

# Holy Trinity Parish

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## MISSION STATEMENT

We the Parishioners of Holy Trinity Parish, are called to  
*Proclaim* the Good News,  
*Build* a community of love,  
*Celebrate* the Sacred Liturgy,  
*Serve* others in the name of Jesus,  
and *Enable all members to grow*  
*in their relationship with God.*

## CHURCH FOR ALL

### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2021 FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

Please contact the parish office if you are in need of transportation to church, would like to use the chairlift, or wish to receive Holy Communion at home.

*When registering as a patient at the hospital, please inform them that you are a Roman Catholic.*



2<sup>nd</sup> Monday

### LITURGICAL LIFE IN OUR PARISH

4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday



Mass every Sunday at 9:00 am and Wednesday at 9:30

Sunday, February 21 <sup>st</sup>	9:00 am	For the repose of the soul of Rita Desrochers by Yvette Tucker
Wednesday, February 24 <sup>th</sup>	10:00 am	For the repose of the soul of Vince Tassone by Marie and Ed Black
Sunday, February 28 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 am	For Father Mitch's personal intentions by Diane LaCarte
Wednesday, March 3 <sup>rd</sup>	10:00 am	For the repose of the soul of Alph Schaffner by HT K of C Council

### PARISH & COMMUNITY LIFE

Welcome back dear parishioners. Maybe this year, we will get to live our Lent together. If we can last through Lent without another lockdown, please be aware that we will have a mass at **6:00 pm** (The Lord's Supper) on Holy Thursday, April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021. And Father will officiate a Good Friday Service at **10:00 am** on April 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**The church will be opened every Friday through Lent from 11:00 am - 2:00 pm for your personal Way of the Cross. Please remember your mask, and respect proper distancing.**

**MINISTRIES FOR SUNDAY FEBRUARY 28<sup>th</sup> : Lector: Bodhun Chodoriwsky Ushers: Line Gillett Chairlift: Wilma Peeters Eucharistic: Father Justin Altar Servers: None**

**FOOD BANK CHALLENGE:** 15 items donated on Sunday, December 20<sup>th</sup>, 2020 for a total of 40 for the month.

**Your donations for 2020: 531 items. Considering that we were closed for 14 weeks of the year. Bravo!!**

7 items donated on Sunday, February 14<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

Items always needed at the Food Bank: Canned soups and canned fruits. Pastas and sauces. Cereals, pancake mix, rice and juices. Canned meat and fish. Peanut butter and jams. Cookies. Cake mixes, coffee and tea.

**The Lord loves a generous giver!**

**Weekly Budget \$1,060.00: Collection for Sunday, December 20<sup>th</sup>,2020      \$ 1,065.00**

**Collection YTD 2020    \$40,113.05**

**Collections mailed or turned in during lockdown: \$2,250.00**

**Weekly Budget \$1,060.00: Collection for Sunday, February 14<sup>th</sup>, 2021      \$1,955.00**

**Collection YTD 2021    \$4,205.00**

Each week we invite you to light the Sanctuary Lamp in memory of a loved one or for a special intention. The cost is \$20.00 and you may drop the donation in the collection basket with the information enclosed.

The intentions will be announced every Sunday.

**SANCTUARY LAMP:** The Sanctuary Lamp this week is for the personal intentions of the Marie and Ed Black.

**FOCUS ON THE READINGS: February 21<sup>st</sup> :** *If we go into the desert with Jesus this Lent, his grace will move us forward in our life of faith.*

Lent isn't an end unto itself; we go into the desert with Jesus in order to advance in holiness and in our spiritual life. All the blessings and trials in our lives are not closed events. They're precursors to more: greater trust in God, deeper union with him, and a greater sense of our mission to proclaim the kingdom of God.

**CWL:** CWL memberships are being collected. The \$25.00 fee can be paid as a cheque made out to: Holy Trinity CWL. The membership can be put in the collection basket, or mailed to Holy Trinity CWL, Box 478, Englehart, On. P0J 1H0. It can be given to Organization Chairperson, Shirley Gravel or Treasurer, Wilma Peeters. Payment can also be made as an e-transfer to: [sgravel562@gmail.com](mailto:sgravel562@gmail.com) (Password: cwl)

### **FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT**

*At once the Spirit drove Jesus out into the desert. Mark 1:12*

Jesus went into the desert to be with God. We, too, go into the desert. The desert is within us. At Lent we take a good look at ourselves. We don't play games. We examine our life. Are we living the life that God asks of us? What do we need to change? This Lent - don't play games. Take these next 40 days seriously. Lent is our invitation to grow in grace. Don't waste this opportunity.

***Father, may I look upon these next 40 days not as a burden but as a gift. Here is my chance to grow in grace. Here is my chance to be the person you called me to be. Let me not waste these special days. I ask for your grace to make the necessary changes. I ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.***

