

MOST HOLY TRINITY // MAY 31, 2026 // YEAR A

# HOLY CROSS CHURCH



## *A word from Fr. Rod...*

On this Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, the Gospel of John (3:16-18) brings us straight to the heart of the mystery: the Father's immense love for the world, the giving of the Son so that we might have life, and the call to believe that we might not be condemned. The Trinity is not a distant abstraction but the life of God poured out for us — the Father who loves, the Son who is sent in love, and the Spirit who draws us into faith so that the gift of eternal life may be received. In these verses we see the relational, redemptive face of God, revealed in one act of divine generosity.

As a parish family we are summoned to respond in trust and witness: to believe afresh in the saving love poured out from the Father through the Son and to cooperate with the Spirit who awakens faith and transforms hearts. Let this feast renew our prayer, deepen our participation in the sacraments, and inspire concrete acts of mercy so that others may encounter the God who gives life. May our lives reflect the Trinity's pattern of self-giving love, that all might come to believe and live in the light of God's saving embrace.

Let's always be mirror of Trinity's self-giving love!

*Fr. Rod*



Diocese of Greensburg  
A Pennsylvania Charitable Trust  
A Parish of the Greensburg Diocese

### *Parish Office Hours:*

**Monday - Thursday:** 9am-4pm  
(closed 12-1  
for lunch)

### *Mass Times:*

**Saturday (Vigil):** 5pm  
**Sunday:** 8am & 10am  
**Monday - Thursday:** 8am  
**Friday:** No mass

**Holy Day (Vigil):** 6pm on the  
evening prior  
and 8am on  
Holy Day

### *Contact:*

711 Depot St.  
Youngwood, PA 15697  
724-925-7811

# OUR PARISH IN NUMBERS

## STEWARDSHIP

May 24, 2026

Offertory:	\$3,492
Online:	\$1,397
Loose:	\$388
Monthly Operating Expenses:	\$265
Children:	\$4
Candles:	\$104
Mother's Day:	\$20
Ascension:	\$25
Father's Day:	\$15
VBS:	\$1166
Weekly Budget Need:	\$7,700
Actual Weekly Offering:	\$6,876
Difference This Week:	(\$-824)
Year To Date Budget Need:	\$161,700
Year To Date Actual Offering:	\$135,444
Year To Date Difference:	(\$-26,256)

### Diocesan Collections

Comm./Media:	\$10
Peter's Pence/Holy See	\$5



*June 6/7*  
*Burns*  
*Frick*  
*Glorioso*

## Mass Attendance

5PM:	106
8AM:	67
10AM:	89
Total:	262



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[osvhub.com/holycross-church/giving/funds](https://osvhub.com/holycross-church/giving/funds)

### HOW WE GIVE:

Families Receiving Envelopes:	335
Families Using Envelopes:	87
Families Using Online Giving:	38

As of May 19, 2026  
**\$74,825**  
Pledged by Holy Cross Parishioners

# MASS INTENTIONS

## Most Holy Trinity

<b>Sat</b>	May 30	5PM	† Jeanne Murray (Jim, Jim, & Sheila)
<b>Sun</b>	May 31	8AM	<b>Living &amp; Deceased Parishioners of Holy Cross</b>
		10AM	<b>Geonni Hartzell Birthday (Jo &amp; George Hartzell)</b>
<b>Mon</b>	June 1	8AM	<b>In Remembrance of Charles &amp; Mary Sistik's 75<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary (Sistik Family)</b>
<b>Tues</b>	June 2	8AM	<b>In Remembrance of Stanley &amp; Carole Wojciechowski 53<sup>rd</sup> Wedding Anniversary (Carole)</b>
<b>Weds</b>	June 3	8AM	† Lily Davis (Andrea Himelinski)
<b>Thurs</b>	June 4	8AM	† Joe Vesely (Denny & Mimi)
<b>Fri</b>	June 5		<b>*** NO MASS ***</b>

## Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ

<b>Sat</b>	June 6	5PM	<b>In Honor of Eleanor Hamrock's 99<sup>th</sup> Birthday (Nieces &amp; Nephews)</b>
<b>Sun</b>	June 7	8AM	† Roy & Helen Howell (Pauline & Rick Bair)
		10AM	<b>Living &amp; Deceased Parishioners of Holy Cross</b>

## THE WORD

"Glory and praise for ever!"

**Daniel 3:52, 53, 54, 55 (52b)**

**Reading 1** - Exodus 34:4b-6, 8-9

"Having come down in a cloud, the Lord stood with Moses there and proclaimed his name, 'Lord.' Thus the Lord passed before him and cried out, 'The Lord, the Lord, a merciful and gracious God, slow to anger and rich in kindness and fidelity.'"

**Reading 2** - 2 Corinthians 13:1-13

"Mend your ways, encourage one another, agree with one another, live in peace, and the God of love and peace will be with you."

**Gospel** - John 3:16-18

"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."

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# PARISH HAPPENINGS

## 2027 Mass Intentions

Mass Intentions are now being taken thru December 2027! Please contact the parish office to reserve your intention dates.

## Parish Council Meeting

The Holy Cross Parish Council will meet TOMORROW, Monday, June 1<sup>st</sup> @ 7PM.

