escritura de la Universidad Pontificia Bolivariana.

Para más información llamar a la oficina parroquial al (305) 871-5780.

DON'T WAIT UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE TO GO TO CONFESSION THIS LENT

Lent is a season of penance, and as such, it is a beautiful time of the year to receive the sacrament of reconciliation.

We will have extended hours for confessions on Friday April 5th from 7-9pm and Saturday April 6th from 10am-12pm.

Please note that there will not be Good Friday confessions this year. The liturgical norms request that no sacraments be celebrated on Good Friday and Holy Saturday. From a practical standpoint, it has always been hard to find extra confessors on that day for obvious reasons.

Regular confession times are: Saturdays from 4-5pm and Sundays from 9:45-10:30am

EN ESTA CUARESMA NO ESPERE HASTA EL ULTIMO MOMENTO PAR CONFESARSE

La Cuaresma es una época de penitencia, y como tal, es una época hermosa del año para recibir el Sacramento de la reconciliación.

Tendremos horas extendidas para confesiones el viernes 5 de abril de 7-9PM y el sábado 6 de abril de 10am-12pm.

Tenga en cuenta que este año no habrá confesiones el Viernes Santo. Las normas litúrgicas solicitan que no se celebren sacramentos el Viernes Santo y el sábado Santo. Desde un punto de vista práctico, siempre ha sido difícil encontrar confesores adicionales ese día por razones obvias.

Los tiempos de confesión regulares son: sábados de 4 a 5pm y domingos de 9:45-10:30am

Prepare your family for Easter!

LENT

prayer • fasting • almsgiving

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting and abstinence for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence.

Some Activity ideas to do during Lent

Examine your conscience

- Try not to waste anything for one whole day
- Call someone who is lonely
- Resist trying to be the center of attention
- Refuse to gossip
- Refuse to whine
- Forgive anyone who has hurt you
- Pray for a friend
- Pray for an enemy

10 Activities for Catholic Families During Lent and Holy Week

Attend Mass on Ash Wednesday

Wear your ashes out into the world as a witness of our faith

Attend Some of the Holy Week Masses and Activities at Your Parish

Make at least one of your meatless Friday meal together as a family.

This can be a great testimonial for younger children as you remember, together, one of the unique features of our Faith.

Commit to reading the Bible (even if it's a Children's version) every day together as a family.

On Holy Thursday, do a foot washing with your family members.

Have a pancake dinner the night before Ash Wednesday or Make a King Cake

This day is known as Mardi Gras as well as Shrove Tuesday. Pancakes were a traditional dish for this day to use up things that weren't allowed during Lent. Here is a recipe for a King cake: <http://bit.ly/XWq78G>

Use this printable Lenten calendar to track the season: catholicicing.com/printable-lenten-calendar-for-children/



Attend Stations of the Cross (especially one for children, if you have small children)

Make cards of encouragement to those in your parish's RCIA program - After a lot of study and prayer, most of them will be received into the Church at the end Lent.

Choose a Lenten Sacrifice to Do As a Family.

Is there something your family can sacrifice that might help another family in need? Consider donating what you might spend on a meal out to a food pantry instead.

Parish Lenten Evening of Reflection for the Youth



Blessed Trinity Catholic Church

Invites all high school and young adults to an
Evening of Reflection with Father Giuseppe Siniscalco, CFR

Tuesday, April 2nd @ 7pm in the Church

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only!

Wine & Wisdom

Blessed Trinity Catholic Church

Invites all couples to explore questions of life, faith
and God in a casual, comfortable atmosphere
at the Tank Brewery.

Friday, May 17th @ 7pm

For more information call the Parish office
305-871-5780

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Charity Event Hosted By:

KNIGHT OF COLUMBUS

sponsoring

Operation WetVet

catered by

Los Tacos

Serving soft tacos with your choice of chicken,
carnitas or cochinitas with rice and beans.

SUNDAY, March 31st, 2019

Serving after mass at 10:30 am and 12:30 pm



Operation WetVet is a Veteran run
nonprofit dedicated to assisting Combat
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(post traumatic stress disorder) and T.B.I.
(traumatic brain injury).

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12, 13 y 14 de Abril, 2019
(retiro interno para matrimonios)

Ven y dedica un fin de semana solamente para tí y tu cónyuge.
Un fin de semana para revivir y fortalecer la llama del amor.
Un fin de semana que cambiará tu relación de pareja.

- Espiritualidad conyugal
- El Sacramento del Matrimonio
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Join us
for an ecumenical
**Stations
of the
Cross**



Bilingual

DATE

Good Friday April 19th, 2019

TIME

12:00 pm - Procession with the Cross from Grace Lutheran to Blessed Trinity

1:00 pm - Stations of the Cross at Blessed Trinity

Catholic Underground

with the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal



MARCH 30, 2019

8:00 PM @

ST. AUGUSTINE CHURCH

Worship + Live Music + Holy Hour + Food Trucks



Featuring:
Fr. Giuseppe, CFR
(Main Speaker)



Br. Mike Martinez, SJ
(Opening Act, Hip Hop Artist)



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