

# Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church

Founded in 1826

524 Mifflin Street, Huntingdon, PA 16652  
(on 6th Street between Washington and Mifflin Streets)

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FEBRUARY 11, 2018

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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**Welcome Visitors, Guests & New Parishioners!**

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## **PARISH STAFF**

Rev. Mark Reid  
*Administrator*  
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*Finance Council Chairperson*  
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## **WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE**

**Saturday:** 5:00 p.m.

**Sunday:** 8:00 a.m. and 10:15 a.m.  
6:00 p.m. at Juniata College  
(During the academic year)

**Family Mass:** Third Weekend of every month

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturday 4:00 p.m.  
(or upon request)

### **Faith Formation**

**Grades 1-11:** 9:00 a.m.  
*Every Sunday September through  
April*

**Kindergarten:** 9:00 a.m.  
*Every Sunday October through April*

### **Christian Initiation**

*Interested in becoming a Catholic? Contact the church  
office at 643-0160.*

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**Church Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 9:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.**

**Closed on Holy Days and Holidays**

**Office Phone and Fax: (814) 643-0160**

**St. Vincent de Paul Society (814) 643-2222**

**Email: [mhtcc@comcast.net](mailto:mhtcc@comcast.net)**

**Website: [www.mhtcc.org](http://www.mhtcc.org)**

**Schedule of Events**

**Monday, February 12, 2018**

3:30 p.m.—St. Vincent de Paul Mtg—EC  
No Queen of Peace

**Wednesday, February 14, 2018**

Ash Wednesday  
9:00 a.m.—Mass with distribution of ashes  
7:00 p.m.—Mass with distribution of ashes

**Thursday, February 15, 2018**

10:30 a.m.—Fish Dinner prep—TH

**Friday, February 16, 2018**

8:30 a.m.—Fish Dinner Prep—TH  
4:00 p.m.—Fish Dinner—TH  
4:00 p.m.—Stations of the Cross  
6:00 p.m.—Jr. Youth Group Activity—EC  
7:00 p.m.—Stations of the Cross

**Sunday, February 18, 2018**

No Faith Formation Classes Gr K—11  
2:00 p.m.—Bingo—TH  
6:00 p.m.—Youth Room Open  
6:00 p.m.—Mass at Juniata College

**Office News**

Fr. Mark is out of town and will return Saturday, February 17.  
Fr. Clem Gardner will be celebrating Mass on the weekend of February 10/11 as well as **Ash Wednesday Masses on February 14 at 9 a.m. and 7 p.m.** Daily Masses are cancelled during Fr. Mark's vacation. Watch the bulletin for the scheduling of Communion Services during this time.

**Thank You**

Thank You to everyone for your Mass cards for our sister, Susan Peters, who died recently. You are all so thoughtful.  
Ann and Jo Lover

**Catholic Ministries Drive Final Report**

Thank you to all our parishioners who contributed to the Diocesan Catholic Ministries Drive in 2017. Your generosity put us over goal and \$1,300.00 was returned to our parish!

**Lenten Fish Dinners**

Lenten Fish Dinners begin on Friday, February 16. Take out orders are available at 3 p.m. and sit-down meals from 4:00 p.m. until close at 6:30 p.m. **New this year**—Cheese Pizza Slice dinner with choice of applesauce or coleslaw, dessert and drink for \$4.00. The Church's Lenten Fish Dinner Committee invites everyone in the community to share in this Lenten tradition available every Friday through Lent.

**Fish Dinner Help Needed**

Lenten Fish Dinners will begin on Friday, February 16. Help is needed in many areas. Sign up sheets are located on the table in the Gathering Space. There are opportunities for everyone to help! Dinner Coordinator is Jill Smeltzer 644-7465.

**MAYFEST**

We hope you are cleaning out your closets/basements for our Mayfest indoor yard sale!  
If you have "larger" items for the sale, call us. We will start collecting clean gently used household items for the sale in late April. Future bulletins will have time and dates for dropping off your items. Thank you for your continued support of St. Vincent de Paul and the Helping Haiti Ministry. Questions? Contact Susan Rumpf 386-2064 or Helen Wright 643-5311.

