#### ST. JOACHIM'S MASS SCHEDULE THIS WEEK MASS INTENTION

Sunday September 4 11:30am Antoinette Robotka

Ronald & Agnes Callaghan; Son David

**Sunday** September 11 11:30am Inez MacGillivray

**Richard Hachey** 

#### ST. ANN'S MASS SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

Saturday September 10 4:00pm Sunday September 11 9:30am

### **Last Week's Offertory Collection**

Regular Envelopes \$1,352.00
Loose Donations \$669.25
Pre-Authorized Debit \$650.77
Debt Fund \$20.00
Food Bank \$70.00

\$2,762.02 Last Week's Total

#### **Mass Correction**

Please note that the Mass intentions listed in last weekend's bulletin for today were incorrect. The correct intentions are listed in this bulletin. We apologize for any confusion.

#### **Religious Education**

Classes are scheduled to begin on Sunday, September 25<sup>th</sup>. This year you can register your child via email at any time before classes begin. Please contact our Religious Education Coordinator, Natalie Ouellette (natalieo@nb.sympatico.ca) and she will provide you with the details. You may also register your child on the first day of classes if you wish. Registration cost is \$10/child.

**Please note**: Baptism certificates are required for **all** students registering this year, so parents are asked to contact the church that your child was baptized in to obtain a copy of your child's certificate.

#### **Religious Education Teachers Needed**

We are in need of additional teachers this year, specifically **Grades 2, 3 & 4**. If you are able to volunteer your time, please call (696-2468 - leave a message) or email (natalieo@nb.sympatico.ca) our Religious Education Coordinator, Natalie Ouellette.

#### **Saint Teresa Of Calcutta**

Mother Teresa of Calcutta will be canonized by Pope Francis on September 4<sup>th</sup>. On Sunday, September 11<sup>th</sup>, 3pm, at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Waterloo Street, you are invited to a special Mass of Thanksgiving to honor Saint Teresa of Calcutta.

#### **New Saint John Choir**

Dr. Kevin Langford is starting a new choir in Saint John for ages 18-30. Rehearsals begin Thursday, September 15<sup>th</sup> at St. Luke's Church (across from McDonald's in North End), 6pm - 7:20pm. There is no fee to join. For more information email Kevin Langford (kevinjlangford@icloud.com).

#### **Card Party**

Join us for Saint John's most popular card party, every Thursday from 1pm - 4pm at Saint Joachim's. Meet some new friends and enjoy an afternoon of 45s for only \$3. Everyone is welcome.

#### 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!

#### PAD – Pre-Authorized Debit

Are you interested in switching from your current Sunday Envelope to the more convenient PAD system? Application forms, which include an explanation of the system, are available in the foyer or on our website (saintjoachims.com/PAD). Have more guestions? Feel free to contact the office (653-6852 or office@saintjoachims.com) for more information.

#### **Choral Concert**

Polyphon, directed by David Mitchell, will give a concert at St Peter's Parish, Clarendon Street, on Sunday, September 18<sup>th</sup>, 7pm. Tickets are available at the door with proceeds going to Harbour Lights.

#### **Brunch**

Holy Trinity will be holding a brunch on Sunday, September 11<sup>th</sup>, 10am - noon, 11 Canon Street. Cost: free will offering.

#### Bingo

Stella Maris, Bayside Drive, will be holding a Bingo on Sunday, September 18<sup>th</sup>. Doors open at noon; early bird games begin at 1pm; regular games begin at 2pm. Jackpot is \$1,000. Tickets are \$20 and available by calling 653-6860.

#### **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.

## **Twenty-Third Sunday In Ordinary Time**

September 4, 2016

"Whoever of you does not give up all that he has cannot be my disciple." - Luke 14.25-33

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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.