

Fifth Sunday Of Easter

April 28, 2013

"I give you a new Commandment, that you love one another."

– John 13.1, 31-33a, 34-35++

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	April 30	12 noon
Thursday	May 2	12 noon
<u>Saturday</u>	May 4	5:30pm
<u>Sunday</u>	May 5	9:30am

MASS INTENTION

Erma Irene Creamer
Francis Richard Leach
Wilbur (Bill) Doyle
For All Parishioners & Their Intentions

Last Week's Offertory Collection

Parishioners Using Envelopes: 107 Average Envelope Donation: \$27.56

32	Regular Envelopes	\$882.00
	Loose Donation	\$72.01
2	Building Fund	\$20.00
5	Mother's Day	\$61.00
	<u>Last Weekend's Total</u>	\$1,035.01

Father Peter Thanks Everyone For their Generosity

First Communion

We will be celebrating First Communion next Sunday, May 5th, at the 9:30am Mass. A reception will follow Mass in the Family Center, and all parishioners are invited to attend. Please feel free to bring sweets or sandwiches for this celebration. Join us in praying for these children as they receive this sacrament.

Parish Mass & Meeting

Every member of Holy Trinity Parish is invited to gather for a Mass & Meeting on Wednesday, May 8th, 6pm. We will celebrate Eucharist together and then begin a discussion about the present status and future outlook for Holy Trinity Church. We would like you to join us for this important evening in the life of our faith community.

Mass will be celebrated at 6pm followed by the General Parish Meeting at 6:30pm for all parishioners concerned about the future of our parish. If you are not able to join us for the Mass, please make every effort to be with us for the meeting at 6:30pm. Sister Sandra Barrett will be the facilitator for the meeting and lead us in our discussion about the future of our parish, what we envision for our community, and how we can implement the vision together. It is extremely important that we receive input from as many parishioners as possible, so please call any parishioners you think may not have heard about this meeting. Thank you.

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 5th.

Evening Prayer

The Sisters of Charity invite you to attend Evening Prayer at Holy Trinity on Thursday, May 2nd, 7pm. Evening Prayer is a peaceful 30-40 minutes experienced in Word, Music and Silence at the end of the day.

March For Life

The 12th Annual March for Life takes place on May 16th in Fredericton. 2013 theme is "From Womb to Tomb: Respect Human Life." 10am Mass for Life at St. Dunstan's, Regent Street, celebrated by Bishop Harris, followed by a gathering at the Provincial Legislature at 11:30am. For more information, call (506) 459-8990.

Brunch

K of C Council 9176 will be holding their monthly Sunday Brunch on April 28th, 10:30am - 1pm at St. Matthew's Church Hall, Dollard Drive, Grand Bay-Westfield. Cost: \$6 Adults, \$4 Children, \$20 Family of five.

Cursillo

Monthly Ultreya will be held at St. Joachim's on Thursday, May 2nd, 7:30pm. Please use main entrance.

K of C Breakfast

The K of C will be holding their monthly breakfast on Sunday, May 5th, from 9am - 1pm, at The Assumption Center, Chapel Street. Cost: Adults \$7, Children \$3.

Candlelight Memorial Service

AIDS Saint John invites you to their annual event on Sunday, May 5th, 7pm, at St. David & St. Andrew Church, 164 Germain Street. It is a time to remember those who have died of AIDS, as well as supporting those living with the virus.

Fundraiser

Join the Canadian Mental Health Association, Saint John Branch, in the Market Square Atrium on Wednesday, May 8th for "A Day in Her Shoes" for a fun night of fashion, with a silent auction and door prizes. Guest speaker is Sophie Grégoire-Trudeau. Tickets are \$40. Call 633-1705 for more information.

Mother's Day Draw

The Rocmaura Foundation is selling tickets for a Mother's Day Draw, \$10 each or 3 for \$20 to raise funds toward building new wardrobes for residents at the nursing home. You could win a prize package valued at \$2,200 including a diamond ring from W Smith Jewelers, Stay in a Presidential Suite at Chateau Saint John Hotel among other prizes. The draw date is Thursday, May 9th. Contact the Foundation Office (643-7090 or foundation@rocmaura.com) for tickets.

Card Game

On Saturday, June 15th, 7pm, St. Joachim's is hosting a "Keep Your Partner" night of Auction 45s. First Prize is \$100, second is \$80, and third is \$40. There will be a light lunch served after the games. Come out for an evening of fun and make new friends. Tickets are \$10 for 2 people, and are available at the door. Proceeds are in support of Outreach programs.

HOLY TRINITY

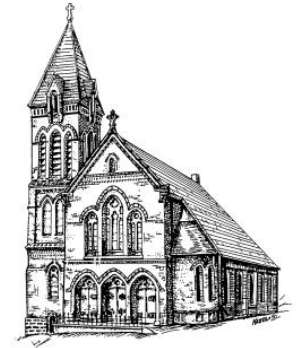
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SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

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 by appointment only. To schedule a time, please speak 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 1pm 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.