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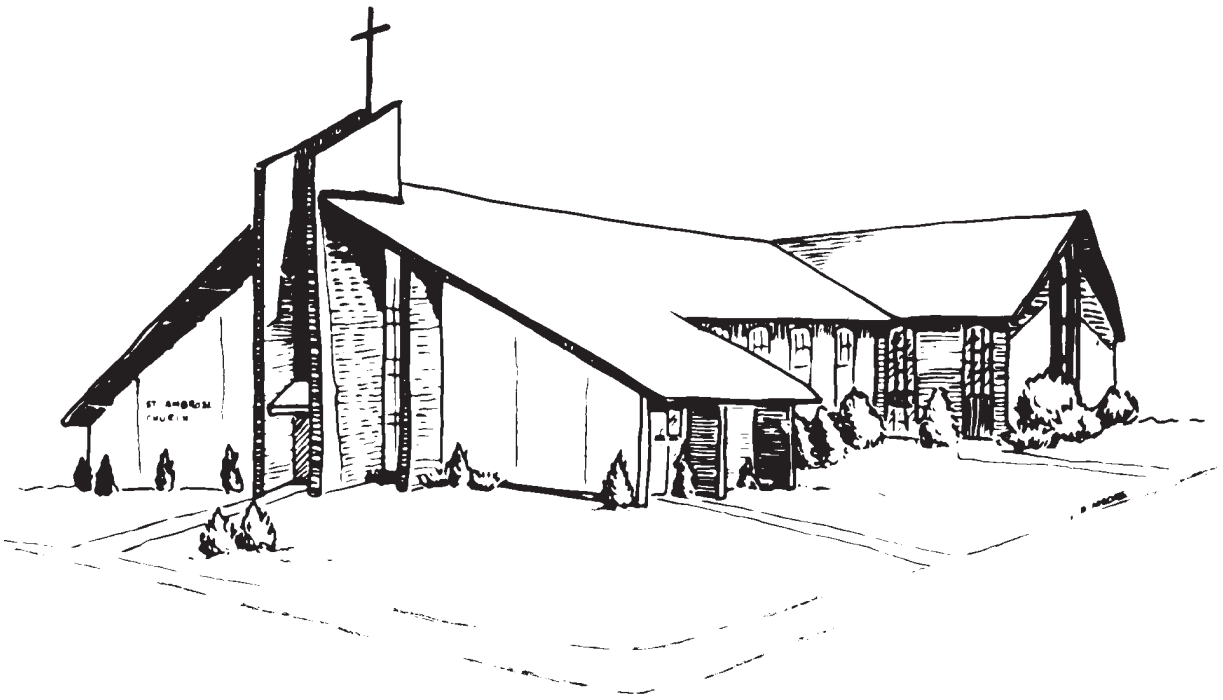

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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

- Tuesday to Friday from 6:00 p.m. to 6:45 p.m.
- Saturday from 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.
- Sunday from 8:00 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. and 10:15 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Thursday 9am to 4pm
Friday 9am to 2pm

BAPTISM

Please contact the parish office for information on booking a Baptism date and the dates of upcoming Baptism preparation meetings.

MARRIAGE

Adequate preparation including Marriage Preparation Course is required.
Contact the parish office at least 12 months in advance.

COMMUNION TO THE SICK

Please inform us of hospitalization or confinement to home due to illness.

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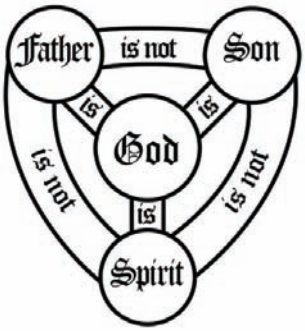
TRINITY SUNDAY



After the celebration of Pentecost, the Roman Rite of the Catholic Church continues to meditate on the great mystery of God through the feast of Holy Trinity Sunday. The Sunday following Pentecost has been dedicated to the Holy Trinity for many centuries, but was not always celebrated by everyone in the Church.

A heresy known as the *Arian heresy* began to spread in the 4th century, disputing the traditional Christian belief of one God in three Divine Persons. The bishops of the Church decided to compose a Mass in honour of the Trinity to reaffirm the belief, but it was not given a specific date in the calendar.

By the 8th and 9th century, however, the Church found a perfect time to do so. The St. Andrew Daily Missal explains how Sunday was the most fitting day:

> *Sunday is consecrated throughout the year to the Holy Trinity because God the Father began the work of creation on the "first day," the Son, made man, rose from the dead on a Sunday morning, and the Holy Spirit came down on the Apostles on Pentecost Sunday.*

Celebrating Trinity Sunday after Pentecost also allows the Church to further reflect on the mystery of God after receiving the gift of the Holy Spirit. This helps us see the connection that if we truly want to understand the Trinity, we need to have the gift of the Holy Spirit. We can never fully understand who God is on our own and desperately need his guidance and inspiration.

The dogma of faith which forms the object of the feast is this: There is one God and in this one God there are three Divine Persons; the Father is God, the Son is God, the Holy Spirit is God. Yet there are not three Gods, but one, eternal, incomprehensible God! The Father is not more God than the Son, neither is the Son more God than the Holy Spirit. The Father is the first Divine Person; the Son is the second Divine Person, begotten from the nature of the Father from eternity; the Holy Spirit is the third Divine Person, proceeding from the Father and the Son. No mortal can fully fathom this sublime truth.

