

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

June 16, 2019

Dear Parishioners,

Everything that the Father has is mine. (John 16:15)

What if someone asked you to explain the doctrine of the Trinity? You'd probably say that Christians believe in one God who is three Persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. But then you might add that the Trinitarian God is a mystery that no one can ever truly understand. And you would be right!

Here's what is so amazing about God: you don't have to understand everything about him in order to have a personal relationship with each of the three Persons of the Trinity. God longs to share his life with you, and he comes to you in his three Persons to play many roles in your life.

As the Father and Creator, God loves you as the apple of his eye. He wants to relate to you as your Abba, a "Daddy" who teaches you and cares for you. As God the Son, Jesus died for you and rose from the dead so that you could have new life in him. Even when you sin, he wants nothing more than to place you on his shoulders like a lost lamb and carry you home. And as the Holy Spirit, he wants to inspire you, guide you, and empower you with gifts to help you serve his people.

So how is your relationship with the Holy Trinity? Do you tend to focus only on one Person and "forget" to deepen your relationship with the others? If you want a better relationship with the Father, the Son, or the Holy Spirit, just ask God to reveal himself to you more deeply. You might just discover some new facet about him! Then try to maintain an ongoing conversation with him throughout the days and weeks ahead.

Three Persons in one God. Three Persons who love you with an indescribable love and who want to do a great work in your life. Three Persons who want to draw you into their communion of love. What a great God we have!

"God, I believe that you are Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
Help me to know you in a more personal way!"

Deacon Mark Race, Administrator

Stewardship thought

"But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you to all truth..." (JOHN 16:13)

Jesus sent the Holy Spirit to help us know and live the truth. To prepare ourselves, we need to open our hearts to receive this gift before we can give it. Develop a daily prayer routine. Talk and listen to the Holy Spirit.

This is best done in silence, when we can hear His response.

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

Daily Scripture Readings

Sunday	Prv 8:22-31, Ps 8:4-9, Jn 16:12-15
Monday	2 Cor 6:1-10, Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday	2 Cor 8:1-9, Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday	2 Cor 9:6-11, Mt 6:1-18
Thursday	2 Cor 11:1-11, Mt 6:7-15
Friday	2 Cor 1:18-30, Mt 6:19-23
Saturday	2 Cor 12:1-10, Mt 6:24-34
Sunday	Gn 14:18-20, Ps 110:1-4, Lk 9:11b-17

Mass Intentions

Saturday 5:15 PM	June 15 For Fathers Living and Deceased
Sunday 8:00 AM 10:00 AM 12:15 PM	June 16 Intention of all Parishioners Soul of Edmond Johns Soul of Eugene DeCoud
Monday 8:00 AM	June 17 For Fathers Living and Deceased
Tuesday 8:00 AM	June 18 For Fathers Living and Deceased
Wednesday 8:00 AM	June 19 For Fathers Living and Deceased
Thursday 8:00 AM	June 20 For Fathers Living and Deceased
Friday 8:00 AM	June 21 Intention of all Fathers and Soul of John Fruge II
Saturday 5:15 PM	June 22 Soul of Barbara Keys
Sunday 8:00 AM 10:00 AM	June 23 For Fathers Living and Deceased Intention of all Parishioners

Weekly Offering for June 9, 2019

\$6053.00 Tithe and Offering
119.00 Building Fund
86.00 "We Care"

Peter's Pence Offering

Cast the Light of Christ upon the World

Next weekend our parish will take up the Peter's Pence Offering. This offering allows the Holy Father to cast the light of Christ upon the world by providing emergency assistance to those who need it most around the globe. Thank you for your generosity.

A Prayer for Fathers



God our Father, in your wisdom and love you made all things. Bless those fathers who have taken upon themselves the responsibility of parenting. Bless those who have lost a spouse to death, separation, or divorce, and who are parenting their children alone. Strengthen all Dads by your love that they may become the loving, caring persons they are meant to be. Grant this through Christ our Lord. *Amen!*

Father's Day Novena

In the month of June, there will be a special Novena of Masses for fathers. If you wish to enroll your father, please take one of the cards located at the exit of the church.

SAVE THE DATE

Saturday August 17, 2019

9AM to 5PM

ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC

AT KENNETH HAHN PARK

If you have any questions, contact Deacon Greg Patterson in the rectory or by e-mail dcn431@aol.com.

PRAY FOR THE SICK

LaVerne Agnew, Cyd Michelle Anderson, Brian Argusta, Percenia Beasley, Fr. Emile Belletty, Glenda Brown, Vivian Burgess, Barbara Butler, Brownie Cain, Sister Cecilia Calva, Alberto Casanova, Christopher Chestnut, Sister Ann Paul Clare, Katherine Clark, Agnes Cooper, Edward Cousin, Juanita Davis, Beverly Colvin-Dorsey, Jayden Dunn, Nigel Dunn, Alton Ramona Duhon, Gwen Files, Cynthia Fortier, Teresa Franklin, Judy Felton-Gardner, Avis Gibbs, Barbara Harris, Darren Harris, Jacqueline Holman, Janie Jackson, Aaron Katz, Briana Katz, Barbara Lagarde, Irwin Lagarde, Jeanne LeBlanc, Mercedes LeBlanc, Barbara Lindsey, Connie Louie, Joe McZeal, Vydred Manor, Sister Marianna, Dorothy Okoye, Aliyah Patterson, Sally Price, Wiley R. Pugh, Vickie Race, Andrea Raggette, Doris Rogers, Dana Semien, Dudley Semien, Chris Simon, Joan Spencer, Annie Starks, Sandra Sterling, Leila Thomas, Iris Turner, Mabel Walton, Johnny Washington, and Alice Williams.