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 aret McHenry, David Reid, Danny Dreschler,
 Yvonne Briggs, Shirley and Robert Howell and
 Jannine Gagnon and all of our Parishioners who
 are ill, at home or in the hospital.

 **Coffee Hour Hosts: Please remember to
 get supplies from Bob's Big M when you
 need things like coffee, cups, etc. They can
 be charged there and the receipt can be
 put in the collection plate for the office to
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 The Blessed Trinity Community will hold Adoration,
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**Living in Grace through
 the Sacraments**

Sacrament of Baptism. We share in your joy as we welcome the newest member of your family into God's family, the Church. Our Parish offers Baptism Preparation Program to parents, with godparents, who wish to share their faith with their child. To register, please call the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Reconciliation. Persevere on the journey to holiness: Say "No" to sin and "Yes" to God's love, mercy and forgiveness. Saturday from 3:30 to 4:00 PM at SMM, or call the Parish Office to make an appointment.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. Jesus continues his healing ministry through his Church. If you or any parishioner is ill at home, in the hospital or the nursing home, and desires to celebrate this sacrament of healing, call the Parish Office to schedule a visit.

Sacrament of the Eucharist. Fr. Upson brings communion during sick calls. Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (communion ministers) can and may bring you communion regularly. Call the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Marriage. You and your fiancé are called to mirror the love of Jesus for his Church! Please contact the Parish Office at least six months before the intended date of your wedding so we can help you prepare for this wonderful sacrament of committed love.

Sacrament of Holy Orders. Do pray for vocations to the ordained priesthood and permanent diaconate. It is our common obligation to raise vocations—ordained, religious, married, single—in the Church. Now do you happen to know if and when our parish has produced an ordained priest for our diocese?

Are You a Visitor or a Newcomer? Welcome and we are glad you're here to worship with us! If Fr. Upson missed your presence, please see him after Mass.

Be near to the founts of divine life!

**The Epiphany of the Lord
 January 7, 2019**
*For my flesh is true food, and my blood is true drink, Who-
 ever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me
 and I in him.*
 - John 6:55-56

Our Parish Mission Statement



We, the people of Blessed Trinity Parish, come from diverse backgrounds and are working together to learn, live and spread the Roman Catholic Faith. We support one another on this journey of faith by studying the Gospel, celebrating the sacraments, especially the Eucharist, and nurturing the spiritual growth of all. Our

pledge is to consistently strive to build an ever-stronger parish family where the word of God is proclaimed, studied, and integrated into daily living, where we worship in prayer and in sacrament the presence of God in our midst, and where we witness the Gospel through our actions of care and concern for the needs of those around us.

Masses on the Lord's Day
 Saturday 4:30 PM at St. Mary Magdalene, Wolcott
 Sunday 8:30 AM at St. Thomas, Red Creek
 Sunday 10:30 AM at St. Mary Magdalene, Wolcott

Weekday Masses
 Tuesday to Friday 8:30 AM
 at Saint Mary Magdalene, Wolcott

Confessions
 3:30-4:00 PM every Saturday
 at Saint Mary Magdalene, Wolcott

Holy Hour
 7:00-8:00 PM every Tuesday
 at Saint Mary Magdalene, Wolcott

Schedule of Sacred Liturgy

Saturday, Jan. 6th- The Epiphany of the Lord
 4:30pm (SMM) - Christopher Lawson
 by Rita Bishop & Family

Sunday, Jan. 7th- The Epiphany of the Lord
 8:30am (ST) - Deacon Frank Bruno
 by Eamon & Peggy Coughlin

10:30am (SMM) - Jim Bishop by Carmen & Donna Parenti

Monday, Jan. 8th-Weekday
 10:00am (SMM) - COMMUNION SERVICE

Tuesday, Jan. 9th- Weekday
 8:30am (SMM) - Carol Day

Wednesday, Jan. 10th- Weekday
 8:30am (SMM) - Beatrice Moscato by Rosemary Seymour

Thursday, Jan. 11th-Weekday
 8:30am (SMM) - Donald Fennessy
 by Peter & Janice Ehresman

