

BLESSED TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH

OFFERTORY INFORMATION:

27-28 September

5pm: \$352 9:30am: \$1,263

7pm: \$318 12pm: \$902.23

Total: \$2,835.23

Weekly Annual Budget: \$3850

Difference: -\$1,014.77

Upcoming 2nd Collection:

Oct. 19th: World Mission Sunday

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MASS INTENTIONS: If you would like to have a Mass offered for a specific intention, please contact the Parish Office prior to the preferred date. A list of Mass intention openings through October can be found on the bulletin board.

CLASSES FOR CATECHESIS have begun. For any questions regarding Religious Education please contact the office.

LOW-GLUTEN HOSTS are available upon request for those with Celiac Sprue disease. Please notify the sacristan or usher before Mass.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS: Please submit items for bulletin announcements through email by Monday 10am for the upcoming weekend. Thank you for your collaboration.

LIFE CHAIN - 40 DAYS FOR LIFE: Parishioners from Blessed Trinity are invited to participate in the LIFE CHAIN this coming Sunday, October 5th, from 2:30pm-3:30pm in front of Fuddruckers (1147 Woodruff Rd, Greenville, SC 29607). The 40 days for life extends through November 2nd. For more info. on the 40 Days, please call Jo Ann 864.248.0264 or Ingrid 864.329.0044 for more info.

"IF WE UNDERSTAND THE HUMAN PERSON as the "temple of the Holy Spirit" -- the living house of God -- then these latter issues fall logically into place as the crossbeams and walls of that house. *All direct attacks on innocent human life, such as abortion and euthanasia, strike at the house's foundation.* These directly and immediately violate the human person's most fundamental right -- the right to life. Neglect of these issues is the equivalent of building our house on sand." *Living the Gospel of Life: A Challenge to American Catholics, no. 22 (USCCB)*

THE CATHOLIC MISCELLANY, the official newspaper for the Diocese of Charleston, is available to registered parishioners who contribute at least \$150 per year to the parish. If you are a registered parishioner and are not receiving a copy but would like to receive one through postal mail, please contact the Parish Office. Copies of articles are also available online at: <http://www.themiscellany.org/>

PLEASE NOTE: "The Knights of Columbus", the "Ladies Auxiliary", & "Grupo Emaús" are not affiliated with, and do not act on behalf of, Blessed Trinity Parish nor the Diocese of Charleston.

Dear Parishioners,

Blessed Trinity is now the third parish in South Carolina with "ConnectNow". With this service, parishioners can review and modify basic family information. You can also review the records of your donations to the parish. One parishioner has already tested the system, and entered more accurate information about himself and his wife. Parents – if you have access to the internet, please use it to provide us with accurate information about your family in residence. If you do not use the internet, please work with a trusted family member who does.

Why do we want accurate records? At some times of life, we need to reach our priests and need our priests to be able to reach us. Perhaps it is just to arrange for a home blessing. Perhaps a family member is sick – accurate records help us reach people quickly.

To start using "ConnectNow", enter the website: <http://connectnow.parishsoft.com/Charlestonmoc> to see:

ConnectNow
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Connecting People and the Church

Welcome! Sign In Below

Username*

Password*

[New User?](#) [Lost password?](#)

For security purposes - we only support the following browsers:
IE 8.0+, FireFox 3.0+, Safari 3.0+ and Chrome 2.0+.

If you do not have any of these installed on your system you must install or upgrade to one of them before you can login.

Use of this software, website, and services is subject to the [Terms of Use](#)

The first time you enter the site, click "New User?" and you will be asked to enter some basic information about yourself, a username, and an email address. Jeff or I will need to approve your request and then an email will be sent to the email address you provide with a temporary password. You may want to bookmark the ConnectNow site so that it is easier to access. The next time you access the site, you will be able to enter your username and the temporary password from the email. You will enter a new password, and then you will be able to confirm or correct information about family members and view donation information. You can even add a photograph of your family and members to help me recognize you!

The third day in my first parish, I performed the funeral rites for a child. Our parish records told me that she was the youngest of four children, but not that an older brother had already died. Accurate parish records will help us serve more peacefully, and your use of ConnectNow is the best way to help.

Another feature of ConnectNow is that it will help us coordinate activities in the parish – religious ed classes, servers at mass, pastoral council, finance council....

Thank you for supporting the work of our parish, and for helping the parish work more efficiently.

Fr. Jim Dubrouillet