



BLESSED TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH

October 16, 2011

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MASS SCHEDULE AT BLESSED TRINITY

WEEKEND

Saturday 4:00 pm and 6:00 pm
Sunday 7:15 am, 8:45 am, 11:00 am,
12:30 pm Spanish, 5:00 pm LifeTeen

DAILY

Mon—Fri 7:10 am and 5:15 pm
Wednesday 8:15 am (follows school schedule)
Thursday 6:30 pm (Spanish)
Saturday 8:00 am

Reconciliation Saturday 2:45—3:30 pm
5:00—5:30 pm
Thursday 7:00 pm (Spanish)

MASS SCHEDULE AT OUR MISSION CHURCHES

WEEKEND

Saturday 5:00 pm at Christ the King
Sunday 10:15 am at Christ the King
7:00 pm at La Guadaluana
(Spanish)

DAILY

Tuesday 7:00 pm at La Guadaluana
(Spanish)

Wednesday 5:00 pm at Christ the King

PARISH LIFE

OCTOBER 16, 2011 ~ TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MISSION STATEMENT: *Blessed Trinity Catholic Church Stewardship Community recognizes Jesus is Lord. We believe that our Time, Talent and Treasure are gifts from God to be used for the spiritual, educational and social needs of our community, the Diocese and the world at large, especially the poor.*

PARISH STAFF - 629.8092

Sr. Juliet Ateenyi	Ministry to Sick	x211
Katherine Baker	Secretary	x201
Jeff Wright	Secretary	x201
Colleen Halstead	Business Manager	x218
Jason Halstead	Blessed Trinity School	622.5808
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Fran Harwas	Human Resources	x212
Steve Hoesterey	Brother's Keeper	622.3846
Ro Lipari	Religious Education	x207
Jan Martin	Angels in Arms	622.6167
Julie Martin	Youth Minister	x222
Mollie Miranda	Stewardship	x208
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Sr. Concepta Najjemba	Soup Kitchen	629.1292
Richard Saalfeld	Music Ministry	x202

Trinity Catholic High School		622.9025
Br. Daniel Aubin	President	
Jacquelyn Gehrsitz	Principal	

NEW PARISHIONERS ARE WELCOME to stop by the Church Office to register Monday through Friday 8:00 am to 5:00 pm or stop by the Parish Hall the first Sunday of each month following the 8:45 am and 11:00 am Masses.

BAPTISM: We are pleased to help your family prepare for the special event of your child's entrance into our faith community. To help parents and godparents prepare, a class (English) is held the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:30 pm in the Community Center and in Spanish the 2nd Saturday of each month, at 9:00 am at Guadalupana. Parents and Godparents must attend this class prior to scheduling baptism.

MARRIAGES: If you are planning to be married at Blessed Trinity, your preparation process should begin at least four (4) months prior to desired date. We look forward to helping you during your time of engagement and preparation for the vocation of Christian marriage. Call the Church Office for an appointment with one of our priests.

SICK CALLS AND HOSPITAL VISITS: If you or a family member are in a local hospital or homebound and would like to receive Communion or Sacrament of the Sick, please call the Church Office at 629.8092 or Sister Juliet at x211. When registering at the hospital, put your name on the Catholic List.

STEWARDSHIP BY THE BOOK

Each year at tax time, we conscientiously give "to Caesar what belongs to Caesar."
Does my stewardship indicate that I am as faithful about giving
"to God what belongs to God?"

Jesus said, "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are they who mourn, for they shall be comforted. Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the land..." (Mt 5:1-12a)

The word that is usually translated as "blessed" in this passage really means "happy." We know from experience that we are happy when our heart is right. We all have an inner "EKG" that measures the peacefulness of our heart. If we don't have peace there, no amount of external comfort will compensate for it.

Jesus teaches the key to a peaceful heart: To hear the word of God and live it. Those who do this are happy. Even if their present condition is difficult, they are at peace with God. Also among the people Jesus calls "blessed" are: The merciful, the clean of heart, the peacemakers, and those persecuted for acting rightly. We all know people who may or may not have had an abundance of talent or material goods, but used whatever they had as well as they could. They were truly happy here on earth, and now we have confident hope that they have far more than anyone ever dreamed of. By God's grace it's within our reach to do the same. How's my inner EKG?

THE TOP TEN STEWARDSHIP

MINISTRY OF THE WEEK

CHOIR MEMBER

Blessed Trinity Choir members sing at one or more weekend liturgies and attend choir practice, usually held on Wednesday nights.

