

BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Worship Schedule

Saturday January 11—Christmas Weekday

4pm SG + Joe & Angeline Schnell

Sunday January 12—Baptism of the Lord

8am HT + Kleczewski Family

10am SG + Tom Ryan

7pm HT + Those newly Baptized

Tuesday January 14—Weekday

8:15am HT + Joseph Steffens

Wednesday January 15—Weekday

8:15am HT + Eugene Binversie

Holy Hour following Mass (rescheduled due to funeral)

Thursday January 16—Weekday

6:30pm SG + Deceased Members of St. Gregory Parish

Friday January 17—St. Anthony, Abbot

8:15am SG + James Wagner

Saturday January 18—Weekday

4pm SG + Alfred & Rita Binversie

Sunday January 19—Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8am HT + Andrew, Mary Ann, & Julie Salm

10am SG + John Rinkowski

7pm HT + Intentions of Holy Trinity Parishioners

Liturgical Ministers

January 18 & 19

Greeters:

4pm SG: N-Jim & Mary Bonde

M-Kelly Isselmann & Betty Schuler

8am HT: Dennis & Lois Albright

10am SG: N-Alice Petermann

M-Pam & Sophia Schneider

7pm HT: Volunteer

Lectors:

4pm SG: Isaac Isselmann

8am HT: Sharon Mueller

10am SG: Mary Seichter

7pm HT: Miranda Schneider

Extra Ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist:

4pm SG: Mary Olig, Jill Riesterer, Meg Post

8am HT: Randy Neils, Cindy Roeck, Carol Heinzen, Joleen Bonde

10am SG: Deb Peterson, Theresa Zimmermann

7pm HT: Matt Schneider

Ushers:

4pm SG: Jim Bonde, Frank Riesterer

8am HT: Bob Binversie, Dale Post, Tom Knier

10am SG: Eric Zutz, Joe Litz, Paul Litz, Lyle Schwoerer

7pm HT: Mason Schneider

Servers:

4pm SG: Reagan Isselmann

8am HT: Gretchen & Maddie Augustine

10am SG: Kayla Peterson & Alayna Peterson

7pm HT: Cecelia DeBruin

Scrip:

4pm SG: Connie Bell

8am HT: Ruth Kleczewski

10am SG: Paula Emme

Parish News

Lectors **Bring life to the written word of God.** Proclaim the Scriptures. SG is still in need of lectors at the 4pm Mass. Call the office today to volunteer. Help is needed immediately. Thank you!

Mass time change: Thursday Masses at St. Gregory are now offered at 6:30pm. There is no 8:15am Mass.

SG is looking to hire a part-time custodian for the church and parish center. Hours are flexible and estimated at 20 hours per week. Duties include, but are not limited to, cleaning rooms, halls, gym, office space, and meeting room in the Parish Center. Additionally, cleaning areas of the Church on a schedule is also required. Interested candidates should contact Rita at SG Parish Office at 773-2511. Candidates are required to attend Virtus training and complete a background check.

Liturgy Meetings Scheduled: **St Gregory Liturgy Meeting** will be Thursday, January 23 at 5pm. **The Joint Liturgy Meeting** will be Wednesday, January 29 at 5:45pm at SG.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Holy Trinity parishioner, Lucille Koenig, who passed away on January 4. The funeral for Mrs. Koenig was Wednesday at Holy Trinity. May God grant her eternal rest and be with her family at this difficult time. On behalf of Holy Trinity Parish we offer our prayers and condolences to her family.

Catholic Community



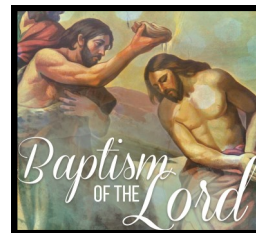
Holy Trinity, School Hill

HT Polo/Tee Shirts An order will be placed for Holy Trinity Polo and T-Shirts. Adult sizes S-XXXL, \$5.00 each, place order by Monday, Jan. 20 at noon, by signing up in back of church or calling the Parish Office. The plan is to have shirts before the Perch Fry. Questions call: Dennis Albright 920-894-

2895 or the Parish Office.