**Anniversary Couples**

Best wishes to our February anniversary couples!  
John and Rachel Boyd  
Deacon Don and Cindy Gibboney

**Gifts from the Holy Land**

Representatives from Catholic Bethlehem Christian Families will be with us on the weekend of Feb 17 & 18, 2018, selling hand carved olive wood artifacts. All the proceeds from sales will be sent back to the families in the Holy Land so that they may be able to keep their homes and provide for their families. Please browse their items in the Gathering Space next weekend.

**FAITH FORMATION NEWS**

**Weather Cancellations**—Information on any class or activity cancellations can be found on WTAJ-TV 10, Hunny 103.5 Radio, or check the Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church Faith Formation Facebook page.

The youth group room will be open this Sunday evening, February 11 from 6:00 to 8:30 p.m.  
Along with playing board games, you will learn about a Lenten project that we will be doing. On the following week, February 18, we will be working on this project from 3:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in the Gathering Space. To give each of us an appreciation of the struggles of our brothers and sisters at our twin parish in Haiti, we will build a Haitian hut. We will have pizza for dinner that evening.

**Fish Dinner Worker Sign Up Sheets are located in the Gathering Space.** Dinners are held every Friday during Lent, beginning on February 16 and ending March 23. Youth workers may use this time to earn service hours!

**Retreats Information—March 4:** Grade 10 and 11 students from 12:15 p.m. to 3:15 p.m.

**DIOCESAN NEWS AND INFORMATION**

**Families and the Gospel Mark 1:40-45**

Family life is about decisions. The leper in today's gospel knew this when he said to Jesus, "If you will, you can make me clean." Jesus knew this when he said, "I do will it." Love is not an emotion. It is a decision to be with and for another person in "good times and bad", even when we don't feel like it.

**You're Invited to Sign Day!**

Sunday, April 8 at the JFK Student Center  
10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

St. Francis University, Loretto

Students in Grades 1 through 12 are invited to experience a fun introduction to American Sign Language. Cost is only \$11 per participant. Bring a brown bag lunch labeled with your name. Free t-shirt! Register on-line at francis.edu.

**One Day Pilgrimage to the National Center for Saint Padre Pio**

On Wednesday, May 16, 2018, join Fr. David Peles and Deacon Michael Russo on a one-day pilgrimage to the National Center for Saint Padre Pio in Barto, PA. The National Center has been recognized by the Holy See for its spiritual work. Round bus transportation will be provided. The cost is \$55 per person, plus the cost of lunch. Contact Deacon Michael for more information at 288-3036 or michaelrusso@atlanticbb.net.

**COMMUNITY NEWS AND INFORMATION**



The food items for the Huntingdon Area Food Bank for February will be: **Saltines and kidney beans**  
January totals: Cans = 72 Miscellaneous = 92  
Soap and Toilet Paper are always needed

**Huntingdon Community Center Family Fun Night**

**When:** Saturday, February 17th from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m.

**Where:** 310 5th Street, Huntingdon

**Admission:** Free! Includes a free hot dog. Drinks and other concessions will be available to purchase.

Skating, a Karate demonstration, Ukulele Workshop and other fun activities and door prizes. Must register for the Ukulele Workshop. Call 814-643-4241 or e-mail the HCC at [huntingdoncommunitycenter@gmail.com](mailto:huntingdoncommunitycenter@gmail.com) to register for the Workshop or if you have any questions.

**FINANCIAL NEWS AND INFORMATION**

**Weekly Financial Report**

February 4, 2018

Sunday Envelopes	\$ 3,489.00
Loose Cash & Checks	\$ 535.85
Children's Envelopes	\$ 1.65
Total Sunday Collection	\$ 4,026.50
Collection during Week	\$ 1,635.00
Total Collection	\$ 5,661.50
Budget Amount	\$ 5,660.00
Difference	\$ 1.50

Number of Families Using Envelopes	118
Percent of Families Using Envelopes	25%

**Gift Card Sales**

Week of February 4, 2018

Weekly Sales \$2,340.00 Profit \$109.12

**Special Collections**

Week of February 4, 2018

Catholic Register	\$372.00
First Offering	\$11.00
Haiti Fund	\$40.00
Solemnity of Mary	\$1.00
Victims of Natural Disaster	\$50.00



