



HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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A Message from
Rachael Egger
Youth Minister

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“White Smoke! We have a Pope!”

Witnessing our teachers and staff model sincere joy and enthusiasm for the Conclave and the announcement of our new Pope was a memory that I will cherish forever. I am so grateful that my kids were able to experience this event with their school community.

If you turned on the footage of the Vatican in a non-Catholic school, without context students might think they were watching a “seagull cam”. And then they would have been confused when the camera switched to a balcony of old men. But at Holy Trinity, the teachers and staff were so excited, and they made sure the students were aware of how significant this process was. Only in a Catholic School could classrooms full of students sit in waiting and anticipation while staring at a chimney. There were audible celebrations echoing in the halls when the chimney was finally active. “White Smoke!” This was followed by an overwhelming sense of joy when Pope Leo XIV was announced as our first Holy Father born in the US! Students were jumping up and down, cheering, and embracing one another. This can only happen in an environment when the adults are freely sharing their joy and excitement...their joy and excitement for our Church.

The joy was contagious at Holy Trinity that day. Our children were genuinely excited about what they were witnessing. They were excited about Our Faith because the adults around them were excited. This was a great reminder that, as a parent, my attitude about my faith directly impacts the developing faith of my children. They may not always match my enthusiasm around going to weekend mass, but I know that one of my greatest responsibilities as their mother is to guide them on their spiritual journey. They don't have to be enthusiastic, yet. In the future when they tell me that mass is boring, I'm going to remind myself that these are the same kids who patiently stared at a chimney, just waiting to see smoke because the adults around them were excited about it. And I'll take a lesson from our teachers and find ways to share my joy around Our Faith.

I encourage you to find ways that you can model your joy for Our Faith with your children this summer. Weekend mass is a great way to stay connected to our community while growing the faith of your family. It's always a treat for our young parishioners to see their friends at Mass! Enjoy your summer, and I'll see you at church!

In Christ's Peace,

Rachael Egger
Youth Minister

CATHOLIC IDENTITY

Weekend Mass Schedule:

Sat.: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 8:30 am
11:00 am

Confession:
Every Sat.: 3:30-4:30 pm

Parish Bulletin

Vision Statement of Holy Trinity Catholic School

To be a school of excellence that encompasses the whole child by modeling Jesus through our Catholic teachings, commitment to academics, service to the community, and devotion as life-long servants of God.

IMPORTANT DATES

Please see the school calendar at the button below for the most up-to-date information regarding upcoming meetings and events.

CALENDAR

SCHOOL NEWS

Congratulations to Book Bee Participants

We're proud of all of our students who competed in the Archdiocesan Book Bee competition for grades 3 - 8 this past Saturday. A special congratulations to our 3rd grade team, and our grades 6-7-8 team, who both earned 3rd place overall!



Lost and Found

As you come to church the next couple of weeks or to attend any of our end of year programs, please check the Lost and Found for any of your family's clothing, water bottles, etc. All items left on the last day of school will be donated.

SCHOOL NEWS

Bus Information for the 2025-2026 School Year

Click [here](#) for information regarding bus service for the 2025-2026 school year. Registration will close on May 18th. If you have any questions, please email htschoolbus@gmail.com.

Registration for YMCA After School Care

As mentioned in a previous memo, registration for the YMCA After School Care is scheduled to open tomorrow (Wednesday) at 10:00 am. For more information and to register, click [here](#).

Signing Out Siblings for End of the Year PK and K Programs

If you are planning to sign out an older sibling to attend the Pre-K or K end of the year program, please be sure to let their homeroom teacher know ahead of time. These students will then be sent to meet you in the gathering space 15 minutes before the program. Once you have your child, you will be asked to sign them out to attend the program. Then after the program you will sign them back in over in the gathering space and they will be allowed to go back to class.

If you do not let their teacher know ahead of time, you will need to come to the school office to sign them out to attend the program and then return to the office to sign them back in.

SCHOOL NEWS



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PTA NEWS

Field Day Volunteers Needed

Field day is May 20th, and we need a lot of help to make this day wonderful. Please sign up today!! Contact Ms. Anna Pfeifer, apfeifer@ht-school.org.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0C4FA8A62CABF49-56742821-field#/>

Field Day

The PTA and Ms. Pfeifer are excited to bring a fun and exciting Field Day again this year on May 20th. We will have games and activities planned for the day, but still need parent support to help make sure it's a fun and organized day. Grades Pre K-3 will enjoy Field Day at 8:30 am-11:10 am, while grades 4-6 will be from 11:45 am-1:50 pm. There are multiple stations, each with a different activity. We will need two volunteers for each station. It will be easy and fun, so please consider signing up! More details will be coming. And the exciting fire truck will be at the end of the day for all students!!! We are so excited. Parents are welcome to come and watch your children have some good old-fashioned fun on that day, even if you aren't volunteering. Thanks for all your support.

Any questions, please reach out to Molly Willer mwiller@ht-school.org. Parents, please remember to only park on the right side of the street for any events we have here or you will be towed. We may not have cars parked on both sides of the street.

