



**Parish Office**

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Deacons**

*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.*

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*“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

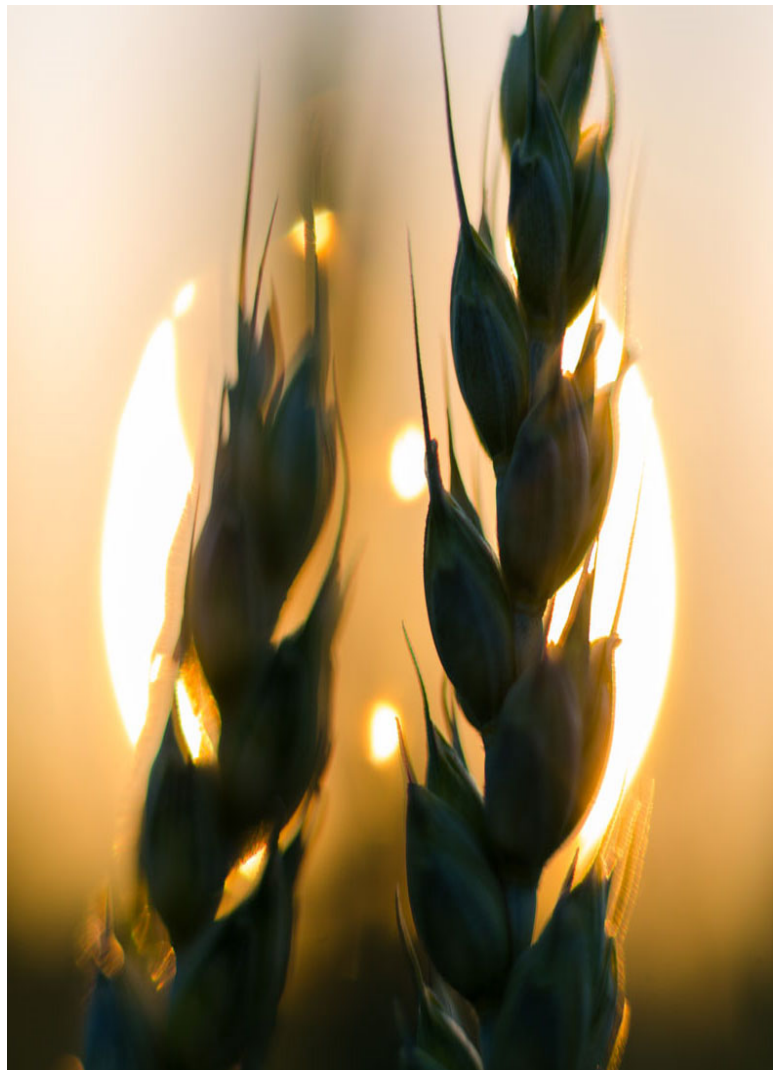
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**Sr. María Andrea Oliver, SCTJM**

## ***Sunday, March 18, 2018 Fifth Sunday of Lent***



**MASSSES / MISAS:**

Saturday: 8:30 AM , 5 PM Vigil

Sunday : 8:30 AM, 10:30 AM, 5:30 PM –English  
12:30 PM –Spanish



Weekday Mass: 7:30 AM  
6:30 PM (During Lent)





|                          |                                   |         |             |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------|-------------|
| Monday /<br>Lunes        | Rosary Group                      | 8AM     | Church      |
|                          | Legion of Mary                    | 7PM     | Library     |
|                          | Prayer & Life Workshop            | 7PM     | Library     |
| Tuesday /<br>Martes      | Rosary Group                      | 8AM     | Church      |
|                          | Compass                           | 7:30 PM | Library     |
| Wednesday /<br>Miercoles | Rosary Group                      | 8AM     | Church      |
|                          | Children Choir Practice           | 3PM     | Church      |
|                          | Rosary , Adoration &<br>Holy Hour | 7PM     | Church      |
|                          | Jr. High YOUTH group              | 7PM     | Carney Ctr  |
|                          | Compass                           | 7PM     | Library     |
| Thursday /<br>Jueves     | TMIY                              | 6AM     | Parish Hall |
|                          | Rosary Group                      | 8AM     | Church      |
|                          | Adult Choir Practice              | 7PM     | Church      |
|                          | English Bible Study               | 10AM    | TBA         |
|                          | Ministerio Intercesión            | 7:30PM  | Library     |
| Friday /<br>Viernes      | Rosary Group                      | 8AM     | Church      |
|                          | Clases de Biblia                  | 7PM     | 7to Grado   |
| Saturday /<br>Sabado     | Rosary Group                      | 8AM     | Church      |
| Sunday /<br>Domingo      | CCD (K - 6)                       | 9AM     | School      |
|                          | CCD (7 & *)                       | 5:30PM  | Church      |
|                          | Griefshare                        | 2PM     | Library     |



