

# CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF

## CHRIST THE KING + HOLY TRINITY + ST. PATRICK

### One Body – One Faith – One Mission

May 7, 2023

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Year A



**Christ the King Church**  
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Dunbar, WV 25064  
Phone: 304-755-0791



**Holy Trinity Church**  
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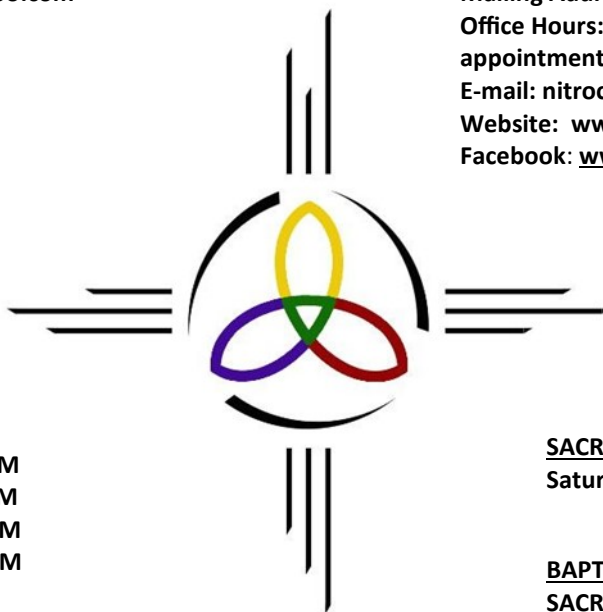
#### PASTORAL STAFF

**Pastor:** Rev. Fr. John Chapin Engler, Jr.  
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#### OFFICE INFORMATION

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#### WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday Vigil at HT-----5:00 PM  
Sunday at SP -----8:00 AM  
Sunday at HT -----9:30 AM  
Sunday at CTK -----11:00 AM

#### WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday at CTK-----6:30PM  
(Suspended for the Winter)

#### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday at HT ----- 4:00 PM

**BAPTISM:** Please call the Church Office  
**SACRAMENT OF THE SICK:** Please call the Church Office at any time  
**HOLY DAYS**—To be Announced  
**MATRIMONY:** Call 6 months in advance

#### TRI-PARISH VISION

In the heart of our three churches resides the Triune God – Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Born of Divine Life our three churches unfold like leaves of one tree of life. Each church is unique in character, yet all are bonded in one baptismal call – becoming One Body, professing One Faith, and living One Mission. Encircled by wheels of collaboration in building the Kingdom of God, we reach out to all four corners of the world proclaiming by the testament of our lives the saving power of Christ's Cross.

## Mass Schedule and Intentions

Sat, May 6	<u>HT</u>	5:00PM
Sun, May 7 Fifth Sunday of Easter	<u>SP</u> Pauline Bell (Ed Bell)	8:00AM
	<u>HT</u> Colin Larson (Toby & Caoilainn Norton)	9:30AM
	<u>CTK</u> Tresa Cheeramban (Sebastian & Sheela Francis)	11:00AM
Mon, May 8		
Tues, May 9		
Wed, May 10		
Thur May 11		
Sat, May 13	<u>HT</u>	5:00PM
Sun, May 14 Sixth Sunday of Easter	<u>SP</u> All Mothers of the Parish Living & Deceased	8:00AM
	<u>HT</u> All Mothers of the Parish Living & Deceased	9:30AM
	<u>CTK</u> Nancy M. & John Kogoy Wedding Anniversary	11:00AM

"NO ONE COMES TO  
THE FATHER  
EXCEPT THROUGH ME."

### Prayer List for the Sick and Home Bound:

**CTK-** Frank Beach, Becky Feldhaus, Mary Kimble  
Christy Lucas, Carolyn Cannon, Danny Kimble.

**HT-** Frances Sloan, Elaine Busch, Stephanie Pyles, and  
Karen Hart..

**SP-** Ann Dean, Joe Pringle, Maria Pauline Bell, Mary Ann  
Smith.

To add a person or intention to the CTK Pray Chain, please  
Contact Cathy Carr (304-768-3878) Please contact the  
church office to remove names from this list.

