# Holy Trinity Parish

## The Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 6, 2022

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**Marriage:** Please call Father McCabe at least nine months prior to tentative date.

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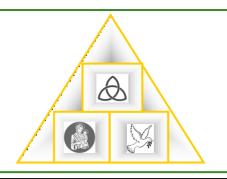
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Jesus said to them [the Sadducees], "The children of this age marry and remarry; but those who are deemed worthy to attain to the coming age and to the resurrection of the dead neither marry nor are given in marriage. They can no longer die, for they are like angels; and they are the children of God because they are the ones who will rise." Luke 20:27-38

		HOLY	READINGS		
Sat.	5:30PM	HT	Nov. 5	+Harry Timm	Phil 4:10-19 / Ps 112 / Lk 16:9-15
Sun.	8:45AM	SM	Nov. 6	Parishioners	2Mac 7:1-2, 9-14 / Ps 17:1 / 2Thes
	10:30AM	SC		+Father Bruce Peterson	2:16-3:5 / Lk 20:27-38
Mon.	8:00AM	SM	Nov. 7	Anne Skalicky	Titus 1:1-9 / Ps 24 / Luke 17:1-6
Tue.	8:00AM	HT	Nov. 8	+David Rusch	Titus 2:1-8,11-14/Ps 37/Luke 17:7-10
Wed.	8:00AM	HT	Nov. 9	+Lloyd Ryan	Ez 47:1-2,8-9,12 / Ps 46 / 1Cor 3:9c- 11,16-17 / John 2:13-22
Thu.	9:00AM	SC	Nov. 10	+Chris Bolin	Phil 7-20 / Ps 146 / Luke 17:20-25
Fri.	8:00 AM	SM	Nov. 11	All Veterans of Holy Trinity	2John 4-9 / Ps 119 / Luke 17:26-37
Sat.	5:30PM	HT	Nov. 12	Parishioners	3John 5-8 / Ps 1112 / Luke 18:1-8
Sun.	8:45AM	SM	Nov. 13	+LaWanda Keller & de- ceased family members	Mal 3:19-20a / Ps 98 / 2Thes 3:7-12 / Luke 21:5-19
	10:30AM	SC		2nd Gr. Faith Formation Class	Lung 21.0-13

Mission: We grow together in Christ.

Welcome to our Parish Churches!



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## From Father McCabe

At his Sermon on the Mount, Jesus Christ says: "You have heard that it was said, 'You shall love your neighbor and hate your enemy.' But I say to you, love your enemies, and pray for those who persecute you, that you may be children of your heavenly Father... For if you love those who love you, what recompense will you have? Do not tax collectors do the same?... So be perfect, just as your heavenly Father is perfect." Mt. 5:43-48.

To enter the fullness of heaven we must be made perfect, purified from all sin and attachment to sin: the sins of commission and omission. Thus, we pray for our deceased loved ones who we hope died in the state of grace, that is, without any unconfessed mortal sin on their soul, but who need to make reparation for their sins.

An example: if a person stole your car and crashed it, but then repented and said, "I am sorry," we need to forgive him, but we should also have him pay back what he can for the damages; we offer mercy and justice to restore the common good, and for the healing of his soul.

Jesus died on the cross to take away our sins which is mercy, and he rose from the dead to win the grace never to sin again in order to remain righteous or have a just and right relationship with God in Christ. Yet, we still sin, and so out of justice we must die for our sins and then be purified from all sin and attachment to sin. When we remain in Christ by sanctifying grace, we can bear much fruit, as the Gospel of John 15:1-8 reminds us about God trimming away the branches that do not bear fruit, so that we can bear more fruit.

Jesus said to the servant who did not show mercy to the other servant, "Should you not have had pity on your fellow servant, as I had pity on you?" Then in anger his master handed him over to the torturers until he should pay back the whole debt." Mt. 18: 33-35. If we do not repair the damage our sins have caused by doing sufficient penance, we will have to "pay back the whole debt" in purgatory.

