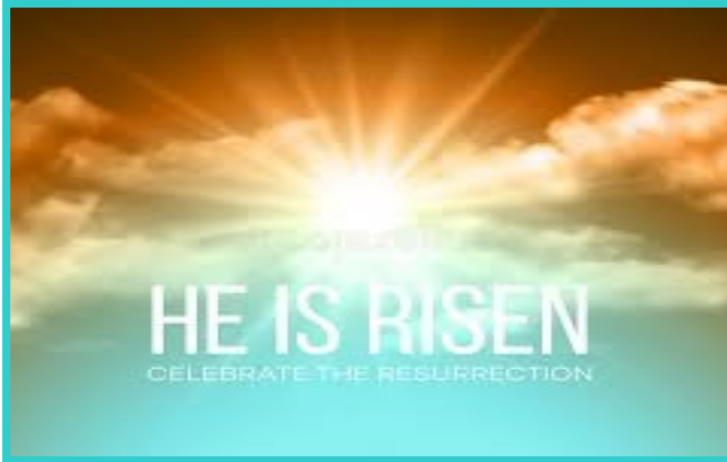


# HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH

April 20, 2025



**Christ is risen! Alleluia!  
He is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

This traditional Easter greeting reminds us of the joy that this feast day brings. This is the greatest of all days for Christians, because Jesus has defeated the power of sin and death by rising from the dead. We have become so accustomed to hearing this message that we sometimes lose the significance of what has happened – Jesus Christ is risen; the tomb is empty. What a remarkable thing this is. When we go to a funeral, no one expects the one who has died to rise again (at least not immediately). We have accepted the fact that death is final. However, with Jesus, He did rise even though no one expected it. His resurrection is good news, not just for Him, but for all of us because His victory is our victory as well. In His resurrection we have the hope of unending life with God in paradise. Let us reflect with gratitude on our baptism when we went into the tomb with Jesus and rose to a new life with Him. Let us also live our lives in union with Jesus so that the promise of new life that was given to us in baptism may be brought to its fulfilment in heaven. May God bless you and all of your loved ones on this most holy day – may He keep you in His love all the days of your life. Happy Easter!

Fr. Paul Moret

## FIRST COMMUNION SUNDAY

Sunday, April 27 following the 3:00pm  
Divine Mercy Chaplet.

Please keep the First Communicants in your prayers. May God continue to bless them as they continue their journey with Him.



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**"We are an Easter people and  
Alleluia is our song."**

The greatest gift of Easter Sunday  
is our hearing and experiencing  
God's amazing love for us.  
Jesus' rising from the dead  
is our hope of resurrection.

**Alleluia! Alleluia**

Be with us Lord,  
as we continue our pilgrim journey  
as an Easter people. Guide our footsteps with the light  
of Easter faith, that we may walk in your ways.

We ask this through Christ our Lord,  
who has risen from the dead.

**Alleluia! Alleluia!**

## DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET

**May Almighty God have mercy  
on us and on the whole world.**

On this day, we are to remember  
our need for God's mercy,  
the need that the world has for God's mercy,  
and the abundance of God's mercy  
that is available to us.

**"Jesus, I trust in You!"**

Please join us **Sunday, April 27** as we pray the Divine Mercy  
Chaplet at 3:00pm with **Mass to follow.**

There will be **NO 6:00pm Mass** this eve.





The Eucharist bathes the tormented soul in light and love. Then the soul appreciates these words, 'Come all you who are sick, I will restore your health.'  
St. Bernadette Soubirous

## SATURDAY, May 3

Please join us following the 5:00pm Mass.  
Food and child care will be available.  
More information to follow.



## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS— HOLY TRINITY COUNCIL:

For more information contact Brad Medernach at 780-984-1728. Membership [kofc.org/JoinUs](http://kofc.org/JoinUs)

## CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE:

For more information please contact Sister Susan at 780-968-5543 or email her at:

[holytrinitycwl.president@gmail.com](mailto:holytrinitycwl.president@gmail.com)

**Wednesday, April 30<sup>th</sup>**

Monthly regular meeting at 7:00pm.

**Saturday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>**

Mental Health workshop from 1:00 – 4:00pm.

**Wednesday, June 11<sup>th</sup>:**

Celebration with a catered meal, reception of new members prayer service & years of service pin presentations. Tickets will be on sale April 30<sup>th</sup>.

All women in the parish are invited to become a League member, if you are interested please contact Sr. Susan at the above email address.



## LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

### Altar Servers:

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# ALLELUIA!

## WEEK AT A GLANCE....

### DOWNSTAIRS:

OL—Our Lady's; SJ—St. Joseph; MD—Martin de Porres;  
C—Church; Chpl.—Chapel; BR—Board Rm. S—Society.

### UPSTAIRS:

KC—Knights of Columbus Room; CWL—Catholic Women's League; KR—Kateri Room; CR—Classrooms; LZM—St. Louis and Zelig Martin; SF—St. Faustina Youth Room; CA—Blessed Carlos Acutis; SA—St. Anne's Kitchen; SJPII—St. John Paul II Classroom; STL—St. Therese of Lisieux; AR—All rooms upstairs, excluding the KC Room.

### Easter Monday April 21

#### 9:30am MASS

OFFICE CLOSED  
Easter blessings to you!



