will ever make! Ask your questions, find answers and learn the truth. Get to The-Heart-of-the-Matter! We will meet individually or in group sessions to learn about and discuss the meaning of the Catholic Sacrament of Matrimony. More information can be found on the diocesan website dioceseofcharlotte-town.com/diocesan-ministries/marriage-preparation, or by contacting Pat Wiedemer at: patricia.wiedemer@outlook.com or 902-393-6047.

Martha Spirituality Centre (902-367-3103 or srgemma@eastlink.ca) March 9 Lenten Retreat with Bishop Grecco on Saturday, March 9 from 10 am - 3 pm. Need to register no later than March 7. Space is limited.

Father Brendan "Bud" Gallant is putting on a retreat for married couples at Our Lady of Hope Retreat Centre from March 15 to 17. This retreat will be a special time for sharing and praying together. Cost is \$137.50 per person. Phone 902-621-2385 or 902-388-1952 to register.

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.

Laughs, Brain Work and Luck - Come and see how much fun you can have when you join with friends to play!! The door is always open to new people and new games. We are never too old to learn new things. Games start at 1pm but if you can only come later then come on! Every Wednesday from 1-4pm the chapel at St. Augustine's is the scene for enjoyment, friendship and a few snacks. Get out of the house and have some fun!

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.

8 handed auction game at Cymbria Lions club Thursday February 21 at 7pm.

Rustico Bay Seniors': Dance this Sat. Feb.16 (and every second Sat.) at 8pm with music by Country Steel. Door prize,50/50 draw and light lunch. Also, Auction Card Play Monday,Feb.18 (and every Monday) at 7pm.

Cymbria Lions Hot Roast Beef Supper Sunday March 10 serving 3:30-6:00pm. Adults \$17.50 under 12 \$7.50. Take-Outs available. 963-2166



The Saint John-Paul II Pastoral Unit

Stella Maris, St. Anne's & St. Augustine's Parishes, Prince Edward Island

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time ▼ February 17, 2019

Weekly Mass Schedule

Monday No Mass
Tuesday 7pm St. Augustine's
Wednesday 9am Stella Maris
Thursday No Mass
Friday 9am St. Anne's
Saturday 4pm Stella Maris
Sunday 9am St. Anne's
Sunday 10:30am St. Augustine

Sunday 10:30am St. Augustine's for Frank, Kate Gallant, Gelas Gallant and Louise Albert

Fr. Raj Santiago: 902-393-0572

rajstaugustin@gmail.com

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.

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.

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

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

OUR PRAYER LIST

Brian, Evan, Germaine, Grace, John, Laura, Richard, Charlie Gallant (Aletha), 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 902-393-0960 Rose Gallant 902-963-3516 Fr. Raj Santiago 902-393-0572

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

I will be away until Feb. 18. If you have requests for the prayer line, please contact Faye Fyfe at 902-963-2144. Thanks. *Rose Gallant*

If you're going to be able to look back on something and laugh about it, you might as well laugh about it now.

Marie Osmond

The GOLDEN RULE is still true and still works: Do unto others as you would have them do unto you.

Matthew 7:12

Last Week's Collections & Donations

St. Augustine's Sunday: \$881.75 St. Anne's Sunday: \$507.00 Stella Maris: \$706.00

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

www.jp2pastoralunit.com/bulletins.php



Youth Ministries CDG—LDG—YDG www.jp2youthministries.com



LDG and YDG February 24 March 3 March 10 March 31 April 14 Mass as a Class April 27 Stella Maris

Your 2018-2019 Confirmation Candidates



Name: Morgan Christine Fall Parents: Jodi Gallant &

Duane Fall

Birthday: March 5, 2004 **Interests:** Reading, music and

YouTube

Future Plans: To work hard to achieve law enforcement

and attend the Atlantic Police Academy. Back up plan is to become a Early Childhood Educator.

What she really likes: Hang out with my friends, volunteer work and spending time with family.

What she really does NOT like: Summer, needles and trends.

Special memory about church: My first religion sleepover.

What she would like parishes to know about her: I'm thankful to live in such a supportive and positive community.



