Today we contemplate the Most Holy Trinity as Jesus introduced us to it. He re vealed to us that God is love "not in the oneness of a single Person, but in the Trinity of one substance" (Preface). He is the Creator and merciful Father; he is the Only-Begotten Son, eternal Wisdom incarnate, who died and rose for us; he is the Holy Spirit who moves all things, cosmos and history, toward their final, full recapitulation. Three Persons who are one God because the Father is love, the Son is love, the Spirit is love. God is wholly and only love, the purest, infinite and eternal love. He does not live in splendid solitude but rather is an inexhaustible source of life that is ceaselessly given and com- municated. To a certain extent we can perceive this by observing both the macrouni- verse: our earth, the planets, the stars, the galaxies; and the micro-universe: cells, atoms, elementary particles. The "name" of the Blessed Trinity is, in a certain sense, imprinted upon all things because all that exists, down to the last particle, is in relation; in this way we catch a glimpse of God as relationship and ultimately, Creator Love.

All things derive from love, aspire to love and move impelled by love, though naturally with varying degrees of awareness and freedom. "O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!" (Ps 8: 1) the Psalmist exclaims. In speaking of the "name", the Bible refers to God himself, his truest identity. It is an identity that shines upon the whole of Creation, in which all beings for the very fact that they exist and be- cause of the "fabric" of which they are made point to a transcendent Principle, to eternal and infinite Life which is given, in a word, to Love. "In him we live and move and have our being", St Paul said at the Areopagus of Athens (Acts 17: 28). The strongest proof that we are made in the image of the Trinity is this: love alone makes us happy because we live in a relationship, and we live to love and to be loved. Borrowing an analogy from biology, we could say that imprinted upon his "genome", the human being bears a profound mark of the Trinity, of God as Love.

The Virgin Mary, in her docile humility, became the handmaid of divine Love: she accepted the Father's will and conceived the Son by the power of the Holy Spirit. In her the Almighty built a temple worthy of him and made her the model and image of the Church, mystery and house of communion for all human beings. May Mary, mirror of the Blessed Trinity, help us to grow in faith in the Trinitarian mystery.

(Pope Benedict 7th June 2009 Angelus Address)

ADORATION Feast of the Visitation and Corpus Christi



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Day	Date	Prayer Time	Place	Liturgical Calendar	Mass Intention
Sunday	30	9.00am 11.00am 3.00pm	SP SK Pol	<b>Trinity Sunday</b> (9 <sup>th</sup> Week)	Pro Populo NDL
Monday	31	10.00am 7.00- 8.00pm		The Visitation Adoration	NDL
Tuesday	1	12.00 noon	SP	St Justin Martyr	NDL
Wednesday	2	10.00am	SK	Feria	NDL
Thursday	3	10.00am	SK	Adoration	NDL
Friday	4	6.00pm	SK	1 <sup>st</sup> Friday	NDL
Saturday	5	10.00am	SK	1 <sup>st</sup> Sat St Boniface	NDL
Sunday	6	9.00am 11.00am 3.00pm 4.00pm	SP SK Pol	Corpus Christi Adoration+ Benediction.	Pro Populo NDL

#### Prayers

Those who are sick: Ralph Booth; James Whittle

## RIP Ann Collins

**Mass Intentions**: There have been many requests for mass intentions but except for those already agreed, Father needs to catch up on masses to be offered for the November Dead List.

# PPC MEETING MONDAY 7TH JUNE 6.00PM CHURCH HALL

Bishop Patrick would like to hear from you! The Diocese of Nottingham has launched a short survey in order to deepen its understanding of Covid-19's impact on all Catholics across the diocese. Bishop Patrick is eager to know more about peoples' experiences of the pandemic, with a view to ensuring that the faithful are well supported and understood in the years ahead. Please visit WWW.dioceseofnottingham.uk/whats-on/news/share-your-story and fill out the short questionnaire. Please encourage other parishioners to do so. **The deadline for submissions is July 4<sup>th</sup> 2021** 

Fr Brian Dazeley will be celebrating mass here at the Sacred Heart on the 11<sup>th</sup> June at 11.00am to celebrate his Diamond jubilee and there will (hopefully) be a small reception to follow. Those who would like to attend please sign the list at the back of Church.

## Change of Parish Priest:

Father Dominic as announced will be taking up a new assignment from the 21<sup>st</sup> June as Parish Priest at St. Mary's, Boston. There has been a parish priest appointed for this parish who will take up his position by the beginning of August.

During the interregnum:

From the  $26^{th}$  June inclusive the Spilsby mass will be a vigil mass at 4.00pm. Fr. John O'Donnell has kindly volunteered to supply.

From the 27<sup>th</sup> June the mass at the Sacred Heart will be at 11.30am and will be supplied by Fr. Dominic and Fr. Alex, who has kindly volunteered to help out.

# NOTES ON LITURGY

**For services at Spilsby:** Please contact either: Mary Flynn 01790 754563 or Patrick Doyle 01507 481072

### For Services at Skegness:

For Sunday and Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> June Please contact John Aldridge 762161 johnm.aldridge@btinternet.com

## Pope Francis proclaims "Year of St Joseph"

With the Apostolic Letter "Patris corde" ("With a Father's Heart"), Pope Francis recalls the 150th anniversary of the declaration of Saint Joseph as Patron of the Universal Church. To mark the occasion, the Holy Father has proclaimed a "Year of Saint Joseph" from today, 8 December 2020, to 8 December 2021.

### **CONFESSION** and/or need to speak to Father

Please ring and book a time. Normally Father will be around in the church at the weekend times if you just simply want to catch him.

### <u>Prayer outside of normal times</u>

Sometimes people will have an urgent need to visit the Church, light a candle and say a prayer. If this is the case again please give me a ring and it can be easily arranged. Even in lockdown, priests are available to help, absolve and fortify so please feel free to contact me.

# A Couple of Reminders

If you have been to Church and subsequently contract the coronavirus could you please let myself or one of the stewards know so that we can notify the attendees.

The Sunday obligation by the authority of Bishop Patrick is still not in force which means you are not obliged to attend Sunday mass or an holiday of obligation.

If the priest is singing only the choir should make the responses and not the congregation.

Many thanks.