HT Perch Fry is quickly approaching on Feb. 21. When you're out shopping, look for raffle & silent auction items. We will also be having the 'Scrip Fish' again this year. Worker and Grocery Sign up sheets are in back of church. Next Perch Fry meeting is Sunday, following 8am Mass.

HT will be Removing Christmas Decorations Thurs., Jan. 16 at 9am. Many hands make light work. Thank you!



St. Gregory Stewardship: January 4 & 5, 2020

	Weekly	Fiscal Year Budget
Envelopes	\$ 3,475.00	\$180,000.00
Loose	\$ 524.00	\$ 10,000.00
Total	\$ 3,999.00	\$190,000.00
Support Budget/Week	\$ 3,653.85	\$ 85,912.47 <small>received for year</small>
Difference this Week	\$ 345.15	\$104,087.53 <small>needed by 6/30/20</small>

Total January Green Sunday: \$20.00

Solemnity of Mary Offering: \$298.00

Holy Trinity Stewardship for January 5, 2020

	Weekly	Fiscal Year Budget
Envelopes	\$ 1,269.00	\$85,000.00
Loose	\$ 416.65	\$12,500.00
Total	\$ 1,685.65	\$97,500.00
Support Budget/Week	\$ 1,875.00	\$51,708.22 <small>received for year</small>
Difference This Week	\$ -189.35	\$45,791.78 <small>needed by 6/30/20</small>

Green Sunday: \$50.00

Dates to Remember



- Sun., Jan. 12** HT Perch Fry Mtg following 8am Mass
- Mon., Jan. 13** Caring Hearts & Hands Mtg 1pm @ SG
- Tues., Jan. 14** HT Finance Council Mtg 6pm; Parish Council Mtg 7pm
- Tues., Jan. 14** SG Building & Grounds Meeting 6:30pm
- Thurs., Jan. 16** HT Liturgy Meeting 5:30pm
- Sun., Jan. 19** HT Hospitality
- Tues., Jan. 21** Food Pantry @ SG 1pm
- Tues., Jan. 21** SG Finance Council Mtg 6pm; Parish Council 7:15pm
- Wed., Jan 22** SHAC @ Meats Opera Haus 5:30pm
- Jan 25 & 26** Second Collection: Green Sunday
- Tues., Jan. 28** Alpha Program 6:30-8pm @ HT
- Wed., Jan 29** Joint Liturgy Meeting 5:45pm at SG

Knights News



K of C Free Throw contest to be held Feb 8th at 8 AM, St. Gregory Parish Community Center. Any boy or girl ages 8 to 14 can participate. Contact Dave Christel at 773-3113 for more information.

K of C State Raffle Tickets now available. See any K of C member or stop at either parish office to purchase tickets today!



Meetings are held the 2nd Wednesday of the month.

For more information about our Council contact Dave Christel at (920) 773-3113

Alpha Schedule

- Tuesday, January 28 6:30—8:00 Holy Trinity
- Tuesday, February 4 6:30—8:00 St. Gregory
- Tuesday, February 25 6:30—8:00 Holy Trinity
- Tuesday, March 3 6:30—8:00 St. Gregory

Area Parish Events & Faith Formation Opportunities

Learning on the Journey
A Winter Series on Catholic Faith, Catholic Practices, and Catholic Perspectives at Roncalli High School

6-7pm with a social to follow

No reading, no homework, no cost.

Simply a series of classes intended to enrich the local Catholic community.

Attend as many or as few as you like. At least three topics offered each night. All classes on Tuesday nights—beginning Jan. 14 through Feb. 18.

See bulletin boards for class listings.