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## **Liturgical Ministers Volunteers**

### **5:00 p.m. Sat., Feb. 17**

Certs: B Chaundy  
EMHC: K Hallahan, J Los, Help  
Gifts: Linn Family  
Greeters: A Phillips, M Sulesky  
Readers: E Miller, R Sulesky, Fr. Mark  
Ushers: F Chalan, R Evans, Help  
Servers: Help

### **8:00 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 18**

Certs: P Lombard  
EMHC: Deacon, D Gutshall, S Rumpf  
Gifts: M & R Long  
Greeters: K Kozak, T Zumpetta  
Readers: J Mills, B Rossiter, Deacon  
Ushers: T Zumpetta, Help  
Servers: M Gutshall, A & R Sullivan

### **10:15 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 18**

Certs: A & J Cook  
EMHC: Deacon, R Martinez, B Morder  
Gifts: Buonaccorsi Family  
Greeters: J & K Harford  
Readers: E Mazurowski, J Zaleski, Deacon  
Ushers: P Sharum, Help  
Servers: J Basom, V Scaccia  
Counters: B Linn, J Shaffer

## ***READINGS FOR THE WEEK***

Monday: Jas 1:1-11; Ps 119:67-68, 71-72, 75-76;

Mk 8:11-13

Tuesday: Jas 1:12-18; Ps 94:12-15, 18-19;

Mk 8:14-21

Wednesday: Jl 2:12-18; Ps 51:3-6a, 12-14, 17;

2 Cor 5:20-6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: Dt 30:15-20; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 9:22-25

Friday: Is 58:1-9a; Ps 51:3-6a, 18-19; Mt 9:14-15

Saturday: Is 58:9b-14; Ps 86:1-6; Lk 5:27-32

Sunday: Gn 9:8-15; Ps 25:4-9; 1 Pt 3:18-22;

Mk 1:12-15

## LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

**Feb. 12— Monday, Weekday in Ordinary Time**  
No Mass or Communion Service

**Feb. 13— Tuesday, Weekday in Ordinary Time**  
8:00 a.m. Communion Service

**Feb. 14— Ash Wednesday**  
9:00 a.m. Andrew Hochberg+  
Mass Requested by Clarkson Family  
7:00 p.m. Deceased of the Thomas Family  
Mass Requested by the family

**Feb. 15— Thursday after Ash Wednesday**  
8:00 a.m. Communion Service

**Feb. 16— Friday after Ash Wednesday**  
No Mass or Communion Service

**Feb. 17 — Saturday, The Seven Holy Founders  
of the Servite Order**  
4:00 p.m. Reconciliation

**First Sunday of Lent**  
5:00 p.m. Margaretta Taylor+  
Mass Requested by the Estate

**Feb. 18— First Sunday of Lent**  
8:00 a.m. Andrew Hochberg+  
Mass Requested by Roger Luo  
10:15 a.m. People of the Parish  
Mass  
6:00 p.m. Ralph Laughlin+  
Mass Requested by the Estate  
at Juniata College

Please keep these people in your prayers.

Our beloved sick and those in need:

Jessica Wallace	Anthony Ciccarelli, Jr.
Dr. Antonio Colmenar	Glenn Higgins
Maryalice Jones May	Josie Shope
Don Young	

Our beloved deceased:

Nancy Wallace+	Lee Fisher+
Phyllis Eckenrode+	Michael Logan Martinez+

Our beloved men and women in the Armed Forces:

Fr. Leo Arnone	1st LT Matthew Bennett
Titus Brown	TSGT Joe Coffman
SGT Joshua Franklin	PFC Benjamin Gaudlip
1st LT Logan Gaudlip	PFC Robert Goss
Fr. Frantisek Halka	SGT Jimmy Harker
Ken Sterner	David Stiehler
Madeline Suba	PFC Robert Turnbaugh
1st LT Michael Tkach	Fr. Charles Ugo
LTJG Derek J. Watson	