



**Tzedek,
tzedek
tirdof.***

Justice,
justice,
you shall
pursue.

– Deut 16:20

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* These words, in beautiful Hebrew calligraphy, hung framed on a wall in the chambers of Supreme Court Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg (pictured here 1977).

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Provided by OLPH Food Pantry/St. Vincent de Paul. | Serves residents of zip 63107, 63115 and 63147.
OPEN: Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday from 9am-noon, located on 4335 Warne Ave. 314.535.9794.
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Most Holy Trinity Parish

mhtstl.org | TWENTYSIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME | SEPTEMBER 27, 2020

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One says “yes” and does not show up.
The other says no, repents and decides to go.*

Matthew 21:28-32



what motivates me to act?
CONVERSION

REFLECT *what is a facade of “goodness?”*

Reflection: Adaire Lassonde, SSND; Design: Joyelle Proot, SSND

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.

Parish Mass Schedule: 9:30 AM Sunday

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Today’s gospel might make us squirm a little. We are asked to work in God’s vineyard, caring for the poor, working for justice, and bringing peace to others. The parable reinforces Jesus’ insistence that words alone do not prove that one is his disciple. Words must be accompanied by action to offer evidence of discipleship. During this stewardship season we reflect on Jesus’ challenge to look at the ways we give ourselves to others. We ask ourselves: What motivates us to act?

– S. Janice

STEWARDSHIP 9/6/2020

\$ 1,285.00 Parishioner Envelopes
 50.00 Cash Contributions
\$ 1,335.00 Total

Thank you for your faithful support.

MASS INTENTION

Sunday, September 27, 9:30 am
 Joanne George, Betty Birkenmeier and Robert Fritz, Sr.

PLEASE PRAY FOR HEALING FOR: Helen Barber, Vickie and Ed Deason, Mary Green, Mary Lee Howard, John Towles, Ethel Long, Mary Meyer, Tracy and Usanga families; Michelle, Mike and Baby Jackson and their neighbor.

BAPTISM: Katie and Robert Lanfersieck celebrated the baptism of their son, Logan, on Sunday, September 20. Katie, daughter of Terry Bacott, continues the history of Bacott baptisms at Holy Trinity begun in 1906 with the baptism of their great, great grandparents.



HOMEcoming, OCTOBER 17 & 18: As we prepare for our first chicken dinner, I thought you would enjoy reading the experience of our parishioners 40 years ago.

“On Friday, August 1, 1980 instead of a Fish Fry we served fried chicken from 3:30 – 7:00 pm. The cost is \$2.50 for all. To schedule a delivery, please call by Thursday.”

This year, 2020, serving time is Saturday, October 17 from 4:00 – 7:30 pm at \$10.00 a plate and a menu for children. Curbside or walk-up instead of delivery.

We welcome all who are visiting today!
 We invite you to join us every Saturday at 4pm & Sunday at 9:30am.

STEWARDSHIP SHARE THE *JOY*

TIME – TALENT – TREASURE

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

Parish Speakers:
 Today what motivates us to stewardship at Most Holy Trinity?

OCTOBER 4

Parish Assembly:
 The Assembly is an opportunity for all to share responsibility for building our faith community.

OCTOBER 11

Commissioning of Ministries:
 We renew our commitment to the parish where together we worship, dialog and reach out to all.

OCTOBER 17 - 18

Homecoming:
 We celebrate God’s faithfulness and blessing throughout 172 years.

OCTOBER 25

Justice: Outreach and Service.
 We recognize that all are created by God, with dignity and worth.
 We respond in outreach and service to all.

Holy Spirit, you enlighten us and ask us to renew our commitment to be disciples of Jesus and stewards of God’s bountiful gifts.



SEPTEMBER 21, FIRST DAY OF AUTUMN

Autumn’s Flower: “If you would be happy for a lifetime, grow Chrysanthemums.” (a Chinese philosopher)

We welcome crisp mornings, changing leaves, pumpkin-flavored everything, and autumn flowers. A notable autumn flower is the chrysanthemum, or “mum” as commonly known. Chrysanthemums were first cultivated in China as an herb for medical use. Legend has it the flower possessed the power of life. The flower was also popular with the Japanese, who were so enamored with it they gave it the status of royalty. Today, chrysanthemums have many uses, ornamental, culinary, insecticidal, and even known to reduce indoor air pollution.