

The Most Holy Trinity

If God is one, how can He be three? The most intelligent theologians have racked their brains over the problem, and the most prayerful ones have surrendered to the mystery. How it can be, we can't explain. But what it means, we can join! Our God is an ever-unfolding relationship. Theologians speak of the immanent and economic Trinity. The Trinity is immanent in the sense that the Persons are close and entirely sufficient within Godself. In other words, God doesn't require us for God to exist. The word economic is rooted in the Greek word for management of a household or family. The Trinity is economic in the sense that God has invited us to be part of Him. He's growing the family! We see the dynamic here in today's Gospel.

Jesus says the Spirit "will take from what is mine and declare it to you" and that "everything that the Father has is mine." There is relationship here. Jesus speaks (and is) the word of the Father. The Holy Spirit speaks what He hears from the Son. The Father gives everything to the Son, and the Spirit speaks that inheritance over us. God invites us into the Trinitarian family!

The doctrine of the Trinity isn't something to brush off as overwhelming. After all, "the Spirit of truth... will guide you to all truth." This occurs most perfectly in the Church, who protects all that has been revealed by God in Scripture and gradually unpacked in tradition. We can trust the declarations of Her theologians and learn from the lives of Her saints. The Trinity may be a mystery, but, by the grace of God, we can have real truth about who God is and how we can love like Him.

Sunday Collection

June 2/3, 2019	\$3,523.00
June 8/9, 2019	\$3,222.00

Let us join together and celebrate Parish Barbecue Saturday, June 22, 2019

All are invited.

5 pm Mass at St. Francis of Paola Church
Barbecue and celebration to follow in
St. Francis Auditorium
On Woodpoint Road and Skillman Avenue

La Santísima Trinidad

Hoy, la Liturgia celebra una fiesta de familia. ¿Has pensado que cada vez que nos santiguamos, damos gloria a Dios y afirmamos que pertenecemos a la gran familia de Dios, que es la familia cristiana? Como Iglesia celebramos a las tres personas; es decir a la Santísima Trinidad. Desde niño se aprende en el catecismo la siguiente pregunta: ¿Quién es Dios? La respuesta es: Dios es la Santísima Trinidad. Agregando algo más a la respuesta se puede afirmar que la Trinidad es comunión que vive en comunidad compuesta por Dios Padre, Dios Hijo y Dios Espíritu Santo. Comunión donde se vive, y expresa el amor de Dios para toda la humanidad por medio de las tres personas.

En el Evangelio de hoy, Jesús, promete a sus discípulos una nueva presencia; El Espíritu que vendrá. "El no viene con un mensaje propio, sino que les dirá lo que escuchó y anunciará lo que ha de venir. El tomará de lo mío para rebelárselo a ustedes, y yo seré glorificado en él." (Juan 16:13-14). El mensaje para vivir es descubrir lo que significa comunión; Es decir, ser personas de acción en la justicia y la verdad. San Cipriano lo expresa de la siguiente forma: "Una muchedumbre reunida por la unidad del Padre y del Hijo y del Espíritu Santo". Jesús nos revela la sabiduría de la Trinidad. El punto es que se comprenda por medio de la oración y reflexión que al orar a cada Persona de la Trinidad oramos en comunión a las tres personas. El Padre, comparte con nosotros por medio de Jesús, y el Espíritu mismo es vida en la Trinidad. ¡Amén!

Readings for the week of June 16, 2019

Sunday:	Prv 8:22-31/Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [2a]/Rom 5:1-5/Jn 16:12-15
Monday:	2 Cor 6:1-10/Ps 98:1, 2b, 3ab, 3cd-4 [2a]/Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday:	2 Cor 8:1-9/Ps 146:2, 5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a [1b]/Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday:	2 Cor 9:6-11/Ps 112:1bc-2, 3-4, 9 [1b]/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday:	2 Cor 11:1-11/Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 7-8 [7a]/Mt 6:7-15
Friday:	2 Cor 11:18, 21-30/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [cf. 18b]/Mt 6:19-23
Saturday:	2 Cor 12:1-10/Ps 34:8-9, 10-11, 12-13 [9a]/Mt 6:24-34
Next Sunday:	Gn 14:18-20/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4 [4b]/1 Cor 11:23-26/Lk 9:11b-17

