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Mass Intentions

Sunday 15th June: Dan and Marcella Broughan.

Sunday 22nd June: No intention

'The Trinity'

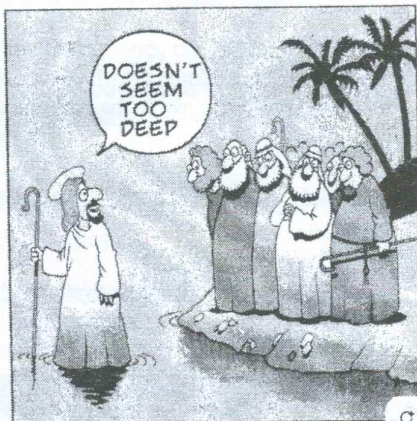
The church teaches that God is one being, but exists in three distinct persons, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. The Father is the ultimate creator, Jesus the Son is the incarnation of God in human form, and the Holy Spirit is the divine presence and power active in the world. While there are three distinct persons, they are all one God, sharing the same divine nature. Each person of the Trinity is fully God and has unique roles and characteristics. The 3 persons are eternal, have always existed, and are co-equal in power and majesty. The Father begets the Son, and the Holy Spirit then proceeds from the Father and the Son.

Saintly advice 'Time'

"When death comes, the mighty messenger of God, no king can command Him, no authority can restrain him, no riches can hire him to wait past his appointed time even one moment of an hour. Therefore let us consider well in time what words we are bound to speak and what deeds we are bound to do, and let us say them and do them quickly. And let us leave unsaid and undone all superfluous things, knowing well that we have no empty time allowed to us"..... (St Basil)

Blessing of the Graves.

The annual blessing of the graves in Streete/Coolamber/ and Boherquill, will take place next Saturday, June 21st. Prayers will be said at 5pm in Streete, prayers in Coolamber will be said at 5.30pm and Mass said in Boherquill cemetery at 6pm, please let family and friends know about time and dates.

Catholic humor**Mass Intentions**

Saturday 14th June: No intention

Saturday 21st June: Cemetery Mass

A little theology "ghosts"

The catholic church doesn't have a formal position or doctrine about ghosts, as they are commonly understood, but it does have a clear teaching on the soul, the afterlife and spiritual beings. The church teaches that the soul is immortal and survives death, and that it will eventually be reunited with the body at the end of time. While the church doesn't teach about 'ghosts' in the sense of spirits remaining on earth to haunt the living, it does believe in spiritual beings like angels and demons, and in the possibility of souls appearing to the living. The church has affirmed many apparitions of deceased saints and has accepted the messages they have brought, catholic can have different views on the matter as long as those views are in line with the teaching of the church on the soul.

World headlines.

(A) Pope Leo with the Curia will maintain Francis's direction, but change the tone. (B) Bioethics has forgotten about the ethics say Lejune Foundation president. (C) What's happening at Egypt's St Catherine Monastery, the world's oldest. (D) A papal plea, a legal legacy and men with mustaches? (E) Surfing priest makes a second ocean rescue, saving a father and son. (F) Scholars break down compatibility of evolution and catholic doctrine at gathering of scientists. (G) England's WeBelieve festival to showcase beauty and diversity of the catholic church. (H) 'School choice' law boosts catholic school enrollment in Florida after passing of law.

RIP

The prayers of the church are asked for the following members of the parish community, Kieran McNamara, Lismacraffery, Robert Dodd, Cornacausk, Streete, Attracta Murray Russagh, Philip Lynch Cappagh. May their souls rest in the peace of Christ their redeemer

Pilgrimage for life.

The annual pilgrimage for life will take place next Saturday, June 21st in Knock shrine, starting at 3pm with mass and anointing of the sick. This pilgrimage is organised by the Council for life of the Irish Bishops Conferences. We pray for a culture of reverence for life at all stages and in all situations, from birth to natural death.

Offertory Collection June 7/8

Rathowen 572

Streete 215.

Thank

You.

Pentecost Dues

The Pentecost Due is taken up this weekend, this is one of 6 Dues collections taken up each year which go to the support of priests of the diocese. Thank you for your generosity, it is much appreciated.