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TRINITY SUNDAY

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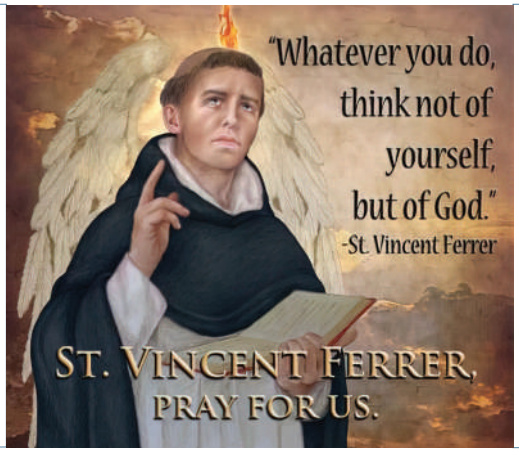

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday-Saturday: 9:00 a.m.
Saturday: 5:00 p.m. – Vigil Mass
Sunday: 8:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
HOLY DAYS: 9:00 a.m.

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Trinity Sunday
June 15, 2025

MASS INTENTIONS:

Saturday, June 14th — 5:00 p.m.

Joan and Seigrid Addison — Anniverary Blessings
Requested by Patrick and Cynthia Addison Bernadine

Sunday, June 15th — 8:00 a.m.

Solemnity of The Most Holy Trinity
Father's Day

Frank Michael — Birthday Blessings
Requested by Petra Tidd

11:00 a.m.

Rev. Msgr Joseph A. Nugent — In Memoriam
Requested by Gerald DeMaio

Judy Pierre — In Memoriam
Requested by Gerald DeMaio

Kyla Lavelle — Birthday Blessings
Requested by Gloria James

Bernadette Noriega-Bell — Birthday Blessings
Requested by Saint Vincent Ferrer Parish

Monday, June 16th — 9:00 a.m.

Father's Day Remembrance

Millburn Leonidas — Blessings and Thanksgiving
Requested by Yvette Lubin and Family

Colin Retemeyer — In Memoriam
Requested by Bernice Retemeyer

Tuesday, June 17th — 9:00 a.m.

Father's Day Remembrance

Monique Reme — In Memoriam
Requested by Her Daughter

Wednesday, June 18th — 9:00 a.m.

Father's Day Remembrance

Agnes Mark —In Memoriam
Requested by Carol Mark Walker

Thursday, June 19th — 9:00 a.m.

Saint Romuald, Abbot
Father's Day Remembrance

In Thanksgiving to Saint Joseph
Requested by Armelle Jean-Baptiste

Friday, June 20th — 9:00 a.m.

Father's Day Remembrance

Adam Goodman — Birthday Memoriam
Requested by Rose Marie Elyseé

Saturday, June 21st — 9:00 a.m.

Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious
Father's Day Remembrance

Faith Formation Program Catechists and Volunteers
Requested by Saint Vincent Ferrer Parish

GIFTS AND INTENTIONS:

