

June 12, 2022

The Most Holy Trinity



Scripture Readings: Proverbs 8:22-31; Psalm 8:4-9;
Romans 5:1-5; John 16:12-15

“But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth...” John 16:13

It has been said that the best gift we can give someone is to teach them how to pray. If you don't talk and more importantly, listen, to God every day, how else will you know what He is calling you to do? Just as you talk to family and friends every day, get in the habit of talking with God every day. Develop a daily prayer routine. Keep your prayers simple and sincere. This is best done in silence, when you can hear His response.

Liturgical Assignments – June 18/19	
Lector	
4:30 p.m.	Monica Purdy
7:00 a.m.	Chris Roberts
9:00 a.m.	Josh Bachman
Altar Servers	
4:30 p.m.	Jude Stewart / Grayson Flint
9:00 a.m.	Aaden Pearce / Josh Green
Weekday	Volunteers welcome
Money Counters	
Rhonda Christie / Nancy Teschner	
Sacrificial Offerings to God – June 4/5	
Envelopes	16,070.00
Plate	496.27
Votives	37.00
Repair/Utility Fund	850.00
Peter's Pence	Not in budget 442.60
Miscellaneous	106.00
TOTAL	17,453.27
Average Weekly Offertory Needed	\$14,360.00

ANNOUNCEMENTS

This weekend the second collection will go to the repair/utility fund.

Next weekend the second collection will be taken up for the Annual Catholic Communications Appeal.

Congratulations to **Brian Daugherty** and **Wyatt Dunbar** who received First Holy Communion here last weekend.

*Dear Parishioners,
Thank you to the many who have extended your words of encouragement - and especially the promise of prayers - on the recent anniversary of my priestly ordination. As I reflect further, it was ten years ago that I left Saint James (the first time!). I remember fondly the send-off you provided me, and I remain pleased to serve you in this current term. Every day I am blessed to be a part of your lives and to be an unworthy instrument of God's Grace. Let us continue to pray for one another as we open our hearts to Jesus that we may allow His Light to shine in our hearts, to shine as a beacon of hope in the south end.*

- **Father Totton**

Gifts of the Holy Spirit – Understanding

It is easy to learn facts and figures, dates and places. The gift of understanding is the possibility to give meaning to what we learn through wisdom. On the road to Emmaus, the disciples met the Risen Jesus. Having explained everything that had happened in Jerusalem and why they were downcast, Jesus set out to explain everything in the scriptures about Himself. The disciples knew the facts; Jesus helped them understand and make sense of those facts.

Excerpt from www.catholicireland.net/the-holy-spirit-2/

*Dear Lord,
Grant me the spirit of Understanding to enlighten my mind with the light of Thy divine truth. Amen*

Coram Deo is a Eucharistic-centered Catholic group which exists to meet the needs of young adults in the St. Joseph area and to provide opportunities for spiritual growth and fellowship. *Coram Deo* is meeting on **Monday, June 20th**, for **Mondays on the Bluff!** Meet at the Cathedral of St. Joseph parish at **6:10pm** for a walking rosary to River Bluff Brewing, where we will enjoy food, drinks, and fellowship! All young adults aged 22-35 are invited to attend. We hope to see you there! Questions? Please contact Ally Gabler at allygabler@gmail.com.

THIS WEEK AT SAINT JAMES	
Sunday, June 12	Mass at 7AM Holy Hour/Confessions – 8 am Mass at 9AM Pivotal Players Class – 10:05 am, C. Erk Rm Confessions – 11 am Latin Mass at 11:30 am
Monday	Confessions – 7:30 am Legion of Mary – 8:45 am, C. Erk Rm
Tuesday	Confessions – 7:30 am Rosary/Chaplet of Divine Mercy, 5:30 pm Holy Hour/Confessions – 6 pm
Wednesday	Confessions – 7:30 am Bible Study/Catechism – 6:30 pm, Erk Rm <i>Bring your Bibles!</i>
Thursday	Confessions – 7:30 am
Friday	Confessions – 7:30 am Office Closed
Saturday	Confessions – 3:30 pm Mass at 4:30 pm
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CATHOLICISM: The Pivotal Players! Please join us for Bishop Barron's engaging video series about a handful of fascinating individuals who shaped the Church and changed Western Civilization. **Sundays, 10:05am in the Casper Erk Room with coffee and refreshments.**

We'll start **JUNE 12th** with **Michelangelo**, the Artist. On **JUNE 19** we explore **St. Thomas Aquinas**, the Theologian. For more info contact Josh and Lindsey Bachman at jcbachman@gmail.com or (757) 642-2866.

The relationship of faith and reason is under intense scrutiny in an age beholden to the competing claims of fundamentalism and secularism. So called “new atheists” insist that the claims of religion amount to mere superstition, and others insist that the life of faith is a retreat into emotions and subjectivism. St. Thomas Aquinas anticipated these objections and trends and demonstrated that to believe is to think and that the life of the mind is integral to life in Christ.



Bible Study/Catechism Class Continues

Wednesday evenings 6:30pm, Casper Erk Room. Contact information: Kelly Bachman bachy@sbcglobal.net.

The **MO Scholars K-12 Scholarship Program** provides financial assistance to new families wishing to send their children to Catholic schools.

Incoming kindergarten and first graders who meet the income threshold or have an IEP are eligible to receive scholarships. Families with children in other grades must have been enrolled in a public or charter school. Current Catholic school families in grades 2-12 are not eligible to participate.

If you would like to learn more about scholarship opportunities and donor tax credit benefits, visit <http://www.brightfuturesfund.org/moscholars.html>.

MASS INTENTIONS	
Sunday, June 12 The Most Holy Trinity 7:00 a.m. – Pro Populo 9:00 a.m. – Michael & Frances Hernandez, Mary Ann Ellis + Trinity Sunday 11:30 a.m. (Latin) Robert Kneib +	
Monday, June 13 St. Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church 8 a.m. – Greater Devotion to Christ the King	
Tuesday, June 14 Votive Mass of the Holy Angels 8 a.m. – Richard Beaver +	
Wednesday, June 15 Votive Mass of St. Joseph 8 a.m. – Shirley Cox +	
Thursday, June 16 Votive Mass of the Most Holy Eucharist 8 a.m. – Jennifer Cox Johnson +	
Friday, June 17 Votive Mass of the Sacred Heart 8 a.m. – Paul & Melissa Cox	
Saturday, June 18 The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ 4:30 p.m. – Dallas Hunt +	
Sunday, June 19 The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ 7:00 a.m. – Laudy & Genny Przybylski + 9:00 a.m. – Pro Populo Corpus Christi as an External Solemnity 11:30 a.m. (Latin) James McCulloch +	
(A cross indicates that the Mass intention is for a deceased loved one.)	