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

A Message from Fr. Tom

This weekend we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity. This is a day in which we affirm an essential theological/dogmatic principle of our faith—The Holy Trinity. We believe that God in his fundamental oneness exists as a community of relations Father, Son and Holy Spirit. It has been the challenge of Christian theologians to express this concept with clarity. St. Augustin expressed this concept by saying that the Trinity is the relationship between God the Father and Jesus the Word of God. The love that is shared between them is the Holy Spirit.

Today the church is calling us to reflect upon this word “relationship.” Relationships and belonging to community—the church—the Body of Christ—are something essential to the Christian faith. It is increasingly my experience that people do not take this commitment and obligation seriously. Many people—ones who consider themselves faithful Catholics—believe that people can come to Christ alone and say ‘Yes’ to Jesus but ‘No’ to the community that Jesus founded. We are all members of Christ’s Body through our baptism. The fullness of our Christian vocation is discovered when we make this journey united with the Body of Christ that is the church.

Farewell Fr. Paul Anel

This Sunday, June 16th after the 7pm Mass in St. Cecilia’s Church—we will say thank you to Fr. Paul Anel for his 1 ½ years of service to our parish. He will be joining Fr. Alex Morard in serving the people of Sts. Paul and Agnes in the Cobble Hill neighborhood. Please join us for a reception in St. Cecilia’s Rectory which will take place at the conclusion of the 7pm Mass.

Thank you Fr. Paul and God Bless you in your future assignment.

Welcome Fr. Pedro Angucho-Lopez

In thanksgiving to God for his continued blessings given to this parish, we are happy to announce that Divine Mercy Parish has been assigned Fr. Pedro Angucho-Lopez one of the priests ordained on Saturday, June 1st in St. Joseph’s Co-Cathedral.

We are grateful to God for Fr. Pedro’s ‘Yes’ to His call and also to Bishop Nicholas DiMarzio for entrusting Fr. Pedro’s first assignment to our community. He should begin his service here in a few weeks.

Father’s Day

Today, we give thanks and praise to God our Father for all fathers young and old, living and deceased and for men who are not fathers but still mentor and guide us with fatherly love and advice.

Change of Parish Office Hours

The summer hours for the Parish Office is as follows:

Monday	9am to 4pm
Tuesday	9am to 8pm
Wednesday	9am to 8pm
Thursday	9am to 8pm
Friday	9am to 4pm
Saturday	9am to 5pm.

Starting Monday July 1, 2019 through September 3, 2019.

The Tablet

We are fortunate to have a very fine Diocesan Paper the Tablet. I have traveled quite a bit and seen the media produced by other diocese. Having seen what is produced by other dioceses, I can say objectively; we have one of the best diocesan papers in the country. The cable TV and internet productions of DeSales Media also stand out. A good sign of this is that they don’t always give the ‘cupcake’ version of current events. They have run articles keeping us informed about problems within the church. All of this costs money and the parishes have been subsidizing this publication for many years now. That is going to change. As you may have noticed, we will now be offering the weekly Diocesan Paper “The Tablet,” in a dedicated kiosk or rack. Furthermore, we encourage you to subscribe to this paper for home delivery by mail. These forms are on the vestibule tables. When you pick up a copy of the Tablet in church, please pay for your copy. Place one dollar (\$1.00) in the PAY HERE slot for each copy taken. We will no longer be handing out these papers for free. You are expected to pay for each issue.

Parish Bulletin Would you like to receive our parish bulletin electronically days before everyone else? Then log on to “Parishesonline.com” to register. In a few simple steps you can receive our parish bulletin and more easily stay on top of parish events and other important parish information.

