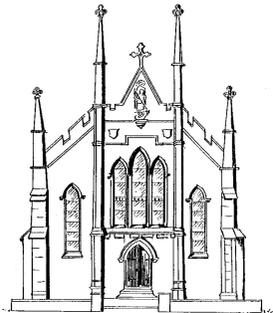


# DAILY PRAYERS TRINITY SUNDAY WEEK 9



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## Trinity Sunday

### Collect:

God our Father, who by sending into the world the Word of truth and the Spirit of sanctification made known to the human race Your wondrous mystery, grant us, we pray, that in professing the true faith, we may acknowledge the Trinity of eternal glory and adore Your Unity, powerful in majesty. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.

**Today's Gospel reading:** Matthew 28:16-20

### Today's prayer:

Glory be to the Father, who by His almighty power and love created me, making me in the image and likeness of God.  
Glory be to the Son, who by His Precious Blood delivered me from Hell, and opened for me the gates of Heaven.  
Glory be to the Holy Spirit, who has sanctified me in the sacrament of Baptism, and continues to sanctify me by the graces I receive daily from His bounty.  
Glory be to You, Father, Son and Holy Spirit now and forever. Amen.

### A Prayer for Our Parish on this our Feast Day

Heavenly Father, our parish is composed of people like me;  
together we help make it what it is.  
It will be friendly if I am.  
Its pews will be filled if I help fill them.  
It will do great work if I work.  
It will make generous gifts to many causes if I am a generous giver.  
It will bring other people to honour and praise You if I invite and bring them.  
It will be a parish of loyalty and love,  
of fearlessness and faith,  
and a parish with a noble spirit,  
if I, who make it what it is,  
am filled with these same things.  
Therefore, with Your help, O God, we rededicate ourselves to the task  
of being all things that we want our parish to be. Amen.

## Monday – Visitation of the Blessed Vrigin Mary

### Collect:

Almighty ever-living God,  
who, while the Blessed Virgin Mary was carrying Your Son in her womb,  
inspired her to visit Elizabeth,  
grant us, we pray,  
that, faithful to the promptings of the Spirit,  
we may magnify Your greatness  
with the Virgin Mary at all times.  
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son,  
who lives and reigns with You in the unity  
of the Holy Spirit,  
God, for ever and ever. Amen.

**Today's Gospel reading:** Luke 1:39-56

### Today's prayer:

Eternal Father,  
by the merits of the visitation,  
teach us to follow the inspiration of the Holy Spirit,  
so as to know how to bring Christ to our brothers and sisters  
and to be able to glorify You in song and holiness of life.  
Mary, my Mother, pray for me  
so that imitating your love  
I will take Jesus to my neighbour.

Mary, model of charity, Pray for us  
St Elizabeth, Pray for us

## Tuesday – St Justin

Martyr

### Collect:

O God, who through the folly of the Cross  
wondrously taught Saint Justin the Martyr  
the surpassing knowledge of Jesus Christ,  
grant us, through his intercession,  
that, having rejected deception and error,  
we may become steadfast in the faith.  
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son,  
who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
God, for ever and ever. Amen.

**Today's Gospel reading:** Matthew 5:13-19

### Today's prayer:

A Prayer to be a Witness for Jesus

Father, I'm so grateful for all that You have done for me,  
So honored that You would love me,  
And be mindful of my needs.  
On my best days, when I am at peace and rest,  
Confident that You are in charge and that I need not worry,  
I know how blessed I am.  
Help me live like this each day;  
Help me show others that You are there;  
That You care; that You are always in charge.  
Let people see by my faith  
That I have confidence in You;  
That Your ways are always the best;  
Always the wisest.  
Help me to not be boastful or arrogant;  
And let pride be far from me,  
Knowing that this too would be my witness;  
Pushing those You love away,  
Rather than drawing them nearer to You.  
Help me be mindful that whatever I do,  
Good or bad, it is a reflection on You.

