

Chapter 1 : Trinity College Dublin - All You Need to Know BEFORE You Go (with Photos) - TripAdvisor

The Trinity -Yesterday, Today and the Future Arius that the Son was not eternal but was created by God, who thereby became his Father. Originally, the statement was proposed to the Council that the Son came 'from.

Spirit The " Shield of the Trinity " or Scutum Fidei diagram of traditional medieval Western Christian symbolism In Trinitarian doctrine, God exists as three persons or hypostases, but is one being, having a single divine nature. As stated in the Athanasian Creed , the Father is uncreated, the Son is uncreated, and the Holy Spirit is uncreated, and all three are eternal without beginning. Each person is understood as having the identical essence or nature, not merely similar natures. A possible interpretation of Genesis 1: Perichoresis A depiction of the Council of Nicaea in AD , at which the Deity of Christ was declared orthodox and Arianism condemned Perichoresis from Greek , "going around", "envelopment" is a term used by some scholars to describe the relationship among the members of the Trinity. The Latin equivalent for this term is circumincessio. This concept refers for its basis to John 14:17 , where Jesus is instructing the disciples concerning the meaning of his departure. His going to the Father, he says, is for their sake; so that he might come to them when the "other comforter" is given to them. Then, he says, his disciples will dwell in him, as he dwells in the Father, and the Father dwells in him, and the Father will dwell in them. This is so, according to the theory of perichoresis, because the persons of the Trinity "reciprocally contain one another, so that one permanently envelopes and is permanently enveloped by, the other whom he yet envelopes". Hilary of Poitiers , Concerning the Trinity 3: Perichoresis provides an intuitive figure of what this might mean. Therefore, Orthodox theologians also see the marriage relationship between a man and a woman to be an example of this sacred union. What therefore God hath joined together, let no man put asunder. Filioque Trinitarianism affirms that the Son is "begotten" or "generated" of the Father and that the Spirit "proceeds" from the Father, but the Father is "neither begotten nor proceeds". The argument over whether the Spirit proceeds from the Father alone, or from the Father and the Son, was one of the catalysts of the Great Schism , in this case concerning the Western addition of the Filioque clause to the Nicene Creed. The Eastern Orthodox Churches object to the Filioque clause on ecclesiological and theological grounds, holding that "from the Father" means "from the Father alone". This language is often considered difficult because, if used regarding humans or other created things, it would imply time and change; when used here, no beginning, change in being, or process within time is intended and is excluded. The Son is generated "born" or "begotten" , and the Spirit proceeds, eternally. Augustine of Hippo explains, "Thy years are one day, and Thy day is not daily, but today; because Thy today yields not to tomorrow, for neither does it follow yesterday. Its controversial use is addressed in several confessions: Economic and immanent Trinity[edit] The neutrality of this section is disputed. Relevant discussion may be found on the talk page. Please do not remove this message until conditions to do so are met. According to the Catechism of the Catholic Church, The Fathers of the Church distinguish between theology theologia and economy oikonomia. Through the oikonomia the theologia is revealed to us; but conversely, the theologia illuminates the whole oikonomia. So it is, analogously, among human persons. A person discloses himself in his actions, and the better we know a person, the better we understand his actions. The three persons of the Trinity always work inseparably, for their work is always the work of the one God. They have but one will as they have but one being. Otherwise they would not be one God. According to Phillip Cary , if there were relations of command and obedience between the Father and the Son, there would be no Trinity at all but rather three gods. His object is to make it plain that His own will is connected in indissoluble union with the Father. Let us rather, in a sense befitting the Godhead, perceive a transmission of will, like the reflexion of an object in a mirror, passing without note of time from Father to Son. Athanasius of Alexandria explained that the Son is eternally one in being with the Father, temporally and voluntarily subordinate in his incarnate ministry.