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

**Gifts of Love—Emergency Food Pantry
At Divine Mercy Parish**

“For I was hungry and you gave me food; I was thirsty and you gave me drink; I was a stranger and you made me welcome... “(Matt 25:35-36)

Some people say one person can’t make a difference in the world-this is not true. With each pantry donation, **YOU** make a very special difference in the lives of a number of our neighbors.

If you unable to shop for groceries please consider using pantry envelope and we’ll shop for you.

Specific items needed: **Canned fruit**
Food Pantry Coordinators and volunteers

**St. Francis of Paola Church
Memorial Gifts – June 16, 2019**

BREAD & WINE

Louis Anolfo by Wife, Children and Grandchildren

ST. JOSEPH CANDLES

Felice Baglivo by daughter Carol
Gabriele Carannante by Wife

SANCTUARY LAMP

Ralph Panarese by Wife & Family

ALTAR CANDLES

Anastasio Vavladelis by Melissa
Anastasio Vavladelis by Melissa

BLESSED MOTHER CANDLES

Florence & Anthony Giglio by daughter Carlotta
Florence & Anthony Giglio by daughter Carlotta

Take Home An Extra
Bulletin
And Give It To A Friend

PETER’S PENCE COLLECTION

Next week, we will take up the Peter’s Pence Collection, which provides Pope Francis with the funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world. The proceeds benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. Please be generous. For more information, visit www.usccb.org/peters-pence.

**Mass Intentions for the Week
St. Francis of Paola Church**

Saturday, June 15, 2019

5:00pm Father’s Day Intentions

Sunday, June 16, 2019 – Father’s Day

8:00am Father’s Day Intentions

11:30am Father’s Day Intentions

Monday, June 17, 2019

7:45am Annie & Pete Donnanduono by Sisters
Antoinette & Rose

Tuesday, June 18, 2019

7:45am Virginia & Angelina by Ada

Wednesday, June 19, 2019

7:45am Padre Pio by Nicolina Babino

Thursday, June 20, 2019

7:45am Villella Family by Children

Friday, June 21, 2019

7:45am Marie Belto by Carl & Valerie Battista

Saturday, June 22, 2019

7:45am Francesca Isernia by Mr. & Mrs. N.
DeRosa and Family

5:00pm Carmela Ferrante by Carlotta Giglio

Sunday, June 23, 2019

8:00am John Ciorciari Happy Birthday by
Anolfo Family

11:30am For the People of Divine Mercy Parish

Annual Catholic Appeal

Please prayerfully consider the sacrificial pledge you would like to make to our Diocesan Annual Catholic Appeal for this year 2019. Whatever the amount of your gift, it will be accepted with gratitude and deeply appreciated.

Commitment envelopes can be found on the rear tables of the Church. Please be generous.

Goal \$35,578.00 Pledges \$27,005.00
Received \$15,699.33 for 57 Pledges

**PLEASE REMEMBER ALWAYS TO
SILENCE YOUR CELL PHONE
BEFORE MASS**

JUNE 16, 2019

**Mass Intentions for the Week
St. Nicholas Church**

Sunday, June 16, 2019 – Father’s Day

10:30am Father’s Day Intentions

Wednesday, June 19, 2019

7:00pm Jimmy Campos by Campos Family

Sunday, June 23, 2019 – Father’s Day

10:30am Para: Max Navarrete: Descanse en Paz.
De parte de sus papas y Hermana

Pray For the Sick:

Jackie Elasser, Jacqueline Mengel, Joe Bavuso, Anthony Porcelli, Frank Grutza, Nancy & Vincent Gonzalez, Cathy Leonick, Linda Newby, Betty Gifford, Sister Clare Agnes Conforti, Dolores Mulcahey, Sister Miriam Daniel Pendar, C.S.J., Con Shanahan, Ernie Gentile, Phil Capano

Pray For the Recently Deceased:

Wendy Nunziato, Filemena Tomiano, Carmela Trezza, Valentina Zacchia, Frances Vitale, Ann Luisa Piro, Grazia Ferro

Memorial Gifts - Divine Mercy Parish

Memorial Gifts are a wonderful way to honor and remember your loved ones. Please come to the Rectory (or call) for information and available dates.

