

Young Adult Lenten Retreat with Sisters of Life: The Sisters of Life are an active/contemplative religious community founded for the protection and enhancement of the sacredness of every human life. Sponsored by the SDU Institute of Christianity and Culture, the Sisters are offering a free Lenten Retreat for young adults on Saturday, March 24, at the UPEI Chaplaincy Center from 10:30 - 4:00. For more information contact apatay@upe.ca

Community Notices

Star of the Sea Seniors' Club: Card party will be held every Tuesday at 7pm. Everyone welcome. There are prizes, a light lunch and 50/50 draw.

Games + Learning = Lots of Fun: Come one, come all! We are having a lot of laughs and learning happening on Wednesday afternoons from 1- 4pm at St. Monica's Chapel at St. Augustine's. We welcome new people every week so don't worry about being the new person. Come on out and get out of the house! Our next games day will be Wednesday, March 28.

Al-Anon Group Meeting: Tues. 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.

No Cards: There will be no cards at Cymbria Lions Club Thursday March 29 because of it being Holy Thursday.

Rustico Bay Club: Card game every Monday night at 7pm. Dance Sat. March 24 from 8-11pm. Music by Alfred, Laurie and Kaitlyn. Freebees. Door prize. 50/50 draw. Light lunch. No dance on March 31 (Holy Saturday). Next regular dance on April 14. Memberships due by end of this week, please. Contact Bernice or Yvonne.

Lennon Recovery House: A committee of volunteers from the area is currently planning a fundraising event for Lennon House Recovery Center in Rustico to be held on May 11 at Cymbria Lions Club. This will consist of a live auction, a silent auction, donations, 50/50 draw and music to follow. We will accept new items for the auction. As well, anyone who would like to help out on the committee, please call Art at 902-963-2615.

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

Passion (Palm) Sunday ✘ March 25, 2018

Weekly Mass Schedule

- Monday:** No Mass
- Tuesday:** 9am Stella Maris
- Wednesday:** 9am St. Augustine's
- Holy Thursday:** 7pm St. Augustine's
- Good Friday:** 2pm St. Augustine's
- Good Friday:** 5pm Stella Maris
- Saturday Easter Vigil:** 8pm St. Augustine's
- Easter Sunday:** 9:30am St. Anne's

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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.

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

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

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

PLEASE PRAY FOR

- Alan, Ann, Ashley, Brian, Debbie, Dorothy, Graham, Joan, John, Melanie, Parker, Steve, Steven, Georgina Blacquiery, Ann Blais, Mae Bolger, Bobby Briehl, Cecile Buote, Clarence Buote, Peter Buote, Lyman Burrows, Ashley Cook, Shirley Coughlin, David Doiron, Kenny Doiron, John Doucette, Tyrell Doucette, Steven Ellworth, Art Gallant, Audrey Gallant, Brian Gallant, Cathy Gallant, Dale Gallant, Fr. Floyd Gallant, Gail Gallant, Dana Gauthier, Sonny Gauthier, Arlene & Clint Harper, Rose Hennessey, Beverly Lannon, Leo LeClair, Anne-Marie MacDonald, Jen Marten, Alexa McAllister, Pearl Murphy, Desi Nantes, Joe Perry, Regis Peters, Tom Pettit, Elsie Pineau, Gloria Pineau, Sheldon Pineau, Bernadette Proctor, Stephen Sampson, 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:

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

Last Week's Collections & Donations

- St. Augustine's Sunday: \$861.80**
- Share Lent D & P: \$348.00**
- St. Anne's Sunday: \$547.00**
- Share Lent D & P: \$751.00**
- Stella Maris Saturday: \$689.00**

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Youth Ministries

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LDG and YDG
April 15, 2018

Mass as a Class
April 8 St. Augustine's

Important Dates:

First Communion is Sunday, April 22, 10:30am at St. Augustine's
Confirmation is Monday, April 23, 7pm at Stella Maris.

Due to a scheduling conflict we will not have class on April 22, instead April 15 will be the last class. As well, April 8 will be our last mass as a class for the year. Thanks for your support and understanding.

Unit Notices

Weekday Mass Schedule: As a result of a recent request, effective April 5 Thursday weekday mass at St. Augustine will change to 7pm to accommodate those working. This change will be implemented for the month of April and May at which time it will be revisited. If numbers do not warrant the continuation of this change the mass time will be switched back to the morning and held in Stella Maris. If you have any issues or concern's, please bring them to the attention of the Pastoral Council and/or Fr. Raj. Thank you for your cooperation as we move forward as a unit serving all of our parishioner's.

Prayer Line: Please be advised, after Easter all names presently on the bulletin will be removed, and we will begin with a new list. Those presently on the list will continued to be prayed for. Any questions or concerns, please feel free to speak with any member of the parish pastoral council.

