



# BLESSED TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH

October 15, 2017

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### MASS SCHEDULE AT BLESSED TRINITY

#### WEEKEND

Saturday 4:00 pm and 6:00 pm  
Sunday 7:15 am, 8:45 am, 11:00 am,  
1:00 pm Spanish, 5:00 pm Life Teen

#### DAILY

Mon—Fri 7:10 am and 5:30 pm  
Wednesday 8:15 am (follows school schedule)  
Thursday 6:30 pm (Spanish)  
Saturday 8:00 am

**Reconciliation** Thursday 7:00pm (Spanish)  
Saturday 2:45—3:30pm (English)  
5:00—5:30pm (English)  
Sunday 12:15—12:45pm (Spanish)

### MASS SCHEDULE AT OUR MISSION CHURCHES

#### WEEKEND

Saturday 7:00pm (Spanish)  
Sunday 10:15 am at Christ the King  
7:00 pm at La Guadalupana  
(Spanish)

#### DAILY

Tuesday 7:00 pm at La Guadalupana  
(Spanish)  
Wednesday 5:30 pm at Christ the King

## PARISH LIFE

OCTOBER 15, 2017 ~ TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**MISSION STATEMENT:** *Blessed Trinity Catholic Church Stewardship Community recognizes Jesus is Lord. We believe that our Time, Talent and Treasure are gifts from God to be used for the spiritual, educational and social needs of our community, the Diocese and the world at large, especially the poor.*

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**NEW PARISHIONERS ARE WELCOME** to stop by the Church Office to register Monday through Friday 8:00 am to 5:00 pm or stop by the Parish Hall the first Sunday of each month following the 8:45 am and 11:00 am Masses.

**BAPTISM:** We are pleased to help your family prepare for the special event of your child's entrance into our faith community. To help parents and godparents prepare, a class (English) is held the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:30 pm in the Community Center and in Spanish the 2nd Saturday of each month, at 9:00 am at Guadalupana. Parents and Godparents must attend this class prior to scheduling baptism.

**MARRIAGES:** If you are planning to be married at Blessed Trinity, your preparation process should begin at least four (4) months prior to desired date. We look forward to helping you during your time of engagement and preparation for the vocation of Christian marriage. Call the Church Office for an appointment with one of our priests.

**SICK CALLS AND HOSPITAL VISITS:** If you or a family member are in a local hospital or homebound and would like to receive Communion or Sacrament of the Sick, please call the Church Office at 629.8092 or Sister Juliet at x3211. When registering at the hospital, put your name on the Catholic List.

### STEWARDSHIP BY THE BOOK

In today's second reading, St. Paul thanks the Philippians for being willing to share in his hardships and promises that God, in turn, will fully supply all their needs. Our God truly cannot be outdone in generosity!

#### ADS OF THE WEEK

**GREGORY A. PARKER, D.D.S.**  
South Pine Medical Park  
352.732.3985

**PERSPECTIVE 3000 INC**  
General Contractor  
352.307.4250

Please see our Ads at the back for all our business supporters.

#### WORD OF LIFE

"We must listen to God, who speaks to us. Having a well-formed conscience doesn't mean we have all the answers to the complex problems in the world, but it does mean that we are sensitive to the needs and struggles of other people."

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities  
"Understanding Conscience,"  
[www.goo.gl/fc6bMA](http://www.goo.gl/fc6bMA)

# SPOTLIGHT

# STEWARDSHIP

## MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT

### BLESSED TRINITY CARNIVAL COMMITTEE

This committee is involved with all the planning of the BT Carnival. This is a separate committee and is different than the mandatory 4 hour shift that all school families have to work. It is our school's largest fundraiser and is one of Marion County's largest events.

For more information please contact Jami Brady at 352.572.6095 or email: [Jami@btcarnival.org](mailto:Jami@btcarnival.org)

### NEW PARISHIONERS :

Anne Zanotelli  
Jerome and Helen Cooke



## STEWARD OF THE WEEK

### MARIE NORBURY ELDER CARE

Thank you to Marie for coming to Elder Care and sharing her time and talents with our clients.

It is greatly appreciated.

Thank you for being  
a faithful Steward!

