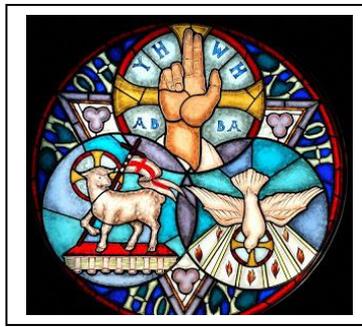


**TRINITY SUNDAY**  
**Reading Cycle A**  
**Psalter Week 2**  
**Sunday 7<sup>TH</sup> June 2020**  
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**MASSES WILL BE CELEBRATED PRIVATELY**

<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>6<sup>TH</sup> JUNE</b>	<b>THE MOST HOLY TRINITY (SOLEMNITY)</b>	<b>Bernard</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>7<sup>TH</sup> JUNE</b>		<b>Joseph and James O'Donovan</b>

<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>8<sup>TH</sup> JUNE</b>	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b>	<b>Michael Harbottle</b>
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>9<sup>TH</sup> JUNE</b>	<b>ST COLUMBA</b>	<b>John Patrick O'Brien</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>10<sup>TH</sup> JUNE</b>	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b>	
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>11<sup>TH</sup> JUNE</b>	<b>ST BARNABAS (Memorial)</b>	<b>Eddie Hall</b>
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>12<sup>TH</sup> JUNE</b>	<b>Weekday in Ordinary Time</b>	

<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>13<sup>TH</sup> JUNE</b>	<b>THE BODY AND BLOOD OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST ( SOLEMNITY)</b>	
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>14<sup>TH</sup> JUNE</b>		<b>Paul Gardner and Lu Mooney</b>

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK, ANNIVERSARIES AND THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY DIED:**

We pray for those in our families or in our Parish Community who may be sick, housebound, worried or in need. We ask that the love of the Lord be with them and all who are in self isolation during the coming week. To all our parishioners who are indisposed we pray that they may receive every grace and blessing. We pray especially for the Repose of the souls of John Henry Davies, and Margaret Rees who have died recently. May they Rest in Eternal Peace + We also pray for Maureen Sullivan, John Anthony Clements, Cecilo Lago, and Eddie Hall whose anniversaries occur at this time. Let us not forget to pray for all those who have died and for their families, as well as a prayer of thanks to those working in our hospitals and care homes. Risen Jesus, Hear Our Prayers.

**CANDLES FOR SICK & HOUSEBOUND** Each week votive candles are lit by you, they last approximately 2hrs. You will have an opportunity to buy a 7 day candle which will be left either at the Sacred Heart and Our Lady's Altar for the duration of a week. The charge will be £5. A second candle will be lit for the sick and housebound. Each week a named member of the Parish will be remembered by the lighting of a candle.

Candles for specific people will continue to be lit each week. **This week's candle will be lit for Eddie Hall**

**PRAYERS:** It is our duty to pray for each other, for those who are sick and those who care for them. But I also ask your prayers for the Chaplains who sit with those who will die, then with the families and then to stand at the graveside bringing the Peace of Jesus, to these broken families. I remember my good friend at Llandough, Peter Davies RC Chaplain, and Dave Pritchard at the Heath.

**GOING INTO HOSPITAL?** Please let your parish priest know as he will be pleased to celebrate the Sacrament of the Sick and/or any pastoral support you need, as the team of priests who currently provide 24/7 cover are under a great deal of pressure and therefore no guarantee that a priest will always be available at any particular time. If you know any Catholic already in Hospital who needs a visit or sacramental support please leave details with the Cardiff & Vale Hospital Chaplaincy 029 20743230

**CONTACT:** As I said before, you have my telephone number but I don't have yours. So maybe when the isolation comes to an end we can take names and telephone numbers ( if we are allowed by data protection) so contact with the vulnerable can be undertaken. Don't forget to pray for the sick and those who look after them and all who are isolated not forgetting those who are and will continue to suffer through lack of food , water and justice.

**NATIONAL WEEKLY MASS FOR NHS AND CARE HOME WORKERS :** A National Weekly Mass, will be celebrated by one of the Bishops of England and Wales, and live-streamed from his Cathedral, for NHS front-line and Care Home workers, the sick and their families each week at 7-00pm. Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> June .Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Patrck McKinney, St Barnabas Cathedral Nottingham [http://www.stbarnabascathedral.org.uk/01\\_Community/livestream.html](http://www.stbarnabascathedral.org.uk/01_Community/livestream.html)

**FORTHCOMING WEDDINGS, BAPTISMS, MEETINGS AND CLASSES** At the moment all have been suspended

**CATHOLIC PEOPLE NEWSPAPER for MAY** Available on-line only. Please click on the link on our website homepage.

**WHAT'S NEW ON THE WEBSITE:** The readings for the day will hopefully be posted each day as well as other items of interest. There are links on the website which may help you with your devotion.

**ON-LINE MASS:** There are many sites which stream Catholic Masses. Links are on the Website Eg.

<http://www.catholictv.org/masses/catholictv-mass> Daily Mass ( On Demand)

<https://www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/st-mary-of-the-angels> Daily Mass

Holy Mass can also be watched on television on Channel EWTN

**SAFEGUARDING:** Please click on the link for Helplines and Information on the website homepage.

**ST PATRICK'S SCHOOL:** Let's not forget the children and staff , some still attending school and also the staff " still teaching" via the Internet.