**Monday: 2 SM 7:4-5A, 12-14A, 16; ROM 4:13, 16-18, 22**

**Tuesday: NM 21:4-9; JN 8:21-30**

**Wednesday: DN 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; JN 8:31-42**

**Thursday: GN 17:3-9; JN 8:51-59**

**Friday: JER 20:10-13; JN 10:31-42**

**Saturday: EZ 37:21-28; JN 11:45-56**

**Sunday: MK 11:1-10 or JN 12:12-16; IS 50:4-7; PS 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24; PHIL 2:6-11; MK 14:1—15:47 or MK 15:1-39**

## alumni news

We would like to congratulate the following alumni that attend Immaculata La Salle High School, for making the Honor Roll for 2nd Quarter:

Ulysses Diaz  
Alyssa Martinez  
Silvia Meyer  
Amanda Santin



**KNIGHTS  
OF COLUMBUS**  
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

The next round table meeting is on March 26th at 8pm at Blessed Trinity in the Carney Center. This meeting is for members only.

We will have an initiation for new members on March 27th at 7 pm. Application must be turned in before this date.



All adults, ladies and gentlemen are invited for an evening of BUNCO, on Thursday, March 22, 2018. Come to the BT Parish Hall at 7PM. For only \$5.00 you will enjoy games, delicious food, door prizes & lots of laughs!!! 50/50 tickets are \$1.00 or 3/\$2.00! Plan now to come and bring a friend or two! Thank you!



### **Baptisms / Bautizos**

will be celebrated on the following dates:

ENGLISH: First Sunday of every month @ 2PM

ESPAÑOL: Segundo domingo de les @ 2PM

**CHECK WITH OFFICE FOR APRIL & MAY**

Baptismal Preparation classes will be offered:

ENGLISH: First Thursday of every month

ESPAÑOL: Segundo jueves de cada mes @ 7PM

**Baptism papers MUST be turned in by the 15th of the previous month.** Please, call the parish office for more information.

***Los documentos del Bautismo DEBEN ser entregados a no más tardar que el 15 del mes anterior. Por favor llamar a la oficina para mas Información***

**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.*

**Holy Matrimony** - You should schedule to meet with a priest at least 8—10 months prior to expected wedding date. A date cannot be set until all requirements are met. (Marriage Preparation course, Fully Engaged, required paperwork received)

*Usted debe hacer cita con un sacerdote por lo menos 8– 10 meses antes de su boda . No se puede establecer una fecha hasta que se cumplan todos los requisitos. (curso de preparación matrimonial, totalmente comprometido, requerido papeleo recibido)*

### **Anointing of the Sick / Unción de los enfermos**

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

Please call the Parish Office to schedule an appointment with one of our priests.

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

*Por favor llamar a la oficina para hacer una cita con uno de nuestros sacerdotes.*

## **A praying Community**

**Please keep all of these intentions in your daily prayers:**

### **For the Pope's Intentions:**

\* That the Church may appreciate the urgency of formation and spiritual discernment both on the personal and communitarian levels.

### **For our Pastor's Intentions:**

\* That the Holy Spirit may fall powerfully on our community and give us the gift of evangelization so that we may always be reaching out to the lost and the unchurched.

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

### **For our Parish Intentions:**

\* For our Lenten walk.

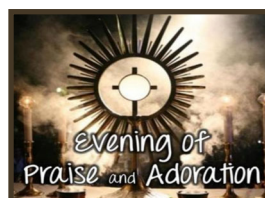
\* For those preparing to receive the sacrament of Initiation.

\* For our school families, faculty & staff.

