



MOST HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

Iglesia la Santisima Trinidad • Giáo Xứ Chúa Ba Ngôi
Simbahan ng Santisima Trinidad • Ta si Tolu Pa'ia
A Jesuit Parish

September 20, 2015 - Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Worship Schedule/Horario de Misas:

Saturday Vigil Masses

4:15 pm - Vietnamese
6:00 pm - Spanish

Sunday Masses

8:00 am, 9:30 am, 6:00 pm -English
11:00 am -Spanish, 12:30 pm -Filipino
3:45 pm, 7:30 pm -Vietnamese

Daily Masses

8:00 am -English
5:30 pm -Vietnamese except Wednesday

Novena and Mass

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Wednesday - 5:30 pm

Confessions / Confesiones

Saturday at 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm
or by appointment

Parish Office Hours /Horario de Oficina

Tuesday - Friday 9:30 am to 7:00 pm
Saturday -10:00 am to 2:00 pm
Sunday -10:30 am to 2:30 pm
Monday - CLOSED

Clergy and Pastoral Staff

Fr. Robert A. Fambrini, S.J. Pastor ext 114
Fr. George Wanser, S.J. ext 116
Fr. Duc Vu, S.J. ext 117
Br. Jim Sanders, S.J. ext 100

Deacon Vicente Perez, Ret. ext 112
Deacon Ruben Solorio ext 100
Deacon Juan Aquino ext 100
Deacon Dung Tran ext 100

Sylvia Hogan, Business Manager ext 307
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Sr. Mary Margaret Phan, L.H.C. ext 115
Sr. Maria Goretti Nguyen, L.H.C. ext 110
Margie Segura, Front Office ext 100
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WHAT MAKES YOU HAPPY?

St. James message of peace is as true now as it was two thousand years ago. Where else do wars and terrorism come from, than people holding on to wealth, power, or hatred? But the message James shares, and that of Jesus in the gospel, is a simple call to be different. Neither of them condemns anyone. They call us to look at what we really want and what truly brings happiness.

Jesus' disciples argued about who was greatest. We are no different today. We have to learn that having the latest gadget, the most expensive cell-phone, or the latest-model car are at best temporary delights. And that being admired by acquaintances is never as lasting as loving someone for themselves. Can we learn to be more excited about what God has done for us than what we did to improve our home? Can we share our faith in God's mercy instead of bragging about our golf or bowling scores?

St. James ends our second reading with a challenging statement: He says we ask but don't receive because we ask wrongly. How often do we desire things that won't really make us happy? Do we pray for things we don't really need? Let us ask God to show us his love and to help those around us to experience it too.
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WORSHIP AND PRAYER

READINGS FOR THE WEEK September 20 to 27, 2015

Sunday - Wis 2:12, 17-20; Ps 54:3-8; Jas 3:16 - 4:3; Mk 9:30-37

Monday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-5; Mt 9:9-13

Tuesday: Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20; Ps 122:1-5; Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday: Ezr 9:5-9; Tb:13:2, 3-4abefghn, 7-8; Lk 9:1-6

Thursday: Hg 1:1-8; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 9:7-9

Friday: Hg 2:1-9; Ps 43:1-4; Lk 9:18-22

Saturday: Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a; Jer 31:10-12ab, 13; Lk 9:43b-45

Sunday: Nm 11:25-29; Ps 19:8, 10, 12-14; Jas 5:1-6; Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY 8:00 AM	September 21, 2015 Marilyn Smith † Sacred Heart of Jesus
TUESDAY 8:00 AM	September 22, 2015 Domingo Susa †
WEDNESDAY 5:30 PM	September 23, 2015 Lita Jotie - Health Nora ELamparo †
THURSDAY 8:00 AM	September 24, 2015 Angel Susa † Manolita Manuel †
FRIDAY 8:00 AM	September 25, 2015 Felipe Rustia †
SATURDAY 8:00 AM	September 26, 2015 Macedonio Cariaga †

