

The Most Holy Trinity 7th June 2020



Three in One

The figure THREE symbolises completeness and perfect symmetry. Three figures make up the nativity scene in Bethlehem—the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph. Their first visitors were the three wise men. Later, in the desert preparing to begin his public life, Jesus was tempted three times by the devil. A good story should have a beginning, a middle and an end. Christ was a storyteller par excellence and three figures prominently in his parables. The Prodigal Son is about a father and his two sons; the Good Samaritan tells of the behaviour of three passers-by, the priest, the Levite and the Samaritan; the sower sowed his seed in three different types of terrain, yielding three different levels of harvest. The end of his life, as the beginning, has again the three motif. During his Passion,

Peter denied him thrice. On the road to Calvary, he fell three times. The crucifixion scene has three figures, Christ between two thieves. Before his resurrection, he spent three days in the tomb. God is love. There are Three Persons in the Trinity, the Father the Son and the Holy Spirit. Together they represent the fullness of love. The Father loves the Son, the Son loves the Father. The Holy Spirit is their love for each other. We are made in the image of a triune God. God the Father, who created us, his Son who saved us, and the Holy Spirit who continues to guide us. Our lives should reflect the Trinity. We should be always creative like the Father, compassionate like his Son, and dispose our talents in the service of others like the Holy Spirit.

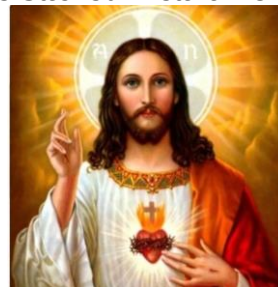
SUNDAY MISELLETTES

Over the past number of week's Missellettes were available from the parish. Our order brought us up to Pentecost Sunday. With new guidelines from the Archbishop, Sunday Missellettes will no longer be available from the Parish until further notice. You can now download your Sunday Missellettes by following the link on the Parish Website.

Thank You!

Many thanks to you the people of our parish for all your kind donations towards the Easter dues envelopes and the upkeep and family offering envelopes over the last few months. A number of you have set up Standing orders to the parish and we thank you greatly. This is an easy way to contribute as life becomes "contactless". Please think about it, just contact Steph for details.

The Sacred Heart Novena



The Novena to the Sacred Heart begins Thursday 11th June to Friday 19th June. Daily prayers are available to download from the Parish Website. Just follow the link provided.

Is your heart in the right place?

Is your heart in the right place? Fr. Kieran O'Mahony OSA explores the question "Is your heart in the right place?" **From 11th to the 19th June every evening at 7.30pm** focussing on the Gospel of St Luke and the Acts of the Apostles. Visit our website
www.gardinerstparish.ie



Mon 8th

Monica Ryan (RD)
Mark Mc Dermott (RD)

Tuesday 9th

Seamus Griffith (RD)
Marie O' Brien (RD)
John Desmond (RD)

Wednesday 10th

Sean Conlon (Birthday Rem)
Rose Conlon (RIP)
Mary Duffy (RIP)

Thursday 11th

Mick King (RD)
Health Intention
Francis Murphy (RD)

Friday 12th

Mary Grady (RD)
Bridget Hill (RD)
Ben Galligan (RD)
Haulie Seavers (AN)

Saturday 13th

James Mc Gill (AN)
Paddy & Thomas Carroll (AN)
Michael Casey (4th AN)
Deceased Members of the Casey & Wade Family (RIP)
Victor Murray (AN)
Sophie Murray (RIP)
Deceased Members of the Murray & Mc Cormack Family (RIP)

Sunday 14th

Bridget Pepper (Birthday Rem)
James Mc Hugh (5th AN)
Peter & Mary Duignan (AN)
Deceased Members of the Duignan Family (RIP)