

Holy Trinity Parish

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January 5, 2025

Parish Council (Trustees, Board, PCCW Officers):
Josh Pelan (Trustee), Wayne Pernicek (Trustee),
Kevin Behne, Lyle Jakub, Jerry Bongers, Aaron
Behne, Julie Novacek, Andrea Svoboda, Deb
Pleskac, Ashley Miller.

Prayer Circle Leaders:

M.L. Meister: 545-2731, Joyce Rezac: 545-3374,
Darlene Kucera: 545-3289

Confessions: 30 min. before weekend Masses

The Holy Rosary: 20 min. before each Mass

Perpetual Help Devotions: after Mass each Tuesday

Divine Mercy Chapel: after Mass each Friday

Weekday Masses

Jan. 6 Mon. No Mass
Jan. 7 Tues. 7:30 AM Don Dolezal
Jan. 8 Wed. 7:30 PM Shelley & Linda Kriz
Jan. 9 Thurs. 7:30 AM Tim Vasa
Jan. 10 Fri. 7:30 AM Bill Vandenberg

The Baptism of the Lord

Jan. 11 Sat. 5:00 PM For the Parishioners
Jan. 12 Sun. 9:00 AM John & Emily Rezac

Adults 12/29/2024 \$ 5,210.00
Childrens Offerings \$ 5.00
Christmas Offerings \$ 565.00
Loose Plate \$ 506.00
Online Giving \$ 1,433.00
Votive Candles \$ 101.50
Christmas Flowers \$ 135.00
Retired Priests \$ 215.00

Holy Trinity Quilters will meet on January 13, at
1:00 p.m. at the Klein Center.

New ministry schedules are available online. There
are also copies in the back of church.

PCCW & DCCW elections: Congratulations to
Karla Wall who was elected vice president and
Sara Hofpar who was elected Secretary. Officers
will be installed at the PCCW Christmas Party on
Sunday, January 12. Theresa Aerts was elected to
serve on behalf of our parish as the DCCW Vice
President. Thank you to Deb Pleskac and Ashley
Miller for your two years of service to the PCCW
and our parish.

Parish Council will meet on January 15 at 8:00 PM
in the Rectory.

Free Throw Contest: The Knights of Columbus free
throw contest for ages 9-14 will be at the East
Butler gym on Saturday, January 11, 2025 at 9:00
a.m. Proof of age is required. High school age
athletes that are participating in winter sports are
not eligible due to NSAA guidelines.

The Retired Priests Collection is taken up annually
around Christmastime. Honor those who served
over the years by making a gift that helps to pay
our parish's retired priest assessment.

Envelopes for Christmas Flowers are available in
the back of church. Memorials will be listed in
the bulletin.

The PCCW Christmas party and installation of
officers will be on Sunday, January 12 at 12:30
PM. There is a sign-up sheet in the back of
church.

Knights of Columbus Party: In lieu of the annual
Christmas party, the Knights will have a party on
January 11, 2025 to celebrate their 40th
anniversary as a council. There will be a catered
meal after the 5:00 p.m. Mass. All Knights and
their families are welcome. Families of deceased
Knights are also welcome. Please sign up in the

back of church so they can have an accurate count
for food.

Please pray for our seminarians: Rev. Mr. David
Tines from St. Joseph parish in Lincoln who is in
Theology IV at Mount St. Mary Seminary.

St. John's Prague is hosting "Polka Night in Prague"
Saturday, January 18, at the National Hall! Enjoy
dinner from 6-8 PM and live music by the Leo
Lonnie Band from 7-10 PM. All are welcome,
fun for all ages—FREE admission!

EMMAUS INSTITUTE WINTER COURSE

Starting Jan. 8 (Wednesdays), the Emmaus
Institute is teaching a five-week course on our
Blessed Mother, titled *The Mother of the Word: A
Biblical Study of Mary*. Discover how the Old and
New Testaments reveal the person and mission of
Mary. Learn more and register via the QR code or
at www.EmmausInstitute.net.

Our Lady of Good Counsel's has summer 4-day and
8-day retreats, and Fall weekend retreats for men
and women of all ages! Read more and register at
www.goodcounselretreat.org, email
office@olgcretreat.org or call 402-786-2705.

Christmas Flower Memorials

Steve and Jane Rezac in memory of Kimberly Rezac,
John & Emily Rezac, Stanley & Henrietta Benes,
Isaiah Wall and Doug Walstrom;
Dean & Lynelle Kriz in memory of Kriz Family
Members;
Genevieve Behne in memory of Ernest Behne;
Jessica Bartek in memory of Adrian Blatny;
Larry and Barb Ratkovec in memory of Wendy
Kinney and our Parents;
Doug & Nancy Vrbka in memory of Denis & JoEllen
Vrbka, Don & Elaine Hochstein;
Jerry & Dee Kabourek Family in memory of our
loved ones;

Jennifer McDonald Family in memory of Adolph &
Rose Kobza Family;
Doug & Emma McGee in memory of Alois B. and
Lorraine Kozisek;
Carolyn Dvorak in memory of Leonard Dvorak, Joe
R. & Ludmilla Rejda and Gabriel & Amelia Dvorak;
Mary Lou Meister in memory of Jerry Meister;
Alan and Tammy Tejral in memory of Don & Loretta
Tejral, Greg Tejral, Cheryl Bartek, Toni Bohac and
Becky Hastings;
Ron & Vicky Hula in memory of Ernest & Norma
Hula;
Kevin & Debbie Behne in memory of Our deceased
family members;
Larry & LaVonne Behne in memory of Lyle Divis,
Irene Kozisek and Allen Bongers;
Mary Pernicek in memory of William Pernicek and
Our Parents;
Jerry & Sandy Bongers & Family in memory of
Morgan Bongers,
Bruce & Joyce Rezac in memory of Frances Kriz and
Deceased members of the Kuzelka Family;
Art & Alma Svoboda in memory of Bud Kriz;
Scott & Julie Foral in memory of Larry Foral;
Dave & Val Tvrdy in memory of Donald E. Soukup
and Matt Martin;
Ernest & Kathy Bongers in memory of our parents
and Morgan Bongers;

Jan. 11 Saturday Mass at 5:00 PM

Acolyte: Mitchell Janak
Lector: Lyle Janak
Servers: Volunteers
Rosary: Kathy Janak

Jan. 12 Sunday Mass at 9:00 AM

Acolyte: Gale Janak
Lector: Larry Ratkovec
Servers: Vincent & Spencer Vandenberg
Rosary: Darlene Kucera