Wed., Feb. 5—Bethlehem Chili Supper. 4-7pm, Chili, Homemade Tortes, Fresh Bread, Cheese, Bake Sale; Carry Outs Available. Adults \$8, Children \$4, 5 and under free

Mass Readings for Week of January 13—January 19

	<u>Readings</u>	<u>Gospel</u>
Mon/Jan 13	I Samuel 1:1-8	Mark 1:14-20
Tues/Jan 14	I Samuel 1:9-20	Mark 1:21-28
Wed/Jan 15	I Samuel 3:1-10, 19-20	Mark 1:29-39
Thurs/Jan 16	I Samuel 4:1-11	Mark 1:40-45
Fri/Jan 17	I Samuel 8:4-7, 10-22a	Mark 2:1-12
Sat/Jan 18	I Samuel 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1	Mark 2:13-17
Sun/Jan 19	Isaiah 49:3, 5-6	
	I Corinthians 1:1-3	John 1:29-34

Pastor's Perspective ...



FEAST OF THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Today's feast concludes the Christmas season and brings us into the ordinary time of the year. The feast of the baptism of Jesus presents a very important point in the life of Jesus, a very important turning point. As we reflect on what is happening here in the life of Jesus, it is important for us to connect it with our own lives, with our baptism, and what that means for each one of us.

John's baptism was a baptism of repentance. It was a baptism that Jesus did not need because he had no need of repentance. The point about John's baptism was that people who were conscious of their sins came forward to confess them. They made that confession precisely by submitting themselves to the rite of baptism. That is to say, the baptism itself was a public admission of sinfulness and the need for God's forgiveness.

Now, Jesus the Son of God was without sin. The letter to the Hebrews tells us that Jesus had been put to the test in exactly the same way as ourselves, but he did not sin. (Heb. 4:15) Peter says that he had done nothing wrong and had spoken no deceit (1Pet. 2:22). John the Baptist himself was surprised that Jesus would come for baptism, since he had no need of it, that was why he tried to dissuade him. But Jesus told him to go ahead and baptize him. We may ask why?

Why did Jesus submit himself to a rite he clearly did not need? Jesus' reason was to fulfill all righteousness. Jesus' submission to John's Baptism was part of God's plan, so that Jesus would be manifested as the Servant of God, now about to embark upon his mission. Jesus' baptism by John is the occasion for his special anointing as the Messiah. After his Baptism, a new era will begin.

As the baptism of Jesus made it clear that he was anointed by God through the Holy Spirit, so, too at our own baptism we were given a new life and anointed in the Holy Spirit. This enables us to live and love as God's beloved sons and daughters and to carry on the saving mission of Jesus.

Today's feast and the renewal of our baptismal promises every Easter are so important. They can help us to remember and recommit ourselves to living out our Baptismal promises we made on the day we were baptized. Through baptism, we were given a new life in Christ, made members of the Church, and given the Holy Spirit.

My brothers and sisters in Christ, today we need to reflect and ask ourselves how faithful we have been to our baptismal promises. Are we still new creations on the path to righteousness? Today's feast is encouraging us to imitate Jesus who after his baptism remained obedient to his father even unto death.

As we celebrate this feast today, let us pray that the good Lord will give us the grace to always understand and cherish our privileged status: That by virtue of our baptism, we are a people cleansed from original sin, endowed with sanctifying grace, made children of God, members of the Church, and heirs with Christ to the Kingdom of God.

*Remain Blessed,
 Father Tony*

WEEKEND OF JANUARY 11 & 12, 2020

From January 13—January 19
the Sanctuary Candles are burning
in memory/honor of:

Holy Trinity:
Eugene Binversie

St. Gregory:
St. Gregory Parishioners
Deceased Members of
Dietrich Family

Pray for the Sick:

John E. Meyer, John Casper, Mary Mueller, Orville Bonde, Leon Mueller, Kay Binversie, Jasmine Bertschy, Tony Scharenbroch, Ken Kozminski, Wendy (Riesterer) Puddy, Roy Schuler, Monica Clark, Marie Koenig, John Ryan, Jim Riesterer, Marie Dineen, and Deacon Jim Steffen.

