

St. Agnes Catholic Church

Terrier & Cherry Rd. Intersection, Sarcoxie, MO
June 4, Solemnity of the Holy Trinity 1870

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MASSES FOR June 4 – June 11

Saint Agnes

Sunday	10:30 a.m.	+Frank and Bertha Boes
Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	Justice & Peace
Thursday	8:30 a.m.	+Poor Souls in Purgatory
Sunday	10:30 a.m.	+Theresa Heidlage

St. Mary's

Mon.	8:15 a.m.	Rosary & Communion
Wed.	8:15 a.m.	
Fri.	8:15 a.m.	
Sat	4:00 p.m.	
Sun.	8:30 a.m.	

EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Sunday, June 4

Monday, June 5

Tuesday, June 6

Sunday, June 11

Mission Co-op Collection. We would like to welcome Father Doug Grandan
Memorial of Saint Boniface, Bishop and Martyr
Rosary for Life at 8:00 A.M.
Catholic Communication Campaign

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Tuesday, June 13

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Friday, June 16

Saturday, June 17

Father Peter's 53rd Ordination Anniversary
Memorial of Saint Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church
Memorial of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
Memorial of The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

YOUR GIFT TO THE CHURCH: \$913.00

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Servers</u>	<u>Extra Ordinary Min.</u>	<u>Gift Bearers & Ushers</u>
6/04	Kathy Eck Amber Wilson	Sterling Elbert	Maria Wagner Jane Kutz Cheryl (K) Elbert	Cheryl (K) Elbert & Jane Kutz
14	Kimberly Prince Sally Heidlage	Isaac Chorum	Kimberly Prince Eric Prince Leah Heidlage	Dennis Heidlage & Paul Heidlage
21	Cheryl (K) Elbert Sandy Thorn	Elsie Chorum	Thomas Adamson Mark Adamson John Heidlage	Lee Kutz & Ray Elbert
28	Doug Pickering Cheryl (R) Elbert	Sterling Elbert	Charlotte Pickering Patrick Wolfe Doug Pickering	James Campbell & Doug Pickering

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS: Margie Mettlach, Marie Jasumback, Jim and Veda Perrin, Marion Tomlinson Williams, Monta Heidlage, Guessie Pierce, Karen Sweeney and all the sick and shut-ins of our parish

THANK YOU; to Margie Lambeth for donating several beautiful begonias to St. Agnes for Memorial Day, and to Cheryl(k) Elbert for distributing them to families after mass. Everyone was so happy to receive such lovely plants.

THANK YOU; to the ladies who hosted the reception for the graduates and the First Communicants. It was lovely.

Solemnity of the Holy Trinity

Sunday June 4

Ex 34:4b-6,8-9
Daniel 3:52-56 (52b)
2 Corinthians 13:11-13
John 3:16-18

Monday June 5

St. Boniface
Tb 1:3; 2:1a-8
Ps 112:1b-2,3b-6
Mark 12:1-12

Tuesday June 6

Tb 2:9-14
Ps 112:1-2,7-9
Mark 12:13-17

Wednesday June 7

Tb 3:1-11a,16-17a
Ps 25:2-5b,6,7b-9
Mark 12:18-27

Thursday June 8

Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde,9-17;
8:4-9a
Ps 128:1-5
Mark 12:28-34

Friday June 9

Tb 11:5-17
Ps 146:1b-2,6c-10
Mark 12:35-37

Saturday June 10

Tb 12:1,5-15,20
Tb 13:2,6efgh,7-8
Mark 12:38-44

On the first Sunday after Pentecost, we celebrate and honor God's character as the Most Holy Trinity.

The first reading shows us the Father parenting the baby nation of Israel. We see that he is merciful and gracious, "slow to anger and rich in kindness and faithfulness" – the Perfect Father.

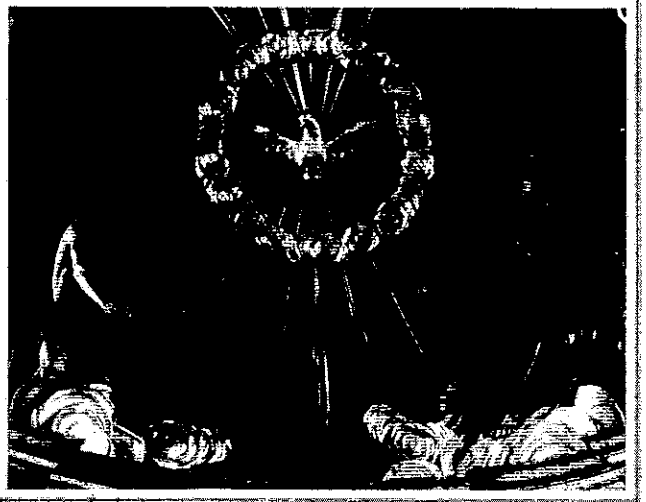
If we have difficulty seeing him this way, it's because we've never experienced a human father-figure who showed us what perfect fatherhood looks like. Our spirits need healing. We've been projecting human imperfections onto our image of God. Even the best parents and teachers fall short of the wonderfulness of God's fatherhood. We need to consciously differentiate him from our human dads and other human authorities.

The second reading shows us the entire Trinity: the grace of Jesus, the love of the Father, and our friendly partnership with the Holy Spirit. In this and because of this, we are to rejoice, mend our ways, and live in

peace with one another.

In other words, because Jesus bore our sins as he died on the cross and then conquered death, he provides us with grace so that we can resist sin, and he provides us with the Father's love so that we can love one another no matter what, and he provides us with the Holy Spirit, who fellowships with us and empowers us so that we can continually live as holy Christians.

The Gospel reading shows us the depth of the Father's love. He doesn't condemn us for our sins; he gives us



his Son to rescue us from the destructive results of our sins.

Our sins condemn us and sentence us to eternal death, but Jesus saves us from this by taking us to eternal life – *if we want him to!*

Reflect & Discuss:

- † Which Person of the Trinity do you know the least? Or feel distant from? Or fear?
- † How have human relationships interfered with your ability to feel God's closeness?
- † Which Person of the Trinity do you know best? Why?
- † How is the Trinity the perfect example of a good, loving, healthy relationship?