

Weekend of May 31, 2026

Dear People of God,

Trinity Sunday, officially called The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, is one of the few celebrations of the Christian Year that commemorates a reality and a doctrine rather than a person or event. Some of the greatest minds throughout history have attempted, to the best of their ability, to explain this mystery to the rest of us.

On Trinity Sunday, rather than try to solve the mystery, let us ask how open we are to it: the mystery of why God created us to begin with; the mystery of God loving us, desiring to be part of our lives, to live in our hearts; to be one with us; the mystery of God inviting us to share in the life of the Trinity: Father, Son and Spirit; the mystery of a God who cares for us like a loving parent who lays down his life for us, like a best friend, who fills our hearts, like a lover who will not be refused.

While the Holy Trinity is a mystery that cannot be proven by Scripture alone, we come into contact through our liturgy, with the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. Let us pray with faith and confidence the prayer we learn from this source: "The grace and peace of our Lord, Jesus Christ, the love of God the Father, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all."

Congratulations and a big shout out to our CRTSH Seniors who are graduating this year and moving officially up the ladder and into the ranks of "Educated Young Men and Women". Peace, Success, and Happiness be theirs now and always! We are proud of you all!

To all our young people, as they enter these hot summer months. . . Be safe! Enjoy your family! Make the right choices! Keep God in your life! Know that He loves you - and so do we!

Let's also remember to pray for the sick and hospital or homebound members of our faith family. They rightfully rely on our remembrances and support.

Many thanks again to our Knights of Columbus and Mama Margaret Women's Guild for spearheading our parish May events! What a blessing they continue to be to us all.

As usual please remember to pray for Br. George Marquis, SDB and all the Salesians in our presence here at MHC . . . especially those at St. Philip Residence. Be assured that we will be doing the same for you.

Peace Always!

Fr. Steve Dumais, SDB  
Pastor

**PRAYER LIST**

**Please keep the following in your prayers:**

Pete & Mary Gallar, , Tom Costa, David & Rosie Gratz, Lisa Franz, Patti Capitano, Betsie Welch, Laura Munoz, Bobby Ryder, David Netel, Jay Samman, Rose Gabriel, Elaine & Alan Jones, Barbara Robles, Ruth Maund, Dan & Beverly Fernandez, Bob & Marge Fallon, George Hernandez, Victor Pichardo, David Schwaller, Mary Hodge, Lauren Lynch, Rosa E. Alvarez, Georgene & Dennis Bender, Daniel Wiles, David Russell, Maria De Guzman, Eduardo Sanchez, Mike Kelly, Victor Fernandez, Paul Gabriel, Joseph Marecki., William Villegas, Anthony Marte, Jaquelin Nunez, Liam Newcomb, MaKayla Jennings.

**2026 Mass Intentions:**

**May 30, 2026 - June 07, 2026**

- Sat, May 30, 2026, 5:00pm:** +Hugh Ronald req. by Theresa Fitzgerald
- Sun, May 31, 2026, 8:00am :** +Dr Joseph Lang req. by Fr Steve Dumais, SDB
- Sun, May 31, 2026 11:00am:** +Colleen Brown req. by Maggie Brown
- Mon, June 01, 2026, 6:45am:** +Thomas Henry Shinko req. by Chet Shinko
- Mon, June 01, 2026, 7:00pm:** For all the Salesian on retreat Parish
- Tues, June 02, 2026. 6:45am:** Healing for Ed Cureg req, by Leila Taghap
- Wed, June 03, 2026, 6:45am:** +Mate Cosic & Family req. by Sanja Cosic
- Wed, June 03, 2026, 7:00pm:** Heid Family intentions req. by Pillar Heid
- Thurs, June 04, 2026, 6:45am :** Susanna & Frank George & family req. by Susanna George
- Fri. June 05, 2026, 6:45am :** +Francis Bratayenovic & Family req. by Sanja Cosic
- Sat, June 06, 2026, 5:00pm :** +Patricia Taylor req. by Pam Brewer
- Sun, June 07, 2026, 8:00am:** Madox Dean req. by Shad & Mary Chris Dean
- Sun, June 07, 2026, 11:00am:** Adrian Johnson req. by Joann Johnson

**Our Blessed Mother known as Help of Christians**

In 1571, Pope St Pius V added "Help of Christians" to the Litany of Loreto to thank Mary for the Christian victory at the Battle of Lepanto. Later, in 1814, Pope Pius VII established the feast day on May 24 to celebrate his release from captivity by Napoleon.

In 1862, Don Bosco felt the Church and the faith were threatened and believed Mary desired to be honored specifically as the Help of Christians. He placed his entire priestly work and his congregation under her protection. In 1868, Don Bosco consecrated the Basilica of Mary Help of Christians in Turin, Italy, cementing her as the spiritual heart of the Salesian movement. Don Bosco advised his Salesians and boys often: "Be devoted to Mary most holy; frequently call on Her. Never was it known that anyone who trustingly had recourse to Her was not promptly heard." Mary Help of Christians, pray for us.