Bread and Wine

Raymond Wagner — In Memoriam
Requested by Saint Vincent Ferrer Parish

Altar Flowers

Joe Pasqua — Blessing and Healing
Requested by Saint Vincent Ferrer Parish

Altar Candles

Colvin Carryl —Blessings and Healing
Requested by Mitzi Carryl

Lorraine Villegas — Blessings and Healing
Requested by Agatha McFarlane

Bernadette Noriega Bell — Blessings

Alana Phillip

Sanctuary Candle

Marie Desamour — Blessings

Mary's Chapel

Joan Atherton — Blessings

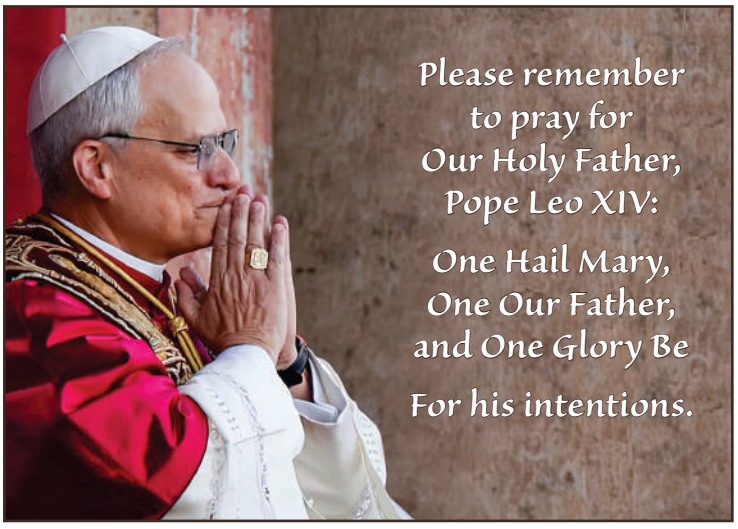
Annunciation Chapel

Pope Francis — In Memoriam

UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

June 28-29:

Second Collection:
Peter's Pence



Read the following scripture: John 16:12-15

Take some time to reflect in silence on one or more of the following questions:

- What word or words in this passage caught your attention?
- What in this passage comforted you?
- What in this passage challenged you?

Read the Scripture passage one more time. Bring to the Lord the praise, petition, or thanksgiving that the Word inspires in you.

Scripture Reflection

What conversion of mind, heart, and life is the Lord asking of me?

I have much more to tell you, but you cannot bear it now. What Church teachings do I struggle to understand? How can I grow in docility and humility?

The Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth. How do I witness to the truth by the way I love? How can I speak the truth in love?

He will glorify me. How can I glorify the Lord by my life? How can I nurture the gift of awe in God's presence?

Closing Prayer

When I behold your heavens, the work of your fingers,
the moon and the stars which you set in place —
What is man that you should be mindful of him,
or the son of man that you should care for him?

You have made him little less than the angels,
and crowned him with glory and honor.
You have given him rule over the works of your hands,
putting all things under his feet:

All sheep and oxen,
yes, and the beasts of the field,
The birds of the air, the fishes of the sea,
and whatever swims the paths of the seas.

(From Psalm 8)

DAILY READINGS FOR SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Sunday, June 15
SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY
Proverbs 8:22-31 Psalm 8:4-9 Romans 5:1-5
John 16:12-15
We are at peace with God our Father through our Lord Jesus Christ. God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit (2). This Spirit, who is Wisdom itself (1), will lead us into all truth (3). How wonderful the name of our God in all the earth (Ps)!

Monday, June 16
2 Cor. 6:1-10 Psalm 98:1-4 Matthew 5:38-42
Trials have not diminished Paul's apostolic zeal (1) for the Genitiles (Ps). Offer no resistance to injury (2).

Tuesday, June 17
2 Cor 8:1-9 Psalm 146:2, 5-9a Matthew 5:43-48
Let us praise (Ps) the love of Jesus who made himself poor that we might become rich (1). Let us love as our heavenly Father loves us (2).

Wednesday, June 18
2 Cor 9:6-11 Psalm 112:1b-4,9 Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18
Almsgiving and other deeds of loving service (Ps, 2) are expressions of thanks to God for his generosity and favor (1).

Thursday, June 19
2 Cor 11:1-11 Psalm 111:1b-4,7-8 Matthew 6:7-15
Paul trusts in God (Ps) despite opposition from Judeo-Christian missionaries (1). If we pardon others, our Father will pardon us (2).

Friday, June 20
2 Cor 11:18, 21-30 Psalm 34:2-7 Matthew 6:19-23
Delivered from all sorts of afflictions (1, Ps), Paul stored up for himself an eternal treasure (2).

Saturday, June 21
2 Cor 12:1-10 Psalm 34:8-13 Matthew 6:24-34
Even in weakness, Paul lacks nothing (Ps), for he experiences the power of Christ (1),. His whole life was directed toward the peace of God's kingdom (2).

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Pray for all the souls in purgatory. especially those who have no one to pray for them.

Scripture Reflection

A Marvelous Teacher

I have a marvelous teacher in the Holy Spirit. God's Spirit teaches me very gently what He wants from me. (Other things the Holy Spirit withholds from me.)

