

trance and St. Pius X Church. In case of rain the Mass will be held at St. Pius X Church.

**Outstanding Generosity – Thank You!** The faithful people of the Diocese of Charlottetown contributed \$41,289.38 in the special collection for the plight of the starving in South Sudan and other African Countries. This amount was submitted to Development and Peace before the deadline so that the Government will double this amount, \$41,289.38.

### Community Notices

**Al-Anon Group Meeting:** Tuesdays at 10am in the vestry of St. Augustine's Church. In the event of a morning funeral at St. Augustine's, meeting will be held at 1pm. Call 902-894-3503 for more information.

**Cymbria Lions Club Ceilidh Schedule:** July 23 Fiddlers Sons with Keelin Wedge and Courtney Hogan, Aug 6 Fiddlers Sons with Keelin Wedge and Courtney Hogan, Aug 13 Cynthia MacLeod and Jon Mathews, Aug 20 Fiddlers Sons with Keelin Wedge and Courtney Hogan, Aug 27 Treble with Girls, Sept 3 Country Blend with Judy Lowe, Brian Knox, Keelin Wedge, Larry Campbell and Hartz Godkin. Lions Center is air conditioned and wheel chair accessible. Admission: adult \$12 Children \$5. 50/50 draw and canteen service. Doors open at 6:30pm, Ceilidhs start at 7:30pm.

**Celebration of life:** The Pinsent-Downe family will be holding a celebration of Morley's life at Cymbria Lions Club, Rustico on Sunday, July 22 from 7 to 9 pm. Family members would like to invite everyone to come and celebrate and share their memories of Moe with them.

**The Farmers' Bank of Rustico and Doucet House Museums:** As part of Aca-

dian Days Celebrations, an Acadian meal and a soirée will take place on Thursday, July 27. Chef Robert Pendergast will prepare traditional Acadian food at the Outdoor Clay Bake Oven at the Doucet House from 5:30 to 7:15 pm. (Pre-registration is requested.) The soirée will begin at 7:30 pm. with music by Meaghan Blanchard. There is a fee for the meal and/or soirée (cash only). For more information about these and other events, call 902-963-3168, emailfarmers@pei.aibn.com or visit our website www.farmersbank.ca.

**Rendez-vous Rustico Festival 2017** is happening all day Sunday, July 30 at the St. Augustine Square in Rustico. After morning mass enjoy a FREE BBQ at the Farmers' Bank then at 12pm don't miss out on a brand new circus show, "Carnaval en Promenade". The circus is featuring a fusion of music, dance and circus arts performed by professional artists and locals. There will be a traditional Acadian supper starting at 5pm at the Centre acadien Grand-Rustico. Then to finish the night catch Lennie Gallant in concert at 8pm Sunday night at the St. Augustine Church. Tickets for the Acadian supper and Lennie Gallant concert are available at Gallant's Clover Farm or online at www.rendezvousrustico.com.

**50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary:** Please join us on Sunday, July 30 to celebrate the 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary of Donnie and Mary Blacquiére. There will be an Open House at the North Rustico Lions Club between 2-4pm. Best wishes only.

**Special Fundraiser Ceilidh** is planned for Kelly's Cross Community Centre for Sunday, August 6 at 7pm. For a list of guest entertainers see the Guardian's, "Don't Miss This", on Friday, August 4.



## **The Saint John-Paul II Pastoral Unit** *Stella Maris, St. Anne's & St. Augustine's Parishes, Prince Edward Island* **16th Sunday in Ordinary Time ✕ July 23, 2017**

### Weekly Mass Schedule

**Monday:** no Mass priest day off  
**Tuesday:** 9am Stella Maris For Mary MacKinnon  
**Wednesday:** 9am St. Augustine's  
**Thursday:** 9am St. Augustine's  
**Friday:** 10:30am St. Anne's—Feast Day of St. Anne and St. Joachim  
**Saturday:** 6pm Stella Maris for deceased members of Mahoney's Family, Honolon, Graves Divine and Henderson  
**Sunday:** 9am St. Anne's  
**Sunday:** 10am Stella Maris  
**Sunday:** 10:30am St. Augustine's  
**Fr. Raj Santiago:** Office: 902-963-2245  
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### **Pastoral Associates:**

**Jacinta Doiron** 902-621-0638  
**Janet Doiron** 902-963-3247  
**Marion Murphy** 902-621-0725  
**Carol Probert** 902-963-3089

**Confessions:** Fr. Raj is available in the vestries after weekday masses for the sacrament of Reconciliation. All are encouraged to experience the Mercy and Love of the Ever Forgiving Father

**Baptisms:** Contact Fr. Raj for Baptismal Preparation.

**Bulletin Announcements:** Email bulletin notices to bulletins@jp2pastoralunit.com or call Francis @ 902-886-2761. Deadline for weekly bulletins is Thurs. at 4pm.

