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## June 4, 2023—The Most Holy Trinity



### THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. - Jn 3:16

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### This Week at Church of the Good Shepherd

**This Weekend** 10-year Ordination Celebration for Fr. Matthew, Narthex, After Masses



Thank you to all who took part in the Memorial Day Service at Iselin Union Cemetery. More photos can be found on the Cemetery's Facebook Page. The Memorial Day Post is shared on our Parish Facebook Page.

#### Office Hours:

Mon—Thu: 10 AM—4 PM  
Friday: 10 AM—12:30 PM

#### Reconciliation:

Saturday 3:30 PM,  
Monday 5—6 PM during  
Holy Hour, and by appointment.

#### Mass Schedule:

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 PM  
Sunday: 9:30 AM  
Weekdays: See schedule inside

To schedule Baptisms or  
Weddings, please contact  
the Parish Office.

#### Staff & Directory

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## Masses and Candles — Week of 06/04

The Holy Trinity*Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9; Dn 3:52-55; 2 Cor 13:11-13; Jn 3:16-18***Saturday, June 3**

4:30 PM | All the People of Good Shepherd Parish

**Sunday, June 4**

9:30 AM | Chester &amp; Leona Cavalier and Jack &amp; Peggy Phipps by Don &amp; Kathy Cavalier

**Monday, June 5, St. Boniface, Bishop and Martyr***Tb 1:3; 1:1b-8; Ps 112; Mk 12:1-12*

5:00 PM | No Holy Hour, Adoration or Confession

6:00 AM | Mr. &amp; Mrs. Fred Ziegmond, Jr. by Aleta Konkol

**Tuesday, June 6, St. Norbert, Bishop***Tb 2:9-14; Ps 112; M 12:13-17*

8:30 AM | Deceased of Clabaugh Family by Michael &amp; Debbie Sorce

**Wednesday, June 7 Weekday***Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a; Ps 25; Mk 12:18-27*

| NO MASS

**Thursday, June 8, Weekday***Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a; Ps 127; Mk 12:28-34*

8:30 AM | Enrico "Rick" Agosti by Annette Fancella

**Friday, June 9, St. Ephrem, Deacon and Doctor of the Church***Tb 11:5-17; Ps 146; Mk 12:35-37*

8:30 AM | John Somonick by Son, John

**Saturday, June 10, Weekday***Tb 12:1, 5-15m 20; Tb 13:2, 6 efgh, 7-8; Mk 12:38-44*

3:30 PM | Confessions

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ*Dt 8:2-3m, 14b-16a; Ps 147; 1 Cor 10:16-17; Jn 6:51-58*

4:30 PM | John Maudie by Wife, Josephine

**Sunday, June 11**

9:30 AM | All the People of Good Shepherd Parish

## From Fr. Matthew's Desk

**Congratulations to Fr. Andrew Hamilton**—Our Diocese has a new priest this weekend. Fr. Andrew Hamilton was ordained Saturday June 3 at Blessed Sacrament Cathedral. Please keep Fr. Hamilton in prayer as he begins this new phase of his ministry.

If you happen to see him in the next several months while you (or he) might be travelling around the Diocese, please ask him to give you a blessing!

**10 Years a Priest**—As Fr. Hamilton begins his own journey of priesthood, I find myself now a full decade into mine. This is not usually one of the "milestone" anniversaries marked by great celebration, but I am grateful to all of you who have congratulated me on it. The last 10 years have included many events—from the joyous, to the humbling, to the challenging, to the inspiring—but all has been a blessing. Thank you all for having been part of it so far.

**Participation in Recent Events**—I am so glad that we had a number of parishioners taking part in two recent events. The first was the Last Supper experiential event last weekend. Even though it was on short notice, there were quite a few people who stayed behind to look at the paintings and watch the video. Thank you to Anne Kovalcik for facilitating the setup of the display both here and at St. Bernard School.

The second event was the very well-attended Memorial Day service at Iselin Union Cemetery. I saw many parishioners and friends of the parish in attendance, and several also taking part in the service itself. I am grateful that we had such a strong showing at this community event. It also serves as a reminder that the Iselin cemetery is "our" cemetery, with so many of our past parishioners (in all eras) choosing to be buried there.

**Graduation Mass**—Sunday, June 25, 9:30 Mass—if you have a graduating senior and would like to have them be recognized, please contact the Parish Office as soon as possible. We currently have four seniors who will be recognized.

**Public Rosary Rally – Saturday, 17 June 2023, 10:00 a.m.**

Join local-area Catholics in praying a public Rosary on the sidewalk in front of the **Indiana County Courthouse**, 825 Philadelphia Street. In this month of **The Sacred Heart of Jesus**, we will **offer reparation** for offenses against Our Lord and **pray for His Divine Mercy**.

The Rally will occur **rain or shine**, so please dress appropriately. It will last approximately 45 minutes. Call/text Marianne 724-717-3278 with any questions.