### BAPTISMS:

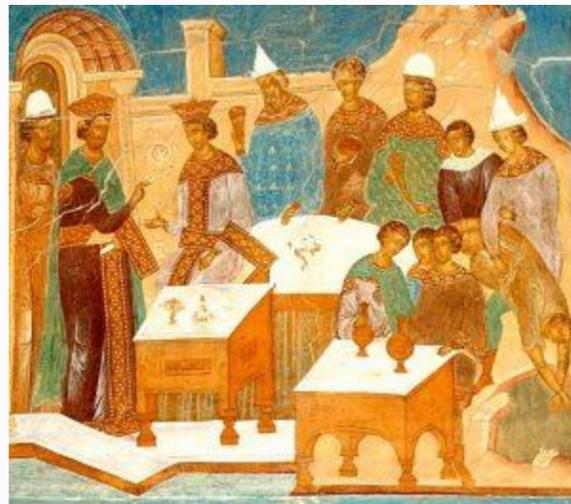
Today's Gospel from the Book of Matthew again includes parables. We have been hearing the Lord share parables with us throughout our readings in recent weeks. Interestingly Matthew contains 23 parables (or teachings classified as parables), while Luke has 28. Mark has only nine, and John has none.

The first parable we hear today is called The Parable of the Wedding Feast. In this story shared by Jesus for our benefit a king is hosting a wedding feast for his son. He sends out invitations and people ignore them or choose not to respond. It may seem somewhat remarkable to us that people turn down an invitation to a royal wedding feast.

Yet, the Lord invites us to join Him on a regular basis through Holy Scripture and the Sacraments. Many ignore the invitation, and in most cases are not even aware of the fact they have received it. Those who read this are aware of the invitation. The question is "How do we respond?"

What do we do after we attend a Holy Mass? What is our reaction to the reception of Christ's incredible gift in the Eucharist? We may not make light of it like some of the people in the parable, but if we merely go our separate ways, and do not strive to be active disciples, we are basically doing the same thing as those Jesus describes in this parable. In one of his first appearances Pope Francis declared, "Go make disciples of all nations." We cannot make disciples unless we are ourselves disciples.

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## STEWARDSHIP 101

Stewardship 101 is a 45 slide and witness presentation of the Spirituality of the Stewardship Way of Life. The next presentations will be held **TODAY, October 15th** at 10:00am in Room 102 of the school. We encourage all, especially new families to go to one of these listed sessions. All new school families (BT or TCHS) are required to attend.

## DONATIONS FOR PUERTO RICO

Catholic Charities has set up a program whereby there will be one truck in each deanery to accept items for the victims of Hurricane Maria. The truck will be delivered to St. Timothy at 10:00 AM on Friday, October 13 and will remain in the North Parking Lot until 10:00 AM Monday, October 16. Items needed: Paper plates, plastic forks and spoons, napkins, non-perishable food items, hygiene items, diapers, powdered formula, batteries, flashlights, antibacterial wipes.

## THE TRIANGLE

Thanks to all who contributed an article for "The Triangle" just published.

If you did not get one you can pick up one at the Church office over the next few weeks. If you know of someone, near or far, who might be interested in our Uganda Sister Parish just mail "The Triangle" to them.

We mail out about 50 copies to various people and we get a good "return."

## HAITI MISSION TRIP



Our family is going on a mission trip to Haiti in April 2018. While we are there, we will be doing community

outreach at the Life Teen base. Our overall goal is to raise \$3,000.00. This will cover all our expenses on the way to and our time in Haiti. Please feel free to visit our go-fund-me page. This will be the easiest way to donate. Thank you!

[www.gofundme.com/Nantz-Haiti-Mission](http://www.gofundme.com/Nantz-Haiti-Mission)

## READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK

Is 45:1, 4-6

1 Thes 1:1-5b

Mt 22:15-21



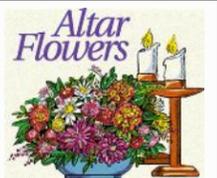
## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, Oct 16	7:10 am L/D Sisters of IHMR 5:30 pm Christina Lipari †
Tuesday, Oct 17	7:10 am Dotty MacNeil † 5:30 pm Kenneth Melia, Sr. †
Wednesday, Oct 18	7:10 am Beverly Pietruszka † 8:15 am Jerry Litterine † 5:30 pm Rose & Mike Behan †
Thursday, Oct 19	7:10 am Allan Goodman † 5:30 pm Bernie Schultz (L)
Friday, Oct 20	7:10 am Allan Goodwin † 5:30 pm Thomas E. Scalley III †
Saturday, Oct 21	8:00 am Thelma & Ric Tapanan † 4:00 pm Tony & Isabell Lachermeier † 6:00 pm Margaret Daleo †
Sunday, Oct 22	7:15 am Paul Michael Ceresini † 8:45 am Christina Lipari † 11:00 am Jim Leeward † 1:00 pm Spanish Community 5:00 pm Jack Kennedy †

Your prayers are requested for John Bialouarczuk who has recently died.

