

Evenings of Recollection – meditations preached by a priest of Opus Dei, a personal prelature of the Catholic Church. Men's (Mon Oct 5 @7pm) - Women's (Tue Oct 6 @7pm) at St. Paul's, Summerside. These recollections aim to assist the individual to relate his or her family life, professional work and social commitments more fully to their relationship with God. Evenings also include Benediction and an opportunity for confession. More information, please contact Bruce Perry at 854-3674.

St. Dunstan's University presents: The Third Annual Faith and Knowledge Lecture: "Science and the Christian Faith, There Is No Conflict!" will be presented by Dr. Stephen Barr, PhD, at Westisle Composite High School, Tuesday, October 13, 2015, 7:30pm and repeated at St. Pius X, Charlottetown on Wednesday, October 14, 2015, 7:30pm. All are welcome and admission is free.

October is "Membership Month" for the P.E.I. Right to Life Association. Your help is urgently needed in the struggle to uphold the culture of life in this province and beyond. Please show your support by becoming a member of the P.E.I. Right to Life Association. Membership forms are available at the entrance of the church.

Community Notices

AI-Anon Group Meeting: Tuesdays at 10 AM in the vestry of St. Augustine's Church. Call 902-894-3503 for more information.

www.jp2pastoralunit.com/bulletins.php

Cymbria Lions Thanksgiving Festival: Bingo Thursday Oct 8th 7:15, Texas Hold-Em Tournament Friday Oct 9th 7:30 pm, Ceilidh/Kitchen Party with Micheal Pendergast and Friends Friday Oct 9th 7:30pm, Car Rally Sat. Oct 10th 1-3, Turkey Supper Sunday Oct 11th 3:30-6:00pm

Fall Roast Beef Supper: Central Queens United Church, Hunter River, is holding our annual Fall Roast Beef Supper on Saturday, Oct. 24, 2015. Three seatings are available: 4:00, 5:30 and 7:00 p.m. Tickets are \$15/adult, \$7/child 6-12 yrs. and free for preschoolers. Take-outs also available if preordered. Bazaar table with baked goods and crafts to browse. For tickets contact the church office at 902-964-2221 or Debbie Ling at 902-964-2882

Tracadie Players present their Fall Dinner Theatre on Saturday, November 7th and Sunday, November 8, 2015 at the Tracadie Community Centre, Tracadie Cross. Doors open at 5:30 PM. Entertainment includes 3 skits, local entertainment and hot chicken dinner. Tickets are \$27.50/person - call Barry at 902-672-1287 for tickets/information.

Thank You: I would like to thank my family, relatives and friends for helping me to celebrate my 85th Birthday. For all the cards, gifts certificates, also to all those who sent cards, gifts and best wishes. your kindness will never be forgotten- Edna Gallant.



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

The 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time ✕ October 4, 2015

SCHEDULE OCTOBER 5 TO OCTOBER 11

Monday: 9am St. Augustine's
Tuesday: 9am Stella Maris
Wednesday: 9am St. Augustine's
Thursday: Priest's day off — no mass
Friday: 9am St. Anne's
Saturday: 4pm Stella Maris - Ernest and Clairice Buote
Sunday: 9am St. Anne's
 10:30am St. Augustine's
 Scheduled weekday Mass is cancelled for a funeral.

Confessions: Saturday at 10am in St. Augustine's Church. For additional times for confessions please call 902-963-2245.

Baptisms: Contact Fr. Raj for Baptismal Preparation.

Father Raj Santiago: Office: 902-963-2245
 Cell: 902-393-0572

Pastoral Associates:

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

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

PLEASE PRAY FOR: A person with MS, A depressed person, Brian, Evan, Wendy, Agatha Reddin, Alice Doucette, Allan Pound, Alyre Doucette, Alyre Pineau, Ann Blais, Anne Marie Ellis, Anne Peters, Annette Coffin, Annie Gallant, Ashley Cook, Bernadette Procter, Billy Doucette, Bobby Briehl, Brenda Gallant, Carol Ann Dickson, Cecily Gallant, Chester Fall, Dale Doucette, Dane Simpson, Donna Stiles, Edna Pineau, Elaine Stewart, Emeric Walsh, Eric "Buck" Doucette, Fred Judson, Gabrielle Gallant, Georgina Blacquiere, Inez Pineau, Jean Gallant, Kaye Ford, Keisha Dunn, Kim Murphy, Kitty Gallant, Leo LeClair, Lisa MacDonald, Louis Reid, Louise Peters, Margaret Perry, Mary Gillis, Nancy (Pius) Doucette, Nicky Garland, Parker O'Brien, Pat Gallant (John), Paul Doiron, Regis Peters, Richard Arseneault, Roger Gallant, Rose Hennessey, Scott Faust, Shirley Doucette, Sonny Gauthier, Stella (Gary) Gallant, Stephen Ellsworth, Stephen Sampson, Susie Smith, Tammy Wedge, Terry Doucette, Tim Gallant, Tracy Peters, Trisha Gallant, Vera Gallant, Victor Doiron, Vincent Blacquiere, Wally Litouskey and all those in hospital.

