

# Ministry Schedule Feb. 25-Feb. 26, 2012

	Ash Wednesday 6:30 p.m.	Sat 5:00 p.m.	Sun 8:00 a.m.	Sun 10:30 a.m.	Sun 5:00 p.m.
Lector	Carol Keeney J. Schreckenber	Sarah Earnhart Steve King	Mitch Mitchell Sammie Powers	Amy Fischer Marilyn Kinsella	Shane Griesemer Lori Lancy
Eucharistic Minister	Richard Battas Tina Bilzing Deb Elfrink Steve Elfrink Kerry Fangmeyer Kathleen Gillum Terri Kurtz Ed Lugge S. Schreckenber	Barbara Cempura Rosie Fahrner Rhonda Farrell Barbara Jackson Mark Juscius Jim Kocinski John Laker Bobbie Laker George Rafeedie Ardelle Restoff Linda Vanderpluym	Barbara Abell Tom Braxmeier Diane Britton Bernie Cook Derek Gallagher Donna Gallant Kathleen Gillum Ed Lugge Tony Monterusso Andrea Orlovsky Judy West	Dorothy Burns Doreen Chambers Patricia Gerlitz Christy Hahs Nell Ann Hennon Mary Hope Milo Hope James Ley Brian Myers Stanley Obal Debi Will	Jackie Gasaway Patrick Guest B. Kniepkamp David Kniepkamp Frank Kurtz Brian Lee Pete Morena Susan O'Mara Marlene Schroyer K. Shoemaker Martha Sullivan
Altar Server	Mike Bednara Laura Simoneaux James Simoneaux	Loren Farmer Lindsey Miles Angela Vanderpluym Avery Vincent	Grady Gallagher Kaela Gallagher Derek Shearer Tyler Wade	Joey Bates Hailey Fischer Lizzie Michael Alexis Thompson	Bianca Kurtz Tristan Morena Sierra Morena Gabby Sullivan
Hospitality	Jon Bednara Ken Keeney	Rick Bingheim Terry Fowler Ray Kritis Michael Petz	Tom Gillum B.J. Hoef Bernard Holdener Thomas Kearns Rick Klucker John Mackin	Joe Bates Bill Evans Gayle Frisse Bob Frisse Tony Schneider	Janet Freed Mel Kurtz Joe Santanello
Sacristan	Craig Simoneaux	Barbara Jackson	Laura Bigham	Susan Thompson	Frank Kurtz

Welcome to The Catholic Community in Fairview Heights

# Holy Trinity Catholic Church

February 19, 2012

Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time

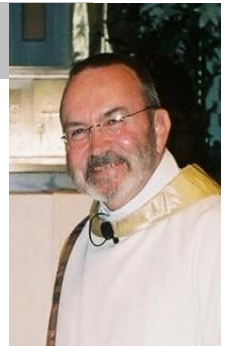
## From the Pastor

Last weekend a letter was read at Masses addressing the issue of religious liberty. The letter was in response to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Resources decision to implement insurance coverage that included pharmaceutical and medical procedures that are not acceptable to most Christians and especially Catholics. Many voices were included in the debate and among them the strongest came from the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB).

On Friday prior to last weekend, the current administration made concessions which revised certain parts of the health plan with which the Catholic Church could not support. On hearing the decision,

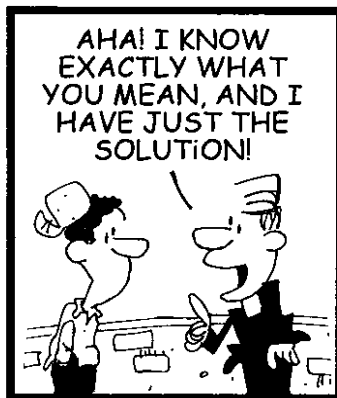
the USCCB indicated that it was a move in the right direction but that there are still issues which effect the Respect Life position and teachings of the Church.

