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MASS TIMES

Monday: 10:00am  
 Tuesday: 10:00 am Liturgical Service  
 Wednesday: 10:00am  
 Thursday: 10:00am  
 Friday: 10:00am  
 Saturday: 10:00am | Vigil: 6:00pm  
 Sunday: 10:00am | 11:30am | 7:30pm



Saint Joseph's Young Priests Annual Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine will take place on Saturday June 25th. We will be going by bus leaving the Goat pub at 8 am. If you would like to join us please contact Gerry Quinn 087 817 2728 or Bernie Doheny, 0879612303



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 Mass collection  
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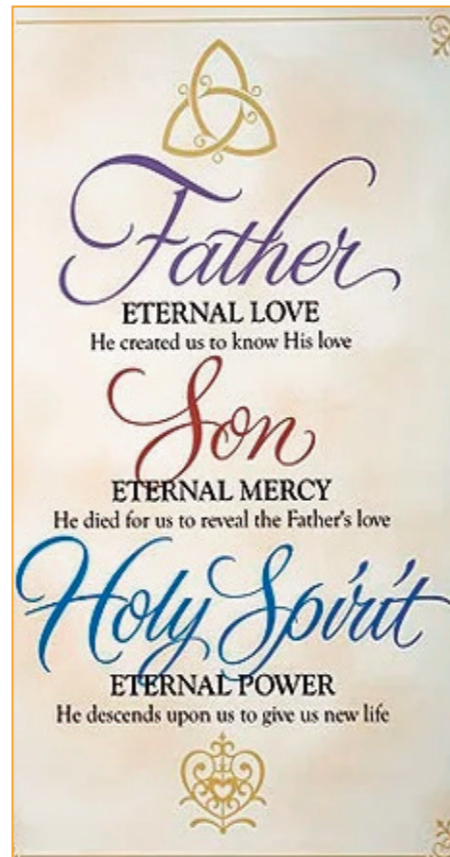
A few words from Fr Joe.....

Do you remember sitting the Leaving Certificate? All week, at the first mention of the exams starting, I've heard people sharing their memories. It seems that no one can quite forget the experience of finishing school, sitting in the examination hall, the smell of the paper, watching the opening of the envelope, handing out the papers and then being told that it was time to begin. Turning over the exam paper, looking at it with hope and expectation, would the one thing you were depending on come up? Dividing the time by the number of questions, making a little schedule so that you'd have something written for every question. The teacher's voice in your head, "don't spend too long on one question, move on, leave space to go back and write something you've just remembered". The invigilators walking up and down, the sound of writing, so many biros working in unison, little sighs and shuffles, the heat in the room, the speed with which time passed. And then the deeper feelings of 'Yes, nailed it!' or the frustration of feeling the questions didn't match up with what you hoped for, "if only I'd re-read such and such's notes." And then the bell, "time's up students, put your pens down please." And a moment later caught up in the tide of classmates jostling out of the room, full of chat about the good and bad in the paper, and heading home, your folks reading the face coming in the door, "I'm sure you did your best, come on and have some tea!" And then back to the bedroom, quick change of notes, (better keep the others, just in case of a repeat) and sitting down to another night of cramming, hoping to squeeze out English and make room for Maths, and on and on and on, day after day until at last, Latin, the final exam, finished and free. Everyone says there will never be a harder exam again in your whole life, and you know looking back, I think they were right! May God bless all our students in exams halls.

Prayer for Exam Time

Lord, I ask you to help me at this stressful time. I feel that in addition to carrying my own burdens, I am carrying the expectations of so many others – family, friends, society. Help me to keep calm at this time, so that I can think straight and apply myself to the best of my ability. Let your Spirit help and inspire me, so that I can remember all that I have studied and put together my answers in the best way. Guide me in all ways so that I will find fulfilment in You.

