

## MASS INTENTIONS

Sat., Jan. 10<sup>th</sup> 5:00 p.m. † Lucille Vigeant  
Sun, Jan 11<sup>th</sup> 11:00 a.m. St. Vital Parish & Parishioners

**PLEASE pick up your 2015 donation envelopes** at the back of the church.

**Please DO NOT fold the bills that you put in the collection basket or donation envelopes. It is very time consuming for the counters to unfold and count** when they have been folded!

**If you make any changes to cheques please make sure that the changes are initialled.**

**Can't figure out what to make for supper? Tired of washing the dishes? Want a night out? Let us help you out.**

**Spaghetti Dinner Monday January 12<sup>th</sup> 5pm to 6:30pm** in the church basement.

Spaghetti, home made rolls, cookies, coffee and tea.

\$5 per person and children under 5 are free. ( Oh my what a bargain)

All proceed go to purchase wheel chairs for those in need in the developing world. In support of the Knights of Columbus Wheel Chair Fund.

Last year with your generous support we were able to purchase 16 wheel chairs.

Knights of Columbus Council #13064 will be holding a **Pancake Breakfast** after both masses on **January 18<sup>th</sup>**. Come out and enjoy pancakes, ham & eggs & more!

## **First Communion**

Parents of grade 2 Students: First Communion now happens in grade two!

Registration will begin at the Parent Information Night on **January 20<sup>th</sup> 2015 (6-7pm) in the parish basement**. Please bring the registration fee of \$30 and a photo copy of your child's baptismal certificate if they were not baptised at St. Vital Parish.

## **Baptismal Preparation**

Do you have a new baby that you want to have baptised? Are you currently expecting a baby? Consider doing baptismal preparation (for parents and Godparents).

We meet at 7:30pm in the large room of the parish basement. Please bring the child's long form birth certificate if you have it. Phone 780-929-8541 to register for the class or if you have any questions. The next baptismal preparation dates are:

**JANUARY 13<sup>th</sup> 2015, MARCH 10<sup>th</sup> 2015, MAY 12<sup>th</sup> 2015**

## **Our Lady of the Hill K of C**

Selling **Sobeys and No Frills Grocery Cards** at the back of the church after all masses.

## **2015 Weekly Budget to Actual Collection (January 4<sup>th</sup> )**

	Regular Collection	Maintenance Fund	Pay Down the Debt
Weekly Budget for 2015	3,923.00	115.00	1,000.00
Contribution Jan 4 <sup>th</sup>	3,138.00	247.00	123.25
	<b>-785.00</b>	<b>132.00</b>	<b>-876.75</b>

## **Reflections for January**

### **Sunday, January 11 – Baptism of the Lord**

#### **The Road to Discipleship: Baptism of Jesus**

Some days we yearn to hear the words, “You are my child, the beloved; with you I am well pleased.” As with Jesus, God pours this grace on us in our baptism. He then renews it in our proper celebration of each sacrament, especially Sunday Eucharist. Pope Francis said recently that “the grace of God ... is close, it is tenderness.” He said God is telling us “beautiful things with tenderness ... Our God is so good to us ... If we had the courage to open our hearts to this tenderness of God, how much spiritual freedom we would have!” Being a disciple of Christ means looking for ways to be God’s voice of tenderness to one another.

#### **Time Together!**

A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is a weekend full of love, rebirth and new beginnings. All married couples deserve a richer, fuller life together. For more information call Gavin and Nicole at 780.464.2874 or [gvankup@telus.net](mailto:gvankup@telus.net), or visit our website at [www.wvme.org](http://www.wvme.org). The next Edmonton weekend is **February 27- March 1**.

#### **St. Michael’s Angel Walk**

On **Sunday, February 1**, at West Edmonton Mall, St. Michael’s Health Group will hold its First Annual St. Michael’s Angel Walk! St. Michael’s Health Group is a not-for-profit charitable organization that provides care, housing and services to the seniors and disabled of our community. The funds raised through this walk will help us provide much-needed equipment and enhance various programs and services for the seniors that we care for. This year, CFCW radio host Sean Burke will be participating in our walk and will attempt (for the Guinness World Book of Records) to form the largest team at a fundraising activity. We are asking for your help in the form of putting together a team to match or beat Sean Burke’s team or just to register and complete the walk. To participate in St. Michael’s Angel Walk, please register on line at [www.smhg.ca/AngelWalk.aspx](http://www.smhg.ca/AngelWalk.aspx), then download the pledge sheet and get started. Register online today and you could win a TV! For more information, call 780-472-4507 or email [aewanchuk@smhg.ca](mailto:aewanchuk@smhg.ca).