

First Sunday Of Lent

February 26, 2012

"Jesus was tempted by Satan; and the Angels waited on him."

– Mark 1.12-15

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	February 28	12 noon
Thursday	March 1	12 noon
<u>Saturday</u>	March 3	6:00pm
<u>Sunday</u>	March 4	9:30am

MASS INTENTION

David Sherwood
Special Intention
Mabel Cormier
For All Parishioners & Their Intentions

Last Week's Offertory Collection

<u>Parishioners Using Envelopes:</u>	107	<u>Last Week's Envelopes:</u>	61
		<u>Average Envelope Donation:</u>	\$27.33
Regular Envelopes			\$1,667.00
Loose Donation			\$106.17
Building Fund			\$20.00
Initial			\$10.00
Mission In Canada			\$25.00
Food Bank			\$20.00
	<u>Last Weekend's Total</u>		\$1,848.17

Father Peter Thanks Everyone For their Generosity

Lenten Stations of the Cross

A community celebration of the Way of the Cross will take place in the church immediately following Thursday 12 noon Mass during the Season of Lent.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Confession, the Sacrament of Reconciliation, is celebrated from 1 - 2pm every Saturday, or by speaking with Father Stephen to make an appointment for another time.

Adult Catechesis - St. Joachim's Parish Centre - Thursday, March 1st, at 7pm.

This week - "The Virgin Mary" - Week 8 of 19 weeks

It is not necessary to have attended any of the previous weeks in order to participate. Everyone is invited to come and learn more about our Catholic Church teaching and the reliability of Catholic truth as the sacred deposit of faith entrusted to us by Jesus Christ.

For more information and weekly course outlines and handouts, go to:

SaintJoachims.com/ReligiousEducation

First Friday Holy Hour And Mass

The monthly First Friday Holy Hour will take place at St. Joachim's on Friday, March 2nd from 11am - 12:30pm. The Holy Hour begins at 11am and will consist of exposition, adoration, and benediction of the Blessed Sacrament; concluding with 12 noon Mass.

Daily Mass

For those who would like to attend daily Mass each day during Lent, Saint Joachim's offers Mass on Wednesday and Friday at noon.

Parish Council

The next Parish Council meeting will be held on Wednesday, February 29th at 5:30pm.

Finance Meeting

The next meeting of the Finance Committee will be held on Tuesday, February 28th at 7pm.

Ministry Schedule

Cindy Doyle will soon be preparing the April - June Ministry Schedule. If you know that you will be unavailable at any point during those months, please contact her (633-5895 or doylewil@rogers.com before Monday, March 12th).

Evening Prayer

The Sisters of Charity invite you to join them for Evening Prayer on Thursday, March 1st, 7pm at Holy Trinity.

Chocolate Bar Bingo

St. Pius X will be holding a St. Patrick's Week Family Chocolate Bar Bingo on Friday, March 16th from 6:30 - 8:30pm in their hall. Admission is a chocolate bar. There will be 20 games and each game is 10 cents per card. (Save your dimes!) Prizes for the games will be chocolate bars. Come and enjoy an evening with your family. Door prizes and small canteen will be available. If possible, peanut-free chocolate bars for admission would be suggested. Remember to wear your green.

Adoration

All are welcome to Eucharistic Adoration at St. Joachim's on Sunday, February 26th from 2 - 4pm.

Mass For Those Living With Cancer

Mass will be celebrated on Monday, March 5th, 7pm, at St. Pius X. Mass will be offered for the intention of people living with cancer and for their families and friends. The Sacrament of Anointing will take place following Mass for those who request it.

Pot Of Gold Bingo

Saint Pius X is holding their annual Bingo on Wednesday, March 14th in their Parish Hall. Early Bird Games begins at 6pm, Regular Games at 7pm. \$1,000 Jackpot + 9 games of \$100 + \$25 second chance regular games. There will also be specials, after games, door prizes and a canteen. Tickets are only \$20 and are available by calling St. Pius (653-6830) or Marie (696-8169). Proceeds are going towards ongoing church restoration.

Irish Kitchen Party

The Saint Joachim's Parish Council invites you to join them at their Irish Kitchen Party, on Saturday, March 17th from 8pm - midnight in the Parish Hall, 603 Loch Lomond Road. The evening will feature music and light refreshments. Tickets are \$5 in advance and \$6 at the door, and are available by calling 696-7954 or at the Saint Joachim's parish office, weekdays between 1:30 - 5pm. Come and be Irish for the night!

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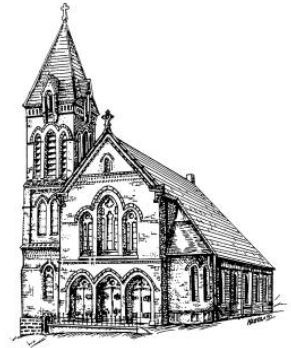
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Parish Council Chair: Mike Campbell

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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.