We thank God that Jesus Christ gives us the opportunity to receive and show his mercy even after our brothers and sisters have died in the Lord, and we call this spiritual gift an "indulgence." When Jesus gave the power of the Keys to Kingdom of God to St. Peter, the rock on which Jesus would build his Church, the Lord Jesus said to him, "Whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven." Cf. Mt. 16:16-19

As the Vicar of Christ on earth the Pope has the power to write the remedial guidelines to help those in Purgatory, where the fiery love of God, over time, purifies the faithful of their venial sins or stains of their mortal sins. Yet, we can reduce that time of purification for them and for ourselves since the religious prac-

tice of seeking indulgences helps us to become holier.

the Lord, for it is the remission of temporal punishment due to sin which has already been forgiven, assuredly forgiven in the Sacrament of Confession when we confess the kind and number of mortal sins to the best of our ability after a sincere review of one's life. A "plenary indulgence" (complete remission) can be applied to oneself or to a deceased person once a day, for 21 days, by doing the following:

An "indulgence" is a merciful gift from

- 1. Make a good confession (good for 21 days).
- 2. Receive the Eucharist in the state of grace on the day of doing the indulgent work.
- 3. Pray for the Pope's intentions: Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory Be.
- 4. Complete the indulgent work such as praying a family Rosary, reading Sacred Scripture for 30 minutes, praying the Rosary before the tabernacle, or visiting a grave and praying for that deceased person.
- 5. And the most difficult, be detached from all sin, even venial sin, whether sins of commission or omission. In other words, any time temptation to be selfish (especially against the poor) or a past sin comes to mind, we must not enjoy entertaining it, but we must detest it. Tell the Lord that you hate sin because it impedes his true love for you and your true love for others, especially regarding the material and spiritual poor.

The partial completion of the above wins a "partial indulgence," which is some (but not all or "plenary") remission of punishment due to sins already forgiven. This charitable work to help release the poor souls from purgatory into heaven takes much faith, hope and charity, because we do not see immediate results. Yet, we live by faith and not by sight, although we may see with the eyes of faith the progress of virtue in our own life.

Rejoice in God's mercy and help the material and spiritual poor when you can, especially during this month of November as we remember our deceased loved ones by praying for them, applying our indulgences to them, and visiting their grave sites.

Peace in Christ, Fr. Thomas McCabe

<u>Holy Trinity Parish Census Update:</u> In this space we will give you a weekly update with regard to the new census that was sent out last week. As of November 3 the Responses/ Potential number of households from the last census are: Holy Trinity - 21/88; St. Columbkill - 35/119 and St. Mary's - 24/85. Census forms due by November 15. Thank you.

Please pray for: Marcy Dilworth, Susan Brown, Margaret Wagner, Leo & Maxine Ryan, Mary Heppelmann, Ed Heppelmann, Anne Merry, Ray Poncelet, Dave Buck, Scott Cyert, Jerry Joe Majerus, Leo & Louise Heppelmann, Brent Hokanson, Anne Skalicky, Mark Ryan, Pat Mann, Lucas Nordrum, Kellie Peterson, Neil Stehr, Barb Smalley, Jen Berg, Mary Ellen Reding, Richard Heppelmann, Peggy Keller, Carroll Bartholome, Greg Poncelet, Madonna Thomforte and Dick Majerus.

## **News and Events**

<u>Family Novena for the Deeper Conversion of our State</u> <u>of MN:</u> *Sun., Oct. 31-Mon., Nov.* 7. Please pray one Our Father, three Hail Mary's and one Glory Be for the conversion of Minnesota.

**Archdiocese For the Military Services 2nd Collection Nov. 5-6**: This week our parish will take a collection to benefit the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA (AMS), a collection approved by the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops to be taken every three years. The AMS is the Archdiocese for the Military Services, not of the Military Services. This is an important distinction, because the AMS receives no funding from the U.S. Government or U.S. Military and has no parishes from which to receive a weekly assessment. Instead it must rely on the generosity of those whose values and priorities align with its mission, programs and services, to meet its costs. Please prayerfully consider a contribution to this special collection to support active-duty military men and women, and their familiesincluding those from our own parish. Please give generously. Thank you.

<u>CCW Meeting:</u> Please come to the Holy Trinity / St. Columbkill CCW meeting on Thursday, November 10th at 7 PM at St Columbkill church. Agenda will be presentation of Medjugorje trip.

<u>K of C Annual Memorial Mass:</u> Knights, Catholic Daughters and spouses or guests are invited to the Yearly Mass for Our Deceased at Holy Trinity on Monday, November 14 at 6:30 PM. A light lunch will follow Mass.

Candidates joining the K of C Council #2751 will meet at 6:30 PM at Sts. Peter and Paul, Mazeppa, on Tuesday, November 15 at 6:30 PM. Exemplification to the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Degrees at 7:00 PM in the Church. Candidates, families, #2751 Knights and spouses are invited to attend this Exemplification. A light lunch will follow at 7:30 PM.

