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THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Edenderry

# Link Up



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**Daily Mass**  
9am

(No 9am Mass on day of funeral)

**Saturday**  
7p.m.

**Sunday**  
10a.m. & 11:30am

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## Sharing God's Light

We only have to switch the TV on to know there is plenty of evil in the world, but in today's Gospel John reminds us that if we know and believe in God we can stand up to that evil. But how do we even begin to know God? Do we think of a God who created the world billions of years ago but has been pretty quiet since? Do we think of God who sent his Son to save us, but only know it because the story sits in a bible up on the book shelf? Or do we think of a God who made us, a God who sent his Son to teach us, and a God who sent his Spirit to guide us through each day of our lives and through each generation that walks the earth? The Trinity might be a bit of a theological mystery to us, but that doesn't mean to say that we are not able to understand anything of God. We understand God in three ways; as Father and creator, as Son and redeemer, and as God's Spirit left to guide and strengthen us. God the Father is all around us. God's miracles are in front of our eyes when we wake up in the morning and in the night skies before we go to sleep. We live on the only planet able to support life in our universe. God's miracles are there for all to see in our breathtaking landscapes, in our oceans teeming with life and in mankind itself. How often do we stop to praise God's creation or appreciate the miracles that surround us? God the Son came to teach us with stories and signs. He came to reveal God's plan for us. God the Son came to show us the way to God the Father. God's Son came to us in a great manifestation of God's love. "God so loved the world that he sent his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life." The Spirit of God is the part of God left to guide us and lead us. The Holy Spirit is something we can completely forget about ... or something we can call on every day, in every choice and in every decision we make. Today John tells us that God is the light that helps us stand up to evil wherever it raises its head. Knowing God helps us to share that light.



### CHURCH DONATIONS VIA DIOCESAN WEBSITE

Donation Buttons on Kandle Website: There are now two easy ways to use electronic 'Donate Buttons' on the front page of the diocesan website [www.kandle.ie](http://www.kandle.ie)

The first button is called 'Parish Collections'. This button allows a donor to donate to any of our parishes towards the Weekly collection or the Clergy Collection. At the end of each month their money will be directly transferred to the local parish.

The second button is called 'Diocesan Collections'. This allows the donor to support any of our Diocesan appeals and they are listed: Retired Priests, Vocations, Missions, Peters Pence, Youth Ministry and Trócaire.

The donation system is easy to use and very secure. Every donation will be receipted.

### Donation Boxes in St. Mary's Church

There are 2 collection boxes, marked "Church Funds" in the church. All donations are welcome and are much needed and appreciated. Boxes are secure and will be emptied daily.

### Trocaire Boxes

On Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> of June and Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> of June, St. Mary's Church will be the collection point for Trocaire Boxes and donations between 3-5 p.m. Finance committee members will be present to receive the boxes.

## Community Notices

### Mass via Webcam

Monday @ 11am– Service of the Word ~ Deacon Paul  
Mass: Tues - Friday @ 11am  
Saturday evening Mass @ 7pm  
Sunday morning @ Mass 11:30am  
**To view the Masses via: Webcam**  
**Go to [edenderryparish.ie](http://edenderryparish.ie)**

**St. Mary's Church, Edenderry will open each day from 12 Noon to 8pm. All Government Restrictions will be fully adhered to.**

**We ask people to keep social distancing (2 metres); to use sanitizers at the Candelabras; to enter front left door and exit front right door. Doors will be left open to minimise touching of handles.**

*Mass cards / Mass Bouquets can be got by phoning*  
Stephanie @ 086 3954046  
or Mary @ 085 1434132 or  
[email: edenderryparishcentre@gmail.com](mailto:edenderryparishcentre@gmail.com)  
Also if you would like to book an anniversary Mass give Stephanie or Mary a call/email or send Stephanie a private message on Facebook.



**OUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR**

*Bernard Crombie, Killane  
Edenderry*

*Adrian Reade, formerly Castleview Pk*

*May they Rest in Peace.  
Our Sympathy to their families*

### Some helpful Services:

**Aware:** aware.ie or Tel: 1890 303 302

**Grow:** grow.ie or Tel: 1890 474 474

**LetSomeoneKnow:** letsomeoneknow.ie

**Teenline Ireland:** teenline.ie

**Samaritans:** Samaritans.org or 1850 60 90 60

**1Life:** Tel: 1800 247 100 or text HELP to 51444

**(HSE: Josephine Rigney (057 932 7909)  
Resource Officer for Suicide Prevention).**

**1800 247 247 is a direct  
phone line to Pieta or  
text HELP to 51444.**

**They are here to help and  
support you or someone  
you love and care for. ❤️**

### Funerals...

Mass will be offered at Funerals from now on, with immediate family ONLY present, **(Max 10 people)**. Social distancing will be adhered to.

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:** will take place every Saturday morning from 9am – 12 noon, at the main Altar of the Church. Social distancing guidelines will be followed.