LA PALABRA DE DIOS HOY

El Evangelio de hoy nos presenta una escena que una y otra vez se hace eco en nuestra sociedad. Desde temprana edad la mayoría de nosotros hemos sido estimulados para ser los primeros, primero en la fila, primero en la clase, primero en ser seleccionado para el equipo. Esta clase de estímulo continúa a través de toda nuestra vida. Ser el primero tiene que ver fundamentalmente con el poder. Ser el primero no tiene absolutamente nada de malo. Los problemas comienzan cuando usamos el poder que nos da ser el primero para manipular y usar a las personas que consideramos estar "por debajo" de nosotros. Muchos de los problemas de nuestro mundo y de nuestra Iglesia se centran alrededor de esta clase de abuso de poder. Oremos para que el Evangelio de hoy, que enfrenta sin ambages estos asuntos, inspire a todos a usar su poder de manera que construya y no destruya. Traducido de Saint Margaret Sunday Missal derechos de autor (c) J. S. Paluch Company

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading -- The wicked say: With revilement and torture let us put the just one to the test (Wisdom 2:12, 17-20).

Psalms -- The Lord upholds my life (Psalm 54).

Second Reading -- The wisdom from above is full of mercy and good fruits (James 3:16 -- 4:3).

Gospel -- Whoever receives one child such as this in my name, receives me (Mark 9:30-37).

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'TIS THE GIFT TO BE SIMPLE

The Shaker hymn describes a circular journey from innocence to innocence with characteristic brevity:

'Tis the gift to be simple, 'tis the gift to be free.

'Tis the gift to come down where we ought to be.

This journey is easier sung about than done. It takes humility and time to recover a second innocence. Titles, positions of honor, money, and power are not requirements of the kingdom of God. Jesus says and demonstrates in today's Gospel that members of God's kingdom must hold in their embrace the most inconsequential of persons, for that person is identified with Jesus. This attitude ran counter to the intuition of the world of Jesus' time, as it does in ours.

The simplicity set forth by Jesus requires the shedding of unnecessary, unimportant, false, and burdensome attachments that earthly power demands. Membership in the Kingdom is light enough to put a song in our heart.

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PRAYER FOR GENEROSITY by ST. IGNATIUS

Lord, teach me to be generous. Teach me to serve you as you deserve. To give and not to count the cost, To fight and not to heed the wounds, To toil and not to seek for rest, To labor and not to seek reward, Save that of knowing that I do your will. AMEN

FROM THE PASTOR NOTAS DEL PARROCO

Dear Parishioners,

This week marks a most important event for the Catholic Church here in the US: the arrival of Pope Francis to our shores. Beginning on Tuesday and continuing throughout the whole week we can expect what he does and says to be the top news story each evening. On his very busy schedule Francis will speak to a joint session of Congress (a first), canonize Blessed Junipero Serra (founder of the California Missions), address the United Nations in New York, visit a jail and celebrate a Papal Mass next Sunday in Philadelphia. Friends of mine in Cleveland have invited me to join them on a pilgrimage to see the Holy Father and concelebrate at the Papal Mass. Sadly, I will miss the parish festival but I promise to remember you at that liturgy. I will be back in the office next week.

Fr. Bob

Queridos Feligreses,

Esta semana la llegada del Papa Francisco a nuestras costas marca un evento muy importante para la Iglesia Católica en los Estados Unidos. Comenzando el martes y por toda la semana esperamos que lo que diga o haga sea la historia principal de las noticia cada tarde. Durante su visita muy ocupada Francisco hablara a la sesión conjunta del Congreso (primero), canonizara al Bendecido Junípero Serra (fundador de las misiones de California), se dirigirá a las Naciones Unidas en Nueva York, la visita a una cárcel y celebrar una Misa Papal el domingo en Filadelfia. Algunos amigos míos en Cleveland me invitaron a unirme en una peregrinación para ver al Santo Padre y concelebrar en la Misa Papal. Tristemente, no voy a estar presente en el festival parroquial pero prometo recordarlos en esa liturgia. Regresare a la oficina la próxima semana.

P. Roberto

**For staff contact or more Parish information,
visit our website: www.mht-church.org**

MHT PRESCHOOL

Most Holy Trinity Preschool is excited to announce the formation of an Afternoon Preschool Program. The afternoon program is offered from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Each of our programs accepts children from three years of age up to entry into first grade.

At Most Holy Trinity Preschool, we help children learn about the alphabet, pre-reading, numbers, early math, science exploration, and our Catholic faith & traditions. Our teachers guide young children to develop the social skills that will lead to success in kindergarten and elementary school.