**Chaplet of Divine Mercy for the Sick & Dying** will be said following weekday Masses.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR

Alan, Ann, Brian, Debbie, Dorothy, Evan, Graham, Joan, Melanie, Parker, Steve, Steven, Brian Avery, Georgina Blacquiére, Linda Blacquiére, Ann Blais, Mae Bolger, Cecile Buote, Clarence Buote, Peter Buote, Ashley Cook, Shirley Coughlin, Kathy Doiron (Inez), John Doucette, Tyrell Doucette, Shirley Dunfield, Steven Ellworth, Mary Eileen Emond, Alyre Gallant, Art Gallant, Audrey Gallant, Brenda Gallant, Brian Gallant, Cathy Gallant, Cecilia Gallant, Dale Gallant, Fr. Floyd Gallant, Teresa M. Gallant, Sonny Gauthier, Mary Gillis, Arlene & Clint Harper, Rose Hennessey, Beverly Lannon, Leo LeClair, Jen Marten, Aletha Mullaly, Pearl Murphy, Alexandra Pecoskie, Freddy Perry, Regis Peters, Tom Pettit, Sheldon Pineau, Allan Pound, Bernadette Proctor, Dane Simpson, Suzie Smith, Shelley Thomas, Betty Walsh, Pauline Walsh, Emeric Walsh, Dakota Wedge, Shane Wilson

To have a name added or removed from the prayer line please contact:  
**Marion Murphy** 902-621-0725  
**Angela Gallant** 902-963-3438  
**Rose Gallant** 902-963-3516  
**Fr. Raj Santiago** 902-963-2245

**Communion at Home:** If you know of anyone who should be receiving communion at home because of inability to attend church, please contact one of the pastoral associates.

**Hospital or Home Visits:** If you have a family member or friend in the hospital, at home or other care facility who would like to see a priest please call Fr. Raj

## Unit Notices

**Scent Free:** Please avoid scented products in our churches. Some parishioners are strongly allergic to chemical fragrances.

**Feast Day of St. Anne and St. Joachim Pilgrimage Walk:** On Friday 28 July, St Anne's Parish will celebrate the Feast Day of our Blessed Virgin Mary's parents and invites all pilgrims to celebrate a Healing Mass at 10:30 am, presided over by Most Rev. Richard Grecco, following a pilgrimage walk to the church. Light refreshments will be provided after the Mass. The walk starts at Stella Maris Church and proceeds via back roads to St. Anne's church. You may choose a long walk or a short walk as follows: The long walk is a 9.5 km two hour walk departing Stella Maris church at 7:30 am. Please park at the Stella Maris church. The short walk is a 2 km joining the long walk on the Toronto Rd to arrive at the church as a group. For the shorter walk please assemble in your vehicles at 8:45 am at Stella Maris Church to be led to park on Toronto Rd where you will join the long walk. Alternately, persons joining the short walk can drive directly to Toronto Rd, park, and join the long walk at their convenience. Knights of Columbus will lead walks, provide walk maps, drinking water, road crossing safety and return transportation to parked cars during the walk and following the Mass. Walkers are reminded to wear sensible footwear. Rain will cancel walks only. For more details, please call Vernon at: 902-963-2106 or 902-314-4065.

### Stella Maris' Notices

**Stella Maris Cemetery:** A number of tombstones in our cemetery are leaning over and need to be straightened up before more damage occurs. Depending on the situation,

the cost could be anywhere between \$100 - \$200. If family members are interested in participating in this project, the committee is willing to donate \$50.00 each to help cover the cost. If interested, please call Ronnie Blacquiere at 902-963-2103 or 902-213-3435 (cell). *Cemetery Committee*

**Defibrillator:** After much research on this topic, we are looking at purchasing a defibrillator for the amount of \$2400. This defibrillator is of high quality and user friendly. More donations would be greatly appreciated. Also, as you know, all donations will be given a receipt for taxation purposes. *Property & Finance Committee*

### St. Anne's Notices

**Ministries for July: Proclaimer:** Marion Murphy **Eucharistic Minister:** Charlie Gallant **Ushers/Ministers of Hospitality:** Dennis Doiron, Jacinta Doiron, Mike Doiron **Offertory July 23** Chris & Joan Hyami, **July 30** Kathy Buote

**Cemetery Sunday:** Cemetery Sunday at St. Anne's will be on August 6 and carnations will be provided to be placed at the tombstone of your loved ones.

