

Dear Holy Trinity Family...

We are on the 32<sup>nd</sup> week of Ordinary Time which means our readings take more of an eschatological tone as we focus on the end times. Our Gospel today reminds us to be ready and prepared. We do not know when the Lord will come. We prepare by going to confession, by praying and receiving the Eucharist. One Sacrament that we sometimes are not familiar with and are hesitant to receive is the Anointing of the Sick. There is a misnomer that you are to receive this Sacrament only if you are about to die. Sometimes as family, we don't want to ask it for our loved one because it feels like we are giving up on the life of that person. That is all not true. This Sacrament is to allow one to receive the healing grace of God in both body and spirit. Anyone who is sick or at an "old age" can receive the Sacrament. If you think about it, all of us are "dying," it is just a matter of when and only God knows that answer. If you are sick or elderly, now is the time to prepare through the sacrament of the anointing of the sick. Do not wait until you are on your last breath. There are fewer priests, even here at Holy Trinity, and one may not get to you in time for the anointing if you wait until the last moment. Be prepared with you lighted lamp by receiving the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick if needed.

This month of November is dedicated to praying for our beloved dead which is a spiritual work of mercy. You can receive a plenary indulgence throughout the month of November by visiting a cemetery, praying for the dead and doing the 3 conditions as normal: Confession, Receive Eucharist and pray for the intentions of the Pope.

Our November canned food and non-perishable food items begins today. Please drop off your donations in the bins found in the vestibule.

Thanksgiving is coming up in less than two weeks. Please join us for our Thanksgiving Mass at 8am as we continue to thank God for all of our blessings. Please note that during the week of Thanksgiving there will be no 5pm Mass.

Mary, Mother of Priests, pray for us.

-Fr. Mike



**SUNDAY OFFERINGS**

The deposit amount for the 31th Sunday in Ordinary Time was **\$11,988**. 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 invita que vengan a participar en las alabanzas de Dios: canten, oren y den su testimonio. Cada viernes de las siete a nueve de la noche en la escuela.

**DID YOU KNOW?****What happens if an adult fails to report abuse?**

A child's disclosure of abuse must always be taken seriously and handled properly by mandated reporters, teachers, and all trusted adults. The duty to report abuse is the ethically responsible action to take. Failure to report could result in repeated offenses, more severe abuse, and other victims being exposed to a predator. For more information on the importance of reporting abuse, read the VIRTUS® article "The Consequences of Failing to Report Child Maltreatment: The Impact of All of Us" at [lacatholics.org/did-you-know/](http://lacatholics.org/did-you-know/).

**HOLY TRINITY SCHOOL** Are you happy with your child's school experience? Consider sending your child to our parish school – where the values taught in the classroom reflect the values of your home. Small class sizes with under 20 students makes it possible for us to create a personalized experience for your child to help them excel. Did you know that 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@holytrinity-la.com](mailto:klloyd@holytrinity-la.com) Give your child the gift of a Catholic education this fall!

**Vocation Events**

Check out [LAVocations.org](http://LAVocations.org) for more information and to register for the events below.

**Day of Discernment for High School and  
Young Adult Men**

Friday, November 24th @ 10am  
Mission San Fernando

**Single Men's Retreat**

18–40 years old  
Thurs, Nov. 30th- Sun, Dec. 3rd  
Palomar Mountains

**Thanksgiving Canned Food Drive**

Starting November 12th, we will be collecting canned food and other non-perishable items which we will donate in support of the LA Food Bank to feed those who are in most need. You are invited to bring your items and place them in the donation bins in the vestibule. The last day of donations will be Thanksgiving Day after the 8AM Mass.

**Eucharistic Revival—Advent Mission**

We are invited to renew our devotion to the Eucharist as part of the Eucharistic Revival. We will be having 4 awesome opportunities to spend time with our Lord and strengthen our relationship with Jesus.

Sunday, November 26th @ 3:30pm  
**Eucharistic Procession - Feast of Christ the King**

Wednesday, November 29th @ 7pm  
**The Roots of the Eucharist in Scripture**  
by Fr. Leo Ortega

Wednesday, December 6th @ 7pm  
**True Love: The Eucharist Unveiled**  
by Deacon Ray Emnacee

Wednesday, December 13th @ 7pm  
**A Eucharistic Vocation**  
By Fr. Mike Perucho