At the heart of this debate and many other social justice issues are religious freedoms and the respect of the human person and all life. I would hope that we are informed about the whole spectrum of life issues. As the letter indicated, we should not underestimate the power of prayer nor fear to speak out against legislation and policies that diminish the respect and dignity of all life.



Father Ray Schultz

## 7th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



## Submitting info to Parish bulletin

All organizations and parishioners are welcome to submit articles and items to the Bulletin Committee.

To have your baptism or wedding picture included in the bulletin, please send them to the Bulletin Committee. **All submissions may be edited. Submissions will be included as space allows.**



The deadline to submit items for the bulletin is **Friday at 5pm**

### Please update your family information.

New Parishioner  Information Update

Address or Telephone Number Change: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

New Parishioners: A Registration Form will be mailed to you. Please return it to the Parish Office. If you have any questions please call the Parish Office at 628-8825.

## Calendar of Events

**Sat., February 18**  
8<sup>th</sup> Grade Bake Sale  
9 am Adult Confirmation Prep

7 pm Leadership Councils Meet  
7 pm Choir Practice in Church

**Sun., February 19**  
8<sup>th</sup> Grade Bake Sale  
Day of Reflection in Parish Center  
No PSR  
8:30 am RCIA in Meeting Room  
9 am Scripture Study in School Library  
6 pm Old Man's Basketball in Gym

**Fri., February 24**  
Parish Fish Fry 4-8 pm  
St. Ann's Raffle Sale  
2:10 & 7 pm Stations of the Cross

**Mon., February 20**  
No School - President's Day

**Sat., February 25**  
6 pm RCIA Potluck in Parish Center  
9 am - 5 pm Confirmation  
Spectacular at Our Lady of the Snows  
9 am Adult Confirmation Prep in Parish Library

**Tues., February 21**  
7 pm Scouts in Cafeteria

**Wed., February 22 - Ash Wednesday**  
Ash Wednesday Mass Schedule -  
8:10 am, 12:10 pm and 7 pm  
7:30 pm K of C in Meeting Room

**Sun., February 26**  
Donut Sunday  
PSR  
8:30 am RCIA in Meeting Room  
9 am Scripture Study in School Library  
Noon First Communion Session in Parish Center  
1 pm School Open House for Kindergarten & Pre-School  
6 pm Old Man's Basketball

**Thurs., February 23**  
11 am Fatima Group in Chapel  
6 pm Cub Scouts in Cafeteria  
6 pm Calendar Meeting in Meeting Room

## Celebrations of the Eucharist

Sat. Evening: 5:00 p.m.  
Sun: 8:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.  
Holy Days: As Announced  
Weekdays: Tues., Wed. & Fri. 8:10 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation  
Saturdays from 4:00-4:30 p.m.

Parish Website: [www.holytrinityil.org](http://www.holytrinityil.org)

## Holy Trinity Parish Offices

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## Clergy

Very Rev. Ray Schultz, V.F., Pastor  
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[deaconart@holytrinityil.org](mailto:deaconart@holytrinityil.org)  
Rev. Mr. Tom Powers, Deacon  
[deacontom@holytrinityil.org](mailto:deacontom@holytrinityil.org)

## Communal Worship

### From Deacon Art

Forgiveness

Forgiveness is like the child's dream of a miracle. Through forgiveness what is broken is made whole again, what is soiled is made clean, and what is lost is found.

Nothing greater can happen to a human being than that he or she is forgiven.

Those who are forgiven are no longer trapped in their past; they are set free -- free to move forward again.

The Lord not only forgives our sins, but helps us to learn from them. We learn about the goodness of God. And we learn to be compassionate towards others who sin.

