

Announced Masses

St. James Parish, Seaforth

<b>WED. SEPT 19</b>	-	<b>No Mass today</b> (Father at Priests' Council meeting)
<b>FRI. SEPT 21</b>	9:15 am	Mass of Thanksgiving - Jeff & Sarah Grobbink: Steve Murray - Rita Moylan and family Hazel Beuerman - Don & Lindsay Sills and family
<b>SAT. SEPT 22</b>	9:00 am --- 9:30 am	Praying the Rosary For world peace and healing Elizabeth Van Miltenburg - Patsy Crowley Bill Murphy - Neil & Nancy Devereaux
<b>SUN. SEPT 23</b>	<u>5:00 pm</u> <u>11:00 am</u>	<u>St. James Parish Family</u> <u>St. James Parish Family</u>



St. Patrick's Parish, Dublin

<b>TUES. SEPT 18</b>	-	<b>No Mass today</b> (Father at Priests' Council meeting)
<b>THURS. SEPT 20</b>	-	<b>No Mass today</b>
<b>SUN. SEPT 23</b>	<u>9:00 am</u>	<u>St. Patrick's Parish Family</u>

**ST. JAMES/ST. PATRICK'S PARISH COUNCIL...**

I am very grateful for having had the opportunity to serve as Chair of our PPC for the past several years. During that time we have seen many changes in our leadership but the spirit of our parishes has remained rooted in faith. I am now very pleased to announce that **Christine Mills** will be taking over as Chair. Our new members *Frank Vincent, Angela Looby, Cathy Garrick and Mark Vogels*, along with remaining members *Deb McCarthy, Mary Blake, Karen Doyle and Lindsay Sills*, will represent the needs of our parish cluster well, as we move toward our family of parishes. Thank you *Melita Cronin* for your many years of dedication and service to the PPC. And finally thank you to *Fr. Clare* for all you have done, and continue to do, for the well being and spiritual growth of our parish cluster. **Mary Helen Van Loon**

**CATHOLIC FAITH CLASSES...**

**Are you interested in becoming Catholic or do you know someone who may be interested?** RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) classes will begin this fall for those wishing to learn more about the Catholic faith and considering joining the Catholic Church. Please contact Mary Ryan at 519-345-2560.

**NEWLY BAPTIZED...**



Welcome **Olivia June Van Dieten**, daughter of Garrett & Lauren and **Peter Edward Van Dieten**, son of Derek & Jennifer who were both baptized at St. James on September 9th. Welcome **Kathryn Marie Dekroon**, daughter of Tony & Allison; **Colin Thomas Murray**, son of Kyle & Anna; **Maeve Violet O'Rourke**, daughter of Matthew & Laura and **Logan Henry Poppe**, son of Kevin & Danielle who were all baptized at St. Patrick's Church on September 9th.

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION...**



**September 9, 2018: SEAFORTH:** Regular env. \$1,342.00, loose \$154.10, Building Fund \$2,835.00. **Thank you!**  
**DUBLIN:** Regular env. \$657.00, loose \$30.00, Building Fund \$40.00. **Thank you for your support!**

**ST. JAMES CWL NEWS...**



We will be handing out CWL Thanksgiving Day Draw tickets to our members the weekend of September 15/16 at the entrance of the church.

## ST. PATRICK'S CWL...



St. Patrick's CWL will hold its first fall general meeting on **Wednesday, Sept. 19th, 7:00 p.m., at the home of Mary-Lou Murray.** We will plan our fall programs, welcome back all our members, and invite women in our church, who are not yet members, to join us. Our executive will be changing, and we invite new voices, new ideas, and enthusiasm. Hope to see everyone there. Please contact Pauline S. ([kpskinner@quadro.net](mailto:kpskinner@quadro.net)) or Lillian K. ([lkluke@hotmail.com](mailto:lkluke@hotmail.com); 519.348.9173) if you require further information.

## A NOTE OF THANKS...

**St. Columban Cemetery Board** expresses their thanks to everyone who helped make Cemetery Sunday a success. We wish to acknowledge *Father Clare Coleman, Father Joe Hardy and Deacon Pat Crowley* for celebrating mass. We are grateful to the Knights of Columbus, all the volunteers and all those who attended. Your donations on this day and throughout the year are very much appreciated. We are truly blessed to have your support.

## AREA CEMETERY SUNDAYS...

**ST. PATRICK'S, Kinkora** will have their Cemetery Sunday on **September 23rd** after the 10:30 a.m. Mass. The Knights of Columbus are having a brunch following prayers and blessing of the graves. All are welcome.

**ST. VINCENT de PAUL, Mitchell** will have their Cemetery Sunday on **September 30th** (*Mass times to switch on this date only*) after the 10:30 a.m. Mass with prayers and blessing of the graves. The Knights of Columbus are having a brunch to follow. All are welcome.

## CD AND BOOK DISPLAY...



September CD of the Month is **THE LIFE OF PADRE PIO: "Pray, Hope and Don't Worry"** by Matthew Arnold. There are a lot of interesting talks available in the entrance of St. James Church. These Lighthouse CD's are a great tool to help us strengthen our faith and keep our eyes on Jesus.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL - ST. JAMES...

Is resuming this month for all children ages 3-7. We need and welcome volunteers to help teach this program. Volunteers age 18 and over require a Police Reference Check. Please contact Kathy at the parish office (519-345-2972 Ext. 23) for details and forms.

Students from Grs. 7-12 are encouraged to volunteer and assist with this important Parish Ministry. High school students can be provided with proof of hours towards their community service requirements. Please contact Kelli Rathwell at 519-233-3488 or email [kellirathwell@tcc.on.ca](mailto:kellirathwell@tcc.on.ca) if interested.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL - ST. PATRICK'S...

We are planning to provide a Sunday School Program at St. Patrick's Parish **starting Sept. 30th**. It will be offered during our Sunday Mass for children ages 3-7. We need and welcome volunteers to help teach this program. Volunteers age 18 and over require a Police Reference Check. Please contact Kathy at the parish office (519-345-2972 Ext. 23) for details and forms. Students from Grs. 7-12 are encouraged to volunteer and assist with this important Parish Ministry. High school students can be provided with proof of hours towards their community service requirements. Interested volunteers should contact: Amie Burtenshaw

Email: [mark.amieburtenshaw@gmail.com](mailto:mark.amieburtenshaw@gmail.com) or Sandi Baker Email: [sandibaker23@gmail.com](mailto:sandibaker23@gmail.com)

## SAVE THE DATES

First Reconciliation/First Holy Communion: Parent meeting is at St. James Church on October 17 at 6:30 p.m. This is for all grade 2 students of St. James Parish AND St. Patrick's Parish. More information next week. CONFIRMATION has been finalized for November 25 for St. Columban School grade 7 & 8's. More information next week as well. **Karen Doyle - CYM**

## CORE TEAM

This Monday there will be a Core Team meeting in the parish office at 7:00 p.m. All are welcome. **Karen Doyle - CYM**

## HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

We will be starting a new program. I will be in touch with parents of High Schoolers soon. **Karen Doyle - CYM**

## WELLNESS FOR SENIORS...

**FREE BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC** going on **Monday, Sept. 17** at **St. Patrick's Parish Hall** from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Find out what your number is and what that means for your health.