

BLESSED TRINITY PARISH CONTACTS:

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MASS INTENTIONS: 1ST SEPT—9TH SEPT

1 st Sept	5pm	Kateri Priland
	7pm	BT Intention
2 nd Sept	9:30am	For the protection & strengthening of the Church & the sanctification of her priests
	12pm	Pro Populo
3 rd Sept	9am	* No Mass *
4 th Sept	9am	BT Intention
5 th Sept	9am	BT Intention
6 th Sept	11:30am	BT Intention
7 th Sept	9am	BT Intention
8 th Sept	5pm	Edna DeMary †
	7pm	BT Intention
9 th Sept	9:30am	Raphael Reinhold †
	12pm	Pro Populo

WEEKLY OFFERTORY

25th-26th August: \$5,057.25

Capital Improvements: \$798

UPCOMING SPECIAL COLLECTIONS:

September 9th: Catholic University of America

KNIGHTS CORNER

<http://koc12274.com/> www.kofc.org

Meetings on the 2nd Tuesday of each month.

in helping those in need, serving our parish, growing in faith or obtaining exclusive access to top rated insurance protection for your family? Knights of Columbus is the for you. **BT Council 12274 is looking for new members.** Please consider joining our Council. Please contact Grand Knight Chris Firth (786.286.7467) or any knight wearing a name tag.



RCIA CLASSES: If you have signed up for the RCIA classes, they will begin on **Tuesday, September 4th, from 6pm-8pm.** They will be held in the St. John Paul II classroom next to the Confessional. Questions & further inquiries can be addressed to Deacon Gary (525.8903).

SC CATHOLICS IN ACTION: Saturday, October 13th, 10am-6pm, at Cardinal Newman School (2945 Alpine Rd., Columbia, SC). Cost: \$25. **Register by Sept. 30th** at www.charlestdiocese.org For additional info, contact cathy@charlestdiocese.org or 843.261.0504. Keynote speakers: Bishop Nelson Pérez (Diocese of Cleveland) & Gloria Purvis (EWTN). Be inspired, transformed & nourished to carry out the call to share the joy of the Gospel with others.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR HOMEBOUND & SICK: Irene Ainsworth, Phil Bianchini, Clair Paul Altenhöfen, Harry DeMary, Joseph Treacy, Leroy & Gail Drummond, Joan Crouch, Mary King, Frank Miller, Anastacio Rosas, Yolanda Vigo, Bill Russell, Ted Aquilino, Mauro Vega, Ron Solomon, Silvia Diab

SOUTH CAROLINA COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN (SCCCW): A few parishioners who are current members of SCCCW are exploring the possibility of starting an Affiliate at Blessed Trinity parish. SCCCW is a Catholic women's organization supported by Bishop Robert E. Gugliemone. Its three pillars are Spirituality, Leadership & Service. Its goal is to enhance the current groups in the Parish. We need you & your ideas. To find out more: www.scccw.org Contacts: Charlotte Kowalski (895.1484) or Karen Priland (895.3890) for questions.

REGISTRATIONS FOR THE 2018-19

CATECHETICAL JOURNEY are open. You may register your son or daughter Monday-Friday, 9am-1:30pm and also Mondays: 4pm-6pm or Thursdays: 4:30pm-6:30pm. Cost \$45/first child, \$25/each additional child. Please present a copy of the Baptismal Certificate *only* if your child was not baptized in this parish. **Please do not postpone registration until the last minute.** ***CLASSES BEGIN SEPTEMBER 17TH & 19TH.****

22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS:

Is 35:4-7a; Ps 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10

JAS 2:1-5; MK 7:31-37

A GREAT NATION .-

Abraham and Sarah were elderly and no children, they were visited by three pilgrims and foretold them that the divine blessing would come and they would be parents...(Mamre....Genesis 13), Isaac was born and when it happened Abraham remembered when God spoke to him and made the covenant with him: " look up at the sky and count the stars, if you can. Just so, shall your descendants be " (Genesis 15), is talking about a great nation, all coming from Abraham and his descendants. From Isaac and Rebekah was born Jacob and from him were born 12 sons, the twelve tribes of Israel, the great seed of a great nation, Israel.

Today we recognize in that " great nation ", the Catholic Church, fruit of the Twelve Apostles, the apostles of the Lamb.

When we are in the Holy Mass and we have a small or big crowd of faithful, if we put together those with those gathered around the altar in the whole world are multitudes as the stars of the sky that Abraham saw.

Mary, Mother of the Church.

Blessings from Fr. Jaime



PRIEST EMAIL CONTACT: If you need to contact Fr. Jaime González during his vacation, please use the following email: pucon225@yahoo.com

*** SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES ***

If you are in need of a priest for a **true sacramental emergency** this week please contact Rev. Bart Leon (Sept. 3rd-5th *only*: 864.607.3400). If you are unable to reach him, please contact Blessed Trinity Office (879.4225) or Prince of Peace Parish (866.456.2956). Thank you.

UPDATING ABOUT Mr. Clair Paul Altenhöffen. The days at the end of August and early days of September he will be at: *Richard M. Campbell Veterans Nursing Home* (4605 Belton Highway, Anderson, SC 29621) Jesus said: " *I was sick and you visited me*" (*Matthew 25*)

ON SATURDAY, AUG. 25TH, Carmen Paniagua was born with serious heart problems but she is together with her parents Homero & Alejandra at their home in Union, SC. Pray for Carmen.

HOTEL SAMPLES: Ladies Auxiliary collecting complimentary toiletries from hotels to donate to Safe Harbor, a shelter for abused women, Springbrook & Greer Ministries. Please drop off your items in the marked container in the Blessed Trinity kitchen. Thank you.

PLEASE NOTE that the Parish Office will be closed on Monday, September 3rd, in observance of Labor Day. Thank you.

CATHOLIC RADIO in South Carolina's Radiothon broadcast will air on **Thursday & Friday, September 27th & 28th.** The theme is "*Our Lady of Good Help*," in honor of the Shrine in Champion, Wisconsin (*near Greenbay*) dedicated to the first & only Marian Apparitions in the United States approved by the Catholic Church. *Catholic Radio in South Carolina* will present her story & subsequent establishment of the Shrine. Please listen to this special broadcast on WCKI 1300AM Greer, WLQ730 AM Charleston, through the TuneIn App (search for wcki), by dialing (712) 832.2674 on any phone, or on our website:

www.CatholicRadioInSC.com

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