For more information, please contact Richard Saalfeld at 629.8092 x202 or email: rsaalfeld@blessedtrinity.org

NEW PARISHIONERS:

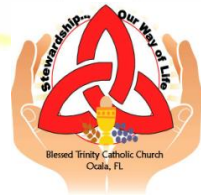
Evelyn, Elliah and Julian D'Souza

Abner, Brenda, Brenlyn, Avery and Abbygail Valdes

Elizabeth Gallagher

Stephanie, Mark, Conner and Brenna Dolan

Victoria and Remy Charles



STEWARD OF THE WEEK

Deb Olson

Thank you to Deb for her gracious gift of allowing Blessed Trinity to use her facility for the 3rd Annual Family Weekend Campout. Everyone had a great time!

Thank you for being a faithful Steward!

BAPTISMS:

Madilynn Kay Watson

Kaidence Maree Harding



 * People who think they're only serving themselves can
 * actually be carrying out God's will despite themselves. So it
 * was with Cyrus the Great, the Persian emperor. His military
 * conquests were for his glory, he thought, but the Lord used
 * him to restore the Jews, the Chosen People, to their homes
 * in Palestine. He allowed their return after he conquered the
 * Babylonians, who had taken the Jews into captivity. Isaiah
 * even referred to him as God's anointed, for he was serving
 * God's purposes.
 * This reminds us that God is the one who gives authority to
 * governments, as well as to the Church, and that each has its
 * sphere of responsibility for our welfare. The problem is that
 * governments often seek to expand their powers in ways that are tyrannical rather than beneficial. That's
 * why the Church's witness is needed so that we can return to Caesar what is his, as well as return to God
 * what is God's.
 * But it also means that as stewards we are responsible to share our gifts and serve the wider community
 * beyond the parish wall as well as worship and serve within the Church. Both are needed for a healthy
 * society. God's care extends to all aspects of our human life. Copyright © 2011 www.THECATHOLICSTEWARD.com



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WORSHIP

Top Ten Questions Catholics Are Usually Asked

Question 4 Why do you worship Mary?

Catholics do not worship Mary. We venerate her because she is the mother of God the Son, our Lord Jesus Christ. Veneration is completely different from adoration of God. It is the honoring of a person – not the worship of Almighty God, our Creator. Catholics believe that Mary is the highest of God's creatures because of her exalted role and because she said a complete "yes" to God's will for her. But of course, like any other human being she had to be saved by the mercy of God. She herself said, "My spirit rejoices in God my Savior" (Lk 1:47). We believe God saved her by taking away all stain of original sin at the moment of her conception (the Immaculate Conception). The very fact that God took on flesh and became man (Jn 1:1-14) indicates that He wished to involve human beings in His plan of salvation for mankind. Mary was a key person in God's plan. That is why Catholics honor her so highly.

NEXT SUNDAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

United with the Catholics of the world at the Table of the Lord, we recommit ourselves to our vocation, through Baptism, to be missionaries. Our prayers and Eucharistic celebration next Sunday are directed in a special way toward our brothers and sisters throughout the world who are waiting to hear the joyous "Good News" of Jesus. Through our financial gifts, offered in next week's collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, we become partners with missionaries who proclaim the Gospel and offer help and hope to the poor in mission countries.

CELEBRATING THE HISPANIC HERITAGE 2011

****RESCHEDULED DATE****

The Hispanic Ministry is celebrating Hispanic Heritage Day, **Sunday, October 30th** on the Blessed Trinity soccer field from 11:00am –5:00pm. Come and join us to share our cultural diversity. Our theme "Saint Isidore Market." Enjoy Hispanic food, pastries, folk art and crafts, religious art, jewelry, purses, bouncing castle, music, Zumba presentation, plants and much more.

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK

Ex 22:20-26

1 Thes 1:5c-10

Mt 22:34-40



WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, October 17	7:10 am Robert J. Ward+
	5:15 pm Jim Leeward+
Tuesday, October 18	7:10 am Bernard Zito+
	5:15 pm Anna O'Dea+
Wed., October 19	7:10 am Teresa Nalule+
	8:15 am Maria D'Ambrosio+
	5:15 pm James Scott Kinard+
Thursday, October 20	7:10 am Allen West III+
	5:15 pm Vinny Mazzurco+
Friday, October 21	7:10 am Teresa Nalule+
	5:15 pm Judi Pippo Sp Int
Saturday, October 22	8:00 am L/D Andrew & Teresa Semudo Families
	4:00 pm Tony & Isabell Lachermeier+
	6:00pm Luigi Cuomo+
Sunday, October 23	7:15 am William LaPlant+
	8:45 am Matilda Levite Labbe+
	11:00 am Vivian Calise+
	12:30 pm Spanish Community
	5:00 pm Joan Nolan+

Your prayers are requested for James Garcia, and Mary Ellen Kash who have recently died.

ALTAR FLOWERS

Please call the Church Office at 629.8092 x201 if you would like more information on placing flowers on the altar.



