# **The Presentation Of The Lord**

February 2, 2014
"My eyes have seen your salvation."
- Luke 2.22-40

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.

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Tuesday	February 4	12 noon	Evelyn Kelly
Thursday	February 6	12 noon	Mary McInerney
<u>Saturday</u>	February 8	5:30pm	For All Parishioners & Their Intentions
<u>Sunday</u>	February 9	9:30am	Fr. James Murphy

# **Last Week's Offertory Collection**

<u>Parishioners Using Envelopes:</u> 107 <u>Average Envelope Donation:</u> \$30.26

23 Regular Envelopes \$696.00
Loose Donation \$42.70
3 Building Fund \$45.00
Last Weekend's Total \$783.70

**Father Peter Thanks Everyone For their Generosity** 

#### **Financial Statement**

The Financial Statement for 2013 is included with this week's bulletin in a compact easy to follow form. If you wish to see the more detailed statement, it is available on the bulletin boards, on the parish website, and some copies are located on the tables at the church entrance. The version on the website is printable, but if you don't have internet access, you may contact the office to receive additional hard copies. Should you have any questions about the contents of the financial statement, please speak to Fr. Stephen or email the office.

#### **CWL**

The next CWL meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 4<sup>th</sup>, 3pm.

#### **Adult Religious Education**

There will be an evening of Religious Education for Adults, this Thursday, February 6<sup>th</sup>, at 7pm in the Saint Joachim's Parish Center. This Thursday is the fifth week of a six week video program on the Trinity, and Mary, Queen of Heaven. The series is an overview of the history of our redemption and salvation by Jesus Christ - what God has done for us.

#### **First Friday Holy Hour And Mass**

The monthly First Friday Holy Hour will take place at St. Joachim's on Friday, February 7<sup>th</sup>, 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.

#### Concert

The Saint John High School Concert Choir will present a "Winter Choral Concert" on Sunday, February 16<sup>th</sup>, 2pm, at St. Luke's Anglican Church, 369 Main St. Tickets are \$10. There will be a silent auction and dessert cafe at intermission. Proceeds will support the choir's travel to New York this Spring for performances and workshops at Juilliard.

#### **Jam Session**

Open Mic Dance every Sunday, 7pm at St. Joachim's Hall, 603 Loch Lomond Road. Admission is \$3. Bring your voice, guitar, or other instrument and take your turn on stage with the house band.

# **Diabetes Support**

Are you comfortable managing your type 2 diabetes? Would you like to talk to someone who's been there and understands what you're going through? Call D-Support, a telephone-base peer support program for people living with type 2 diabetes, to be matched with a trained volunteer peer supporter in New Brunswick who is also living with type 2 diabetes. Call 1-800-BANTING or 1-800-226-8464, ext. 7, or email (dsupport@diabetes.ca).

#### **Evening Prayer**

The Sisters of Charity will be hosting Evening Prayer on Thursday, February 6<sup>th</sup>, 7pm, at Carmel Chapel, 105 Burpee Avenue.

#### **Valentine's Dinner and Silent Auction**

Treat your Valentine to a four-course dinner and silent auction on Saturday, February 8<sup>th</sup> at the Chateau de Champlain. The menu consists of roasted butternut squash soup, salad, a turkey dinner with apple raisin dressing and black forest cake for dessert. The dinner begins at 7pm. Tickets are \$35 per person and can be purchased by calling Jill Russell (634-6263). All proceeds from this event will support the Canadian Cancer Society.

#### **Dreaming About Travelling?**

Purchase a Dream 'N' Go ticket. You could win a \$3,000 Travel Voucher plus \$500 spending money. All proceeds to St. Mark's Building Fund. Draw date is February 9<sup>th</sup>. Tickets are \$20 and available by calling 849-5111.

#### **Meals-On-Wheels**

Volunteers are needed for an hour once a week or even 1 - 2 times per month. You would be delivering hot or frozen nutritious meals to clients in need at noon-time throughout the city and surrounding areas. They are very flexible with scheduling to accommodate volunteers.

They are also looking for new clients. If you are unable to prepare a meal for yourself, why not have one delivered to your home? Please call Meals on Wheels (658-1888) for more details on becoming a volunteer or a client.

# **Friday Night Cards**

St. Pius X is hosting 45's every second and fourth Friday of the month. Doors open at 7pm, games begin at 7:30pm. Admission is only \$3/person with a light lunch and 50/50 draw.

### **Blood Donors Needed**

Blood - it's in you to give! Last year in Canada, 1 in 2 people were able to donate blood, but only 1 in 60 actually donated. Please take the time to come and give. Canadian Blood Services are located at 405 University Avenue, and are open Mondays and Thursdays from 4 - 8pm; Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday from 11am - 3pm.

# K of C Bingo

Come out for a night of fun at the Knights of Columbus Bingo every Friday at St. Joachim's. Doors open at 5pm. Early games start at 6:30pm; regular games at 7pm. Come and try your luck!

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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.