

Third Sunday In Ordinary Time

January 26, 2014

"Jesus made his home in Capernaum so that what had been spoken through the prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled."

– Matthew 4.12-23

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.

MASS SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

Wednesday	January 29	12 noon
Friday	January 31	12 noon
Saturday	February 1	4:00pm
Sunday	February 2	11:00am

MASS INTENTION

Constance Marino
Robert Pougnet & DFM
Ken White
For All Parishioners & Their Intentions

Last Week's Offertory Collection

<u>Parishioners Using Envelopes:</u>	284	<u>Average Envelope Donation:</u>	\$17.20
<u>Parishioners Using PAD:</u>	46	<u>Average PAD Donation:</u>	\$21.82

78	Regular Envelopes	\$1,341.90
	Loose Donation	\$305.30
	Pre-Authorized Debit	\$1,003.85
6	Debt Fund	\$145.00
2	New Year	\$10.00
5	Initial Offering	\$35.00

Last Weekend's Total \$2,841.05

Father Peter Thanks Everyone For their Generosity

Adult Religious Education

There will be an evening of Religious Education for Adults, this Thursday, January 30th, at 7pm in the Parish Center. This Thursday is the fourth 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 7th, 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.

Finance Committee

Next Finance Committee meeting will be on Wednesday, January 29th, 7pm. Please use office door. **Please note the change in date.**

Jam Session

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

Adoration Of The Blessed Sacrament

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be held Sunday, February 2nd, 2 - 4pm. All are welcome.

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.

Concert

Christopher Lane and Terri-Lynn McNichol present Cabaret Lite on Saturday, February 1st, 7pm at the Saint David's United Church, 7 Gondola Point Road, Rothesay. This cabaret-style concert is in support of the The Give 2013 - Neurology. The program will feature songs of varying styles sung as solos and duets, including songs by The Eagles, Queen and Elvis. Tickets are \$15 and are available by calling 650-4005 or at the door.

Sing To Care

Fundraising concert for Skate To Care will be held at the Cathedral, Waterloo Street, on Sunday, January 26th, 2:30pm. The concert will feature a mix of music by Tracy Friars, Alan Fawcett, Jane Howlett and Marilyn Williams. The free-will offering will go to Mindcare/Skate To Care.

Fun Spiel

Register now for Romaura's Curling Fun Spiel on Saturday, February 1st. There will be a live auction, free lunch, 50/50 draw, and prizes for everyone. There will only be 18 teams of 4 people. Registration is \$140 per team. Proceeds are going towards enhancing the quality of life of Rocmaura residents. For more information, contact Sally Cummings (643-7090).

Valentine's Dinner and Silent Auction

Treat your Valentine to a four-course dinner and silent auction on Saturday, February 8th 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 9th. Tickets are \$20 and available by calling 849-5111.

Food Bank

We accept donations to the Food Bank every weekend of the month. They need both non-perishable food items and monetary donations. Monetary donations can be placed in an envelope marked "Food Bank" and dropped it in the collection.

ONGOING PARISH EVENTS

Zumba - Every Monday and Wednesday at 7pm. Only \$5/person.

Zumba Gold - Zumba for beginners. Every Tuesday morning at 10am. Only \$5/person.

Prayer Group - Every Tuesday at 7:30pm.

Card Party - 45's every Thursday starting at 1pm.

Bingo - Every Friday, doors open at 5pm; Mini-Games at 6:30pm; Regular games at 7pm.

Rosary - Every Saturday at 3:30pm.

Jam Session - Open Mic Dance. Every Sunday at 7pm. \$3 Admission.

For hall rentals, contact the office (653-6852 or office@saintjoachims.com).

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SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated on the first Sunday of the month at 12:30pm for parish families and those living within the boundaries of our parish. To make arrangements, please contact the office.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE / RECONCILIATION

Confessions are celebrated in the church every Saturday from 3pm - 3:30pm, or at other times if you would like to make an appointment by speaking 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.