

# St. John the Baptist and Holy Trinity

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April 4, 2021

## Mass Schedule:

M,T,W,TH,F - 12:00 Noon  
Saturday 9:00 am & Vigil - 5:30 pm  
Sunday - 9:00 am  
Reconciliation Fri. 11:30 am. Or by appointment.

## Office Hours for SJB/HT

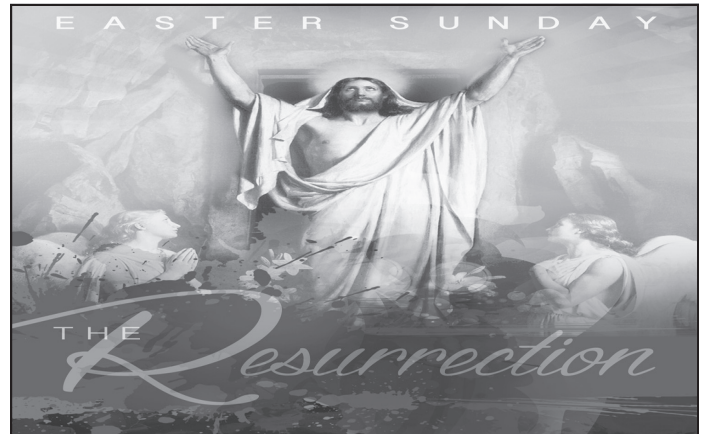
Mon.-Thurs. 9:00am-4:30pm  
Friday 9:00am-2:30pm  
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Web Site - [www.stjohnthebaptist-holytrinity.com](http://www.stjohnthebaptist-holytrinity.com)

## St. John The Baptist/Holy Trinity

Saturday, 9:00am & 5:30pm  
Sunday, 9:00am  
Monday –Friday Noon in Church

## Our Lady of Pompei/St. Peter Church

Saturday, 4:00pm  
Saturday, 6:00pm Vietnamese  
Sunday, 7:30am & 11:30am & 5:00pm  
Sunday, 9:30am Vietnamese  
Monday –Friday 9:00am in Church



## Welcome:

Listed below are the safety measures that we have in place for our parishes, Our Lady of Pompei/St. Peter and St. John the Baptist/ Holy Trinity. If you have not attended Mass recently but are thinking about returning, below are the guidelines we are following:

- The church is completely sanitized after each Mass/Funeral.
- Pews are taped off to ensure 6 feet social distancing.
- Ushers will seat you after you check in wearing your mask (required) and bring sanitizer (to be used before receiving Communion).
- When it is time for Communion, there will be ushers to help guide you one pew at a time, starting from front to back on one side and then from back to front on the other side. There are markings on the aisle floor for distancing from the person ahead of you and then you will go to the side aisle to return to your seat.
- Upon the conclusion of Mass, the ushers will guide you to the side aisles and exit out the front doors only. Please do not congregate in the Gathering Space.
- We request that you call the OLP/St.P. Parish Office at 315-422-7163 or St. J/HT, 315-478-0916 to register for the Mass you would like to attend. Please be assured that if you call the Parish Office and leave a message on the voice mail to register for Mass, that you will be accounted for.
- The Collection Basket can longer be passed so there is a collection box at the entrance of the main Church for your offering.

These precautions are taken for the safety of all parishioners. Thank you for your cooperation at this time.

## SJB/HT Office & Church Staff

**Pastor** Father Daniel Caruso  
**Secretary/Bulletin** Nancy Bergeson  
**Office Assistant** Mary Olmsted

**Senior Priest in Residence** Fr. Lester Smith  
**Music Director/Organist** James Stanley

**Call the Rectory to arrange** for Marriages, arrangements made six months prior to date. Contact our organist and cantor directly. Baptisms and hospital/home visits.



## Dear Parishioners,

Christ has Risen, Alleluia! This is the joyous message proclaimed throughout the world today. Christ, once crucified, has been raised; sin and death have been defeated; our salvation has been won. This is the cause of our celebration today and throughout the fifty days of the Easter season. In the Easter Proclamation, sung at the Easter Vigil, we hear: "Be glad, let earth be glad, as glory floods her, ablaze with light from her eternal King, let all corners of the earth be glad, knowing an end to gloom and darkness." For over a year now, this world has been filled with gloom and darkness. People see some "light at the end of the tunnel" with increasing vaccination rates, but "herd immunity" isn't the source of light and hope that we need. There is darkness and gloom in this world beyond the pandemic. There is only one light that can dispel this darkness: the Light of the Risen Christ!