The following Memorial Gifts are available for the week:

Bread & Wine Sanctuary Lamp
Altar Candles

Blessed Mother Candles St. Joseph Candles

Also available are Tree of Life Memorial Leaves and Blessed Mother Yearly Candles (this candle is lit for a year).

Memorials can be made in remembrance or in honor

**Medjugorje & Dubrovnik
September 16-25, 2019**

Join Father Vincent Chirichella, Pastor, Our Lady of Grace and Father Thomas Mary Gilbert, OCD. Accommodations at the Home of Visionary Ivan Dragicevic. For more information contact Bove Continental Travel Inc. 718-680-5600.

**Mass Intentions for the Week
St. Cecilia Church**

Sunday, June 16, 2019 – Father’s Day

9:30am Father’s Day Intentions

7:00pm Father’s Day Intentions

Monday, June 17, 2019

8:30am Ernino Fiore by Children

Tuesday, June 18, 2019

8:30am Stefania Porcelli by Laura Feola

Wednesday, June 19, 2019

8:30am Dorothy & Arthur Knapp

Thursday June 20, 2019

7:00pm Andre Arbuzow

Friday, June 21, 2019

8:30am Daniel Pujdak

Saturday, June 22, 2019

8:30am Joan D’Arienzo

Sunday, June 23, 2019

9:30am Helen Pastina

Susan Genert

Norah McCormick

Tom Sabatino by Canizzero –Garcia Family

In Honor of the Sacred Heart Barbara Giudice/Family

7:00pm Raymond McGinn 10th Anniversary

Firefighter Daniel F. Pujdak

Memorial Mass – Friday - June 21, 2019

11:00 a.m. St. Cecilia Church

**Entering Canaan
Day of Prayer & Healing
June 22, 2019**

For women suffering because of a past abortion.

“I could never have believed that God’s forgiveness was possible during the decades that I spent in post abortion shame and isolation. Entering Canaan was almost a miraculous experience for me.

For confidential reservations call Lumina 877-586-4621 or email lumina@postabortionhelp.org.

Brooklyn, N.Y. Director Msgr. Andrew Vaccari
Come and experience the mercy of God!

END OF BULLETIN
ANY TEXT OR GRAPHICS ENTERED ON THIS PAGE
WILL NOT APPEAR IN THE PRINTED BULLETIN

CHURCH NAME: **Divine Mercy Parish**

CHURCH CITY: **Brooklyn, NY**

ROUTING CODE: **Y**

RUN NUMBER: **13**

FILENAME: **04-0284.53b**

PHONE NUMBER: **718-389-0010**

FAX NUMBER: **718-389-5090**

EDITOR/ CONTACT: **Maryann**

CURRENT FORMAT: EBSWUE

Comments:

RECENT PUBLIC SAFETY ISSUES

Divine Mercy Parish is deeply grateful to Captain Williams Glynn and representatives of the 94th Precinct who took the time to speak at a few concerning public safety issues. The old adage applies—If you see something, say something. Following is some information about reporting criminal or suspicious activity.

Call 911—Emergencies

Call 311—Quality of Life Issues

P.O. Andrea Haro

Office: (718) 383-3879

Cell: (929) 371-4355

Andrea.Haro@nypd.org

Also note that a local community meeting is held on the first Wednesday of each month with local police to receive your input at 155 Milton Street, Brooklyn, NY 11222 at 7pm

CTKK Summer Camp

CK Kids is proud to announce their partnership with Queen of the Rosary to offer a convenient summer camp opportunity! Christ the King has over 25 years of summer camp experience and is now offering transportation from the Queen of the Rosary campus.

July 5th August 12th, for Boys and Girls, ages 5 to 14. \$300 per week. Transportation to and from Queen of the Rosary and lunch are included.

For more information: WWW.CTKNT.ORG, or 718-366-7454 68-02 Metropolitan Ave., Middle Village NY., 11379