## Land of Peace and Bethlehem Christian Families - THIS WEEKEND

In these challenging times, we invite you to a special event taking place following all Masses-Roni Salsa from Bethlehem Christian Families, a not-for-profit organization through Land of Peace, will be with us to share insight into the struggles faced by Christians in the Holy Land. This mission seeks to bring hope and support to Christian families and churches in the Middle East, who continue to endure ongoing violence and a significant decline in tourism. Your participation can help make a profound difference.

Religious articles handcrafted from olive wood—native to the Holy Land and Bethlehem—will be available for purchase. These items include crucifixes, rosaries, and other devotional pieces, offering a tangible connection to this sacred land.

We encourage you to join us and support this meaningful cause. For more information, please visit [www.landofpeace.org](http://www.landofpeace.org).

The need is constant.  
The gratification is instant.  
Give blood.



## Youngwood Community Blood Drive

## Youngwood Fire Hall

Wednesday, June 10, 2026

12:30PM-6PM

[redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org) | 1-800-RED CROSS

## Important Dates:

Parish Picnic - June 28

Parish Festival - September 12/13

## STANDING ANNOUNCEMENTS

Need to **include something in the bulletin** for next week? The deadline for submission is always 12pm on Tuesday. Please call the parish office to make arrangements.

If you would like to **schedule a sacrament** for yourself or a loved one please call the parish office for baptisms and anointing of the sick. For weddings please ensure to give at LEAST 6 months notice.

Holy Cross is **accepting reservations for altar flowers and sanctuary candles** in honor or memory of a loved one. Cost is \$75 for flowers and \$25 for the candle. Call the parish office for more details.

If you, a loved one or friend are **in need of extra prayers**, contact Judy Field at 724-217-2037 to **be placed on the Parish Prayer Chain** no matter what the need is, large or small, we are here to pray for that need.

## REGULAR MEETINGS

### Knights of Columbus

Second Monday of each month @ 7:00PM

### Women's Guild

Will resume in October

### Bible Sharing

First Thursday of each month @ 6:00PM

### Rosary & Adoration

First Friday of each month @ 12:00PM

# OTHER NEWS

## Flea Market @ St. Emma Monastery

The Benedictine Sisters of Saint Emma Monastery will hold their annual indoor/outdoor flea market and food sale Thursday, June 18, from 2-7 p.m. (early-bird special, \$5 admission for adults), Friday, June 19, from 10 a.m.-5 p.m., and Saturday, June 20, from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. (50% off most items; bag sale after 2 p.m.). Food will be available for eat-in or take-out. For more information, visit [www.stemma.org](http://www.stemma.org).

## Rummage Sale @ St. Florian Parish

A rummage sale will be held Thursday, July 23, from 6-8 p.m., Friday, July 24, from 8 a.m.-noon and 6-8 p.m. and Saturday, July 25, from 8-11:30 a.m. and noon-1 p.m. A bake sale and kitchen will be open Friday and Saturday. For information, call Pat Bush at 724-261-9700.

## Matters of Sexual Misconduct Information

If you have any suspicion about the sexual abuse (or any other type of abuse) of a minor child by anyone — please contact PA ChildLine immediately at 800-932-0313. If the alleged abuser is functioning in a parish, school or diocesan position as clergy, religious, paid staff or volunteer you are also requested to contact the Bishop’s Delegate for Matters of Sexual Misconduct after you have called the ChildLine number and made the report. The Bishop’s Delegate may be reached at 724-837-0901, ext. 1221.



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SAT • JUNE 6**

**Christ Our Shepherd Center  
Greensburg**

Tours will be available to our schools, faith formation students, human service agencies and county representatives on **Friday, June 5 between 10AM-4PM.**

The exhibit will be open to all on **Saturday, June 6 between 1PM-7PM** during the Diamond Jubilee Summer Celebration commemorating the 75th Anniversary of the Diocese of Greensburg.

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**DIAMOND JUBILEE SUMMER CELEBRATION**

**1951 2026**  
Diocese of Greensburg

**Christ Our Shepherd Center**  
2900 Seminary Drive, Greensburg, PA 15601

**SATURDAY JUNE 6**  
1:00-7:00PM

**BISHOP LARRY J. KULICK** invites you to join him for a celebration of the **75th ANNIVERSARY** of the Diocese of Greensburg

## Interested in joining Holy Cross?

It is a blessing to welcome new members to our parish. Please register as soon as possible in order to participate in our various programs, ministries and activities. Drop this form in the collection basket and we will send you a detailed registration form or go to our website: [www.holycrossyoungwood.org](http://www.holycrossyoungwood.org)

If you are already a member and have changed any of your personal information please call the Parish Office or return the changes on the form below.



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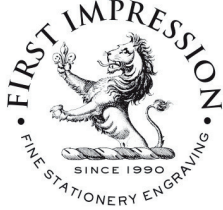
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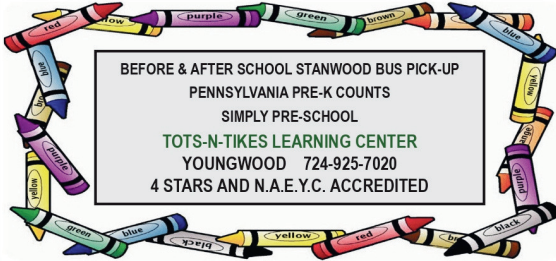
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Proof of Address & ID to Apply

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