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Trinity Sunday - 11 June 2017

FAMILY TRAITS

Don't be scared of the Trinity. It doesn't have to be complicated even though in our heart of hearts we know we can never fully grasp what it's all about. The Trinity means that although there is only one God, that same godhead comprises three persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Together they form a family.

When St Paul used the name of the Trinity to bless people, he spoke of three broad activities that each one was responsible for. Of course, the Trinity is much more than these three things, and each person has a share in all of them. There are no demarcation disputes where the Trinity is concerned!

The thing that sprang to Paul's mind for the Father was "love". This may seem old hat to us, but in a pagan world, where the gods controlled people's lives and demanded all sorts of sacrifices to ward off their wrath, the idea that God actually loves us seemed quite novel. God the Father not only loves us, he is love itself. And love cannot be kept to itself; it needs some sort of expression. The Father expressed his love by making men and women and giving them a wonderful place to live. When we show love to anyone else, it is really God's love that we are passing on, since we can only love because we have God's ever-present love within us.

"Grace" was the catch-all word that Paul used to describe Jesus. Grace is not a thing, even though our minds sometimes think of it in that way. Grace is the freely given state of favour that rests with us. God is on our side and provides us with the means to be fulfilled if only we ask for this favour. The ultimate sign of this was when Jesus set us right with God by atoning for our sinfulness through his death on the cross.

And Paul speaks of the Holy Spirit in terms of "fellowship". The Holy Spirit is the bond of closeness and communion that completes the family of the Trinity. If we experience God's grace and love it is through the Holy Spirit and this same Holy Spirit unites us with all those who are also sustained and comforted by God.

To live a life in the Trinity means to experience God's love, to enjoy God's favour and to be held together in a family of fellowship with God and with each other.



Weekend Intentions

Along with their families and friends the following people are especially remembered this weekend. This time of the year holds a special significance for all those who knew and who loved them.



6.30pm – 1. Dara Breathnach - Anniversary

2. Seán O'Brien - Anniversary

10.00am – 1. Peter Hopkins – 25th Anniv

2. Paddy & Gertie O'Hare –Anniv

12.30pm – 1. Ray Colgan – 5th Anniversary

2. Special Intention

3. Birthday Intention

11.15am (The Park) – James Murphy -
22nd Anniversary

Recently Deceased: Una Martin, Francis
Griffin, Cianán Fennessy

Anniversaries: Nan O'Driscoll,

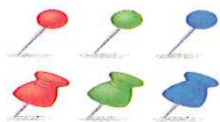
Mass times in St. Brigid's Church

Monday Tuesday Thursday Friday -10am

Saturday (Vigil Mass) – 6.30 pm

Sunday – 10 am and 12.30 pm and

**11.15 am Park Mass Centre (last Mass
this term Sun next, 18th June)**



Parish Noticeboard.

Social Welfare Information

Our Social Welfare Information Service takes place in St Brigid's Parish Centre every Tuesday 10.30 am-12.30 pm.

Just drop in – no appointment needed.



Novice Bridge Club

Our Novice Bridge Club will take place every Thursday evening from 7.30 pm - 10.00pm (for those playing bridge up to 5 years - assistance given if required). Partners not required. **New members very welcome**



Lourdes Pilgrimage 2017

Join parishioners attending the Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes from 7 – 12 September. Booking forms from the Parish Office. Cost €725.

Faith Development Groups

Centering Prayer: Wednesday 7pm– 8pm

Prayer group: Thursday 10.30am

Gospel Contemplation: Fridays 11.00 am to 12.00 noon.

Please feel free to join any groups.

Autumn Holy Land Pilgrimages

Map Travel have a few vacancies on 13 Sept and 11 Oct travel dates visiting Bethlehem, Jerusalem and Tiberias, accompanied by a Spiritual Director. Contact 01 8783111 or www.maptravel.ie.

New Pilgrim Path – Website of the Week.

'Jesus the Jew' – fascinating online lecture by John P Meier, Professor of Theology at the University of Notre Dame and one of the foremost biblical scholars of his generation. Meier's work represents the first time an American Catholic biblical scholar has attempted a full-scale, rigorously scientific treatment of the 'historical Jesus'. Find out more at www.NewPilgrimPath.ie

Anam Cara monthly meeting (open to and supporting all bereaved parents) on Mon 12th June from 7.30 pm to 9 pm in the Maldron Hotel, Tallaght.

CABINTEELY GOSPEL GROUP GOSPEL GROOVES 2017

Featuring **LESLIE DOWDALL**, Musical Director. .

Special Guests: Jim O'Neill, John Nolan, Colm Hennessey

FRIDAY 23RD JUNE 2017 - St Brigid's Church, Cabinteely

Doors Open 7.30PM / Show 8PM

Tickets only €10 Children (U12's) €5

Our Fundraising 500 Limited Raffle for a 172 Hyundai i20 Deluxe will take place on Friday 30th June in the Parish Centre at 8pm

Tickets are available in the Parish Office weekdays and after all weekend masses. Tickets are €75. We are only 43 tickets short of our minimum sell number, please help make this a successful fundraiser and help defray the debt on our great Parish Centre.

The Car supplied is by Mooney's Hyundai, Deansgrange.



St Brigid's Cross

We are taking bookings for mini-crosses for insertion into the patio area outside the church. A great way to remember a special day/date, wedding, birth, baptism, family or a loved one. Contact the parish office for more information.



Disciples of Divine Master Adoration Chapel, Whites Cross

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – Daily
Agape Prayer Group – Tuesdays at 8 pm
Prayer Group – Wednesdays 8 pm
Mothers' Payers – Wednesdays 9 pm
Prayer Group for Men – Thursdays 8 pm

Alzheimer Cafe - South County Dublin – June 2017 Talk - 'Accompanying a person on a dementia journey can be a privilege, opportunity and joy'.

Speaker: Joyce Fitzpatrick - **Wed** 14th June at 7 pm.
www.bloomfield.ie/Alzheimercafe.aspx

Lough Derg – 3 day pilgrimages, any day from 1st June to 13th Aug. More information from www.loughderg.org / 071 986 1518

There are **Confessions** every Saturday after 6.30pm Mass here in St. Brigid's, Cabinteely.

Hallelujah – An evening of Inspirational Music featuring the Palestrina Choir – Sat 24 June in the National Concert Hall. Tickets 6797700 / email: pat@pateganmgt.ie

Foxrock Parish Church **Catechism Studies for Adults** – Mondays 7.30 – 9.30 pm from 5 Sept 2017. Transformational learning supported by study notes from Maryvale Institute in Birmingham