



Weekend of 11-12 November 2017

Masses / Intentions for the week of November 13 - 19

Monday November 13

7:00 p.m. Intentions of Noreen Brasier / Nora and Don Headley

Tuesday November 14

7:30 a.m. † Neil Mahon / Pat and Gary Clarke
9:00 a.m. St. Dominic School Mass
† Deceased Relatives and Friends of Students and Staff
1:15 p.m. St. Thomas Aquinas
† Deceased Relatives and Friends of Students and Staff

Wednesday November 15

7:00 p.m. † Pat Mulligan / Gary and Theresa Bagshaw

Thursday November 16

9:00 a.m. St. Mary's School Mass
Intentions of Sarah Little / Staff of St. Mary's School
10:45 p.m. St. John Paul
† Deceased Relatives and Friends of Students and Staff
7:00 p.m. † CWL Memorial Mass

Friday November 17

7:30 a.m. Intentions of Father Manuel P. Ombao

Saturday November 18

9:00 a.m. † Mary Moher / Mike Moher and family-

Sunday Liturgies

5:00 p.m. † Paul O'Leary / Marie Whelan
† Vera Moher / Mary, Michal, Denis and family

Sunday November 19

9:00 a.m. † Ralph Traynor / Demoe & Baker Families
† Meghan O'Brien / Dan, Kim O'Brien
11:00 a.m. † Maria & Janaz Vincas / Stan Zerdin
† Jim Queen / May and family
7:00 P.M. Latin Mass

FOR THE SICK

Especially Kerry Polito, Teresa Ralph; Joe Leduc, Loretta Robson and Theresa McLaughlin; may the Lord's healing hand touch them. **AND FOR THE DEAD**



Especially Valerie Finney and Gerry Mitchell; may they receive the gift of eternal life in heaven.

DONATIONS LAST WEEK

Offertory **\$5,771**
Preauthorized payment **\$1,597**
Total offertory **\$7,368**

If you would like to use donation envelopes or a preauthorized payment method instead, please contact the parish office at 705-324-4828. **Have you prayed over your stewardship support level?**



MYANMAR CRISIS RELIEF FUND

The crisis in Myanmar has resulted in the influx of an additional 816,000 Rohingya refugees into Bangladesh since August, the majority being women and children. This has triggered a humanitarian emergency on such a scale that concerted international action is urgently required.

In order to address this situation, Canada launched the Myanmar Crisis Relief Fund on October 31, 2017. For every eligible donation made by individuals to registered Canadian charities before **November 28** the Government of Canada will contribute an equivalent amount to the Myanmar Crisis Relief Fund.

SAVE THE DATE- DECEMBER 10 AT 11:00 A.M. REDEDICATION OF THE CHURCH

2017-2018 MISSALS AND ENVELOPES ARE READY

The new missals are ready. They are for sale at \$4.00ea. You can find them on the tables at the entrances of the church. Please ask the ushers if you need help to find them.

THIS WEEKEND NOVEMBER 11-12, YOUR NEW 2018 ENVELOPES ARE READY TO BE PICKED UP AT THE MAIN ENTRANCE OF THE CHURCH. PLEASE TAKE TIME TO PICK THEM UP BECAUSE WE DON'T HAVE ANY SPACE TO KEEP THEM WHILE THEY ARE DOING THE RENOVATIONS. THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT!

SAVE THE DATE – SUNDAY JANUARY 7, 2018 FARWELL PARTY FOR FR. TOM



RECEPTION FOLOWING THE 11:00 A.M. MASS AT ST. MARY'S SCHOOL GYM. IT IS WITH GREAT SADNESS TO SEE HIM LEAVE US AFTER ALL THE HARD WORK HE HAS DONE FOR THE PARISH AND THE CHURCH BUT GOD IS CALLING HIM TO DO GOOD WORK FOR HIM IN THE NEXT PARISH.

COME AND SHOW YOUR SUPPORT AND ENJOY THE LAUGHTER AND THE STORIES WITH HIM.

ST. THOMAS AQUINAS CATHOLIC SCHOOL COUNCIL FUNDRAISER

Purchase a Poinsettia to help upgrade the Catholic Learning Commons at our school! Pre-order your plants before **November 11/12** by calling the school at 705-878-4117. Plants will be delivered on the weekend of December 9/10. Please call the school to arrange for pick-up. A variety of colours and sizes to choose from! Small plants \$10.00, Large \$25.00. Thank you for your support!

SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

SSVP will meet **Thursday November 16**, 1:30 p.m. at Marie Young's house. 705-878-3968



This fall, let's pay tribute to women who build peace! Across the world, brave women are coming together to struggle, to resist and to build a more peaceful world. This week, **Development and Peace - Caritas Canada** will introduce you to three of these women through our Women at the Heart of Peace Brochure which is in your bulletin today or you can find it at www.devp.org. under resources. On **November 18th and 19** we will be asking you to sign Our Action Card asking the Prime Minister of Canada urging our government to increase spending for peace building and cut back the 70% planned spending over the next ten years on military spending.