Flor McCarthy



### Recent Baptism

Cooper Thomas Allison

Parents: George and Kelly Ann Allison



### RCIA Elect

Sonia Bechtloff	Brittany Padgett
Kile Buhs	Carla Thornton
Nicolas Buhs	Lynlee Barnhart
Maggie Dunham	Travis Barnhart
Payton Dunham	Casey Kalaher
Marie Hunt	



### Scripture Readings for the Week

**Monday, February 20**  
Jas 3:13-18; Mk 9:14-29

**Tuesday, February 21**  
Jas 4:1-10; Mk 9:30-37

**Wednesday, February 22**  
Jl 2:12-18; Ps 51; 2 Cor 5:20-6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

**Thursday, February 23**  
Dt 30:15-20; Lk 9:22-25

**Friday, February 24**  
Is 58:1-9a; Mt 9:14-15

**Saturday, February 25**  
Is 58:9b-14; Lk 5:27-32

**Sunday, February 26**  
Gn 9:8-15; Ps 25; 1 Pt 3:18-22; Mk 1:12-15



### Please Remember and Pray For:

#### The Sick

Gloria Hebenstreit  
Edwin Handel  
Jeff Barrowcliff  
Carter Faust  
Jim Hines  
Bobby Williams  
Frank "Ron" Feber  
Mason Barnhart



#### Serving on Active Duty

Captain Brian Bayley  
Major Mark Blumke  
Anthony J. Castro  
Corey Clark  
Capt. Matthias Daue  
Capt. Matthew Derfler  
Michael Fielder  
MSgt Chad Gallant  
Lt. Brian Murray  
Major Dan Noel  
Capt. Tony Pasqualucci  
Sean Peterson  
Eric Rigsby  
Major Dave Sandberg  
Cody Spradling  
Captain Ryan E. Wilson  
TSgt Jacob Curtis  
Pvt. Thaddeus Roush

CPL Steven Cheney, USMC  
Fr. Ken Beale  
Gregory Calvin  
Nathan Clukey  
Brent Dale  
Brian Debourge  
Sgt. James Diekemper  
CMSgt Anthony Gillis  
Jesse Harden  
SPC Gerald D. Joyce III  
Captain Vince Livie  
Tsgt Russell Noel  
Captain Benjamin Recla  
Captain Edwin Ruckwardt  
Jeremy Spengler  
Tommy Viner  
Philip Viner  
Ethan Clukey, Air Force  
CW2 Ted Paxton

### Mass Intentions

#### Saturday, February 18

5pm Joseph & Lucille Jacknewitz -- By David Jacknewitz  
Donald Pray -- By the Family

#### Sunday, February 19

**The Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
8am Susan Krummrich Ward & Family -- By Marcia Gelhausen

10:30am Helga White -- By Brigitta Mena & Family  
Sylvian Schad -- By Fran Deering  
Lorene Meyer -- By the Northrop Family  
5pm For The Parish

#### Tuesday, February 21

8:10am Leo Reiniger

#### Wednesday, February 22 -- Ash Wednesday

8:10am Kathryn Sewald -- By Jo Krause

#### Friday, February 24

8:10am John "Jack" O'Brien -- By Paul C. Brummer, Jr.

#### Saturday, February 25

5pm Clarence Benhoff -- By Theodore & Brenda Dressel  
Charles Holtgrave -- By K of C Council 4139

#### Sunday, February 26

**First Sunday of Lent**  
8am For The Parish

10:30am Sophia Kreke Althoff  
Joseph Green -- By Cindy, Mark & Chloe  
Eileen Handel -- By Robert & Gayle Friesse

5pm

## News And Notes

### Stewardship Offerings

"If the willingness is there, the gift is acceptable according to what one has, not according to what he does not have." 2 Corinthians 8:12

Totals as of February 12, 2012

#### Church Operations

Saturday	5:00 pm	\$2,134.00
Sunday	8.00 am	\$3,105.19
Sunday	10:30 am	\$3,466.31
Sunday	5:00 pm	\$3,081.10
Online Giving		\$1,621.00



Total Giving	\$13,407.60
Operational Budget	\$15,944.65
Weekly Surplus (Deficit)	(\$2,537.05)

#### Capital Campaign

Weekly Giving	\$ 2,178.58
Building Loan Payment	\$13,139.64
Weekly Surplus (Deficit)	(\$10,961.06)

### Holy Trinity Parish Lenten Schedule

\**Palm Burning Ceremony* - Sunday – February 19 at 10:30am Liturgy.

