### MASS SCHEDULE

#### **Weekend Masses**

Saturday at 5:00 pm Sunday at 9:00 am Latin Mass at 11:00 am

#### **Confessions**

First Saturday 10:30 - 11:15am Saturday 4:00- 4:40 pm

#### **Weekday Masses**

Tuesday 12:00 pm Wednesday – Friday 9:00 am First Saturday 10:00 am

#### **Holy Day Masses**

See bulletin for Mass times

#### **Adoration & Holy Hour**

First Fridays 9:30 am - 3:30 pm First Saturday after Mass until 11:15 am

#### **Anointing of the Sick**

By request - contact the parish office

#### **CLERGY**

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#### **Office Hours:**

8:00 am - 3:00 pm Monday - Thursday 8:00 am - 1:00 pm Friday

**Parish Office** is located in the house to the north of the church.

The nearest Catholic schools are: Elementary: Corpus Christi Catholic School, 2410 N. Cascade, phone: 632-5092

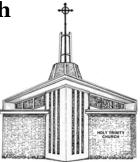
CorpusChristicos.org

**High School**: Our Lady of Walsingham, 2410 N. Cascade Phone: 719-368-9131 St. Mary's, 2501 E. Yampa St.,

Phone: 635-7540

**Holy Trinity Catholic Church** 

3122 Poinsetta Drive Colorado Springs, CO 80907 Phone: 719-633-2132

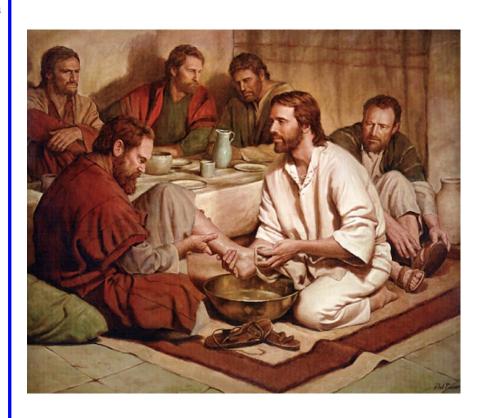


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"When you have done all you have been commanded, say, 'We are unprofitable servants; we have done what we were obliged to do." (Luke 17:10)

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time October 5, 2025

### Communion to the Homebound

Do you know someone in our parish who is temporarily or permanently homebound or in a nursing home and would like to receive communion weekly? Please call the office to schedule a homebound visit or to schedule a nursing home visit. If you are a mandated EMHC or would like to become one and would like to volunteer for this ministry, please contact the parish office.

# Leave a Legacy to Holy Trinity

Catholic legacy gifts are an essential part of the wishes of parishioners to provide for their parish, a specific ministry, or the diocese at the time of their death. This can occur through direct giving by way of a will or trust, through a beneficiary gift from a retirement or life insurance policy, or via an endowment through the Catholic Foundation of the Diocese of Colorado Springs to name a few examples. These generous gifts help continue the great work and missions within the Diocese of Colorado Springs.

Deacon Marc Wood is the Planned Giving and Legacy Officer for our Diocese. mwood@diocs.org

### SHARE Food Item of the Week

**Feed the Poor...** Please help us feed the poor by donating the following items for SHARE Thanksgiving food baskets:

> "Canned Sweet Potatoes and Canned Vegetables"

#### Sacraments

**Baptisms:** Baptism preparation class is required for all parents and godparents, and they must be registered in a Catholic parish and members in good standing. Contact the parish office to schedule an appointment. Marriage: All engaged couples participate in a Marriage Preparation Program (a policy of the Diocese of Colorado Springs), Contact the parish office AT LEAST ONE YEAR IN ADVANCE of your planned marriage to begin preparation.

Sacrament of the Sick/Emergencies: Dial 633-2132, ext 1. Calls are monitored on a regular basis.

Funerals: Please call the parish office before scheduling date and time with a funeral home. The parish office schedules presiders, musicians, and servers in consultation with family members.

> Please contact the parish office for additional information at (719) 633-2132.