God says to me, "Wisdom without grounding in the Holy Spirit will—in the end—turn into a mountain of arrogance. Peace without the friendship of the Holy Spirit soon becomes an empty rush. Humility without My love ends in hypocrisy. Justice without the depth of My unassuming nature becomes the worst sort of hatred.

". . . Love that does not have humility as its mother and holy awe as its father is orphaned from all goodness."

* * *

How should we love God in a holy way? We must love all things that the Holy Trinity commands us to love. Remember, God did not create sin. God loves goodness in us because God is that Goodness. Then how should we come to know Jesus Christ better? We'll know Christ by His works in the Gospels, and we'll know Jesus when we love Him more than we love ourselves.

How are we meant to follow God's teachings? We must follow the teachings that Jesus taught us and that are still taught today. We are meant to love. We are born for it. And as long as we do this, our joy will increase.

—Mechthild of Magdeburg,
adapted from *A Little Daily Wisdom*

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Corpus Christi Procession — Sunday, June 22, 2025

The proposed procession route for the 2025 Corpus Christi procession is:

Immediately after the 11:00 a.m. Mass, the procession will exit the Church and proceed northward on East 37th Street towards Farragut Road.

Turn left onto Farragut Road and proceed towards New York Avenue.

Turn left onto New York Avenue and proceed southward towards Glenwood Road.

Turn left onto Glenwood Road and return to Saint Vincent Ferrer Church at Glenwood Road and East 37th Street.

Parishioners living along the procession route who want to have their homes blessed are invited to erect altars in the front of their homes.

For more information call:
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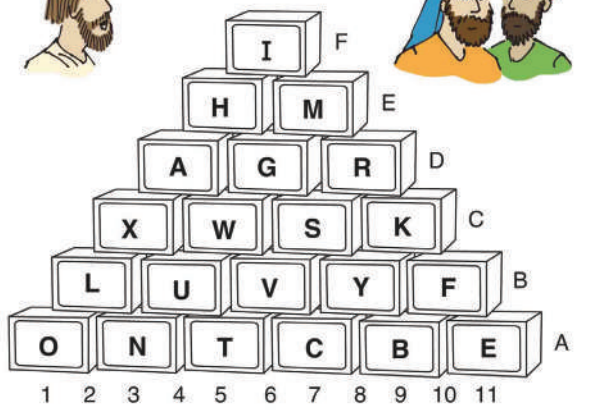
What else does Jesus tell His disciples about the Spirit of Truth?

Use the key to complete the blanks and fill in the text.



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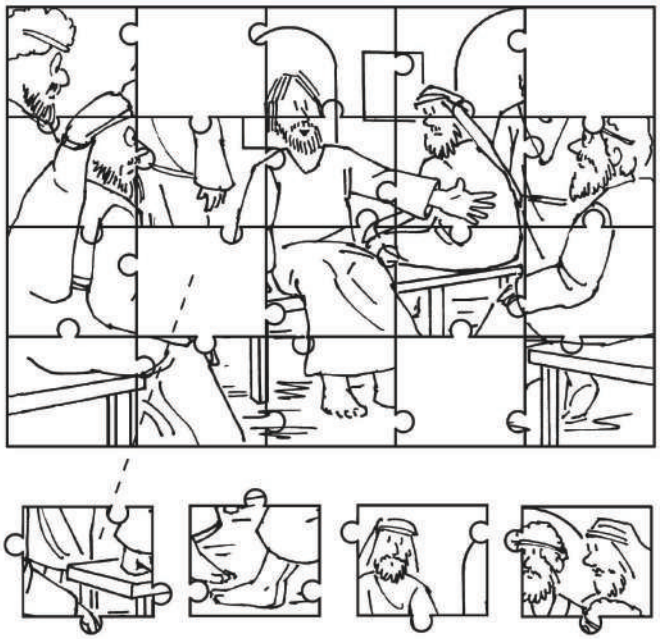
The Spirit of Truth

Jesus spoke to His disciples to comfort them.

Match the puzzle pieces.



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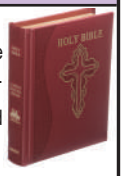

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