Twenty-Fifth Sunday In Ordinary Time

September 19, 2010

"You cannot serve God and wealth"

- Luke 16:1-13

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			MASS INTENTION
Tuesday	Sept. 21	12 noon	 Deceased Members Of The Cullinan Family
Thursday	Sept. 23	12 noon	– Olive Murphy
Saturday	Sept. 25	6:00 p.m.	– Wilbur "Bill" Doyle
Sunday	Sept. 26	9:30 a.m.	- For All Parishioners & Their Intentions

Offertory Collection

<u>Your Offertory Trust</u>: 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. <u>Stewardship</u>: 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 Envelope	es:	
# of Envelopes Returned Last Weekend	<u>:</u>	61
Average Envelope Donation Last weeke	nd:	\$15.10
Regular Envelopes	\$	921.00
Loose Donation	\$	150.69
Building Fund	\$	35.00
Pakistan Collection	\$	27.00
Last Weekend's Total	\$ 1	1,133.69
Father Peter Thanks Everyone For their	· G	enerosit

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

PARISH MEETINGS IN THE VESTRY

1. Pastoral Council Wednesday September 22nd 7:00 pm

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Religious Education will begin on Sunday, October 17th; with registration taking place after the 9:30 Mass. We are also looking volunteers to be Religious Education teachers and will require an hour or so of your time every Sunday. If you are interested, please call Dee Dee (642-4933).

HARVEST MOON BINGO

Games will be at St. Pius X on Wednesday, September 29th. Early Bird Games begin at 6pm, with Regular Games starting at 7pm - \$1000 Jackpot. Tickets are \$20 and are available at the parish office (653-6830), or call 657-9566 (West) or 696-8169 (East). Tickets are also available at the door.

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.

CARD GAMES

Friday night card games will be starting on September 24th 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.

TURKEY DINNER

Fall Dinner will be held at St. Joachim's on Sunday, September 26th, 4-6pm. Cost: Adults \$10, Children under 12 \$5. Dinner includes dessert, tea and coffee. Take-out is available. Tickets are available at the door, or call 696-1905.

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.

ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL AUXILIARY

Annual Meeting & Dinner will be held on Tuesday, September 28th, at the Assumption Centre. Reception is at 5pm, dinner follows at 5:30pm. Tickets are \$20 and must be purchased before September 21st. For more information, contact Rose Doherty (672-9187).

AUCTION

A Live and Silent Auction will be held at Stella Maris on Saturday, September 25th at 5pm. There will be a great selection of items available to help you start your Christmas shopping.

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 6th, 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).

CONCERT

Tracey Friars will be hosting her annual concert at the Imperial Theatre on Monday, November 29th 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 20th. 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.

12TH ANNUAL ROCMAURA GALA DINNER AND AUCTION

Fundraiser takes place on Saturday, September 25th 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, jewelry, china and crystal are still required. To arrange for pickup of a donated item, or to obtain tickets, contact the Rocmaura Foundation at 643-7090.

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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.