



Blessed Trinity

Catholic Church

- Bring Christ to All -

May 9, 2021 6th Sunday of Easter



Mass Schedule

Vigil Mass 5:00 PM (English)

Sunday 8:30 AM (English)

10:30 AM (English) - Live-Streamed

12:30 PM (Spanish) - Live-Streamed

We will continue to Livestream these masses for those who cannot join us

Confessions (During Covid-19 are held in the Parish Hall)

Saturday 4pm to 5pm

Sunday 9:45am to 10:30am

4020 Curtiss Parkway, Virginia Gardens, Florida 33166

Parish Office Phone: 305-871-5780 School Office Phone: 305-871-5766

Website: www.blessed-trinity.org www.facebook.com/BlessedTrinityChurch

YouTube: Blessed Trinity Catholic Church

Instagram: [blessed_trinity_parish](https://www.instagram.com/blessed_trinity_parish)



Parish

Pastoral Staff
Fr. José N. Alfaro
Pastor

Fr. Pawel Duda
Parochial Vicar

**Dennis Jordan, José Alemán,
Javier Inda and Ernesto Sosa**
Deacons

Olga Venegas
Religious Education

Maria Teresa Perez
Director of Development and
Institutional Advancement

Parish Office Hours
Monday – Friday: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm
Saturday: CLOSED
Sunday: 9 am – 2 pm

reception@blessed-trinity.org
Phone: 305-871-5780

Parish Mission
Bring Christ to All

School

Pre-K2 through 8th Grade

School Office Hours
7:30 am - 3:30 pm

btschool@blessed-trinity.org
Phone: 305-871-5766

Mrs. Susy Del Riego
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”*



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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, May 8 Vigil	5:00 PM	All the Mothers of the Parish	Parish Priests & Deacons
Sunday, May 9	8:30 AM	All the Mothers of the Parish	Parish Priests & Deacons
	10:30 AM	People of the Parish	Parish Priests & Deacons
	12:30 PM	Todas las madres de la parroquia	Sacerdotes y Diaconos de la parroquia
	5:30 PM	All the Mothers of the Parish	Parish Priests & Deacons
Monday, May 10	7:30 AM	†Sebastian Ortiz †Juanita Silva Fr. Alfaro's Anniversary Ordination Rosie Ortiz - Birthday Blessings Rita Valdes - Birthday Blessings	Ortiz family Ed & Becki Mecsery BT Staff Fr. Alfaro Fr. Alfaro
Tuesday, May 11	7:30 AM	†Sergio Garcia Palacio Luis Morales - Birthday blessings Carlos Fabano - Birthday blessings Nora Hernandez - Birthday blessings Angel Morales - Birthday blessings	His family Morales family Morales family Fr. Alfaro Fr. Alfaro
Wednesday, May 12	7:30 AM	†Sebastian Ortiz †Romulo Romero de la Vega †Dolores Pupo †Lilia Beatriz de Plaza	Ed & Becki Mecsery His family Haydee Hill Her Children
Thursday, May 13	7:30 AM	†Romulo Romero de la Vega The deceased members of the Villalobos & Coto families Janelle Vecin - Birthday blessings Christopher Bouzas	His family Their families Fr. Alfaro Daisy Ebanhack
Friday, May 14	7:30 AM	For the intentions of Charlie Henriquez †Romulo Romero de la Vega †Denise Contreras †Rodrigo Castaño	Fr. Alfaro His family Her family His family
Saturday, May 15	8:30 AM	†Lazaro Diaz †Romulo Romero de la Vega †Jim Eikenberry †Lucille Tomasic †Fr. Charles Reinbold †Misael Valdez †Brian Beltran Christina James - Birthday blessings Kaitlynnne Dorothy & Trae Allen Owens - Wedding Anniversary blessings	Ed & Becki Mecsery His family Fr. Alfaro Michael Prudenti Michael Prudenti Maria Valdez Maria Valdez Maria Valdez Chuck & Maria Postel
Vigil	5:00 PM	†Maruca Castaneira	Lourdes & Joaquin Ochoa
Sunday, May 16	8:30 AM	†Juan Flores Flores	Josie Gonzalez
	10:30 AM	People of the Parish	Parish Priests & Deacons
	12:30 PM	†Francisco Minaya Lopez †Teresita Obermann †Julio P. Jimenez Capia †Nadia Diaz †Aurelia Cecilia Cardenas †Romulo Romero de la Vega †Antonia Molina †Margarita Garcia †Hector Garcia †Francisco Arroyo Difuntos de la familia Galindo	Su familia Su hijo Su familia Su hija Jeanette Cardenas Su familia Fr. Alfaro Fr. Alfaro Fr. Alfaro Fr. Alfaro Lourdes Blanco
	5:30 PM	In thanksgiving - health of Jorge Santin	His wife

A praying Community

Please keep all of these intentions in your daily prayers:

For our Pastor's Intentions:

- * For the sick and suffering of the parish; for those mourning the death of a loved one.
- * For our country, for the new administration that they may be guided and inspired by the Holy Spirit.
- * For everyone affected by the Coronavirus and that we find a cure for it.