### Diocese Notices

**Parks Canada** will be holding a ceremony to unveil a plaque recognizing Captain John MacDonald of Glenaladale as a Person of National Historic Significance at the Old French and Scottish Cemetery on Route 2 in Scotchfort (Scotsfort) on Friday, July 28 at 11am. All are welcome to attend.

**St. Bonaventure's Cemetery Prayer:** Sunday, July 23, following the 9:00am Mass. All welcome.

**Diocesan Choir:** All men and women of the diocese are invited to join a Diocesan Choir which will provide music for the Opening

(Aug 6 at 5pm) and Closing Masses (Aug 9 at 5pm), both at the Basilica, for the National CWL Convention. Practice dates are at St. Dunstan's on Thursday, July 27, 6:30pm – 8pm and on Saturday, Aug 5, 11am – 12:30pm (please note change of time) with Leo Marchildon, Director of Music for the Diocese.

**All CWL members across PEI:** You still have time to register for one, two or three days. Think about accepting the invitation to meet Christ in a very meaningful way. Find the registration form in the winter edition of the League magazine and the itinerary in the spring issue. Bring a CWL friend and she will also be inspired. A wonderful way to celebrate Canada 150 with our motto "For God and Canada"! Also, ALL priests of the diocese are welcome to attend the opening mass on Sunday, Aug 6 at 5 pm and the closing mass on Aug 9 at 5 pm, both at St. Dunstan's Basilica.

**Stewardship through Planned Giving:** A recent Gift from an estate has provided for a new spiritual retreat center in our Diocese. This Gift will breathe new life into our Catholic Spirituality and Education Programs. If you would like to provide a Gift to your Parish or Diocese now or at estate planning time please visit [www.dioceseofcharlottetown.com](http://www.dioceseofcharlottetown.com) and click on the "Planned Giving" quick link.

**Knights Choir Welcoming New Members!** The PEI Knights to Remember Male Chorus, formed last October, invites new members for the Fall. Newcomer and veteran Knights of Columbus ages 18+ are most welcomed to join us for fun making music together and special upcoming engagements. Weekly evening practices will resume in mid-September, with the possibility for rotating schedules in participating K

### Last Week's Collections & Donations

**St. Augustine's Sunday July 16: \$1376.40**

**Special Window Collection: \$271.00**

**Cemetery Fund: \$220.00**

**St. Anne's Sunday July 16: \$551.00**

**Stella Maris Sunday July 16: \$1303.00**

**Donations (Defibrillator): \$100.00**

**Donations (Defibrillator) so far: \$1200.00**

**Special Collection: \$370.00**

**Special Collection so far: \$9525.00**

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of C districts across PEI. Contact Director Basil Favaro through St. Francis of Assisi Parish in Cornwall or at [bfavaro@pei.sympatico.ca](mailto:bfavaro@pei.sympatico.ca) or 902 569 8826.

**Basilica Concert Series Continues:** Soprano Robyn Perry will be accompanied by organist Leo Marchildon in the next of a line of special summer concerts. Two performances, one at 7 pm Tuesday July 25 at St. Simon & St. Jude Church, Tignish, and the second at 1 pm on Wednesday July 26 at St. Dunstan's Basilica, Charlottetown. Admission is by free-will offering.

**Upcoming Event at St. Andrew's Chapel:** On Sunday, July 23 at 2pm there will be an ecumenical prayer service held in the Chapel to commemorate the 500<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Protestant Reformation. The service will be held jointly by Fr. John Lacey and Rev. Gail Hopkirk. Lunch will be served and a free-will offering will be taken.

**Cemetery Sunday:** At the Roman Catholic Cemetery Charlottetown, on Sunday, July 30, 2017 with Mass beginning at 2 pm. The entrance from St. Peter's Road will be blocked off. For the safety of all attending, there will be no parking on the Mass site. Parking will be at the Kensington Road en-