Thirty-Third Sunday In Ordinary Time

November 15, 2015

"The Son of Man will gather the elect from the four winds."

- Mark 13.24-32

MASS SCHEDULE THIS WEEK	MASS INTENTION
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Tuesday	November 17	12 noon	James Shannon
Wednesday	November 18	12 noon	Eric Henry
Thursday	November 19	12 noon	Doug Murphy
Friday	November 20	12 noon	Anida Bernard
<u>Saturday</u>	November 21	4:00pm	For All Parishioners & Their Intentions
<u>Sunday</u>	November 22	9:00am	Mary Short

Confessions -- Every Thursday - 10:30am

Last Week's Offertory Collection

Regular Envelopes	\$1,120.00	
Loose Donations	\$108.05	
Refugee Collection	\$423.85	
Christmas Bastets	\$2,125.00	
Building Fund	\$125.00	
	\$3,901.90	Last Week's Total

Every man shall give as he is able, according to the blessing of the Lord your God that He has given you. - Deuteronomy 16.17

2016 Sunday Envelopes

Envelopes are available at the back of the church. If the spelling of your name or the address listed on your envelopes is incorrect, please contact the office, as that is the address where your 2015 tax receipts will be sent in January. If you would like Envelopes, please contact the office.



Breakfast & Christmas Bazaar

Holy Trinity will be holding a Breakfast & Christmas Bazaar on Saturday, November 28th, from 10am - 1pm in the Holy Trinity Family Centre. Cost: Donation.

Donations Requested

The Parish Renewal Committee is looking for donations for the Christmas Bazaar to be held on November 28th. Donations of baked goods, crafts and/or gently used items (excluding clothing) would be greatly appreciated. If you would like to donate items please contact Beth Fry (696-1516) or Claudette Miller (657-4533).

Coffee Mugs

The Holy Trinity CWL is selling Holy Trinity Church commemorative coffee mugs at the back of the church after Mass on November 21st/22nd and November 28th/29th. The cost is \$10.



Christmas Baskets

Again this year, we will be handing out gift cards to those in need at Christmas. **So, like last year, instead of bringing in food, we are asking you to donate money towards this cause.** Please place your contributions in an envelope labeled "Christmas Baskets" and place them in the collection.

Memorial Tree

Many have found our Memorial Tree to be a helpful way of remembering and dealing with feelings of loss during an otherwise happy time. If this is helpful for you, you are invited to print the names(s) of deceased relatives and friends on the outside of an envelope and mark it "Memorial Tree". These names will be placed on ornaments prepared and decorated by the children in our Religious Education Program and the ornaments will be placed on the Tree. While you may also use the same envelope to make a voluntary donation to our Building Fund, a donation is not required. Deadline for submission of names is Sunday, December 13th.

Winners

Congratulations to Margaret Record and Ev Nilsson, the latest winners of the 50/50 squares. Thanks to everyone for your support!

Ministry Schedule

We will soon be preparing the January - March Ministry Schedule. If you know that you will be unavailable during those months, please contact the office before Sunday, December 13th.

Christmas Flower Memorial

Again this year we are asking for your assistance as we decorate Holy Trinity for Christmas. We encourage you to make a donation towards our Christmas flowers in memory of a loved one. Simply write the name(s) of those you would like to remember on the outside of an envelope and drop it in the collection. Deadline for submission of names is Sunday, December 13th. Please also indicate that the envelope is for "Flowers", and include your envelope number. The names of all those being honored will be included in our Christmas bulletin.

Saturday Soup

Please join us every Saturday evening after the 4pm Mass in the Family Centre. Enjoy a meal of soup, rolls, dessert, tea & coffee as well as a time of fellowship. Cost: Donation.

Card Party

Holy Trinity hosts an Auction 45s Card Party every Monday beginning at 1pm in the Family Center. Light refreshments will be served. Admission is \$3.

Bulletin

The deadline for bulletin announcement submissions is 11am on Wednesday for the following weekend.

<u>Bingo</u>

St. Pius X, Somerset Street, will be holding their annual Christmas Cash Bingo on Wednesday, November 25th. Early Bird games begin at 6pm, regular games at 7pm. \$1,000 jackpot. Tickets are available at the door.

Christmas Open House & 2-Day Sale

The Catholic Bookstore, Waterloo Street, will be having their annual Open House & Sale on Friday, November 27th & Saturday, November 28th, and will be open from 10am - 8pm. Drop in and enjoy a complimentary hot apple cider. Sale brochures are available at the back of the church.

Feast of the Immaculate Conception

Bishop Robert Harris cordially invites everyone to celebrate the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception at a Mass to be celebrated on Tuesday, December 8th, 6:30pm at the Cathedral. Copies of the Bishop's full letter are available at the back of the church.

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Sacrament Of Baptism

Baptisms are celebrated by appointment. To make arrangements for a baptism please contact the office.

Sacrament Of Penance/Reconciliation

Confessions are celebrated on Thursdays at 10:30am.

Sacrament Of Marriage

To be married at Holy Trinity church, couples must first make an appointment with Father Peter to discuss their plans. At least a six month notice and taking a marriage preparation course is a requirement.

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.