Our goal is to encourage a lifelong love of learning by establishing a strong foundation of basic concepts and increasing each child's confidence in building positive relationships with teachers and peers.

Most Holy Trinity Preschool has a variety of program options. We offer care Monday - Friday from 7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. We have a full day program from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and two half-day programs: 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. We also offer extended care hours.

The full day and morning program are almost full, but we do have space for your child in our afternoon program. If you are considering a morning program, please contact us immediately. Our waiting list is always open and we are accepting applications for next school year (August 2016 to June 2017).

If you are interested in learning more about Most Holy Trinity Preschool or if you would like to schedule a tour, please call us at 408-929-2287.

Warm wishes,
Yvette M. Sousa
Director, Most Holy Trinity Preschool
2033 Nassau Dr., San Jose (just across from Parish office)
e-mail: ysousa@dsj.org
LIC#434412400

FAITH FORMATION

Diocese of San Jose Young Adult Retreat

SEE · LOVE · WALK

We invite you to join faith-filled and faith-curious young adults from all over the Bay Area on the Pure Fire Retreat as we encounter God in everything, everybody, everyday; Discover God's mercy and selflessness; and answer the call to service.

October 16-18, 2015

Friday evening to Sunday afternoon

Mt. Hermon Ponderosa Lodge
Felton, CA

For cost and registration, visit
<https://purefire2015.eventbrite.com>

 **YOUNG ADULT CATHOLICS OF SAN JOSE**
 **@DSJYOUNGADULTS**

Questions? Email Mary at purefire@dsj.org



sign up for an hour or two from
Sept. 22nd 8am to 8am Sept. 23rd to pray at our
24 Hour Adoration at St. Leo Chapel, San Jose
Call 408-497-7270 or email 40daysforlife@yahoo.com to sign up

**Procession for Life on September 23rd at
9:00am**

Following 8:00am Mass at St. Leo Church
Email 40daysforlife@yahoo.com or

Call 408-497-7270

FEAST OF FILIPINO MARTYRS

The Diocesan Council of Filipino Catholics of the Diocese of San Jose invites you to the Diocesan Celebration of the Feast of San Pedro Calungsod & San Lorenzo Ruiz on Saturday, September 26, 2015 at 11:00 AM at Saint Justin Parish located at 2655 Homestead Road, Santa Clara, CA 95051. Please join us for fellowship after the Mass.

MARRIED COUPLES

Would you attend a seminar to enhance your job or to increase your salary? Why not give your marriage the same attention? Enhance your good marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend! The next Marriage Encounter Weekend is November 13-15 in Mountain View. For more information visit our website at: sanjosewwme.org or contact Ken & Claranne at applications@sanjosewwme.org or 408-782-1413.

DISCERNMENT DAY: Have you ever wondered what life is like as a nun? Are you drawn to a life of prayer and have a deep desire for love and service? The Dominican Nuns of Corpus Christi Monastery located at 215 Oak Grove Avenue in Menlo Park, CA will host a Discernment Day for single Catholic women ages 18-40 on October 10, 2015. RSVP by October 3rd, or for more information contact Sister Joseph Marie O.P. at vocations@nunsmenlo.org or visit our website at: <http://nunsmenlo.org/discernment-days/>. The day begins with Mass at 8:00 a.m. followed by Divine Office, Adoration, Rosary, Conferences and Vocation stories given by our Dominican nuns and friars.

CONTACTS

If you have any questions regarding PARISH ASSESSMENT AND RENEWAL or any of the commissions, please feel free to contact the PAR Coordinator:

Mercedes Serrano mserrano@mht-church.org

Evening of Prayer to Honor the Victims/Survivors of Violence

Knowing that those of us who are left behind to mourn need an opportunity to celebrate the lives of those who have gone before us, we invite you to send the name of anyone you would like remembered to Sister Maryann Cantlon at 1150 North First Street, San Jose, CA 95112 or to mcantlon@dsj.org **before September 10, 2015. Bishop Patrick J. McGrath will preside at this service.**

Date: September 30, 2015

Time: 7:30 pm

Place: Cathedral Basilica of St. Joseph, 80 South Market Street, San Jose, CA 95113

If you park in the garage next to the Sonoma Chicken Coop on Market Street, we will validate your parking ticket for 2 hours of free parking.

A reception and hospitality will be provided after the service.

