BLESSED TRINITY PARISH REVISED SCHEDULE DUE TO CORONAVIRUS As of May 21, 2020

The Bishops of Ohio have agreed to begin a soft opening allowing for the public celebration of weekday Mass in order to prepare for the public celebration of the Solemnity of Pentecost (May 30th & 31st).

Please be aware of these significant changes to Blessed Trinity's public celebration of Eucharist:

- Social distancing (i.e. sitting 6 feet apart) between worshippers will be maintained between members of one household and another. Family members may sit together.
- The faithful are obliged to wear a mask (or face covering) upon entering the church and during the celebration of Mass. Re-usable face coverings sewn by talented parishioners as well as disposable masks will be available at no cost.
- Only the center doors off of Tallmadge Avenue will be used to enter / exit the church. Emergency exits will be maintained. Hand sanitizer stations will be provided at the church entrance.
- There will be NO congregational singing and / or choral singing at our public liturgies. Instrumental music (except for brass or wind instruments) will be permitted to assist in liturgy.
- The pews (including the kneelers), door handles and other common surfaces will be disinfected after every Mass.

If you are in the high-risk category and /or if you find any of the above changes uncomfortable / unacceptable, remember that the bishops have given dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass. You are still encouraged to keep the Lord's Day holy and continue to join in a spiritual communion while watching or listening to livestreamed or radio broadcast.

Weekday Masses will resume on Monday May 25, Memorial Day with mass at 9 am and then our regular Mass schedule will resume. Eucharistic Adoration and Confession times will NOT resume yet. Any member of the faithful is free to contact their parish priest to arrange the sacrament of reconciliation.

As we all face this pandemic together, for the health and safety of everyone - please continue to pray to the Holy Spirit for perseverance, patience, and guidance!

The Blessed Trinity Food Pantry remains open. Call 330-475-0321 for an appointment.