

Welcome to  
**Most Blessed Trinity Parish**  
*of the Diocese of Allentown*

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**Facebook:** Most Blessed Trinity, Tremont



# PENTECOST SUNDAY

### Liturgical Schedule

Church: Saturday Vigil 4:00 PM, Sunday 10:30 AM  
Chapel: Sunday 9:00 AM  
Daily Masses: 9:00 AM, except for Tuesday at 6:00 PM  
in the Tremont Church, no Saturdays.  
Adoration 20 minutes prior to Daily Masses.

### Holy Day Mass always in Church

Church: 9:00 AM, 5:00 PM  
Chapel: Vigil 7:00 PM

### Diocesan Coordinators for Minors

**Safe Environment** Ms. Pamela J. Russo, M.S.W.M.S., Secretary, Youth Protection & Catholic Human Services  
PO Box F, Allentown, PA 18105-1538 (610) 871-5200, ext. 2204 [prusso@allentowndiocese.org](mailto:prusso@allentowndiocese.org)

**Victim Assistance:** Ms. Wendy Krisak, M.A., NCC, LPC, Direct Phone: (800) 791-9209

To learn more about the Diocese of Allentown's Youth Protection Programs, Sexual Abuse Policy, and Code of Conduct, please visit [www.allentowndiocese.org](http://www.allentowndiocese.org) and click on "Youth Protection" in the upper right-hand corner of the page.

If you have an allegation of abuse against a bishop, please contact the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service at [www.ReportBishopAbuse.org](http://www.ReportBishopAbuse.org) or by calling 1-800-276-1562.

**Parish Mission Statement** – *Most Blessed Trinity Parish is a Christ-centered sacramental family, modeled after the love of the Trinity – the Father, Son and Holy Spirit – three persons in one God.  
We are dedicated to grow in their love and continue the Great Commission of spreading the Gospel to all nations, starting right here in Western Schuylkill County.*



# MOST BLESSED TRINITY PARISH

## PENTECOST SUNDAY

May 23-24, 2026  
Year A - Cycle II

Please follow our  
Facebook page at:  
**Most Blessed Trinity,**  
**Tremont**



## Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

### **PENTECOST SUNDAY**

**Saturday, May 23 - Church 4:00 PM** +Bonnie Ganly by Joe

**Sunday, May 24 - Chapel 9:00 AM** For the People of the Parish by Father Johnson

**Sunday, May 24 - Church 10:30 AM** +Louis DeAngelo by family

**The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church - Monday, May 25 - Church 9:00 AM** +For all souls in purgatory

**St. Philip Neri - Tuesday, May 26 - Church 6:00 PM** +Thomas M. Glynn by Edward M. Butler

**St. Augustine of Canterbury - Wednesday, May 27 - Church 9:00 AM** +For the deceased members of the Parish

**Thursday, May 28 - Church 9:00 AM** Mother's Day Remembrances for Living and Deceased Mothers by Donors

**St. Paul VI - Friday, May 29 - Church 9:00 AM** +Agatha Shelava by Edward M. Butler

### **THE MOST HOLY TRINITY**

**Saturday, May 30 - Church 4:00 PM** +Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Mitsky by daughters

**Sunday, May 31 - Chapel 9:00 AM** For the People of the Parish by Father Johnson

**Sunday, May 31 - Church 10:30 AM** +Deceased priests of the Diocese of Allentown

## Pentecost



Today we celebrate Pentecost, the great outpouring of the Holy Spirit upon the Blessed Mother and the Apostles. After the Ascension of Jesus, they remained gathered in prayer, fearful and uncertain. Then, as Jesus had promised, the Holy Spirit came upon them like a mighty wind and appeared as tongues of fire resting above their heads. In that moment, they were transformed. Fear gave way to courage, weakness to strength, and uncertainty to confidence. Filled with the Holy Spirit, they went forth boldly to proclaim the Gospel to the world.

On this Pentecost Sunday, we pray that the same Holy Spirit may fill our hearts with strength, wisdom, and courage to face the challenges of daily life and to do good for those around us.

The Holy Spirit has always been at work in salvation history. The Spirit was present in creation, inspired the prophets of the Old Testament, and overshadowed the Blessed Virgin Mary at the Annunciation so that she conceived Jesus, the Son of God. Through the power of the Holy Spirit, Jesus performed miracles, preached the Good News, and brought healing and hope to many. It was also the Holy Spirit who guided the spread of the Christian faith in the early Church, and He continues to guide and strengthen the Church today.

As we celebrate Pentecost, let us pray that the Holy Spirit may continue to work powerfully in our Pope, bishops, priests, deacons, seminarians, religious, and all the faithful. May He renew the face of the earth and fill us with His seven gifts: wisdom, understanding, counsel, fortitude, knowledge, piety, and fear of the Lord.

### **Keepers of the Lord's House**

**5/24/26**

Annette Fleming



**The Sanctuary Candle burns in Tremont for the health of  
Msgr. Edward Domin by the Messer Family.**



**The Sanctuary Candle burns in Tower City for  
Joseph Korab.**



**Next weekend's Second Collection,  
May 30<sup>th</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup> will go toward Our Food Bank.**

If you would like a home blessing, Father is more than happy to schedule a time. Please call the rectory (570-695-3648) to schedule.

### **SPP Women's Club News**

- The Women's Club will meet on Thursday, June 4th, at 6:30 PM. Election of Officers will take place during this meeting.
- The Annual Rummage Sale will be held in the Chapel's Social Hall on Friday & Saturday, June 12 & 13, from 8:00 AM to 12:00 noon. Food and baked goods will be available; donations are greatly appreciated. We will begin setting up for the event on Monday, June 8, at 6 PM.