### Volunteer Ministries at Holy Trinity

Adoration Cindy Dronenburg Altar Linens Pauline Staton-Dunn Altar Servers Clergy Baptismal Prep Classes Clergy Bereavement Dinners Judie Scott **Bulletin Stuffers** Elaine Ivan Coffee and Donuts Bud & Judie Scott Communion - Home Bound Judie Scott

Communion - Nursing Homes Clergy Confirmation Joan Kilman Environment Gretchen Dunnam Faith Formation Joan Kilman Finance Council

**FOCCUS** 

Holy Trinity Ladies Guild **Knights of Columbus** Lectors / EMHCs / Greeters Lighthouse Catholic Media Marian House Soup Kitchen

Marriage Prep / Marriage Retreat

Money Counters OCIA Outdoor Environment Pastoral Council

Respect Life Scouts Senior Dinners SHARE Food Program

& Giving Tree Stewardship Ushers Vocations

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Pastor Den Andy & Gretchen

Judie Scott John Longmore Chuck Pavlica Darrin French Dick & Evelvn Koprowski

Dunnam

Pastor Jane Biondi Phil & Connie Pratt Danielle Hrovat Don Dornan Matt Niedzielski Mike Bartusek Mike Bartusek Jane & Vince Biondi Patty & Joe Burke Susan Pavlica Pete Dunn

For more information, call the Parish Office 633-2132

Pastor

### **New Parishioners**

**Not a parishioner of Holy Trinity?** There are many reasons to become a registered member: religious education classes, opportunities for Christian service in the community, letters of recommendation to serve as godparents and sponsors for newcomers to the faith, pre-printed tithing envelopes (if desired), an annual report of your charitable offerings and a subscription to the Colorado Catholic Herald. Registration forms are available in the fovers or online at www.holytrinitycos.org.





### Twenty - seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

### **October 5, 2025**

# Weekly Events Calendar

#### Sunday, Oct 5

Coffee & Donuts after Masses until 1:00 pm - cafeteria **9:50 am:** Children's Religious Ed - classroom **12-7:00 pm:** Iconography Workshop - Hope House

Monday, Oct 6

7:00 pm: Boy Scouts - Hope House

Tuesday, Oct 7

6:30 pm: Latin Study Group - Hope House

Thursday, Oct. 9

9:30 am: Bible Study - Hope House

6:00 pm: Knights of Columbus - Hope House

Sunday, Oct. 12

K of C Breakfast Burritos after Masses 9:50 am: Children's Religious Ed - classroom 10:00 am: Adult Catholic Studies - Hope House 11:30 am: OCIA/Catholic Refresher Course - HH

# Please pray for...



Please pray for Tom Gonzales who passed into eternal life September 28, 2025.

"Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and may perpetual light shine upon him. May the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.

# Offertory

Offertory	\$ 5,823.21
Weekly Goal	\$ 8,000.00
YTD Goal	\$ 104,000.00
Actual Offertory to Date:	\$ 130,005.47
Over (Under) Goal	\$ (994.83)

**Thank you** to all who continue their support to the church with tithes. Please feel free to continue to mail or drop off your donation at the office.

You may also donate online at: www.holytrinitycos.org.

#### **On-line Donations:**

There are two DONATE HERE buttons on our web page. Quick Links on the right side or under the Follow Us On Facebook link. When you click on either of the DONATE HERE buttons, it will take you to a donation page that has 'Holy Trinity Catholic Church' and a little tiny picture of our parish in the upper left hand corner. If you have any questions, please call the office.

### Mass Times & Intentions

#### NO DAILY MASSES Oct. 6 - 10, 2025

#### Saturday, Oct. 11

5:00 pm: ♣ Tony McCormick

by: Frank & Hatsi McCormick

#### Sunday, Oct. 12

9:00 am: Colleen Kilman

by: Dave & Joan Kilman

11:00 am Pro Populo

To request a Mass intention, please call or email the parish office. Donations for already requested Masses can be made through the parish website, by check or cash. Be sure to specify 'Mass Intentions' with your donation so we can match it to the requested date.

### Pikes Peak Life Chain

Please stand for Life at the Pikes Peak Life Chain **this Sunday afternoon** from 1:30 - 3:00 at Austin Bluffs Pkwy & Academy Blvd. Free signs provided on both sides of the street. Parking is available at Rocky Mountain Calvary.

