

DEAR BLESSED TRINITY PARISH FAMILY,
 Thank you for the honor of receiving the Jerry Ziegler Lifetime Achievement Award. When my family moved here in 1985, I decided to center our lives around the parish community. It has been wonderful working and sharing life with so many dedicated people. Three of my favorite activities to be involved in have been Eucharistic Minister, Catechist's Assistant, and Parish Council Member. Blessings to all of you, Liz Holtz

BLESSED TRINITY PARISH,
 Thank you for the generous donations made to Anchor of Hope through your Baby Bottle Drive. Your support is vital to our ability to save lives in Sheboygan County. We truly appreciate you!
 ~Jennifer Ludens, Director of Donor Relations

THANK YOU TO THE PARISH LANDSCAPE VOUNTEERS!
 We extend our sincere thanks to those who work on a weekly/monthly basis to ensure our parish grounds remain well-kept and beautiful: Warren & Helen Leider, Mark & Deb Hasler, Pat & Mary Waitkus, and Linda Goedert & Curt Bretall.

THE CANTICLE OF TOBIT
 At the end of a year, we often look back and examine the year and how we have faired. In the book of Tobit: Chapter 13, vs. 1-7, Tobit reminds us of how important it is for us to turn to God and give praise. Tobit became one of my favorites when I started going blind, for Tobit also had lost his sight, but he never gave up on praising God. The message is clear, no matter what happens, always turn to God and give praise. *Deacon Sy*



SHEBOYGAN FALLS HOLIDAY PARADE
 The Sheboygan Falls Holiday Parade will be held the evening of **Saturday, December 1st**. The parishes of Blessed Trinity and St. John Evangelist are entering a float in the parade. Our float will consist of a Living Nativity scene. Members of both parishes are encouraged to join us in singing Christmas Carols as we walk with the float along the just-under-a-mile parade route through downtown Sheboygan Falls. Those who would participate should gather at the Bemis Manufacturing parking lot located at 300 Mill Street, Sheboygan Falls, between 3:30 PM and 4:00 PM. The parade will start at 4:30 PM. For those who would prefer not to walk the parade route, there is seating on the float for a limited number of people. Looking forward to seeing you all there.

STUFF THEIR STOCKINGS WITH PERFECTLY SIZED GIFTS: SCRIP GIFT CARDS!
 SCRIP refers to a variety of gift cards and certificates that you buy directly from Blessed Trinity Parish. You can buy cards from popular retailers, including grocery stores, gas stations, home improvement centers, restaurants, and more. Each time you buy SCRIP from Blessed Trinity, the retailer donates a percent of the sale to the parish. It's a great way to help raise funds for the parish!



CALLING ALL BAKERS & CANDY MAKERS
 Save the Date: It's time to bake! Make plans now to donate your homemade Christmas cookies and candies for Blessed Trinity's Annual Homemade Christmas Cookie & Candy Sale, which will take place on **Saturday, December 15**, from 9 AM to Noon in the Gathering Area. You'll be able to drop off your donations ahead of time, and there is no required minimum regarding the number of baked goods to donate. More details about the sale will be published in future bulletins.



Easy ways to buy SCRIP:

- **At the Parish Office** (Monday-Friday 8-11:30 AM)
- **Online:** www.shopwithscrip.com (Email lynn@btsje.org for the enrollment code.)
- **After weekend Masses** in the Gathering Area

Please note...

- **Special orders must be placed by Sunday, December 9, to ensure delivery by Christmas.**
- The Parish Office will NOT be ordering SCRIP from Great Lakes SCRIP Center the weeks of November 18 and December 23 & 30.
- Pick-A-SCRIP Gift Certificates are ONLY available at the Parish Office.

From Oct. 1-31, 2018	SCRIP Sales: \$13,080.00	SCRIP Profit: \$466.11
--------------------------------	------------------------------------	----------------------------------

CELEBRATING 175 YEARS



On **Sunday, November 25**, the Archdiocese of Milwaukee will begin a year-long celebration of its 175th anniversary beginning with an **Opening Mass, 2 PM** at the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist (812 N.