St Justin, Pray for us that we may give witness to Jesus by our words and deeds

## Wednesday – Week 9

### Collect:

O God, whose providence never fails in its design,  
keep from us, we humbly beseech You,  
all that might harm us  
and grant all that works for our good.  
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son,  
who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
God, for ever and ever. Amen.

**Today's Gospel reading:** Mk 12:18-27

### Today's prayer:

Loving and tender Providence of my God,  
into Your hands I commend my spirit;  
to You I abandon my hopes and fears,  
my desires and fears, my temporal and eternal prospects.  
To You I commit the wants of my perishable body;  
to You I commit the more precious interests of my immortal soul  
for whose lot I have nothing to fear as long as I do not leave Your care.  
Though my faults are many, my misery great, my spiritual poverty extreme,  
my hope in You surpasses all. it is superior to my weakness,  
greater than my difficulties, stronger than death.  
Though temptations should assail me, I will hope in You;  
though I break my resolutions,  
I will look to You confidently for grace to keep them at last.  
though You should ask me to die, even then I will trust in You,  
for You are my father, my God, the support of my salvation.  
You are my kind, compassionate and indulgent parent,  
and I am Your devoted child,  
who casts myself into Your arms and begs Your blessing.  
I put my trust in You,  
and so trusting, shall not be confounded. Amen.

*St Claude La Colombiere, SJ  
(2<sup>nd</sup> February 1641 Saint-Symphorien-d'Ozon –  
15<sup>th</sup> February 1682 Paray-le-Monial.)*

## Thursday - St Chales Lwanga and the Martyrs of Uganda

### Collect:

O God, who have made the blood of Martyrs  
the seed of Christians,  
mercifully grant that the field which is Your Church,  
watered by the blood  
shed by Saints Charles Lwanga and his companions,  
may be fertile and always yield You an abundant harvest.  
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son,  
who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
One God, for ever and ever. Amen.

**Today's Gospel reading:** Matthew 5:1-12a

### Today's prayer:

Take Lord,  
and receive all my liberty,  
my memory,  
my understanding,  
and my entire will,  
all that I have and possess.  
You have given all to me.  
To You, O Lord, I return it.  
All is Yours,  
dispose of it wholly according to Your will.  
Give me Your love and Your grace,  
for this is sufficient for me.

*St Ignatius Loyola (23<sup>rd</sup> October 1491 - 31<sup>st</sup> July 1556)*

St Charles and Companions, Pray for us that we will live by God's  
teachings and carry with joy the burden He asks of us.

## Friday – Week 9

### Collect:

O God, whose providence never fails in its design,  
keep from us, we humbly beseech You,  
all that might harm us  
and grant all that works for our good.  
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son,  
who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
God, for ever and ever. Amen.

**Today's Gospel reading:** Mk 12:35-37

### Today's prayer:

O God, whose mercies are without number,  
and whose goodness is an inexhaustible treasure,  
I give You thanks for all the gifts You have given me,  
evermore beseeching Your goodness,  
that while You hear the prayers of all those who ask,  
You also prepare them for the blessings yet to come. Amen.

## Saturday - St Boniface

Martyr

### Collect:

May the Martyr Saint Boniface be our advocate, O Lord,  
that we may firmly hold the faith  
he taught with his lips and sealed in his blood  
and confidently profess it by our deeds.  
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son,  
who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
One God, for ever and ever. Amen.

**Today's Gospel reading:** John 10:11-16

### Today's prayer:

A Prayer of St Boniface

Eternal God, the refuge and help of all Your children,  
we praise You for all You have given us,  
for all You have done for us,  
for all that You are to us.  
In our weakness, You are strength,  
in our darkness, You are light,  
in our sorrow, You are comfort and peace.  
We cannot number Your blessings,  
we cannot declare Your love:  
For all Your blessings we bless You.  
May we live as in Your presence,  
and love the things that You love,  
and serve You in our daily lives;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*St Boniface (675 – 5 June 754)*