

Annual Diocesan Retreat: Jan. 19-21, 2018 at Our Lady of Hope Retreat Centre. Theme: "How to Become a Saint" with Father Brian MacDougall. If you are serious about pursuing authentic Christian holiness in Christ then this is the retreat for you. Phone: 902-621-2385.

Refugee Sponsorship Information Workshop: Has your Parish ever thought of sponsoring a refugee family? Or were interested but uncertain about what was involved? On Monday, Nov. 13, 6pm at the Jack Blanchard Family Centre (Holy Redeemer parish) a general information workshop about refugee sponsorship will be held. The workshop is free and is being given by a representative of the Atlantic Refugee Sponsorship Training Program in Halifax. This is an excellent opportunity to learn more about this important social justice ministry. Please contact Liz MacDonald (rc@dioceseofcharlottetown.com or 1-902-368-8005) to register.

The annual CWL "Praise The Lord In Song Concert" at Holy Redeemer Church will be held this Sunday, Oct. 29 at 2pm in the afternoon. The concert will include, among others, the St. Peter's Cathedral Chancel Choir, St. Augustine's Choir and Folk Group, the Forte Men's Choir, the "Sequence" quartet, the outstanding soloist, Sylvia Mutch, and Lily and Ava Rashed with their own composition "I Am Worth It, and many other talented Island artists. Tickets are \$10 per person and can be purchased at the door. Come, bring your family and friends and enjoy a great afternoon of spiritual and inspirational music.

Past bequests continue to provide funding to assist our seminarians with their education as they prepare to become priests for our Diocese. If you would like to help future Seminarian education and formation please consider providing a Gift to your Parish or Diocese now or at estate planning time. Visit us at www.dioceseofcharlottetown.com and click on the "Planned Giving" quick link.

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.

Food Drive: Provincial Credit Union-Stella Maris Branch is having a food drive for the local food bank during the month of Oct. Please drop off your donations of non perishable items at the Credit Union during regular business hours. We appreciate your support.

John Blacquiere Roast: Cymbria Lions Club. Nov. 4. Doors open 6pm, roasts begins at 6:30pm. In aid of Cymbria Lions Club.

Card Party at Kelly's Cross Community Centre on Monday, Oct. 30 at 7:30pm. Sponsors are Nancy Monaghan and Mary Trainor Toole. Everyone Welcome.

A Christmas Afternoon: Please, Reserve Sunday, Dec. 3, for "A Christmas Afternoon", our Annual Christmas Concert, put on by the North Rustico a Choral Group. More information will follow.

Rustico Bay Seniors' Club: Auction Card Game as usual on Mon. night Oct. 30 at 7:30 pm. Dance on Sat. Oct. 28 from 8to11pm. Wear your Hallowe'en costume!! Music by Country Steel. Dances in Nov. on the 11 and 25. Meeting on Nov.13 at 1:30 pm. Members please plan to attend.

Frozen Pie Sale: Central Queens United Church is holding our annual Frozen Pie Sale from Nov. 5 - Nov.19. A quick dessert or gift. \$6 per 8 inch pie. Many flavours. Purchase from congregation members or call Lois at 902-621-0669. Pick-up on Thurs., Dec. 7 at church.



The Saint John-Paul II Pastoral Unit
Stella Maris, St. Anne's & St. Augustine's Parishes, Prince Edward Island

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time ✕ October 29, 2017

Weekly Mass Schedule

Monday: No Mass
Tuesday: No Mass (Clergy Day)
Wednesday: 9am St. Augustine's
Thursday: 9am St. Augustine's
Friday: 9am St. Anne's
Saturday: 4pm Stella Maris for Helen Doucette
Sunday: 9am St. Anne's
Sunday: 10:30am St. Augustine's for special intention of a family & Reginald Blanchard
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.

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

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

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Alan, Ann, Brian, Debbie, Dorothy, Evan, Graham, Joan, Melanie, Parker, Steve, Steven, Georgina Blacquiere, Ann Blais, Mae Bolger, Cecile Buote, Clarence Buote, Peter Buote, Ashley Cook, Shirley Coughlin, Lisa Delaney, (Inez), Kenny Doiron, John Doucette, Tyrell Doucette, Steven Ellworth, Art Gallant, Audrey Gallant, Brian Gallant, Cathy Gallant, Dale Gallant, Fr. Floyd Gallant, Teresa M. Gallant, Sonny Gauthier, Arlene & Clint Harper, Rose Hennessey, Beverly Lannon, Leo LeClair, Jen Marten, Nancy McAdam, Alexa McAllister, Pearl Murphy, Regis Peters, Zeta Peters, Tom Pettit, Sheldon Pineau, 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

Last Week's Collections & Donations

St. Augustine's Sunday October 22: \$963.00
Special Collection: \$100.00

Evangelization of Nations: \$165.00

St. Anne's Sunday October 22: \$564.00

World Mission Sunday: \$285.00

Stella Maris Sunday October 22: \$850.00

World Mission Sunday: \$205.00

Special Collection: \$125.00

Special Collection So Far: \$10,095.00

Thank You for Your Donations to Our Parishes!
Please consider including your Parish in your will.