October 16th:	In memory of Jan Spano By John & Lynn Knettles
October 23rd:	In memory of Vinny Mazzurco By the Lafferty Family
October 30th:	In memory of Dorothy & Ted Koper By The Miranda Family and The Cormey Family

FR. PAT'S 1st SACRAMENT MEETING

Fr. Pat's 1st Sacrament meeting will be on Sunday, October 16th, at 9:55am in the Gym. The make-up for this class is Saturday, October 29th, at 9:00am, in the chapel of the church. The meeting is mandatory for parents of students making a sacrament, for the first time, this year and all confirmation students. If you have any questions please call Ro Lipari at 629.8092 x207.

ENROLLMENT OF CONFIRMATION STUDENTS

There will be an enrollment of all Confirmation students on Sunday, October 16th, at the 11:00am Mass. All Confirmation students are expected to attend.

PARENTS OF CHILDREN MAKING A SACRAMENT

Beginning October 15th and 16th, please have your child complete a Mass attendance sheet, found in the vestibule of the church, in a compartment under the bulletins, and have it signed by Fr. Pat or the presiding priest, on the way out of Mass. Your child is to hand it in to their teacher. If you happen to be out of town, on a Sunday, please have a bulletin from the church you attend, signed by their priest. Attendance will be strictly noted. It is imperative that your child participates in Mass each weekend (Saturday evening or Sunday) with his or her family. We encourage all parents to be exemplary role models to their children—at all times—but especially as they prepare to receive a sacrament.

HELP WANTED

The RCIA is looking for a few generous people to join their team. As a member of the RCIA team, you would be assisting others on their faith journey. These folks will be in formation, this year and make the Sacraments of Initiation at the Easter Vigil. It is an awesome privilege to be a part of this team. If you are interested, or would like more information, please call Ro Lipari at 629.8092.

YOUNG ADULTS

"Like" us on Facebook! Search for Blessed Trinity Young Adults. It's a great way to keep up with the latest news and activities.

LIFE TEEN NEWS

EMAIL ALERTS! If you would like to receive emails regarding all upcoming Life Teen events, news and updates, please email Julie: jmartin@blessedtrinity.org

Sunday, October 16th: Join us for Mass, dinner & Life Night, concluding at 8:00pm. What is the Magisterium of the Church? After tonight, we're going to better understand the Magisterium of Holy Mother Church. Let's look at the beauty and freedom in living an obedient Christian life!

Sunday, October 23rd: Join us for Mass, but no Life Night. This is carnival weekend, and it is our yearly tradition to hit the carnival after Life Teen Mass! Come out and help support BTS, while having fun with your friends.

BONFIRE: Mark your calendars for Sunday, October 30th, and plan to join us for our annual All Saints Day bonfire! We had a blast last year, and we're looking forward to another great time. We will celebrate Mass together at 5pm, and then immediately following Mass, we'll load up onto the buses. Please note that we will arrive back to church later than normal, around 9:15pm. Plan ahead to get your homework done!

Math Teacher Wanted

Blessed Trinity School is currently taking applications for a highly qualified math teacher for grades 7 & 8.

Successful candidates should:

- Be committed to the mission of Catholic education;
- Hold Florida certification or be eligible for certification;
- Be comfortable integrating technology in instruction
- Be knowledgeable and proficient in current educational practices
- Love children

Résumés and applications may be emailed to Jason Halstead, principal, at jhalstead@btschool.org or submitted in person in the school office.

GIFT SHOP

We have a CD that walks you through the New Mass Translation. Polystone Blessings of faith ornaments with silver trim and a spiritual message. Trinity cross and St. Michael lapel pins.

Books: Rosary for children booklet for ages 6-18.

YOUCAT-YOUCAT is short for *Youth Catechism of the Catholic Church*...written for high-school age people and young adults. The appealing graphic format includes Questions-and-Answers, highly-readable commentary, summary definitions of key terms, Bible citations and inspiring and thought-provoking quotes from Saints and others in the margins.

Blessed Trinity Gift Store Hours:

Wednesdays: 12:30 pm to 2:30 pm & the 2nd Wednesday of the month from 5:15 pm to 6:30 pm.

***10% off everything in the store on Wednesday**

Saturdays: 5:00 pm to 6:00 pm

Sundays: 8:00 am to 8:45 am ~ 9:45am to 11:00 am ~ 12:00 pm to 12:30 pm and 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Join the Choir for Christmas!

Perhaps you can't commit to a weekly choir rehearsal all year, but how about joining for the Christmas Celebrations? These would include a Festival of Lessons and Carols around December 18 and the Carol Service and Midnight Mass on Christmas Eve. Rehearsals are on Wednesdays 7:00 to 9:00pm. For more information, please contact Richard Saalfeld at 629-8092x202 or RSaalfeld@blessedtrinity.org.

Sign Up for the Children's Christmas Eve Pageant!

