

Dear Holy Trinity Family,

I hope that you are all doing well.

Our Gospel today speaks of an invitation by our Lord to come to the feast which we celebrate in our Eucharist today, but also one day the heavenly banquet of heaven. To get us there, we need to hear the voice of our Lord, respond to his invitation and put our best forward. The Lord gives us so many opportunities. Don't ignore him. Don't choose something else. Don't miss out of being close to Him.

This weekend we are blessed to have Fr. Runde from Food for the Poor to talk about and share his ministry on an international level. This wonderful organization helps stop child hunger by providing resources to the families. Most especially through the work of the priests, they also provide for their spiritual needs. Thank you in advance for your generosity to his wonderful work and mission.

October is Respect Life Month. We must defend and protect life at all stages from conception to natural death. Remember, we proclaim the Gospel of Life! Let's live it out always.

We are already halfway through October which means some great things are coming up.

Sunday, October 29th: Holy Trinity School will be celebrating the annual Boo Bash from 12:30pm to 8:00pm. Save the date and come out for some wonderful food, games and fellowship. You may even get to see Fr. Mike in a costume. You got to be there to find out.

Wednesday, November 1st: We celebrate All Saints Day, a Holy Day of Obligation. 4 Masses will be offered- Vigil (Tues) at 5pm; Wed at 8am, 5pm and 7pm.

Thursday, November 2nd: We will celebrate All Souls Day. You are invited to remember our deceased loved ones in 3 different ways.

1. Honor your loved ones by purchasing a votive candle (\$10) that will be placed in the sanctuary with your loved ones name on it. Envelopes are found in the vestibule and must be submitted by Friday, October 27th.
2. All Souls Days envelopes can be found in the pews where you can remember multiple loved ones. The envelopes will be placed by our Lord in the tabernacle throughout the All Souls Novena.
3. Join us for Mass that day at 8am, 5pm or 7pm. The 7pm Mass will be a special candlelit Mass where we remember all those who have died, especially those who had their funeral Mass at Holy Trinity this past year.

Let's continue to pray for one another. The Lord hears our prayers and watches over us always. Our Lady of the Rosary... pray for us.

In Christ,

Rev. Mike Perucho
 Administrator



Picture: Blessing of the animals on 10/7/2023



Picture: Commissioning of our Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion on 10/8/2023

SUNDAY OFFERINGS

The deposit amount for the 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time was \$8,526. Thank you for your generosity and continued support of Holy Trinity Parish.

**HOLY TRINITY—MISA EN ESPANOL
LOS DOMINGOS A LA 1:30PM**

El grupo de oración en español les invitan que vengan a participar en las alabanzas de Dios: canten, oren y de su testimonio. Cada viernes de las siete a nueve de la noche en la escuela.

DID YOU KNOW?

Protecting vulnerable adults

While a primary focus of those in ministry is on protecting children from harm, protecting vulnerable adults is just as important. This includes adults living with mental, emotional, or physical disabilities, adults who have court-appointed guardians, elderly adults in vulnerable positions, and anyone else who may be unable to consent to or understand what is happening to them. Every year, nearly 500,000 reports of abuse against vulnerable adults are made to the Adult Protection Service, and even more go undetected. The same steps and processes outlined for protecting children can help vulnerable adults as well — know the warning signs, screen all employees and caregivers, and monitor environments for safe practices. For more information, read the VIRTUS® article “Protecting Vulnerable Adults” at lacatholics.org/did-you-know.

Protegiendo a los adultos vulnerables

Si bien el enfoque principal de quienes están en el ministerio de protección a los niños del peligro, la protección de los adultos vulnerables es igualmente importante. Esto incluye adultos que viven con discapacidades mentales, emocionales o físicas, adultos que tienen tutores designados por el tribunal, adultos mayores en posiciones vulnerables y cualquier otra persona que no pueda dar su consentimiento o comprender lo que les está sucediendo. Cada año, se presentan al Servicio de Protección de Adultos casi 500 mil denuncias de abuso contra adultos vulnerables, y muchas más pasan desapercibidas. Los mismos pasos y procesos descritos para proteger a los niños también pueden ayudar a los adultos vulnerables a conocer las señales de advertencia, evaluar a todos los empleados y cuidadores y monitorear los entornos para detectar prácticas seguras. Para obtener más información, lea el artículo en inglés de VIRTUS® “Protecting Vulnerable Adults” (Protección de adultos vulnerables) en lacatholics.org/did-you-know.

Holy Trinity School Presents...

BOO BASH
Fall Family Festival
2023

Sunday, October 29th
~ 12:00 - 8:00pm ~

In the Holy Trinity Church Parking Lot,
School, and Pavilion



Food, Drinks,
Gourmet Candy Apples,
Carnival Games, Bingo
Haunted House, Video Game Room,
Prizes, Music/Entertainment,
Beer Garden,
FREE Trunk or Treat for Kids!

Admission is FREE!

No outside food allowed at the event. Game & snack bar concession tickets are available at the door. Only persons over 21yrs of age allowed in Beer Garden - ID will be checked at the door



Help Support Simbang Gabi 2023

October 21, 2023
Gates opens at 12:00pm
In the School Pavilion
Games start at 12:30pm

Tickets (20 games): \$25
Prize per game: \$50
(Each pattern-set that gives you a “BINGO” is a win)

~ Please contact Pat Caampued for more information: (323) 633-0806 ~