Jackson St., Milwaukee). All Catholics are invited to this Mass celebrated by Archbishop Jerome E. ListECKI, Auxiliary Bishop Jeffrey R. Haines and Auxiliary Bishop James T. Schuerman, along with priests of the Archdiocese of Milwaukee. A reception will follow at the Pfister Hotel (424 E. Wisconsin Ave., Milwaukee). Mass and reception are expected to be at full capacity – please plan to arrive early. Questions? Call Jenni Oliva (414) 769-3585. For more information on the anniversary events, please see the insert in today's bulletin and watch future bulletins for more events.

BULLETIN BOARD NEWS

Volunteer Hospital Communion Ministers Needed:

The Catholic parishes in Sheboygan County minister to the Catholic patients at Sheboygan Aurora Memorial Hospital. We currently have a great group of dedicated volunteers who take Holy Communion to the patients. We are looking for additional volunteers to cover the schedule. There are a variety of days available. Please prayerfully consider if this might be your calling. Training will be provided. If interested, please contact Mary Petrie at Holy Name of Jesus Parish 458-7721 or Rochelle Ross at St. Peter Claver Parish 457-9408, ext. 108.

The **Celtic Spirit Concert** will be held on **Sunday, November 18**, 3 PM at St. Peter Claver Catholic Church (1439 S. 12th Street, Sheboygan). Performed by Cantores Christi composed of choir members from Immaculate Conception, Holy Name of Jesus, St. Clement, St. Peter Claver and St. Dominic Parishes. Open to the public. Freewill offerings appreciated.

FREE Thanksgiving Day Dinner on **Thursday, November 22**, 11 AM-2 PM at the Christ Child School gymnasium (2722 Henry Street, Sheboygan). Everyone is welcome. Pie donations accepted at the gym on **Wednesday, November 21**, 8:30 AM-3 PM. To volunteer at the dinner, please call the Gingham Girls at 457-1405.

Marytown Altar & Rosary Society Christmas Craft, Quilt, & Bake Sale will be held on **Friday/Saturday, November 23/24** from 9 AM-4 PM at the Marytown Athletic Field Community Center. Many beautiful Christmas items, candies, cookies, bars, etc. Free admission!

The **Traditional Latin Mass** will be celebrated on **Sunday, November 25**, at Holy Name (Sheboygan) at 3 PM, with Rosary and Confessions before Mass.

First Reformed Church (Sheboygan Falls) will hold a **Good Shepherd Community Meal** on **Tuesday, November 27**, from 5-6 PM. This meal is being prepared and served at First Reformed Church by volunteers from Blessed Trinity Parish.

Holy Hill invites you to join us on **Saturday, December 1**, for a **Day of Reflection** in preparation for the coming of Christ! Attendees will begin their Advent Season with spiritual conferences, silent prayer in the presence of Our Lord, and Holy Mass with the Discalced Carmelite Friars at Holy Hill. The first conference begins at 10 AM. The day concludes with Mass at 4:30 PM. Cost: \$25/person. **Register by calling (262) 628-1838 by November 28.**

HELPING KIDS FOR A THANKSGIVING DRIVE

Thanksgiving is going to be here before you know it and Helping Kids has 9 families that we are helping with food. Helping Kids would like to be able to give the kids and their families some extra blessings this Thanksgiving. Please consider donating some very much needed food items and placing them in the Blue Room in the "Helping Kids Ministries" containers. If you wish to make a monetary donation, please write your check out to Sheboygan Falls School District and in the memo line write Helping Kids and drop it off at the Parish Office during normal office hours. Below is a list of items needed. Thank you for your support. *God's Richest Blessings, Kathy Rowe – Helping Kids*



Spaghetti sauce & pasta, canned fruits, apple sauce, Jell-O/instant pudding, peanut butter & jelly, pancake mix w/water only, pancake syrup, cereal, soups, canned vegetables/potatoes, box potatoes, pasta & rice side dishes, taco dinner kits, box pizza kits, small bags of goldfish crackers, Hamburger Helper, canned chicken/tuna, granola bars/fruit snacks, muffin mix bags, hot tamale/sloppy joe mix, instant hot cereal, macaroni & cheese, small boxes of minute rice, canned meats (turkey & hamburger), canned beef stew, cookie mix bags, box stuffing, canned sweet potatoes, boxed mashed potatoes, gravy, and canned jellied cranberries. Hygiene items needed: 2-1 shampoo & conditioner, body wash, toothpaste/toothbrushes, dental floss, & deodorant guys/girls.