



# St. Francis de Sales Catholic Church

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## **Trinity Sunday**

9 June A.D. 2019

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### **Dominica Sanctissimae Trinitatis**

*Romans 11, 33-36; Daniel 3, 55 and 56; Matthew 28, 18-20*

## **From the Pastor**

On Father's Day we invoke the Lord's blessing on all our fathers on Earth. We also thank the Father in heaven for this joyful time in our parish family, celebrating as we do the sacraments of Confirmation and First Communion for our young people. We are growing and thriving with another wedding, baptism and births on the way among our families. I am blessed to be with you.

Just as in life so in Faith we thrive and grow as we yearn for the reward of Eternal Life.


Our diocesan family grows as well with the ordination of eight new priests yesterday and permanent deacons next Saturday, among them our own Mark Kijesky. I hope you can be there.

Praised be Jesus Christ, now and forever.

## **Corpus Christi: Sunday, 23 June**

The Feast of Corpus Christi will be observed on Sunday the 23rd. The 11:00 High Mass will be celebrated coram Sanctissimo (before the exposed Blessed Sacrament) and will be followed by a solemn procession through Benedict. Candles will be provided for the faithful to carry, and girls are invited to bring baskets of flower petals to strew in the procession. We will need a few men to volunteer to carry the canopy. Please contact Stephen if you will be able to assist.

Please keep in prayer Gabriel Ponton, as he prepares to receive his first Holy Communion also that day.

**Tabernacle Vigil Light for the intentions of Sgt. Anthony Erwin, USMC (deployed)** 

A \$25 contribution dedicates the lamp each week to the memory or intentions of a family member or loved one. Contributions will help to defray the cost of altar and votive candles.

## **Training: Service on the Altar for Men and Boys**

Training for all current and prospective members of the Society of Saints Aloysius and Alphonsus (SSAA) altar boy society will be held on the first Saturday of each month after the 9:00 am Mass. All interested boys and men are invited to please contact Jamieson Scarlata at [1619surfer@gmail.com](mailto:1619surfer@gmail.com)

## **Thank you**

Many thanks to all the parishioners who have been praying for me and supporting me with their encouragement during my ongoing discernment. I am very happy to be back from a fruitful retreat at Silverstream Priory, where I was privileged to pray for all of you in a special place of Eucharistic Adoration. The Benedictines of Silverstream have invited me to consider a vocation as a lay brother in their community.

As I feel strongly called to the priesthood, I will be continuing to seek direction in fulfilling our Lord's will, and would appreciate your continued prayers for light, clarity, and fortitude, and for the benefits of Divine Providence.

In Jesu et Maria,  
Stephen

## **The Trinity**

"There is no Catholic but knoweth that the Father is a Very Father, the Son a Very Son, and the Holy Ghost a Very Holy Ghost, even as the Lord Himself saith unto His Apostles: "Go ye and baptize all nations in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost." This is that Perfect Trinity Who is but One being, and of Whom therefore we testify that His Substance is one. For we make no division in God, as divisions are made in bodies, but we testify, that, according to the power of the Divine Nature, Which standeth not in matter, the Persons named have a real existence, and that God is One.

"We do not say, as some have dreamt, that the Begetting of the Son of God is an outgrowing from one part to another part neither do we say that He is the Word in the sense of a mere sound uttered by a voice, but we do believe that these three Names and the Persons meant by them are all of only One Being, One Majesty, and One Power. And therefore we testify that God is one, because this One-ness of His Majesty forbideth that we should use the Plural form of speech and say, 'Gods.' " — S Gregory Nazianzen

## **Stewardship**

Thank you. If you are not currently doing so, please prayerfully consider financial giving to our parish family.

A list of some of our parish expenses, not already covered by gifts, for designated donations with the purpose of replenishment of our checking account:

May rectory cleaning	\$190
Incense	PAID
Pentecost flowers	PAID

To designate a gift please place your check in a plain envelope, note in memo line which expense you are designating and your offertory number to receive credit.

