

A young family was returning home after the Baptism of their newest addition; Matthew Daniel. His mother placed him in his crib which had been placed in the living room in anticipation of the party which was to follow. After the baby had been settled in his crib Elizabeth the baby's older sister spoke up. "Would everybody please leave the room", she announced. Well of course everyone left the room but from a distance the little girl spoke up; "Matthew" she said "what is God like? I'm beginning to forget."

Today we celebrate "what God is like." God is three persons but only one God. Jesus reveals to us the mystery of the inner life of God, showing through His words and deeds that God is not a solitary being but a communion of persons' Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Jesus is the Son who has come to us to fully reveal the face of the Father, showing us the Father's face through His incarnation.

In revealing to us the face of the Father; Jesus breaks open eternity to humanity, making a relationship with the Father through the Son in the Holy Spirit a real possibility for each and every one of us.

This self-giving, life-giving love is the heart of the Blessed Trinity and is the heart of our faith and morality.

God, the Blessed Trinity is Family and God invites everyone of us into His Family as sisters and brothers and this family we call "The Church."

We are celebrating two anniversaries on this beautiful feast; the fifteenth anniversary of our Deacon Miguel Fabian and my 60th anniversary as a Priest. I am very grateful to Deacon Miguel for his years of generous service to our community. He is a man of great wisdom. I am so grateful to God and to you for your love and prayers and for the privilege of celebrating the loving presence of Jesus among us these many years!