Amen



Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

Saturday 11th

10.00 NO MASS  
 12.00 Fr. Brian's 50th Ordination Mass

Sunday 12th

10.00 Adrienne Troy – 4th A  
 Dan McGlynn - A  
 Kay McHugh - A  
 11.30 Paul Sharpe – M.M  
 Ellen and Michael Rogan – A  
 John Hayden – 7th A  
 Irene Behan -5th A

Monday 13th

10.00 For all who are ill  
 May Murphy - A

Tuesday 14th

10.00 Liturgical Service

Wednesday 15th

10.00 Brid McCarthy – R.D.  
 Fr Joseph Houston – R.D.

Thursday 16th

10.00 Mrs. Maloney – R.D

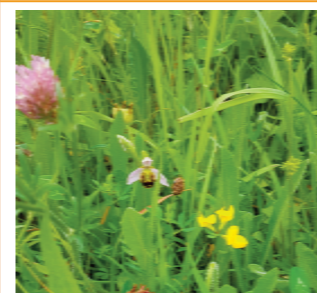
Saturday 18th

10.00 Conor Gunne – M.M.

6.00 Anita Gallagher - A

Sunday 19th

10.00 James, Mary &  
 David Larkin - A



WILDFLOWER MEADOW INSPECTION BEHIND CHURCH

This will happen this year on Mid-Summers day, Tuesday the 21st of June. Meet at front doors at 7pm.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit

Today our Easter season closes with the feast of the Holy Trinity – the mystery that is central to our faith. We celebrate our trust in God who is three persons: God the Father, the Creator of all; Jesus, God's Word made flesh; and the Spirit who teaches and guides us. Three in One and One in Three – we offer them our praise and glory.

The **First Reading** tells of the glory of creation, as Wisdom herself rejoices in the unfolding of God's plan for the natural world we now inhabit.

The **Psalms** continues the theme of joy and praise for creation, reminding us of the power over all living things that God has given humankind, and the responsibility that this brings.

In the **Second Reading**, St Paul speaks of how we, through the love of Jesus, are at peace with God and will have a share in his glory. Because of this, when times of suffering come to us, we will find the patience to persevere and continue to have hope in the love of God.

In the **Gospel**, Jesus seeks to reassure the disciples that even when he is no longer with them, they will not be facing the future alone. They – and we – will always have the Spirit of truth as teacher and guide, helping us to see and hear the word of God in Christ Jesus every day of our lives.

Because of the love poured out on us, we are called to show that love to the world and to everyone we meet. This week we pray, in the words of the prophet Micah, for the grace to always do justice, act kindly, and walk humbly with our God.

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A CALL TO PRAYER AND ADORATION

Apostolate of Eucharistic Adoration

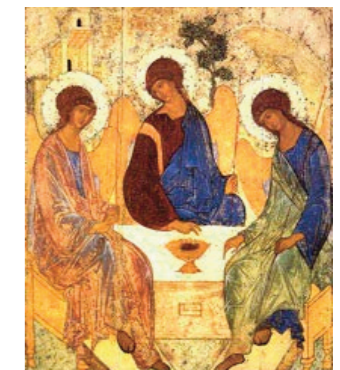
ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE 2022

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[www.eucharisticadoration.ie](http://www.eucharisticadoration.ie) (for further details and updates)

Bus Leaving: The Parish at 8.00am

on: Saturday 18th June

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**In the beginning was One,**  
 And in the One was God, the Word and the Spirit.  
 The three were One.  
 Through the One, All things were made.  
 God the creator.  
 The Spirit hovering.  
 The Word speaking.  
 God thought; the Spirit moved; and the Word spoke,  
 And there was light.  
**In the new creation was One,**  
 And in the One was God, the Word and the Spirit.  
 The three were one.  
 And through the One a new creation was made.  
 God the creator.  
 The Spirit hovering.  
 The Word incarnating.  
 God thought; the Spirit moved; the Word became Flesh.  
 The light came into the world.