

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

ST. JOACHIM'S MASS SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

MASS INTENTION

<u>Saturday</u>	December 12	6:00pm	For the People / Charles Swain
<u>Sunday</u>	December 13	11:30am	Alden Watson Deceased Members of the Dalton Family
Wednesday	December 16	12 noon	June & Gerry McGraw Helen & Gerald Murphy
<u>Saturday</u>	December 19	6:00pm	Veronica & Fernand Frigault Mr. & Mrs. Robert Donovan & DFM
<u>Sunday</u>	December 20	11:30am	For the People / John A. MacNeil

ST. ANN'S MASS SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

Thursday	December 17	12 noon
Friday	December 18	12 noon
<u>Saturday</u>	December 19	4:00pm
<u>Sunday</u>	December 20	9:30am

Last Week's Offertory Collection

69	Regular Envelopes	\$2,138.00
	Loose Donations	\$432.50
	Pre-Authorized Debit	\$650.77
31	Debt Fund	\$593.00
10	Flowers	\$215.00
1	Christmas	\$10.00
2	Retired Priests	\$40.00
12	Pro-Life	\$165.00
5	Food Bank	\$340.00
		\$4,584.27
	Last Week's Total	

St. Joachim's

St. Ann's

CHRISTMAS

Thursday, December 24 th	6:00pm (Family Mass)	4:00pm (Family Mass) 8:00pm
Friday, December 25 th	11:30am	9:30am
Saturday, December 26 th	6:00pm	4:00pm
Sunday, December 27 th	11:30am	9:30am

NEW YEAR'S

Thursday, December 31 st	4:00pm	NO MASS
Friday, January 1 st	NO MASS	9:30am
Saturday, January 2 nd	6:00pm	4:00pm
Sunday, January 3 rd	11:30am	9:30am

Thank You

We would like to take the opportunity to thank Connie Loughery, our Zumba instructor, for the recent craft sale here at Saint Joachim's. Through her efforts, \$860 was raised for the parish.

We would also like to thank the ladies who host our weekly Thursday card parties every week for their donation of \$2,000 towards our Restoration Fund.

Please note that both the card party and Zumba are currently on their Christmas holidays, and both will resume in January.

2016 Sunday Envelopes

Envelopes are available in the foyer. If the spelling of your name or the address listed on your envelopes is incorrect, please contact the office so that we can make a correction to our records. If you would like Sunday Envelopes, please contact the office.

Please note: There will be no box of envelopes for PAD users who have requested not to receive one, or for those who did not pick up their box of envelopes last year.

REMINDER

The deadline to submit
names for Christmas
Flowers is today,
Sunday, December 13.



Reconciliation Service

A Reconciliation Service for the Saint John region will be held on the fourth Sunday of Advent, December 20th, 2pm, at St. Peter's, Clarendon Street. All are encouraged to attend. We will not have one here at Saint Joachim's.

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 5:30pm. Early games start at 6:30pm; regular games at 7pm. Come and try your luck!

Take Your Christmas Experience from 2D to 3D

Join us for Best Advent Ever™ Rediscover Mercy. It's free! It's simple yet life-changing. And it will take your Christmas experience to a whole new level.

Beginning the first Sunday of Advent, you will receive daily emails with either a short 1-2 minute video, inspirational quote, or coaching that will help you live out the great works of mercy during the Advent season. The simple yet powerful messages from Matthew Kelly and six other incredible Catholic authors and speakers will help you rediscover God's great mercy and inspire you to show that mercy to others.

Make this your best Advent ever and you'll have the best Christmas of your life!
To learn more or sign up, visit BestAdventEver.com

Third Sunday Of Advent

December 13, 2015

The crowds asked, "What should we do?"

– Luke 3.10-18

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Sacrament Of Baptism

To make arrangements, please call the parish office.

Sacrament Of Penance / Reconciliation

Confessions are celebrated after Mass or by appointment.

Sacrament Of Marriage

If you are planning on getting married, make an appointment with our pastor to discuss your plans and complete the pre-nuptial investigation forms. Six months notice is required.

Sacrament And Ministry To The Sick

If there is a family member or relative in the hospital or confined to their home, who would like to receive a visit from the Pastor, please inform Father Jim.