Friday, Jan. 12th-Weekday
 8:30am (SMM) - Rich Bielemeier by Eileen Bielemeier

Saturday, Jan. 13th-2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
 4:30pm (SMM) - Donald Hefron
 by Judy & Dick Boedicker

Sunday, Jan. 14th-2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
 8:30am (ST) - Alyssa Taft by Jane Houck
 10:30am (SMM) - Fr. Rod Petrie
 by Carmen & Donna Parenti

Monday, Jan. 15th-Weekday
 8:30am (SMM) - Communion Service

Tuesday, Jan. 16th -Weekday
 8:30am (SMM) - Christopher Lawson
 by Uncle Greg and Aunt Marsha

Wednesday, Jan. 17th- Weekday
 8:30am (SMM) - Donald Fennessy
 by Emmanuel & Nancy Ferrara

Thursday, Jan. 18th-Weekday
 8:30am (SMM) - Debbie Schooley by Anne Marie Burns

Friday, Jan. 19th-Weekday
 8:30am (SMM) - Christopher Lawson
 by Kirstin, Matt & Family

Saturday, Jan. 20th-3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
 4:30pm (SMM) - Joseph Gallo Sr.
 By Antoinette & Ray Parrotta

Sunday, Jan. 21st-3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
 8:30am (ST) - Zack Dwello by Jane Houck
 10:30am (SMM)- Fr. Rod Petrie by Gerry & Luba LaForge



Glory and Praise Missal
 Remember-The Sunday Readings are from Year B. This week's readings (Lectionary Readings) start on #803.



Our **Book Group** meets on Wed at 6:00pm @ SMM. Come join us in faith sharing as we are reading: "Kisses from Katie." Any questions please contact:
 Kathy Demass@ kmdemass@gmail.com or
 Susie Gallo at susiedgallo@gmail.com.

As We Pray During this Advent Season:

In this first week of Ordinary Time, we might find ourselves feeling a little let-down after the Christmas season, especially in parts of the world where it seems cold and dark most days. This is where we can ask for the grace to let the stories of the gospels come alive in our hearts.
 The vivid narratives of this week's gospel are packed with stories of Jesus' entering into the lives of real people and touching them in extraordinary ways. These are not far away stories, but ones that have a real meaning for us. This is a week of invitation from Jesus to us, with two invitations for us to ponder in our hearts this week.

Jesus encounters Levi, a Jewish tax collector. Because of his profession, he was probably wealthy but he had humiliated his family and made himself a pariah to most of those around him. Jesus' response to this "outcast" was to invite him to be one of his closest disciples - and to dine at his house.

In our own lives we may find a loneliness or separation from people in our family or others in our lives. We have parts of our lives that are dark and embarrassing and seem unchangeable. It is into this very darkness and discomfort that Jesus extends the same invitation to us - "Follow me." This clear and personal call to us is from Jesus who already knows us and our failings and yet asks us to be with him. We can hear this invitation more clearly if we can be touched with awareness of our own failings and understand more deeply how much we need a savior in our lives. It is then that our hearts open to accept this invitation.

This week Jesus invites us to follow him, as friends and disciples. This is a good week for us to contemplate with Jesus, what we are looking for and how much we want to turn and follow him. We can pray to Jesus for the strength to leave the patterns and habits of our lives that so often turn us away from him and ask for the grace to make a new beginning in our lives. If we can sit with our hands open in humility, we can accept that we can't do this on our own, but know in our lives that so often turn us away from him and ask for the grace to make a new beginning in our lives. If we can sit with our hands open in humility, we can accept that we can't do this on our own, but know in our hearts that with the help of God, nothing is impossible.

Creighton U Online Ministry



A reminder that when there is a one hour delay or closing of the school, there will be no Mass and the office will be closed.



Please remember that church parking lots and sidewalks are only shoveled and plowed before Mass. If a meeting is scheduled, please make sure someone is there to shovel and salt if needed.



MEN'S GROUP will meet January 8th at 7pm at SMM. New members are encouraged and are most welcome. Please contact Deacon Bob Lee at 315-744-4933 (cell) or relec@rochester.rr.com for more information.

