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The Holy Trinity

Today we are celebrating the feast of the Holy Trinity. "Trinity" means "three" and tells us that there are three Persons in God. There is only one God, but God is a relationship of the Father and the Son (Jesus) and the Holy Spirit.

Each of the Persons in the Holy Trinity is really God, so the Father is really God, and Jesus is really God, and the Holy Spirit is really God. But they are not all the same Person. Each of the Persons in the Holy Trinity is also equal to all the others. So the Father is not greater than the Son or the Holy Spirit; they are all equal.

Sometimes we can understand the Holy Trinity as if it were like a family. Each of the persons is different, but the family wouldn't really exist if any one of them were missing. The Holy Trinity is also a relationship of love. Because God is so full of love He wanted to share it with others, so that is why He made us! When we live the way God wants us to we are joining in the life of the Holy Trinity. Isn't that amazing?

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Did You Know?

Every time you make the Sign of the Cross or say the "Glory Be" you are praying to the Blessed Trinity.



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Holy Trinity

God so loves the world!
John 3: 16

Jesus is the Son of God, in whom God is well pleased.
Luke 3: 22

His Holy Spirit lives in us.
1John 4: 13

WHAT'S HAPPENING

- The Solemnity of Corpus Christi will be celebrated at the Gros Islet Church this Thursday, June 8th at 3:00 p.m. followed by a procession around the town of Gros Islet.

The Solemnity of Corpus Christi

The Body and Blood of Our Lord

8th June



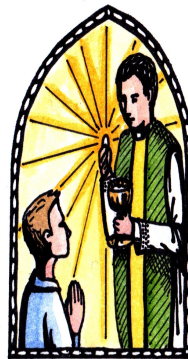
Today we celebrate the feast of the Body and Blood of Our Lord in the Holy Eucharist.

At the Last Supper, Jesus changed bread and wine into His own Body and Blood. He has the power to do this because He is God. He did this because He wanted to stay with us even after He died and went into Heaven.

Jesus comes to us in every Mass. The priest takes the place of Jesus, saying the words that Jesus said at the Last Supper, and the bread and wine become the real Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Jesus even though they still look like bread and wine.

How do I receive Communion well?

1. Be ready! Think about what is going to happen. Make sure that you don't have any big sins on your soul. If you do, then go to confession first.
2. Don't eat or drink anything other than water or medicine for an hour before going to Holy Communion. This is a sign of respect for Our Lord.
3. After receiving Holy Communion, take some time to thank Jesus for coming to you and talk to Him. He is your best friend and loves spending time with you!

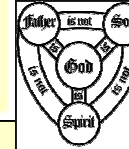


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SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY - 4TH JUNE 2023 - YEAR A



Our God of Love.

We often begin Mass with the prayer from today's Epistle: "The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all." We praise the God who has revealed Himself as a Trinity, a communion of persons. Communion with the Trinity is the goal of our worship, and the purpose of the salvation history that begins in the Bible and continues in the Eucharist and sacraments of the Church.

We see the beginnings of God's self-revelation in the First Reading, as He passes before Moses and cries out His holy name. Israel had sinned in worshipping the golden calf, but God does not condemn them to perish. Instead, He proclaims His mercy and faithfulness to His covenant. God loved Israel as His firstborn son among the nations. Through Israel, heirs of His covenant with Abraham, God planned to reveal Himself as the Father of all nations.

The memory of God's covenant testing of Abraham, and his faithful obedience, lies behind today's Gospel. In commanding Abraham to offer his only beloved son, God was preparing us for the fullest possible revelation of His love for the world. As Abraham was willing to offer Isaac, God did not spare His own Son but handed Him over for us all. In this, He revealed what was only disclosed partially to Moses - that His kindness continues for a thousand generations, that He forgives our sin, and that He takes us back as His very own people.

Jesus humbled himself to die in obedience to God's will. And for this, the Spirit of God raised Him from the dead and gave Him a name above every name. This is the name we glorify in today's Psalm, the name of our Lord, the God who is Love.

(excerpt: stpaulcenter.com)

St. Joseph the Worker Parish
Gros Islet, Grande Riviere & Monchy

CONFESSIONS

Every Saturday
9.00 - 10.00 a.m.
&
by appointment

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SUNDAY READINGS

First Reading

Ex.34:4-6,8-9

Second Reading

2Cor.13:11-13

Gospel

Jn.3:16-18

MASS TIMES

GROS ISLET

Morning Prayers:
5:45a.m.



MONDAY

6:00 a. m./12:30 p.m.



TUESDAY

6:00 a.m.



WEDNESDAY

6:00 a.m./12:30 p.m.
G/Riviere: 6:00 p.m.



THURSDAY

6:00 a.m./12:30 p.m.
Monchy: 6:00 p.m.



FRIDAY

6:00 a.m./12:30 p.m.



SATURDAY

6:30 a.m./6:00 p. m.



SUNDAY

G/Islet/G.Riviere
7:30 a.m.



Gros Islet/Monchy

10:00 a.m.



