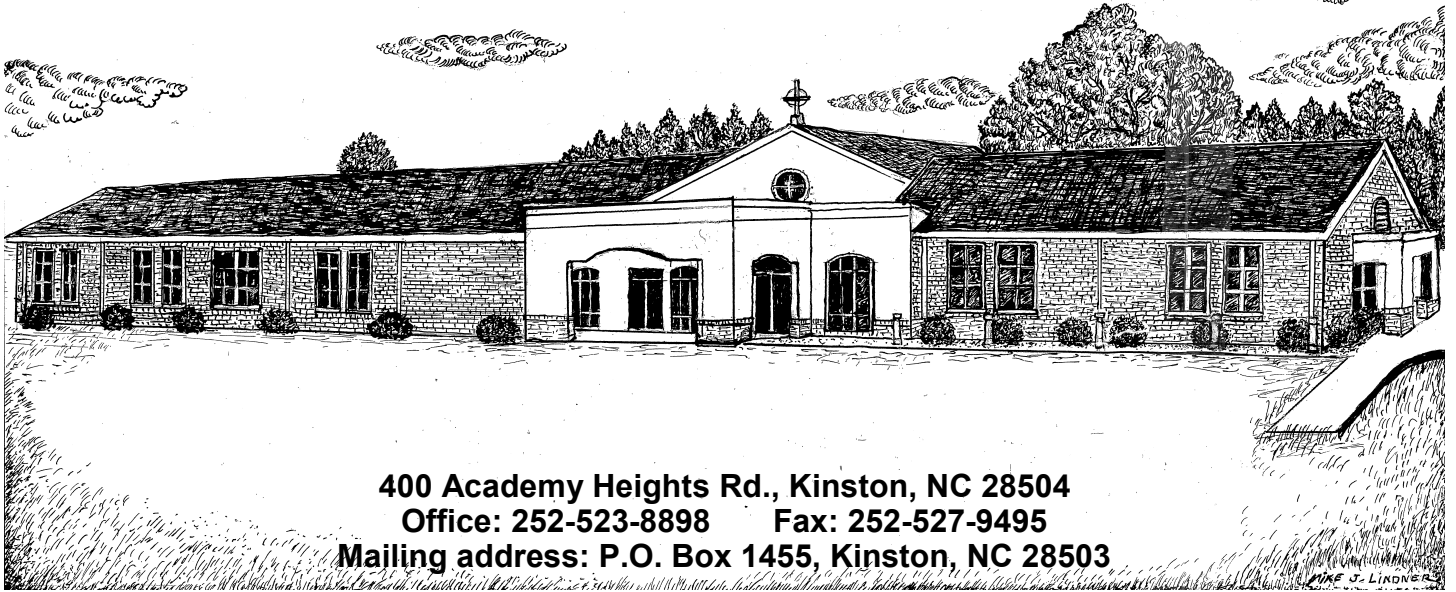


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## Mass Schedule

### Weekdays:

Tuesday	12:00 PM	English
Wednesday	6:30 PM	Spanish
Thursday	9:00 AM	English
Friday	9:00 AM	English

### Weekend:

Saturday	5:00 PM	English
Sunday	9:00 AM	English
Sunday	11:30 AM	Spanish

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday from 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm

Or any time by appointment with Fr. Arturo

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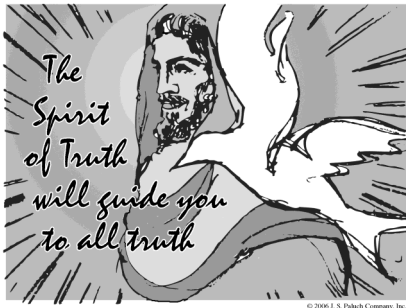
THE MOST HOLY TRINITY  
JUNE 12TH, 2022  
LA SANTÍSIMA TRINIDAD  
12 DE JUNIO DE 2022



