

Most Holy Trinity

May 22, 2016

May Parish Stewardship

CAER Center
and
Heifer International

Budget amount
needed for each week:
\$7,300.00

May 14 and 15

Stewardship Back to the Lord

Envelopes:\$7,226.35
Youth:\$2.75
Total:\$7,229.10
EFT:\$780.00
Total:\$8,009.10

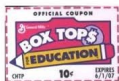
Sunday Contributions YTD \$335,800.00
Actual YTD \$325,031.59

Thank You

Debt Reduction:

April\$609.00
Total for the fiscal year. \$5,102.00

Stewardship: Today's psalm reminds us that we have been crowned with glory and honor and given rule over the works of God's hands. But we must be good stewards, for the Lord will surely hold us accountable for the use of those gifts!



Box Tops for Education & Campbell Soup

UPC's: We collect box tops for education & Campbell Soup UPC's for our Catholic schools. There is a container in the gathering area of church for your convenience.

This Week's Events

Sunday, May 22

8:00 am Rosary
11:30 am Individual Reconciliation (Bannister)
3:00 pm Baccalaureate

Tuesday, May 24

7:00 pm Ensemble/Choir

Wednesday, May 25

9:30 am Adult Choir
7:30 pm Pastoral Council meet

Saturday, May 28

8:00 am Rosary

Sunday, May 29

8:00 am Rosary
11:30 am Individual Reconciliation (Bannister)



Parish Offices Closed: The parish offices will be closed on Monday, May 30th due to the Memorial Day holiday.



Rosary Devotions: from 8-9 am every morning.



Youth Ministry

Join us for Parent vs. Youth Kick Ball Night on Saturday, June 4th from 6-7:30 pm. This will be a potluck with tacos provided. Please bring a dish to pass. We will then see who has the better kick ball skills! All youth in grades 5-12, their friends, siblings and parents are invited. For more info contact Katie. See you on the field!

9th Annual Dinner to Benefit Seminarian Endowment Fund:

Sponsored by the Saginaw Serra Club on Tuesday, June 21st at Swan Valley Banquet Center, 9521 Highland Green, Saginaw. Social hours at 6 pm; dinner at 7 pm. The cost is \$50 per person or \$350 for a table of eight. The keynote speaker is Father Ben Kosnac from Sts. Cyril & Methodius of Sterling Heights, MI and remarks from Bishop Joseph Cistone. For information, please call Marian Moll at 751-2228 or Bob Guldenzoph at 989-252-1604.

Liturgy this Week

Sunday, May 22

Trinity Sunday

8:30 am Mass

Wednesday, May 25

9:00 am Mass (Bannister)

Thursday, May 26

8:00 am Mass (Chesaning)

Saturday, May 28

4:30 pm Mass

Lectors:

Laura Moliterno and Cassidy Bucholz

Eucharist Ministers:

Helena Czeizperger, Laura Moliterno, Lisa Coon, Paulette Fuoss and Sarah Mahoney

Altar Servers:

Helena Czeizperger and volunteer needed

Sunday, May 29

Body and Blood of Christ Sunday

8:30 am Mass

Lectors:

Penny Apsey and Evonne Tithof

Eucharist Ministers:

Mary Baese, Karen Hoover, Penny Apsey, Bernard Coonrod and Bob Corrin

Altar Servers:

Paula Rench and volunteer needed

Readings for the Week

Monday: 1 Pt 1:3-9/Mk 10:17-27

Tuesday: 1 Pt 1:10-16/Mk 10:28-31

Wednesday: 1 Pt 1:18-25/Mk 10:32-45

Thursday: 1 Pt 2:2-5, 9-12/Mk 10:46-52

Friday: 1 Pt 4:7-13/mk 11:11-26

Saturday: Jude 17, 20b-25/Mk 11:27-33

Sunday: Gn 14:18-20/Lk 9:11b-17

Sponsor of the Week

NH NELSON - HOUSE FUNERAL HOMES

Martin Chapel
316 W. Broad St.
Chesaning, MI 48616
(989) 845-3420

Tyler McGeehan
Manager

New Lothrop Chapel
9405 Butternut St.
New Lothrop, MI 48460
(810) 638-5077

funeralhome@nelson-house.com



Catholic Service Appeal (CSA):

We have received \$46,080.00 toward our CSA goal of \$70,812 which is 65%. Envelopes are available in the gathering area of church. Fr. Bill will be sending a letter to parishioners who have not returned their pledge card. If you are unable to contribute this year, please return your pledge card marked "zero". Thank you to everyone who has contributed.

Lost & Found: We have numerous jackets, gloves etc. that have been left in church in the ushers room. Please stop before or after church to see if anything belongs to you. After Sunday, May 22nd any items left will be given to the CAER Center.