All are invited to attend and to pray for this suffering part of our community.

WELCOMING | SERVING | LOVING

OUTREACH/STEWARDSHIP

Society of Saint Vincent De Paul - Most Holy Trinity Conference

Are you in need of monetary or food assistance? We may be able to help you. We provide assistance with food, utilities, transportation and other expenses. Please call(408) 930-4241 and leave a message and phone number so we can help you.

¿Le necesitan ayuda alimentaria o monetaria? Podemos ser capaces de ayudarle. Proveemos la ayuda de la comida, utilidades, transporte y otros gastos. Por favor llame (408) 930-4241 y deje un mensaje y su número de teléfono para que podamos ayudarle.

Catholic Cemeteries of the Diocese of San Jose -Here to Serve You

Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Los Altos 650-428-3730
Calvary Cemetery, San Jose 408-258-2940
St. John the Baptist Cemetery, Milpitas

Pre-Need Arrangements at time of death, contact: Teresa Huyen Nguyen at hunguyen@dsj.org or 408-296-9895.

Join the Public Square Rosary Rally Saturday, October 10, 2015 (12:00 noon) Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church 2040 Nassau Dr San Jose, CA 95122

This Public Square Rosary, sponsored by America Needs Fatima, will be one of over 12,000 rallies that will take place all across the United States on that day.

Please join us in offering reparation for the sins and offenses committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary and to fervently pray for the conversion of United States.

Will you be able to join me and other on that very important day?" Don't forget to invite your relatives and friends with you!

Wedding & Quinceanera Coordinator

We are looking to hire a Wedding and Quinceañera Coordinator for the parish who would receive a stipend per event. The person must be fluent in English and Spanish. If interested, please contact the parish office.

WEEKLY GIVING

September 13

Offertory Collections	\$ 19,040
Offertory Budget	20,000
Tithe-BFP/Church Improvement Fund	1,949
Second Collection—Migrants and Refugees	8,316

The Priests and Deacons of this parish have contributed \$ 627.00 the previous two weeks from their ministries to support the mission of MHT. Thank you for your generosity and continuing support.

Online Giving/Donaciones en línea

Online Giving is an easy way for your Stewardship to continue, even while you are away. If you are interested in Online Giving, go to our website at www.mht-church.org by clicking Evergive. Evergive site provides you with the ability and the convenience to donate your weekly offertory gift online.

Donaciones en línea es una manera fácil para que su corresponsabilidad continúe, incluso cuando usted está ausente. Si usted está interesado en donar en línea, visite nuestro sitio web en www.mht-church.org haciendo clic EVERGIVE. El sitio Evergive le ofrece la posibilidad y la conveniencia de donar su regalo de ofertorio semanal en línea.

Welcome to New Parishioners and Visitors!

Parishioners of Most Holy Trinity welcome our new parishioners and visitors. Please introduce yourselves to your neighbors. Your presence is very important to us, as is your support. Thank you for being here with us!

Bienvenidos nuestros Nuevos Feligreses y Visitantes!

Feligreses de Santísima Trinidad dan la bienvenida a nuevos feligreses y visitantes. Preséntese cuando los vea. Su presencia es muy importante para nosotros, como lo es su apoyo. Gracias por estar con nosotros!

Coordinador de Bodas y Quinceaneras

Estamos buscando contratar a un coordinador de Quinceañeras y de bodas para la parroquia quien recibiría un estipendio por evento. La persona debe ser completamente bilingüe en inglés y español. Si está interesado, por favor póngase en contacto con la oficina parroquial.

B I E N V E N D O S | S I R V E N D O | A M A N D O

HEALTH MINISTRY

KNOW YOUR HEALTH NUMBERS

Individuals with prediabetes and type 2 diabetes are more likely to have high blood pressure, high cholesterol and of course, high blood sugar. They are also likely to be overweight / obese. All of these factors increase the risk of developing heart disease.

NEXT SUNDAY September 27 IS HEALTH SUNDAY. Come to THE OLD PARISH HALL to get your blood pressure and blood sugar checked!

FLU SHOTS AT MHT ON SEPTEMBER 27

The best way to prevent the flu is by getting vaccinated each year. Most Holy Trinity is partnering with Walgreens Pharmacy again this year for low cost or free FLU SHOTS.

