

## SCHEDULE OF SERVICES & INTENTIONS

<b>Sunday, June 7</b>	<b>The Most Holy Trinity</b>
9:00 a.m.	+Sherrie Krug req. by The Levinsky Family
10:30 a.m.	Intention of the Celebrant
12:00 noon	For All the People of the Parish
<b>Monday, June 8</b>	
7:00 a.m.	Prayer/Communion Service
<b>Tuesday, June 9</b>	
12:00 noon	+Mary Talerico req. by Ed and Carol Porter
<b>Wednesday, June 10</b>	
7:00 a.m.	Kay Denkhoff req. by Emil and Chloe Szymanski
<b>Thursday, June 11</b>	
7:00 a.m.	Harry Swofford and Family req. by Harry Swofford
<b>Friday, June 12</b>	
9:00 a.m.	+Melinda Luther req. by Ronnie and Patty Riddle
<b>Saturday, June 13</b>	
4:00-5:15 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation
5:30 p.m.	+Gayton Saia req. by Bernie and Joan Taylor
<b>Sunday, June 14</b>	<b>The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ</b>
9:00 a.m.	+Mabel Smith Sodin req. by Mr. and Mrs. Gary Beebe
10:30 a.m.	For All the People of the Parish
12:00 noon	Intention of the Celebrant



<b>Sunday, June 7</b>	<b>The Most Holy Trinity</b>
6:00 – 9:00 p.m.	TNT
<b>Monday, June 8</b>	
6:00 p.m.	Vacation Bible School Planning Meeting in Room 203 of the Parish Center
6:30 p.m.	Ethics and Integrity Workshop in Room 201 of the Parish Center
<b>Tuesday, June 9</b>	
6:30 a.m.	Men's Spirituality Group
12:30-2:30 p.m.	Ladies Share Group
<b>Wednesday, June 10</b>	
6:30 – 8:30 p.m.	"Connect" – Summer Youth Scripture Study
7:00 p.m.	Parish Choir Practice
<b>Thursday, June 11</b>	
7:00 p.m.	
<b>Friday, June 12</b>	
9:00 a.m.	
<b>Saturday, June 13</b>	
4:00-5:20 p.m.	Sacrament of Reconciliation
<b>Sunday, June 14</b>	<b>The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ</b>
6:00 – 9:00 p.m.	TNT

**WELCOME MSGR. BENEDICT ZIENTEK** who will provide for the sacramental needs of our parishioners while Father Fred is away for study and vacation. Father Fred will return on June 26<sup>th</sup>.

**WELCOME FATHER BARRY McLEAN** who is here for Reconciliation this Saturday and to preside at all our weekend Masses, while Msgr. Zientek is away. We are grateful for his assistance.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL:** Children Pre-K (4 years old) through the 5<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to Holy Family's Vacation Bible School for "**Rome**"! This year our parish is excited about our VBS program created especially for our Catholic children. The program will provide fun and Scripture-based activities for all children. Each day will include singing songs, playing teamwork-building games, snacks at the Market Square, taking on daily challenges to celebrate God's love, experiencing Bible adventures, collecting Bible Memory Buddies and creating Bible Point crafts. Mark your calendar! VBS begins June 15<sup>th</sup> and continues through June 19<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. **Please meet at 8:30 a.m. on Monday morning only** in the Parish Center for teacher assignments. Registration forms are in the foyer of the church. There is no charge for VBS. Adults and children who have completed the fifth grade are needed to serve as volunteers. Please call Sr. Helen if you are able to help.

**PLANNING MEETING FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL** will be held on Monday, June 8<sup>th</sup>, in room 203 of the Parish Center. The volunteers needing to meet the **Safe Environment** requirements will be released to attend the Ethics and Integrity Workshop in room 201 of the Parish Center at 6:30 p.m.