If, as the Easter Proclamation says, "all corners of the earth" are to be glad, then we must help share the joy of Easter by letting the Light of the Risen Christ be reflected in our lives. If we believe what we say about the true meaning of Easter, then we must proclaim the Good News to others. We are called to share the joy and majesty of our Easter celebrations with the world around us. Let us give witness that our Hope is found in the Lord Jesus who conquered death for us all!

On behalf of Fr. Smith, Fr. Major, Mary & Petey the Wonder-Puppies, and myself, I wish you all a very Happy and Blessed Easter. May the Risen Lord continue to pour forth His Grace upon us all.

In the peace of the Risen Christ,  
Fr. Caruso



## EASTER



## A Family Perspective Family Life Education

That first Easter morning was confusing. Jesus was missing and Mary Magdalene, Peter and John "did not know" what to do. In family life, there are confusing moments when "we don't know" what to do. Like the apostles, we are Easter people when we believe and trust in each other even when all seems lost.



## SEEK

"Do not be afraid! I know that you are seeking Jesus the crucified. He is not here, for he has been raised just as he said."  
MATTHEW 28:5B-6

## UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

*The Roman Catholic Diocese of Syracuse, New York*  
Case No. 20-30663

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT** ON June 19, 2020, The Roman Catholic Diocese of Syracuse, New York, ("Diocese") filed for protection under chapter 11 of title 11 of the United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code").

**The Bankruptcy Court has established April 15, 2021 at 11:59p.m. (prevailing Eastern time) as the deadline to file proofs of claim against the Diocese (the Bar Date).**

**If you have a claim against the Diocese including, without limitation, a claim related to sexual abuse committed by any person connected with the Diocese, you must file a claim on or before the Bar Date with Stretto, the appointed Claims Agent.**

Please visit <https://case.stretto.com/diocesefofsyracuse> or call (855) 329-4244 for more information on how to file your proof of claim.

**IF YOU DO NOT TIMELY FILE A PROOF OF CLAIM, YOU MAY FORFEIT YOUR RIGHT TO VOTE ON ANY PLAN OF REORGANIZATION AND TO SHARE IN ANY FUTURE DISTRIBUTIONS TO CREDITORS IN CONNECTION WITH THE DIOCESE'S CHAPTER 11 CASE.**

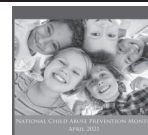


## Live The Liturgy

Alleluia! Christ is risen! About today's feast, St. Augustine writes: "And he departed from our sight that we might return to our hearts and find him there. For he left us, and behold, he is here." Christ's resurrected presence lives not only in the highest heaven but in the fragile human heart. Christ's life inspires us and moves us to see a future for every human being and discover our true purpose and meaning. Every human being has a desire to live, and this cry can be heard within. There is a longing for a connection with Someone greater than ourselves that gives an import to our existence that we cannot supply. Today, our deepest questions find answers.

## National Child Abuse Prevention Month

Every April, the Diocese of Syracuse, parishes, and Catholic schools, recognize the National Child Abuse Prevention Month. The Diocese embraces this opportunity to deepen our awareness of the need to be vigilant about providing a safe environment in our parishes, schools, agencies, and our communities. For information on how the Diocese of Syracuse implements safeguards to protect our children, young people, and vulnerable adults from abuse, contact the Office of Safe Environment at 315.470.1421 or visit [www.syrdio.org](http://www.syrdio.org).



**Due to early transmit of bulletins, our weekly collections will appear in our following bulletin.**

## Rectory's Closed/No Masses

The rectory's of SJB/HT & OLP/SP will be closed on Easter Monday, April 5th. There will be no 9:00am Mass, OLP/SP or Noon Mass, SJB/HT this day. Happy Easter!