**June 12, 2022**  
**The Most Holy Trinity**

**BIBLICAL ROOTS OF THE TRINITY**

Today's readings show some biblical roots of what Christians would later call the Trinity. Proverbs showcases the role of Wisdom in the work of creation, portrayed as a reality outside of God but integrated into God's work of forming the heavens and the earth. We join the psalmist in sharing Wisdom's delight in God's handiwork: "O Lord, our God, how wonderful your name in all the earth" (Psalm 8:2). In his letter to the Romans, Paul writes of peace with God through Jesus, and the love of God received through the Holy Spirit, distinguishing God, Jesus, and the Holy Spirit while also displaying their abiding unity. Finally, in the farewell discourse from John's Gospel, Jesus—who had earlier spoken of himself as Son of the Father—promises his friends that they will receive the Spirit of truth that will teach and guide them after his departure. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



**TODAY'S READINGS**

**First Reading** — Before anything was created, the wisdom of God was brought forth (Proverbs 8:22-31).  
**Psalm** — O Lord, our God, how wonderful your name in all the earth! (Psalm 8).  
**Second Reading** — God's love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us (Romans 5:1-5).  
**Gospel** — Everything that the Father has is mine; the Spirit will take from what is mine and declare it to you (John 16:12-15).

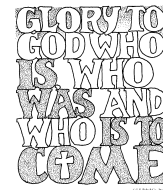
**Pope's Monthly Intention**

**June 2022: Elderly**

We pray for Christian families around the world; may they embody and experience unconditional love and advance in holiness in their daily lives.

**Excerpt from the Homily of his Holiness  
Pope Francis on Trinity Sunday  
June 16, 2019**

Today we are celebrating the Most Holy Trinity. The Trinity is not a theological riddle, but rather the splendid mystery of God's closeness. The Trinity tells us that we do not have a solitary God above in heaven, distant and indifferent; no, he is *Father* who gave us his *Son*, who became man like us, and who, in order to be even closer to us, to help us bear the burdens of life, sends us his very *Spirit*. He, who is Spirit, enters our spirit and thus comforts us from within, bringing God's tenderness into our heart. With God the burdens of life do not rest on our shoulders: the Spirit, whom we name each time we make the sign of the Cross precisely as we touch our shoulders, comes to give us strength, to encourage us, to bear the burdens. Indeed, he is an expert in resuscitation, in raising up again, in rebuilding. It takes more strength to repair than to build, to recommence than to start from scratch, to reconcile than to just get along. This is the strength that God gives us.



**HEAVEN-MADE**

I have been made for heaven and heaven for me.  
—St. Joseph Cafasso

**TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION**

Today's feast, extending a dimension of Easter joy into Ordinary Time, reminds us that every aspect of worship centers on the mystery of God in three persons. At baptism, we are initiated into Christ and the Spirit. The Creed we recite at Mass every Sunday has its roots in the ancient celebration of baptism, when a new believer was questioned at the edge of the waters of the font with three questions: Do you believe in God, the Father, the Son, the Holy Spirit? Three questions, three affirmations, three immersions into the saving waters. Because every liturgy abounds with references to the Trinity, not only in words but in blessings by the sign of the cross, this feast was not easily accepted into the calendar. Pope Alexander in the eleventh century remarked that the liturgy is so laden with praise of the Trinity that there was no need for a special feast. Two hundred years later, while in exile in France, Pope John XXII proclaimed the feast, but it was not until 1911 that Pope St. Pius X gave it status as a solemnity. A favorite image in art for today is the Icon of the Trinity, showing three glorious winged men seated at a table laden with bread and a cup of wine. It recalls Abraham's hospitality to angels and gives expression to the inner life of God, a life lived in relationship, a life poured out in abundance whenever Christians gather at the table of the Eucharist to give praise to the Father, in Christ, in the embrace of the Spirit.

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## Parish Sacrificial Giving Summary

For the Weekend of May 29th, 2022  
(Fiscal Year starts July 1st)

1st collection May 30th, 2021:.....	\$1,526.00
1st collection May 29th, 2022:.....	\$841.00
Accum. 1st collection previous year.....	\$77,019.00
Accum. 1st collection current year.....	\$99,570.60
Catholic Communications 2021:.....	\$280.00
Catholic Communications 2022:.....	\$138.00

## Next Weekend Second Collection

**Name:** Outreach Program

**Purpose:** Monthly effort to raise funds to help the needy in our community.

**Type:** Parish level (all funds remain in the parish for parish use only).

Second collections are optional. Parishioners are given this choice at the moment of passing the baskets.

