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5.31.2026

Trinity Sunday

Parish Information

Mass Times

Saturday: 5:00 PM Holy Family
Sunday: 8:00 AM SH; 10:30 AM HF; 12 PM HF Spanish
Tues: 6:00 PM SH preceded by Adoration & Confessions
Wed - Fri: 8:30 AM Sacred Heart
First Saturday of each Month: 8:30 AM Holy Family

Confessions

30 minutes before Weekend and Weekday Masses
Tuesday: 5:00 - 6:00 PM at Sacred Heart
Or by appointment

Baptism: Call Deacon Ed Green 720-550-0356.

Marriage: Call six months prior to wedding date.

Status of Operating Fund

(July 1, 2025 - June 30, 2026)	Sacred Heart		Holy Family	
Weekly Budgeted (May 24)	\$2,403.84	\$192.30	\$1,442.30	\$67.30
Actual Collection	\$365.00	\$192.00	\$1,126.00	\$60.00
Over/<Under> Weekly Budget	(\$2,038.84)	(\$0.30)	(\$316.30)	(\$7.30)
Year-to-Date Budgeted	\$112,980.66	Capitol	\$67,788.30	Capitol
Year-to-Date Actual Collections	\$103,040.40	Funds	\$71,345.78	Funds
Over/<Under> Yearly Budget	(\$9,940.26)		\$3,557.48	
Expenses Budgeted for the year	\$135,271.42		\$98,145.87	
Expenses for the year to date	\$118,150.60		\$96,665.11	
Over/<Under> Yearly Budget	(\$17,120.82)		(\$1,480.76)	

Fatherhood

Fatherhood demands duty, as being a father entails responsibility for life itself. God, known as Father, is regarded as Creator, or maker of heaven and earth of all things visible and invisible. The Father, or any father, has a transcendent authority and comprehensive responsibility of what is made.

Being able to create or make something is meaningless unless one is responsible and has a personal relationship with it. Fatherhood, then, is parental, not that a father lords it over his children, but that he serves them with his life.

Not only is God known as Father to us, but a father must have a child and of course, we believe that God is Father because we believe in Jesus Christ his only begotten Son.

Jesus is the only begotten Son of the Father. He is not made but begotten, Consubstantial with the Father. That is, the very nature and essence of the Son is one and the same with the nature and essence of the Father differentiated only by relationship. The Father is not the Son and the Son is not the Father, but they are of the same substance.

The Spirit, Whom the Son promises, is also consubstantial with the Father and Son. The Spirit is the essential expression of love between the Father and Son.

Mend your ways, Encourage one another, Agree with one another, Live in peace, And peace will be with you.

God so loved the world that he sent his only Son all the way down, that we might be gathered into the Holy Spirit—the love that connects them.
That's the Trinity.

Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit; to God who is, who was, and who is to come.

May 31, 2026

• **One God, Three Persons – The Father, Son, and Holy Spirit are distinct yet one in essence and being. They are not three separate gods but one God expressed in three persons.**
• **Co-Equal and Co-Eternal – None is greater or lesser than the other. They have always existed together and work in unity.**

Mass Times & Intentions

Sat. May 30 Holy Family 5:00PM: Jenny Heguy
Sun. May 31 Sacred Heart 8:00 AM: Parish Family
Sun. May 31 Holy Family 10:30 AM: Laura Workman
Sun. May 31 Holy Family 12:00PM: Jesus Rafael Varela †
Mon. Jun 1: *No Mass Here*
Tue. Jun 2 Sacred Heart 8:30 AM: Timothy Montoya †
Wed. Jun 3 Sacred Heart 8:30 AM: Bob & Marie Cecil & Family
Thu. Jun 4 Sacred Heart 8:30 AM: Amy McFarland
Fri. Jun 5 Sacred Heart 8:30 AM: Fr. Peter Dinh
Sat. Jun 6 Holy Family 8:30 AM: Lawrence Kemp †
Sat. Jun 6 Holy Family 5:00PM: Martha Blatnik †

† indicates Memorial Mass



May 31 Parish Picnic 1 PM Schey Park, Keenesburg
May 31-Jun 5 TOTUS TUUS - You can register on the first day at Sacred Heart.
~ 9 - 2:30 PM for 1st-6th grade in KofC Hall
~ 7 - 9 PM for 7th-12th grade in basement
Jun 1-5 Daily Masses changed to 11:15 AM, Sacred H.
Jun 2 Adoration & Confessions 8-9 PM, Sacred Heart
Jun 6 First Saturday Devotions beginning with 8:30 AM Mass at Holy Family
Jun 7 Book Fair begins, after 8 AM Mass in KofC Hall
Jun 14 Men's Breakfast after 8 AM Mass in KofC Hall
Holy Land Pilgrimage POSTPONED TO 2027

Pray for Them

Janet Klausner, Don Bratrsovsky, Jason Klausner, Bailey Navarro, Fr. John Shedlock, Barb Marty, Robert McMillion, Sally Bratrsovsky, Fr. Peter Dinh, Jeanette Neuhalfen, Mary Ockenfels, Bowman Family, Bill Epple, Theresa Schindedecker, for the repose of the soul of Nancy Sigg †, Edwin & Sandy Weickum, John Reid



(Please let the parish office know if you or someone you know needs to be added or removed from the prayer list.)

Christ is the power of God the wisdom of God

The great name of God, Yahweh, was never audibly said in ancient Israel. Too holy was the name ever to be said. Now, frequently God's name along with many other names referring to God are used shamefully. Our sense of holiness and our admiration for God and his sacred name has waned, but so too has our understanding of God's Fatherhood.