On Christmas Eve (Saturday, Dec 24) at 3pm there will be a **Mass for Children and their Families**. Part of the celebration will be a "Christmas Pageant" If your child is **3 years old or older** and would like to participate in the pageant, please come to the registration on **Saturday, November 19, from 11am till 12noon in front of the church**. All but one of the practices will be on Saturday mornings in December, from 10am till noon, in the Church. **If you cannot come on Nov 19, call Charlene Knight before that date at 236-4679.**

ATTENTION VISITORS AND NEW PARISHIONERS:

If you wish to register with us, please stop by the Church Office weekdays between 8:00 am and 5:00 pm or stop by the Parish Hall following the 8:45 am or 11:00 am Mass the first Sunday of the month.

**COVENANT MISSION TEAM**

The Covenant Mission Team will hold its 2nd meeting Wednesday, October 19th, @ 7:00pm in the Parish Hall. Our first required service project for the year will be serving @ the Carrabbas Dinner @ BT Carnival Thursday, Oct 20. If you are interested in going on the mission trip Summer 2012, you must attend this meeting or be sure you have signed up to serve Thursday or Friday of Carnival weekend. For more information, call 624-2316.

Attention: Eighth Graders**Two Opportunities to get Confirmation Service Hours****1. Join the Bell Choir**

This is an **"intergenerational" group**. Open to Middle School and older students and adults. Sometimes a parent will join along with his/her child. Music reading ability is not required, but it is helpful. **Rehearsals** are usually on Tuesdays from 6:30 to 8:00pm.

2. Help exchange the old hymnals for new ones.

This year the day of the switch is **Friday, November 18, 3:00-5:00pm.**

If you are interested in either of these, please contact

Richard Saalfeld at 629-892x202 or

RSaalfeld@yahoo.com.

PERPETUAL ADORATION

Perpetual Adoration needs change very quickly. We still have not filled Sunday at 1PM. We could also use another person from 12Noon to 1PM on Sunday and due to illness a need has now come up for Friday at 9AM. **Please**, the Lord is calling a Blessed Trinity parishioner to spend one of these hours with him. Call Mary Ann Haggerty at 861-8313 to reserve this hour. Thank you and God bless you.

BLESSED TRINITY SENIOR CRAFTERS

Our crafters meet on Thursdays at 10:00am to noon in Bldg "F". We hope to finish our projects from last month and plan on working on a variety of beaded jewelry accessories. Come and join us and bring your ideas to share!

BLESSED TRINITY SENIOR LUNCHEON

Come join us at the Senior Luncheon on Tuesday, November 1st, 12 noon, in the Community Center, Bldg. F. This month Bonnie Ameche will share stories from her recent trip to Uganda. We are Blessed Trinity's **senior adults** (50 and over) who come together to share a meal, meet new friends and enjoy a speaker or other activities. Come and join us and bring a dish to share that serves 8.

