

Trinity Sunday



Monday

June 12

2 Cor 1:1-7

Mt 5:1-12

Tuesday

June 13

Saint Anthony of Padua,

Doctor of the Church

2 Cor 1:18-22

Mt 5:13-16

Wednesday

June 14

2 Cor 3:4-11

Mt 5:17-19

Thursday

June 15

2 Cor 3:15—4:1, 3-6

Mt 5:20-26

Friday

June 16

2 Cor 4:7-15

Mt 5:27-32

Saturday

June 17

2 Cor 5:14-21

Mt 5:33-37

Sunday

June 17

THE MOST HOLY BODY
AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

(Corpus Christi)

Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a

1 Cor 10:16-17

Jn 6:51-58

When I was a young girl, I used to imagine I was adopted. This had nothing to do with loving my parents and family, which I did. I think it was one of the many steps in dealing with the life questions, “Who am I” and “Who do I belong to?”

Later in my life, I met people who were actually adopted, and one said the experience of being adopted gave him a much clearer sense of belonging than I knew. “Someone chose me,” he said. “A family wanted me to belong to them and they wanted to belong to me.”

Whenever I read today’s section of Paul’s Letter to the Romans, I remember my friend and my own wondering. The questions of who we are and whose we are don’t go away as we get into adulthood. New schools, new jobs, and new family situations bring those questions into our minds, sometimes with a force that surprises us.

There are times we feel as if we have lost ourselves and lost our way. On other occasions, we might feel alone. When those moments come, all we can do is trust that someone does love us and calls us to be our best selves.

In his letter, Paul reminds us who we are—the adopted children of God—and in the process he also reminds us whose we are. We belong to God, and we are grounded in this reality by our baptism in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

God, in his being, is a love relationship. Is it any wonder that our belonging grounds us in the dark times and gives us joy in the others. Is there anything else we need to know?



Today's Readings

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The Most Holy Trinity



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EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
Every Friday Adoration from 8:30 a.m.
to 9:30 a.m
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Both Before Mass and by Appointment.

Mass Schedule for this Week
Our Lady of Chartres Mass Schedule
Sun 7:30 am Our Parish Family
St. Ann Mass Schedule & Intentions
Sat 5 pm Our Parish Family
9:00am Our Parish Family

Mon 8:00am Spec Int (Booz)
Tues 8:00 am +Maria
Wed 6:00 pm Benefactors
Thu 8:00 am +Fr Pete
Fri 8:00 am +Maria

From Father Khoa's Desk...

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

" 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."

We are used to this profound idea, so used to it that we often glaze over the incredible reality: God the Father has a Son who became man and dwelt among us! Too often we blithely make the sign of the cross in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, without realizing what a radical theology we are announcing .

Only Christianity proclaims a triune God. Only Christianity professes that we have one God in three divine persons. Only Christianity declares that the very nature of God is to be relational and literally "personal." Why does this matter? Because we are made in God's image, as the opening chapters of Genesis tell us. We, therefore, are made in the image of this Trinitarian God who is love. We are built to be like this God! Just as God the Father loves God the Son and God the Holy Spirit, we too are called to love one another. In fact, we are not fulfilling our nature and design when we don't. And just as God loved the world (that is, us!) so too we are called to love him in return.

We don't have to embrace this image in which we were made, of course. God gave us freedom so that our love can be real, but this means our choices really matter. We can decide not to reflect God's interpersonal love in the world. We can opt not to return the love that God pours out to each of us. But this can only lead to disappointment in the end. After all, God

sent his Son so that "everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life." Ultimately, this means spending eternity in the Trinitarian embrace of love. So why not start now?

May God bless all of us!

...Fr. Khoa

Next Weekend, there will be a special diocesan collection for priest Supplement.

Catfish Festival: We would like to thank you all the donors, benefactors, volunteers, and especially **the Leverettes** for making the **16th Catfish Festival** a fun, joyful, and faith event. We will post the result on the bulletin after all the paperwork come in. Thank you very much.