Blessing of the Fishers on Sunday, April 29, at 7pm at Stella Marie's Church.

St. Anne's Notices

Ministries for March: Proclaimer: Charlene VanLeeuwen **Youth Proclaimer:** Katie VanLeeuwen **Eucharistic Minister:** Marina Doiron **Ushers/Ministers of Hospitality:** Chris Hayami, Joan Hayami, Martin Longuepee **Offertory: March 25** Ella Mae Doiron

Ministries for April: Proclaimer: Tammy Peters **Youth Proclaimer:** Peter Vanleeuwen **Eucharistic Minister:** Lori-Ann MacFarlane **Ushers/Ministers of Hospitality:** Jacinta Doiron, Mike Doiron, Dennis Doiron **Offertory: April 1** Julie & Chole Walsh, **April 8** Mary MacKinnon, **April 15** Terry & Paula Gauthier, **April 22** Marina Doiron, **April 29** Chris & Joan Hayami

Fellowship Sunday: We are going to try and start a tradition in St. Anne's by having a "fellowship Sunday" the last Sunday of every month. We should take the time to sit and talk with our neighbours and friends. So join us in the Bolger room after mass the last Sunday of every month for some coffee, tea and treats.

Stella Maris Notices

Annual Financial Statements: Extra copies are available on the table at the back of the Church. Please take one home. *Property & Finance Committee*

Diocese Notices

Mikinduri Children of Hope annual Gigantic Yard Sale and Book Sale on Saturday, May 5, 9am – 1:30pm at the Eastlink Centre. There is a huge selection – something for everyone. Admission is \$2 donation or 1 full Blue Bag of clean clothing. You can donate pre-loved items at the Eastlink Centre Thursday, May 3, 2pm - 7pm and Friday, May 4, 9am – 3pm (Sorry, we cannot accept baby equipment, tires, old computers, TVS (except flat screens), & encyclopedia sets) For information or to volunteer: Karen @ (902)887-2417 or kandgmckenna@pei.sympatico.ca To have larger items picked up: Ernie 902-566-3463

Pipes & Pizza at St. Dunstan's Basilica: Organist Leo Marchildon invites any youth or young adults who wish to learn more about the pipe organ to come and visit the loft of St. Dunstan's Basilica at noon on Saturday April 28 for a special program designed to showcase the astounding capabilities of this magnificent machine. Following a mini organ concert featuring music from Bach to Star Wars, attendees will have an opportunity to go behind the console and explore the inner workings of the pipe organ, and even get some hands-on time playing the instrument. Pizza will then be served in the basement as a reward for those who survive the experience! This event is sponsored by the PEI chapter of the Royal Canadian College of Organists, whose mandate it is to educate and promote organ and choral music throughout the Island. As vice-president for the RCCO, Mr. Marchildon is pleased to be able to offer this unique introduction to the King of Instruments in the hopes of inspiring a new generation of organists to emerge from our youth.

The Mass of Chrism is at St. Dunstan's Basilica on Monday, March 26, at 7 pm. All parishioners are invited to this integral part of our Holy Week tradition, the blessing and consecration of Holy Oils. Parish representatives then receive the Holy Oils used throughout the year for the celebration of Baptism, Confirmation and the Sacrament of the Sick. Presided by Bishop Richard Grecco and concelebrated with the priests of our diocese, this can be an excellent preparation for all of us to enter into the spirit of the Easter Triduum. If you've never attended the Mass of Chrism, you may want to take the opportunity to be present for this special Diocesan tradition.

Good Friday Stations of the Cross: Please join the Diocesan Youth Group as they prayerfully present the Stations of the Cross at St. Dunstan's Basilica on Good Friday at 7pm. A good-will offering will be collected for the youth group's fundraising.

NET Retreat: St Dunstan's Basilica Parish is hosting the National Evangelization (NET) travelling team for a full-day retreat for youth grades 8-12. It will be filled with skits, games, music and prayer groups to excite and inspire youth to live their faith authentically in truth and with joy. Come and join us! We meet: Easter Monday April 2, from 9am-6pm at St Dunstan's Basement hall. Cost: \$20 per youth and bring something to share for the lunch table. Pizza will be provided for supper. For more information: Pat Wiedemer, Director of Catechetics, St Dunstan's Basilica Parish: 902-393-6047 or stdunstanscatechism@gmail.com.

Liturgical Conference: From the Table of Christ Jesus to the Table of the World: Praying and Living the Eucharist. Reserve Saturday, May 12, 10am to 3pm. St. Francis of Assisi church, Cornwall. The presenter is Simone Brosig, Director of Liturgy for the Diocese of Calgary. More info to follow. Sponsored by the Liturgical Commission of the Diocese of Charlottetown.