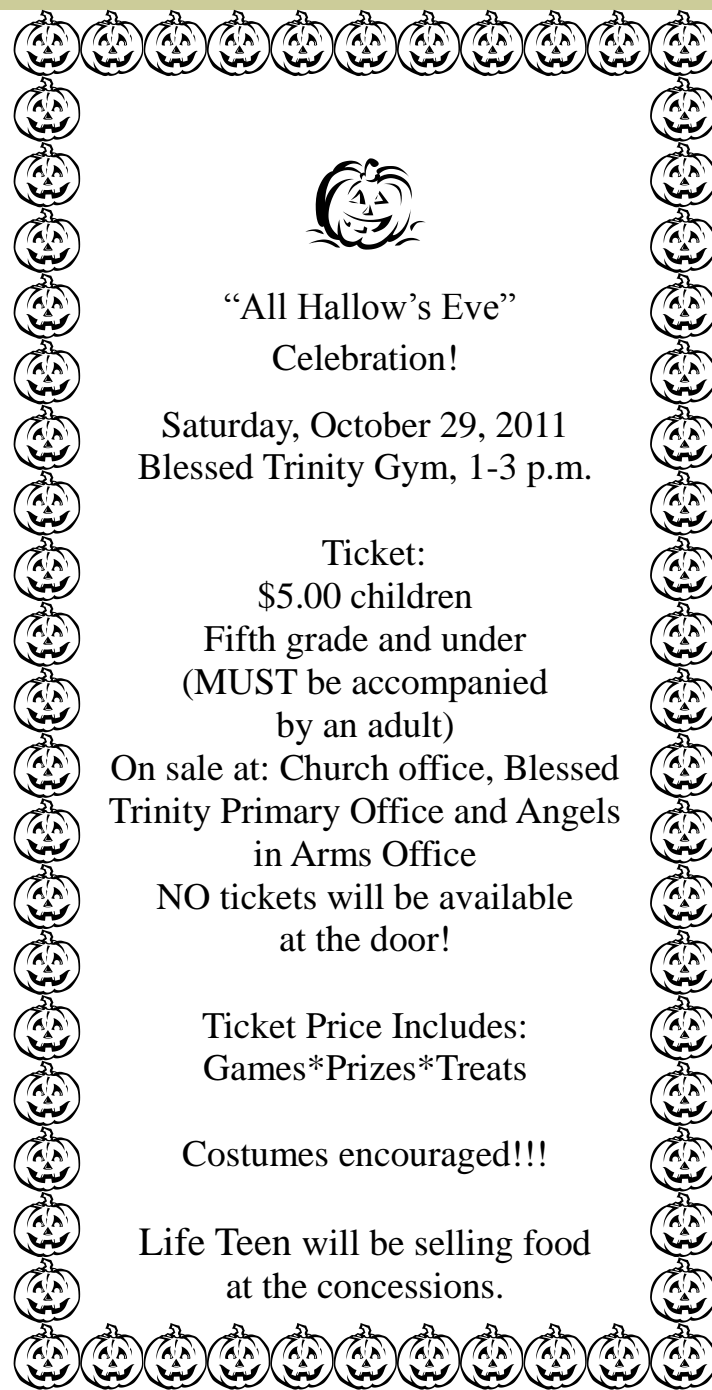


**TRINITY CATHOLIC FOOTBALL
2011 SCHEDULE**

DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION	TIME
11/4	FORT WHITE(HOMECOMING)	HOME	7:30
11/11	PALMETTO (SENIOR NIGHT)	HOME	7:30

TC CHEERLEADERS CAR WASH

The TRINITY CELTIC VARSITY CHEERLEADERS will be hosting a car wash during AND after SUNDAY Masses **THIS SUNDAY, October 16** 8:00am until 12 NOON. The ladies will use the funds to assist them for their 2012 State Cheer Competition. Last year the 2011 squad did awesome and made the top FINAL FOUR. This year's goal of becoming state champs needs your assistance. PLEASE stop by and let the cheerleaders wash your car. PRICE=Donations Welcome! CHEERS! Coach Bowe and the CELTIC VARSITY CHEERLEADERS



**"All Hallow's Eve"
Celebration!**

Saturday, October 29, 2011
Blessed Trinity Gym, 1-3 p.m.

Ticket:
\$5.00 children
Fifth grade and under
(MUST be accompanied
by an adult)
On sale at: Church office, Blessed
Trinity Primary Office and Angels
in Arms Office
NO tickets will be available
at the door!

Ticket Price Includes:
Games*Prizes*Treats

Costumes encouraged!!!

Life Teen will be selling food
at the concessions.

Please save the date!

The annual Stewardship Appreciation evening will begin after the 5 p.m. Mass on Sunday, November 20th. We are trying something new this year: a movie night ("Soul Surfer") outside in the parking lot! Details to come. Please make plans to attend!



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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

Knights of Columbus will be leading **rosary prayers** for the Sanctity of Life and the Unborn every Thursday at 6 PM after 5:15 PM Mass during the month of October. Join us at Mary's shrine in the grotto between the church and parish hall.

Brother Knights, join us for a **prayer vigil** in front of the abortion clinic on Pine Street Wednesdays and Saturdays 8 AM - 4 PM during the month of October. Please consider offering an hour of prayer and meditation for the Unborn and the Sanctity of Life. Remember to bring your rosary, prayer or inspirational reading, chair and umbrella.

Knights of Columbus **Meetings** at 7:30 PM 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month at the K of C hall. Next meeting is Wednesday October 26.

4th Degree Assembly meeting is the 1st Wednesday of the month at 7:30 PM. Next meeting will be November 2nd at our K of C Hall. All Sir Knights are encouraged to attend.

Texas Holdem Tournament

1st and 3rd Friday at the Knights Hall, Doors open at 6:30 PM, Only \$20 to buy in and games start at 7 PM. Further Information: (352) 368-5960

Knights of Columbus **Hall Rentals**. Call now for Christmas Party bookings. Weddings, Birthdays, Retirements, Graduations, Free WI-FI. Hall rental is available for daytime and evening. Competitive Rates. Contact Joe Ivaskewitz (352) 368-5960

WEEKEND GET AWAY

"Render unto Caesar what is Caesar's, and to God what is God's." Have we worked to make our marriage of God, or is it of worldly things? Come and learn how to bring God into your marriage. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is November 4-6, 2011. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information and to register visit our website at: www.wwme.org or contact Walt & Marilyn Young at 407.489.3754 or Myoung1004@aol.com

WORD OF LIFE

The most profound reason why the campaign for assisted suicide is a threat, and not an aid, to human freedom has to do with the very reality of the human person. The founders of our country declared that each human being has certain inalienable rights that governments must PROTECT. The first right is to life. It is named before the right to liberty and the pursuit of happiness. It is the condition for enjoying all other rights and all other goods. Other rights lose their foundation if life itself can be destroyed with impunity. Our Christian faith goes even further in its understanding in seeing life as the gift of God, the Creator. Each human life is sacred. One cannot uphold human freedom by undercutting its foundation, the sacredness of human life, of each person. ~Cardinal Daniel DiNardo, Archbishop of Galveston-Houston, "A Shepherd's Message: True Compassion Alleviates Suffering while Maintaining Solidarity with the One who Suffers. It Does Not Put Lethal Drugs in Their Hands," July 19, 2011

Congrats to the BT students and BT Parish!!!!