### CTK Sanctuary Candlelight Intention In Memory of Martin & Mary Finerty (Theresa Haid)

### Total Contributions and Attendance for April 29-30

Christ the King –\$1644.00 (67)  
Holy Trinity-(4/29) \$587.40 (37) (4/30) \$1397.00 (49)  
St. Patrick – \$725.00 (29)



The Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston is committed to the protection of its children and young people. The Diocese complies with the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops' *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People* by maintaining an Office of Safe Environment. To report an incidence of suspected child sexual abuse, please contact your local law enforcement agency, or you may confidentially contact the West Virginia Bureau for Children and Families/Child Protective Services by calling the Child Abuse Hotline at 800.352.6513. To report suspected cases of sexual abuse by personnel of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston to the Diocese, please contact one of the Bishop's designees at 888.434.6237 (toll free) or 304.233.0880: Sister Ellen Dunn, ext. 264; Mr. Bryan Minor, ext. 263; Mr. Tim Bishop, ext. 353; Fr. Dennis Schuelkens, ext. 270 or call the Office of Safe Environment at 304.230.1504. For more information on the Diocese's Office of Safe Environment, please go to [www.dwc.org](http://www.dwc.org), then click the "Diocese" tab, then click "Office of Safe Environment" under the "Offices" menu. To learn more about the Catholic Church's efforts in preventing sexual abuse of children in the United States, please visit <http://www.usccb.org>. Under "Issues and Action," click "Child and Youth Protection" from the drop down menu.

## Daily Readings

**Monday, May 8– 1st Reading, Acts 14:5-18 Gospel, John 14:21-26**

**Tuesday, May 9– 1st Reading, Acts 14:19-28 Gospel, John 14:27-31a**

**Wednesday, May 10- 1st Reading, 1 Acts 15:1-6 Gospel, John 15:1-8**

**Thursday, May 11- 1st Reading, Acts 15:7-21 Gospel, John 15:9-11**

**Friday, May 12– 1st Reading, Acts 15:22-31 Gospel John 15:12-17**

## Tri Parish News

**Continuing every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday our Spring Classes will Continue. Monday, will be at St. Patrick Church with Adoration from 5:00PM-6:00PM. Class will follow immediately after Adoration. On Tuesday, the classes will be at Christ the King. Mass at 6:00PM with Class to follow immediately after Mass. On Wednesday, the classes will be at Holy Trinity. Mass at 6:00PM with Class to follow immediately after Mass.**

## **CATHOLIC SHARING APPEAL PROGRESS AND GOALS**

**CHRIST THE KING- Goal of \$6,725.00 Raised \$2,080 31% of GOAL**

**HOLY TRINITY– Goal of \$8,080.00 Raised \$4,570 51% of GOAL ( Halfway there Holy Trinity Parishioners!)**

**ST. PATRICK– Goal of \$3,450 Raised \$5,600 162% of GOAL (Way to go St. Patrick Parishioners!!)**

**You can also give online by going to [dwc.org](http://dwc.org) and click on the Catholic Sharing Appeal Icon and Fill the form out and DONATE.**



**I AM THE WAY  
AND THE TRUTH  
AND THE LIFE**

John 14:6

## Christ the King News

**Mass Ministers for May** Lector – Joe Balkey; **Ushers** – Betsy Green & Wendy Humphries; **Sacristan** – Michele Gurbacki; **Counter** – Bob Barrett

**Altar Flowers** are donated by Alicia DiPietro in memory of her Mother, Helen DiPietro.

With fingers crossed, **Mass and Class will be Tuesday Evening**, with Mass at 6 PM followed by Father's class **on the Mass** at 6:30 PM.

Saturday, 5/13, is the **Community Luncheon** at the Presbyterian Church on Myers Ave. from 11 AM-1 PM. Our parish is responsible for desserts; they can be dropped off at the Presbyterian Church after 10:30 AM. This event is open to everyone and it's a wonderful opportunity to socialize.

**Remember to Bring** – Pancake mix on May 14 for the **Food Pantry** Personal care and individual snack items **for male & female Veterans**

There are several **coats/jackets in the closet** in the Gathering Space. Please check to see if they are yours. Those left will be put in the Rummage Sale. Thank you.

This year's lunch for all the women and guest(s) is scheduled for May 21st after mass. Lunch and dessert will be served. A signup sheet is in the gathering area. Please take time to sign up with total number attending, so we can prepare. Any men who can help Frank in the kitchen will also be provided lunch.

## Holy Trinity News

We are in need of volunteers to help organize a meal following the Mass and during our Catholicism classes. The meals should be simple with little clean up required. Please contact Karen Hart if you can help at [karenhart7304@gmail.com](mailto:karenhart7304@gmail.com) or 304-380-1353. We need to plan for the entire 7 weeks of class. Thank you all in advance for your help!

## Saint Patrick News

Lucy Bell graduated Summa Cum Laude from Marshall University with a Multimedia Journalism and Mass Communication Degree. Congratulations Lucy!

Monday, May 8 we will have adoration starting at 5:00 pm to 6:00 pm followed by class at 6:00 pm.

Sunday, May 21st will be our next bring a friend to church. Breakfast will be served.

Lector for May 7-Eric, Lector for May 14-Ed, Lector for May 21-Lisa, Lector for May 28-David