June 2026

- 06/01 Monday Mass 7pm**
- 06/02 Extra Ordinary Minister of Holy Communion meeting 7pm**
- 06/03 Adoration 4-7pm/Mass 7pm/Praise & Worship 8-9pm Youth Ministry 7pm**
- 06/04 Parish Staff Meeting 6:15pm / Parish Council 7pm**
- 06/06 1st sat Marian Devotions 9:30am/Mini Youth retreat 10-3pm**
- 06/08 Monday Mass 7pm / First Day of Camp Mary**
- 06/10 Adoration 4-7pm/Mass 7pm/Praise & Worship 8-9pm Youth Ministry 7pm**
- 06/11 Mama Margaret Guild serving snow cones to campers**
- 06/15 Monday Mass 7pm**
- 06/17 Adoration 4-7pm/Mass 7pm/Praise & Worship 8-9pm Youth Ministry 7pm**
- 06/18 Mama Margaret Guild serving snow cones to campers**

**Extra Ordinary Ministry of Holy Communion meeting  
June 02 @ 7PM**

**If you are interested in serving the home bound you will need to attend this meeting Fr Steve would like to get this started as soon as possible.**

**Permanent Diaconate**

Gentlemen of the parish, have you ever considered increasing your ministry in the church as a permanent deacon. There are two inquiry sessions being offered by the diaconate office on June 23, 2026 and August 20, 2026. Deacon Ed is available to answer any of your questions and provide his insight on the diaconate.



"Anyone who wants to be great among you must be your servant" MT. 20: 26-27

Family Trust Love Purpose



**Camp Mary Help**

We are a Catholic day camp serving children 5-14 years old

**7 Weeks**

- Week 1: June 8-12**
- Week 2: June 15-19**
- Week 3: June 22-26**
- Week 4: June 29- July 2**
- Week 5: July 6-10**
- Week 6: July 13-17**
- Week 7: July 20-24**

**Open House**

- Saturday, February 28; 10:00 am- 1:00 pm**
- Sunday, April 12; 12:00 pm- 3:00 pm**
- Saturday, May 2; 10:00 am- 1:00 pm**

**Camp Activities**

- Daily Mass
- Swimming
- Kayaking
- Tubing
- Archery
- Arts & Crafts
- Farm Education

**\$250 per week**

- 8:00AM - 4:00PM**
- \*Discounts and extended hours available



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**MARY HELP OF CHRISTIANS  
PARISH OUTREACH**

- Cereal / Granola Bars
- Ramen Noodles / Soup
- Gift Card-\$10 - Great need !!!!!!!!!!!
- Diapers - Sizes 5, 6 & 7 - Baby Wipes
- Chef Boyardee, Mac & Cheese
- Peanut Butter & Jelly needed
- Canned tuna / Chicken
- Fruit Cups

Our goal : To fill 65 blue bags with the listed items.  
Next Outreach is 06/20/2026 Meet at Mary Help at 8am.

**Outreach update**

On Saturday, May 16, 2026, we arrived at our distribution spot on 22nd St and found 61 people anxiously waiting for our arrival and in the end, we serviced 84 individuals. In the last two months, in distributing the blue bags to individual families, we have come up short by a couple of bags. So, we are increasing the number of bags to 65, hopefully being able to at least give a bag to each family. With that being said, we are asking for additional help in filling these bags so that we can continue to aide as many families as possible. Remember to keep praying for them so that they may know that Our Lord and Blessed Mother are walking with them in their journey..

**Weekly Gift Giving**

**Weekend of May 23, 2026 to May 24, 2026**  
**Attendance 243 Envelopes 25**

Mass Offertory	\$	2,100.00
Loose checks	\$	550.00
Online Giving	\$	2,399.00
Candles	\$	48.00

**TOTAL \$ 5,097.00**

**Our Salesians on Retreat**

From May 31st to June 6th our Salesian priests and brothers will be on their yearly retreat. This is a time for them to reduce their daily activities and to take additional time to pray, reflect, and rest in the Lord. On our part, it is our duty to pray for them in a special way asking the Holy Spirit to continue to fill them with His Graces. Because of the retreat there will be no 12:10pm Masses this week. The weekday 6:45am Mass and the 7:00pm Monday and Wednesday Masses will still be said.

**Are you interested in sharing Gods message to others. We are in need of Faith Formation teachers for the next school year. If you are interested please see AnnMarie Brummet at 813-431-6490 / [cre@mhctampa.org](mailto:cre@mhctampa.org) or reach out to the parish office at 813-626- 7588 or [parish@mhctampa.org](mailto:parish@mhctampa.org).**



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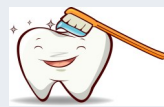
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May 31, 2026



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**MISSION STATEMENT**

Our Parish here in Tampa, FL, is a Catholic Church dedicated to the Mother of God under her title as Help of Christians, is a place of joy, worship, welcome, evangelization and reconciliation. As a Salesian Parish in the Diocese of St. Petersburg we commit ourselves to having a deep-seated preference for working with the young especially those who are poor, while striving to minister to the corporal and spiritual needs of all our members and visitors as well. We pray and work for peace, love, truth, and social justice through active stewardship and service notably with the assistance of our advocate Mary Help of Christians, and her great devotee St. John Bosco. We hope to provide an opportunity for everyone who worships with us to be transformed into people courageously living the Gospel.

**Mass Schedule**

**Daily: Monday-Friday 6:45am(Chapel)**  
**12:10 (Chapel)**  
**Monday & Wednesday 7pm (Church)**  
**Saturday Vigil 5pm-(Church)**  
**Sunday 8am (Church)**  
**11am (Church) livestreamed**  
**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**  
Every Wednesday  
4:00pm-6:45pm Silent Adoration  
8-9pm Praise & Worship Adoration  
**Sacrament of Reconciliation**  
30 minutes prior to Weekend Masses  
**Korean Ministry**  
Sun 9:20am Mass

Contact the parish office 813 626 7588 for information on Annulments, Baptisms, Weddings, Home Visits, Hospital Visits. Sacrament of the Sick or Reconciliation. We are available Mon thru Friday, from 9am to 3pm. Call for appointments.

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