

Wiedemer at alisa.wiedemer@gmail.com to reserve your seat. Keynote speaker will be Alex Schadenberg from the Euthanasia Prevention Coalition speaking on "Hope amidst a Culture of Death" and how this pertains to the newly released film Fatal Flaws. Tickets are only \$40 to support the education of Islanders on LIFE issues on PEI. Tel: 902-894-5473 or life.sanctuary@pei.aibn.com.

Teen Encounter Weekend: for young people ages 16-21 on Sept. 28-30 at Camp Kolbe (www.hfmpei.com). A weekend of prayer, talks, and fellowship as we encounter Jesus and one another. Register at <http://dioceseofcharlottetown.com/teen-encounter-registration/>

Come and join Upper Room PEI! An evening of Adoration and fellowship, Upper Room is a weekly gathering for young adults seeking deeper relationship with Christ. The Holy Hour includes praise and worship, a brief reflection, silent prayer, benediction, and the opportunity for confession. After this beautiful hour spent with our Lord, we gather to socialize deepening friendship and in community. Our weekly Holy Hour is at 7:30 pm on Tuesdays at St. Dunstan's Basilica Basement.

CWL members are invited to attend the Provincial Council's 2018 "Inspired by the Spirit, Women Respond to God's Call" Fall Conferences: Saturday, Sept. 29, St. Patrick's Council, Fort Augustus Recreation Centre, Fort Augustus; Saturday, Oct. 13, St. Mary's Holy Family Council, Murray Christian Centre, 17 School Street, Kensington. Registration starts at 8:15 with Mass at 9am. Members are asked to bring something for the sharing table. Guest speakers will give informative presentations on cancer and mental health concerns, euthanasia, strategic planning, mental health/therapies, 2018 national convention highlights.

Pancake Breakfast: There will be a Pancake breakfast at Tracadie Cross Community Centre in support of Lennon Recovery House on Sun-

day Sept. 30 from 10:00am to 11:30.

Community Notices

Star of the Sea Seniors' Club: Card party will be held every Tuesday at 7:30pm. Everyone welcome. There are prizes, a light lunch and 50/50 draw.

Volunteers for tree planting event - In celebration of national tree day and in partnership with Tree Canada and North Rustico Home Hardware, on Sept. 26 at 9am the Centre acadien Grand-Rustico will be hosting a tree planting event and we're looking for volunteers. We will work hard, but there will be lots of fun too! Call Andrea Deveau at 902-963-3252 to sign-up.

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.

Acadian Harvest Celebrations at The Farmers' Bank of Rustico and Doucet House Museums: On Thursday Sept. 27, 7:30-9:30pm, a musical evening will take place featuring the music of "Brad Trivers & Friends". A fee is charged (cash only). The Museum is air conditioned and wheelchair accessible. For more information contact 902-963-3168, farmers@pei.aibn.com or www.farmersbank.ca.

Rustico Bay Seniors' Club: Card game as usual on Mon. night, Sept 24 at 7pm. Next dance with Country Steel on Sat. Sept. 29 from 8-11pm and every second Saturday. Come and enjoy the music, dancing and a great social evening!!

Cymbria Lions Thanksgiving Weekend: Thursday Oct. 4 Bingo at 7:15. Friday Oct. 5 Texas Hold-Em Poker. Sat Oct. 6 Car Rally 1pm. Sunday Oct. 7 Turkey Supper 3:30-6:00pm. More info to follow



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

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time ☩ September 23, 2018

Weekly Mass Schedule

Monday: No Mass
Tuesday: 9am Stella
Wednesday: 9am St. Augustine's
Thursday: 9am Stella Maris
Friday: 9am St. Anne's
Saturday: 4pm Stella Maris for Mary Gillis
Sunday: 9am St. Anne's
Sunday: 10:30am St. Augustine's for Stella 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.

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

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.

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

OUR PRAYER LIST

Alan, Brian, Evan, Germaine, Grace, John, Laura, Richard, May Bolger, David Doiron, Edmond Gallant, Nellie Johnson, Des Nantes, Naomi (age 11), Skye Dunn, Dane Simpson, Susie Smith
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

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.

Last Week's Collections & Donations

St. Augustine's Sunday: \$1331.40
St. Anne's Sunday: \$610.00
Cemetery Fund IMO Melvin Larkin from Colleen Larkin: \$500.00
Stella Maris Saturday: \$919.00

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



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Youth Ministries

CDG—LDG—YDG

www.jp2youthministries.com



LDG and YDG

September 23
September 30
October 14
October 28
November 18
November 25
December 2
January 6

January 20
January 27
February 10
February 24
March 3rd
March 10
March 31
April 14

Mass as a Class

October 7
November 4
December 16
January 13
February 3
April 27

Religion classes: Reminder of new times for religion classes. K-8 classes are 10:30-11:30 and Grade 9 is 10:30-12:00. Classes again this year will take place at Gulf Shore School.

Unit Notices

Saint John Paul II CWL is having a 1 Day tournament at St. Anne's parish (basement) on September 24 @ 1pm doors open at noon prizes are \$100, \$70, \$50 and \$30 bring a partner, 50/50 draw, door prizes and a delicious buffet supper. \$7 a person to play. For more info call Inez at 902-569-2194 or Marina at 902-626-5688.