*"Behold this Heart which has so loved men that It spared nothing... I receive from the greater part of men nothing but ingratitude, by the contempt, irreverence, sacrileges and coldness with which they treat Me..." ~ Our Lord to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque*

**Matters of Sexual Misconduct Information**

If you have any suspicion about the sexual abuse (or any other type of abuse) of a minor child by anyone — please contact PA ChildLine immediately at 1-800-932-0313. If the alleged abuser is functioning in a parish, school or diocesan position as clergy, religious, paid staff or volunteer you are also requested to contact the Bishop's Delegate for Matters of Sexual Misconduct after you have called the ChildLine number and made the report. The Bishop's Delegate may be reached at 724-837-0901, ext. 1221.



The Sanctuary Candle is lit in memory of  
Steve Mlinarich by Elaine & Frank Maudie

## Events Around the Diocese

**Catholic Charities Youth and Family Resource Fair—**

Catholic Charities will host a “Youth and Family Generous Hearts Resource Fair” **Monday, June 5**, from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. in the Catholic Charities parking lot, 711 E. Pittsburgh St., Greensburg. Families can receive baby supplies, food and clothing. The event will also feature free ultrasounds, dental cleanings for children, a bookmobile and a visit from a therapy dog. Volunteers are needed to help with the fair; for details, call Catholic Charities at 724-837-1840.

**Family Eucharistic Adoration—Friday, June 9** from 6:30 to 7:30 PM at St. James Church, New Alexandria. Praise and Worship music, a Gospel Reading, homily and time for silent prayer before the Blessed Sacrament. Ice cream sundaes will be served in the social hall afterwards. For information call 724.668.2829.

**Flea Market at St. Emma Monastery—**The Benedictine sisters of St. Emma Monastery, Greensburg, will hold their annual flea market **June 15-17**. Hours are 2-7 p.m. Thursday (early bird, \$5), 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Friday and 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday (everything 50% off). Food will be available for dine-in or takeout and the gift and bookstore will be open. Visitors can walk the grounds and visit the shrines. Volunteers are needed to help set up beginning June 1, and for take-down June 21. For information, call 724-834-3060 or visit [stemma.org](http://stemma.org).

**Young Adult “Faith Around the Campfire”—Friday, June 23** at 6:00 PM at the Constitution Pavilion at Crooked Creek (near Ford City). Calling all 21-45 year olds—all are welcome; married, with or without children, or single. Kids welcome. There is a playground near the Pavilion. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share. Hotdogs, S’mores & drinks provided. Rain or shine as there is a pavilion. RSVP to Katie at 724.212.6740.

**St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store, 4<sup>th</sup> St., Indiana**

The St. Vincent de Paul “Not Your Ordinary Fashion Show” luncheon, basket raffle, merchandise sale and more is back! Mark your calendars for June 10, 2023, at St. Bernard

Regional Catholic School from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Tickets are \$20 and can be purchased at the Thrift Store during regular business hours.

Please continue to watch for further information in the bulletin and on Facebook (@SVDPIndianaPa).

To request assistance from SVdP, please call the SVdP hotline at 724-471-2210

## Parish Stewardship—Weekend of 5/28/2023

Weekly:	\$ 2,505.00
Monthly	\$ 205.00
Loose:	\$ 51.00
Children:	\$ 2.00
Votive Candles:	\$ 27.00
For Improvements to Parish:	\$ 10.00
Ascension	\$ 45.00
Father's Day Memorials	\$ 370.00
Online Giving	\$ 110.00
<b>Total Income:</b>	<b>\$ 3,325.00</b>
Needed Weekly to Meet Budget:	\$ 4,242.83
Variance Over or (Under):	(\$ 917.83)
<b>Fiscal Year-to-Date:</b>	
Collected:	\$ 155,540.60
Needed to Meet Budget:	\$ 195,170.18
Variance Over or (Under):	( \$ 39,629.58)
<b>Diocesan/Other Collections:</b>	
Communication Media Campaign	\$ 50.00

**Diocesan Lenten Appeal**

*As of May 27, 2023*

Total pledges/gifts received:	\$ 35,230.00
Percent of Diocesan Goal (\$22,433.00):	152.5 %
Percent of Parish Goal (\$41,000.00):	85.9 %
Participating Households - <b>104</b> (290):	35.9 %
Average 2023 Parish Gift:	\$ 338.84
Average 2022 Parish Gift:	\$ 346.55

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**May 2023**



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*with Catechist and National Formation Leader, Mary Beth Palko*

A FREE copy of "The Good Shepherd and the Child: A Joyful Journey" will be provided to every participant.

**Light Refreshments will be provided at each gathering.**

**Plan to join us for any  
or all of these dates:**

- **Monday, June 12, 2023  
from 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM**
- **each Monday beginning  
June 19 through July 24, 2023  
from 6:30 PM to 8:00 PM.**

**Please RSVP to our Parish Office  
at 814.446.5759 by Friday, June 9.**

#### **Who might benefit from participating in this Book Study?**

- **Parents and Grandparents and any adult,**
- **Anyone participating in the November 2023 pilgrimage to  
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- **Anyone wishing to deepen their relationship with  
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