# Vocations Prayer Calendar

Please pray for our Diocesan Bishops, Priests, Deacons & Seminarians. This week's schedule is:

Oct 5: Fr. August Stewart

Oct 6: Fr. Rafeal Torres-Rico

Oct 7: Joseph Hourigan, St. Gregory the Great Seminary

Oct 8: Joel Flinn, Spirituality Year Oct 9: Fr. Timothy Corbley, IV, DEI

Oct 10: Vincent Smith, Mt. St. Mary's Seminary

Oct 11: Stephen Ambuul, St. Gregory the Great Seminary

Eternal Father, we lift up these priests, deacons, and seminarians of our Diocese. Sanctify them, protect and guide them, and mold them into the likeness and holiness of Your Son, Jesus, the Eternal High Priest. May their lives be pleasing to You. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

# **Adult Catholic Studies**

#### THE BIBLE AND THE SACRAMENTS



While we all know a sacrament is an outward sign instituted by Christ to give grace, few of us know the biblical basis for each one. This year, we continue Matthew

Leonard's Scripture-based video series by examining the Old Testament origins of Baptism, Confirmation, Matrimony, and Holy Orders...and Christ's fulfillment of them in the New Testament.

Oct 5 & 12	No Class
Oct 19	The Waters of Salvation
Oct 26	On a Mission for God
Nov 2	The Sacrificial Offering
Nov 9	The Lamb of God

Exorcist Files: As a follow-up to last year's talk on the demonic, we now focus on well-known exorcist Fr. Carlos Martins. He says that if the devil is present, there is a reason. He says young people are encountering Satan but without religion to guard them. And he counters the idea that faith is all that is needed to reach heaven, explaining that the devil has more faith than any of us...but will never get there!

Tomb of St. Peter: According to Mt 16:18, Christ said, "You are Peter and upon this rock I will build My Church." In a fascinating history lesson, Phil Pratt will summarize the surprising discovery of the tomb of our first pope, directly under the altar of St. Peter's Basilica in Rome! Learn why the excavation was done in secret and what persuaded Pope Paul VI to declare that Peter's bones had, indeed, been found.

Saints: Michelle Duppong: Keeping our annual commitment to study at least one saint, we'll explore the life of a FOCUS missionary who recently died and is already a Servant of God. Thanks to the words of family, friends, priests, and doctors, you'll learn how this woman joyfully lived and bravely died...and why she's on her way to sainthood.

Nov 16 Exorcist Files Nov 23 Tomb of St. Peter Nov 30 No Class

Dec 7 Saints: Michelle Duppong

Dec 14-28 No Class

Holy Trinity Adult Catholic Studies meets Sundays at 10 am in the Hope House.

# **SHARE Holiday Food Baskets**

As in the past seventeen years, Holy Trinity will once again donate food baskets to needy families in our community, for both Thanksgiving and Christmas. Additionally, we will be offering the Christmas Giving Tree, whereby parishioners can pick a tag and purchase a gift for a child.

The Thanksgiving distribution is set for Saturday, November 22nd and will include: stuffing, sweet potatoes, canned vegetables, cranberry sauce, gravy mix, fresh potatoes, fresh pumpkin pie and a gift card for the purchase of a turkey. We will also collect names for the Christmas Giving Tree during the Thanksgiving distribution.

The Christmas distribution is set for Saturday, December 20th and will include: ham, scalloped potatoes, canned vegetables, pancake mix and syrup, candy canes, hot cocoa mix, Christmas cookies and fresh produce.

All of these donations depend 100% on the generosity of Holy Trinity parishioners. In the vestibules, you will find donation envelopes for this ministry. Simply drop your donation in the offertory anytime before Christmas.

If you know anyone in need of a food basket or Christmas gift, please call the parish office at 719-633-2132. Names submitted last year will be carried over this year, each family on our list will be contacted individually.

Thank you for your support!

### **ACT** for Freedom Now!

ACT for Freedom Now (AFFN) is a Catholic grassroots organization dedicated to ending human trafficking and pornography through prayer, fasting, almsgiving and awareness. AFFN is asking all parishioners to "Just Do Something!" After Mass, please sign up to "Do Something" to end modern slavery. How many rosaries and how many times can you fast during the month of October to save our children? Please register your number with Cindy after Mass.

