

WELCOME TO ST. PATRICK'S ESKER/DODSBORO/ADAMSTOWN
NEWSLETTER

7TH JUNE 2020



Welcome To
St Patrick's Esker/Doddsboro/ Adamstown
June 7, 2020

We remember Paddy Thompson late of Doddsboro who died recently in England.



James & Elizabeth English, Michael English,
Gerard Clarke, Patrick & Emily Curran

Jack, Annie & Mary Doyle, Fionnuala Doyle, Michael & Mary Henry, John Conway, Alice Foley, Tommy Doyle, Jimmy & Peggy Byrne whose anniversaries occur

Readings ~ Sun. 7th June

The first reading - If we do not readily see the link between tenderness, compassion and commandments, the shortcoming lies in our understanding rather than in the reality. The God who gives the commandments is indeed 'a God of tenderness and compassion.'

The second reading - Paul's second letter to the Corinthians ends with the fullest trinitarian formula in the New Testament. His struggles to foster unity among the argumentative, fractious believers at Corinth are crowned with a reference to the very source of unity: the three Persons of the Blessed Trinity.

The Gospel - John 3:16-18 - To refuse God's son is to refuse God's love; and to refuse God's love is not to be condemned by God, but to condemn oneself

Biblical Reflection ~ Fr. John will be broadcasting a five minute biblical reflection Mon-Fri at 10am on the parish web site – www.st.patrickslucan.ie

ALONE - Corona Virus Helpline for Older

People - If you have concerns or queries about Covid-19 call ALONE's dedicated support line 0818 222 024 everyday 8am-8pm.

Seeing Your Life Through the Lens of the Gospel -

Gospel: John 3:16-18

1 - The reading evokes contrasting images of God, a God who judges and a God who saves. We might reflect on how our image of God has changed with the years. What has helped you to believe in a God whose will is that you should have eternal life?

2 - God sent his Son into the world for this purpose, that we might have eternal life. How has the story of Jesus helped you to have that kind of faith?

3 - The eternal life promised is life that begins now, and survives all forms of death, failure, defeat and humiliation. What has helped you to have that sense of being alive, even in painful and disappointing circumstances?

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