The Cana Experience—Coming to our parish in January 2023! Have you wondered what more can be done for our community's young families? The time of your wondering has ended! Be part of a ministry that supports the young families in our parish. The Cana Experience is coming January 2023 to Holy Trinity! If you are interested in helping, contact Nicole Letsinger at 651-380-3479 or email nicolejryan4102@gmail.com. More information at: www.canafamilyinstitute.com. This will be the topic of discussion at the next Youth and Family Ministry meeting on Thursday, November 17 at 6:00-7:30 PM at Holy Trinity.

Chicken Dinner at St. Joseph's Miesville: A Chicken Sunday Dinner will be held at on Sunday, November 6 from 9:30 am—1:00 pm. This year it is dine-in or take-out, but no pre-orders. Adults—\$12, Children 10 & under—\$5 and Family—\$40. Serving chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, buttered corn, coleslaw, roll, dessert and beverage. The Big Ticket Raffle drawing will be at 1:00 pm.

Warm Hearts-Warm Blankets Project: Holy Trinity and St. Columbkill CCW groups are again making fleece blankets for donation to Goodhue County Social Services this Advent/Christmas season. All parishioners are invited to participate. Purchase fleece of your choice. Alternatively, there are

donated kits in the back of each church for making. Please return completed blankets to church or Maureen Lodermeier (651-764-0390) or Sharon Watson (651-764-9646) from now until January 15, 2023. Thank you!!

Book Signing at The Third Place: Cassy O'Reilly's Christian children's book entitled "Light Bringers" was published in June. Everyone is invited to her book signing and sale at The Third Option on Wednesday, November 9 from 4:30-7:30 pm. Contact Cassy at (651) 380-0107 for more information.

Moms-To-Be Volunteers Needed: First Choice Clinic is offering free ultrasounds. Nurses are being trained on November 14, 15 and 16 at First Choice Clinic for ultrasounds and need 20 women who are between 5 and 20 weeks pregnant to come in and be scanned. In appreciation you will receive your ultrasound picture, a gift card, diapers and wipes. Call to schedule your appointment—651-267-4357.

Calendar/Events								
Sat/Sun Nov. 5/6	HT/SM/SC	Mass Times	2nd Coll. for Arch. Military Services					
Mon., Nov. 7	SM	6:30-9:00PM	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament					
Wed., Nov. 9	HT	9:00AM-2PM	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament					
Wed., Nov. 9	HT	2:15-3:30PM	Faith Formation Classes Grades 1-6					
Wed., Nov. 9	HT	7:25-8:35PM	Faith Formation Classes Grades 7-10					
Thur., Nov. 10	SC	8AM-8:50AM	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament/Confession					
Mon. Nov. 14	HT 6:30 PM K		K of C Memorial Mass					
Thur., Nov. 17	HT	6:00-7:30PM	Youth and Family Ministry Meeting					

<b>Holy Trinity Church</b>							
(HT) Collection:							
10/30: \$1.405							

St. Columbkill Church (SC) Collection: 10/30: \$1,046 St. Mary Church (SM) Collection: 10/30: \$1,025



#### Behold the Lamb of God!

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Mondays at St. Mary from 6:30-9:00PM, Wednesdays at Holy Trinity from 9:00AM-2:00PM, and Thursdays at St. Columbkill from 8:00AM-9:00AM (unless otherwise noted). Come and spend some time with Jesus!

Weekend Ministry Schedule							
Church Role		November 5/6	November 12/13				
HT: Sat.	Musician	Wanda Schafer					
5:30pm Nov. 6 &	Cantor	Marlys McNamara					
Nov. 13	Lector	Bjorn Otterness	Maureen Lodermeier				
	Servers	Brenna Buck Nora Frederick	Corbin Jaeger, Ben Gadient				
SM:	Musician	Wanda Schafer	Wanda Schafer				
Sunday 8:45am	Cantor	Allison Keller	Allison Keller				
Nov. 6 &	Lector	Pat Mensink	Brian Keller				
Nov. 13	Servers	Zach and Danny Keller	Addy and Will Poncelet				
SC:	Musician	Cindy Eppen	Cindy Eppen				
Sunday 10:30am	Cantor	Shelly Jacobson	Tom Schulte				
Nov. 6 &	Lector	Charlie Dicke	Chris Poncelet				
Nov. 13	Servers	Luke, Owen, and Jay Roschen	Eleanor, Patrick and Francis O'Reilly				

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The All Saints Day Celebration was a great success! Thank you to the "student saints," parents, catechists and many volunteers especially Ann Buck, Diane Ryan, Marie McNamara. We collected \$1900 for the Youth Ministry Fund.

Samantha and Taylor Dowden as Sts. Zellie and Louis Martin, Parents of St. Therese of Lisieux.



Many volunteers helped to make for a great Saints Cele-