## Segunda Colecta del Siguiete Domingo

**Nombre:** Necesitados de la Comunidad

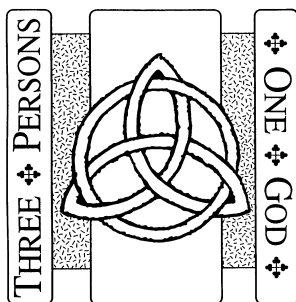
**Propósito:** Campaña mensual que recoge fondos para ayudar a las personas que vienen a la oficina a pedir ayuda.

**Clase:** Nivel parroquial (todos los fondos se quedan en la parroquia para su uso exclusivo).

Las segundas colectas son opcionales. A los parroquianos se les da ésta opción a momento en que circula la canasta.

## The Apostles and their Successors

From the earliest days of the Church the apostles appointed other men to succeed them to ensure that the mission Jesus entrusted to them would continue after their death (Acts 1:15-26; Tim 3:1; 2 Tim 1:6). In Catholic tradition bishops are by definition the successors of the apostles. "The bishops have by divine institution taken the place of the apostles as pastors of the Church, in such wise that whoever listens to them is listening to Christ and whoever despises them despises Christ and him who sent Christ" (Catechism, 862, quoting *Lumen gentium*, 20, 2). But in another sense, "The whole Church is apostolic, in that she remains, through the successors of St. Peter and the other apostles, in communion of faith and life with her origin: and in that she is 'sent out' into the whole world. All members of the Church share in this mission, though in various ways" (863).



## Saints of the Week

**Monday, June 13th:** St. Anthony of Padua, Priest, Doctor of the Church; died 1231 at age thirty-six; from Lisbon; devoted student of scripture; first friar to teach theology to his fellow friars; gifted orator and preacher; known as the "Evangelical Doctor"; patron saint of Portugal, of the poor, of harvests, and lost articles.

## African American History & Heritage

**June 13th:** Thurgood Marshall, 1st African-American to be nominated to a seat on the U.S. Supreme Court - 1967

**June 14th:** Henry O. Flipper, 1st African-American to graduate from the U.S. Military Academy in West Point, NY - 1877

**June 18th:** The U.S. Navy commissions its first black officer, Harvard University medical student Bernard Whitfield Robinson- 1942

**June 18th:** Supreme Court banned racial discrimination in sale and rental of housing.- 1968

## Graduation Prayer

Dear God, those whom you called to do great things for you were often tested first. You did so, not to frustrate them, but to bring out what you saw as the best in them. Joseph was raised from slavery to royalty, and you gave him grace to forgive when he'd been wronged. Solomon was raised from prince to king, and you granted him wisdom to govern his people. Jeremiah was raised from youth to prophet, and you gave him courage to proclaim your truth. Today begins a new chapter in the lives of these graduates. Give them the wisdom to make wise decisions, just as you gave your servants guidance in ages past. Amen.

## Oración de Graduación

Amado Dios, aquellos a quienes llamaste a hacer grandes cosas a menudo se le hizo la prueba primero. Lo hiciste, no para frustrarlos a ellos, sino para sacar a relucir lo que consideraste mejor en ellos. José fue elevado de la esclavitud a la realeza, y le diste la gracia de perdonar cuando había sido agraviado. Salomón fue elevado de príncipe a rey, y le concediste sabiduría para gobernar a su pueblo. Jeremías fue elevado de joven a profeta, y le diste valor para proclamar tu verdad. Hoy comienza un nuevo capítulo en la vida de estos graduados. Dale la sabiduría para hacer sabias decisiones, tal como les diste orientación a tus siervos en épocas pasadas. Amén.

