

## Twenty-Fourth Sunday In Ordinary Time

September 12, 2010

*“There will be joy in heaven over one sinner who repents.”*

– Luke 15:1-32

When there is a Funeral scheduled for Tuesday or Thursday, the 12 noon Mass will be cancelled and the Mass intention for that Mass will be rescheduled for another time.

### MASS SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

<u>Tuesday</u>	Sept. 14	12 noon	– John Sullivan
<u>Thursday</u>	Sept. 16	12 noon	– Leo Mulholland
<u>Saturday</u>	Sept. 18	6:00 p.m.	– Hughena MacLeod
<u>Sunday</u>	Sept. 19	9:30 a.m.	– For All Parishioners & Their Intentions

### MASS INTENTION

## Offertory Collection

**Your Offertory Trust:** *I need to give to God through His Church for two very good reasons: 1) For my own spiritual salvation. I need what the Church provides – the Sacraments, and prayer; and 2) Because it is God’s plan for me to help bring the Word of God and the Sacraments and salvation to His people. I help to do this through my financial support.*

**Stewardship:** *We are grateful for all parishioners who have accepted the stewardship for our parish through their support of volunteer ministries and the use of Offertory Envelopes.*

### LAST WEEK’S FINANCIAL OFFERINGS

**# of Parishioners Using Parish Envelopes:** 107

**# of Envelopes Returned Last Weekend:** 55

**Average Envelope Donation Last weekend:** \$18.40

**Regular Envelopes** \$ 1,012.00

**Loose Donation** \$ 34.56

**Building Fund** \$ 20.00

**Pakistan Collection** \$ 715.00

**Last Weekend’s Total** \$ 1,851.60

**Father Peter Thanks Everyone For their Generosity**

## BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

The deadline for bulletin announcements for the coming weekend is Wednesday.

### PARISH MEETINGS IN THE FAMILY CENTRE

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| 1. | Finance Committee | Wednesday | September | 15 <sup>th</sup> | 7:00 pm |
| 2. | Pastoral Council  | Wednesday | September | 22 <sup>nd</sup> | 7:00 pm |

## MINISTRY SCHEDULE

The next ministry schedule is about to be prepared. If you know that you will be unavailable at any time during the months of October, November or December, please contact Cindy Doyle at 633-5895 or doylewilrogers.com by Sunday, September 12<sup>th</sup>. Thank you.

## CWL RETREAT

There will be a retreat for CWL members from October 18 - 20 at the Villa Madonna. Retreat guide is Sister Eleanor McCloskey, CND. Cost is \$150 (\$90 for commuters). To register, contact the Villa Madonna (849-5125). More information is available on the bulletin board at the entrance of the church or on our website.

## CONCERT

Celebrate what’s right with a the world at a concert being headlined by Terry Kelly, and featuring Fr. Clark MacAulay, Paul LeBlanc, Debbie Harrity, Brad & Krista Trecartin, and Becka DeHoan. Concert is being hosted by St. Joachim’s on Wednesday, October 6<sup>th</sup>, 7pm. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children. There will also be a 50/50 draw. Proceeds are going towards St. Joachim’s Christmas Basket program. For more information, or to purchase tickets, contact Marie Gallant (696-8169), Sandra Lane (696-4451), Jan Small (696-8903), or the St. Joachim’s office (653-6852).

## CARD GAMES

Friday night card games will be starting on September 24<sup>th</sup> at St. Pius X. Doors open at 7pm; games begin at 7:30pm. Cost: \$3 per person. A light lunch is served and there will be a 50/50 Draw. All proceeds going to the St. Pius X Bereavement Committee. Games will be held on the 2nd and 4th Friday of each month. All are invited to attend.

### **BUILDING FUND DONATIONS**

If you wish to make a donation to our Building Fund in memory of a loved one, simply write their name and "In Memory of" on one of our Building Fund Envelopes (found at the entrance of the church) and drop it in the collection.

### **CONCERT**

Tracey Friars will be hosting her annual concert at the Imperial Theatre on Monday, November 29<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm. In addition to Tracy Friars, performers include the Friars' Sisters and various local entertainers including a 90 voice choir directed by Janet Kidd and accompanied by Terri-Lynn Russell. Tickets are \$20 and go on sale at the Imperial starting September 20<sup>th</sup>. As in previous years, you are encouraged to buy your tickets early as the show usually sells out very quickly. Proceeds from this year's show go to the Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of Canada.

### **CATHEDRAL RESTORATION CONCERT**

On Thursday, September 16th, 8pm, Irish Tenor Anthony Kearns will be performing at Saint John High School in his only New Brunswick appearance. Tickets are \$20 and are available at The Catholic Bookstore and O'Leary's - proceeds are going towards the restoration of the Cathedral.

### **MASS FOR HEALING**

Bishop Harris will be celebrating the Mass at St. Peter's on Thursday, September 16<sup>th</sup>, 7pm at St. Peter's. Rosary begins at 6:15pm; Mass will be followed by Adoration, Reconciliation and Prayer Teams. Evening ends with Benediction at 9pm. Missionary image our Our Lady of Guadalupe will be present. Contact Joanie Marks (635-5727) for more information.

### **WALK FOR LIFE**

Saint John Right to Life is holding their annual event on Saturday, September 18<sup>th</sup> at Rockwood Park. Registration begins at 11am; a barbeque follows the walk at the A-Frame near the play park. Call 657-3771 to get a pledge sheet or to sponsor a walker.

### **12TH ANNUAL ROCMAURA GALA DINNER AND AUCTION**

Fundraiser takes place on Saturday, September 25<sup>th</sup> at the Trade & Convention Centre. Viewing begins at 5pm. Proceeds will go towards Phase II of their Resident Upgrade Project. Auction items, such as antique furniture, jewellery, china and crystal are still required. To arrange for pick-up of a donated item, or to obtain tickets, contact the Rocmaura Foundation at 643-7090.

## **Holy Trinity Parish**

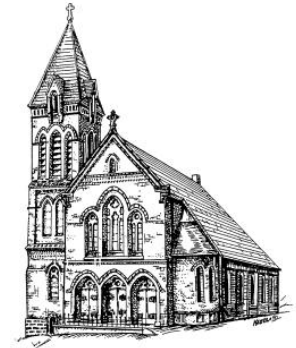
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### **SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**

Baptismal preparation is required for both parents and godparents and scheduled on a Saturday morning of each month, followed by the baptismal celebration on the following day, Sunday. To make arrangements please call the pastor, Father Stephen at 653-6842.

### **SACRAMENT OF PENANCE / RECONCILIATION**

Confessions are celebrated in the church every Saturday from 2:00 pm - 2:30 pm, or at other times if you would like to make an appointment by speaking with Father Peter.

### **SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE**

Before the church can be reserved for a wedding and a wedding date finalized, it is necessary to first make an appointment with the pastor to complete the pre-nuptial investigation forms. Couples are requested to give us at least a six month notice and a marriage preparation course is a requirement for all couples who wish to celebrate this Sacrament in the Catholic Church.

### **SACRAMENT AND MINISTRY TO THE SICK**

If there is a family member or relative in the hospital who would like to receive a visit from the pastor, please inform Father Peter. Also, please let Father Peter know if there is someone sick or confined to their home who would like to receive a visit, receive Holy Communion, or be anointed with the Sacrament of the Sick.