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**Trinity Sunday** 

4th June, 2023

The Most Holy Trinity

John 3: 16-18

OUR GOD IS A COMMUNITY OF THREE, LOVING AND LOVED, Father, Son and Holy Spirit

Jesus gives glimpses of this wonderful reality. He spoke of being sent by the Father (today's gospel) and He promised to send us the Holy spirit to teach us the full truth about divine love. Even at the busiest times, Jesus went aside to tune into the Father's love which we call prayer. (Jesus was human as well as divine).

A highlight of Jesus's prayer on the night before He died was when He asked the Father to love us with the same love as there is between the Father and Jesus. Yes, each of us is loved with such love as powers the life within the Trinity itself. Empowered by this divine love, we are enabled to love one another without exception as God loves us.

Such love is a pure gift, unearned, undeserved, never withdrawn no matter how we fail. Such love cannot be explained or proved by logical argument. It has to be experienced, welcomed and responded to with an open heart.

Our world is a love space, created by God to enable us to live through love in His treasured presence, worshipping Him through all we do and say. It is the cornerstone on which lasting fulfilment is built. It is the fertile soil which nourishes the seedlings of hope, gratitude, generosity and service within us and among us.

This feast of the Holy Trinity is an opportunity to become more aware of this loving presence in each of our hearts.

We are a community of love.

Fr. Tom

## **MASS TIMES**

Saturday Vigil 6.15pm

**Sunday** 9.00 and 11.00 am

Weekdays:Mon-Fri

9.30am Saturdays: 10 am

Holydays
As announced.

#### **CONTACT DETAILS**

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# Collections:

27th/28th May

## Offertory:

<u>€1670</u>

### **Shrines:**

€355

#### **PARISH BULLETIN**

The Parish Bulletin is available weekly on the Parish Website: or can be e-mailed by forwarding your e-mail address to the Parish Office.



#### **PARISH NOTICES**

#### St. Vincent de Paul:

The monthly collection will take place this weekend, 3rd/4th June.

#### **CONNECT Summer BBO:**

There will be a special CONNECT Summer BBQ on Thursday June 8th at 7pm in Mardyke House (T12 W8RP) for Young Adults (18-35 years). To register simply visit <a href="www.corkandross.org">www.corkandross.org</a>. Please do spread the word.

### Novena to the Sacred Heart - Western Road, Cork:

Thursday 8th June to Friday 16th June - daily at 10.00am and 8.00pm

#### Mass at St. Michael's Cemetery, Blackrock.

On Wednesday 28th June, 2023 at 7.30pm. Family members, friends and neighbours of all those buried there are invited to attend. Please bring your own chair as seating will not be provided.

#### Mass Intentions for week commencing 3rd June to the 10th June, 2023

Saturday, 3rd June - 6.15pm - Kathleen Dunlea Sunday, 4th June - 9.00am — Jane Haynes - 11.00am - John Long

Monday, 5th June - 9.30am— Noreen Lehane
Tuesday, 6th June - 9.30am— Ted O'Donnell
Wednesday, 7th June - 9.30am - Eileen O'Shea
Saturday, 10thJune - 10.00am - Fr. George O'Mahony