### Family Event with Bishop Golka

2025 Rosary Rally

Discover Hope through the Rosary Come pray the rosary and attend Mass celebrated by Bishop Golka followed by his keynote talk. October 11, 2025 from 9:00 -11:30 am Holy Apostles Catholic Church 4925 N. Carefree Circle

## Holy Rosary Feast Day

On October 7th, 1571 a fleet of ships assembled by the combined forces of Naples, Sardinia, Venice, the Papacy, Genoa, Savoy and the Knights Hospitallers fought an intense battle with the fleet of the Ottoman Empire.

The battle took place in the Gulf of Patras located in western Greece. Though outnumbered by the Ottoman forces, the so-called "Holy League" possessed of superior firepower would win the day.

This victory would severely curtail attempts by the Ottoman Empire to control the Mediterranean, causing a seismic shift in international relations from East to West. In some respects, the world that we know came into being with this victory. This event is known to history as the "Battle of Lepanto."

Pope Pius V ordered the churches of Rome opened for prayer day and night, encouraging the faithful to petition the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary through the recitation of the Rosary.

When word reached the Pope Pius of the victory of the Holy League, he added a new feast day to the Roman Liturgical Calendar- October 7th would henceforth be the feast of Our Lady of Victory. Pope Pius' successor, Gregory XIII would change the name of this day to the feast of the Holy Rosary.



# Praying the Rosary

Holding the crucifix of the Rosary, make the Sign of the Cross.

It is good to begin your Rosary by offering it for some intention. Example: "I offer this Rosary for all my spiritual needs and those of my family, for the conversion of sinners, in reparation for my sins and those of all sinners, for world peace and the triumph of Mary's Immaculate Heart."

On the crucifix, pray the Apostles' Creed.

On the first single bead after the crucifix, pray an Our Father.

On each of the next three beads, which are grouped together, pray a Hail Mary.

After the three Hail Marys, pray the Glory be. This is where the "decades" begin.

On the next single bead, announce the decade and then pray an Our Father. (Example: "The First Joyful Mystery, the Annunciation. Our Father, Who art...")

On each of the ten beads that follow, pray a Hail Mary while meditating upon the mystery assigned

Looking at a picture depicting the mystery may make it easier to meditate.

After the ten Hail Marys, pray the "Glory be" and "O my Jesus..."

Repeat steps 6 and 7 until you have prayed all 5 decades.

Many Catholics also pray the "Hail Holy Queen," the Prayer to St. Michael, and the Litany of the Blessed Virgin at the end of the Rosary.

To listen, visit: https://kenrick.edu/rosary/

### Inferno Men's Conference

Join Bishop Golka, Fr. Chad Ripperger, Jesse Romero, Fr. Nathan Cromley, Kieth Nestor, and Chris Stafanick November 15, 2025 at the Antler's Hotel from 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM.

Register at Infernomen.com

# Senior/ Family Dinner

Dinner will be held **Sunday, October 19, from 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm** in the cafeteria. The cost is \$4 per person. The menu includes, sauerbraten, bratwurst, green beans, red cabbage, German potato salad, dessert, and rolls. Please RSVP to Mike Bartusek (719) 640-8057.

### Holy Trinity Thanksgiving Baskets

The holidays are coming!! It is time to begin our annual food drive to provide holiday meals for our families in need. We need your help to accomplish this goal. Your generosity has always made it possible for us to make this a success.

The items we are going to need for Thanksgiving are:

Stuffing Mix
Canned Sweet Potatoes
Canned Vegetables
Gravy Mix
Cranberry Sauce

Food collection bins can be found at both entrances of the church. We will be collecting these items for Thanksgiving from 10/4 through 11/16/25. There will be more information to follow regarding Christmas food collection.

We are also accepting cash donations for the purchase of turkeys, fresh produce and fresh pies. Please make your check payable to HT SHARE and drop in the offertory basket.

If you know of a family in need of a holiday basket, please contact the church office at 719-633-2132.