**ETHICS AND INTEGRITY WORKSHOP** will be held on Monday, June 8<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m. here at Holy Family Church in room 201 in the Parish Center. Parish employees and all volunteers who serve in a position of responsibility with minors must attend. This includes all Vacation Bible School volunteers, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to the homebound and hospitalized, Religious Education Teachers and Aides, and persons working with the youth.

### Please pray for

Emma Torres Afable, Joe Bayer, Joyce Bayer, Ben and June Benigno, Betty Burton, Christine Bondick, Lupe Chavez, Mac Davis, George Deeb, Bea and Dick Dupont, James Finn, Angie Garza, Irene Garza, Freddie Gawain, James Geyer, Rose Guerra, Ronald Hudek, Maria Karhan, Adam Ingle, John Kazda, Will Klump, Morgan Knapp, Joe Leal, Bob Moore, Jim Munson, Betty Novak, Jean Pecchioni, Lisa Porter, Tracy Prickett, Frank Taylor, Landry Robinson, Danny Rodriguez, Carol Saia, Clara Smith, Emil Szymanski, Rose Ussery, Oliva Velasco, Ruben Velasco, Jeffrey Wisner, Fr. Bill Yester.

*(Names are removed from the prayer list after four weeks unless we receive information to continue.)*

**REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS,** the soul of Jesus (Chuey) Garcia, husband of Janie Garcia. We pray his family will be comforted by the promise of the resurrection, and that he and all the faithful departed may rest in peace through God's mercy.

**MASS INTENTIONS:** The requested stipend for a mass is \$5 per Mass. If you would like the office to mail the acknowledgement card for you, there is an additional \$1 fee for postage and handling. We are now scheduling into 2010. Father Fred can make arrangements for a Mass to be said sooner at another parish if you would like. The office would then notify you once the Mass has been said.

### Daily Scripture Reading

<b>Sunday, June 7</b>	<b>Most Holy Trinity</b>	<b>Matthew</b>	<b>28:16-20</b>
<b>Monday, June 8</b>		<b>Matthew</b>	<b>5:1-12</b>
<b>Tuesday, June 9</b>		<b>Matthew</b>	<b>5:13-16</b>
<b>Wednesday, June 10</b>		<b>Matthew</b>	<b>5:17-19</b>
<b>Thursday, June 11</b>		<b>Matthew</b>	<b>5:20-26</b>
<b>Friday, June 12</b>		<b>Matthew</b>	<b>5:27-32</b>
<b>Saturday, June 13</b>		<b>Matthew</b>	<b>5:33-37</b>
<b>Sunday, June 14</b>	<b>The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ</b>	<b>Mark</b>	<b>14:12-16, 22-26</b>

# THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

**TEEN SUMMER SCRIPTURE STUDY "CONNECT"** will meet Wednesday nights, from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. in the Youth Center and Gym. Come join other teens for social and scripture time. Learn how to put the pieces together. Focus will be on the Gospel of John and daily living as a disciple. Study the Bible in a unique, interactive way that you have never experienced before!

**FEAST OF THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS:** Join us at 7 p.m. on Friday, June 19<sup>th</sup>, the *Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus*, for a talk on Blessed (Mother) Teresa and a prayer service given by her spiritual director Fr. Michael van der Peet, SCJ.

**CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP** will meet each third Thursday of the month during the summer beginning June 18<sup>th</sup> from 7-8:30 p.m. in the Chapel for "*Thy Kingdom Come*", a special evening devoted to Charismatic Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Childcare will be available.

Weekly meetings will begin again in September. All are invited to attend, "Hearts In One Accord", Charismatic Prayer Group meeting weekly throughout the summer on Tuesday evenings at 7 p.m. at Sacred Heart. Please contact Mike or Buffi Awtry for more information at 665-8985.