To have a name added or removed from the prayer line please call the **Prayer Line Contacts:**

Marion Murphy 902-621-0725
Angela Gallant 902-963-3438
Rose Gallant 902-963-3516
Fr. Raj Santiago 902-963-2245

From Pope Francis' Encyclical "Laudato Si" - "Our Common Home"

Pope Francis on the Environment: *Drinking Water is a Human Right:* *One particularly serious problem is the quality of water available to the poor. Even as the quality of available water is constantly diminishing, in some places there is a growing tendency, despite its scarcity, to privatize this resource, turning it into a commodity subject to the laws of the market. Yet access to safe drinkable water is a basic and universal human right, since it is essential to human survival and, as such, is a condition for the exercise of other human rights. Our world has a grave social debt towards the poor who lack access to drinking water, because they are denied the right to a life consistent with their inalienable dignity.*

Kindergarten—grade 9 Religion Class Schedule

October 4, 2015	December 13, 2015	March 6, 2016
October 18, 2015	January 10, 2016	March 13, 2016
November 1, 2015	January 24, 2016	April 3, 2016
November 15, 2015	February 7, 2016	April 17, 2016
November 29, 2015	February 21, 2016	

Classes are held at Gulf Shore School at 10:30am. If you haven't registered yet please register on-line at <http://www.jp2youthministries.com> or contact Louise Doucette at 902-394-0681.

Unit Notices

Bulletin Notices: Email notices to bulletins@jp2pastoralunit.com or call 902-886-2761 (please leave a message if we aren't home). Deadline for weekly bulletins is Thursday at 4pm.

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.

Mass Intentions: If you wish to have a mass said for your intentions please notify Father Raj to set a date and place for the Mass then call Carol a week in advance so it can be announced in the bulletin.

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.

Food Bank: The Knights of Columbus are asking everyone to bring a non-perishable item for the food bank as part of your Thanksgiving offering on the Thanksgiving week-end. The supplies are getting low so any help you can give will be greatly appreciated. Thank you for

your support.

Home Visits: In the next few weeks we will begin a series of home visits so Fr. Raj can meet the people in the communities. This will take some time so please be patient. He will be accompanied by a parishioner. In the meantime if you have any concerns please contact Fr. at 902-963-2245.

Photocopier: The pastoral unit has purchased a new photocopier so we need to find a home for the current one. Is there a business or organization that would like to purchase it for \$50? Please contact Father Raj or email bulletins@jp2pastoralunit.com.

Thank You: A Sincere word of THANKS to all the people of our unit for a wonderful welcome programme on last Saturday at Stella Maris Church.

Liturgical Committee: There will be a meeting of the liturgical committee on Wednesday, October 7th at 7 p.m. members from all three parishes are requested to attend to plan the memorial service for All Souls day.

Stella Maris Notices

Confessions will be heard at Stella Maris after mass on the last Tuesday of each month.

Our Thanksgiving display begins this week and we very much appreciate any food you would like to share with those less fortunate. This is a good time of the year to show that we all care. Thanks

Sr. Cecile Mission Fund: We are delighted to tell you that to date we have collected 1438.00 dollars for the Sr. Cecile mission fund this year. We are still collecting returnable. They can be dropped at Stella Maris Church or at our home. Cathy and Harold Gallant. Thanks for all your support.

Volunteers Needed - Lunch After Funerals: As the number of volunteers helping with this service has diminished, we do need a new list of volunteers who are willing to help with this luncheon. This will only take a couple of hours of your time on the day of the funeral. Your help would be greatly appreciated and you can add your name to this list by calling Donnie or Mary Blacquiere at 963-2359. Our church is run by volunteers and without them, many services would have to be eliminated. Thank you

St. Anne's Notices

Ministers for October: Proclaimer: Ray Murphy **Youth Proclaimer:** Joey Murphy **Eucharistic Minister:** Jerry Berry **Backup Eucharistic Minister:** Charlie Gallant **Ushers/ Ministers of Hospitality:** Clifford Proctor, Chris Hayami, Joan Hayami **Offertory Families:** Oct 4: Leo & Betty Walsh, Oct 11: Yvonne Larkin & Family, Oct 18: John & Charlene VanLeeuwen,

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTIONS & DONATIONS

St. Augustine's: Sunday \$1122.60
Needs of the Canadian Church \$101.00
Special Collection \$100.00
St. Anne's: Sunday \$512.00
Holy Childhood \$46.00
Needs of the Canadian Church \$289.00
Stella Maris: Sunday: \$869.00
Needs of the Canadian Church \$260.00

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

Oct 25: Joe & Betty Cameron

Canopy For Sale: We are looking at selling the canopy that currently covers the stairs going down to the basement of the church. Make us an offer! See any member of the finance committee or call Paula at 902-621-0633.

Diocese Notices

Worldwide Marriage Encounter: Celebrate your love and enrich your sacrament on a **Marriage Encounter Weekend:** October 16–18, 2015 Cavendish Gateway Resort, PEI. For more information: renewmarriage@gmail.com or 902-892-2061.

Martha Spirituality Centre: (902-367-3103 or srgemma@eastlink.ca) Men's Retreat on Sat. Oct. 17 from 10am-3pm, led by Fr. John Lacey. Cost \$30.

Important fertility and health information for all women and girls is available through Billings LIFE, Leaders in Fertility Education. Instruction in NFP also available. 902-569-1716 to arrange information sessions. www.billingsnfp-pei.com