### **MESSAGE FROM CANON MIKE**

#### **THE MONTH OF JUNE**

I spoke last year about my Grandmother, my Godmother and my Uncle Charlie. Above my Grandmother's bed hung a picture of the Sacred Heart. On the mantelpiece Aunt Glad had a statue of the Sacred Heart and my Uncle Charlie had a Sacred Heart pin on his jacket. All in their own way had a devotion to the Sacred Heart. May was the month of Our Lady and June we remember the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

For children and other people who see for the first time the image of the Sacred Heart it can be frightening. In front of you stands a man whose hand seems to be holding his heart outside his body. We've all seen it and for some it's eerie and intimidating.

If you look closely you see the Heart is damaged, broken. The older we get we think of the times when our hearts have been broken. Like the first time a certain young lady from Cork broke my heart. I was heartbroken and grief stricken -- I soon got over it. What about the times we have broken the hearts of others; those who love and care for us, when we are selfish and egotistical. I think of the times as a Parish Priest when I've broken the Hearts of Parishioners through my selfishness, my uncharitable and uncaring attitude and for my stupidity and inconsideration towards my own family.

" Lord for those times , please forgive me."

When we break people's hearts we break the Heart of Jesus. He stands in front of us knowing how fickle and inconsistent our love is and yet His Heart is continually pumping love and forgiveness to all who come to Him. Jesus is the Healer of broken hearts. His gentle touch and soothing word exudes a love beyond all understanding. So next time we come across The Sacred Heart of Jesus, let's not be afraid , but look beyond the statue, the picture or pin-badge and hear the gentle and encouraging voice of Jesus " Come to me all you who labour and I will give you rest, for you'll find a love the world cannot give."

#### **ST COLUMBA -- COLM-CILLE (521-597AD)**

This Tuesday June 9<sup>th</sup> is the Feast-day of the Great Donegal Saint, Colum- Cille.

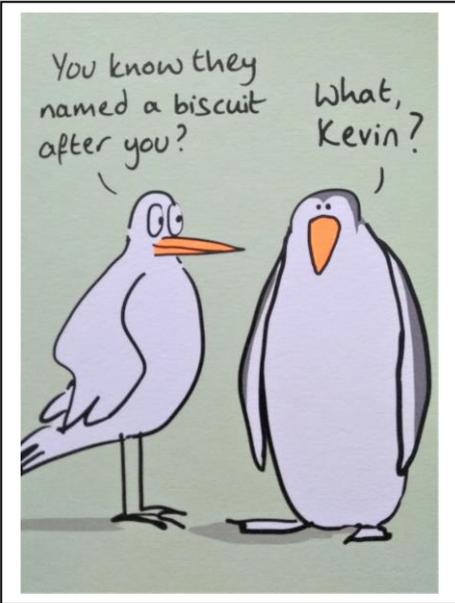
My Grandfather who left for America with his two brothers and a sister was born near the lake where Columba was born, Gartan, half way between Letterkenny and Creeslough. My Grandfather's family must have had an understanding and a devotion to this Saint. Brought up on stories of this man and his followers, like the great Saint Patrick, together with his siblings he left his native home in 1890 and travelled the great sea to start a new life in America.

Columba was exiled and became a missionary on the West Coast of Scotland, the Island of Iona. Let us remember those amongst us who are exiled from the land of their birth, who are seeking like my Grandfather a better life for their families. Remember, we are all exiles, exiled from our home in Heaven. So let's continue our journey that one day we will all be united in the Homeland with Columba and all the Saints.

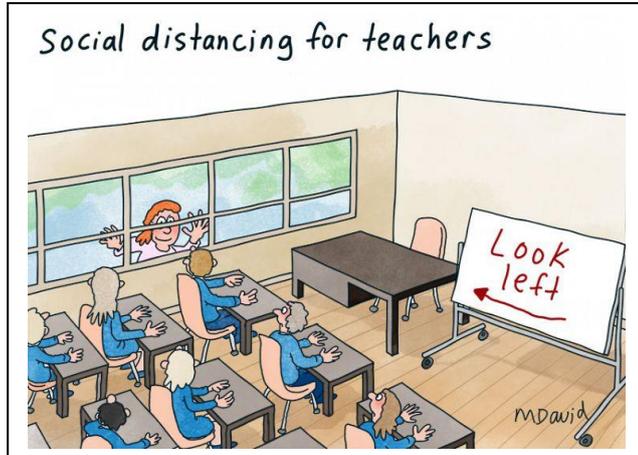
PS. One of our families left St Patrick's last December to live in Co. Donegal -- the Collette Family. Hello !



**LIFE'S LIKE THAT!**



Why don't Polar Bears eat Penguins?  
They can't get the wrappers off.



Two drunks from Grangetown are walking along. One drunk says to the other "What a beautiful night..... Look at the moon" The other drunk stops and looks at his drunk friend " You are wrong. That's not the moon, that's the sun". They started arguing for a while when they came upon another drunk walking, so they stopped him. " Sir, could you please settle our argument? Tell us what that thing is up in the sky that's shining. Is it the moon or the sun ?"

The third drunk looked at the sky and then looked at them and said " Sorry, I don't know. I'm from Ely"

Three men wanted to attend the Olympic Games but they had no tickets to the events. As they stood around watching, they noticed that the participants in the Games all went in at a certain gate and that many were carrying sports gear for their event. The three began to get creative and as they looked around, the first spotted some electrical conduit left over from some construction work. He picked up a length of this pipe, walked up to the gate and said " Pole vault" and they waved him in. The second guy discovered a man-hole cover, picked it up, walked up to the gate, said, " Discus" and they waved him in. The third guy looked for some time before he spotted a roll of barbed wire. He picked this up, threw it onto his shoulder, walked up to the gate and announced " Fencing".

My Grand mother started walking five miles a day when she was 60. She's 97 now and we don't know where the heck she is !