\* *Ash Wednesday Liturgies* - Wednesday – February 22 at 8:10am, 12:10pm and 7:00pm

\* *1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent* - Sunday – February 26

\**Parish Women's Lenten Retreat* - Saturday – March 3 in the Parish Center hosted by St. Ann's Sodality from 8:00am to 12:30pm

\**Evening Prayer Service and Soup and Bread Potluck* - Every Wednesday evening during Lent beginning with prayer in the Church at 6:30pm, followed a potluck dinner in the cafeteria.

\**Tenebrae Service* - Wednesday, April 4 - at 6:30pm in the Church with Soup and Bread Potluck immediately following in the cafeteria.

\**Stations of the Cross* - Every Friday evening at 7:00pm in the Church, beginning on Friday, February 24.

\**Bi-Parish Lenten Reconciliation Service* - Tuesday, March 20 – St. Stephen, Caseyville at 6:30pm.

\**Adult Scripture Study Group* - Every Sunday, in the School Library from 9:00am - 10:00am. The group will be studying the Acts of the Apostles, Chapters 15 - 19 which will cover the 1st Jerusalem Council, Paul's 2nd & 3rd Missionary Journeys, How the Gentiles were brought into the family of God and Paul's Ministry in Corinth and Ephesus. These books paint a vivid picture of the Church on fire, empowered by the power of the Holy Spirit who continues the work of Jesus Christ on earth.

### Girl Scout Children's Book & DVD Drive

Girl Scout Troop #137 will be participating in a service project for 2 weeks in February. We will be collecting new or gently used children's books and DVDs. Proceeds will go to Children's Hospital of St. Louis, and Holy Trinity School Library and Fairview Heights Library. We will have collection boxes out in the foyer from Feb. 17 -- Feb. 27. Contact Cindy Chor at 578-8504 for info.



### Holy Trinity Fish Fry

Feb. 24, 4pm-8pm

Invite your friends, family, and neighbors to help support Holy Trinity Parish.

Serving fish, fried shrimp, fries, macaroni & cheese, spaghetti, slaw, and onion rings. Available in plates/sandwiches, and by the pound. Carry-outs are available.

To volunteer, contact Holly at 234-5527 or Frank at 920-3146.



### Women's Lenten Day of Reflection

Mar. 3, 8:00-12:30

Ladies, you are invited to a day of prayer and reflection. Come "*Enter the Rose*" and journey into a closer relationship with our living God.

Hosted by St. Ann's Sodality.

Located at Holy Trinity Parish Center.

A Continental breakfast will be served.

Contact Dee Bayley at 416-5799 or dteach48@yahoo.com



### St. Bernard Breakfast -- Albers, IL

Feb. 26, 7:30-12pm

Behrmann's pork sausage & ham, biscuits & gravy, pancakes, eggs & fried potatoes, juice, coffee milk. Carry-outs are available.



### St. Teresa Parish, Belleville Sausage Dinner & Quilt/Cash Bingo

Feb. 26

Doors open at 11. Sausage Dinner 11-12:45pm.

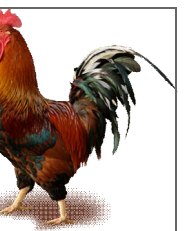
Adults \$8, Children \$4.

Quilt/Cash Bingo begins at 1pm. Attendance Prizes & Raffle.



### Thank you Parishioners!

Thank you Holy Trinity. On Super Bowl Sunday you managed to consume over 7500 wings or 920 pounds. We hope you enjoyed them. We had a gross revenue of \$4,610.32 which netted us a profit of \$2,325.19. The Wingfest Committee is looking forward to next year when we hope to surpass this year's results.



**THANK YOU!!**