

## Fifth Sunday Of Lent

March 25, 2012

*"If a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it bears much fruit."*

– John 12.20-33

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

<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>March 27</b>	<b>12 noon</b>	<b>Frank Robofka</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>March 29</b>	<b>12 noon</b>	<b>Fran Murphy</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>March 31</b>	<b>6:00pm</b>	<b>For All Parishioners &amp; Their Intentions</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>April 1</b>	<b>9:30am</b>	<b>Susan Lanteigne (Anniversary)</b>

### MASS INTENTION

### Easter Schedule

Holy Thursday, April 5 <sup>th</sup>	7pm
Good Friday, April 6 <sup>th</sup>	1pm
Easter Vigil, April 7 <sup>th</sup>	9pm <b>AT SAINT JOACHIM'S</b>
Easter Sunday, April 8 <sup>th</sup>	9:30am



### Lenten Stations Of The Cross

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

### The Sacrament Of Reconciliation (Confession)

Confession, the Sacrament of Reconciliation, is celebrated from 3 - 3:30pm every Saturday, or by speaking with Father Stephen to make an appointment for another time.

Adult Catechesis - St. Joachim's Parish Centre - Thursday, March 29<sup>th</sup>, at 7pm.

This week - "The Papacy and the Church" - Week 11 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](http://SaintJoachims.com/ReligiousEducation)

## Last Week's Offertory Collection

<b><u>Parishioners Using Envelopes:</u></b>	<b>107</b>	<b><u>Last Week's Envelopes:</u></b>	<b>48</b>
		<b><u>Average Envelope Donation:</u></b>	<b>\$25.58</b>

<b>Regular Envelopes</b>	<b>\$1,228.00</b>
<b>Loose Donation</b>	<b>\$60.19</b>
<b>Building Fund</b>	<b>\$35.00</b>
<b>Food Bank</b>	<b>\$10.00</b>
<b>Easter Flowers</b>	<b>\$80.00</b>
<b><u>Last Weekend's Total</u></b>	<b>\$1,413.19</b>

**Father Peter Thanks Everyone For their Generosity**

### Easter Flower Memorial

We are asking for your assistance as we decorate the church for Easter. We encourage you to make a donation towards our Easter flowers in memory of a loved one. Simply write the name(s) of those you would like to remember on an envelope. Please also indicate that the envelope is for "Flowers", and include your envelope number. The names of all those being honored will be included in our Easter bulletin. Deadline for submission of names is Sunday, April 1<sup>st</sup>.

### Lenten Ecumenical Service

An Anglican-Roman Catholic Ecumenical Service will be held at St. Luke's Anglican Church, Main Street, on Sunday, March 25<sup>th</sup> at 3pm. Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend this wonderful opportunity to get together with our Anglican brothers and sisters during this holy season.

### Easter Ministry Schedule

There is a sign-up sheet at the entrance of the church for those involved in the various ministries to indicate which Mass they will be attending at Easter. Please note that the Easter Vigil will be held at St. Joachim's this year. Today, Sunday, March 25<sup>th</sup> is the last day that the sheet will be available.

Last Weekend, Generous Donations Were Made To Our Building Fund In Memory Of:

Velma Bourque  
Lee McIntyre  
Lorne Shaw

Please Remember Them In Your Prayers

### CWL

The next meeting of the CWL will be held on Tuesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7:30pm in the Family Centre.

### Parish Council

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be held on Wednesday, March 28<sup>th</sup> at 5:30pm.

### Peace Pennies

The children of our Sunday School classes are saving and collecting pennies which they roll and give to the Belfast Children's Program. Every little penny makes a difference in a child's life. If you have any pennies you wish to give, you can leave them downstairs on the table or put them in the collection with an indication that they are for the peace penny fund.

### Ministry Schedule

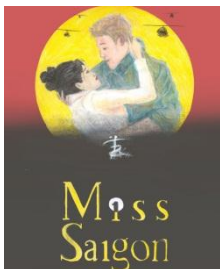
The April - July Ministry Schedule is now available at the entrance of the church or on our website.

### Chrism Mass

Bishop Harris would like to invite the faithful to the Chrism Mass on Tuesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 6:30pm, at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception. A reception will follow in the Cathedral Rectory.

### Mass For Those Living With Cancer

Mass will be celebrated on Monday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 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.



### Miss Saigon

Saint John High School will be presenting Miss Saigon, from March 28<sup>th</sup> - 31<sup>st</sup>, 7:30pm at the Dennis Knibb Auditorium, SJHS. Tickets are \$12 - \$15, and are available at the school office or at the door.

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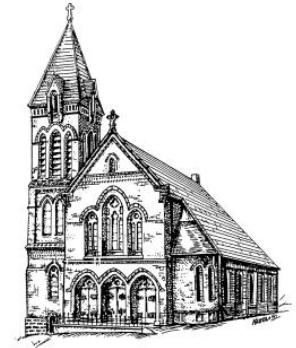
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### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

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.