## ALTAR FLOWERS

Please call the Church Office at 629.8092 x3201 if you would like more information on placing flowers on the altar.



Oct 14/15:	In memory of Debbie Bullard by the Bullard & Burzotta Families
Oct 21/22:	In memory of Bruce Pintok by the Pintok Family
Oct 28/29:	
Nov 4/5:	
Nov 11/12:	In memory of Kevin Duris by the Duris Family
Nov 18/19:	



**EMAIL ALERTS!** If you would like to receive emails regarding all upcoming Life Teen events, news and updates, please email Shelby Conner: [sconner@blessedtrinity.org](mailto:sconner@blessedtrinity.org)

**Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup>**—Join us for Mass, dinner, and Life Night. We will be continuing our Series “Ex Tenebris Lux”. Tonight we will be learning about the promises God has made throughout scripture. Bring a friend and see you there!

**Sunday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>**—Join us for Mass and a night at the Blessed Trinity Carnival! Please note dinner will not be provided.

**BONFIRE:** Life Teen’s annual All Saints Day bonfire is coming up! Plan to join us immediately following Mass, on October 29<sup>th</sup>. Please note that we will arrive back to church later than normal, around 9:30pm. Plan ahead to get your homework done! If you want to join us, please email Shelby to sign up, so she can send you a permission form, and to get an accurate head-count for transportation & food.

**GET YOUR TICKETS!**

Our annual Stewardship Appreciation Dinner will be at 6:00 p.m. Sunday, November 19, in the Parish Hall. All are invited to this FREE dinner to thank you for all that you do!

There is one rule: Each person **MUST** get a ticket for the dinner. Tickets are FREE. By handing out tickets we know exactly how much food to order. We don’t want to waste!

This system has worked very, very well in the past years. Let’s keep it working!

Volunteers will be handing out tickets after all Masses the weekends of October 21-22 and October 28-29.

If you have any questions, please call Jim Ross at 208-1960.

See you at the dinner!

**EXPRESSION OF GRATITUDE**

My sincere thanks to the Team/Coordinators of CRHP and all supporters of this beautiful Ministry, for the wonderful, spiritual women’s retreat of 9/30-10/01. What a rewarding experience!  
In Christ, Dominga Muriel-Flynn



**EDGE**

Any questions please email: [ocalaedge@gmail.com](mailto:ocalaedge@gmail.com) or follow us on FB at Blessed Trinity EDGE or instagram @BTOcalaEdge



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

**MEETINGS**

2nd Wednesday of the month, 7:30pm, K of C Hall

Next meeting is **Wednesday, November 8th.**

**Share your time and talents and have fun doing it!**

Brother’s Keeper is looking for volunteers to assist in our thrift store, with our emergency assistance program, and our daily Soup Kitchen. Call Jason at 622-3846 if you're interested.

**FULL-TIME MAINTENANCE POSITION**

Blessed Trinity is seeking a qualified individual to join the parish maintenance staff. Applicant should have some knowledge and experience in the following areas: minor electrical, minor plumbing, HVAC, painting, trimming and mowing, general repairs. This is a full-time position – 40 hours/week, Monday – Friday, 7:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. All employees of the Diocese of Orlando are required to successfully complete fingerprinting and background screening. Please submit resume and application available on the church website: [www.blessedtrinity.org](http://www.blessedtrinity.org) or at the church office to Fran Harwas, Human Resource Director, [fharwas@blessedtrinity.org](mailto:fharwas@blessedtrinity.org), 352-629-8092 ext. 3212.



We have a large variety of pocket stones & tokens! We have healing prayer cards with a medal for various illnesses: Breast Cancer, Stroke, Respiratory Ailments, Heart Disease, Diabetes, Alcoholism, Drug Addiction, Broken Bones, just to name a few. Adorable soft plush angel bears for that adorable new addition to the family. We have key chains, Guardian Angel visor clips, bumper magnets and rear-view mirror charms. Stop in to see our new items!

