

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FORMATION

CCD: Catholic Christian Discipleship

TRINITY SUNDAY

On this Feast of the Holy Trinity, we remember a great mystery. A mystery is something that we know is true, but that we can not understand. The mystery we celebrate today is that there is only one God in three divine Persons. These divine Persons are the Almighty Father, his only Son and the Holy Spirit. We call God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit the HOLY TRINITY. The three Persons of the Holy Trinity came to live in us when we were baptized. Through God's great love for us, we share in the life of the Trinity. God the Father created everything. God the Son came to save us from sin. God the Holy Spirit makes us holy by his action in our lives. We adore our one God in three Persons. We make an act of faith in the Holy Trinity each time we make the sign of the cross and say, "In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen."

Of all the mysteries of our faith, the Trinity is the deepest of mysteries. It is impossible to adequately describe this mystery. The Trinity is not divided into three parts, and each Divine person of the Trinity does not make up one-third of the whole God. Instead, the complete presence of God can be found in each of them. The Father, Son and Holy Spirit cannot be separated from one another. If you have ever watched a pair of great dancers, they move together in harmony as one being. Their movements flow together as the two dancers blend into one single dancer. In a similar, but far more real way, the three Divine Persons of the Trinity live in complete harmony. They are distinct Persons, yet are completely united. Unlike the dancers, they are not united just with their actions. They are also united by what and who they are: one Divine Being. How may we pray to the Blessed Trinity? 1.) We may pray to God; 2.) We may pray to any one of the three Divine Persons; 3.) We may pray as the Church does most often to the Father, through the Son, in union with the Holy Spirit. Our Lord promised: "Amen, Amen I say to you, whatever you ask the Father in my name he will give you" (John 16:23). Remember, this is a MYSTERY we do not understand - we have faith to believe this truth! **1 Father + 1 Son + 1 Holy Spirit = 1 God**

Have a great week! ~ Georgi Whelan

2023 Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Mass & Luncheon will be held **Saturday, July 29** at the Cathedral of Christ the King in Superior. The **11:00 a.m. Mass** with Bishop Powers will be followed by a catered luncheon. If your wedding anniversary ends in 0 or 5 and you and your spouse wish to attend the celebration, please call the parish office no later than June 12th to register.

OUR WEEKLY GIVING

	<u>COLLECTED</u>	<u>*NEEDED*</u>
May 27-28		
Ss. Peter & Paul		
Adult Envelopes	\$ 1,125.00	970.00
Loose	\$ 81.00	77.00
Total	\$ 1,206.00	*1,047.00*
Month of May		
Building Fund =	\$ 1,919.00	*1,667.00/mo*
St. Stanislaus		
Adult Envelopes	\$ 500.00	500.00
Loose	\$ 78.00	77.00
Total	\$ 578.00	*577.00*
Month of May		
Building Fund =	\$ 954.00	*500.00/mo*
St. John		
Adult Envelopes	\$ 685.00	827.00
Loose	\$ 83.00	120.00
Total	\$ 768.00	*947.00*
Month of May		
Building Fund =	\$ 316.45	*667.00/mo*
St. Michael		
Adult Envelopes	\$ 190.00	250.00
Loose	\$ 68.00	29.00
Total	\$ 258.00	*279.00*
Month of May		
Building Fund =	\$ 95.00	*84.00/mo*

**The weekly Envelope & monthly Building Fund totals needed are based on the 2022-2023 budget set by each Parish Council.*

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Catholic Services Appeal 2022-2023

	<u>Assessment</u>	<u>Payments & Pledges</u>	<u>Amount Due</u>
Ss. Peter & Paul	\$ 10,860.00	\$ 7,110.00	\$ 3,750.00
St. John	\$ 9,049.00	\$ 9,049.00	Paid in Full
St. Stanislaus	\$ 5,759.00	\$ 4,825.00	\$ 934.00
St. Michael	\$ 3,018.00	\$ 3,018.00	Paid in Full

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