Help us make Field Day AMAZING! [Sign up to help here!](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0C4FA8A62CABF49-56742821-field#/)

PTA NEWS

Art Work for Walk T-Shirts

Calling all creative students! This is your chance to showcase your incredible talents and inspire our annual Eagle Walk t-Shirts. Please include the phrase "Faith in Every Footstep" in your design. Must be your own original work and on 8.5"x11" white paper. Let your faith guide your vision! Submit now through May 19th to the front office.

Day at Camp Hi-Ho for Holy Trinity Students on May 28

Mark your calendar for Holy Trinity Camp Hi-Ho Day - MAY 28, 2025!!!

*****SPECIAL NOTE: REGISTRATION OPENS MAY 13 AT 8 P.M.**

School is out for summer and why not kick it off right by signing your current Pre-K-5th grader up for Holy Trinity Day at Camp H-iHo! Your son or daughter will love Camp Hi-Ho with its Zipline, swimming, fishing bazooka ball, archery, arts & crafts and more!

This day is popular for Holy Trinity students and to ensure all families have equal access to registration, the registration site will open on May 13 at 8 p.m. Please note that if you sign up prior to 8 p.m. on May 13, your child's registration will be cancelled. There are only 225 spots available, so please set an alarm for 8 p.m. on May 13 as these spots will fill up quickly!!!

Event Details:

DATE: May 28, 2025

TIME: Meet at HT at 8:45 a.m.; bus leaves at 9:15 a.m.

Bus returns to Holy Trinity at 3:30 p.m.

ELIGIBLE STUDENT ATTENDEES: Current Pre-K through 5th grade students. When registering, please select the current grade the child is in.

REGISTRATION COST: \$ 70 - includes lunch and all activities.

LUNCH: Provided by CampHi-Ho

REGISTRATION LINK: [Camp H-iHo registration](#)

One more note—don't confuse this with HT mother-son Camp Hi-Ho Day!

Optional End of Year Teacher Gift

As the school year comes to a close, we would like to offer an OPTIONAL collection for your children's teachers again this year. Contributions will be divided accordingly between your teacher(s) and assistant teacher(s). An additional collection will be taken for the Resource Day and Special Area Teachers. If you would like to participate in the end of year collections, please send your gifts to the appropriate contact(s) listed below no later than Tuesday, May 20th. Checks (made out to collection person) and cash can also be sent through backpack mail.

Thanks for your support this year and have a great summer!

If you have any questions, please contact Rebecca at cobb.rebecca@gmail.com or 502-592-9088.

Teacher/Grade Room Parent/Venmo account/last 4 digits of phone for verification

PKA – Kaitlin Sullivan - @Kaitlin-Sullivan-1 (1112)
PKH – Susan Saylor - @Susan-Saylor-9 (6833)
PKP – Sara Kulyan - @Sara-Gentry-K (5499)
KB – Abby Thompson - @Abbythompson85 (7411)
KG – Natalie Miller - @Natalie-Miller-99 (6459)
KM – Lauren Colyer - @Lauren-Colyer-3 (9746)
KP – Alex Deskins - @alexandra-deskins (6684)
1K – Susie Jackson - @susie-jackson-5 (4027)
1P - Kelly Sienkowski - @Kelly-Sienkowski (3235)
1S – Christina Weinstein - @Christina-Weinstein-2 (2809)
2B – Jada Wilson - @Jada-Wilson-28 (2232)
2M – Jennifer Schmidt - @Jennifer-Schmidt-60 (6499)
2Z – Bailey Robinson - @Bailey-robinson-3 (6566)
3B – Brittany Metten - @brittany-metten (9055)
3G – Kirsten Russell - @Kirsten-Russell-12 (7286)
3H – Ashley McKiernan - @Ashley-McKiernan-1 (6650)
4th Grade – Jennifer Kuerzi - @Jennifer-ThomasKuerzi (3637)
5th Grade – Amy Sugg - @amy-sugg-3 (6407)
6th Grade – Jennifer McDevitt - @Jennifer-McDevitt-2 (5539)
7th Grade – Charlotte VanHimbergen - @charlotte-vanhimbergen (6063)
Special Area Teachers – Rebecca Dydynski - @Rebecca-Dydynski (9088)

PTA NEWS

Mother/Son Event

Thank you, Taylor Jackson and Camp Hi-Ho, for an amazing Mother/Son Event this past Saturday.

Father/Daughter Dance

The Father/Daughter Dance was a HUGE success this past weekend. We want to thank Heather Capstick, Kathryn Bugh, Anissa Brown, Brianda Lovering, and Maria Shore. Thank you for your hard work and vision! Everyone had an amazing time.

PARISH NEWS

Stewardship Renewal

Click the button below to download the Stewardship 2025-2026 Renewal Form.

[DOWNLOAD NOW](#)

Remembrance for Bereaved Parents

If you or someone you know has experienced a miscarriage or stillbirth, we want you to know you are not alone. Holy Trinity would like to personally, privately, acknowledge this loss with a small token of remembrance for bereaved parents. For more information, please contact Mary Scott Herrington at mherrington@htparish.org.