Change of Mass Time on Wednesdays - Beginning in October, Mass time will be changed to 7 pm at St. Augustine's. This will allow an opportunity for anyone working during the day to attend an evening mass.

Supper After Mass: The Knights of Columbus will be serving a ham and Scalloped potato supper following 4pm Mass on Saturday, 29 September in the Stella Maris Parish Center. As usual, the cost is a freewill offering. A 50/50 draw will be held as well. Everyone most welcome. Bring the whole family.

Stella Maris' Notices

Stella Maris Ministries: Sept 22 Lectors: Eileen Gauthier, Ronnie Blacquiere **Eucharistic Minister:** Marlene Gallant **Offertory Families:** Shirley & Ed Gallant **Sept 29 Lectors:** Andre Lavoie, Suzanne McCormick **Eucharistic Minister:** Karen Lavoie **Offertory Families:** Dennis & Mildred Gallant

Property and Finance Committee Meeting: This meeting will be held in the sacristy of our Church on Tuesday, September 25 at 7 pm.

Choir Practice: Choir practices are beginning for another year. This year we will try to have the choir practices on Thursday mornings at 9:30 am immediately after morning Mass. This way the church will already be heated and will not require heating the church another evening. I realize this may not suit everyone but hopefully it will work out for the most of us. Thank you for your understanding and generosity. As always new members are most welcome. The practices will begin this coming Thursday on Sept. 27. We have a number of new hymns to learn. Please come and join us. Thanks again!
Sister Phyllis

St. Anne's Notices

Fellowship Sunday the last Sunday of every month. We should take the time to sit and talk with our neighbors and friends. So join us in the Bolger room after mass the last Sunday of every month for some coffee, tea and treats.

Ministries for September: Proclaimer: Tammy Peters **Eucharistic Minister:** Lori-Ann MacFarlane **Ministers of Hospitality:** Jacinta Doiron, Peter VanLeeuwen, Mike Doiron **Offertory: Sept 23** Julie & Chloe Walsh, **Sept 30** Don & Colleen Reid

St Augustine's Notices

The St Augustine's property & finance committee is looking for new members, please consider giving your time to help out and to keep our parish in good condition.

Diocese Notices

Discernment Retreat: There will be a discernment retreat for single young women ages 17 to 30 on Saturday, Oct. 27 from 9am. - 4pm. The retreat will take place at Sacred Heart Convent, 403 Granville St., Summerside. A free will donation will be accepted to cover the cost of the food. More details regarding dates and times will be included in a follow-up E-mail to those applicants whom we are able to accept for the retreat. Please follow the instruction below: **1.** Go to <https://sacredheartsisters.ca/news-announcements-features> **2.** Scroll down until you find the discernment retreat announcement, **3.** Click download button to get the form and fill it, **4.** Send the completed form to us as email attachment. (Contact Sr. Marian for download issues at sacredheartpei@gmail.com)

Invitation: On the first Saturday of every month, beginning on Oct. 6, there will be a gathering after the 5pm Mass in the Knights of Columbus room, downstairs at St. Dunstan's Basilica, honoring the request of our spiritual Mother, the Blessed Virgin Mary, who asked for special observances on first Saturdays.

There will be a presentation about Mary, her apparitions and her important messages, followed by Rosary, discussion, coffee, and fellowship. Enter via the Adoration Chapel or side entrance (Dorchester Street). For information, contact Ray & Marilyn Yu at 902-628-2397, 1950raymundo@eastlink.ca or docmarilyn2013@eastlink.ca.

Martha Spirituality Centre (902-367-3103 or srgemma@eastlink.ca) offers: A- Busy Parents of Young Children Session #1 in a series of three Thursday evenings on Thursday Sept. 27 at 7pm and continuing on Nov. 1 and Nov. 29. Facilitator is Charlene Peters, diocesan coordinator of Catechetics. Come and take some time for your own spiritual journey. Cost for the series is \$20 or \$30 a couple. B- How Does Contemplating the Sacred Call us to Respond? a four-part series on Wednesdays at 7pm on Sept. 26, Oct. 10 and Oct. 24. Led by Leah Michaud and Sr. Regina. Cost \$25. Need to register by Sept. 25.

Parishioners who have religious items which they no longer need and which could otherwise be lost can contact the Diocesan Pastoral Centre at 902-368-8005. These items could include books, parish photos, obituaries or any articles of Church life, celebration or interest.

Alex Schadenberg, Executive Director of the Euthanasia Prevention Coalition will be showing the film, "Fatal Flaws – Legalizing Assisted Death" in the Knights of Columbus Room at St Dunstan's Basilica (Dorchester Street entrance), on Sunday, Sept 30 at 7pm. Sponsored by the St Dunstan's Catholic Women's League (CWL) and the Our Lady of Fatima Knights of Columbus Council 824. Free will offering. All are welcome, refreshments served. For more information: Gay Garvey, Tel: 902-218-3003.

The PEI Right to Life Association A Night in Italy Gala Dinner and Dance this coming Saturday, Sept. 29 still has some tickets available! Please contact the RTL office or Alisa