

Thirty-Third Sunday In Ordinary Time

November 13, 2011

“You have been trustworthy in a few things. I will put you in charge of many things.”

– Matthew 25:14-30

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 SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

Tuesday	November 15	12 noon
Thursday	November 17	12 noon
<u>Saturday</u>	November 19	6:00pm
<u>Sunday</u>	November 20	9:30am

MASS INTENTION

Jack, Grace & Brian English
Veronica Frigault
Arthur & Emily Doucette; DFM
For All Parishioners & Their Intentions

Last Week's Offertory Collection

<u>Parishioners Using Envelopes:</u>	107	<u>Last Week's Envelopes:</u>	54
		<u>Average Envelope Donation:</u>	\$21.13

Regular Envelopes	\$1,141.00
Loose Donation	\$95.22
Building Fund	\$10.00
Christmas Baskets	\$50.00
Retired Priest & Seminarians	\$30.00
<u>Last Weekend's Total</u>	<u>\$1,326.22</u>

Father Peter Thanks Everyone For their Generosity

Memorial Tree

Each year, as Christmas approaches, people think of family members and friends who have died. Many have found our Memorial Tree to be a helpful way of remembering and dealing with feelings of loss during an otherwise happy time. If this is helpful for you, you are invited to print the names(s) of deceased relatives and friends on an envelope and mark it "Memorial Tree". These names will be placed on ornaments prepared and decorated by the children in our Religious Education Program and the ornaments will be placed on the Tree. While you may also use the same envelope to make a voluntary donation to our Building Fund, a donation is not required. Deadline for submission of names is Sunday, December 18th.

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Congratulations to Gloria Moore who received \$1,970 as the latest winner of our 649 draw.

Empty Stocking Fund

Registrations for the Empty Stocking Fund will take place on Monday, November 14th at 1pm. Please bring proof of address as well as Medicare cards for all children and for the parent/guardian completing the application.

Christmas Baskets

Requested food items for the weekend of November 19th/20th: Ketchup/Relish/Mustard

We also need cash donations; and these can be placed in the collection at any time. Please mark the envelope "Christmas Baskets". The entire list of food items is available on the bulletin boards and at HolyTrinitySJ.com/ChristmasBaskets.

Resource Material

Last weekend a booklet with questions and answers regarding changes to the Mass, as well as a CD, were distributed. If you didn't receive this material, copies are still available at the entrance.

The Book Of Remembrance

The book is located at the front of the Church, and 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.

Food Bank Sunday

Next weekend we encourage you to bring in a non-perishable food item and leave it at the entrance of the church. All donations will be taken to the Charlotte Street Food Bank.

Parish Council

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, November 16th at 5:30pm.

Breakfast

The K of C are holding their monthly breakfast at the Assumption Center, Chapel Street, today, Sunday November 13th from 9am - 1pm. Cost: Adults \$6, Children \$3. Proceeds are going to The Salvation Army Auxiliary and the Immigrant and Refugee Support Centre.

Roast Beef Dinner

Stella Maris is hosting their annual dinner today, Sunday, November 13th with sittings at 4, 5 and 6pm. Cost: Adults \$10, Children \$7.

Christmas Concert

The Saint John High School Concert Choir will hold a Christmas Concert and silent auction at Portland United Church on Sunday, December 4th at 2pm. Tickets are \$10. Proceeds will support the choir's spring Performance Tour in Boston.

Bingo

St. Pius X will be hosting their Christmas Cash Bingo on Wednesday, November 23rd. Early Bird games begin at 6pm; regular games at 7pm. \$1,000 jackpot; 9 games of \$100 + 2nd chance for \$25. Tickets are \$20 and are available by calling the office (653-6830).

Evening Of Music

St. Joachim's, Loch Lomond Road, is hosting an Evening of Music on Saturday, December 3rd from 7pm - 9:30pm in the church hall. Entertainment includes Six Days From Sunday, Danny Joyce and the Park Avenue Fiddlers, among others. Light refreshments will be served. Good will offering.

Spaghetti Supper

St. Mark's CWL is hosting a their annual event, which also features a silent auction and bake sale, on Sunday, November 20th from 4-6pm in the church hall 171 Pettingill Road, Quispamsis. Cost: Adults \$8; Children \$5.

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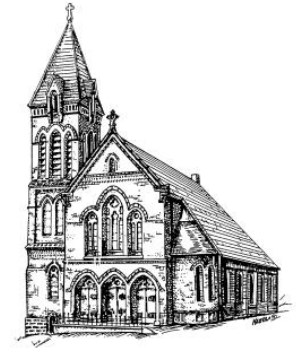
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SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated on the first Sunday of each month at 3:00 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 1:00 pm - 2:00 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 11 am 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.