**Featured Book of the week: “The Miracle of Father Kapaun”**

“...He was awarded posthumously the Medal of Honor, the nation's highest military award, and is also being considered by the Vatican for canonization as a saint. Just as remarkable are the many non-Catholic witnesses who attest to Father Kapaun's heroism: the Protestants, Jews and Muslims who either served with the military chaplain in the thick of battle or endured with him the incredibly brutal conditions of a prisoner of war camp... These Korean War veterans, no matter their religion, agree that Father Kapaun did more to save lives and maintain morale than any other man they know. Then there are the alleged miracles the recent healings attributed to Father Kapaun's intercession that defy scientific explanation. Under investigation by the Vatican as a necessary step in the process of canonization, these cures witnessed by non-Catholic doctors are also covered in this book.”

**The Blessed Trinity Gift Store Hours:**

**Wednesday\*** 3:00pm—6:00pm

*\*10% off all regular priced items.*

**Saturday:** 3:00pm—4:00pm, 5:00pm—6:00pm

**Sunday:** 8:00am—8:45am, 9:45am—11:00am, 12:00pm—1:00pm, 4:00pm—5:00pm

**ADORATION CHAPEL  
IMMEDIATE NEEDS FOR ADORERS**

**Sundays: 4:00am—5:00am**

**Sundays: 5:00am—6:00am**

**Tuesdays: 2:00am—3:00am**

**Wednesdays: 1100pm—Midnight**

This is the high point of our stewardship way of life here at BT, it is a blessing that each family commit one hour a week to the Adoration chapel; please prayerfully consider this ministry’s needs and if you are unable to serve, please pray that God will send individuals to sustain this core ministry, here at Blessed Trinity.

For your special hour of praise before the Blessed Sacrament call or email: Carol Blackstock, Adoration Coordinator, [carolblackstock@gmail.com](mailto:carolblackstock@gmail.com) 352.622.7348 or 352.425.8638 or fill out the Invitation to Perpetual Adoration form that is in the Stewardship Room or in the Adoration Chapel and put the form in the Offertory collection or drop off at the Parish Office.

**FACILITIES CALENDARS**

It’s that time of year again to submit your calendar request for meeting locations. **ALL** ministries and organizations need to submit a calendar for **JANUARY – JUNE 2018** indicating the name of the organization/ministry, the facility requested, starting and ending times and name and phone number of the contact person making the request. **The school has made some changes to the classroom accessibility. Rooms 202 and 203 are NO LONGER AVAILABLE.** Calendars will be available in Church Office. Please return these completed calendars to the Church Office, Attention: Katherine Baker.

**STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE ~ WEEKLY OFFERINGS**

Weekly Offering	October 8, 2017		
Envelope Total:	913	\$ 39,503.03	Year to date collection: \$1,380,924.56
Electronic Offering Total:	235	\$ 29,981.36	Year to date <b>budget:</b> \$1,542,840.00
Total Children’s Offering:		\$ 19.24	Year to date deficit: <b>(\$161,915.44)</b>
Non-Sunday	102	\$ 16,960.88	
<b>Grand Total for Week:</b>		<b>\$ 86,464.51</b>	Sister Diocese \$ 287.00
Amount needed for Operating Expenses:		\$102,856.00	Belize \$ 745.00
<b>Difference</b>		<b>(\$16,391.49)</b>	

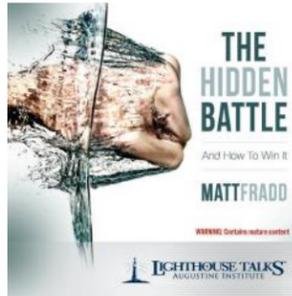
“Thank you for your donations.”

Reminder: Do your best to put your envelope number on the “memo” line of your check.

## PARISH APP

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## LIGHTHOUSE CATHOLIC MEDIA



### THE HIDDEN BATTLE

Matt Fradd is a highly sought-after Catholic speaker and apologist. In this inspiring talk, Matt explains that there is nothing shameful in seeking to live a porn free life. Listen as Matt lays out a seven-step

battle plan on how to uproot the vice of pornography in your life once and for all. He is also the founder of ThePornEffect.com, a site offering help to people recover from pornography.

**PLEASE NOTE:** The CD/Book Kiosk has been relocated to the Stewardship Room. The cost of the CD's and Books is \$4.00. To keep this ministry available please deposit \$4.00 per CD/Book. Your cooperation is appreciated. Thank you.