Catfish Festival Winning Tickets are: 10K: #263 Dorothy Alexander; 5K: #204 Susan Peleaz, and 1k: Guy Clay. Again, thank you all of you for helping and serving this great event!

Knights of Columbus: Meet this Sunday June 11. The KC will serve coffee and cake next Sunday after 9am mass honoring the fathers. For more info, please contact Thomas Moran 228-234-2572.

Parish Council: meets **next Saturday June 17.**

Bereavement Committee: Please contact **Sharon Leimer** at 539-9928. Lasagna, green salad, rolls, and deserts will be provided for the funeral reception upon request. Thank you.

MASS	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MIN.	SERVERS	USHERS	GIFT B.
Sat June 10 5pm	Richard Dunlap	Kermit Northrop , Diane Northrop Ellen West	Austin S.	Doug David	Mike & Diane Mays
Sun June 11 7:30am	Sandra Ammons	Daniel Squillante	(OLC)	Terry Mitchell	(OLC)
Sun June 11 9am	Kim Wood	Lester Palmer , Susan Peleaz , Robin Peterson ,	Carson Keegan	Garland Robert	Pat & Robin Peterson Family
Sat June 17 5pm	Henrietta	Mike Mays , Diane Mays, Doris Snowden	Austin S.	Kermit Ira Necaise	Patricia Lizana
Sun June 18 7:30am	Sandra Ammons	Daniel Squillante	(OLC)	Terry Mitchell	(OLC)
Sun June 18 9am	Lisa Cuevas	Will Burke , James Quintini, Carolyn Brewer ,	Will Nick	David Robert	Danny & Kim Wood Family

ST. ANN ACTIVITIES.

Bible Study: We will study **Prayers**. Please join us. Classes are on **Wed at 6:00pm and on Tues at 9am**. For more information, please contact **Ruth and Henrietta**.

ST. ANN STEWARDSHIP:**

41Identifiable: **\$551.00**; Loose: **\$1,087.00**;
Total: **\$1,638.00**; Children: **\$27.00**;

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Identifiable: **\$280.00**; Loose: **\$258.00**; Total:
\$538.00

****Amount needed weekly \$2,908.84.**

Thank you for your generosity.

MASS FOR FAMILY & FRIENDS: You can have Masses offered for the deceased as well as for living family and friends. Mass cards and envelopes are available at the office.

VISITATION OF THE SICK: Please keep the parish office informed so we may minister to those who are ill at home, in the hospital, or in a nursing facility. For those wishing to receive the Eucharist contact the parish office, 832-2560.

Lizana Light: For more information, please contact **Doris or Diane**.

CCD: We thank you Robert Lizana and all the teachers for sharing their faith with our children during the school year. Have a great summer!

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION MARRIAGE
Church regulations require at least six months of preparation for a wedding. Please contact us well in advance of that time if you wish to reserve a wedding date and receive info: one's own parish clergy are expected to supervise your Catholic prenuptial preparation and to officiate at the wedding.

PRAYER REQUESTS Those who are ill: Leslie Cuevas, William DeMello, Dcn Jack Hunter, Lee James, Darlene Billingsley, Victoria Moran, Jerry Malley, Vivian Clifford, Ezekiel Rutherford, John Moran, Jerry Rutland, Regina Franke, Dalwin Cuevas, Colby Cagle, Debbie Bowen, Andrew Fillengame, Melissa Peterson, Breanna Ladner, Gerald Barrilleaux, Margaret Northrop, Andrew, James Mora, Sharon Somora, and Marie Nance, Patricia Lizana, August Schonewitz, William Shaw, and Adrene Dedeaux, .

WE WELCOME NEW MEMBERS † PLEASE FILL OUT A NEW MEMBER REGISTRATION FORM AND SUBMIT TO PARISH OFFICE FR. KHOA WOULD BE HAPPY TO VISIT WITH YOU AND HELP YOU ASSESS YOUR SPIRITUAL NEEDS.