# **Sixth Sunday Of Easter**

May 5, 2013 "The Holy Spirit will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you." – John 14.23-29

# <u>When there is a funeral at "either" Holy Trinity or St. Joachim's, our regular 12 noon</u> <u>Mass will be cancelled and the Mass intention rescheduled for another day.</u>

MASS SCHEDULE THIS WEEK			MASS INTENTION		
Tuesday	May 7	12 noon	Paul Jones		
Thursday	May 8	12 noon	Parish Mass + Meeting		
Wednesday	May 9	6:00pm	Harry Pothier		
<u>Saturday</u>	May 11	5:30pm	For All Parishioners & Their Intentions		
<u>Sunday</u>	May 12	9:30am	Connie Gallery; Daughters Veronica & Sally		

# Last Week's Offertory Collection

Parishioners L	Ising Envelopes:	107 <u>A</u>	verage Envelor	e Donation:	\$26.00
47	Regular Envelopes			\$1,222.00	
	Loose Donation			\$69.91	
8	Building Fund			\$140.00	
2	Mother's Day			\$50.00	
1	Initial			\$10.00	
1	Lent			\$40.00	
1	Easter			\$50.00	
		Last Weeken	d's Total	\$1,581.91	

Father Peter Thanks Everyone For their Generosity

# First Communion

Congratulations to Brianna, David, Koby, Madison & Samantha who will all be receiving their First Communion today at the 9:30am Mass. All parishioners are invited to join them for a reception after Mass in the Family Center.

# Parish Mass & Meeting

Every member of Holy Trinity Parish is invited to gather for a Mass & Meeting on Wednesday, May 8<sup>th</sup>, 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 today, Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup>.

# <u>CWL</u>

The next CWL meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 7<sup>th</sup>, 3pm.

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

# **Gerry Martin**

Please Remember Him In Your Prayers

#### Holy Trinity Ornament II

We are pleased to announce that since last year's ornament was such a success, that another ornament, of the "Trinity" stained glass window, is currently being designed for us by Aitkens Pewter. We hope to have the final design ready within the next month or so to show parishioners. Like the last one, each ornament will only be \$20, but these ones will be a little more colorful.

Also, if there is enough demand, we will order another batch of last year's ornament. Due to changing technology, this will likely be the last time the original will be able to be produced. Contact the office if you are interested obtaining additional copies of last year's ornament.

# Card Game

On Saturday, June 15<sup>th</sup>, 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.

#### K of C Breakfast

The K of C will be holding their monthly breakfast today, Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, 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 5<sup>th</sup>, 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.

#### **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 9<sup>th</sup>. Contact the Foundation Office (643-7090 or foundation@rocmaura.com) for tickets.

# March For Life

The 12<sup>th</sup> Annual March for Life takes place on May 16<sup>th</sup> 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.

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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.