\* For our BT family community

### **For the sick of Parish:**

Victoria González Baltar, Nicholas Schaer, Gene Falcon, Fred Suco, Richard Vázquez, Hans Baumann, Jimmy and Libia Restrepo, Gerry Trepanier, Charles Perks, Antonia Esther González, Elisa Cotón, Ruth Coward, Dottie Adams, Carol Snoke, Rose Bechamps, William and Joan Sachs, Ana Maria Tillit, Elaine Floyd, Ovelinda Rodríguez, Evie Sholtis, Gina W, Margarita Jordan, Isabel González, Hunter Ciccarelli, Prudence Highfield, Tana Verdooren, Rafael Zayas, Valia Malaragno-Skelton, Adrienne Nápoles Huizenga, Celeste Nápoles, Víctor Marchena, Elizabeth Annable, Juan Carlos Sanabria, Raquel Aneiros, Kathleen Thierfelder, Damian Benalcazar, Minerva Varona, Norma Faraldo, Charlie Lucas, David Foulkes, Carolina Corchuelo, Chas Burke, Jackie Buitrago, Mario Antonio Diaz, Manuel Delgado, Agi Hurst, Maury Hurst, Celeste Hurst, Ileana Rodriguez, Richard Gillingham, Nella Hertsch, Katrina Paterson, Maria DeNaciminento, Manny Carneri, Aida Mizrahy, Anne Gryk, Olga Martinez, Barry Krane, Richard Bergen, Irene Priess, Carmen Tapp, Alicia Medina, Bernard Rosario, Alicia Cambert, Juan Carlos Aspuru, Susana Aspuru, Juan Carlos Aspuru, Jr. and Baby Charlotte



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



|                                              |          | INTENTION                                                                                                                                      | REQUESTED BY                                                                                                                |
|----------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Vigil,<br>Saturday, March 17                 | 5:00 PM  | Tom & Miryam Knigge's 40th<br>Wedding Anniversary                                                                                              |                                                                                                                             |
| Miami Airport Chapel                         | 7:00 PM  | For all travelers                                                                                                                              | Parish Priests & Deacons                                                                                                    |
| Sunday, March 18                             | 8:30 AM  | †Gabriel Obarrio                                                                                                                               | Reynaldo Sosa                                                                                                               |
|                                              | 10:30 AM | People of the Parish                                                                                                                           | Parish Priests & Deacons                                                                                                    |
|                                              | 12:30 PM | †Jaime y Gloria Perez<br>†Beatriz de Sales<br>†Mirta Funcia<br>†Bertha Seruto<br>†Zaida Perez<br>†Maira Elena Rodriguez                        | Sus hijos y nietos<br>Sus hijos y nietos<br>Familia Castillo<br>Su familia<br>La familia Ghalloub<br>Isabel Villa y familia |
|                                              | 5:30 PM  | †Don Bender                                                                                                                                    | His wife                                                                                                                    |
| Monday, March 19                             | 7:30 AM  | †Joseph Hernandez<br>†Francisco Gil<br>Marylin Jimenez's Birthday                                                                              | Lynda y Bill Hernandez<br>Su familia<br>Su familia                                                                          |
|                                              | 6:30 PM  | †Los Difuntos de la familia Galigarcia<br>†Jose Cruz<br>†Rosario Garcia Herrera                                                                | La familia Vidal<br>La familia Preston<br>Berta Venegas Garcia                                                              |
| Tuesday, March 20                            | 7:30 PM  | †Consuelo Egusquiza<br>Dario y Lucia Helena Reyes Wedding Anniversary                                                                          | Nieves & family<br>Their family                                                                                             |
|                                              | 6:30 PM  | Ileana Rodriguez - Healing<br>†Carlos Aspuru                                                                                                   | Debbie & Keith Ayash<br>The Drew family                                                                                     |
| Wednesday, March 21                          | 7:30 AM  | †Barbara Ghalloub                                                                                                                              | Ghalloub family                                                                                                             |
|                                              | 6:30 PM  | †Julius Hurst                                                                                                                                  | His wife                                                                                                                    |
| Thursday, March 22                           | 7:30 AM  | Aiden Diaz's Birthday                                                                                                                          | His family                                                                                                                  |
|                                              | 6:30 PM  | People of the Parish                                                                                                                           | Priests & Deacons                                                                                                           |
| Friday, March 23                             | 7:30 AM  | Natalie Preston's Birthday                                                                                                                     | Her family                                                                                                                  |
|                                              | 6:30 PM  | †Raul Arteta de la Oz<br>†Rosa Echeverria<br>†Nancy Gonzalez                                                                                   | Castillo family<br>Manny Echeverria<br>Castillo family                                                                      |
| Saturday, March 24                           | 8:30 AM  | †Roberto Fajardo<br>†Fr. Joseph Carney<br>†Maria Elena Rodriguez<br>†Steven Randolph<br>†Evelyn Bente<br>†Deceased members of the Ladies Guild | Priests & Deacons<br>The Sandri family<br>The Sandri family<br>The Sandri family<br>The Sandri family<br>Ladies Guild       |
| Vigil                                        | 5:00 PM  | People of the parish                                                                                                                           | Parish Priests & Deacons                                                                                                    |
| Miami Airport Chapel                         | 7:00 PM  | For all travelers                                                                                                                              | Parish Priests & Deacons                                                                                                    |
| Palm Sunday, March 25<br>Passion of the Lord | 8:30 AM  | People of the parish                                                                                                                           | Parish Priests & Deacons                                                                                                    |
|                                              | 10:30 AM | People of the Parish                                                                                                                           | Parish Priests & Deacons                                                                                                    |
|                                              | 12:30 PM | Miembros de la Paroquia                                                                                                                        | Parish Priests & Deacons                                                                                                    |
|                                              | 5:30 PM  | People of the Parish                                                                                                                           | Parish Priests & Deacons                                                                                                    |

