

## First Sunday Of Advent

December 3, 2017

*“Keep alert, for you do not know when the master of the house will come.”*

– Mark 13.33-37

### MASS SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

### MASS INTENTION

Tuesday	December 5	12 noon	Rita M. Jackson & DMF
Wednesday	December 6	5:00pm	Special Intentions
Thursday	December 7	12 noon	Special Intentions
Friday	December 8		NO MASS
Saturday	December 9	4:00pm	Thomas Toner
Sunday	December 10	9:00am	Paul Chupa
		12:30pm (Latin)	For All Parishioners

Confessions -- Every Thursday – 10:30am

Way of the Cross -- Every Friday – 6:00pm

 **MASS REQUESTS**      **BOOKING A MASS? MASS ENVELOPES ARE AVAILABLE AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH**

## Last Week's Offertory Collection

Regular Envelopes	\$2,027.00	
Loose Donations	\$146.60	
Heat	\$55.00	
Christmas Baskets	\$430.00	
Memorial Tree	\$70.00	
Christ The King	\$335.00	
Flowers	\$120.00	
Building Fund	\$160.00	
	\$3,346.60	Last Week's Total

**NEED ENVELOPES?**



**SPARE BOXES OF SUNDAY ENVELOPES ARE LOCATED ON THE BACK TABLES**

### Christmas Ministry Schedule

There will be a sign-up sheet at the back of the church until **Sunday, December 10<sup>th</sup>**. Please check off which Masses you plan on attending so that we can complete the Christmas Ministry Schedule.

### Mass Cancellations

There will be no noon Mass on Wednesday, December 6<sup>th</sup>. Mass that day will be celebrated at 5pm.

Additionally, there will be no noon Mass on Friday, December 8<sup>th</sup>, however the Way of the Cross will be celebrated at 6pm that evening.

### 2018 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 2017 tax receipts will be sent in January.

**Want Envelopes?** If you would like to start using Envelopes, boxes for new parishioners are also available.

### 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 that will decorate 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 17<sup>th</sup>**.

### 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 17<sup>th</sup>**. 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.

### Christmas Baskets

Please place your contributions in an envelope labeled “Christmas Baskets” and place them in the collection. We encourage you to put your name or envelope number on your envelope in order for you to receive a tax receipt for your donation.

## SATURDAY SOUP | EVERY WEEK AFTER 4PM MASS

Menu Next Week (December 9): Cajun Shrimp  
Sweet Potato, Carrot, Apple & Red Lentil

### 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 10<sup>th</sup>**.

### Adult Faith Study Group

Treasures of Our Faith is a group for adult Catholics who wish to deepen their understanding of their faith. They meet every Sunday after 9am Mass.

### CWL

The annual Holy Trinity CWL Pot Luck Supper will be held on Wednesday, December 6<sup>th</sup>. Mass will be celebrated at 5pm, followed by dinner in the Family Center. Members are asked to bring a gift for a child or a gift card that the parents can use to purchase a gift. Membership dues of \$20 will be collected that evening as well.

### Draw Winners

Congratulations to Carol Anne Holmes-Lauder and Bertha Robichaud, the latest winners of the 50/50 squares. Thank you to everyone for your continuing support.

### Feast Of The Immaculate Conception

You are invited to gather for the Patronal Feast Day of the Diocese on December 8<sup>th</sup>, 12:10pm for Mass at the Cathedral. A reception will follow in the Cathedral Residence.

### Dinner

There will be a Christmas Turkey Dinner at St. Peter's, Clarendon Street, on Saturday, December 9<sup>th</sup>, 4pm - 6pm. Cost: Adults \$13, Youth (12 & under) \$5, Children under 3 eat free.

### 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.

### K of C 25 Cent Bingo

Everyone welcome each Tuesday, 7pm, St. Peter's Hall, Clarendon Street.

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125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary  
1892 - 2017

### Sacrament Of Baptism

Baptisms are celebrated by appointment. To make arrangements, 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.

### Home Blessings

Please contact the office to make arrangements for Father Peter to bless your new home.