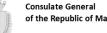


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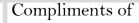


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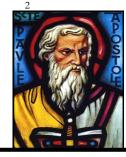
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Weekend Masses: Saturday: 4:30pm (English) Sunday:

9:00am (English) 10:30am (Maltese/English) 12:00pm (English)

Weekly Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Every Wednesday 7pm - 8pm Stations of the Cross

Every Friday during Lent after 9:15am Mass

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Monday to Friday 9:00am to 4:30pm (Priest is always available by appointment)

SACRAMENTS

Baptism: Please contact the priests. Baptisms are held on the first Saturday of th month at 10:30am

Marriages: Contact the priest one year in advance of the wedding. A marriage preparation course in mandatory.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

First Friday: 8:40am to 9:10am Saturdays: 3:45pm to 4:15pm Anytime by appointment.

Anointing of the Sick:

Contact the priests. Parishioners are reminded that this is not a sacrament that should be left fo the last possible minute. It is a Sacrament for the sick, not just for the dying.

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TRINITY SUNDAY

Gospel Summary

While the term *trinity* is more the result of early Christian communities than it is scripture, today's Gospel helps us see the interconnectedness of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. This Gospel reveals Jesus' words at the Last Supper. The disciples could not understand the meaning of Jesus' words because they had not yet witnessed the resurrection. But Jesus explained that everything he had taught them and the witness he bore was from the Father. He assured them that he and the Spirit were one and that the Spirit spoke only what had been told by the Father through Jesus. The Spirit would remain with the community until Jesus returned in glory.

Reflection for Families

The connection of trinity is seen in the relationships of our families. Often the Holy Trinity is referred to as love, truth and peace. God the Father loves us. Through his Son, Jesus, God's love is revealed. The peace of the Holy Spirit remains with us as a guide in our faith. Our families are also built on these three values: love, truth and peace. Consider your own family to see where these qualities are noticeable.

Bringing the Gospel Into Your Family

We've all seen through a clover leaf how one item can have three parts. It's a way that visually helps describe the concept of the Trinity. Look for ways that the Trinity can be seen in you own family. Where is love exemplified? How is the truth made | Monday, June 16 known? What brings about peace? Light three candles and pray together thanking God for being present through the Holy Trinity and for the gifts of love, truth, and peace in your family.

Discussion Starters

- 1. I share in the work of the Holy Trinity when I
- 2. I felt the peace of the Holy Spirit once when
- 3. It is difficult sometimes to tell the truth, but it is always the best way. One time I remember feeling relieved when I told the truth ...

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Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 14 4:30pm

+For all deceased Fathers of our Parish

Sunday, June 15 9:00am

 +For all deceased Fathers of our Parish

10:30am

+For all deceased Fathers of our Parish

12:00 noon

+For all deceased Fathers of our Parish

Tuesday, May June 17

+Theresa Massa & Kitty Tonna

Wednesday, June 18

St. Barnabas, Apostle

+Frank & Gustav Grech

Thursday, June 19

+All Souls in Purgatory

Friday, June 20

 +Phillip & Maria Massa, Nona & Lawrence Facciol

From our Pastor's Desk...

Today, we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, the central mystery of Christian faith and life. The Catechism teaches that the Trinity is the source of all other mysteries of faith (CCC 234). As Catholics, we profess this mystery every time we make the sign of the cross, invoking the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

The Sign of the Cross: A Witness to the World

The practice of signing ourselves with the cross is an ancient tradition, likely dating back to the time of the Apostles. Around the year 200, Tertullian wrote that "we Christians wear out our foreheads with the sign of the cross." By making this sign, we unite ourselves with the countless saints who have gone before us. This simple yet profound gesture is a public witness to our faith. For example, when we pray before meals in a restaurant, making the sign of the cross can be a quiet but powerful testimony to those around us. It reminds us that our faith is not confined to the walls of a church but is lived out in the world..

The Trinity in Our Daily Lives

The mystery of the Trinity is not just a theological concept—it shapes our daily lives. The Father, Son, and Holy Spirit exist in perfect unity, showing us the importance of community and relationships. Just as the Trinity is a communion of love, we are called to reflect that love in our families, friendships, and workplaces.

The Trinity also teaches us about prayer and trust. In moments of stress or uncertainty, the sign of the cross can be our quickest prayer. St. Francis de Sales, Doctor of the Church, encourages us to make "spiritual aspirations to God by short, ardent movements of [our] hearts." By invoking all three persons of the Trinity, we remind ourselves that we are never alone—God is always with us.

Strength in Difficult Moments

When we face challenges, the Trinity offers us strength. The next time we experience a difficult moment, let us not despair but boldly make the sign of the cross. This simple act lifts our minds and hearts to the Blessed Trinity, reminding us that God's love and grace sustain us.

Summary

Today, on the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, we profess our faith every time we make the sign of the cross, saying, "In the name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit." St. Francis de Sales encourages us to make short, heartfelt prayers to God. Therefore, in moments of difficulty, let us invoke all three persons of the Trinity and make the sign of the cross, trusting in God's presence and love.

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

Fatherhood is a sacred vocation, filled with responsibilities that shape the lives of children and families. To be a father is to embrace the call to provide, guide, and nurture—offering strength when needed and tenderness when required. It demands patience, sacrifice, and a love that reflects the selfless heart of God.

The foremost duty of a father is to be present. Fatherhood is not merely a title or a biological function; it is a calling to cultivate the good soil in which children can grow. Fathers are tasked with creating a home rooted in love, faith, and integrity. A father's presence brings stability, reassurance, and wisdom in times of uncertainty.

If fathers strive to please God with their words and actions, their homes will be sanctuaries of faith and love. When a father leads his family with kindness and humility, he teaches his children the true meaning of strength. When he speaks with honesty and compassion, he instills wisdom that will guide them for years to come. And when he prays for his family, he sows seeds of faith that will bear fruit in their lives.

I came across a story that illustrates the power of presence. A young girl was attempting to ride her bike without training wheels for the first time. She wobbled, fell, and hesitated to try again. Her father knelt beside her and gently said, "I'm right here. Try again." With his steady hand on the seat, she pedaled forward, unsure yet trusting that she would not fall alone. After a few attempts, she was riding on her own, her father standing behind her, smiling—no longer holding on but still watching over her.

A father's presence is not only in the moments of instruction but in the silent assurances—the steady hand, the watchful eye, the unwavering belief in his children's potential. His presence, even when unnoticed, is felt in the foundation of their lives.

On this Father's Day, we honor and appreciate the fathers who strive each day to reflect God's love in their families. We recognize the sacrifices they make, the lessons they teach, and the steadfast commitment they show in raising children to walk in faith and righteousness.

For those who still have their fathers with them, may today be a day of gratitude and celebration. Express your love, acknowledge their sacrifices, and thank them for their guidance. And for those who have lost their fathers, may today be a time of remembrance and prayer, reflecting on the love and wisdom they imparted.

Let us honor and pray for all fathers—the ones still leading and the ones watching over us from above. May their strength be renewed, their faith deepened, and their love reflected in all they do.

- Fr. Roy