Thank you for your support. Jane and Vince Biondi Roy Johnson Patty and Joe Burke

Second Collections				
Oct 19	World Mission Sunday			
Nov 9	Military Services, USA			

# **Bad Weather Policy**

If there is a snow **delay** for Corpus Christi Catholic School or District 11, we **will** have Mass on Tuesdays at noon;

**no** Masses if a delay lands on Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday.

Snow **closure**; **no** daily Mass and the office is closed on that weekday.

Please be prudent in making a decision to come for Mass if the weather is questionable.

# K of C Breakfast Burritos

The Knights of Columbus will have breakfast burritos after both Masses on October 12th .

Please come support our Knights!



### Please pray for...

Barbara Barbee ~ Brent Barkley ~ Wayne & Rhonda Bauer ~ Kimberly Bergeron ~ Patricia Beyerl ~ Alverna Bieker ~ Brett Billesbach ~ John Billesbach ~ Mark Billesbach ~ Don Brown ~ Ken & Catherine Budzon~ Ann Burger ~ Charles Caldon ~ Karen Cross ~ Mercy Cruz ~ Amanda Dennis ~ John DeWitt ~ Leon Dunn ~ Anita Edwards ~ Shari ~Edwards ~ John Erickson ~ Mildred Espinoza ~ David & Sara Fandel ~ Rick Fandel ~ Don & Marie Feller ~ Dennis Feller ~ Matthew Feller ~ Anne & Darrin French ~ Elaine Gardner & family ~ Donna Griffin ~ Margaret Hays ~ Toni (Bartusek) Higgins ~ Karrie Hoskisson ~ Barbara Isner ~ Cathy Johnson ~ Jim Lahey ~ Catherine Lahey ~ Ed Lahey ~ Harry Lambrecht ~ Beverly Lemmon ~ Sylvia Linzy ~ Raymond Magic ~ Heidi ~Arbogast Manus ~ Marie Marinko ~ Mae Martinelli ~ Stephen Martinelli ~ Joyce Mason ~ Denise Mastro ~ Alice Matthew ~ Ian McClory ~ Jesse McCoon Frank McCormick ~ Louise McPhillips ~ Doug & Cheryl Moloney ~ Tiffany Mothershead ~ Teddie Myers ~ Steven Nagel ~ Mark Newman ~ Mark O'Donnell ~ Steve Pavlica ~ Richard Phelps ~ Jason Piaggio ~ Dan Pitsko ~ Danelo Pohlson ~ Lincoln & Amanda Pogge ~ Susan & John Pogge ~ Jim Pratt ~ David Putnam ~ Floyd & Leila Quintana ~ Don Rantz ~ Cami Reavis ~ Joseph Rivas ~ Mary Ann Rivas ~ Angie Romero ~ Valerich Romero ~ Tony Rowan ~ Cliff Rutherford ~ Andy & Dee Sabol ~ Linda Schell ~ Meredith Schell ~ Sue Schenk ~ Ayla Anne Scott ~ D. Gregg Scott ~ Judie Scott ~ Barbara Sebben ~ Jeff Sebben ~ Juanita Sharpe ~ Joseph Shirley ~ Patrick Shook ~ Kay Sinnot ~ Tom Sinnott ~ Adam Smith ~ Jaida Sousa ~ Kathy Stiffler ~ Stanley Strock ~ Carmelita Tafoya ~ Lynn Toth ~ Tyler Turnell ~ Gloria Tuttle ~ James Vanderwerf ~ Simon Vanderwerf ~ Cynthia Vialpando ~ Carol Wadman ~ Rich & Meg Wagner ~ Emily Weidinger ~ Carole Woolman ~ Don Wurr

Note: If your loved one's name has been on this list for more than two years or has recovered please call the office to remove their name from the prayer list to make room for others in need of prayer. Thank you.

October 11-12 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time						
	5:00 P.M. 9:00 A.M.		.М.			
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S	Mike	Bartusek	S	Dick	Koprowski	
L1	Gretchen	Dunnam	L1	Pauline	Staton-Dunn	
L2	Patrice	Gunderson	L2	Dick	Koprowski	

# Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA)



Do you want to understand the Catholic Church better?