**SANCTUARY LAMP Week of March 18th:**

**Blessings for baby Anthony Ghalloub Requested by the Ghalloub family**





2018  ABCD

ARCHBISHOP'S CHARITIES & DEVELOPMENT DRIVE

ABCD: Pledge Update

Pledges and Payments as of 2/21/2018 \$ 121,047.00

Parish Goal: \$ 116,000.00

Anticipated Gift Over/Under: \$ 5,047.00



**Offertory collection March 11:**

**Offertory: \$ 10,065.50**

**Last Month Offertory Paid with Credit Cards:**

**\$12,894.17 (February)**

**Thank you for your generosity!**

**Gracias por su generosidad**

**Consider signing up for (E-giving)**



**Come and cheer for  
Our BT softball Team!!!**

**Games to be played at Stafford Park**

18-Mar Blessed Trinity vs Grace Lutheran 2PM

25-Mar Seventh Day vs Blessed Trinity 2PM

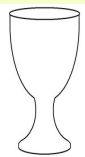
8-Apr Blessed Trinity vs Methodist 2PM

22-Apr All Angels vs Blessed Trinity 2PM

29-Apr Blessed Trinity vs Grace Lutheran 2PM

6-May Seventh Day vs Blessed Trinity 2PM

Playoffs will be May 20 - June 3rd



**Pray for Priests and Vocations**

If you would like to sign up for the vocation cup please contact the parish office at 305-871-5780 or contact the coordinators for your Sunday Mass.

English Mass at 10:30 Mario & Paola Aguilar  
m-aguilar1@hotmail.com or  
paramendizv@hotmail.com

Spanish Mass at 12:30 Ana Maria Sorá  
305-887-1490

**Camillus House Meal Collection -**

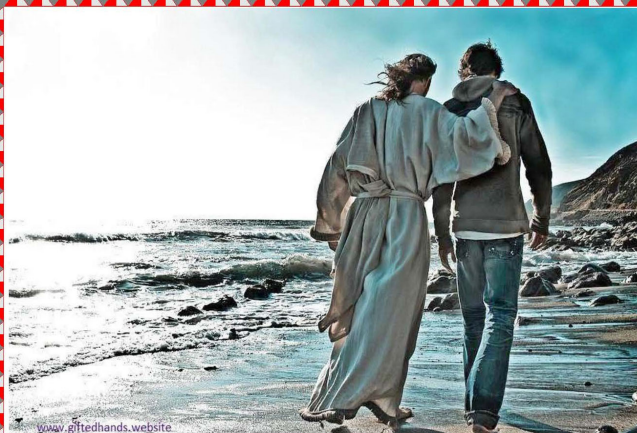
Camillus House Casserole Project  
Remember to cook your Baked Ziti  
so that you can deliver your meal on  
Monday, March 19th at the school's  
parking lot from 6:50 p.m. to 7:20 p.m.