The Trinity is one of the most fundamental beliefs of the Catholic Church and so it is fitting that we dedicate a particular Sunday to that mystery.

"In the name of the Father,
and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit"

Tuesday, June 14
7:00 pm + MARIA & FRANK PEREIRA – Manuel & Elsa
CONFESSIONS at 6:00 pm to 6:45 pm
*** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 6pm to 7pm**

Wednesday, June 15
7:00 pm + BRIAN CORREIA – Correia family
- Intentions of the Amaral Family
+ JOAO LARANJEIRO - Fatima and Tony
+ TADEUSZ NAWROT – his family
+ SOULS IN PURGATORY – Filomena Teixeira
+ LOUIS ARCHAMBAULT - Yolanta

CONFESSIONS at 6:00 pm to 6:45 pm
*** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 6pm to 7pm**

Thursday, June 16
7:00 pm + DECEASED FAMILY OF Teresinha & Manuel Andrade
CONFESSIONS at 6:00 pm to 6:45 pm
*** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 6pm to 7pm**

Friday, June 17
7:00 pm + SOULS IN PURGATORY
CONFESSIONS at 6:00 pm to 6:45 pm
*** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 6pm to 7pm**
Prayers for the Souls in Purgatory at 6:30 pm

Saturday, June 18
CONFESSIONS at 4:00 pm to 4:45 pm
5:00 pm – Intentions of Gemma Jeffrey and family
+ DIMAS DIAS – Suzy
+ MANUEL BRAGA MELO – his family
+ MANUEL PAIVA – his parents
+ MARIA MARGARIDA CHAVES – Joe Chaves and family
+ JOSE MONTEIRO & JOSE PUIM MONTEIRO - Fatima

Sunday, June 19 – Feast of Corpus Christi
9:00 am – intentions of all parishioners
11:00 am + ANTONIO MEDEIROS and
in honour of Corpus Christi – Maria Medeiros
CONFESSIONS: 8:00 to 8:45 am and 10:15 am to 10:45 am

"Domestic Church" Family Retreat

June 24 - 26, 2022. Friday evening to Sunday evening.
This retreat will be held at St. John Paul II Retreat Centre, Port Burwell, Ontario
Topic: Engaged and sacramentally married couples seeking to grow in holiness together and want to learn more about the Domestic Church.
Highlights: Sports and activities for children and youth. Food and lodging included. Time with your spouse to encounter God. Time for prayer and adoration. Fun for the whole family. Cost: $400 per family.
Contact: Marta & Jacek, 519 896 8979,
email domestic.church.ontario@gmail.com

Marvelous Mystery:
The Mass Comes Alive CAT CHAT Summer Program
Hosted by the Sisters of Our Lady Immaculate

Will be held July 11 -15, 2022 at St. Ambrose Parish in Cambridge Ontario for children ages 6-11. Join us as we discover the beauty of the Holy Mass with faith, fellowship and fun! The cost is $120/ child. To register, please contact Sr. Maria Immaculata by email: retreats@solisisters.ca
Registration ends June 15th 2022. Only 35 spots available, so register soon!

We are also looking for **volunteers high-school** aged or older to be group leaders and helpers! If anyone is interested in volunteering, please contact Sr. Maria Immaculata by email: retreats@solisisters.ca

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Camp Brebeuf in Rockwood Ontario

Website campbrebeuf.ca

C.Y.O. Camp Brébeuf offers a variety of activities and facilities to provide children with a memorable camp experience.

Day Camp: For campers aged 4-13 . Campers are placed into age-based groups that they will rotate with to activities during the week. We specifically design all group activity rotations to be age-appropriate for the various sections with 9 different program areas that campers will get to experience.

Overnight Camp: For campers aged 7 to 14. Campers are placed into age-based cabin groups that become their home for the duration of their stay at camp. During the day for programming a cabin may be paired with a second cabin to create a 'cabin group' of campers for activities.

Prayers for the Sick – Every Wednesday at 1:30 pm in the Church. Please use the church side door on South Street.

We are blessed to announce that newly ordained <u>Deacon Paul Klaassen</u> has been appointed as a Deacon to St. Ambrose Parish!
Please join us after Mass today (Sun June 12th) in the Church Hall to congratulate Deacon Paul.

Are you a tech/computer person? We are recruiting a few technologically-able volunteers to help with the new AV equipment that has been installed so that our Masses and celebrations can be streamed. (High school students welcome to earn volunteer hours). This will be our parish "production volunteers". The equipment is user friendly, but volunteers should have good knowledge of computers.

Precious and Priceless Retreat
Hosted by the Sisters of Our Lady Immaculate

Will be held July 7th-10th at St. Ambrose Parish in Cambridge Ontario for women ages 15-18. Join us as we dive into the beautiful gift of our femininity according to St. John Paul II's *Letter to Women.* There will be guest speakers, fellowship and time for prayer. The cost is $200 for each retreatant which includes meals and recreational activities. To register, please contact Sr. Maria Immaculata by email: retreats@solisisters.ca Registration ends June 15th, 2022.

Pope's Prayer Intention for June:

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

Watch the video: **thepopevideo.org/**

Family Love: A Vocation and a Path to Holiness

The final presentation for the Year of Family Speaker series is happening on-line on Wednesday, June 15th from 7-8:30 p.m. The title of the talk is, **Family Love: A Vocation and a Path to Holiness** and it is being Our speaker will be the Most Reverend Daniel J. Miehm, Bishop of the Diocese of Peterborough.
Free to watch but please register at this website
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