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Faith-based organizations work with Wellness Center to bring COVID-19 vaccines to the Dallas community.

Holy Trinity Catholic Church in collaboration with Dallas Area Interfaith and Baylor Scott & White Health and Wellness Center have teamed up to offer COVID-19 vaccinations to the community on **Saturday, July 17, 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM at Holy Trinity Catholic Church, 3811 Oak Lawn Avenue, Dallas TX 75219.**

The vaccine event is a part of Baylor Scott & White Health's Mobile Vaccine Program (MVP) and a joint effort with community organizations to listen and respond to residents on how to reach some of the most vulnerable pockets of heavily populated, underserved communities where vaccine barriers, such as lack of technology, transportation and vaccine hesitance are slowing vaccination rates in some of the most needed communities.

"The Holy Trinity community became aware that many of our immigrant neighbors have not been vaccinated and there are also many in our community who have been hesitant or haven't taken the time to get the vaccine. We want to help our entire community take one step closer to freedom from the virus and from the anxieties that go with it," says Father Mike Walsh, Parochial Vicar of Holy Trinity Catholic Church.

"We are working diligently within our community, reaching out extensively as we approach the summer vacation time, and more people are venturing out beyond community. We are encouraged by the numbers, but still challenged to reach more people and provide needed education around the efficacy and safety of the vaccines as well as connecting residents to reliable resources and convenient locations to get vaccinated." says Candace Thompson, Community Outreach Manager, Baylor Scott & White Health and Wellness Center.

The site is among several faith-based and community locations around Dallas bringing vaccines to communities where it is most needed. Residents are encouraged to register at <http://bit.ly/3vHolyTrinity> for this event.

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