**ST. DISMAS RETREAT IN COLORADO CITY PRISON:** This retreat is to be held June 12<sup>th</sup> -14<sup>th</sup>. Please sign up to cook (outside the prison), to join the table discussions (inside the prison), or send money and prayers. Men and women are invited to attend. The presenting team is a group of 20 men and women from Houston. Make checks out to: "Diocese of San Angelo" for Criminal Justice Ministry or e-mail: [leibrecht@sbcglobal.net](mailto:leibrecht@sbcglobal.net).

**"VOCATION BBQ"** will be held by the Diocese of San Angelo on June 29<sup>th</sup> in Sweetwater at Immaculate Heart of Mary for all those interested in religious vocations. Please note that a 'Nun Run' is being planned for young ladies again this summer, as well. Be sure to contact Fr. Barry McLean at 325-651-7500 if you would like to attend.

**2009-2010 RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION** information has been mailed to all registered families with children between the ages of 4 and 19 years old. Please complete and return these forms to the church office no later than **June 15<sup>th</sup>**. The registration fees are the same as last year: PK - 6<sup>th</sup> grades fees are \$20 per student and \$35 for two or more for children 4 years old prior to 9/1/2009. Class preference for PK-6<sup>th</sup> grades is considered according to the date the registration is received in the church office. 7<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> grade fees are \$10 per student, and \$25 for three or more.

**VOCATION CROSS FAMILIES:** Each week a family is invited to sign up and take home the vocation cross located on the table in the church foyer. The parish joins that particular family in prayer for religious vocations.

June 7<sup>th</sup> - Bob Moore and Family

June 14 - Open

**SACRIFICIAL GIVING FOR** May 30-31, 2009 with 1,180 families.

Envelopes and Checks .....	29,321.00
Loose Plate.....	1,569.88
RE Registration 2009-2010/Youth Activities .....	1,000.00
Building Fund .....	235.00
Miscellaneous .....	230.32

Total Income .....32,356.20

## dear Padre

June 7, 2009 The Most Holy Trinity

### Should priests give the sign of peace?

**The new priest assigned to our parish seldom shakes hands at the sign of peace during Mass. Why not?**

*Carol*

Dear Carol,

You may be surprised to know that the *General Instruction of the Roman Missal* (154) calls for the priest to remain in the sanctuary at the sign of peace to avoid disrupting the assembly's exchange. He has the *option* of exchanging a sign of peace with the ministers-optional because to do so repeats the first greeting of peace that was just extended by the priest to everyone in the assembly.

In the United States, an exception is made for special occasions such as weddings, funerals, or when community leaders are present. In those cases, the *GIRM* allows the priest to offer the sign of peace to people sitting near the sanctuary.

Ironically, many parishioners view the presider's participation less as a distortion of the rite than as a positive indicator of their priest's social skills, as in "Father is such a people person!"

Offering, and being offered, an actual sign of Christ's peace during Mass is intended to be poignant, prayerful, and powerful, with a different kind of fanfare than when greeters welcome worshipers before Mass or when the presider shakes hands and socializes immediately after Mass.

Perhaps a meaningful sign of peace would be better appreciated if properly understood and performed by both the presider and assembly.

*Byron Miller, C.Ss.R.*

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**THE CROSSROADS BEREAVEMENT GROUP** meets monthly to address the spiritual needs of those coping with the loss of a loved one. Our next meeting will be Saturday, June 20<sup>th</sup> from 3:30 - 5:00 p.m. in the church building, room 121. For more information please call Grace O'Connell at 437-3800 or Fran Friesen at 232-7045.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO SISTER MARY BLANDINA PAUL** who will be celebrating her 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary as a Sister of Divine Providence next weekend in San Antonio. If you would like to congratulate Sister Blandina Paul who served in our parish just a few years ago and many years ago as a principal of St. Joseph School here in Abilene, you may send greetings to her at: Sacred Heart Conventual Chapel, Our Lady of the Lake Convent, 515 S.SW. 24<sup>th</sup> St., San Antonio, Texas.

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