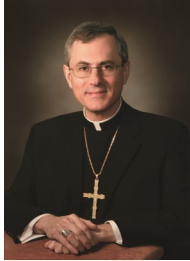


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The Trinity is the Model of Every Human Community

"The Holy Trinity is a mystery that Scripture does not prove. This Sunday following Pentecost, we celebrate the Solemnity of the Blessed Trinity. The Triune nature of God is the principal mystery of the Catholic faith. Today we contemplate the first and last horizon of the universe and of history: the Love of God, the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. God is not solitude, but perfect communion.

Our God is rich in relationships, communication and love for all people. This God models to us what the dynamic Trinitarian life is all about – communication, relationship and affection. The quality of our Christian life is based on imitation of the interior life of the Trinity. The Trinity is the model of every human community, from the most simple and elemental, which is the family, to the universal Church. It shows how love creates unity out of diversity: unity of intentions, of thought, of will; diversity of subjects, of characteristics and, in the human realm, of sex. And we see, specifically, what a family can learn from the Trinitarian model.

On Trinity Sunday, rather than try to solve the mystery, let us ask how open we are to it: the mystery of why God created us to begin with; the mystery of God loving us, desiring to be part of our lives, to live in our hearts; to be one with us; the mystery of God inviting us to share in the life of the Trinity: Father, Son and Spirit; the mystery of a God who cares for us like a loving parent, who lays down his life for us like a best friend, who fills our hearts like a lover who will not be refused.

The Christian God is a living being who exists in intimate relationship with us. One of the important dimensions of our Trinitarian God is the community of love and persons modeled for us in the mystery of the Holy Trinity. For Christians, the Trinity is the primary symbol of a community that is held together by containing diversity within itself. The language of Father and Son is relational language, and reminds us that, for God, as for us, created in God's image, relationship and community are primary."

Excerpt from Homily on Trinity Sunday, Fr. Tom Rosica, Salt & Light Television Blog, June 11, 2017

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Would You Help Serve at Sunday Mass?

We are in need of more Altar Servers for our weekend Masses. In all of my priestly experiences, I have never met a more dedicated group of Altar Servers than at the Cathedral parish. They are a small group, but ever so faithful week after week. However, they need your help. We are looking for servers who are about 10 years of age and older. If you are willing to learn more about being an Altar Server please see Fr. Gary, Fr. Jim, Cathryn or any of our Altar Servers. We need your help!



COLUMBIAN SERVICE DAY

On Saturday June 22, 2019 at 2:00 pm, the London and Area Knights of Columbus are hosting the 12th Annual Columbian Service Day. One part of our celebration is a Patriotic Service, where we remember our men and women who made the ultimate sacrifice of their lives for our freedoms. We will gather at the mausoleum at St. Peter's Cemetery, 806 Victoria Street, London at 2:00 pm sharp for a short prayer service. Then we move outside, led by the London Fire Fighters Drum and Pipe Band, Knights of Columbus Honour Guard, along with a bugler to the Veteran Site. Silver Cross Mother Mrs. Carolyn Wilson will lay a wreath at her son's grave site. We then process to the Unborn Child Site and lay a wreath and short pray. Finally, we arrive at WW1 Veteran's Site and make our final wreath presentation. This remembrance of life lost, usually takes about 35-45 minutes, please join us, as it is **not** only limited to the Knights of Columbus. It is open to everyone to come and pay their respects.



Knights of Columbus Golf Tournament **June 22nd**

Join us for the 3rd Annual Ivan Shea Memorial Golf Tournament. 18 holes of fun at Maple Ridge Golf Course on June 22nd. Shotgun start at 1:00pm. Golf is limited to the first 144 paid golfers. \$90 each. Includes green fees, power cart and dinner. Contact Sam Circelli at 519-657-0220 or Pat Hogan at 519-614-3338.



St. John the Divine Knights of Columbus Golf Classic - Knights of Columbus Council

11053 6th Annual Golf Classic Saturday August 17, 2019, 4-person Best Ball Shotgun Start 10:00am Fire Rock Golf Club. Proceeds donated to: The London Food Bank & The Society of St. Vincent de Paul. Cost: \$125, includes green fees, cart, driving range, lunch on-the-run, roast beef/chicken buffet dinner & great prizes- dinner only \$45. Sign up now by e-mail another@execulink.com (Tony Nother) or patcolesberry@outlook.com (Pat Colesberry). Please make cheque payable to: Knights of Columbus Council 11053 Registration & Payment deadline is August 1st @ 3pm. No entries accepted after this date. Further enquiries, please contact: Tony Nother: 519-657-5029; 519-871-5029, Pat Colesberry 519-204-6801; 226-927-0007.