Do you wonder what your Catholic spouse believes and why?

Have you ever thought about entering the Catholic Church?

Have you been baptized but have not received the Sacraments of Eucharist or Confirmation?

Our OCIA program offers the opportunity to learn about the Church's beliefs, Biblical foundations, and beauty...as well as her 2000-year-old history, traditions, and practices.

Our classes focus on the teaching of the Church, their foundation in Scripture and Tradition, the truth and beauty of the Church, and the experience of being Catholic. They will prepare you to enter the Church and to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, First Communion, and Confirmation.

Please join our OCIA process to ask your questions, get answers, and share your own insights and faith story.



### **Bulletin Announcements**

Bulletin announcements must be submitted no later than noon on Tuesday. Please send announcements to: htparishoffice@holytrinitycos.org.

### Readings

#### Oct 5, 2025 through Oct 12, 2025

**Sunday:** Hb 1:2-3, 2:2-4 Ps 95:1-2, 6-9

2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14 Lk 17:5-10

**Monday:** Jon 1:1-2:2, 11, (Ps) Jon 2:2-5, 8,

Lk 10:25-37

**Tuesday:** Jon 3:1-10, Ps 130:1b-4ab, 7-8, Lk 10:38-42 **Wednesday:**Jon 4:1-11, Ps 86:3-6, 9-10, Lk 11:1-4

**Thursday**: Mal 3:13-20b Ps 1:1-4, 6, Lk 11:5-13 **Friday**: JI 1:13-15; 2:1-2, Ps 9:2-3, 6, 8-9, 16

Lk 11:15-26

**Saturday:** Jl 4:12-21, Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12, Lk 11:27-28

**Sunday:** 2 Kgs 5:14-17, Ps 98:1-4,

2 Tm 2:8-13, Lk 17:11-19



## St. Michael the Archangel Prayer

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the Devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls.

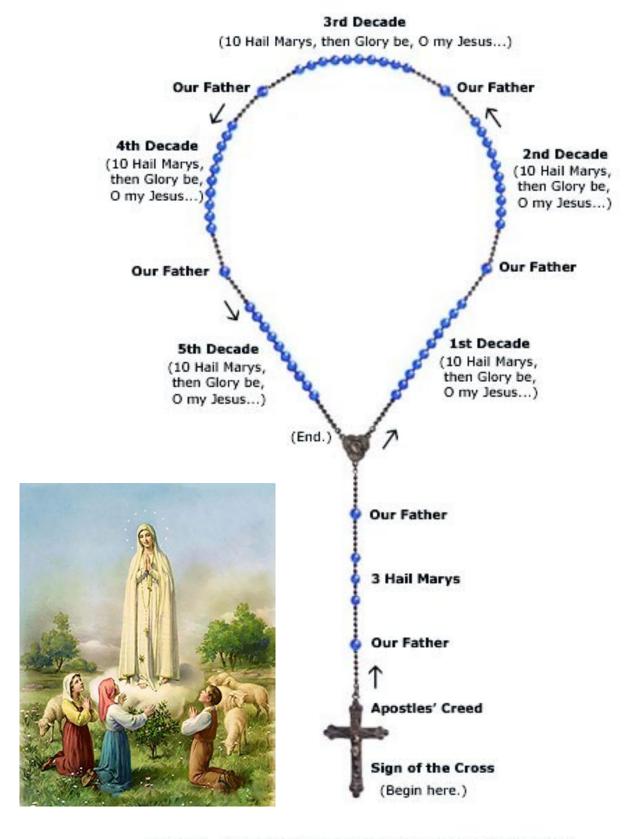
Amen.

# **Update Membership Information**

If you have moved, changed your phone number, name or email address, have a new baby in the family or a child who is no longer living at home, please let us know so we may update your registration. Please call the church office at 633-2132 or email httparishoffice@holytrinitycos.org.

Thank you for your help!!

Pope Leo XIV made a special invitation Sept. 24 for everyone to pray the rosary every day throughout October, which is traditionally observed by the Church as the month of the Rosary.



At Fatima, Our Lady asked that we pray at least 5 decades of the Rosary every day for world peace and the triumph of her Immaculate Heart.