HOLIDAY

Variable



Corpus Christi: The Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ

The Feast of the Sacred Body and Blood of Jesus which is given to us in the Most Holy Eucharist is a profound, prophetic and powerful Feast in the liturgical year of the Church. On this Feast day we proclaim our belief in the Real presence of Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist. We are reminded that Jesus Christ still gives Himself to us, Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity. We also proclaim that this same Jesus lives within each one of us who are baptized into His Body, the Church, of which we are members.

After the Mass of the day, we usually follow the ancient and beautiful custom in the Latin Rite of the Catholic Church, the Corpus Christi procession. The consecrated Host, the Body of the Lord, is reposed in a monstrance (from a Latin phrase meaning to show or reveal), and the faithful process the Body of the Lord through the streets surrounding the church building singing songs of worship. This year, because of restrictions for the Coronavirus Pandemic, we are unable to process through the streets.

We can however proclaim, by our attendance at this Mass or following it on television or other media, that we know the Lord is truly present in the Eucharist and in our lives, giving Himself to all who call upon him. Jesus Christ is not dead. He is alive! He has been raised from the dead! He still walks through our streets in this hour as truly as He walked the streets of Galilee.

The world is a place that God still loves so much that He continues to send His Son to save, recreate and transform it from within. The Corpus Christi observance more than ever this year symbolizes the ongoing redemptive mission of Jesus Christ, and our participation in it. He comes to dwell within us and we live our lives now in Him. We are invited to become a living monstrance carrying the Lord within us, to be living manifestations of the Lord, showing Him forth to the world in word and deed.

In the Holy Eucharist we receive the Divine Host, Jesus the Christ. Through our Baptism, Jesus Christ has taken up residence within each one of us. We are invited to enthrone the Lord in our hearts. We carry Him into the real world with us. We proclaim that the Lord continues to come into the world, through the Church.

(excerpt: catholic.org)

My flesh is true food,
and My blood is
true drink.



PLEASE PRAY FOR

THE SICK

Martha Mason
Iris Macauldy
Patsy Crafton
Teresa Huntley

DECEASED

Patrick Henry
Claude Griffith
Nicholas Smith
Keith Frederick
Edward Marius
Robert Mitchell

WEEKDAY READINGS



MONDAY

Tob.1:3;2:1-8
Mk.12:1-12



TUESDAY

Tob.2:9-14
Mk.12:13-17



WEDNESDAY

Tob.3:1-11,16-17
Mk.12:18-27



THURSDAY

Dt.8:2-3,14-16
1Cor.10:16-17

Jn.6:51-58



FRIDAY

Tob.11:5-17
Mk.12:35-37



SATURDAY

Tob.12:1,5-15,20
Mk.12:38-44



MASS INTENTIONS

GROS ISLET

CLERGY / RELIGIOUS

INTENTIONS

SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY - YEAR A

Sat Jun 3 - 6:00 p.m.

"Blessed are you, O Lord,
the God of our fathers,
praiseworthy and exalted
above all forever;
And blessed is your
holy and glorious name,
praiseworthy and exalted
above all for all ages."

Guid: Augusta Toussaint
Thks: Perlin Verdant & family
Alghitha Richelieu & family

Sun Jun 4 - 7:30 a.m.

Solemnity of The Most Holy Trinity.

MISSA PRO POPULO

10:00 a.m.

First Communion

First Communion Candidates

Grande Riviere - 7:30 a.m.

B'day: Melissa Charlemagne

Monchy - 10:00 a.m.

- Daniel 3:52 -



B'day: Imani Elliot

WEEKDAY MASS INTENTIONS

Mon Jun 5 - 6:00 a.m.

St. Boniface, Bishop & Doctor

Fr. Amalraj
Fr. Albert Smith
Sr. Christine Alphonse

Int: Bernadette Pamphile & family

12:30 p.m.

Dc'd: Rochelle Leon
Friends of David & Mary Popo

Tues Jun 6 - 6:00 a.m.

Fr. Cezar Herrera
Mother Rosaria Joseph
Sr. Giovanna Mabunda

Int: Donors & Benefactors

Wed Jun 7 - 6:00 a.m.

12:30 p.m.

Rev. Andrew Edward
Sr. Ramona George

B'day: Ruth Wiggins

Dc'd: Valaria Williams
Iris & Fitz Baptiste
Popo & Mathurin families

Grande Riviere - 6:00 p.m.

Dc'd: Louis Prospere

Thu Jun 8 - 3:00 p.m.

The Solemnity of Corpus Christi



*This is My Body,
given for you.*

Parishioners

Fri Jun 9 - 6:00 a.m.

Rev. Arnold Clouden
Rev. Wilfred Harris
Rev. Marcellus Serieux

Thks: Hessie Alcide

12:30 p.m.

B'day: Gillem Raymond
95th B'day: Delia Raymond
Thks: Glace Motors Ltd.

Sat Jun 10 - 6:30 a.m.

Rev. Anthony Pierre
Rev. Madison Stanislaus

Thks: Shanta King & family