



## **ANSWERS**

A shamrock is a small stem with three leaves on it.

Saint Patrick, the patron saint of Ireland, is said to have used it as a metaphor for the Christian Holy Trinity.

Shamrocks always have three leaves, but clovers can have a fourth leaf. Shamrocks are green, but clovers can be purple, green or white. Shamrocks grow in clumps, four-leaf clovers grow individually.