Chapter 2 : Trinity - Wikipedia

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Gaudenzio Church at Ivrea, Torino. Church year[edit] The Sundays following Pentecost, until Advent , are numbered from this day. The liturgical colour used on Trinity Sunday is white. Prior to the reforms of the Second Vatican Council , it marked the end of a three-week period when church weddings were forbidden. The period began on Rogation Sunday , the fifth Sunday after Easter. During the Middle Ages, especially during the Carolingian period, devotion to the Blessed Trinity was a highly important feature of private devotion and inspired several liturgical expressions. Before , it was said on all Sundays after Epiphany and Pentecost which do not fall within Octaves or on which a feast of Double rank or higher was celebrated or commemorated, as well as on Trinity Sunday. The reforms reduced it to once a year, on this Sunday. In the Missal, the Mass for the First Sunday After Pentecost is not said or commemorated on Sunday it is permanently impeded there by Trinity Sunday , but is used during the week if the ferial Mass is being said. In some countries, including the United States , Canada , and Spain , it may be celebrated on the following Sunday, when parishioners are more likely to attend Mass and be able to celebrate the feast. Anglicanism[edit] The Athanasian Creed , although not often used, is recited in certain Anglican churches, particularly those of High Church tendency. Its use is prescribed in the Book of Common Prayer of the Church of England for use on certain Sundays at Morning Prayer , including Trinity Sunday, and it is found in many modern Anglican prayer books. It is in the Historical Documents section of the Book of Common Prayer Episcopal Church , but its use is not specifically provided for in the rubrics of that prayer book. Trinity Sunday has the status of a Principal Feast in the Church of England and is one of seven principal feast days in the Episcopal Church. Thomas Becket  70 was consecrated Archbishop of Canterbury on the Sunday after Pentecost Whitsun , and his first act was to ordain that the day of his consecration should be held as a new festival in honour of the Holy Trinity. This observance spread from Canterbury throughout the whole of western Christendom. Anglican parishes with an Anglo-Catholic churchmanship observe Corpus Christi on the following Thursday, or in some cases the following Sunday. We beseech thee to keep us steadfast in this faith and evermore defend us from all adversities who livest and reignest, one God, world without end. Grant that we may always hold firmly and joyfully to this faith, and, living in praise of thy divine majesty, may finally be one in thee; who art three persons in one God, world without end. The earliest possible date is May 17 as in and The latest possible date is June 20 as in and

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For the vast majority of Christians, including most ministers and theological students, the Trinity is still a mathematical conundrum, full of imposing philosophical jargon, relegated to an obscure alcove remote from daily life. I have been surprised over the years at the confusion prevalent in the most unexpected circles. For this reason it is necessary to remind ourselves of the main contours of the doctrine as it has been unfolded by the church. The following are the words of the Niceno-Constantinopolitan creed, probably dating from the Council of Constantinople ad 451, which brought to a resolution the convulsions of the fourth century: We believe in one God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible; And in one Lord Jesus Christ the Son of God, the Only-begotten, begotten by his Father before all ages, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten not made, consubstantial with the Father, through whom all things came into existence, who for us men and for our salvation came down from the heavens and became incarnate by the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became a man, and was crucified for us under Pontius Pilate and suffered and was buried and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures and ascended into the heavens and is seated at the right hand of the Father and will come again with glory to judge the living and the dead. Amen. Rahner, K. The Trinity, New York: Crossroad, 1966, p. 1. From this the following emerges, either directly or in further development: God is one being essence, from esse, to be, three persons, or from another angle, three persons, one being. Each person is God- in-himself. Each person possesses the entire being of God the one divine essence and the entire being of God is in each person. Thus, each person indwells each other - the three mutually contain one another perichoresis - for the one being of God is undivided. However, the three persons are not identical to one another They are eternal and distinct. There are particular relations the three persons sustain to each other, that are inseparable from their particular identity The Father is the Father of the Son, the Son is the Son of the Father The Father begets the Son, the Son is begotten by the Father. This relation cannot be reversed - it is eternal and unchangeable. The Father is neither begotten nor proceeds, the Son does not beget nor does he proceed, the Spirit neither begets nor spirates. These relations exist in the context of the mutual indwelling of the three perichoresis. So too the relation of the Father and the Son is in the midst of the perichoretic relations of the three, and thus in the Holy Spirit Hence, there is a distinction not a division between - on one hand - the three as they distinctly and together constitute the one undivided being of God and - at the same time - the three in their eternal and distinct personal relations. Calvin sums this up when he says of the Son that he is God of himself ex seipso esse whereas in terms of his personal subsistence he is from the Father ex Pat re. Athanasius provides a glimpse of what happened at the Council of Nicea ad 325, when the assembled bishops outlawed the claim of Arius, J. Institutes of the Christian Religion, ed. F L Battles, J. Westminster Press, 1960, 1: By this it was intended to say that he was not from some other source, nor was he a creature. However, those who sympathised with Arius agreed to the phrase, since in their eyes all creatures came forth from God. Consequently, the Council was forced to look for a word that excluded all possibility of an Arian interpretation,³ Biblical language could not resolve the issue for the conflict was over the meaning of Biblical language in the first place. This reminds us that to understand this or that we have to consider it in a context other than its own, for meaning cannot be derived by the repetition of that about which meaning is sought A dictionary is an obvious example of a tool that explains meanings of words in terms of other words and phrases. In addition to the foundational realisation that God is one being and three persons, the following terms proved essential to the church doctrine. The word homoousios of the same substance or being came in the course of the fourth century to state that the Son and the Spirit are of the identical being as the Father, and thus fully and absolutely God. Taxis order refers to the relations between the persons. At that point the path to the summit leads along a narrow ridge, the ground sloping away steeply on both sides. The Eastern and Western churches have faced different tendencies to imbalance on one side or other. Early on the East faced the danger of subordinationism, viewing the Son and the Spirit as somehow derivative, with their divine status

