



WE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK PEOPLE OF OUR PARISH...

If you have someone you would like added to the prayer list and/or they would like communion brought to them (in hospital or at home), **please call the Parish Office 705 652-3231 OR talk with Fr. Sany.**

PAINTING AND REPAIR OF PLASTER IN THE INTERIOR OF THE CHURCH

will begin on Monday. The cleaning of the murals, the artwork and the stencils can be done in a later phase of the work. In order to accommodate the work crew Fr. Sany has set up the hall for daily masses for the next few weeks. Saturday and Sunday masses will continue to be held in the church.


Two of our church windows have had a double layer of storm window protection put on them. This should help reduce our heating costs this winter. The remaining windows will be done in the spring.

COVID CARE-SANITIZING PEWS AFTER MASS: All parishioners are invited to assist in sanitizing the pews after each mass. There are enough supplies for six volunteers to clean the pews.




SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OR THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY is remembered on December 8


THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION:



IT DOES NOT PERTAIN to the Nativity (birth) of the Blessed Virgin Mary.



IT DOES NOT PERTAIN to Jesus' conception in the womb of the Blessed Virgin Mary.



IT PERTAINS to the conception of the Virgin Mary in the womb of Her mother St. Anne, wherein she [Mary] was preserved exempt from all stain of original sin by God's grace in view of the merits of Jesus Christ.

Music for Christmas Masses will be provided by

4:00 pm Amy Melanson

5:30 pm Tina McCarthy

7:00 pm Amy Melanson

10:00 am Albert Moher



St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church

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Bishop: Most. Rev. Daniel Miehm

Mass Times: Sat 5 pm, Sun 10 am

Office Hours: Tues & Thurs 9am - 4pm

Hall Rental: Contact the Parish Office

Pastor: Rev. Fr. Sanyatson Sessaiah

Administrative Assistant: Maryann Clancy

CWL: Mary McKeiver

Knights of Col.: Dan Moloney



Marriage:

Baptism:

Reconciliation:

Home Communion:

Music Ministry:

Cemetery Board:

Diocese Website:

St. Joseph's School:

By arrangement (min. 6 months prior)

By arrangement with the Parish Office

Sat 4:00—4:30 pm or by appointment

Anytime upon request

Tina McCarthy & Amy Melanson

Bob Condon 705-772-6071

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Principal: Mark Collins 705-652-3961



WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH

December 6, 2020

Second Sunday of Advent

St. Joseph's Parish Mass Intentions

TO ACCOMMODATE THE CHURCH PAINTING

WEEKDAY MASSES WILL BE HELD IN THE PARISH HALL

- TUESDAY Dec 8 Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Virgin Mary**
 8:30 am † Walsh & Lynch Families (by the Estate)
- WEDNESDAY Dec 9**
 8:30 am † Patricia Withers (by the Estate)
- THURSDAY Dec 10**
 8:30 am † Tim Morrissey (by Gerald & Pauline Heffernan)
- FRIDAY Dec 11**
 8:30 am Int. In Thanksgiving (by a Parishioner)
- SATURDAY Dec 12**
 5:00 pm For the People of the Parish
- SUNDAY Dec 13**
 10:00 am † Theresa O'Grady (by Joe & Kathy McGriskin)



<u>Parish Stewardship</u>	<u>Last Year</u>	<u>This Year</u>
Nov 29	\$ 2,556.00	\$2,317.00
Restoration Goal \$140,000	\$ 104,389 Achieved	\$35,611 Still needed

We thank you for your continued support of our Parish!

<u>LECTORS.....</u>	<u>SATURDAY.....</u>	<u>SUNDAY.....</u>
DEC 5 & 6	Larry Carlow	Mike Moloney
DEC 12 & 13	Bob Condon	Joanne Armstrong
DEC 19, 20	Larry Devlin	Bernard Leahy

READINGS FOR THIS WEEK

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT – Dec 6

First Reading: Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11
 Second Reading: 2 Peter 3:8-14
 Gospel: Mark 1:1-8

READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT – Dec 13

First Reading: Isaiah 61: 1-2a 10-11
 Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 5: 16-24
 Gospel: John 1: 6-8, 19-28

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS MASS SCHEDULES

- Thursday Dec 24, Christmas Eve 4:00pm 5:30 pm & 7:00 pm
 Friday Dec 25, Christmas Day 10:00 am
 Thursday Dec 31, New Years Eve 5:00 pm
 Friday Jan 01, New Years Day 10:00 am

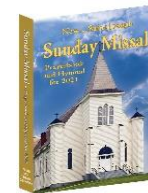


CHRISTMAS MASSES To accommodate social distancing protocols Fr. Sany will be saying three masses on Christmas Eve. **The 4:00 pm mass is now FULL.** There is still space available at **the 5:30pm and 7:00pm masses on Christmas Eve, and 10:00am on Christmas Day.** You will be required to register for the mass that you choose to go to. Registration sheets will be at the back of the church. Each mass will be capped at 125 people so please register soon to avoid disappointment.



Register for Mass

ENVELOPE BOXES are now available in the church please pick yours up as soon as possible to make way for Celebration of the Birth of Christ.



SUNDAY MISSALS Since we are unable to have missals in the pews this year, they are offered for sale at the back of the church for \$5.00 each. Please only touch the missal that you take. Please readers, make sure to have your own personal missals.

THANK YOU – I wish to Thank all community members for your kind words and cards following my achievement of the CWL National Life Membership. I could not be in better company especially our very own CWL member, the late Bunny Leahy. I do hope I make her proud with my endorses as we were of hers. Wendy Tedford



FOOD BANK DONATIONS: Once again our CWL is collecting food for the Lakefield Food Bank. A box will be at the entrance of the church until Dec. 13 for your donations.

SOCKS FOR SHUT-INS: Due to COVID-19, we are unable to deliver socks to shut-ins this year. The CWL will be mailing Christmas cards to them. We would ask that members of the CWL take a few moments to phone a shut-in from the parish, as they are finding it difficult at this time with visits being restricted.