For our Parish Intentions:

- * For a renewed sense of evangelization among our parishioners so that our mission, to Bring Christ to all, may be fulfilled.
- * For the young adults to recognize the importance of receiving the sacrament of matrimony and having Christ as the center of their union.

For the Pope's Intentions: Let us pray that those in charge of finance will work with governments to regulate the financial sphere and protect citizens from its dangers.

For the sick and elderly of the parish, Zach K., Hermes H., Xonia G., David T., Angel C., Juan A., Miguel N., America V., Robert (Ski) W., Rose B., George & Isabel R., Michael S., Roger P., Geoffrey P., Larry B., Jose Alberto V., Osvaldo C., Ozzie C., Peter C., Manolo R., Fatme R., Lizzi R., Alyssa Milagros, Carlos V., Frank P., Juan S., Suzie D., Joseph M., Ernesto D., Edith H., Gabriel P., Armando L., Julie L., John A., & Edward R.

For the eternal repose of the recently deceased members of our parish, especially Paul Bithorn, Jammie Vazquez, Christopher Floyd & Miguel Gutierrez



MAY 2021

10 Mon

Saint John of Ávila & Saint Damien de Veuster
Acts 16:11-15/Jn 15:26—16:4a (291)

11 Tue

Acts 16:22-34/Jn 16:5-11 (292)

12 Wed

Saints Nereus and Achilleus
Acts 17:15, 22—18:1/Jn 16:12-15 (293)

13 Thu

Our Lady of Fatima]
Acts 18:1-8/Jn 16:16-20 (294)

14 Fri

Saint Matthias
Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Jn 15:9-17 (564) Pss Prop

15 Sat

Acts 18:23-28/Jn 16:23b-28 (296)

16 SUN

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD
Acts 1:1-11/Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13/Mk 16:15-20 (58) Pss Prop



It is important during this difficult time of "Social Distancing", that we stay in contact, we still need each other and need to keep our momentum and hope on our mission of Bringing Christ to All.

Es importante durante este momento difícil de "distanciamiento social", que nos mantengamos en contacto, todavía nos necesitamos los unos a los otros y debemos mantener nuestro impulso y esperanza en nuestra misión de llevar a Cristo a todos.

Ministries starting via Zoom:

CCD/Religious Ed	Sunday	9 am
Griefshare	Sunday	2 pm
Men's Emmaus	Tuesday	7 pm
TMIY	Thursday	6 am
Lifeteen	Sunday	6:45 pm
BT Young Adults (BiWeekly)	Wednesday	6 :30 pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Come to church and spend an hour in the company of Jesus!



Every Wednesday
Todos los miercoles

8 AM to 1 PM
and
7 PM to 8:30 PM

**¡Venga a la iglesia y acompañe a
Jesus
por una hora!**

Be mindful of the social distancing &
mask requirements! Acuerdese de mantener la
distancia y usar su mascarilla!

Last month we collected 42 frozen Baked Chicken meals! Let's continue the momentum! The next scheduled drive-by is **Monday, May 24th** and the casserole meal is **Turkey Chili**. This date comes quickly; cook early so that the date does not sneak up on you. **May** your generous actions reward your spirit. Interested in joining the **Camillus House Casserole** ministry?

Please contact one of the following for information and recipes.

Ana Drew (786) 247-4859

William Drew (786) 325-5925

Ileana Rodriguez (786) 302-7808

btcamillus@gmail.com



The Vocation Cup Week of 5/9 –5/15

Caudle family—English
Gloria Wildenburg — Spanish

Please sign up to host the Vocation Cup for a week in your home, to pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

Please contact Lourdes at 305-302-6990 to schedule a week of your preference.

Por favor llame a Ana Maria Sora al 305-298-6703 si quiere rezar de manera especial por las vocaciones durante una semana.



OUTREACH MINISTRY PEANUT BUTTER & JELLY SANDWICH COLLECTION DATES 2021

Collection is at 6pm in front of the Parish Office

May 11 & 25

June 8 & 22



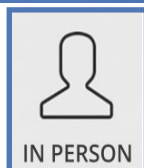
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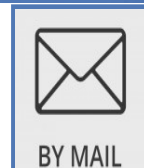
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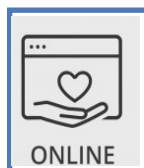
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Elementary Teacher