not precisely dear, This was endemic until the fourth century controversies, The conceptual tools had yet to be developed by which the way God is three could be expressed without detriment to the way he is one. Thereafter, beginning with a focus on the three persons, the East has sometimes tended to see the Father as the source not only of the personal subsistence 3 Athanasius, On the Decrees of the Synod of Nicea, In this way it is not difficult to understand how the Son could be viewed as a little less than the Father, as possessing his deity by derivation rather than of himself. This has been a tendency but the best of Eastern theology has avoided these dangers. However, with the recent awakening in the West of interest in Eastern theology a social nnodei of the Trinity has come into prominence that brings into focus the distinctiveness of the three. It is noticeable where this is so that there is a often a loose, almost tritheistic sounding, tendency. By this is meant the blurring or eclipsing of the eternal personal distinctions. Either way, we are left with no true knowledge of God, for what he says of himself in the Bible may not reflect who he actually is. Generally, and outside these heretical extremes, Western trinitarianism has based itself on the priority of the one divine essence and has had some difficulty in doing justice to the distinctions of person. Since most readers of this article are from the West, this modalistic problem poses the most immediate threat, At root may be the dominant impact of Augustine. In the second half of De Trinitate Augustine introduces some analogies for the Trinity, hesitantly and aware of their serious limitations. They are based on the primacy of the essence of God over the three persons, for the unity of God is his starting point. In the analogies, Augustine found it difficult to do justice to the full personal distinctions of the three. He describes the Trinity in terms of a lover, the beloved, and the love that exists between them, In particular, there appears something of a quandary concerning the Holy Spirit. Does Augustine reduce the Spirit to an attribute? The lover and the one loved are clearly capable of being understood as distinct persons - but love is a quality, not a personal entity. Later, Aquinas separated discussion of de deo uno the one God from de dec trino the triune God. In his Summa contra gentiles he holds back discussion of the Trinity until book 4, having considered the doctrine of God in detail in book 1. In the Summa theologia he discusses the existence and attributes of God in Part One, qq. This pattern became standard in theological textbooks in the Western church. SCM, , has been cited as possibly exhibiting this tendency. See Wolfhart Pannenberg, Systematic Theology, 1: Louis Berkhof followed the same procedure,⁹ This tendency was exacerbated by the pressures of the enlightenment. The supernatural and so the whole idea of revelation was problematic in the Kantian framework. As a symptom of the malaise, Friedrich Schleiermacher restricted his treatment of the Trinity to an appendix in his book, The Christian Faith. Warfield toys with a modalist position when he suggests but then - happily - rejects the possibility that certain aspects of the relation between the Father and the Son in human history may have been the result of a covenant between the persons of the Trinity and thus may not represent eternal antecedent realities in God. The most prominent among them being psychology, sociology and anthropology. In turn, there was a striking development of the historical consciousness. Biblical scholars searched for the historical Jesus. Biblical theology, pressurised by the Kantian world to prescind from eternity and ontology, tended to restrict and limit the reference of biblical statements concerning the Father and the Son to the historical dimension only. Biblicism has been a strong characteristic, The post-Reformation slide into a privatised, individualist religion that neglects the church and world has led many to downplay the ecumenical creeds in favour of the latest insights from biblical studies, whatever may be the motivation behind them,¹⁴ Prominent aspects of the church doctrine of the Trinity have often been 9 Hodge, C. Systematic Theology Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, , 1: Banner of Truth, , on the existence and attributes of God, on the Trinity. Hodder and Stoughton, , , out of pp. SCM, , Colin Gunton has argued that this overall tendency towards modalism, inherited from Augustine, lies at the root of the atheism and agnosticism that has confronted the Western church in a way that it has not done in the East Whatever the validity of his claim, Western trinitarianism has found it difficult to break the shackles imposed by Augustine, Both Barth and Rahner, to cite but two examples, are strongly biased in that direction. The West in turn, has been quick to point out what it sees as the dangers of subordinationism, and even tritheism, in the East. In my own limited experience many westerners balk at reference to the relations of the persons, and appear to think that this challenges the equality or even oneness of the three. Robert L Reymond can be criticised here. First, let us look at its potential in worship. According to Paul, Christian experience is thoroughly trinitarianr