"I am Who I Am" is the great name God gave Moses on Mount Sinai. More than mere double talk, the name of God, means I am present. God is present to Himself and present to us as Father.

In our life, we are never just present. We, unlike God, have a past, a present, and a future. For God, however, He does not have a past, nor does He have a future. He is ever is present at once. He is the Eternal Now always fathering us.

There is no time in God.

Trinity Sunday reminds us to step out of time and live in the eternal presence of God's fatherhood. This begins on earth and is completed in heaven.

Our existence, which is time oriented, participates in God's essence. His essence and existence are the same. God cannot not be; He must exist. There is no beginning or end in God. He is almighty, all-knowing, and always present, ever fathering. We, however, exist and are created in time. Created by God, we participate in God's life, his essence, for He perpetually fathers us as his gift.

As we know, God breathed upon the face of the waters; and from nothing, we came into being. God, as Father, infused his life into us; and because of the Fall, the Father sends his Son Who restores his presence in us through the mystery of his Son's death and resurrection giving us his presence. .

God entered into a mysterious relationship with us through his Son Who told us to call God, Our Father. St. Paul reiterates that same relationship when he tells us to call Him Abba: A term of endearment. Calling God, Abba, identifies our relationship to Him. We are his sons and daughters.

To call anyone father, father of our country: George Washington, or the father of lies – Satan, means that the father gives us his identity. Our human father gives us his identity: name, genetics, and characteristics. We take on the identity of our father for he transmitted himself to us through his make-up. That is why the phrase, like father like son, identifies who the child is.

Calling God Creator is what He does – creates. It does not express Who He is. Instead of being mere creatures, we are made in God's image and likeness to live as His sons and daughters. Instead of vast impersonal cosmos, the Father fashioned the world to be our home – a royal palace and a holy temple.

We belong to God as his children because we identify God as our Father for He has given us our full identity – divine children. Seeing ourselves as his children, we live according to his ways for his way give us a dignity and majesty beyond compare.

On False Spiritual Peace

St. Dorotheus explains, that the man who finds fault with himself accepts all things cheerfully – misfortune, loss, disgrace, dishonor and any other kind of adversity. He believes that he is deserving of all these things and nothing can disturb him. No one could be more at peace than this man.

But perhaps you will offer me this objection:

“Suppose my brother injures me, and on examining myself I find that I have not given him any cause. Why should I blame myself?”

Certainly if someone examines himself carefully and with fear of God, he will never find himself completely innocent. He will see that he has given some provocation by an action, a word or by his manner. If he does find that he is not guilty in any of these ways, certainly he must have injured that brother somehow at some other time. Or perhaps he has been a source of annoyance to some other brother. For this reason he deserves to endure the injury because of many other sins that he has committed on other occasions.

Someone else asks why he should accuse himself when he was sitting peacefully and quietly when a brother came upon him with an unkind or insulting word. He cannot tolerate it, and so he thinks that his anger is justified. If that brother had not approached him and said those words and upset him, he never would have sinned.

This kind of thinking is may be just but as Job reveals God gives and takes away. It is God’s will for our perfection. If a man says anything, it breaks the cover on the anger within, which is all the more exposed by his excessive reaction. Instead, he could do penance and pray especially for his persecutor. Instead, He has become like a clean grain of wheat that, when broken, is empty.

The man thinks he is quiet and peaceful has within him passions that he does not see. A brother comes up, utters some unkind word and immediately all the venom and mire that lie hidden within him are spewed out. If he wishes mercy, he must do penance, purify himself and strive to for self-control. He will see that he should have returned thanks to his brother instead of returning the injury, because his brother has proven to be an occasion of profit to him. It will not be long before he will no longer be bothered by these temptations. The more self-controlled he grows, the less these temptations will affect him. For the more the soul advances, the stronger and more powerful he becomes in bearing the difficulties that he meets.

It is precisely our egoism, our self-centeredness and self-love that cause all our difficulties, our lack of freedom in suffering, our disappointments and our anguish of soul and body.

Everything You need to know about the Trinity

What we celebrate: The Church's official recognition of the Trinity as three person of the One God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Date: First Sunday after Pentecost

Established by: Early Church Fathers

Listen for: The word "consubstantial" means "of the same substance" You will hear it used in the Nicene Creed to describe Jesus as "consubstantial with the Father" of the same substance (DNA).

Why: Trinity Sunday is a response to the Arian Heresy of the 4th century, which denied the divinity of Jesus Christ being consubstantial with the Father. He, instead, proposed that Jesus was an inferior god (higher than mankind, but lower than God the Father) and not the true Son of God, a superhuman.

How we celebrate: During Mass, pay close attention to who we say that Jesus is as we proclaim the Gloria:

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father”

And profess the Creed

“I believe in Jesus Christ, the only Son of God...God from God, Light from Light, True God from True God”.

You might also notice that the homily and all the prayers mention the relationship of the Trinity and all the songs will mention the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit revealing God is a trinity of persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, all of the same substance, but different by relationship.

Mass Readings: In Exodus 34, Moses comes face to face with God. He affirms God's mercy and welcomes God's presence on their journey to freedom from Egypt.

In Paul's letter to the Corinthians, he begins with a greeting that affirms their faith in the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

In John 3:16, the well known passage, "God so loved the world He sent his only Son" explicitly states Jesus is the Son of God.

Our Father is continually trying to transform us.

Not just once.

Not just in dramatic moments.

But daily.

He's trying to transform how we see.

To help us see through His eyes.

To love with His heart.

To respond with greater patience, compassion, wisdom, and charity.

That's really the journey we're all on.

And the beautiful thing is...

there is always more.

~ Chris Carter

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