Thanks to our parents, students and parishioners, our school has recently mailed in 14,000 Box Tops! That's \$1,400 for clipping what would have gone in the garbage!!! Thanks to your support our summer collection was the best ever! We continue to collect Box Tops throughout the year. So, please bring your Box Tops to Mass and drop them off on your way in. Thank you for supporting our school!



Blessed Trinity's Annual Carnival is this week!

October 20-23, 2011

There are many exciting, *family fun* events to look forward to.

Dinner Nights are \$10 per night, served from 5-8 pm:

Thursday, October 20th Dinner Night Ticket:



Chicken Marsala with Penne Meat Sauce, Caesar Salad and bread

****Dine In Only****

Friday, October 21st Dinner Night Ticket:



Prime Rib, Spinach Salad, Mashed Potatoes and Gravy, Vegetables & Dessert

Saturday, October 22nd Dinner Night Ticket:



Half Rack of BBQ Ribs, Roasted Red Potatoes, Tossed Salad with dressing, Corn on the Cob

Raffle Prizes include:

Toyota Tacoma SST: Donated by *DeLuca Toyota*

YMCA Family 1-Year Membership: Donated by *Innovative Curbs*

Beach Condo: One weekend at Daytona Beach: Donated by *BT Church*

iPad: Donated by *Dreamland Amusement*

Diamond Heart Shaped Earrings: Donated by *Joy's Pool Service*

2 Blocker's Gift Cards (\$1,000 value): Donated by *Blocker's Furniture*

6 One-Day Park Hopper Disney tickets: Donated by a *BT Family*

Family Portrait Session: Donated by *Tammy Portrait Artist*

22" Flat Screen Television with Wireless: Donated by *Magnolia Bakery*

4 UF 2011 Gator Football Tickets: Donated by *Pepsi*

Sun Digital & Brothers Keeper Help The Homeless & The Environment



Sun Digital and Brothers Keeper have joined causes to help the environment and the homeless in Marion County. On Wednesday, October 19th, Sun Digital will be holding a combination event that includes both an [electronics recycling charity drive](#), as well as a [food donation drive](#) to benefit Brothers Keeper. Brother's Keeper, a social outreach ministry of the Blessed Trinity Catholic Church who helps the needy and homeless with emergency assistance and a daily soup kitchen.

With the help of the Marion County Community Sun Digital has been able to [help recycle 2.5 TONS of electronic waste in 2011](#) and raise money for local charities. It's time to clean out those offices and closets and bring your old electronics to our downtown Ocala drop-off on October 19th.

Event Details

When: Wednesday, October 19th, 2011 from 7:30am-1:30pm

Where: Concord Building parking lot across from Historic Ocala Mural, Downtown Ocala, FL. Donators will be able to drive up and have their retired electronics and food donations unloaded from their cars for them.

Brothers Keeper is in need of the following items: Peanut Butter, Jelly, Tuna Helper, Hamburger Helper, Macaroni & Cheese, Spaghetti Sauce, Spaghetti Noodles, and Cereal. However all canned and dry good items are humbly accepted.

Electronic Items that will result in a financial donation to Brothers Keeper :	Items that will be accepted, as a public service but will not qualify for a donation
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Computers & Towers • Computer Parts/Components • Laptops • Cords & Cables • Hard Drives (Relectrocycle will certify Data Destruction) • Cell Phones • iPods • Flat Screen TV's and Monitors (Flat Screen Only) • DVRs • Diabetic Test Meters, Watch Batteries 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Battery Back-ups • Keyboards • Printers • Old VCRs & TIVO's • Non-Flat Screen TV's and computer monitors will only be accepted with a \$5 donation

Help the Florida environment, as well as the homeless and needy in Marion County through Brothers Keeper on October 19th, 2011! For more information on the eRecycling drive, acceptable items for donation and directions please visit the [Sun Digital](#) website or call 352.369.9600.

BLOOD DRIVE



Life South Community Blood Center will be in the church parking lot **THIS** Sunday, October 16th from 8:30am-2:30pm.