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## MONTHLY FINANCIAL REPORT

JANUARY 2019

### FROM OUR BOOKKEEPER:

Income  
\$11,138.22  
Expenses  
\$13,746.09  
Net  
-\$2,607.87

### SPRING OYSTER FEST

\$3442.81

*Thanks for your generous support.*

Please pray for our ill, hospitalized, those undergoing medical care and homebound: Betsy Behne, Mary Douglas, Dorothy Hume, Linda Javorski, Robin Magnelli, Ray Stublarec, Miles & Elizabeth Torreyson, and Eleanor Vaughn.

Please call the rectory at 301-274-3416 or contact Father Cusick at [mcitl.blogspot.com@gmail.com](mailto:mcitl.blogspot.com@gmail.com) to arrange for him to visit any homebound, ill or hospitalized parishioners or family members.

### Children's Faith Formation

Our Church teaches that parents are the first teachers in the ways of Faith for all of our young people. No one has more power or responsibility before God for witnessing to our children of the fact of the Lord's Resurrection and His presence through the Church in our lives. Those parents who wish to augment home school with parish faith formation are welcome to enroll children for classes at the hall on Sundays at 10 am and Wednesday afternoons at 4 pm. Email Donna at [markboat55@yahoo.com](mailto:markboat55@yahoo.com).

### WEEK AT A GLANCE

Holy Sweepers for the Weeks of June 16 and 23  
Long Family

#### June 22

##### Lector

SSAA Members

##### Altar Server

SSAA teams as assigned

#### June 23

##### Lector

Ray Hitch

##### Altar Server

SSAA teams as assigned

### UPCOMING:

**Saturday, June 22:** 9:30 am at the National Shrine: Permanent Diaconate Ordination of Parishioner Mark Kijesky

Second Collection for Weekend of June 22 & 23: *Peter's Pence* to help the Holy Father support victims of war, oppression, and natural disaster. Please be generous.

### MASS INTENTIONS AND SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>16 June</b>	<b>9:00 am**</b>	<i>Pro populo</i>	<b>Trinity Sunday</b>
		<b>11:00 am</b>	†Charles Giacobbe	<b>Dominica Sanctissimae Trinitatis</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>17 June</b>	NP*	†Poor Souls in Purgatory	
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>18 June</b>	NP`	†Donna Holt	S Ephrem
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>19 June</b>	6:00 pm	Adoration	
		7:00 pm	Intns Victor Jimenez Cardenas	S Juliana Falconieri
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>20 June</b>	9:00 am	Intns Fleming Family	Corpus Christi
<b>Friday</b>	<b>21 June</b>	9:00 am	Intns Kelly Fleming	S Aloysius Gonzaga
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>22 June</b>	National Shrine: Diaconate Ordination of Mark Kijesky, 9:30 am		
		5:30 pm**	Deployed military/families	Vigil
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>23 June</b>	<b>9:00 am**</b>	<i>Pro populo</i>	<b>Corpus Christi</b>
		<b>11:00 am</b>	Intns Father David Verghese, CSsR	<b>Dominica Corpus Christi (transferred)</b>

\*\* Mass in English \*No public Mass/Father away

If you would like to have a Mass offered, you may email [mcitl.blogspot.com@gmail.com](mailto:mcitl.blogspot.com@gmail.com), stop by the parish office during regular business hours, drop a note in the collection basket or see Father after Mass. The customary offering for a Mass, per Archdiocesan guidelines, is \$10.00.

### Staff

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### MASS AND SACRAMENT SCHEDULE

**Sunday...** 9:00am \*\* Traditional Latin 11:00am

**Weekday Masses in Latin:** See schedule in bulletin.

**Saturday....** 9:00am and Vigil of Sunday 5:30pm\*\*

**Holy Day Masses:** 8:00am and 6:00pm\*\*, 7:00pm

**Confessions** offered prior to all weekend Masses

**Baptisms and Marriages:** By appointment 6 months in advance. **Bulletin Deadline:** Two Thursdays prior to the date of publication. Send to [braun.cait@gmail.com](mailto:braun.cait@gmail.com) or call the rectory 301-274-3416. **New Parishioners: Welcome!** Please complete a registration form, available in the back of the church, and return it to Father or drop in the collection basket.