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Retrouvaille London/St. Thomas Marriage Help Program

If your marriage has lost the sense of closeness it once had, if you are living more like roommates, Retrouvaille can help you recapture that closeness. To learn more about Retrouvaille, or to register for the upcoming weekend September 27-29, 2019, at the Michaelite Centre, email retrouvaillelondonstthomas@gmail.com. Visit us on the web at: www.helpourmarriage.com.

Last Sunday Bishop Fabbro joined us as 23 of our young parishioners celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation. We were happy to welcome them along with many family members and friends from outside our parish family. Thank you to Michael Wojtak and Saykho Baptista who facilitated the preparation sessions for our candidates. The time you spend and wisdom you share is appreciated. As well, I want to thank the parents of those who celebrated First Reconciliation and First Communion this year. With the initial and ongoing support of Cathryn Hall they took on the responsibility of preparing their sons and daughters.

As well, last Sunday 260 parishioners enjoyed good weather and the company of each other as we gathered for our annual parish picnic. It was a good prelude to summer which affords us the chance to wind down a bit and relax. A good cross-section of people had the chance to meet other parishioners for the first time. It's difficult to not enjoy an event when children are having fun and encouraging us to do the same and seeing people sitting around in relaxing conversation. Thank you to Marian Strom and her committee for a wonderful job in planning, overseeing and carrying out his event.

Happy Father's Day! "Let us pray for all our fathers...for fathers who had no opportunity to know their own dad, for fathers who have none, for fathers who grieve the loss of their dad, for fathers who are chronically or terminally ill, for fathers expecting the birth of a child, for fathers awaiting the arrival of an adopted child, for men who desire to be fathers, for fathers who see the sun rise and sun set in the eyes and smiles of their children, for fathers who are in good relationships with their children and for those who aren't, for fathers who grew up without a dad, for fathers whose hearts break over the troubles their children face, for fathers of children who won't forgive their dad, for fathers who will be forgotten or ignored on this Father's Day, for fathers who work multiple jobs to provide for their families, for unemployed fathers desperately looking for work, for fathers whose sacrifices are unknown to their families, for fathers unable to provide what they want their children to have, for every father mourning the loss of a child he loved, for fathers who are single parents, for divorced or separated fathers who miss their children, for fathers estranged from or barred from seeing their children, for fathers who are in prison, for fathers who have been abused or gone missing, for grand and great-grandfathers who care for their children's children, for teachers and coaches and mentors who've been a "father" to many young people, for all fathers in need of our prayers." (Austin Fleming)

Prayer is often seeking God. As an author recently said, "People often ask 'Where is God in my life?' The best response I can give is to ask 'Where are you?' - that's where God is." In this way prayer can be something very practical and steeped in where we really live. In brief, we recognize the divine within ourselves, rather than trying to engage a God out there somewhere. Because just to be is a blessing, to live is holy. Our lives are holy just as they are. If there is one thing Jesus revealed, it is that he loves what he finds. He loves us just as we are. Nothing in our life is distasteful to God. Prayer starts where we really are because God is in us as we are. God doesn't expect us to be any other than we are, except that there is a change that God is going to make in our lives. In a way we don't have to knock, we're in already. Prayer isn't come as you are; it's just "be who you are."

Fr. Jim Mockler

CELEBRATION OF WEEKDAY LITURGY

Monday, June 17 - 12:05pm

Kathleen & Russ McFadden; Gildo Di Cola;
Richard Ballard

Tuesday, June 18 - 7:30am

For the Souls in Purgatory; Kathleen Brunton;
David Crowley

Wednesday, June 19 - 12:05pm

For the Souls in Purgatory; Gary Golob;
Intentions of Veronica Faria

Thursday, June 20 - 7:30am

Fr. Stephen Bodnar; Mr. McGuire; Theresa Kelly

Friday, June 21 - 12:05pm

(St. Aloysius Gonzaga)

Vittorio Valastro; Alexander Hebert; Beatriz De Fraga

We remember in prayer all those who are sick, including Shari Houghton, and all those who have died, and comfort for those who mourn.

We pray for those serving in pastoral ministry throughout our diocese:

Deacon Donald St. Onge; Rev. Gary Goyeau;
Rev. Tadeusz Kowalczyk, C.S.M.A.;
Mrs. Karen Doyle, Coordinator of Youth Ministry;
Deacon Dennis Rivest; Deacon George Sebok;
Mrs. Annette Donovan-Panchaud, Pastoral Minister

READINGS - SUNDAY JUNE 23, 2019

First Reading - Genesis 14.18-20

Melchizedek brought out bread and wine.

Psalm - Ps 110.1,2,3,4 (R.4)

R. You are a priest forever, according to the order of Melchizedek.

Second Reading - 1 Corinthians 11.23-26

As often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

Gospel - Luke 9.11b-17

All ate and were filled.

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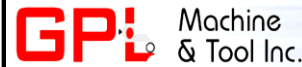


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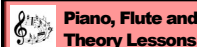


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