### Mass Schedule for SJB/HT & OLP/SP

#### Monday, April 5, 2021

9:00am OLP/SP - No Mass

12:00pm SJB/HT - No Mass

#### Tuesday, April 6, 2021

9:00am OLP/SP - Karen Magnarelli - The Family

12:00pm SJB/HT - For the people

#### Wednesday, April 7, 2021

9:00am OLP/SP - Agnes Bonura - Pat Hillenbrand

12:00pm SJB/HT - Carmella Sidari - Georgiann Larkin

#### Thursday, April 8, 2021

9:00am OLP/SP - Salvatore & Mariantonia Sisera -

Daughter-in-law, Gilda

12:00pm SJB/HT - John Kopf - Sue Slack

#### Friday, April 9, 2021

9:00am OLP/SP - Luke Oscaro - Estate

12:00pm SJB/HT - No Intention

#### Saturday, April 10, 2021

9:00am SJB/HT - No Intention

4:00pm OLP/SP - Josephine Russo - Jessie Crisalli

Joe Canino - Wife, Bertha & Family

Benny & Terry Cimino - Son, Joseph

Alberto Pastore - Progresso Lodge Sons of Italy

Joanne Murluzzi - Anthony Merluzzi & Debra Wade

5:30pm SJB/HT - D'Avirro Family - Maria DiMichele

Jianne Viggiano - Rose Mary Connors

#### Sunday, April 11, 2021

7:30am OLP/SP - For the people

9:00am SJB/HT - For the people

11:30am OLP/SP - For the people

5:00pm OLP/SP - For the people

# HE IS RISEN!

**We cannot give up  
in the face of evil.  
God is Love and he has  
defeated evil through  
Christ's death and  
resurrection.**

— Pope Francis —



**T**hen the other disciple also went in, the one who had arrived at the tomb first, and he saw and believed. For they did not yet understand the Scripture that he had to rise from the dead.

— Jn 20:8-9

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## Liturgical Ministers— April 10th & April 11th Lectors

4:00pm OLP/SP: M. Rourke

5:30pm SJB/HT: Annette Marchbanks

7:30am OLP/SP: J. Marnarelli

9:00am SJB/HT: Patrick Minnoe

11:30am OLP/SP: G. Lostumbo

5:00pm OLP/SP: Fr. Caruso



**Our Health Care Workers:** Please pray for all health care workers of our parish serving in this crisis of COVID 19. That God helps to guide their decisions and to keep them safe as well. From our parish: **Dr. Patrick Abt, Alisa Albanese, PA., Christopher Jacques, EMS, Lynda Keller, Nurse, Ross Mathewson, Joseph & Rita Nicoletti, Nurses, Robert C. Palucci, Nurse, Dr. Alyssa Toia, Stacy Toia, Nurse and Lauren Townley, Nurse.**

**Serving Our Country:** Always keep in prayer all servicemen and women. From our parish: **Anthony Cangemi, Richard L. Cooper, Kristen Fekete,**

**Jack McAndrew, Matthew McAndrew, Bryan M. Oakes & Rob Smith.**



**Remember:** Christopher Aldrich, Shawn Babcock, Nancy Bailey, Margaret Brigandi, Lena Campanino, Rosaria Campolo, Robert Capria, Rosemarie Capriotti, Cheryle Cacchione, Rose Mary Connors, Lucy Copani, Catherine Cushman, Grayce Costantini, Linda Deapo, Joni Uva DelGiorno, Peter DiBello, Gen DiMento, Ginny & Erin Donovan, Aaron Doty, Dan Fahey, Marilyn Ferretti, Beverly Frey, Ellen Gangemi, Gladys Graham, Joseph Guinto, Jeanne Hammond, Keith Horton, Josephine Indelicato, Mary Isgar, Dory Jones, Mattia Kinslow, Shirley Kerr, Jane Kwasigroch, Rosemary Lane, Kay Leder-mann, Jackie Limeri, Maria Luisi, Diane Mackey, Norm MacKenzie, Madge Maffei, Peggy Miccinelli, Michael Morga, Jean Padden, The Pavia Children, Sandy Pisani, Frank Procopio, Cathy Galutz Sacco, Faith Setzer, Marion Sherwood, Timothy K. Suppes, Barbara Traino, Shelly Visco, Matthew Watkins, Samuel and Sue Wilson.

## Easter Prayer of Thanksgiving

Good and gracious heavenly Father,  
we come before you on this Easter Sunday  
with full and grateful hearts for the gift of  
the Paschal Mystery that you showed us  
in the life, death, and resurrection of your Son,  
our brother by adoption, Jesus Christ.

Bless us and all those who profess belief in your saving love.  
Bless also those who have yet to profess belief in you.  
You are God for all.

We ask all this in Christ's name.

Amen.



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