CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF CHRIST THE KING + HOLY TRINITY + ST. PATRICK One Body – One Faith – One Mission

April 7, 2024

Sunday of Divine Mercy

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WEEKEND MASSES

WEEKDAY 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

(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 <u>HOLY DAYS</u>—To be Announced <u>MATRIMONY</u>: 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, Apr 6 Sun, Apr 7 Sunday of Divine Mercy	HT Francisco Constantino (Hernandez Family)SP Joe Pringle (Doris Pringle) HT Thomas P. Donegan (Larry Donegan) CTK	5:00PM 8:00AM 9:30AM 11:00AM	DIVINE MERCY Sunday
Mon, Apr 8 Tues, Apr 9 Wed, Apr 10 Fri Apr 12			Prayer List for the Sick and Home Bound: CTK- Frank Beach, Becky Feldhaus, Mary Kimble Christy Lucas, Carolyn Cannon, Danny Kimble, David Kingry, Sr. Rose Anne Krantz, Sr. Lu Haidnick, Val Nesser HT– Frances Sloan, Stephanie Pyles, Louise Papciak, Karen Andruzis, Caoilainn Norton, Mary Elaine Haynes <u>SP</u> – Ann Dean, Maria Pauline Bell. To add a person or intention to the CTK Pray Chain, please Contact Cathy Carr (304-768-3878) <u>Please contact the</u> church office to remove names from this list.
Sat, Apr 13	HT Francisco Constantino (Hernandez Family)	8:00PM	<u>CTK Sanctuary Candlelight Intention</u> In Memory of Tom & Mary K Ferris (Denise Ferris)
Sun, Apr 14 Third Sunday of Easter	<u>SP</u> Paul Jackson (Steve & Michele Bays) <u>HT</u> Ruth C. Donegan (Larry Donegan) <u>CTK</u>	8:00AM 9:30AM 11:00AM	<u>Total Contributions and Attendance for</u> <u>March 30-31</u> Christ the King –\$1738.00 (79) Holy Trinity-(3/30) \$384.00 (52) (3/31) \$761.00 (75) St. Patrick – \$862.00 (60)



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.

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Daily Readings

Monday, April 8–1st Reading, Isaiah 7:10-14; 8:10 Gospel, Luke 1:26-38

Tuesday, April 9–1st Reading, Acts 4:32-37 Gospel, John 3:7b-15

Wednesday, April 10- 1st Reading, Acts 5:17-26 Gospel, John 3:16-21

Thursday, April 11–1st Reading, Acts 5:27-33, Gospel, John 3:31-36

Friday, April 12–1st Reading, Acts 5:34-42, Gospel, John 6:1-15

Tri Parish News

Please Keep Fr. Chapin in your prayers as he battles his Illness. If you would like to send a card, please send it to the PO Box 339, Nitro, WV 25143. Angie will be sending a package weekly to Fr. Chapin.

Diocesan News

Summary of Catholic Social Teaching: A four-week course is being offered through the University of Dayton's Virtual Learning Community for Faith Formation (VLCFF). This is an in-person course which is being held at Ascension Parish in Hurricane, WV, on four consecutive Wednesdays from April 10 – May 1, 2024. Two class times will be offered: 5:00pm-6:30pm and 7:00pm-8:30pm. The course, *Summary of Catholic Social Teaching*, is a basic introduction to the Church's "best kept secret". The course is being underwritten by the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston's Office of Evangelization & Catechesis, who pays 100% of the tuition and the cost of any materials associated with the course. The course facilitator is Gerri Wright. To register or for questions, please contact Gerri at gwright@dwc.org or 304.342.0507 with your name, address, phone number, and email. There are limited spots available in each section.

Christ the King News

<u>Ministers for April</u> – Lector Mary Beth Mather; Ushers Alicia DiPietro and Val Nesser; Sacristan Theresa Haid; Counters Bob Barrett and Joe Balkey

Join us each Sunday at 10:35 AM to recite the **Rosary before Mass**. These rosaries are offered for Fr. Chapin's healing. Cathy Carr will lead on 4/14.

Saturday, 4/13, 11 AM-1 PM, is the <u>Community Luncheon</u> at the Presbyterian Church. 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 is a wonderful opportunity to socialize.

<u>Murder Mystery Dinner</u> will be Friday, 4/26 - Dinner at 6:30 PM - Show at 7 PM. Theme is "The Great Huntington Raid." Tickets are \$50/person. Please see Mary Beth Mather to purchase. Since this is a Church fundraiser, donations for food will be greatly appreciated.

We would like to revive the <u>Choir at Christ the King</u>! It will be informal—no prior experience needed. Time commitment might be an hour during the week and singing on Sundays and special services. If interested, contact Denise Ferris, home (304) 982-5158 or cell (304) 377-3158 (text ok).

If you would like to have a <u>Mass</u> said for a <u>person/intention</u>, there are open dates. Please fill out an envelope in the Gathering Area and put it in the collection basket. You may call the church office to find the date for your mass intention.

Living Faith Meditation Booklets for April-May-June are in the Gathering Area.

<u>**Remember to Bring**</u> –Pasta sauce on April 14 for the Food Pantry White cotton socks for men/women/children for the 1st Presbyterian Church to distribute Personal care and individual snack items for male & female Veterans

Holy Trinity News

Special thanks to all who helped with the Easter celebration preparation, decoration and reception!

Holy Trinity Women's Guild is having a Murder Mystery Dinner on Friday, May 3, 2024. The Mystery is titled **Marriage, Mob, and Murder!** Tickets are \$40.00 each and this includes your dinner as well as an entertaining Murder Mystery. BYOB (Wine or Beer). All proceeds will go to the **Spinabifida Prom Fund.** For tickets, please see Pam Perkins.

Saint Patrick News

Lector Dates are as follows: March 31-Lisa, April 7-Ed, April 14-David, April 21-Doris, April 28-Todd

Please join us after mass today to celebrate Michael who joined the Catholic Faith at Easter Vigil.