Prayer for Our Troops

Lord, hold our troops in Your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our times of need, and give them peace.
 I ask this in the name of Jesus, Our Lord and Savior.
AMEN
 If you have a family member in our Armed Forces, and would like to have their name listed here in the bulletin, please call the Parish Office: 315-594-9430 or email: Mary.DeLisio@dor.org

Save the date: May 5th, 2018:

Visit to Our Lady of Victory Shrine & Basilica, Lackawanna, NY and Monastery of Our Lady of the Rosary. Learn about Venerable Nelson Baker. Flyers and sign up sheets are available in the back of our Churches. A commitment and \$42.00 per person payment is due by January 15, 2018

Coming Up at Blessed Trinity

- 1/7 Second Collection: Faith Formation Religion after Mass
- 1/8 Men's Group at ST at 7PM
- 1/10 Book Group: 6pm @ SMM Pastoral Council at ST at 7pm
- 1/11 Building and Grounds meeting 3:30pm @ SMM CDA meeting at Skippers Landing at 11:30am (Circle of Love Reports)
- 1/14 Second Collection: Youth Fund
- 1/15 Office Closed: Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- 1/17 Book Group: 6pm @ SMM
- 1/19 **Corrected:** **March for Life in Washington DC**
- 1/21 Second Collection: Social Ministry
- 1/24 Book Group: 6pm @ SMM
- 1/28 Second Collection: Building Fund
- 1/31 Cemetery meeting 12:00 in the Parish Office. Book Group: 6pm @ SMM

Please be sure to contact Mary at the office to have any meetings or events placed in the February calendar. You may call 315-594-9430 or email: Mary.DeLisio@dor.org.

	Dec. 2/3	Dec. 9/10	Dec. 16/17	Dec. 23/24
1st Collection	2863.00	2721.00	2067.00	2168.28
2nd Collection:				
Youth Fund	5.00	200.00	105.00	15.00
Building Fund	6.00		1.00	184.00
Faith Formation	170.00	11.00	13.00	5.00
Social Ministry	110.00	25.00	273.00	**4315.00
Holy Days		446.00		10.00
Christmas Flowers	115.00	60.00	80.00	50.00
Christmas	100.00		225.00	1872.63
Catholic Courier			45.00	
Total	3369.00	3463.00	2809.00	**8619.91
Over/(under) Budget per week of: \$3025	344.00	438.00	(216.00)	5594.91
Gifts/Donations	100.00			
Over/(Under) Budget per week of: \$270	(170.00)	(270.00)	(270.00)	(270.00)
Total Over/(Under) Budget of \$3295	174.00	168.00	(486.00)	5324.91
Catholic U.	10.00	20.00		

**12/24: includes \$4000.00 check from the Auer Foundation

Attendance	4:30pm	8:30am	10:30am	Attendance	12/24	12/25
Dec. 2/3	44	53	83	4:00pm	118	
Dec. 9/10	69	51	47	7:00pm	86	
Dec. 16/17	35	49	67	10:00am		22
Dec. 23/24	118	86	22			
Dec. 30/31	29	27	46			

Goal: \$17, 211.00 Pledged: \$14,295 83.06%

Catholic Ministries Appeal (CMA)

Here at Blessed Trinity we have faithfully and generously met our CMA goal over the course of many years. It would be wonderful if we could continue to do this. There are many financial burdens and responsibilities that everyone has and I am well aware everyone has a different sense of charity and sacrifice. As you can see we've arrived at 83.06% of our goal and we still have a short way to go. There is no set gift or pledge that everyone has to follow. It is simply asked that you give prayerful consideration to your financial participation. You can make an outright gift or make a pledge and pay it off in installments. Every gift is needed and extremely important. Your gift continues to fund programs, services and ministries throughout the entire Diocese. Not every place receives equal benefits but we all benefit from the collective effort.

I ask you once again to consider how God has blessed you and how perhaps you might make a return to the Lord by donating to the CMA Appeal and thereby sharing blessings throughout the Diocese especially where there is tremendous need. May God continue to bless you all, protect you and keep you safe in this New Year.

Father Michael