## EASTER WISH LIST

|                                           |                 |
|-------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Microphones for Parish Hall               | <b>DONATED!</b> |
| Fan for Church external foyer             | \$1,200.00      |
| Buffing of Church Floors                  | \$7,000.00      |
| New Lifeteen Youth group program          | \$1,995.00      |
| BT Personalized Special Event tablecloths | \$ 800.00       |
| School Intercom System                    | \$3,600.00      |
| New A/C for School                        | \$4,000.00      |
| Two new picnic tables for school          | \$1,200.00      |
| Church Foyer Exterior Lighting            | \$2,000.00      |

NOTE: All Dollar amounts are just estimated costs



**LA COMUNIDAD HISPANA DE BLESSED TRINITY  
ESTÁ INVITADA AL TALLER INTERACTIVO TITULADO:**

**“JONATÁN EL AMIGO FIEL”**

**SE LLEVARÁ A CABO EL 24 DE MARZO, 2018  
EN EL SALÓN PARROQUIAL**

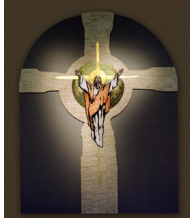
**EMPEZANDO CON LA MISA A LAS 8:30 AM  
TERMINANDO LAS 5:00 PM.**

**EL TALLER ES TOTALMENTE GRATIS.  
INCLUYE DESAYUNO Y ALMUERZO.**

**POR FAVOR DE INSCRIBIRSE PARA AJUSTAR LA LOGÍSTICA DE LAS COMIDAS**

**LLAMAR O MANDAR MENSAJE A JAIRO FLÓREZ: 305 205 7586**

**E-MAIL: jairo@blessed-trinity.org**



## **The Resurrection of the Lord**

### **A Catechesis of the Easter Vigil Liturgy**

#### **Part two: Liturgy of the word, Baptism and Eucharist**

The Easter Vigil liturgy is the most beautiful liturgy in the Roman Catholic Church. This summary walks us through the Easter Vigil.

Although celebrated Holy Saturday evening, it is the dramatic Easter vigil liturgy that marks the beginning of Easter. We are awaiting our master's return with our lamps full and burning, so that he will find us awake and seat us at his table (cf. Luke 12:35ff). All Catholics should try to attend this beautiful tiserice.

#### ***The vigil is divided into four parts:***

- Service of the light
- Liturgy of the Word
- Liturgy of baptism
- Liturgy of the Eucharist.

#### ***Liturgy of the Word***

During the Easter vigil, nine readings are provided: seven from the Old Testament and two from the New Testament. Not all are required to be read due to me constraints, but at least three Old Testament readings must be read, including Exodus 14. These readings help us meditate on the wonderful works of God for his people since the beginning of me.

#### ***The readings are:***

- The story of creation, Gen 1:1-2; 2;
- Abraham and Isaac, Gen 22:1-18;
- Crossing of the Red Sea, Exodus 14:15–15:1;
- Isaiah 54:5-14;
- Isaiah 55:1-11;
- Baruch 3:9-15.32–4:4;
- Ezekiel 36:16-17.18-28;
- Romans 6:3-11; and
- Gospel reading Mark 16:1-7.

The Gloria is sung before the reading of the Epistle of the Romans, and the Alleluia is sung before the Gospel.

#### ***Liturgy of Baptism***

During this time the Easter water is blessed, new members are brought into the Church through baptism; part of the liturgy includes the Litany of the Saints. Afterwards the faithful are blessed with water and all renew their baptismal promises.

#### ***Liturgy of Eucharist***

The Mass resumes with the special prayers inserted during the Eucharist Prayer. The whole church is called to join at the sacrificial table that Christ prepared for us through his death and resurrection.

The Mass ends with the glorious:

The Mass is ended; go in peace, Alleluia, Alleluia.

**R.** Thanks be to God, Alleluia, Alleluia

## **La Resurrección del Señor**

### **Una catequesis de la Liturgia de la Vigilia Pascual**

#### **Segunda parte: Liturgia de la palabra, Bautismo y Eucaristía**

La liturgia de la Vigilia Pascual es la más hermosa Liturgia de la Iglesia Católica Romana. Esta Liturgia se celebra en la Vigilia Pascual.