To **add or remove** a name from this listing, a family member should call your Parish Office-SG: 773-2511 or HT: 773-2380 Thank you.



Legacy Gifts to St. Gregory Parish

Current projects for donation consideration:

- Main entry doors on the Parish Center
- Decorations for church environment (by liturgical seasons)
- Church ceiling rib repairs & paint

HOLY TRINITY SCRIP PROGRAM

Sold in office:
M, T, TH 8am –Noon & 12:30-4pm,
W 8am-Noon, F 8am-noon & 12:30-2pm
Before and after 8am Mass on Sunday

HT Scrip Coordinators~Betty Hardy &
Sandy Neils~920-565-4588

Sales ending January 5 — \$1,565 (includes online sales)
Profits ending January 5 — \$66.53 (includes online sales)

Thank you to all who continue to purchase SCRIP!

ST. GREGORY SCRIP

Scrip is sold in the parish office:
M-W 7-Noon & 12:30-4, Th & F 7-Noon
Scrip is also sold after all Masses

Scrip sales for week ending January 5: \$2,291.00
3% (average) profit to the parish: \$68.73

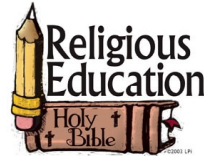
Scrip Coordinators:

Debbie Griem 773-2708 Marlene Zutz 775-4253

Thank you Scrip purchasers and volunteers!

HT Christian Women Calendar Winners are...

Dec 29 - \$30	Paul Schad, Kiel	#711
Dec 30 - \$20	Thomas Knier, Kiel	#1816
Dec 31 - \$20	Bob Sauen, West Bend	#774
Jan 1 - \$100	Ireland Stafford, Appleton	#453
Jan 2 - \$20	Tom Schnell, Green Bay	#1233
Jan 3 - \$20	Ann Zemor, Whitelaw	#1878
Jan 4 - \$20	Ronald Egan, Valders	#887



"Because of their Baptism, all members
of the people of God have become
missionary disciples." —Pope Francis

Wed., Jan. 15—6pm Classes
Wed., Jan. 22—6pm Classes
Wed., Jan. 29—6pm Classes

** Mrs. Patty Wilhelm, Coordinator-
pwillhelm@stgregorycatholicsschool.org
** Mrs. Rita Steffen, Assistant Coordinator-
rsteffen@stgregorycatholicsschool.org



Collective Goods

Collective Goods displayed until
Monday, January 20 at 4pm
in the St. Gregory Parish Center

- Items may include books (kids & adults), greeting cards, tools, photo frames, games, etc. Each display varies.
- Complete order form while you shop, & leave payment with your order.
- Goods are left at the Parish Center for pick up when the display is removed.
- Great items at reasonable prices! Easy gift shopping for birthdays or any special occasion!

"We bring the store to you!"



Legacy Gifts to Holy Trinity Parish

Current projects for donation consideration:
Update Parish office computer
Liturgical Decorations in worship space (colored banners)
Upgrading stain glass windows-worship space

The following parish family members are serving our nation in the **Armed Forces**:



Jesse Augustine, Kurt Binversie, Dustin Koenig, Matthew Koenig, Samuel Koenig, Brandon Mueller, Greg Mueller, Adam Satori, and Anton Simon.

Please contact the parish office to add a family member.



Parish Outreach

SG Prayer Line: Lucille Heinzen at 773-2317

SG Nursing Home/Assisted Living: Melissa Frost
773-3270

SG Caring Hearts & Hands: Melissa Frost
773-3270

SG Food Pantry: Faye Riesterer at 773-2422

HT Prayer Line: Complete card by suggestion box in back of church or call the parish office.

Would you like to receive Communion at home?

St. Gregory parishioners please contact: Mary Olig 775-4756, Gene Riesterer 773-2585, or the parish office 773-2511.

Holy Trinity parishioners please contact: Dennis and Karen Graf 693-8700 or the parish office 920-773-2380.