

The Lives of the Saints

Name _____

Saint Patrick

Patrick was sent to Ireland to teach the people about Jesus. Growing on the island of Ireland at this time were many shamrocks. A shamrock is a green plant that has three separate leaves. Patrick used this plant to explain that there are three Persons in one God: God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit.

Because of Patrick's teachings, many people in Ireland became Christians.

Cut a sponge in the shape of a heart. Dip it into green paint, and stamp the heart three times to make the shamrock below. As you do this, say, "In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit." Dip your finger in the green paint, and fill in the stem.