### Has the loss of a loved one impacted your life?

Jesus understands grief. Death can cause great pain and confusion for the living, even those of strong faith. Whether your loss was recent or remote, someone young or old, a sudden or expected loss..... The grief process can be challenging.

We can help.

**The program is free**, but registration is required.

Want to know more about the upcoming **Grief Support and Recovery** program?

Please call Sheila Leary at 671-7621 **OR**

Casey Ball at 687-1081.

Please leave a message for prompt response.

## BLESSED TRINITY SENIOR CRAFTERS

We meet every Thursday at 10:00am in the Community Center. Please come and join us in our ministries for BT Gift Shop, The Alpha Center for Women, and the Homeless. Any Questions please call Sharon at 352-873-7089.

## SOUP KITCHEN CASSEROLES

Our monthly Brothers Keeper aluminum pan distribution will be done during the weekend of October 21/22. Please pick up your pans after Mass and help us continue to feed our community's needy.



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## CARWASH



The Trinity Catholic Swim Team will be holding a carwash this Sunday, October 15th to help offset the cost of uniforms and meet entry fees. They were second in their district last year and sent many swimmers to the Florida State Championships.

## FLU SHOT CLINIC

The Parish Nursing Ministry in conjunction with Walgreens will be administering flu shots here at Blessed Trinity in the Parish Hall on Saturday, October 14th from 3:30pm-7:30pm and on Sunday, October 15th from 8:00am-1:00pm.

AND AGAIN on Saturday, October 28th from 3:30-7:30pm and Sunday, October 29th from 8:00am-1:00pm. Medicare and most insurance accepted!

**FREE FLU SHOTS AT GUADALUPANA** on Sunday, October 15th from 6:30pm-8:30pm.

**THE COVENANT MISSION TEAM (CMT)** has started up again for the 2017-2018 season. We will be meeting at 7:00pm on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month in the Parish Hall for about an hour. Our next meeting is on 10/17. In June, the team will travel to a community in Central America or the Caribbean. On these trips, we immerse ourselves into the community by holding bible school for school age children, engage in construction projects and reach out to the local people for fellowship. These trips are both challenging and extremely rewarding. If you feel that God is calling you to mission work, then please come to this meeting to discover more about who we are and what we do.

## PEACE & SOCIAL JUSTICE

We are selling **FAIR TRADE** coffee, tea, cocoa, and olive oil from Latin America, Asia, Africa, India, & Palestine, after all Masses this weekend. We also have single serve coffee. These **FAIR**



**TRADE** products are purchased by **EQUAL EXCHANGE**, a member of the **CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES FAIR TRADE PROGRAM**. The purchase of these items supports the creation of producer co-operatives that bring cultural, social and economic benefits to entire poor communities. And, our purchase of these products help us as Catholics to live our faith more fully by applying its values to the choices we make as consumers.

## NEW Altar Servers Training

The Altar Servers ministry is training new altar servers *each Wednesday in October (18<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>), from 5:30-7:00pm* in the church. Space is limited to 12 students and attendance is required for *each* of the training sessions. Altar serving is open to any Catholic youth that is in 5th grade-12<sup>th</sup> grade. Your serving commitment is 1-2 masses per 8 week schedule cycle and



additional masses during the busier holiday times. This is a wonderful ministry focused on learning the Mass in detail, while serving at the Altar of Our Lord. We look forward to all those youth ready to share their time and talent with our ministry. Please email [btaltarservers@gmail.com](mailto:btaltarservers@gmail.com) to register and reserve your spot for training or if you have any questions. The next training sessions will be offered in May.

## SPIRITUAL ADOPTION OF UNBORN BABIES

Our parish Respect Life Ministry is asking families and individuals to pray daily for a baby who is in danger of abortion.

This involves:

- Pledging a daily prayer. Spiritual Adoption cards are available in the Parish Hall the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month or at the Hospitality Center. Like Mary and Joseph ask God to inspire each family to say "yes" to bring forth their child.
- Help the education of others about the development of a pre-born child by spreading good materials.
- Bring baby items to Brother's Keeper or the pregnancy center to help young moms.

