

Third Sunday Of Lent

February 28, 2016

"Unless you turn back to God, you will perish as they did."

– Luke 13.1-9

MASS SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

Tuesday	March 1	12 noon
Wednesday	March 2	12 noon
Thursday	March 3	12 noon
Friday	March 4	12 noon
<u>Saturday</u>	March 5	4:00pm
<u>Sunday</u>	March 6	9:00am

MASS INTENTION

Frances & Arthur Nickerson
Marie Maxwell
Bob Creamer
Mary Jane Kelly
John & Opal Dwyer
For All Parishioners

Confessions -- Every Thursday – 10:30am

Last Week's Offertory Collection

Regular Envelopes	\$1,200.00	
Loose Donations	\$55.00	
Donation	\$250.00	
Heat	\$15.00	
Building Fund	\$60.00	
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	\$1,580.00	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

Adoration

There will be Adoration following noon Mass on Friday, March 4th.

Easter Ministry Schedule

There is a sign-up sheet at the entrance of the church for those involved in the various ministries to indicate which Mass they will be attending at Easter.

Easter Flower Memorial

We are asking for your assistance as we decorate the church for Easter. We encourage you to make a donation towards our Easter flowers in memory of a loved one. Simply **print** the name(s) of those you would like to remember **on the outside of an envelope**. 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 Easter bulletin. Deadline for submission of names is Sunday, March 20th.

Ministry Schedule

We will soon be preparing the April - June Ministry Schedule. If you know that you will be unavailable at any point during those months, please contact the office (653-6838 or office@holyltrinitysj.com) before Sunday, March 20th.

CWL

The next CWL meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 1st, 3pm, in the Family Centre.

Renewal Committee

Congratulations to Corinne Devlin and Patricia McGovern the most recent winners of the 50/50 squares. Thank you to everyone for your support!

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.

Bingo

St. Pius X will be hosting their annual Pot of Gold Bingo on Wednesday, March 2nd. Early Bird games begin at 6pm; Regular games at 7pm. \$1,000 jackpot. Tickets are \$20 and are available at the door.

Presentation

Development & Peace presents their Lenten Visitor, Dr. Tor Iorapuu, Director of Youth, Adolescence, Reflection and Action Centre, Nigeria, who will speak about his work with Christian and Muslim youth, to promote tolerance and democracy. Presentation will take place at St. Pius X Church Hall, 316 Somerset Street, on Monday, March 7th, 7 pm. All are Welcome.

Retreat

Saint-François-de-Sales Parish is hosting a parish retreat to which you are warmly invited. The retreat will take place on April 16th & 17th and will be given in French. Father Mario Doyle, a Redemptorist priest from Moncton, will be leading the retreat. The cost of the retreat, including meals and breaks, is \$80 per person for the two days. Register by contacting Saint-Francois-de-Sales parish (653-6835) or by email (gaetane1953@hotmail.ca).

February 22, 2016

Dear Sisters and Brothers:

I have the pleasure to invite all of you to the *Chrism Mass*, a unique celebration in the Liturgical Year.

Where? Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Saint John
When? Tuesday, March 22, 2016, at 6:30 p.m.

If you are a regular to this annual celebration, I look forward to welcoming you back. If you have never experienced the *Chrism Mass*, I warmly encourage you to come for the first time. Each year I meet people who are delighted to have done so.

It is a pleasure for me to preside this concelebrated Eucharist during which I bless the Holy Oils to be used for the coming year and receive the renewal of promises made by the priests the day of their ordination.

At the end of this Mass, the Holy Oils will be distributed to parish representatives. Afterwards, all are invited to a reception in the Cathedral Rectory. I look forward to welcoming you.

Let us pray for each other during this season of grace. Blessings on your lenten journey towards Easter.

Sincerely yours in Christ,



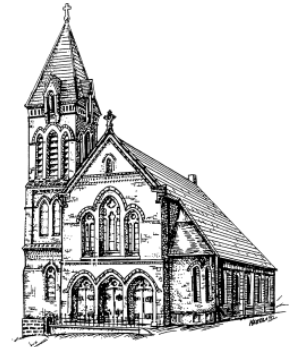
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Sacrament Of Baptism

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.