

## St. Joachim's CWL Craft & Bake Sale

Saturday, November 13

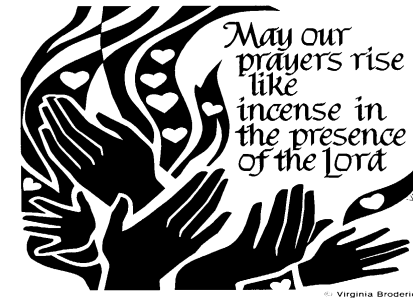
St. Joachim's Parish Hall

10:00am-2:00pm

Sale to include knitted mittens, hats, slippers, sweaters, socks and dishcloths and a variety of baby blankets, baby and adult quilts, baked goods, fudge, pickles and preserves. Vax Pass will be required for entry and this will be a cash only event.

We are asking all parishioners to help with this endeavor by donating baked goods, jams, pickles or craft items for sale. Due to Covid rules, all baked goods need to be wrapped before they arrive at the Hall. To assist with this, the CWL will have trays/bags available at the back of the Church on November 7, or at the Hall on Monday, November 8 (1:00-3:00pm). You do not have to price the baked goods.

We will accept items at the Hall on Friday, November 12 (6:30-8:00pm) and Saturday, November 13 (9:00-10:00am). Volunteers to help with this event would be greatly appreciated. If you can help, please call Mary Ellen at (902) 940-3688.



## Holy Family Pastoral Unit

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November 7, 2021

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

### St. Joachim's:

St. Joachim's CWL Meeting: November 11 - 7:00pm

### Our Lady of the Assumption:

#### Notice to Catechism Parents & Students:

Registrations are now being accepted, via the Unit website, for the Catechism Program at Our Lady of the Assumption. Registration fee is \$20/student or \$40/family. Please note that all classes will take place as long as we have teachers and can follow provincial Covid protocols. Classes may have to run during some weekday evenings or at various weekend times in order to accomplish our goal of presenting a full program. In saying this, we need volunteers to teach the children and youth of our parish. I have some very generous parishioners who have volunteered their time to the program and I also have a number of our older youth who have volunteered. At this time, I need teachers for Grades 3/4 (combined class), Grade 7 and Grade 8. If you would like to consider assisting with this very important part of parish life, please e-mail me: [cbeleclair@gmail.com](mailto:cbeleclair@gmail.com). Classes to begin in early January with more updates once I have registrations submitted.

God Bless, Cathy LeClair, Catechism Coordinator

#### Youth Altar Servers Needed:

We ask any young persons, ages 8+ who have received First Communion, to volunteer as Altar Servers. The new ministry schedule begins in December and we would like to have new volunteers. If current youth servers plan to continue for the coming year, please advise Cathy. You are needed and will be a great source of inspiration for any new volunteers. New and continuing servers, please e-mail Cathy LeClair: [cbeleclair@gmail.com](mailto:cbeleclair@gmail.com). **Thank You and God Bless!**



#### Our Lady of the Assumption CWL Bazaar:

Saturday, December 4, 10:30am-1:00pm, Parish Centre

There will be sales of baked goods, fudge, pickles, preserves, local crafts, holly, used books and puzzles, and tickets for gift basket draws, as well as a silent auction. We invite members and other parishioners to begin making plans to help out with donations of items to sell. All Covid safety precautions will be observed. Thanking all for your considered support.



#### Are You Interested in Seeking a Christian Education for Your Children?

Grace Christian School (GCS) is a Christian co-educational school in Charlottetown. It is a faith-infused, academically rich community; learning, relationships, service and a curriculum based on truth and integration of 21<sup>st</sup> century technology are key features offered to children from Junior Kindergarten through Grade 12. Explore what this might mean for your family at the upcoming **Open House on Monday, November 15** at 7:00pm. GCS is at 50 Kirkdale Road in Charlottetown. For more information, call or e-mail Neil Thompson: (902) 628-1668 or [nthompson@gcspei.ca](mailto:nthompson@gcspei.ca) or visit [www.gcspei.ca](http://www.gcspei.ca). As Catholics, we know that parents are the first educators of our children. Pat Wiedemer, parent of children who chose GCS, will be present to share her experience with Grace Christian School.



#### Did you know that World Youth Day happens every year?

Pope John Paul II celebrated it in 1986 for the first time in Rome on Palm Sunday. Since then, gatherings and festivals for youth were organized on Palm Sunday in Dioceses all over the world. *Pope Francis changed the celebration from Palm Sunday to the Solemnity of Christ the King.* This year will be the first time we celebrate on the new date.

**Did you know that every World Youth Day has a theme?** This year, the theme is "Stand up! I appoint you as a witness of what you have seen (Acts 26:16)." Each year, the Pope writes a message to young people on the theme. For this year's message, visit [https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/messages/youth/documents/papa-francesco\\_20210914\\_messaggio-giovani\\_2021.html](https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/messages/youth/documents/papa-francesco_20210914_messaggio-giovani_2021.html)

### Thank You for Supporting Your Parishes

St. Joachim's Offerings:	October 31	Assumption Offerings:	October 31
Sunday Collection	\$1,570.00	Sunday Collection	\$1,284.00
Pre-Authorized Debit	\$ 190.00	Pre-Authorized Debit	\$ 735.00
Loonie/Toonie Collection	\$ 68.00	Capital Projects Fund	\$ 340.00



### Sacrament of Reconciliation ~ Confession Times \*

#### Our Lady of the Assumption:

- Every Saturday, 3:15-3:45pm

- Every First Saturday at 9:30am  
(Following First Saturday Mass)

#### St. Joachim's:

- Every First Friday (Following 10:30am Mass)

\* or by personal request at other times