WALGREENS will be next to the OLD PARISH HALL – Sunday September 27, 2015 from 9 am – 1pm.

If you have the following insurance, please bring your ID and Proof of Insurance:

Medicare part B,
MediCal.
Valley Med
Santa Clara Family Health.
Cigna,
United Health Care

The vaccine will be low cost or FREE if you do NOT have insurance.

HEALTH MINISTRY AND LOS AMIGOS ZUMBA

For date and time, see calendar on Community Room door.

Para fecha y horario mire el calendario en la ventana del Community Room.

REQUESTED DONATION \$5

Se pide una donación \$5

For more information, contact/Para más información llame a: Chris Rodriguez 408-921-0757

CONOZCA SUS NÚMEROS DE SALUD

Las personas con prediabetes y la diabetes tipo 2 son más propensas a tener presión arterial alta, colesterol alto y claro, alto de azúcar en la sangre. También son propensos a tener sobrepeso / obesidad. Todos estos factores aumentan el riesgo de desarrollar enfermedades del corazón.

El domingo SIGUIENTE 27 de septiembre Es domingo de SALUD. Ven a EL SALON PARROQUIAL VIEJO para examinarse su presión arterial y azúcar en la sangre!

Vacunas contra la gripe GRATIS en la Santísima Trinidad el 27 de septiembre

La mejor manera de prevenir la gripe es vacunándose cada año. La Santísima Trinidad se ha asociado con la farmacia de Walgreens de nuevo este año para traer vacunas contra la gripe GRATIS a los parroquianos.

WALGREENS estará afuera del Salón Parroquial viejo Domingo 27 de septiembre 2015 Desde 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

Si usted tiene los siguientes seguros, por favor traiga su identificación y prueba de seguro:

- Parte B de Medicare,
- MediCal.
- Valle Med
- Santa Clara Family Health.
- Cigna,
- Cuidado de la Salud del Reino

La vacuna será a bajo precio o gratis si usted no tiene seguro.

For staff contact or more Parish information, visit our website: www.mht-church.org

WARM WELCOME TO ALL WHO WORSHIP WITH US

Thank you for joining us in prayer and sacrament.

Whether you are long-time residents or newly arrived in the Parish, if you are NOT registered, please complete the information below and place in the offertory basket or bring to the Parish Office.

Name: _____ Phone: (____) _____
LAST Head of Household Spouse

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

New Parishioner Moving: e-mail address: _____
 Phone Number Change New Address Please send Offertory envelopes

FESTIVAL

Dear Parishioners,

With a joyful heart, I invite you to join me in celebrating our Most Holy Trinity Parish Festival on Friday, September 25 to Sunday, September 27 with the goal of fundraising and strengthening our community. We will have great food, games, entertainment, and carnival rides. Raffle tickets have been mailed out to some parishioners. Raffle and Carnival ride tickets will also be sold after all Sunday masses from 8:30 am to 1:00 pm in the Plaza.

The Festival Planning Committee and I again ask for the generous participation of our faith community in purchasing raffle tickets. Your raffle ticket purchases support vital parish services, the parish school and our Faith Formation Programs.

Thank you for your steadfast support of this important event. Share in the fun and fellowship by bringing your family and friends, and enjoy the food, games and entertainment during this wonderful weekend. I look forward to seeing you all at the Festival.

Warm Regards,
Fr. Bob

Are you ready? Are you our next \$5000 winner?



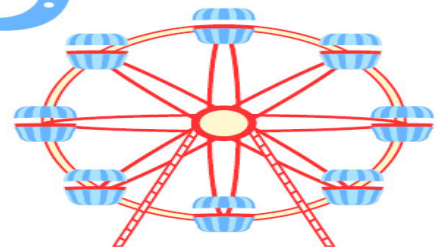
COMMUNITY Festival



Friday, September 25 - 5-10pm
Saturday, September 26 - 12-10pm
Sunday, September 27 - 9-7pm

\$5000 raffle!

Sponsorships and presale tickets available. For more information email MHTFestival@gmail.com



*Raffle Tickets available in the parish office during Office hours and after Sunday Masses from 8:30am-1pm in the courtyard.
Available beginning August 30: ALL DAY Wristband Ride Tickets (\$20 each) Sheet of 10 individual ride tickets (\$10 each)*