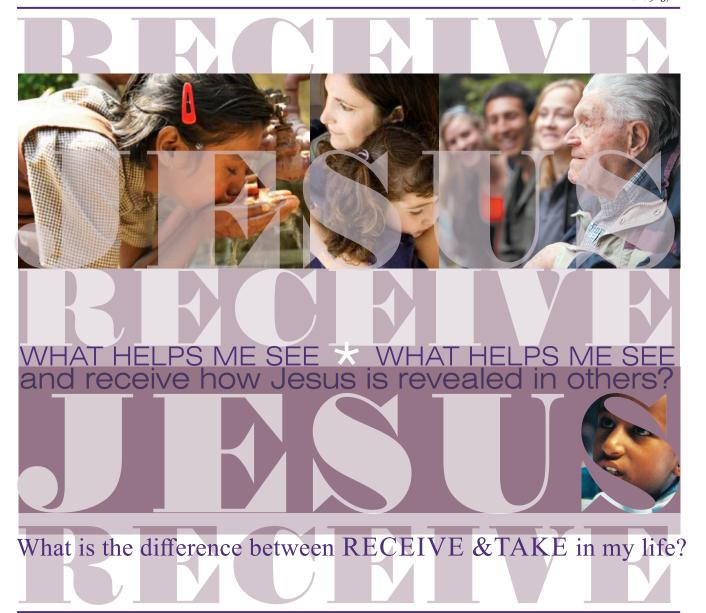
Most Holy Trinity Parish

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Whoever receives me, receives not me but the One who sent me

Mark 9: 37



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MISSION: We are a people graced by God, who come together as a community of faith, supporting each other as we live and celebrate the Good News of Jesus Christ.

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- Mark 9:37

Jesus places a child in the midst of the apostles. He lifts up this voiceless one.



Jesus models for the disciples, a way, a mission where all are included, welcomed and honored. In biblical culture a child was not worth being noticed. Jesus' gesture is a parable that portrays the church as inclusive of all, and living equality. In the reign of God, the "little ones,", are upheld, embraced as Jesus embraces this disregarded child.

When we empty ourselves, space opens up for us to receive the gift of Christ in every person. To welcome all, the poor, the vulnerable, and the unnoticed, is to be one with Love, the Giver of all life.

- S. Janice

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Helen Barber, Ed Deason, Tom George, Mary Lee Howard, Ethel Long, Joetta Lukowski, Mary Meyer, Amanda Suchara, John Towles, Mary Whitehead, and the Tracy and Usanga families.

HOSPICE CARE: The aspects of the human and divine merge ever more clearly in these days of decision. In the merging of mystery with reality, we honor ourselves as body and soul, as natural and supernatural. One with Jesus, may our love and prayers accompany Helen and Willy as their faith gives way to full glory in the vision of God.

Willy Howard at home: 4151 Farlin Ave, St. Louis, MO 63115

Helen Barber at Eveyln's House: 1000 N. Mason Rd. Creve Coeur, MO 63141.



Sunday, September 19, 9:30 am: Most Holy Trinity Parish

Parish Contact Information:

3519 North 14th Street | Saint Louis, MO 63107-3734 Ph: 314.241.9165 | www.mhtstl.org

Rite of Christian Initiation (RCIA), Preparations for Baptism, Confirmation, Marriage: Contact Sister Janice at 314.241.9165

Food Pantry/Utility Assistance: Provided by OLPH Food Pantry/St. Vincent de Paul. Food available to all. Utility assistance available to limited zip codes OPEN: Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday from 9am-noon, located on 4335 Warne Ave. 314.535.9794.

SEPTEMBER 19:

Presider: Father Aidan McDermott

SEPTEMBER 26:

Presider: Father Dan Kern Lector: Melita Long

Eucharistic Ministers: Doris Speed and Brenda Tillman.

RAFFLE TICKETS: Homecoming is in one week. To be successful, we ask your help to sell the tickets beyond the parish. If you want more tickets please contact Sister Gail at 314.241.9165. **Thank You.**



MASS CELEBRATING 173 YEARS OF BLESSINGS.

What is your experience of blessing in our parish?

Some of the things that might come to mind:

- The German immigrants who made their home in the Hyde Park area.
- The great Depression and its impact on families and households.
- Holy Trinity Catholic School students of countless decades who today are peace builders in the tradition of the Franciscan Sisters of Oldenburg who led and established its quality Catholic education.
- We carry the legacies of Father Creason, Marie Kremer, Vickie Deason and Barbara Russell and countless parishioners who today are our dear saints.

How is Holy Trinity a source of grace in these realities of life?

- Our church is a continuous presence; its existence speaks of God's protection, through tornadoes, crisis, loss, celebration and change.
- The size of our parish is now about the size as when it was first established.
- Through generations our parishioners have been steadfast in their commitment and faith.