WALK FOR LIFE

The Women's Pregnancy Center needs YOUR help to raise funds for women in unplanned pregnancies! Please plan to join us for our 8th annual **Walk for Life** on **Saturday, November 5th**, at Tuscawilla Park (registration begins at 8:15am). To find out how you can be a part of **Blessed Trinity Catholic Church's** team, please contact **Peggy at 812.1429** or **Tammy at 615.5138**. If you need additional information or extra forms, you can also call Kristi at the Women's Pregnancy Center at 351.1294. Thanks so much for "walking for life!"

Brothers Keeper Holiday Assistance Sign Ups

Brothers Keeper will be accepting holiday applications for Thanksgiving & Christmas at their downtown office at 2 SW Fort King on Oct 10- 14 and Oct 17-21. This program is for families with children. Call 622-3846 for directions and for what to bring to qualify.

Did you know...? Your gifts to **Our Catholic Appeal** promote a culture of life.

October is Respect Life month, a time for all Catholics to contemplate the gift of life and how we might act on behalf of those who are voiceless. The diocesan Office of Advocacy and Justice is our partner in this mission. Through your gifts to *Our Catholic Appeal*, the office is able to provide our parish and larger community with programs and resources that promote the sacredness and dignity of human life.

To learn more about the Office of Advocacy and Justice and our Diocesan-wide efforts to protect life, email advocacyjustice@orlandodiocese.org

To make a gift online, please visit www.catholicfoundationcfl.org/OCA



OUR CATHOLIC APPEAL
for our people,
our ministries,
our future

Don't forget to get your **\$5 off coupons** for the Thursday/Sunday unlimited ride armbands sold at carnival!
(Original price \$30)

Saturday Night is "Family Night": Come on out and have some **FAMILY FUN!**

7 p.m.-close \$5 gate admission

Free gate admission for those with VIP armband Vouchers or those with their Families!

(Rides and food are not included in gate admission)

Dinner Night tickets and Raffle tickets are available after Mass, at the BT School Office, and on our website www.btcarnival.org.

Carnival Volunteers:

Carnival Committee welcomes any BT Parishioner wanting to donate time or talent to help in the success of our 2011 Carnival! This is a great stewardship giving, and a fun and interesting way to meet new people and join in to the carnival fun! If you are interested, please contact Rachel Raduns at btcarnival@gmail.com or 690-6034.

INMATES WANTED



Who: Anyone in need of a "Work Detail"
What: Blessed Trinity Carnival "Jail and Bail"
Where: Blessed Trinity Carnival "Jail", Donuts provided
When: Friday, October 21st from 5-9 p.m.
Why: All proceeds go to BT School
If you know someone you would like to nominate for our "Jail and Bail," please contact Eileen Youmans at youmans04@gmail.com.

VIP ARMBANDS

The armbands are \$20.00 TODAY—last day to buy them. You can use your VIP armband any one of the 4 days. Ride all day with your VIP armband. Save money.

Attention ALL Baker's!

BT Carnival is gearing up for another great Bake Sale and we need **your** help to make it a success! Please drop off your individually wrapped baked goods at the Community Center on Wed., October 19th, after 11 a.m., or during carnival hours at the Bake Sale Tent near the soccer field.



We are also in need of volunteers for Wed., October 19th in the Community Center organizing the donations. If you are interested, please contact Angie Federico or Nicki Hannon at btcarnival@gmail.com. Thank you for your support!

CARNIVAL TIMES THIS WEEK

Thursday, October 20th	5:00pm to 11:00pm
Friday, October 21st	5:00pm to 11:00pm
Saturday, October 22nd	11:00am to 11:00pm
Sunday, October 23rd	11:00am to 9:00pm

STEWARD SAINTS OF THE WEEK
 Week of October 16-22

October 16—Hedwig and Margaret Mary Alacoque

October 17—Ignatius of Antioch

October 18—Luke

October 19—Isaac Jogues and John de Brebeuf

October 20—Paul of the Cross

Luke, Evangelist
 October 18

The ancient tradition of the Church holds that St. Luke was a doctor from Syria. He traveled with St. Paul and was with him in Rome when St. Paul died. He then traveled to Greece where he wrote the Gospel that bears his name and the Acts of the Apostles. Whatever else he was and did, it is for these two books of the New Testament that he is best remembered. And that has profound implications for stewardship. This Gentile convert, inspired by the Holy Spirit, was clearly a gifted writer and teacher. His books are not a simple recounting of events, but a kind of preaching, a way of telling the good news of Jesus Christ and story of the early Church that reaches across time and invites his readers into relationship with Jesus. This good steward put his gifts at God's disposal, allowed himself to be led by God's Spirit, and so is still serving the Lord as an evangelist—still preaching and teaching—20 centuries later! The Lord will multiply our gifts, too, if we will use them in his service.

AD OF THE WEEK

Ale House of Ocala

A "Reel" Great Place to Catch a Good Time...