### ANNIVERSARIES FOR THE COMING WEEK

**Saturday 7pm: Via: Webcam;** Kathleen Hunston, **1st Anniversary;** Sean Finn; James, Peter & Rosanne Nolan; Sean Carey; Mary Mallon; Mary McCann; Joan & Brendan Tobin

**Sunday Via: Webcam; 11:30am:** Val & Catherine Tyrrell; Jack Tyrrell; Rose & Colm Canavan

**Monday 11am:** Via Webcam

**Tuesday 11am:** Via Webcam

**Wednesday 11am:** Via Webcam

**Thursday 11am:** Via Webcam

**Friday 9am: Mass Card Intentions**

**Saturday 7pm: Via: Webcam;** Bridie, Patrick & Kathleen McNamara;

**Sunday 11:30am: Via: Webcam;** Michael Pentony; Christopher & Hannah Pentony; Imelda Fortune, Dette Conroy



*We Pray for the following  
whose Anniversary occurs  
around this time.*

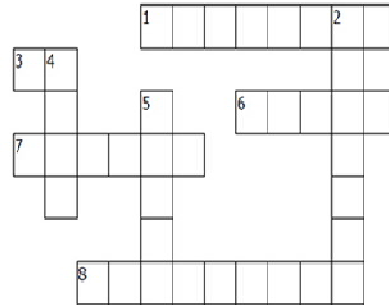
*Thomas Cronin  
Sam & Brendan Kellett  
Owen Dempsey  
Richard, Louisa, Jackie, Frederick, &  
Doreen Johns  
Kathleen & Peter McNulty  
Annie & Richard Nolan  
Angela Dockery  
Michael Redmond Jnr  
Jimmy Maher  
Jay & Mollie Walsh*

# Prayer Corner

## Colouring



## Crossword Puzzle



### ACROSS

1. Giving instructions to a group of students
3. The opposite of stop
6. The planet on which we live
7. The place where God lives
8. Followers of Jesus

### DOWN

2. Groups of people living in a certain area; countries
4. To follow the commands, rules, or guidance
5. The Son of God

EARTH  
JESUS

TEACHING  
DISCIPLES

GO  
OBEY

HEAVEN  
NATIONS

## Word Search

N P S B S K N D S B K J G R L  
 P U D I K O M E A W G N T S I  
 Y V S R Y U E H N R I V G F G  
 S B V D U R R P G N K P O G H  
 C I T S T T X C N A L N D R T  
 P R X I N U X I P J N T E Y V  
 C L O K I Y G Y N N X I S S S  
 J R A O D E C N F Q T T G L S  
 W E E N B R P H W E E L A H H  
 U B A A T I V E G B M M M S T  
 L W I R T S A A B X I A I X X  
 S A A V T E M V V N P F L Y T  
 C E N T B H D E A S E S A E U  
 I F A D E D C N S L S D B E D  
 N A J S S R N S M A L E Z S G

HEAVENS  
NIGHT  
TREES  
LIGHT

EARTH  
DAY  
DARKNESS  
ANIMALS

PLANTS  
WATER  
BIRDS  
BEGINNING

SEAS  
FISH  
FEMALE  
MALE

CREATED  
SKY  
GOD  
LAND

**PENITENTIAL ACT** I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary, ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

### **Gloria**

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory. Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

### **OPENING PRAYER**

Father, you sent your Word to bring us truth and your Spirit to make us holy. Through them we come to know the mystery of your life. Help us to worship you, one God in three Persons, by proclaiming and living our faith in you. Grant this through Christ our Lord.

### **FIRST READING (34:4-6.8-9)**

**A reading from the book of Exodus.**

With the two tablets of stone in his hands, Moses went up the mountain of Sinai in the early morning as the Lord had commanded him. And the Lord descended in the form of a cloud, and Moses stood with him there. He called on the name of the Lord. The Lord passed before him and proclaimed, " Lord, Lord, a God of tenderness and compassion, slow to anger, rich in kindness and faithfulness." And Moses bowed down to the ground at once and worshipped. "If I have indeed won your favour, Lord," he said, let my Lord come with us, I beg. True, they are a headstrong people, but forgive us our faults and our sins, and adopt us as your heritage."

**The word of the Lord.**

### **RESPONSORIAL PSALM:**

**To you glory and praise for evermore.**

**Response.**

- 1.** You are blest, Lord God of our fathers. Blest your glorious holy name. **Response.**
- 2.** You are blest in the temple of your glory. You are blest in the throne of your kingdom. **Response.**
- 3.** You are blest who gaze into the depths. You are blest in the firmament of heaven. **Response.**

### **SECOND READING (13:11-13)**

**A reading from the second letter of St Paul to the Corinthians.**

Brothers and sisters, we wish you happiness; try to grow perfect; help one another. Be united; live in peace, and the God of love and peace will be with you. Greet one another with the holy kiss. All the saints send you greetings. The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**The word of the Lord**

### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Alleluia, Alleluia!

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, the God who is, who was, and who is to come.

Alleluia.

### **THE GOSPEL (3:16-18)**

**Priest:** *The Lord be with you*

**People:** **And with your Spirit**

**A reading from the Gospel according to John.**

Jesus said to Nicodemus, "God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not be lost but may have eternal life. For God sent his Son into the world not to condemn the world, but so that through him the world might be saved. No one who believes in him will be condemned; but whoever refuses to believe is condemned already, because he has refused to believe in the name of God's only Son."

**Priest:** **The Gospel of the Lord.**

**People:** Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

### **PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS**

Lord our God, make these gifts holy, and through them make us a perfect offering to you. We ask this in the name of Jesus the Lord.

### **PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

Lord God, we worship you, a Trinity of Persons, one eternal God. May our faith and the sacrament we receive bring us health of mind and body. We ask this through Christ our Lord.