Aunque se celebra El Sábado Santo por la noche, esta es la liturgia de Vigilia de Pascua marca el comienzo de la Pascua. Estamos a la espera del retorno de nuestro Maestro con nuestras lámparas llenas y encendidas, para que El nos encuentre despiertos y nos invite en su mesa (cf. Lucas 12:35ff). Todos los católicos deben tratar de asistir a este hermoso servicio.

#### ***La vigilia se divide en cuatro partes:***

- Servicio de la luz
- Liturgia de la palabra
- Liturgia del bautismo
- Liturgia de la Eucaristía

#### ***Liturgia de la Palabra***

Durante la vigilia, se leen nueve lecturas: siete del Antiguo Testamento y dos del Nuevo Testamento. No se requiere leer todas las escrituras por falta de tiempo, pero deben leerse al menos tres del Antiguo Testamento, incluyendo Exodus 14. Estas lecturas nos ayudan a meditar en las obras maravillosas de Dios para con su pueblo desde el principio de los tiempos.

#### ***Las lecturas son:***

- La historia de la creación Gen 1:1-2; 2;
- Abraham e Isaac, Gen 22:1-18;
- El paso del mar rojo, Éxodo 14:15 – 15:1;
- Isaías 54: 5-14;
- Isaías 55:1-11;
- Baruc 3:9-15.32–4:4;
- Ezequiel 36:16-17.18-28;
- Romanos 6:3-11;

La lectura del evangelio de Marcos 16:1-7.

El Gloria se canta antes de la lectura de la epístola de los romanos, y se canta el Aleluya antes del Evangelio.

#### ***Liturgia del Bautismo***

Durante este tiempo de pascua en que el agua es bendecida, nuevos miembros son agregados a la iglesia por el bautismo; parte de la liturgia incluye la Letanía de los Santos. Los creyentes son bendecidos con agua y luego todos renuevan sus promesas bautismales.

#### ***Liturgia de la Eucaristía***

Continúa la Misa, con las oraciones especiales insertadas durante la plegaria de la Eucaristía. Toda la iglesia es llamada a participar en la mesa que Cristo ha preparado para nosotros con su muerte y resurrección.

La Misa termina con la aclamación gloriosa:

La misa ha terminado; Pueden ir en paz, Aleluya, Aleluya.

**R.** Demos gracias a Dios, Aleluya, Aleluya.

# HOLY WEEK



## SCHEDULE

### **Palm Sunday (Regular Schedule)**

8:30 & 10:30 AM English  
 12:30 PM Español  
 5:30 PM English

### **Monday (Regular Schedule)**

7:30 AM Mass

### **Tuesday (Regular Schedule)**

7:30 AM Mass

### **Wednesday**

6:30 AM Mass  
 6:30 PM Soup and bread  
 8:00 PM Tenebrae

### **The Holy Triduum**

### **Holy Thursday**

7:30 PM Mass of the Lord's Supper, concluding with Eucharistic Procession and Adoration. (Bilingual)

### **Good Friday**

8:30 AM Confessions  
 3:00 PM Stations of the Cross (Bilingual)  
 7:30 PM Good Friday Service (Bilingual)

### **Holy Saturday**

8:00 PM Easter Vigil

### **Easter Sunday (Regular Schedule)**

8:30 & 10:30 AM English  
 12:30 PM Español  
 5:30 PM English



Please Join Us for our  
 Simple Soup Supper

Wednesday, March 28th  
 beginning at 6:30pm  
 Blessed Trinity Parish Hall

Bring your family and friends to share this Lenten evening of fellowship and reflection on the 7 Last Words of Christ, followed by our Tenebrae Service at 8:00 PM in the church.

\$10.00 per person

*\*We ask that you bring dry/canned goods (beans, rice, oil, salt, etc.) for the poor.*

Please call the church office to make your reservation.



### **Lenten Mass Schedule**

7:30 am daily in English  
 6:30 pm lunes y miercoles - Español  
 6:30 pm Tuesday, Thursday & Friday - English

### **Stations of the Cross**

Fridays at 7:15 pm in English

### **Via Crucis**

viernes a las 8:00 pm Español



Due to Lent and Easter mass schedules we will not be celebrating any baptisms in April. We will celebrate both Spanish and English baptisms on May 6th. The English baptism will be at 2:00pm and Spanish at 3:30 pm. There will be no baptisms May 13th due to Mother's day.