305 S.E. 17th Street

Andrews Lemek Tax Services

200 S.E. 17th Street

Dan Andrews & Joyce Lemek

MARIAN CONGRESS

The Marian Congress holds a special place in Bishop Noonan's heart. During last year's Congress, the good people of the Diocese of Orlando welcomed him as the fifth Bishop of Orlando. Please join Bishop Noonan for the 2011 Marian Congress to be held at Holy Redeemer Catholic Church in Kissimmee on October 22nd.

The theme of the 2011 Marian Congress is: "The Role of Mary in Our Faith." Presentations in English and Spanish will be offered by Fr. Randy Soto, Associate Professor of New Testament at Kenrick Seminary in St. Louis, MO, Fr. Esau Garcia of Holy Cross Catholic Church, and Fr. John McCormick of St. James Cathedral. The Congress will nurture our faith and highlight the important role of our Blessed Mother in salvation history.

Join Bishop John Noonan for the celebration of the opening Liturgy on Friday, October 21st at the Basilica of the National Shrine of Mary, Queen of the Universe. It will begin with a multicultural procession at 6:30pm followed by a multilingual recitation of the Rosary. The celebration of Mass will begin at 7:30pm.

If you are interested in attending please contact Sr. Juliet at 629.8092 x211.

VOCATIONS COMMITTEE

The next meeting of the Vocations Committee will be held on Saturday, October 22, 2011 at 8:30am following 8am mass. We will be meeting in an elementary school room so everyone is asked to wait outside the elementary school portico to be escorted inside. On Sunday, October 30, 2011, we will be celebrating Priesthood Sunday. This is a day set aside to give thanks and show appreciation for all our priests. We will have a special display and a brief program inside the parish hall between the 8:45am and 11am masses. Everyone is encouraged to come to enjoy the usual coffee and donuts and spend some time showing Fr. Pat, Fr. Alfonso, Fr. Roy, and Fr. Mike how much we appreciate all that they do.

HORSE FEVER



Most of you will have read (or seen) a new group of horses on display at various locations all over the greater Ocala area. One horse "named Horseplay" has been placed near the flagpole at the entrance of the administration and media buildings at Trinity Catholic High School. This horse was sponsored by Fran Marino. The artist is Sally Ann Lyle. The horse will remain there on display until March 2012. Come by and take a look. You will be impressed. If you have never been to T.C. stop and take a look in the courtyard—even if you have to peer through the gate.

Each of these "new" horses will be auctioned off on March 23, 2012 at Live Oak Farm. Half of the money bid on the horse goes to Marion Cultural Alliance and the other half to charity. In this case Fran Marino has designated Trinity Catholic as the charity.

Of course we would hope that the horse "Horseplay" will stay at T.C. "We" would have to place the highest bid. "We" - means you and I! If you are interested in helping us keep "Horseplay" at T.C. we will soon set-up a fund for that purpose. We hope to gather enough to ward off any other "would be" buyers. Details later.

RAFFLE TICKETS

Did you sell your book of tickets yet? You still have a week left. The drawing will be next Sunday at 6:30pm. It will be a huge success if each one of us sells or buys one book. All the prizes were donated. Each ticket sold is 100% profit for our school.

ST. JUDE CATHOLIC CHURCH, MARION OAKS
 UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, October 22—Haitian Dinner at 5:30pm. Please join us for an evening of good food, music and fun. Tickets: \$12 (adults), \$6 (Children under 12). Call 352.347.0154 for ticket info.

Sunday, November 6—"The Best of Broadway" Concert sponsored by St. Timothy Church A concert featuring Maestro Bill Doherty and Central Florida Lyric Opera Members. Performance at 5:00pm. Tickets: \$7.00 per person. Information & tickets: 352.347.0154

Saturday, November 12—Fashion Show and Dinner St. Jude Ladies Guild. Honoring the men and women of the Armed Services. Time: 5:30pm Adults: \$12.00 and Children \$6.00 (12 years old & younger) Call Jackie for tickets and information at 352.237.4380.

IN A HURRY?

Why rush out of Mass before it is over? Do you ever really think about it? Does it make any sense at all? Not really. Then why do it? Why add a needless "sin" to your life? Pray about it. God will clearly show you if you have the courage and wisdom to ask Him. You took the time to come to Mass. You obviously have the Faith. Then...in God's name stay with the community until you are blessed and sent forth to live out the Mass during the week. Thanks.

"GUM"

"Gum chewing" is not allowed in Church. Help your children to grow up with a deep respect for God's house. Tidy up the area around you—even if the "mess" was not your creation. Pick up bulletins, etc left behind and put them back in the vestibule. Be proud of your Church. Make it such that the next group in feel welcomed and inspired by our clean atmosphere. It really does make a difference for most people. Thanks.