

Announced Masses

St. James Parish, Seaforth

WED. JAN 24		NO MASS TONIGHT
FRI. JAN 26		NO MASS TODAY
SAT. JAN 27	9:00 am ---	Praying the Rosary
SUN. JAN 28	11:00 am	St. James Parish Family



St. Patrick's Parish, Dublin

TUES. JAN 23		NO MASS TODAY
THURS. JAN 25		NO MASS TONIGHT
SAT. JAN 27	5:00 pm	St. Patrick's Parish Family
SUN. JAN 28	9:00 am	St. Patrick's Parish Family

LET US JOIN TOGETHER...

In welcoming *Fr. Peter Keller* this weekend and thanking him for joining us in celebration of the Eucharist.

COLD AND FLU SEASON...



UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE at St. Patrick's and St. James we will only be receiving communion under one species (Body of Christ).

PRAYERS AND SYMPATHY...

Of the parish are extended to the family of *Joseph Van Dooren*, "May his soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God rest in peace, Amen. Joe's funeral Mass will be celebrated at St. James Parish, on Monday, January 22 at 11:00 a.m. A reception will follow at Seaforth and District Community Centre. May the Van Dooren family find comfort in God's love and peace in His faithfulness.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION...



January 14, 2018: SEAFORTH: Reg. env. \$1,700.00, loose \$106.00, Building Fund \$240.00, New Year's Day \$125.00, Initial offering \$30.00. *Thank you for your generous support!*
DUBLIN: Reg. envelopes \$895.00, loose \$19.50, Building Fund \$40.00. *Thank you for your generous support!*

MASS TIMES TO CHANGE

Please take note that the Mass times between St. James and St. Patrick's will change on the weekend of **February 3rd & 4th**. St. James will celebrate Mass on Saturday night at 5:00 p.m. and Sunday morning at 9:00 a.m. and St. Patrick's will celebrate Sunday Mass at 11:00 a.m. until the end of July 2018.

NEWLY BAPTIZED...



Welcome *Eva Kimberly Louwagie*, daughter of Andy & Katie who was baptized January 14th at St. Patrick's Church, Dublin.

PARKING AT ST. PATRICK'S...



Please take note that when parking in the area north of St. Patrick's School it is critical that you leave at least a two car width space continuous from the street into the emergency water storage reserve area. This is actually a street allowance and must be kept open in case of emergencies. Keep parking to the south side of this area closer to the school. We do not want anyone to receive a parking ticket. This parking by-law applies continuously all year long. On week-ends, feel free to use the parking area behind the school board office if needed.

MINISTRY NEWS

REMINDER to parents of grade 2 children preparing for First Holy Communion: There is an Evening for Parents (no children please) on **Thursday, January 25** at St. Patrick's Parish Hall from 7:30-9:00 p.m. Only ONE parent needs to attend.

This **Monday, January 22**, there will be a meeting to organize the ~ FAMILY DAY CELEBRATION ~ (February 18). Anyone interested is welcome to attend the meeting at **7:00 p.m. at the Parish Office**.

The planning of the CHILDREN'S CHOIR Junior Kindergarten to grade 6 is underway. Anyone interested in assisting, please contact the parish office. We need many hands to help in this initiative.

Karen Doyle - CYM

HIGH SCHOOL MINISTRY

This coming **Friday, January 26** is our Poverty Awareness Vigil. Note the time change, this year it is **7:00 p.m. to midnight**. You can bring your own snacks such as pop and chips.

The Steubenville Youth Conference date has been changed from June 29-July 1 to **July 20-22**. Please get your \$75 deposit in ASAP; the bus is half full already. Grade 8's going into grade 9 are welcome.

Please check out our Facebook page: St Patrick's Dublin / St James Seaforth Youth Ministry

Karen Doyle - CYM

COMING EVENTS

HIGH SCHOOL AND GRADE 7 & 8 STUDENTS MARK YOUR CALENDARS: SAT. FEB. 24, 2018

"Out of the Cold Walk/Shelterlink" Shelterlink is an organization that reaches out to young people 16-24 who are homeless or at risk. This organization serves young people within our community. They provide shelter for them as well as supporting them to make good choices. This year our ministry is participating as a team to do that "Out of the Cold Walk, February 24. I will be presenting more details next weekend.

Karen Doyle - CYM

SOCIAL TIME FOR OUR CLUSTER...



St. James/St. Patrick's Skating Party is on **Sunday, January 28th** after the 11:00 a.m. Mass until 2:30 p.m. Hot dog lunch, Open Skate (1:00 p.m.), cards in the main hall at Seaforth & District Community Centre.

Everyone welcome!

WORLD DAY OF THE SICK...

A message from Pope Francis for this year's World Day of the Sick (Sunday, Feb. 11) has been posted on our diocesan website in French and English. If you'd like to read the Holy Father's message, please visit www.dol.ca/news.

ANNUAL BASKETBALL FREE THROW...



The Mitchell-Logan Knights are holding the annual basketball Free Throw on **Monday, January 29th** at Mitchell High School starting at 7:00 p.m. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. and competition is open to boys and girls ages 9 to 14. Forms are available at St. Columban, Upper Thames and Mitchell High schools and at the door.

MEDJUGORJE FOR YOUTH GALA...



Please join us for a wonderful evening of food, fellowship and fun! This event will take place on **Sunday, February 25th**, at the 'Best Western Arden Park Hotel', in Stratford.

Tickets are \$60 with \$30 receipt (students \$30). Keynote speaker is Rev. Clare Coleman. For more information, contact Cathy Garrick 519-527-2685 or email at catgarrick@hotmail.com

FIRE ON THE EARTH...

I came to bring fire to the earth and how I wish it were already kindled! Luke 12:49

Be Inspired, encouraged & healed: Come Celebrate the 26th annual Lift Jesus Higher Rally

When: Saturday, March 3th, 2018 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Where: The Metro Toronto Convention Centre, 255 Front Street West. There is a bus being organized to go to the Rally from Stratford. No parking or traffic worries! Call to reserve your spot on the bus. Fr. David will be accompanying us to the Lift Jesus Higher Rally. Cost: Adults \$50.00 Students (age 13-18) \$35.00 (includes bus and admission ticket to Rally) Contact Elisabeth Dobbe at 519-271-7233. **Payment Deadline Feb. 24th 2018**

ULTREYA IN GODERICH...

The Goderich ultreya will be on **Sunday, January 28** at 7:30 p.m. at the Knight's of Columbus Convention Centre at 390 Parson's Court. For further info call Eileen at 519-524-9400 or Marie at 519-395-5261.