## ULTREYA CANCELLED FOR OCTOBER!

Unfortunately, due to the conflict with the BT carnival we are also going to have to cancel October's Ultreya. I know this is unfortunate and disappointing, but we will look forward to seeing you all on November 18th. The host group will be Steven Conn, Mike Taccetta, Aaron Harris, and Ken Marino. If you are interested in showing your thanks for all God's blessings please feel free to bring cash to support the Brother's Keeper efforts to assist the homeless during the Thanksgiving holidays. For questions regarding Cursillio/Ultreya please contact Terry Schultz Nourse at [docterrysn@gmail.com](mailto:docterrysn@gmail.com) or 352-817-5553.



# Human TRAFFICKING

AWARENESS

Human trafficking and exploitation is a global phenomenon with effects that reach many local communities including several here in central Florida. Every ministry professional, parish staff, volunteer team and pastoral leaders should know the warning signs, understand the risks, and be aware of the factors that victimize people and communities – here in central Florida.

The Diocese of Orlando is raising awareness about this issue through community collaboration and information sharing. Join deacons David Gray and Fred Molina on **Thursday, October 26, 2017 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Orlando** from 9 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. as they share information and resources for parishes to help foster awareness in their communities. The event is \$10 per person which includes morning hospitality, lunch and materials. If you cannot attend this meeting you can download the information and resources from [www.orlandodiocese.org](http://www.orlandodiocese.org)

### CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS!!

The Gift shop needs your help! The requirements are: **MUST** be fingerprinted through the Orlando Diocese & have a passion for this ministry.

We have many SHIFTS available:

- Saturdays: 3-4pm & 5-6pm
- Sundays: 8-8:45am, 9:45-11am, 12-1pm, 2-2:30pm (Spanish), and 4-5pm
- Wednesdays 3-6pm

If you feel the calling please contact Darlene Daspit (352-598-6087) or Reina Matychak (352-843-6737)

### Blessed Trinity Parish Welcoming Ministry

New to our parish family?  
Want some information on getting involved?  
Please stop by and let us introduce ourselves  
and offer our assistance.

**We will be available after Masses  
in the Chapel/Cry Room**

**4:00pm & 6:00pm – October 21st  
7:15am, 8:45am, 11:00am – October 22nd**

**If you would like to meet after any other Mass  
or on a different date please do not hesitate to  
contact**

**Janice Ferguson 352-817-6949 or  
email: [Castle.janice@gmail.com](mailto:Castle.janice@gmail.com)**

### ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

Brother's Keeper Outreach Ministry is accepting applications for our **Thrift Store Operations Coordinator**. This is a full-time position. Scheduled work hours are Monday through Friday from 8am-4:30pm with occasional work on Saturdays. Applicants should be able to satisfactorily complete the following duties;

- Interface with all clients, customers, volunteers, and staff in a helpful, friendly, and professional manner.
- Drive our box truck to pick up food, furniture, and other donations. Must be able to lift 50 pounds or more.
- Oversee vehicle maintenance.
- Oversee building maintenance and cleaning according to daily/weekly checklists.
- Perform operational duties according to daily schedule.
- Assist volunteers in store as needed.
- Assist Executive Director with special projects.

Qualified candidates must pass a background check. Applicants can submit resumes via email to Jason Halstead, Executive Director ([jason@btbrotherskeeper.org](mailto:jason@btbrotherskeeper.org)) and complete an application at Blessed Trinity Church, located at 5 SE 17<sup>th</sup> Street in Ocala.



## BROTHER'S KEEPER

A Ministry of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church

### 2017 Holiday Help Drives

*Information for Applicants*



Each year, Blessed Trinity and Brother's Keeper helps hundreds of families during the holiday season. **Eligible families receive food for Thanksgiving and food & gifts for children under 16 at Christmas.** It is only through the generosity of many others in our parish and community that we're able to provide this assistance each year.



#### *Holiday Sign-Ups:*

**October 9 through November 3**

Monday – Friday from 9a-12p and 1p-4p

#### *Who's Eligible:*

**Families with at least one child under the age of 16**

#### *Applicants Need:*

**Photo ID** with Marion County address,  
**Social Security cards** for adults and children,  
**Birth Certificates** for children,  
**Lease and Utility Bill** to prove residency

#### *Pick-Up Dates/Times:*

Thanksgiving: **Tuesday, November 21** from 8:30a-4:30p

Christmas: **Friday, December 22** from 8:30a-4:30p

#### *Pick-Up Location:*

**Knights of Columbus Hall | 1510 SE 3rd Ave, Ocala, FL 34471**

*Located at the north end of the Blessed Trinity parking lot*

**\*Bring Photo ID when picking up**