THE SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

The weekends of **Nov 11-12th & Nov 18-19th**, the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will have "angels" available for those parishioners who wish to participate in the Angel Giving Tree program. You are invited to purchase a gift for a child in need this Christmas by selecting an angel and choosing from a list of gift items detailed on the back. The Society requests that the total amount for gift(s) purchased for this angel not exceed \$50.00. There will be sign-up sheets available for you to record the angel you have chosen and you are kindly asked to return your new unwrapped gift, with the paper angel attached, by Nov 26th. The Society would also ask that you keep these children and their families in your prayers this Christmas. Thank you for your generous support to this program!



YOUTH EVENTS AT ST. MARY'S

New Members are always welcome!

November 17th ORA ET LABORA

For all Gr 9-12 Students

7-9 Pizza, talk on Transgenderism by Fr. Eric

8-9 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Confession

November 22nd CHOSEN

For all Gr 7 to 8 Students

7:00 pm MASS at Rectory Chapel. 7:30 pm -9:00 pm St Mary's School

Lesson 8 "How do I get there?" The Power and Purpose of the Sacraments.

November 23rd BOXING

For young men Gr 7 to College age

7:00 MASS at Rectory Chapel. 7:30 -9:00 BOXING St Mary's School Gym. Instructor is Richard Ovcharovich.

Gloves provided. Bring gym clothes and shoes.

November 29th CHOSEN

For all Gr 7 to 8 Students

7:00 pm MASS at Rectory Chapel. 7:30 pm -9:00 pm St Mary's School

Lesson 9 "When did my Journey Begin?" Baptism, Your Initiation into God's Family.

RECONCILIATION REMINDER

Session #4 **Sunday, November 19** – at the 9 or 11 a.m. Mass in the Church and one hour after the Mass in St. Mary's School. Afterwards both parents and children will attend their separate sessions in St. Mary's Gym and the school library. Babysitting will also be provided. If you miss a session please call the rectory and get the make up dates to go to St. Luke's Church in Downeyville

CONFIRMATION

Your Grade 7 child will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation conferred by Bishop Daniel Miehm on **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2017** at the 11 a.m. Mass in St. Mary's Church.

Please keep the children and their families in your prayers



DATES FOR FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Your Grade 2 child will receive the Sacrament of First Reconciliation on **THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2017** at 9:30 a.m. at St. Mary's Church.

Your grade 2 child will receive the Sacrament of the First Holy Communion on **SUNDAY, APRIL 29, 2018** at the 11:00 a.m. Mass.

CWL NEWS

CWL Meet and Greet! - CWL members will be welcoming Parishioners at the church doors **this weekend**. They wish to thank the parishioners for their support of CWL projects happening this year! Members are encouraged to participate wearing your pins and scarves!



Membership Renewal for 2018 - We are beginning our membership renewal campaign, membership fees are \$25 per year. Envelopes are in your boxes and at the back of the church. Won't you join us!

Save the Date - Our Christmas Luncheon is on Wednesday December 6 at the Lindsay Golf Club. The buffet luncheon is a full Christmas Dinner with all the trimmings. Tickets will be sold in advance for \$25. We welcome guests; this is a great event to introduce ladies to the Catholic Women's League.

FROST MANOR

Christmas Bazaar **December 2** from 2pm-4pm. Vendors Bake Room Thrift Table 50/50 draw. Hot Lunch available includes soup or chili \$5.00

DAY OF GRACE AND RECONCILIATION

You are invited to a Day of Grace and Reconciliation to be held at St. Mary's Church, Lindsay on Saturday, **December 16**. What an excellent way to prepare for the great feast of Christmas! Retired priests and priests from surrounding areas, as well as our own priests will hear confessions all day from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. During this time there will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Please plan to take some quiet time out of your busy schedules to be with our Lord Jesus Christ.

NEW AND IMPROVED RECIPE FOR THE CHRISTMAS CAKES

Christmas Cakes will soon go on sale at the back of the church and at coffee Sundays. The cakes are made by the monks of Val Notre-Dame Abbey and proceeds of the sales assist Campaign Life Coalition with their work in educating us about life issues-protecting life from conception until natural death. Regular size \$18.00, large \$25.00 and Abbey gift basket \$30.00. Call 705-324-7750 for special orders.

SUPPORT CARDS

3 MILLION DOLLARS SOLD

We have President Choice, Food Basic, Lamantia, Tim Hortons, Swiss Chalet, Canadian Tire, Home Hardware Cards, Giant Tiger.

IF YOU ARE NOT USING THE CARDS PLEASE LOOK AT THESE FIGURES; ask the question you want, and get on board to help us



RESTORE YOUR BEAUTIFUL CHURCH.

If you are not able to donate money to the church this is one way you can. You have to eat so every time you buy a card you are donating 5% to the church restoration. You can get your Gift Cards at the church or at the office during office hours. For every dollar you spend we receive money to help restore this beautiful church.

Sales to date	\$3,113,855
Weekly sales	\$6,445
Profit to Date	\$165,993
Weekly Profit	\$323