Thirty-First Sunday In Ordinary Time

October 31, 2010

"The Son of Man came to seek out and save the lost."

- Luke 19:1-10

When there is a funeral at "either" Holy Trinity or St. Joachim's, our regular 12 noon Mass will be cancelled and the Mass intention rescheduled for another day.

MASS SCH	EDULE TI	HIS WEEK	MASS INTENTION
Tuesday	Nov. 2	12 noon	– John Sullivan
Wednesday	Nov. 3	12 noon	– Madelon Peters
Thursday	Nov. 4	7:00 p.m.	- For All Parishioners & Their Intentions
Saturday	Nov. 6	6:00 p.m.	– Carol Simon
Sunday	Nov. 7	9:30 a.m.	- For All Parishioners & Their Intentions

Last Week's Offertory Collection

# of Parishioners Using Parish Envelope	<u>es:</u> 107
# of Envelopes Returned Last Weekend	<u>:</u> 54
Average Envelope Donation Last weeke	nd: \$22.20
Regular Envelopes	\$ 1,199.00
Loose Donation	\$ 33.91
Building Fund	\$ 36.00
Christmas Baskets	\$ 100.00
Evangelization of Nations	\$ 325.00
Last Weekend's Total	\$ 1,693.91

SUNDAY COLLECTION THIS WEEK LAST YEAR: \$1408

Father Peter Thanks Everyone For their Generosity

September's Income	\$11,052.06
September's Expenses	\$13,603.80

PARISH MISSION

We want to remind you again that <u>Mission 2010</u> takes place at Holy Trinity, from Monday, November 1st - Thursday, November 4th inclusive, at 7pm with mission priest Father George Gilliland from PEI. Everyone is welcome, and copies of Fr. Gilliland's book, *My Two Cents*, will also be available.

Please note that there will be a couple of changes to our Mass times this week as a result of the mission. There will be a noon Mass on Wednesday, and Mass on Thursday will be celebrated at 7pm - there will be no noon Mass on that day.

HALLOWEEN AT THE RECTORY

Our pastor Father Stephen will be at home in the Holy Trinity Rectory, 21 Canon Street, on Halloween evening. Everyone is always welcome and parents with their children are especially invited to drop by for a little trick or treat on Halloween between 5pm and 9pm.



REMEMBRANCE CANDLE CEREMONY

Throughout the year we are always encouraged to pray for the souls in Purgatory in need of purification, healing and wholeness before entering God's presence. The tradition of our Church is to remember the holy souls in Purgatory especially during the month of November. Next weekend (November 6th & 7th) in a special Remembrance Candle-lighting Ceremony, everyone will have an opportunity to come forward during Mass to light a candle in memory of the members of their family who have passed on and are presently with God or still on their way to being united with our heavenly Father. It will also be an opportunity to remember those who so courageously and selflessly gave their lives in war so that we may live. May they and all the departed souls, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

CWL

The November meeting of Holy Trinity CWL will be held on Tuesday, November 9th in the Family Center at 7:30pm. The date has been changed due to the Mission.

The ladies of the CWL would like to thank everyone who helped to make the Harvest Luncheon such a success. The winner of the Fudge Draw was Doreen Butler and the winner of the Quilt Draw was Frances Kincade.

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Our next draw starts on November 27th. The cutoff date is November 20th. Contact Stella (652-2565) for more information or to submit your numbers.

THE BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

The book will be located at the front of the Church beginning on Monday, November 1st. You are invited to write in the names of your relatives and friends who have died. Your loved ones will be remembered by our Parish during the month of November.

WHITE RIBBON CAMPAIGN

The Holy Trinity CWL is supporting the White Ribbon Against Child Pornography Campaign again this year. On the weekend of November 6^{th} & 7^{th} they will have a ribbon at the entrance of the church that you can sign to support this campaign. It will then be sent to our local Member of Parliament, Rodney Weston. The CWL thanks you for your support.

CHRISTMAS BASKETS

Next weekend's (November 6/7) requested food item is:

Peanut Butter/Jam

We also need cash donations; and these can be placed in the collection at any time. Please mark the envelope "Christmas Baskets". The Mitten Trunk will be available in the Church during Advent.

Registration for the Christmas Baskets and Empty Stocking Fund will be on Friday, November 12th from 1- 3pm in the Family Centre. Please bring Medicare Cards for all members of your family.

The entire list of food items is available on the bulletin boards at the entrance of the church, and on our website - HolyTrinitySJ.com/ChristmasBaskets.

EVENING PRAYER

The public is welcomed to ecumenical Evening Prayer of Taizé on Thursday, November 4th, 7pm at St. Vincent's Chapel, 31 Cliff Street.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Canadian Red Cross Senior Services program is currently recruiting volunteers for their Friendly Visiting, Telephone Reassurance and Transportation programs. Join one of the greatest humanitarian organizations where volunteers do make a difference. For more information on these programs please call Katie (674-6188).

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SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated on the second Sunday of each month at 2:00 pm for family members of Holy Trinity Parish and those who are living within the geographical boundaries of our parish. To make arrangements for a baptism please call the office at 653-6838.

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

To reserve our church for a wedding, couples must first make an appointment with our pastor to discuss their plans and complete the pre-nuptial investigation forms. At least a six month notice and taking a marriage preparation course is a requirement. Because of our pastor's schedule for two parishes, weddings cannot be celebrated any later than 12 noon on Saturday.

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.