Catechist Needed: Have you ever wanted to share your faith with our young people? Faith Formation has an opportunity for a first grade catechist. Responsibilities include sharing your faith with our young people, planning a weekly lesson (all materials provided and we will help you along the way) and a commitment to be present at weekly Faith Formation classes September through April. If interested, please contact Doris in the Faith Formation Office at 845-1797.



Blood Drive: One hour of your time can help save several lives. Be somebody that gives back! Schedule an appointment to donate blood by calling 1-866-642-5663. The next blood drive is: Thursday, June 2nd & Friday, June 3rd from 12-6 pm at the Chesaning Brady Fire Department, 1632 Brady St., Chesaning.



THOSE ASKING FOR PRAYERS:

Jim Pitt, Reynaldo Rodriguez, Benny Sims, Janet

Scheffler, Carol Moore, Tiffany Dankert, Abby Aldrich,

Joe Pine, Robert Tufts, Charles Guziak, Helen Gasser, Tim Amman,

Margaret Bolinger, Matt Coughlin, Geri Sholtz, Terry Kennelly,

Joann Richardson, Bradley Blakeselle, Chantel Fondren, Tim

Apsey, Irene Nietling, Laurie Tufts, Brenda Lienau, Mechelle

Kuchar, Vickie Daniels, Mark Zvonek, Wolfgang Franke, Albert &

Judy Storch, Sherry Storch, Fran A. Gross, Joseph Klasek, Ray

Tithof, Rose Bonkowski, Roger Nietling, Jim Fusina, Esther

Lickman, Brady Carroll, Fred Lane, Rita Amman,

Jay & Kay Glover, Susan Addington, Nancy Dennis,

Joey Kligar, Barb Wenzlick, Diane DeVoe, Roxann

Timm, Gayle Shooltz, Judy Wakeman, David and

Marianne Sutter, John Sims, Bessie McSwayn, Judy

(Willitts) Balderrama, Melanie Thiel, Brian Clark,

Gloria Bates, Jeannette Somers, Kim Bruder, Gary Cech, Edward

List Sr., Virginia Lawton, Gary J. Tanner, Mel Gross, Nichole

Horn, Franklin Bates, Henry Huntoon, Will Lucio, Al Hundt, Ruth

Vrable, Johannes Vogelaar, Jerry Hoover, Tom & Julia Mahoney,

Jennie Hunt, Bob & Jacob Albers, Madeline Klopp, and Joseph

Sedlar Sr.

New Parish Emails: Starting this week the staff of St. Peter will have a new email address. They are listed on the front of the bulletin. Please start using this new email as the previous email will no longer be useable after June 30, 2016. If you have any questions, please feel free to call the office.

Art and Environment: We will be taking down the large cross in church after Sunday Mass on May 22nd. We are looking for a few good men to help. We also need the time and talent of a couple of parishioners. The first job is for someone who may own an embroidery sewing machine or know of someone who does. We have a small embroidering job for the church. Next is for someone who has the tools to do some wood crafting. Anyone who would like to help out please contact Linda at 845-2363.



Save the Date! St. Cyril Knights of Columbus's annual golf fundraiser is Saturday, July 16th at North Star Golf Course in Ithaca.

More information in upcoming bulletins.

Newspaper Trailer: Drop off your newspapers at the trailer located at 802 Lockwood St (by the school). Recycling them help to keep them out of the landfills.

A Reflection on the Gospel from 2016 Living Liturgy:

At first reading this gospel sounds like a mysterious riddle Jesus is sharing with his disciples in the Last Supper to befuddle them. What is the "more" that Jesus has to tell his disciples that they cannot bear? Clearly Jesus is speaking of a pretty weighty issue. So weighty that he promises to send his Spirit to guide them "to all truth." Ultimately, Jesus is speaking of life and death—his own and ours—which are probably the most weighty issues any of us ever faces. We human beings cling to life like a dog with a bone—we fight for it, we do all we can to preserve and prolong it. Jesus is facing his own imminent death; he is faced with the decision to give over his life. He is preparing his disciples for the same choice. We cling to our life like it is ours, but it really is not. Life is a gift from God.

On this Sunday when we celebrate the mystery of the Holy Trinity, when we celebrate the Life the Trinity shares among the three Persons and also shares with us, we cannot help but be like a dog with a bone. More even than our human life, we who have come to know Jesus and commit ourselves to him cling to the fullness of divine Life he offers us. We choose to receive this Life and, like Jesus, hand it over for the sake of others.

Like the Holy Trinity itself, we must let go, give that gift to others by surrendering our own selves for their good. Jesus showed us the way. He prepared his disciples for his suffering and death; he prepared his disciples to receive the Holy Spirit who enables Jesus' followers to share in his suffering and death in such a way as to also share in his risen Life, the very Life of the Holy Trinity itself. Life is a gift. We take that gift from God so that we can give that gift to others. All relationships are about give-and-take. This is no less true of the relationships of the divine Persons in the Holy Trinity. This is no less true of the relationships that bind us together in the Life of the one Body of Christ.