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DAY	LOCATION	TIME	INTENTIONS	DONORS
Sat. 30	Highland Grove	4:30PM		
Sun. 31	Chandos	9:00AM		
	Cardiff	11:00AM		
Wed. 3	Cardiff	11:00AM		
Wed. 3	Highland Grove	7:00PM		
Thurs. 4	Cardiff	7:00PM		
Fri. 5	Cardiff	11:00AM		
Sat. 6	Highland Grove	4:30PM		
Sun. 7	Chandos	9:00AM		
	Cardiff	11:00AM		

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT		
	May 17	May 24
Highland Grove	\$545.00	\$140.00
Chandos/Apsley	\$633.00	\$285.00
Cardiff	\$742.00	\$90.00
Total	\$1920.00	\$515.00
E-Transfer		
POP May 15	\$1195.00	
POP May 30	\$1940.00	

LECTORS			
Date	H. Grove	Chandos	Cardiff
	Sun. 4:30PM	Sun. 9:00AM	Sun. 11:00AM
May 10	Gary	Gene	Jerry
May 17	Mac	Joanne	Kelly Hughes
May 24	Katie	Frances	Anne
May 31	Brenda	Sharon	Kelly
June 7	Gary	Joanne	Jerry

Pray for those in need of healing and good health:

Philip Hughes, Nick Novakowski, Rhys Telka, Jane Tsagrinos, Eileen Carr, Ella Richard, Emilee Calzonetti, Eleanor Cadeau, Hermance Therrien, George Chennette, Megan Connelly, Dan, Claudette Wilkinson, Ely Wisniewski, Even Marshall, Danny Wanless, Fr. John Albao, Marilyn Grisdale, Francisca Poblete, Rosie Welsh, Frank Schumach, Lucy Haill-Riley, Marin Leighton and Martina Wright, Marty, Ruth Turner, Peter Penlington, Justin O'Brien

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BIRTHDAYS FOR JUNE. Happy Birthday to all our parishioners celebrating this month.

Georgina Canella (3), Joseph Pregent (3), Josefina Rutherford (7), Mary Telka (8), Alex Lukaszuk (11), Betty Obrien (20), Peggy Bishop (25), John Chapman (30)
MANY MORE FRUITFUL YEARS AND GOD'S BLESSINGS

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES FOR JUNE:

Anne and Jerry Tissera (26), Vivian and Barry Simbulsim (7), Rebecca Williams (10), Louis and Georgina Canella (18), Sharon and Paul Morissette (29)

Congratulations and many more fruitful years ahead.

Background to the Gospel

Today's Gospel is from the beginning of John's Gospel. The passage we read follows Jesus' conversation with a Pharisee, Nicodemus, about what it means to be born of both water and the spirit. Nicodemus approaches Jesus at night and acknowledges Jesus as a teacher from God. Jesus tells him that only those who are born from above will see the Kingdom of God. Nicodemus misunderstands and questions how a person can be born more than once. Jesus tells Nicodemus that no one can enter the Kingdom of God without being born of water and Spirit. Jesus is essentially explaining Baptism, which we celebrate as a sacrament today. Yet Nicodemus, we are told, still does not understand what Jesus is saying. Jesus continues by testifying to the need to be born from above so that one might have eternal life.

After the dialogue with Nicodemus, the author of the Gospel offers his own explanation of Jesus' words. This is what we read in today's Gospel, John 3:16-18.

In the context of today's focus on the mystery of the Holy Trinity, the reading calls our attention to the action of God, who reveals himself in three persons: God the Father, Jesus the Son, and the Holy Spirit. God the Father, out of love for the world, sent his Son into the world in order to save it. Through the death and resurrection of the Son, we have been given the gift of the Holy Spirit. As three persons, God acts always as a God of love; he does not condemn the world but acts to save it.

The Gospel also calls attention to the response that is required of us. God's love for us calls us to respond in faith by professing our belief in God's son, Jesus, and the salvation that he has won for us. This profession of faith is a sign of the work of the Holy Spirit in our lives.

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READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

First Reading

Deuteronomy 8:2-3,14b-16a
 Moses tells the people to remember how God delivered them from slavery in Egypt.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 147:12-15,19-20
 Praise God, Jerusalem!

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 10:16-17
 Though many, we are one body when we partake of the Body and Blood of Christ.

Gospel Reading

John 6:51-58
 Jesus says, "I am the living bread."

Fr. Darlington will be away for two weeks for the funeral of his dad. In his absence Fr. Peter Wayor will be covering for him. We pray for his safe trip to Nigeria to and fro.

Mass on Tuesday at 7 p.m. in Highland Grove is changed to Wednesday at 7 p.m. for the time being.

After mass at St. John Vianney Church, Highland Grove, on Saturday, June 6 we will be having Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Holy Hour followed by a pot-luck dinner. Everyone is welcome.