Youth Ministries

CDG—LDG—YDG

www.jp2youthministries.com



LDG and YDG

October 29, 2017
 November 12, 2017
 November 26, 2017
 December 3, 2017
 January 14, 2018
 January 28, 2018
 February 11, 2018

February 25, 2018

March 11, 2018
 March 18, 2018
 April 15, 2018
 April 22, 2018

Mass as a Class

November 5 St. Augustine's
 December 17 St. Augustine's
 January 7 St. Augustine's
 February 4 St. Augustine's
 March 4 St. Augustine's
 April 8 St. Augustine's
 April 28 Stella Maris

Unit Notices

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

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

Other CWL News: When there is a wake for a lady from our unit, CWL will do prayers if the family requests them. Read the death notices to see if and at what time. Members are encouraged to take part in the prayers.

Bake Sale: The Grade 8 religion class has recently been discussing the importance of being God's "Superheroes" by providing relief to the world. We have there for decided to hold a bake sale after mass on Sunday Nov. 5 at St. Augustine's parish. The proceeds raised will be delivered to the Canadian Red Cross for disaster relief. We would gratefully accept monetary or baked goods donations. Thank you in advance. *The Grade 8 Class.*

Fundraiser for Sister Cecile's work: The family and friends of Sister Cecile Buote would like to invite everyone to a fundraiser at the Rustico Bay Seniors Club on Sunday, Dec.

3, from 11 am to 6 pm. In a poor community in Cameroon, she works with young families and young adults, often destitute, helping them with their education and their daily struggles as they prepare for the future. Over the past number of years, your support has had a dramatic effect on the lives of so many and we thank you. Please join us on Dec. 3 for some good food, entertainment and friendship as we share what we have with those less fortunate.

Do You Want To Get Out Of The House For Some Fun? I really enjoy playing board games, card games and I am willing to learn new games. If you like that as well please join me on Wednesday afternoons from 1-4 in St. Monica's chapel (St. Augustine's) starting on Nov. 1. Coffee and tea will be supplied but please bring your own reusable cup. If you want to play cards then bring some cards. Bring your board games and teach others. I will bring some playing cards and board games as well. If you just want to come and pass the afternoon then come on in. This is open to everyone from the community so please tell your neighbours, who may not see this announcement, who want to have a few laughs and fun instead of staying at home all the time. "Life is what we make it." Hope to see you there.

Thank You: I would like to express my most sincere thanks to Central Queen's Funeral Home, to Father Raj for his prayers, words of condolences and the beautiful mass for Fred, the St. Augustine's Choir with Shane Arsenault, organist and Delma Good, song leader, the altar servers, cross bearer and Eucharistic ministers. A special thank you to those who visited and brought food to our homes, and to the Cymbria Lionettes for providing the wonderful meal following Fred's funeral. God Bless you all. *Melva & family.*

Remembrance Day Recognition Service: St. Augustine's Liturgical Committee invites all families in our Unit, who would like to have their family member(s) who have or who are involved with protecting our country, to a Remembrance Day Recognition service, immediately following our Sunday, Nov. 5 10:30 Mass. We ask you to bring pictures or any memorabilia, prior to Mass, to have placed on our Remembrance table.

St. Anne's Notices

Ministries for October: Proclaimer: Ray Murphy **Eucharistic Minister:** Gerry Barry **Ushers/Ministers of Hospitality:** Clifford Proctor, Chris Hayami, Joan Hayami **Offertory Oct 29** Ella Mae Doiron

Ministries for November: Proclaimer: Monica Simpson **Youth Proclaimer:** Julie VanLeeuwen **Eucharistic Minister:** Charlene VanLeeuwen **Ushers/Ministers of Hospitality:** Wilbert Reid, Leonard Peters, Donnie Doiron **Offertory Nov 5** Ron, Inez & Paula Doiron **Nov 12** John Doiron **Nov 19** Eugene & Florence Larkin **Nov 26** Charlie & Aletha Gallant

Bursary Application: St. Anne's property & finance committee is accepting applications from students continuing their education. Forms are available at the entrance to the Church. Deadline for applications is Nov. 15.

St. Augustine's Notices

Christmas at St. Augustine's: Hope you have by now written on your calendars about the Christmas celebrations on Dec. 3 at St. Augustine's!!!! We are now requesting anyone who would like to have a table in the craft fair (1:00-4:30) to contact Phyllis Arsenault at 621-0137. The craft fair will be in the Cymbria Lion's Club. Leave a message with your contact info if you call and no one is home. The cost to have a table is \$15. For any other information, please call Anne-Marie Vessey(964-3442), Joan Blacquiere (963-3405) and Audrey Gallant(394-0178).

Share In our Giving Basket: Wouldn't it be awesome to know that we helped even just one person or one family? We can! Give to our Sharing Basket and you'll be doing just that. Either prior to Mass, or during our Offertory procession, you and/or your family are invited to put your donation of non-perishable items in the basket which is placed at the front of the altar. The Knights of Columbus will then collect our donations for those in need.

Stella Maris' Notices

Defibrillator: Would any parishioner who knows how to operate a defibrillator, please give their name to either Norman Gallant or Andre Lavoie. *Property & Finance Committee*

Diocese Notices

Bishop Grecco has granted Father Floyd Gallant a three-month medical leave of absence and he has appointed Father Martin Carter as acting rector of St. Dunstan's Basilica. Please pray for Father Floyd's peace and healing.

Youth Survey in preparation for the Synod on Youth in October 2018, will be on-line at www.dioceseofcharlottetown.com on Oct. 30. Young people aged 16-30 are invited to complete this survey; your ideas are important.

Attention Cursillistas: Palanca Mass at St. Paul's, Summerside on Sunday, Oct. 29 at 2:30pm with share table to follow.