

CHRISTMAS GIFT CERTIFICATES FOR NEEDY FAMILIES – We encourage you to use our pink envelopes marked "Christmas Dinners for Needy Families" when you make your donation to the Christmas dinners. These special envelopes are to be used exclusively for the Christmas Dinners, please.

APPLICATIONS – for the dinner will be taken on the 14th and 15th of November in the Parish Hall between 9:30 a.m. – 12 noon.

<u>Proof of Address and Medicare card</u> is required for all those living in your home.

You will also note the "Trunk" has been placed at the main entrance of the church to receive mittens, scarves, etc. which will be given out at the same time as the dinners. If you have any small lotions, soaps, etc., they may be brought in at any time.

If possible, please have all monetary donations in by the *first week in December* so we can estimate how many families we will be able to serve and have time to order our gift cards from Sobeys. *Any questions? - please call (506) 653-6830.*

C.W.L. NEWS - Our next regular meeting will be held Tuesday, **November 14**th at 1:00 p.m. in the parish hall. All members are encouraged to attend.

Annual Cookie walk will be November 25/26 after all Masses. Fill your bag with a variety of delicious cookies for only \$8.00. Donations of homemade cookies would be appreciated and can be dropped off to the church hall before the Masses Nov. 25/26.

We will be collecting **gifts/gift cards for St. Joseph's Hospital and Outreach Centers**. Suggested items can be found on the posters at each entrance. Put your Gift Cards in an envelope marked C.W.L. and put it in a Sunday collection **before December 3**rd. Gifts can be left in the boxes at each entrance.

Annual Christmas party - (Turkey dinner) will be held **December 2**nd in the church hall *following* the 4:00 p.m. Mass, at a cost of \$20/person. Tickets must be purchased in advance before **November 24**th. The telephone committee will contact all members. Money may be placed in an envelope and placed in the collection, or dropped off to the rectory. At the same time our **C.W.L.** dues for 2024 are now due (\$32.00) and these may be paid at the party or deposited in the Sunday collection, marked "CWL Dues". Deadline for dues is December 31st. When you deposit an envelope in the Sunday collection for the CWL, please write 'CWL ' and your complete name on the envelope.

FOCUS ON LIFE - there will be an In-Person/Zoom meeting on Thursday, **November 23**rd, 7 - 9 p.m. at St. Mark's church in Quispamsis regarding the tragic situation of **MAiD** in Canada. This will be presented by Sister Nuala Kenny (Sister of Charity, NS), hosted by Right to Life. Zoom link can be obtained by contacting <u>sirighttolife@gmail.com</u> or you may call (506) 653-6828.

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS
Monday – Thursday - 9:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Weekday Liturgies

Monday - NO MASS Tuesday - 5:30 p.m. (Novena Mass) Wednesday - NO MASS Thursday - 9:00 a.m. Mass Friday - NO MASS

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil at 4:00 p.m. Sunday at 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday - 5:00 - 5:30 p.m. Saturday - 3:00 - 3:45 p.m.

Sacrament of Baptism

By appointment only. Please call the Rectory

Sacrament of Marriage

A six (6) month prior notice is requested

Ministry to the Sick

Please contact the Rectory if you or someone you know would like to be visited at home or in hospital



November 12th, 2023 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Our Masses for the week of November 13th

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Monday		- NO MASS -
Tuesday	5:00 p.m.	- Adoration -
	-	- Novena Mass
		- John Francis Kelly
Wednesday		- NO MASS -
Thursday	9:00 a.m.	- James & Rita Hennesse
Friday		- NO MASS -
Saturday	4:00 p.m.	- Memorial Mass
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	- Warren Watson (a)
-	11:00 a.m.	- For the People



MEMORIALS WILL BE CELEBRATED on Saturday, November 18th at 4:00 p.m. for: Buster & Irene Causey; Fr. Clark McAulay, C.Ss.R. (a); Irene Morris (a); Bill McCauslin (a); Earl Graves & d.m. of "McLean" family; Ken Kaine; Dorothy Enright; and all deceased members of their families; Souls in Purgatory; 2 Special Intentions; and for "Ajalie's" families and friends and for all Veterans.

SUNDAY OFFERTORY - November 5th - (Including PAD) - \$5,219.00 **Christmas Dinner** donations to date - **\$4,500.00**

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - Classes will resume November 19th

HOLY REDEEMER PARISH - will be participating in a survey about discipleship which can be accessed through an online link from **November 21 - December 18**. You will be asked to reflect on your own spiritual growth and enable you to provide feedback on our parish's efforts to help you grow. All responses will be confidential.

This information will be invaluable as we plan for the future and strive to be the best disciples we can be. When we receive the results, they will be shared with you.

A paper copy of the survey will be made available and the completed survey may be dropped in the collection basket or at the parish office. To make special arrangements for getting a paper copy, please call (506) 653-6830. Thank you for your help.

CONFIRMATION RETREAT - for youth in grades 8 and 9, preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation will be held **Monday, November 20 from 5:00 pm – 8:30 pm hosted by Our Lady of Perpetual Help.** Lunch and snacks will be provided. To help with planning, please reserve with your parish religious education coordinator.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

For Pope Francis who has asked us to pray for him this month. We pray to the Lord.

For our Diocesan family of faith and the parishes of Saint John Region preparing for the Mission with Bishop Christian. We pray to the Lord.

For an end to armed conflict around the world and for all victims of war and for refugees. We pray to the Lord.

For the poor, especially those we will assist at Christmastime. We pray to the Lord.

For a strengthening of family life and for families in distress. We pray to the Lord.

For all who are ill and for people suffering from addiction. We pray to the Lord.

For those who have died NN..... and for those whose names have been written in our Book of Remembrance. We pray to the Lord.

Mitchell Leger, Herb Mower, Ken Kaine, Matthew Comeau, Frances Kincade, Sister Celene Hurley, s.c.i.c., Patricia Charlton, Mary MacDougall, Richard Lavigne

SUNDAY OFFERTORY ENVELOPES - will be placed at the main entrance of the church sometime this month. If you are currently not using envelopes - *or if you are using envelopes that are outdated* - please call the office with 'updated' information.

MASS FOR THOSE LIVING WITH CANCER - will be celebrated on Monday, November 20th at 7:00 pm. at the Cathedral. Anointing of the Sick will be offered.

SAINT JOHN REGIONAL MISSION - will take place from 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m., November 27-29 at the Cathedral. Each session will begin with Mass celebrated by the Bishop. A reconciliation service will be offered on Tuesday and Commissioning and Healing Prayer on Wednesday. Bishop Riesbeck will preach a three-day Mission on the theme of "The Great Commission." diving into Jesus' call to "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations." *For more information, see the posters at all entrances.*

CHRISTMAS CASH BINGO - will be held in our hall on **Wednesday, November 29**th. Early Bird games begin at **6:00 p.m.** and regular games at **7:00 p.m.** \$20/person with tickets available at the door. \$1,000 Jackpot, 9 games \$100, \$25 Second Chance.



PLEASE NOTE - The church office will be closed on Monday, November 13th in observance of Remembrance Day.