## 12 de Junio de 2022 La Santísima Trinidad

### RAÍCES BÍBLICAS DE LA TRINIDAD

Las lecturas de hoy muestran algunas raíces bíblicas de lo que los cristianos llamarían más adelante la Trinidad. El libro de los Proverbios muestra el papel de la Sabiduría en la obra de la creación, descrita como una realidad ajena a Dios, pero integrada en la obra de Dios de formar los cielos y la tierra. Nos unimos al salmista para compartir el deleite de la Sabiduría en la obra de Dios: “Oh Señor, nuestro Dios, qué maravilloso es tu nombre en toda la tierra” (Salmo 8:2). En su carta a los romanos, Pablo escribe sobre la paz con Dios por medio de Jesús, y el amor de Dios que se recibe por medio del Espíritu Santo, lo que distingue a Dios, a Jesús y al Espíritu Santo, aunque también muestran su permanente unidad. Por último, en el discurso de despedida del Evangelio de Juan, Jesús—que antes había hablado de sí mismo como el Hijo del Padre—promete a sus amigos que recibirán el Espíritu de la verdad que les enseñará y guiará después de que él se vaya.

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### LECTURAS DE HOY

**Primera lectura** — Antes de que algo fuese creado, la sabiduría de Dios estaba presente (Proverbios 8:22-31).

**Salmo** — Señor, dueño nuestro, ¡qué admirable es tu nombre en toda la tierra! (Salmo 8)

**Segunda lectura** — El amor de Dios ha sido derramado en nuestro corazón mediante el Espíritu Santo que hemos recibido (Romanos 5:1-5).

**Evangelio** — Todo lo que el Padre tiene es mío; el Espíritu de verdad tomará todo lo que es mío y te lo concederá (Juan 1:12-15).

## Intención Mensual del Papa

### Junio 2022: Ancianos

Oramos por las familias cristianas de todo el mundo; para que encarnen y experimenten el amor incondicional y avancen en la santidad en su vida diaria.

## Extracto de la Homilía de Su Santidad el Papa Francisco el Domingo de la Trinidad 16 de junio de 2019

Hoy estamos celebrando la Santísima Trinidad. La Trinidad no es un enigma teológico, sino el espléndido misterio de la cercanía de Dios. La Trinidad nos dice que no tenemos un Dios solitario arriba en el cielo, distante e indiferente; no, es el Padre que nos dio a su Hijo, que se hizo hombre como nosotros, y que, para estar aún más cerca de nosotros, para ayudarnos a llevar las cargas de la vida, nos envía su mismo Espíritu. Él, que es Espíritu, entra en nuestro espíritu y así nos consuela desde dentro, llevando la ternura de Dios a nuestro corazón. Con Dios las cargas de la vida no descansan sobre nuestros hombros: el Espíritu, al que nombramos cada vez que hacemos la señal de la cruz precisamente al tocar nuestros hombros, viene a darnos fuerza, a animarnos, a llevar las cargas. En efecto, es un experto en resucitar, en levantarse de nuevo, en reconstruir. Hace falta más fuerza para reparar que para construir, para recomenzar que para empezar de cero, para reconciliar que para llevarse bien. Esta es la fuerza que Dios nos da.

### GLORIA AL DIOS



### HECHO PARA EL CIELO

He sido hecho para el cielo y el cielo ha sido hecho para mí.  
—San José Cafasso

### TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

Este domingo la Iglesia celebra la Solemnidad de la Santísima Trinidad: Padre, Hijo y Espíritu Santo. Este dogma acerca de la realidad de Dios es la clave para comprender la verdad de la religión cristiana. Mediante el poder del Espíritu Santo el Padre envió al Hijo como Salvador del mundo. Estas tres personas son un solo Dios. No es una doctrina fácil de comprender y mucho menos de pintar en arte sagrado. Sin embargo muchos artistas latinoamericanos han intentado pintar simbólicamente la verdad de la Santísima Trinidad. En muchos casos imaginan al Padre cargando a Jesús en la cruz y soplando sobre él el Espíritu en forma de paloma. A veces Padre e Hijo están entronados sobre las nubes soplando el Espíritu mutuamente y las alas de la paloma tocan los labios de ambos. En algunos casos el Padre, el Hijo y el Espíritu Santo son tres cabezas que salen de un solo cuerpo. Seguido los tres tienen el mismo rostro distinguiéndose solo por el color de sus vestiduras o los símbolos que cargan.

—Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Gl, OFM, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



Tue. June 14	Open Mass Intention
Wed. June 15	Open Mass Intention
Thurs. June 16	Open Mass Intention
Fri. June 17	Open Mass Intention
Sat. June 18	† Giselle Owens Req. by Ron Owens
Sun. June 19	Father's Day Father's Day

† Denotes an intention for the deceased

### Father's Day Cards

Father's Day Spiritual Bouquets are available in the atrium. The outer envelope is to be returned to the parish office with the name(s) of the man (or men) living or deceased that parishioners would like to be remembered at the Masses on Father's Day. Parishioners keep the inner envelope with card and may give or mail them to the person(s) or relative(s) you ask to be remembered at Mass.

### Sobres del Día del Padre

Los sobres del día del Padre están disponibles en el atrio. El sobre de afuera debe ser regresado a la oficina parroquial con el nombre(s) del hombre (u hombres) vivos o fallecidos que los parroquianos les gustaría que sean recordados en las Misas el día del Padre. Los parroquianos se quedan con el sobre de adentro y la tarjeta es para dársela o enviarla a la persona o familiar que ustedes piden ser recordados en la Misa.

# GRADUATES

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### Congratulations Graduates

Holy Spirit extends its congratulations to the students who have graduated this year (either High School or College). The names below are the students the parish office was aware of as of June 7th:

Christian Chávez Ramírez  
Deisy Rodríguez  
Eduardo González Caballero  
Gabriel Aguilar Perez  
Maribel González García  
Mayra Irineo  
Neli Balderas

## June National Safety Month

National Safety Month is an annual observance in the United States each June. During this month individuals and organizations participate by making efforts to reduce the leading causes of unintentional injury and death at work, on the road, and in homes and communities. Accidental deaths is a leading cause of preventable deaths in the US. We ask our parishioners to be aware of hazardous conditions that they experience each day and to take preventative measures where appropriate. The National Safety Council has materials online to assist in that endeavor. We also ask that you take time this month to keep the safety of yourself and others in your prayers.

### Junio Mes Nacional de la Seguridad

El mes nacional de la seguridad es una celebración anual en los Estados Unidos cada mes de junio. Durante este mes, los individuos y las organizaciones participan haciendo esfuerzos para reducir las causas principales de lesiones no intencionales y muerte en el trabajo, en la carretera y en hogares y comunidades. Las muertes accidentales son una de las principales causas de muertes prevenibles en los EE. UU. Les pedimos a nuestros feligreses que conozcan las condiciones peligrosas que experimentan cada día y que tomen medidas preventivas cuando corresponda. El Concilio Nacional de Seguridad tiene materiales en línea para ayudar en ese esfuerzo. También les pedimos que tomen tiempo este mes para mantener en sus oraciones la seguridad suya y de los demás.

### Pastoral Council News

May 2022 Meeting Minutes transcripts are available for parishioners in the atrium.



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We kindly ask that you pray for the following parishioners and loved ones: Mila Q. Arionday, Jean Barber, Joseph Bennet, Julie Blue, Michael Cannon, Guadalupe Cortez, Frank Danza, Brenda Edwards, Patrick Gallagher, Trey Hamlin, Mary Alice Hargitt, Fabian & Joyce Hayden, Beth Stalnaker Hill, Maria Hill, Johnny Hinson, Baylor Jackson, Richard James, John Jones, Bonnie and Andrew Kasper, Joyce Kellum, Beth Kirby, Sonia Koonce, Maria and Mike Lindner, Charles Thomas McDonald, Susan McDonald, Caroline McMahon, Ivory Meadows, Robert Melton, Fredrick Miller, Krissy Miller, Benita Parker, Ariana N. Parkman, Jackie Pitt, Genie Register, Herb Register, Gina Riggs, Phil Ryals, Andrew Scarano, Jean Stalnaker, Laydon Stanley, Lillian Stogner, John & Julie Stowawy, Karen Stubbs, Trista Tyler, Darlene Vaughn, Henry Ward, and Justin Wharton.



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