Name: Kendyl Cardiff
Parents: Tina & Steve Cardiff
Birthday: June 10, 2004
Interests: Ringette, music,
snowboarding, swimming,
camping, snowmobiling
Future plans: graduate grade
9, hoping to join some kind of

drama/music club

What she really likes: ringette, spicy foods, Stranger Things, her niece Arabella, visiting Calgary

What she really does not like: math class, judgemental people

Special memory about church: first communion

What she would like parishes to know about her: I like my band class at East Wiltshire school, and helping people.

Unit Notices

Winter Storm Policy: At St. Augustine's Church Mass is never cancelled due to weather. When school in Rustico is cancelled or delayed due to weather, the weekday Mass at Stella Maris or St. Anne's is cancelled. For Saturday evening Mass, a decision to cancel will be made by 1:30pm. For St. Anne's Sunday morning Mass, the decision will be made

by 7am. If Religious Education Classes are cancelled, there will be an email sent out and a notice on the website. Call 902-393-0572 for information.

CWL Memberships of \$20 are due by the end of February. You may give them to Ruth Gallant (963-2664) or put them in an envelope marked CWL and place it in the collection basket at Mass in any of the Unit churches.

In preparation for Ash Wednesday, those who have psalms at home bring them to the church over the next couple of Sunday's so we are able to prepare the ashes.

Parish Dinner: The Knights of Columbus will be serving an open faced Hot Turkey Sandwich Dinner following 4pm Mass on Saturday, February 23. Everyone most welcome. Bring the whole family.

Unit Property & Finance Committee Meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, February 19 at 7:30pm after Mass at St. Augustine's.

The CWL Area meeting will be held at Kinkora Place on Sat. Feb 23, 9 - 12. Pot luck lunch (no hot dishes). Please call Marlene 394-6635 to arrange travel plans.

The annual World Day of Prayer service will be held at Stella Maris at 1 pm on March 1. Members please bring food for lunch table after service.

Stella Maris' Notices

Ministries for February: Hospitality: Eric Blacquiere and Paula Arsenault Lectors: Feb 16 Faye Fyfe, Rose Gallant; Feb 23 Eileen Gauthier, Ronnie Blacquiere. Eucharistic Minister: Feb 16 Glenda Blanchard; Feb 23 Della Cormier-Smith. Offertory Families: Feb 16 Joan & Rene Doiron; Feb 23 Pauline Gallant, Helen Gallant.

Stella Maris Parish Property & Finance Annual Meeting: This meeting will be held on Wednesday, February 20 at 7pm in the basement of our Church. It would be greatly appreciated if many parishioners would attend this meeting. *Property & Finance Committee*

St. Anne's Notices

Fellowship Sunday is the first 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 first Sunday of every month for some coffee, tea and treats.

Ministries for February: Proclaimer: Rose Mary MacDonald Eucharistic Minister: Marion Murphy Ministers of Hospitality: Wilbert Gallant, Leonard Peters and Martin Longuepee Offertory: Feb 17 Yvonne Larkin Feb 24 Ray & Kerri Murphy & Family

Receipts for Sunday envelope contributions for 2018 are now available on the table near the altar.

St. Augustine's Notices

Please join us in St. Monica's Chapel for fellowship and food on Sunday, Feb. 17, immediately following the 10:30 Mass. If you'd like to contribute to our sharing table, desserts, biscuits, etc. please drop off your donation before Mass. We plan to have Chili & Soup supplied.

Diocese Notices

No cost French NET Retreat: The parishes of Notre-Dame-du-Mont-Carmel and St Philippe and St Jacques are proud to welcome the bilingual team (NET) for a Francophone retreat day for youth from grades 7 to 12. This retreat will be filled with skits, games, music and prayer groups to excite and inspire young people to live their faith authentically, in truth and in joy. We meet: Wednesday, April 10, 10am - 6pm in the basement of St Philippe and St Jacques church in Egmont Bay. Lunch and snacks will be included during the day. Parents are invited to bring a dish to share and join us for a 'pot luck' supper. For more information and to register your child contact Michelle D'aoust at the Bureau of Christian Education, Tel: 902-854-2143 or by email: cec@dioceseofcharlottetown.com

The-Heart-of-the-Matter: A Marriage Preparation Course for Modern Couples in the Catholic Church: Are you planning to get married in the Catholic Church? Got questions? Could you answer why getting married in the Catholic Church will make a difference in your life? Don't settle for uncertainty. Learn why this choice is one of the best you

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