**Basket Auction to support Most Blessed Trinity Guild** will be August 2, 2026, in the Church Social Hall. Anyone interested in donating a monetary gift, gift certificate, items for a basket, or donating your own basket would be greatly appreciated. Donated items or baskets can be given to any guild member or dropped off in the rectory (during normal office hours).

## Ministry Schedule for May 30th & 31st

Saturday, 4:00 PM - Church  
Sunday, 9:00 AM - Chapel  
Sunday, 10:30 AM - Church

Cantor: Janet Graver

Lector: Jean Kreiser

EM: JoAnn Yesonsky

Server:

Cantor: Annette Fleming

Lector: Patrick Kasper

EM: Jackie Reibsane

Server: Carter Shoop

Lector: Ray Yurista

EM: John Adams

Server: Xavier Brown



## Readings for May 30<sup>th</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup>

Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9

(Ps) Dn 3:52-55

2 Cor 13:11-13

Jn 3:16-18

### Readings for The Most Holy Trinity

In Exodus 34:4b–6, 8–9, Moses goes up Mount Sinai with the stone tablets as the Lord appears to him and reveals Himself as a merciful and gracious God, slow to anger and rich in kindness and faithfulness. In response, Moses bows in worship and asks God to remain with His people, forgive their sins, and make them His own possession.

In 2 Corinthians 13:11–13, Saint Paul encourages the faithful to live in peace, unity, and love. He assures them that the God of love and peace will be with them and concludes with a blessing invoking the grace of Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit.

In John 3:16–18, Jesus reveals God's immense love for the world by sending His only Son so that everyone who believes in Him may have eternal life. Jesus came not to condemn the world, but to save it, and those who believe in Him receive the promise of salvation.

Taking a few moments during the week to prayerfully read these Scriptures will help you enter more deeply into the Word of God and better follow the message shared at Mass. It is a simple but powerful way to prepare your heart for our Sunday celebration.

The Diocese of Allentown invites you to attend our **Ordination Celebration Dinner** on Thursday, June 18, 2026, honoring our newly ordained priests.

The evening will begin with Mass at 4:00 p.m. at St. Thomas More Parish in Allentown, celebrated by Bishop Alfred A. Schlert. A reception will follow from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., with dinner at 6:30 p.m. at Lehigh Country Club.

The keynote speaker for the dinner will be Most Reverend Keith J. Chylinski, Auxiliary Bishop of Philadelphia and former Rector of Saint Charles Borromeo Seminary.

All are welcome to join in this joyful celebration of the priesthood and to support these men in their vocation.

The cost is \$65 per person. Register today and be part of this special celebration! To register contact Michele Mullikin at [mmullikin@allentowndiocese.org](mailto:mmullikin@allentowndiocese.org) or scan the QR code.



### FOOD BANK NEWS

**Thank you** for your generosity in giving monetary donations! We especially thank those who help fill the boxes, pick up needed supplies and distribute them. However, more non-perishable grocery items are urgently needed including: cereal, peanut butter, jelly, soup, spaghetti sauce and pasta along with laundry soap, bath soap, toothpaste, paper towels and toilet paper. Please remember - **No expired items can be accepted.** Thank you!

### CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

Most Blessed Trinity Parish warmly invites the faithful to join us for a Corpus Christi Procession on Sunday, June 7, 2026.

The procession with the Blessed Eucharist will take place inside the Chapel in Tower City after the 9:00 AM Mass and inside the Church in Tremont after the 10:30 AM Mass on June 7<sup>th</sup>.



**PLEASE NOTE:** Due to the Corpus Christi Procession to be held after mass on June 7<sup>th</sup> the **Anointing of the Sick** will be moved to the following weekend (**June 13-14**).

*Because we are Catholic*



The 2026 Because We Are Catholic Annual Appeal is underway! Our parish support is a vital part of this Diocesan-wide effort to serve children and families in our own community and throughout the Diocese of Allentown. You can scan the QR code or make your gift today at [www.BecauseWeAreCatholic.org](http://www.BecauseWeAreCatholic.org). Thank you!



**Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturdays: 3:15-3:45 PM Tremont  
Sundays: 8:15-8:45 AM Tower City  
20 minutes before Daily Mass in Tremont  
Monday thru Friday

**Sacrament of Marriage**

Couples should contact Fr. Johnson as soon as they are engaged, at least 6 months before the date of the marriage.

**Sponsor Certificates**

Letters of recommendation for sponsors may be obtained by calling the rectory and will be issued for registered parishioners who meet the qualifications as set forth in Canon Law.

**Sacrament of Baptism**

Parents must be registered for at least 3 months and be practicing their faith. Baptism classes are set at the convenience of the parents and rectory.

**Home Bound Outreach**

Please call the rectory if you are physically unable to attend Mass and you will be visited during the first week of the month.

**Diocesan Schools in Pottsville**

Assumption BVM School (gr. K-8) (570) 622-0106  
Nativity BVM High School (gr. 9-12) (570) 622-8110  
St. Joseph Center for Special Learning (570) 622-4638

**PREP**

Church: Sun. 9:00-10:15 AM Loc. Sup - Kathy Brown  
Chapel: Sun. 10:00-11:15 AM CRE - Maria Flynn

**Office Hours**

Monday - Thursday 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM  
Friday - Closed

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