

Dear Holy Trinity Family...

As we celebrate the 4th Sunday of Ordinary Time, we hear how even the unclean spirits know who Jesus is as they call him the "Holy One of God." They listen to his commands because the authority that has been given to him comes from God, because Jesus is God. If even the unclean spirit listen to Jesus, why is it so hard for us to do what the Lord asks of us? This is where we have to continue to grow in virtue in order to make the right decisions in life in order to truly follow the Lord and help us attain the glory of heaven. Let's help one another in this task with our prayer, but also in encouraging one another to grow in holiness.

Last Monday was the unfortunate anniversary of Roe vs. Wade. Thankfully it was overturned in 2022 for the entire nation, but it is still being pushed and made legal by states including California. Over 6,500 people gathered last Saturday in the rain for OneLifeLA and the Requiem Mass for the Unborn. They witnessed to the importance of protecting life at all stages from conception to natural death. I invite us all to continue to pray for our society and our leaders that we may acknowledge and respect the life always. If you know someone who is struggling with an unwanted pregnancy or is a new parent who needs help, please visit <https://byyoursidela.org>

We kick off Catholic Schools Week with our Holy Trinity School Open House this Sunday from 7:30am-12pm. Please continue to pray for our school, students, teachers, staff, alumni and families.

Mary, Mother of Divine Grace... pray for us.

- Fr. Mike



Fr. Mike, Fr. Ricky, Deacon Ray, Seminarian Quoc, Nicko and KC, joined thousands of people for the 10th annual OneLifeLA event. Go to <https://onelifela.org> for more info.



Please pray for our catechumens and candidate as they prepare to receive their sacraments this Easter Vigil. (left to right: Deanna, Alexander and Alicia with Fr. Leo.)

**SUNDAY OFFERINGS**

The deposit amount for the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time was \$7,141. Thank you for your generosity and continued support of Holy Trinity Parish.

**DID YOU KNOW?**

**The crime of child pornography**

Child pornography is the visual depiction of a minor in sexually explicit conduct. There is some general public confusion surrounding the term “child pornography” — for example, some people believe that child pornography can be accidentally found while browsing the internet, or that the “children” depicted are actually older and simply appear younger. Using the term “child pornography” can also minimize the horrors of children being exploited for profit in this way. To learn more, read the VIRTUS® article “Responding to the Crime of Child Sexual Abuse Materials” at [lacatholics.org/did-you-know/](http://lacatholics.org/did-you-know/).

**El delito de la pornografía infantil**

La pornografía infantil es la representación visual de un menor en una conducta sexualmente explícita. Existe cierta confusión entre el público general en torno al término “pornografía infantil”. Por ejemplo, algunas personas creen que la pornografía infantil se puede encontrar accidentalmente al navegar por Internet, o que los “niños” representados son en realidad mayores y simplemente parecen más jóvenes. El uso del término “pornografía infantil” también puede minimizar los horrores de los niños que son explotados para lucrarse con ellos de esta manera. Para obtener más información, lea el artículo en inglés de VIRTUS® “Responding to the Crime of Child Sexual Abuse Materials” (Respondiendo al delito de materiales de abuso sexual infantil) en [lacatholics.org/did-you-know/](http://lacatholics.org/did-you-know/).

**Misa en Espanol**

Los Domingos a la 1:30pm

**Charismatic Prayer Group**

This prayer group meets every Saturday at 11am in the school. Come and let’s pray together.

**Devine Mercy Apostles Prayer Group**

This prayer group meets every Thursday ay 6:15pm in the School. Join with the group to recite the Chaplet of Mercy and meditate for His unfathomable Mercy.

**Upcoming Parish Events**

**Saturday, February 3rd, 6:30pm—10pm**

Holy Trinity Parish Dinner Dance at St. Casimir

**Sunday, February 11th, at the 10:30am Mass**

World Marriage Day - We will offer a special blessing

**Wednesday, February 14th**

Ash Wednesday, Lent begins

**HOLY TRINITY SCHOOL**  
FORMING SAINTS AND SCHOLARS

**OPEN HOUSE**  
SUNDAY, JANUARY 28TH  
7:30AM-12PM

**OUR SCHOOL**

- STRONG CATHOLIC IDENTITY ✓
- DEDICATED AND COMMITTED FACULTY AND STAFF ✓
- JOY FILLED AND FRIENDLY STUDENTS ✓

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**Holy Trinity Catholic Church**

Celebrate  
**Valentine's Day**  
*Dinner Dance*

**February 3, 2024**  
6:30 PM  
St. Casimir Hall  
2718 St. George St.,  
Los Angeles, Ca. 90039

Music by DJ Jimmy & Pauline Regino

For the benefit of  
**Parish 100<sup>th</sup> Year Festivities**

We are looking for candidates to run for King, Queen, Prince, Princess and Miss Holy Trinity. Please speak to Marites or the office for more info.