May 30, 2021

The Most Holy Trinity

Collection May 23, 2021			
Collection	\$ 835.00		
Home Missions	\$ 10.00		
Maintenance	\$ 35.00		
Attendance	42		

June 6, 2021 Ministers

Lector: Wesley Young *Commentator: Gaby Stanley*

Please be respectful and quiet for those praying before Mass as you enter the sanctuary.

Readings for June 6, 2021

Reading 1:	Exodus 24:3-8
Reading 2:	Hebrews 9:11-15
Gospel:	Mark 14:12-16, 22-26

Information about St. Edward- Daily readings, the bulletin, and other information can be found on our webpage at: https://stedwardpulaski.org

Donations-, please mail your regular donations to St. Edward's Catholic Church, PO Box 1670, Pulaski, VA 24301 if you are not attending Mass.

Mass Live-Stream- Mass is still live-streamed every Sunday morning at 9:00 at http://www.facebook.com/stmaryschurchwytheville

Prayer List- Mike Malloy, Tim Kimbleton, Carol Luttrell, Brenda Lee, John Balconi, Joan Jennings, Sharon Dalton, Jerry Dalton, Lynn Canty, Stacy Lewis, Rohith Ashok, Christine Scarpinato, and Father Bernie. (Please contact Stan Stanley if you have additions or deletions)

Lectors Meeting-Any lectors who were not in attendance last week for the meeting, please see Stan today after Mass.

Father Boat- Starting next Sunday, Father Boat will be gone for the rest of the month of June through July 4th. He will be traveling back to visit his family. We wish him a safe and relaxing trip and will look forward to his return.

Early Birthday Wish- Since Father Boat will not be here next Sunday, we would like to wish him a Happy Birthday on Sunday June 13th.

Thanks- Thanks to all who helped bring the chairs back to the Sanctuary last Sunday after Mass. Also, a special thanks to Debbie Grubb, Sally Warburton, Caleb Harriman, and Walter Harriman who stayed to setup the Sanctuary.

Happy June		Happy June Anniversaries	
<u>Birthd</u>	ays!	Ken & Norma Klima	June 2
Jennifer Grube June 3 Carol Luttrell June 4	Michael & Rosana Vallo	June 8	
		Carol & Richard Luttrell	June 17
	Joseph & Stephanie Tedesco	June 19	
Father Boat Joseph Tedesco	June 13 June 20	Malek & Emelda Tabar	June 20
Connie Verducci	June 23	Ty & Terry Hancock	June 25
		Linda & Jack McCann	June27
		Sharon & Jerry Dalton	June 28

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Daily Prayer This Week

This week of prayer can be very blessed. Beginning with the celebration of the Trinity - the powerful way God loves us, and the presence of the Spirit of the Father and the Son with us - we also reflect on the beauty of the Visitation and the encounter between Mary and Elizabeth, and between Jesus and John, in the womb.

In the first movement for the week we let Jesus change our perspective on things. We can practice all week seeing things from Jesus' point of view. When we get angry with someone, we might be tempted to scream at them or worse. Instead we can let Jesus speak to our hearts and help us with the grace to forgive that person and actually love, as Jesus loves. We can take the perspective of Tobit, and of Mary and Elizabeth - fully trusting God's way, offering us freedom to say "yes" more deeply to our call.

This type of daily prayer, finding intimacy with God throughout our very busy days, can only work if we keep focusing on what we are desiring each day. And that can only work if we begin each day, naming our desires. Keep the desires simple: for example, "Lord, today, please help me see the grace you are offering me in the poverty I feel in this situation." It can take only seconds to say that in the morning when I get up, or while I'm showering or getting dressed. But, by saying it out loud to ourselves, we give shape to a background place of conversation with the Lord all day. With some focused moments of prayer throughout the day, our desires will interact with everything that happens to us.

"It is here, Lord, that you are asking me to surrender my anger. Mercy is so hard, but it is the way to life you are offering me. I know you desire mercy more than sacrifice. I so much want to know the blessedness of being a loving person. I feel more peaceful just knowing you are with me as I try to respond to this person with more compassion and forgiveness."

Each evening, our daily prayer comes to closure. We briefly look back through our day and remember those moments of "connection" and thank the Lord for the graces given. It takes practice, but the rewards are what we truly desire.