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Feast of the Holy Family

#### **PARISH NEWS**

## **Christian New Year's Resolutions**

What sort of New Year's resolution should a Christian make? Here are some suggestions:

1.	Pray to the Lord for wisdom (James 1:5) in regards to what resolutions, if any, He would have you make;	2.	Pray for wisdom as to how to fulfill the goals God gives you;
3.	Rely on God's strength to help you;	4.	Find an accountability partner who will help you and encourage you;

- 5. Don't become discouraged with occasional failures; instead, allow them to motivate you further; (6) don't become proud or vain, but give God the glory. Psalm 37:5-6 says, "Commit your way to the LORD; trust in him and he will do this: He will make your righteousness shine like the dawn, the justice of your cause like the noonday sun."
- If someone wants to share difficult times I will listen more attentively and offer compassion
- If someone rebukes me I will thank them instead of reacting negatively
- During a busy day I will take time to observe a period of silence - to listen to what God is telling me
- When facing a bad situation I will do to others as I would like them to do unto me
- I will smile a friendly greeting to every stranger I meet
- At night before falling asleep I will thank God for all the blessings of the day



With our year of celebration now behind us, the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Committee continues to complete final details and to close the financial accounts. Be sure to watch for a report and presentation about the "Christ the King Centennial" from the committee in the New Year. We are pleased to announce we will begin pre-sales of the history book *Church of Christ the King 1917 - 2017, Reflections*. Complete with highlights of our 100 year history and special remembrances of this past year, this limited edition is available to you for only \$20. To order this 100 page book, simply place your completed envelop, including your \$20 payment, in the collections. Special envelops are available at the church entrances.

### Preparation for the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Communion

Children in grade 3 are invited to register to receive the sacraments of Reconciliation (confession) and Communion. Registrations may be completed online or by completing the forms found at the front entrance of the church. Registration deadline is February 2, 2018.

Meeting dates and times for children and parents are as follows:

First Reconciliation	Frist Communion				
All Sessions are from 6:30 – 8:30 and will be in the Large Hall of the Church					
Wednesday, February 7, 2018	Wednesday, April 11, 2018	Wednesday, April 25, 2018			
Wednesday, February 14, 2018					
Wednesday, February 28, 2018	Wednesday, April 18, 2018	Wednesday, May 2, 2018			
The Sacrament of First Reconciliation will be	The Sacrament of First Eucharist will be celebrated on Sunday, May				
celebrated on Wednesday, March 7, 2018 at 6:30 p.m.	6, 2018, at the 11:00 a.m. Mass.				

**KIDS KORNER** Today, we celebrate the Holy Family – Jesus, Mary and Joseph. Our families are precious gifts from God! Pray with our children in gratitude for our families and especially for the example of the Holy Family.



**REMINDER:** Donations received after December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017 will not be included in your 2017 charitable tax receipt. We ask that ALL parishioners, and those taking new envelope boxes, to put their full address and phone number on their donation envelopes for the first few weeks of the New Year. This way we can make sure contact info is up to date when mailing tax receipts.





Reminder we will have our next Parish Breakfast on Sunday, January 14<sup>th</sup>, following the 9:30am Mass.

"Your friendship with others is not to be taken lightly. You are changing the direction of your friends' lives, for better or for worse. Sooner or later, we all rise or fall to the level of our friendships."

Matthew Kelly

Taken from: Resisting Happiness

#### ANNOUNCED MASSES

Tuesday, January 2<sup>nd</sup> – 12:05pm

† Robert Sullivan by Margaret Riutta

Wednesday, January 3<sup>rd</sup> – 12:05pm

† The Green Family by John Green

Thursday, January 4th - 12:05pm

† Paul Hill by The Andrews Family

Friday, January 5<sup>th</sup> - 12:05pm

† All the Souls in Purgatory by Maria Lauzon

† Muriel Emmerson by The Emmerson Family

Saturday, January 6<sup>th</sup> - 5:00 pm

† Rita Zettler by By Her Family

† Frank Mitchell by By His Family

Sunday, January 7<sup>th</sup>

9:30 am † Intentions of the Parishioners

11:00 am

† Isabel Rodriguez by Isabel Alegre

† Mike McKee by Gilles Huneault and Family

WEEKLY OFFERTORY REPORT Dec 17, 2017				
Sunday Collections	\$4,389.50			
183 envelopes	\$23.98 avg			
Loose Offerings	\$291.75			
Christmas	\$195.00			
Building Fund	\$250.00			
Candles	\$100.00			
PADP	\$622.50			

Parish life for the week January 1 <sup>st</sup> to 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2017					
Manday 1st	~ Parish office closed ~				
Monday, 1 <sup>st</sup>	7:30-9:30 pm- <b>AA</b> Men's Group (SM)				
Turneday, 2nd	11:30am – Confessions & 12:05pm - Mass				
Tuesday, 2 <sup>nd</sup>	8:00-10:00 pm- <b>AA</b> Unity Group (SM)				
Wednesday, 3 <sup>rd</sup>	11:30am – Confessions & 12:05pm - Mass				
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup>	11:30am – Confessions & 12:05pm - Mass				
⊺hursday, 4 <sup>th</sup>	1:30-2:30pm – Al Anon Sunshine Group (SM)				
Friday, 5 <sup>th</sup>	11:30am – Confessions & 12:05pm - Mass				
Saturday, 6 <sup>th</sup>	4:00pm – Confessions & 5:00pm - Mass				
Condou 7 <sup>th</sup>	9:30am - <b>Mass</b>				
Sunday, 7 <sup>th</sup>	11:00am - <b>Mass</b>				

#### **COMMUNITY NEWS**



#### **MADE FOR MORE: DIOCESAN CATHOLIC YOUTH CONFERENCE 2018**

All high school aged youth are invited to participate in the Diocesan Catholic Youth Conference 2018 "Made for More" on Saturday, February 24, 2018 at St. Mary's College in Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario. Join grade 9-12 students, from across Northern Ontario for a day of faith, music, sharing, talks and powerful witness featuring popular

Catholic Speaker Ken Yasinski. Registration fee is only \$20! Register online at www.stjeromeparishssm.com/dcyc2018 or pick up a Registration Form at your church or by visiting your high school Chaplain. This event is presented by the Roman Catholic Diocese of Sault Ste. Marie, the Huron Superior Catholic District School Board and the Knights of Columbus Council 932.



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