

Twenty-Second Sunday In Ordinary Time

September 2, 2012

"You abandon the commandment of God and hold to the human tradition."

– Mark 7.1-8, 14-15, 21-23

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	September 4	12 noon
Thursday	September 6	12 noon
<u>Saturday</u>	September 8	5:30pm
<u>Sunday</u>	September 9	9:30am

MASS INTENTION

Funeral Mass - Mary McInerney
Joe Gormley
For All Parishioners & Their Intentions
Joe Arsenault & Son Clifford

Last Week's Offertory Collection

Parishioners Using Envelopes: 107 Average Envelope Donation: \$25.93

42	Regular Envelopes	\$1,089.00
	Loose Donation	\$116.51
8	Building Fund	\$85.00
	<u>Last Weekend's Total</u>	\$1,290.51

Father Peter Thanks Everyone For their Generosity

Special Collection For Africa

On September 15/16, there will be a special collection taken up for Africa, which continues to suffer through the worst drought in 60 years. Donations will be forwarded to the Canadian International Development Agency (CIDA), which has an organization in place that will ensure that your donations will get to those in need. The Government of Canada has pledged to match all monies raised through this collection. Special envelopes for this collection are available at the entrance of the church.

Coffee Sunday

There will be a Coffee Sunday on September 9th, following the 9:30am Mass to kick off the fall season, and to celebrate the renovations to the Family Center. Everyone is encouraged to bring a plate of sandwiches or sweets.

Religious Education

Classes begin on Sunday, September 16th, after the 9:30am Mass. Children from Kindergarten to Grade 9 are invited to attend. Please remember to bring a copy of your child's Baptism Certificate as we require them for all children enrolled in Religious Education.

Papal Blessings

Many people order Papal Blessing Scrolls for loved ones for important life events - wedding anniversaries, birthdays, etc. We have just been informed that the Vatican has modified the procedures for ordering a scroll. The cost of a scroll is now \$75, and you should now order scrolls a minimum of 12 weeks before it is needed. For further information, or to order a scroll, please contact the parish office.

CWL

The September meeting the Holy Trinity CWL will be held on Tuesday, September 4th, 3pm, in the Family Center. Please note the time change. If you have any questions, please call Corinne (657-5414).

First Friday Holy Hour And Mass

The monthly First Friday Holy Hour will take place at St. Joachim's on Friday, September 7th 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.

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

**Danny Adams Jr.
Mark Mulholland**

Please Remember Them In Your Prayers

Religious Education Teachers

We are looking for 3 teachers for our Religious Education program beginning in September for Grades 3 - 6. If you would be willing to share your faith and contribute to the education of the youth of our parish every Sunday morning for an hour, please contact Dee Dee Logan (642-4933).

Ministry Schedule

Cindy Doyle will soon be preparing the October - December 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 Sunday, September 16th.

Parish Council

In the fall we will be looking for some new members to join the Holy Trinity Parish Council as some of the current members have concluded their terms. We are asking 4 - 6 parishioners to consider serving in this ministry for a 2 - 3 year term. A document explaining the role of the Parish Council is available on the main page of our website (right column) and will also be attached to the bulletin next weekend.

Evening Prayer

The Sisters of Charity invite you to attend Evening Prayer at Carmel Chapel, 105 Burpee Avenue on Thursday, September 6th, 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. Note: October - June Evening prayer will be held at Holy Trinity.

Mass For Those Living With Cancer

Mass will be celebrated on Monday, September 17th, 6:30pm, at the Cathedral. 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. Please note changes to date/time/location.

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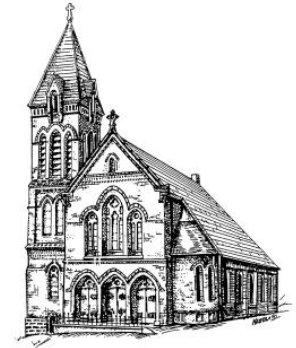
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SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated on the first Sunday of the month at 1pm 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 contact the office.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE / RECONCILIATION

Confessions are celebrated in the church every Saturday from 1pm - 2pm, 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 11am 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.