### Tuesday April 22 6:30pm MASS

(Confessions from 5:00—6:15pm)

11:00am Funeral—Stang—C, H, SJ  
12:30pm Choir—S—C  
1:00pm Small Christian Communities—MD  
6:30pm Holy Communion—CWL, KR  
7:00pm Grief—OL, S  
7:00pm Bible Study—H

### Wednesday April 23 9:30am MASS

(Adoration from 10:00—9:00pm; Divine Mercy at 3:00pm)

2:30pm Pastoral Ministry—OL  
6:00pm Catechism/RCIC—CWL, KR, CA, JP, STL  
6:00pm Pastoral Ministry—OL, SJ

### Thursday April 24 9:30am MASS

10:00am Bible Study—H  
10:00am Quilters—KC  
10:00am CWL—OL  
6:30pm Holy Communion—CWL, KR  
7:00pm RCIA—OL

### Friday April 25 9:30am MASS

(Confessions & Adoration from 8:30—9:15am)

10:00am Healing Shawls—CWL  
6:00pm Marriage Prep—H

### Saturday April 26 5:00pm MASS

8:00am Marriage Prep—H  
10:00am Holy Communion—CWL, KR  
12:45pm Holy Communion—CWL, KR  
1:30pm Baptism Class—SJ  
3:30pm Confirmation—KC, CWL, KR  
6:30pm Healing Service—C

### Sunday April 27

9:00am & 11:00am NO 6:00pm MASS

9:00am Bake Sale—OL  
9:00am Marriage Prep—H  
3:00pm Divine Mercy Chaplet—C  
7:00pm Familia—BR



3:15pm MASS  
and the Celebration of  
Holy Communion—C, H

## BAKESALE: April 27

As part of the Jubilee year the Archdiocese is organizing a youth pilgrimage to Rome from July 24—August 8 for 36 young adults including 2 from Holy Trinity.



In an effort to assist in raising funds for this event, a bake sale will be held on **Sunday, April 27 following the 9:00 & 11:00am Masses in Our Lady's room.**

Please support the youth for this Jubilee event.

## ENCOUNTER SCHOOL OF MINISTRY HEALING SERVICE:

**Saturday, April 26** after the 5pm Mass!  
Come experience the healing power of Jesus!



## ENCOUNTER SCHOOL OF MINISTRY SUMMER INTENSIVE PROGRAM -

**July 28-31 from 6-9pm in the Holy Trinity Church Hall**

Curious about the power of the Holy Spirit? Experience the first 4 quarters of year 1 of the Encounter School of Ministry in four evenings. See the bulletin board across from the sacristy for registration details!



## PALLIATIVE CARE: May 4—7 is designated for prayer for Palliative Care throughout Canada.

Pope Francis said: "Palliative Care is an expression of the truly human attitude of taking care of one another, especially those who suffer. It is a testimony that the human person is always precious, even if marked by illness and old age."

We are inviting parishioners to pray on Wednesday, May 7<sup>th</sup> either at home or during adoration in the church. Handouts for prayer specific to palliative care will be provided. You are invited to sign up on the sheet at the back of the church, for an hour of prayer between 9am and 9pm. Please call Alison Beil if you want more information - her phone number is on the sign-up sheet.

## FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI EUCHARISTIC MASS and PROCESSION:

**Sunday, June 22 following the 11:00am Mass**

Please think about volunteering: we invite altar servers, singers, musicians, prayer leaders, decoration and luncheon preparations.

Please apply on Flocknote under Parish Communication or email [birdiep@shaw.ca](mailto:birdiep@shaw.ca)



## DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE SHARE LENT:



Development and Peace—Caritas Canada thanks you for giving generously to Share Lent. Thanks to your generosity \$3,215.50 was donated to Development and Peace—Caritas Canada from our parish! This sum will help support our brothers and sisters in Africa, Asia, Eastern Europe, Latin America, and the Middle East.

Thank you for continuing to pray for all those who are working to build a world of justice and peace.



**REGISTRATION** for the 2025 camping season is now open. **Kick-off BBQ and Alumni Event is Saturday, July 5 beginning at 2:00pm.**

Those who have not been to OLVC before, and those who have many times over, are invited to attend this event. OLVC alumni will be highlighted and celebrated on this day. For more information please visit:

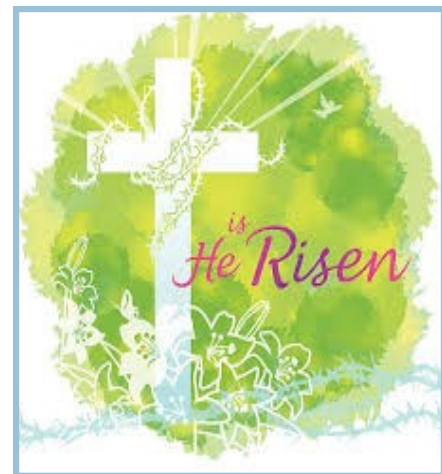
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## MARY'S GARDEN:

Spring has sprung, and summer is on its way! We are looking for volunteers to help out with Mary's Garden. If you are able to help out, just a few hours every couple of weeks, to help with the weeding and watering. We would love to hear from you.

Thank you, any help is appreciated!

Please call Theresa at 780-970-4096.



## NATIONAL FAMILY & LIFE WEEK:

The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops has designated the week of **May 11—18** the "National Family and Life Week" with this year's theme being "**Abound in Hope**".

National Family and Life Week provides an opportunity for the Catholic faithful across Canada to be beacons of hope, promoting life, and living out the call to love one another at home, in communities, and in the world. This Week is a welcome reminder that, through God's grace, all can abound in the

certain hope that Christ is always present, serving as a guide along the path to His perfect love.  
More information to follow.



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