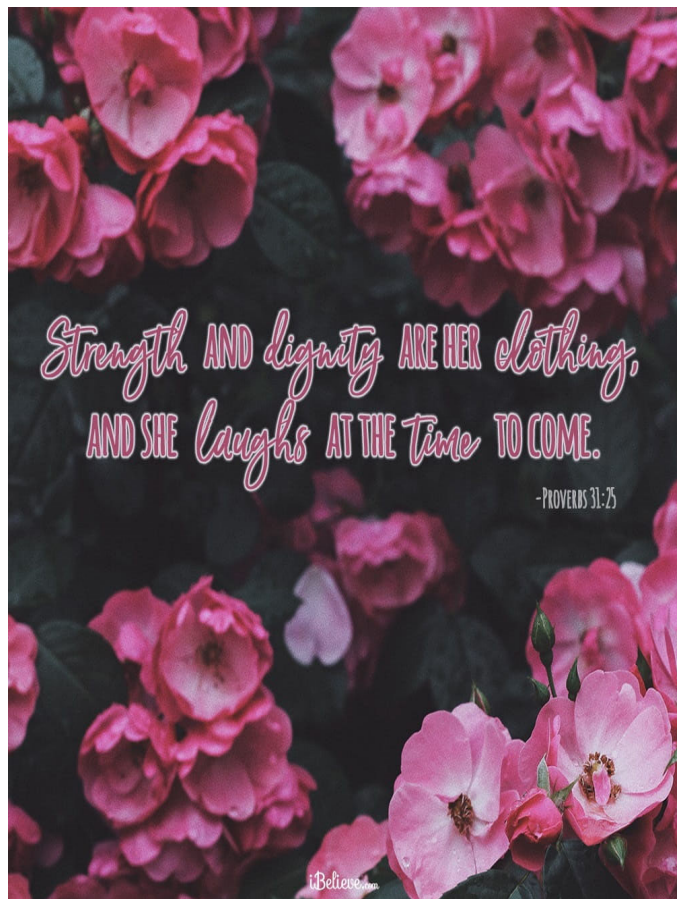
Visit the Archdiocese of Miami website for more information on these positions, or email Mrs. Del Riego at delriego.s@blessed-trinity.org for more information.



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Missing to reach Goal: 346.02

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Save a life. Contact Congress.

WHAT

Congress is trying to force Americans to pay for abortion.

HOW

The Hyde Amendment and similar laws have protected taxpayers from funding elective abortion for 45 years. Now, powerful members of Congress want to take away these laws that both Democrats and Republicans have supported for nearly half a century.

WHAT HAPPENS WITHOUT THESE PROTECTIONS?

Billions of taxpayer dollars could be used to pay for abortion.

TAKE ACTION

Sign the petition to Congress at NoTaxpayerAbortion.com!

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A word of Thanks:

Dear Blessed Trinity Parishioners,



It is hard to believe that a year ago, at this time, the doors to our Church were closed due to an unknown virus that within a matter of weeks changed our lives completely. In matter of a week, we went from celebrating Ash Wednesday 2020 to closing the Church due to mandatory shut downs ordered. None of us were prepared or had planned for such an event but through God's grace and a generous donation our parish had just installed a brand new video streaming system. This allowed us though not present at our church, at least we could see our mass service on Social Media. As the weeks went by it was harder and harder to accept this new reality. Finally after a very long two and half months, we re-opened our church doors with a long list of do's and don'ts all in an effort to keep everyone safe and healthy. It has been a challenging experience for all of us but we pulled through, and now as we are taking steps to a "new normal" we the Welcome Ministers, would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone from the bottom of our hearts for your patience, obedience, your smiles during these times and your encouraging words throughout this year. We are starting to make changes on a daily and weekly basis according to CDC regulations and we ask for your patience again as we try to get back to normal. Please continue to bare with us a little longer, with God's help we will get through this....

Your Blessed Trinity Welcome Ministers

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### *Unas palabras de agradecimiento:*



Estimados feligreses de Blessed Trinity,

Nos parece mentira que hace un año, por estas fechas, las puertas de nuestra Iglesia estuvieran cerradas debido a un virus desconocido que en cuestión de semanas cambió nuestras vidas por completo. De una semana a otra, fuimos de celebrar el Miércoles de Ceniza 2020 a cerrar la Iglesia debido a los cierres obligatorios ordenados. Ninguno de nosotros estaba preparado o había planeado para tal evento, pero por la gracia de Dios y una generosa donación, nuestra parroquia acababa de instalar un nuevo sistema de transmisión de video. Esto permitió que aunque no estuviéramos presentes en nuestra iglesia, al menos pudimos ver nuestras misas en las redes sociales. Cada semana que pasaba, se nos hizo más difícil aceptar esta nueva realidad. Finalmente, después de dos meses y medio, volvimos a abrir las puertas de nuestra iglesia con una larga lista de lo que se debe y no se debe hacer con el propósito de mantener a todos sanos y saludables. Ha sido una experiencia desafiante para todos nosotros, pero salimos adelante, y ahora que estamos dando pasos hacia una "nueva normalidad", nosotros los Ministros de Bienvenida, nos gustaría aprovechar esta oportunidad para agradecer a todos desde el fondo de nuestro corazón por su paciencia, obediencia, sus sonrisas durante estos tiempos y sus palabras de aliento a lo largo de este año. Estamos comenzando a hacer cambios diaria y semanalmente de acuerdo con las regulaciones de los CDC y le pedimos paciencia nuevamente mientras intentamos volver a la normalidad. Por favor, por un poco más, con la ayuda de Dios lo superaremos todo.

*Sus Ministros de Bienvenida de Blessed Trinity*



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In preparation for Pentecost, please join Fr. Pawel in a 3 part series of talks on the Holy Spirit in a Christian's life, according to St. Thomas Aquinas. The talks will be held in person for 3 consecutive Thursday nights in the church.

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