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# The Most Holy Trinity June 15, 2014

God so loved the world  
that he gave his only Son.

— John 3:16a

## MASSES FOR THE WEEK

### SUNDAY, JUNE 15

7:30 AM Father's Day Intentions  
9:30 AM Father's Day Intentions

### MONDAY, JUNE 16

9:00 AM Joseph DiFebo

### TUESDAY, JUNE 17

9:00 AM **NO MASS**

### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18

9:00 AM **NO MASS**

### THURSDAY, JUNE 19

9:00 AM **NO MASS**

### FRIDAY, JUNE 20

9:00 AM **NO MASS**

### SATURDAY, JUNE 21

4:30 PM Pat & Gene Golla (45<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary)

### SUNDAY, JUNE 22

7:30 AM Marcella Everett  
9:30 AM Robert Malinowski

Father Tamburro will be on retreat June 16<sup>th</sup> to June 21<sup>st</sup>.  
He will take the following Masses with him.

6/17 Katie Kerbacher      6/18 Father's Day Intentions  
6/19 Father's Day Intentions      6/20 Paula Robsock

**SANCTUARY CANDLE THIS WEEK:** In memory of Ann Dudasko requested by Wanda & Stephen Kilcullen.

**PEACE CANDLE:** In memory of Florence & Matthew Kopetskie requested by their family.

**RESURRECTION CANDLE:** In memory of Jackie Christopher requested by Dot & Bill Harmon

**BLESSED MOTHER CANDLE:** In honor of Gene & Pat Golla on the occasion of the 45<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary requested by Marge & Joe Kutza.

**THE ALTAR BREADS & ALTAR WINE** that will be consecrated at our Masses this week are in memory of Jackie Christopher given by Eileen Swigonski.

**WE WELCOME** Francis Carl Womer who was baptized here recently. God's Blessings on this little one.

## PARISH SUPPORT

### June 8 Offering

Adult	\$4737.00
Youth	16.00
Loose	<u>388.00</u>
Total	\$5141.00

**Pentecost: \$1643.00**

**With gratitude for your Weekly Sacrifice!**

We are grateful to all those who make a real financial sacrifice **every week** to support our parish and its ministries! **Thank you!**

## PARISH DATEBOOK

### THURSDAY, JUNE 19

#### YEAR OF EVANGELIZATION PROGRAM

6:30 PM in Parish Center 2<sup>nd</sup> floor.

### FRIDAY, JUNE 20

**BLUE ARMY HOLY HOUR** will be prayed at 8:00 AM.

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## SERVICE FOR THE LORD

### Next Sunday, June 22

#### Saturday, 4:30 PM

Eucharistic Ministers: Eroh, Panzak, Marston  
Lector: Stephens  
Altar Servers: 2  
Greeters: Torsella

#### Sunday, 7:30 AM

Eucharistic Ministers: Kilcullen, Pierce, Wolfe  
Lector: Stashko  
Altar Servers: 3  
Greeters: M & W Andrzejewski

#### Sunday, 9:30 AM

Eucharistic Ministers: Wharton, Monatesti, Czajkowski  
Lector: Kalie  
Altar Servers: 1  
Greeters: S & L Lizardi

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## SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: The Most Holy Trinity; Father's Day

Monday: Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time

Thursday: St. Romuald

Saturday: St. Aloysius Gonzaga; Summer begins



**CONGRATULATIONS**

**Ryan Stashko & Alana Badalato**  
for receiving the Bridget Belford  
Scholarship presented by the  
Ladies Council.

Also congratulations to all graduates.  
Good Luck in your future endeavors.

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**THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** still has a few openings for foursomes for their annual golf tournament and for hole sponsorships. (see bulletin board) If you and your friends are looking for a good time or would like to sponsor a hole you may contact Gene Golla @ 570 357-8256 or Dick Marston @ 570 394-3645 for the necessary forms. The tournament proceeds benefit the Wounded Warriors 100%. June 28, 12:30 PM registration with a dinner at St. Mary's Grove immediately following the tournament.

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**If you or a loved one is sick or in need of prayer, please call Rose Yalch at 570-752-2363 or Ann Samsel at 570-752-7309. Your request will be passed on to the rest of the Bible Study Group.**



**FATHERHOOD**

When a father gives to his son, both laugh; when a son gives to his father, both cry.

—William Shakespeare

**LIFE IN THE TRINITY**

The name of the Trinity is, without a doubt, the most familiar sacred name to us. We speak it every time we make the sign of the cross, and it forms the heart of our Creed. Trinity Sunday is a good day, however, to stop and reflect on the unique role of each of the three persons we name so often in the Trinity and in our own lives. When we celebrate the Eucharist on Sunday, we come together as the Body of Christ through our baptism, and through the power of the Holy Spirit we offer the whole prayer of the Mass to God the Father. This presence of the Trinity does not stop when we leave church on Sunday. We are—always and everywhere—members of the Body, and every thing we do as members of that Body is empowered by the Holy Spirit, all of it offered to the glory of our loving Father.

Take a moment each day this week to reflect on how the persons of the Trinity were present to you during the day, and how other people came to see the presence of the Trinity in your witness to the Good News.



**TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION**

The liturgy seems reluctant to return to Ordinary Time from the joys of Easter, and so the festivities extend to today's celebration of the mystery of God's relationship to us as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. The Gospel today centers the question of our relationship with God in the struggle of Nathaniel to believe that it is possible to experience "rebirth" in the Spirit. The answer of Jesus is that God's response to the messes of this world is the mystery of saving love in Jesus Christ and the outpouring of an empowering Spirit.

Western church architecture often tops a church building with a spire, indicating humanity's reach to a transcendent God. The Eastern Church responds with onion-shaped domes, indicating the Spirit's being poured down upon humanity precisely at this locale, the gathering of the faithful for the Divine Liturgy. This familiar design encodes a great mystery: here, at the Lord's table, we experience the outpouring of the Spirit for the life of the world. Nathaniel came to Jesus by night, since he was still working out the meaning of his life. A life attuned to the inner life of the Trinity must always be given to the light of day.