flowing from the engagement of all three persons in planning and securing our salvation, The reconciliation, brought into effect by Christ, has introduced all in the church into communion with the holy Trinity. Prayer, worship and communion with God are by definition trinitarian. We live, move and have our being in a pervasively trinitarian atmosphere. How often have we heard this referred to inwardness in contrast to externals, to spirituality rather than material worship, to sincerity as opposed to formalism? Instead, with many of the Greek fathers such as Basil the Great and Cyril of Alexandria, a more immediate and pertinent reference is to the Holy Spirit all other references in John to pneuma are to the third person of the Trinity, bar probably two - The point is that Christian experience of God in its entirety, including worship, and prayer is inescapably trinitarian. How often have you heard that taught preached, or stressed? University of Chicago Press, The need is to bridge the gap between this pre-articulated level of experience and a developed theological understanding so that this is explicitly, demonstrably and strategically realised in the understanding of the church and its members. A necessary corrective to the problems I have mentioned must begin right here. If it begins here many of the matters below will be enormously illuminated, for it is in worship that our theology should be rooted. Colin Gunton has produced some excellent work in this area. How can unity-in-diversity, diversity-in-unity, everywhere evident in the world around us and in the skies above, be explained without recourse to its trinitarian origination? Instead of expending their energies fighting against Darwinism, the prime need here for conservative Christians is to construct a positive theological approach to creation, and thus the environment, that expressly and explicitly accounts for both the order and coherence of the universe and the distinctiveness of its parts. Precisely because it declares the glory of its creator, the tri-personal God, the world is to be preserved and cultivated in thankful stewardship, not exploited as a plaything of fate or an accident of chance. Third, a clear outlook on the Trinity should deeply affect how we treat people. The Father advances his kingdom by means of his Son, the Son glorifies the Father, the Spirit speaks not of himself but of the Son,²³ the Father glorifies the Son. Each of the three delights in the good of the others. He was obedient to the death of the cross, so as to bring about our salvation, Thus his followers are to shape their lives according to his the faithful, obedient and self-giving second Adam in contrast to the grasping, self-interested first Adam. His actions in his earthly ministry were in harmony with his attitudes beforehand. Being present partíciple in the form of God, Jesus acted like this because this is the way the Son always has been. In fact this is the way all three persons of the Trinity always are. We are to live like this - looking to the interests of others - because that is what Christ did and also since this is what God is like. The contrast is stark - the whole tenor of fallen man is the pursuit of self-interest Instead, God actively pursues the interests of the other,²⁴ Pannenberg, W. This is quite different from the case of a person who is persistently abused by another. In that case, either from unwillingness or enforced lack of opportunity the one abused is unable to contend for his or her own interests, let alone actively to pursue the interests of the other. We find ourselves face to face with a militantly resurgent Islam.

Chapter 4 : Trinity Sunday - Wikipedia

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Community Supper at Trinity yesterday. All are welcome! (Thank you Julie Laura Carbone-Moey for the photos!).

Chapter 9 : Trinity County | California

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