

Fourth Sunday Of Easter

April 29, 2012

"The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep."

– John 10.11-18

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	May 1	12 noon
Thursday	May 3	12 noon
<u>Saturday</u>	May 5	6:00pm
<u>Sunday</u>	May 6	9:30am

MASS INTENTION

Eileen Russell
Justine Rickard
Wilbur M. (Bill) Doyle
For All Parishioners & Their Intentions

Last Week's Offertory Collection

Parishioners Using Envelopes: 107 Average Envelope Donation: \$22.90

42	Regular Envelopes	\$962.00
	Loose Donation	\$99.36
2	Building Fund	\$20.00
1	Lenten Folders	\$17.00
6	Mother's Day	\$110.00
	<u>Last Weekend's Total</u>	\$1,208.36

Father Peter Thanks Everyone For their Generosity

Adult Catechesis - St. Joachim's Parish Centre - Thursday, May 3rd, at 7pm.

This week - "Jehovah's Witness and Mormons" - Week 15 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

Annual March For Life - Thursday, May 17th

This year's "March for Life" at the New Brunswick Legislature will take place on Thursday, May 17th. This year the theme is "Pro-Women, Pro-Child, Pro-Life". Heading the line-up are women speakers who are staunchly pro-life and proud of it: singer-songwriter Kathleen Dunn, who has her own pro-life group "Voice" and will perform a number of songs, and Elisha Lakin will share her moving testimony on how she is alive today only because her birth mother chose adoption.

Schedule of Events

10:00am	Mass at Dunstan's Church with our Bishop Robert Harris
11:00am	Gathering music at the New Brunswick Legislature
11:30am	Formal program begins
1:00pm	Walk to Mother and Child House for closing Prayer Vigil followed by a reception at St. Dunstan's Parish Hall

All Catholics are encouraged to make plans to attend this annual event. This is our one opportunity to stand up and witness to our faith as Christians by letting the government and MLA's know we are looking to them to support the most basic human right: "Life". You may wish to bring a lawn chair for the program at the Legislature. Buses are available for those who need transportation. For further information call NB Right to Life at 459-8990 or 1-888-796-9600.

First Communion

The children in our Grade 2 Religious Education class will be receiving First Communion on Sunday, May 6th during the 9:30am Mass. Please keep these children in your prayers. Everyone is invited to a reception in the Family Center afterwards. Please feel free to bring a plate of sandwiches or sweets.

First Friday Holy Hour And Mass

The monthly First Friday Holy Hour will take place at St. Joachim's on Friday, May 4th 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.

Mother's Day

The tribute page in our bulletin has always been a popular way that Parishioners choose to remember and honor their Mothers. Simply print her name on an envelope and "In Memory of" if she is deceased or "In Honor of" if she is still living. Please also write "Mother's Day" somewhere on the envelope. You may also choose to place a donation for the Building Fund in the same envelope but this is not required. Please place it in the collection no later than Sunday, May 6th.

CWL Bursary

The Holy Trinity CWL is offering a bursary of \$100 to graduating students who plan on continuing their education at a private college, community college, or university. The applicant must have attended the Religious Education Program (including Confirmation) at Holy Trinity. Interested students can receive further information and an application form by contacting Dee Dee Logan by phone (642-4933) or email (loganma@csc-scc.gc.ca).

Evening Prayer

The Sisters of Charity invite you to attend Evening Prayer at Holy Trinity on Thursday, May 3rd, 7pm. All are welcomed to this monthly event. Evening Prayer is a peaceful 30-40 minutes experienced in Word, Music and Silence at the end of the day.

Mass For Those Living With Cancer

Mass will be celebrated on the second Monday of the month (for May ONLY) - Monday, May 14th, 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.

Breakfast

The K of C are holding their monthly breakfast at the Assumption Center, Chapel Street, on Sunday, May 6th from 9am - 1pm. Cost: Adults \$6, Children \$3.

Yard Sale

St. Pius X will be holding their annual Victoria Day Yard Sale on Monday, May 21st from 9am - noon.

Casino Night And Gift Auction

St. Peter's will be hosting the evening on Saturday, May 26th from 7 - 9pm. Tickets are \$20, and are available at The St. Peter's office. There will be an auction at the end of the evening, and a High Roller table (\$100/seat) will be available.

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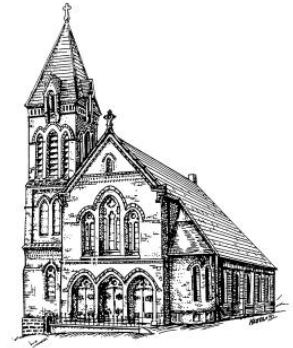
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SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

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.