

Announced Masses

St. James Parish, Seaforth



WED. JAN 9 **6 - 7 pm**
7:00 pm

Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction

Joe & Ann Van Dooren - the family
Hazel Beuerman - Connie & Bill Devereaux and family
Deceased members of the Eckert family

FRI. JAN 11 9:15 am

New Year School Mass: Jim Subject - Rita Moylan
Cor DeCorte - Huron-Perth Catholic District School Board
Tanner Steffler - the family

SAT. JAN 12 9:00 am - - -
9:30 am

Praying the Rosary
For world peace and healing
Frank Nigh - Ron & Mary Ryan
Joan McIver - Keith Murray & Cindy Partridge

SUN. JAN 13 **5:00 pm**
11:00 am

St. James Parish Family
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St. Patrick's Parish, Dublin

TUES. JAN 8 7:00 pm

Deceased members of the Kramers and Ruston families
Elaine Crozier - Keith & Leona McCarthy
Patrick Leo Givlin - the Estate

THURS. JAN 10 9:15 am

New Year School Mass: Helen Krauskopf - St. Patrick's CWL
Mary Chadwick - Huron-Perth Catholic District School Board
Bernadette Phillis - Sheila De Souza and family

SUN. JAN 13 **9:00 am**

St. Patrick's Parish Family

THANK YOU, THANK YOU...

Now that the Christmas Season is behind us, I would like to thank all those who contributed in any way to make this the GREAT CHRISTMAS SEASON that it was in both churches... the decorators, the cleaners, the liturgical ministers, readers, communion ministers, servers, ushers, the choirs and the money counters. It takes a lot of work and many people to come together so that our parishioners and guests can truly celebrate their faith. You know who you are and on behalf of your fellow parishioners - thank you! On a personal note, I would like to thank all parishioners who sent cards and remembrances to me. Your generosity and thoughtfulness is greatly appreciated. Thank you. Fr. Clare

PRAYERS AND SYMPATHY...

Our prayers and sympathy are extended to the family of **Helen Krauskopf**, whose funeral Mass was celebrated at St. Patrick's Parish, Saturday, Dec. 29th. "May her soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God rest in peace, Amen." May the Krauskopf/Flanagan families find comfort in God's love and peace in His faithfulness. Our prayers are with you at this most difficult time.

PRAYERS AND SYMPATHY...

Our prayers and sympathy are extended to the family of **John Van Loon**, whose funeral Mass was celebrated at St. James Parish, Saturday, January 5th. "May his soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God rest in peace, Amen." May the Van Loon family find comfort in God's love and peace in His faithfulness. Our prayers are with you at this most difficult time.

2019 Offertory envelopes are ready for pick up at the entrance of the church.

FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD...

is one of the oldest Christian feasts, though, throughout the centuries, it has celebrated a variety of things. Epiphany comes from a Greek verb meaning "to reveal," and all of the various events celebrated by the Feast of the Epiphany are revelations of Christ to man. *"O God, Who by the guidance of a star didst this day reveal Thine only-begotten Son to the Gentiles, mercifully grant that we, who know Thee now by faith, may be so led as to behold with our eyes the beauty of Thy majesty. Through the same Lord Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee in the unity of the Holy Ghost, God, world without end. Amen."*

OFFERTORY COLLECTION...

Pre-Authorized Donations: Seaforth: December 15 - Regular offertory \$905.00, Building Fund \$105.00, Christmas \$190.00, Thanksgiving Appeal \$200.00.

Pre-Authorized Donations: Dublin: December 15 - Regular offertory \$850.00, Building Fund \$90.00, Christmas \$170.00. *Thank you for your support!*



December 23, 2018: SEAFORTH: Regular env. \$3,277.00, loose \$128.00, Building Fund \$765.00 (*plus \$25.00 in memory of Wayne Scott*), Thanksgiving Appeal \$425.00, Christmas \$750.00.

DUBLIN: Regular env. \$2,020.00, loose \$103.00, Building Fund \$366.00, Thanksgiving Appeal \$1,000.00, St. Patrick's Cemetery \$100.00, Christmas \$930.00. *Thank you for your support!*

Christmas Collection: SEAFORTH: \$10,493.50

DUBLIN: \$5,776.60

December 30, 2018: SEAFORTH: Regular env. \$1,077.00, loose \$166.00, Building Fund \$1,770.00, Christmas \$3,450.00. *Thank you for your support!*

DUBLIN: Regular env. \$120.00, loose \$67.30, Building Fund \$350.00, Priests' Pension \$2,000.00, Christmas \$3,100.00. *Thank you for your support!*

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY...



Each year the Christian community gathers in prayer with the confident hope of healing all that is divided in Christ's Body. We do so to answer Christ's call that "All be one" (John 17:21). This year, Bishop Fabbro, CSB, has asked us to gather with the Anglican Diocese of Huron on **Wednesday, Jan. 23 at 7:30 p.m.** at St. Paul's Cathedral (Queen's and Richmond, London) for a time of prayer and fellowship. All are

welcome. Please visit www.dol.ca/events/week-of-prayer-for-christian-unity for more information.

SUNDAY MASS TIMES TO CHANGE...

Please take note that Mass times between St. Patrick's and St. James will change on the weekend of **February 2nd & 3rd**. St. James will celebrate Mass on 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 2019. St. James will celebrate Mass on Saturday night at 5:00 p.m. year round.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Reminder for First Reconciliation/First Communion parents - there will be an Evening for Parents on **January 24** from 7:30 - 9:00 pm at St. Patrick's Parish Hall, Dublin. **Karen Doyle - CYM**
Please check out our Facebook page: St Patrick's Dublin/St James Seaforth Youth Ministry.

SKATING PARTY FOR PARISHIONERS...



Our upcoming skating party will take place on **Sunday, January 27, 2019** at the Seaforth & District Community Centre for St. James and St. Patrick's parishioners. Free skating is from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. Hot dog lunch will be served from 12 noon to 2:30 p.m. Games and cards will be played in the hall for those not skating. Come join us with your family. Everyone welcome!

WELLNESS FOR SENIORS...

Come get your blood pressure checked for free on **Monday, January 21st** from 1:00-3:00 p.m. at St. Patrick's Church Basement. Don't forget about free group **EXERCISE FOR OLDER ADULTS** on Tuesdays from 10:00-11:00 a.m. Please contact **Mitchell & Area Community Outreach** with any questions 519-348-9765.

ATTENTION MEN...



All men & young men are being invited to the 7th Annual Men of Faith Conference on **Saturday, January 19, 2019** at St. Michael's Church in London. Dr. Edward Sri and Deacon Bob McDonald will challenge us to grow in our faith in the world today. Sign up online at www.famfi.ca. For more information, contact Mike Whelan at 519-518-2025 ext 22 or Chris Runstedler at 519-595-8435.