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Virtus training is returning to Holy Trinity. If you are involved in any ministry here at Holy Trinity, please know that your Virtus Training must be up to date. Please register as soon as possible if you need to do so.

The month of August is now here. Summer School is now over. The Fall Semester will begin on Monday August 23rd. It is not too late to join our school community. Come and check out the exciting thing happening at Holy Trinity School.

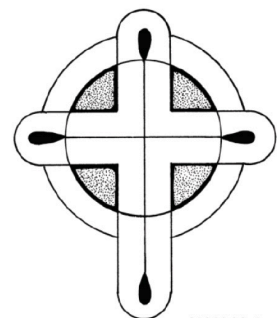
We had a wonderful Finance Council Meeting on Wednesday July 21st. Our collection was slightly down during the Pandemic Year, but we were able to make some cuts to balance the budget. We were able to eliminate 25 hours a week in our weekly payroll and cut down on various expenses. Thanks be to God, we remain financially stable.

I am hoping in September to increase the hours of adoration on First Friday. Now that things are slowly getting back to normal, we are looking at what we can add to our liturgical schedule. Maybe in the evening time to allow those that work to come. I am open to suggestions. The school is also seeking to increase their hours of adoration.

On the weekdays after the 8:00am a group of parishioners are praying the rosary after mass. You are more than welcome to join them. Let us strive to grow in our love and devotion to Our Blessed Virgin Mary.

In Christ,

Fr. Ricardo



**SUNDAY OFFERINGS**

The deposit amount for the Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time was \$7,840.45. Thank you for your generosity and continued support of Holy Trinity Parish.

**VIRTUS: PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN & KEEPING THE PROMISE ALIVE**

Holy Trinity Parish's Safeguard the Children Committee plays a crucial role in assuring that the safeguard initiatives found in the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops' Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People have been made a priority in our parish and school and that the Archdiocesan safe environment programs, policies and procedures are being implemented throughout our parish/school community. All adults over the age of 18 who are involved in volunteer ministry with children must attend a mandatory training session called Protecting God's Children. This initial 2 ½ hour training session will be offered in our parish on Saturday, August 14th at 2:00pm or Thursday, September 2nd at 6:30pm. The certificate from this class is good for 4 years. If you need to re-certify, a Keeping the Promise Alive class will be offered in our parish on Saturday, August 28th at 2:30pm or Thursday, September 9th at 6:30pm. These classes are for adults over the age of 18 only and are held upstairs in the 6th Grade Classroom. Space is limited and a reservation is required. For more information or to reserve your space - contact the school office at (323) 663 – 2064.

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

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.

**HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

Holy Trinity Catholic School students are back in the classroom – on the road toward graduation and becoming the future leaders of tomorrow! The Catholic Education Foundation of Los Angeles has received a \$50 million gift to provide financial support to new students enrolling in an Archdiocesan school for fall. Catholic education is affordable and tuition assistance is available! If you would like to arrange a tour of our parish school or get additional information on enrollment and financial assistance, please call us at (323) 663 -2064 or email our principal at [klloyd@holyltrinity-la.com](mailto:klloyd@holyltrinity-la.com) Give your child the gift of a Catholic education this fall!

**ST. JOSEPH'S WEEKLY WORKSHOP**

Tools to grow spiritually in the Year of St. Joseph (Dec 8, 2020 – Dec 8, 2021)

**The Terror of Demons**

Saint Joseph is most powerful against the demons which fight against us at the end of our lives.

- St. Alphonsus Liguori

When you find yourself feeling overcome by the trials of life, turn to St. Joseph. He was a man who, in his earthly life, never succumbed to “vain terrors.” He remained ever grounded in faith, ever attuned to the will of God in his life. From Heaven, he stands as a go-to saint to help you when forces beyond your control - including demonic forces - seek to unsettle you and pull you toward despair and ruin.

At the end of our lives, many people are susceptible to despair. Saint Joseph, Terror of Demons, will squash such despair and all things that stand in opposition to the hope found in the Risen Christ. From Heaven, this humble, quiet man of strength will lead us to the peace found in Jesus.

Saint Joseph, Terror of Demons, protect us.

Excerpt from Marian Fathers Divine Mercy August 5, 2019 Newsletter

Wednesdays are traditionally associated with St. Joseph - join us in praying the Rosary on the first Wednesday of each month after the 5:00 pm Mass. Email [HTPrayerJMJ@Outlook.com](mailto:HTPrayerJMJ@Outlook.com) to learn more.