

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land: Want to experience something of the life of Jesus? Do you want to experience the places that our Lord walked and where He spoke to the people? Join Fr. Andrew Handrahan on a guided pilgrimage to some of Israel's holy sites. From Oct. 21-29, the pilgrimage will travel to the Holy Land and visit such places as Nazareth, the Sea of Galilee, the Mount of Transfiguration, Jerusalem, and the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. Step into the River Jordan where Jesus was baptized, and stand on the hill where Jesus gave his sermon on the mount; walk through the places that our Lord himself walked, and experience the city of Jerusalem as you make the way of the cross which Jesus suffered. Contact Krisanne Butler at CAA Travel for more information: kbutler@atlantic.caa.ca or at 902-892-0296.

First Saturday Gathering for Blessed Virgin Mary (BVM): On Feb. 1 there will be a gathering after the 4pm Mass in the Knights of Columbus room at St. Dunstan's Basilica. We will share our experience and information about BVM as our Spiritual Mother. We will have light lunch, presentation on Our Lady Of Hope, fellowship and Rosary. Please enter via the Adoration Chapel, Dorchester St. entrance or downstairs after the Mass. For more information, please contact Ray or Marilyn Yu 902-628-2397, raymaryu@hotmail.com, docmarilyn2013@eastlink.ca.

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.

North Rustico Lions Club Auction Fridays at 1:30am. \$10 per team. 50/50 draw.

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 902-892-9974 for more information.

Valentines Dinner: Central Queens United Church is pleased to invite folks to our annual Valentines Dinner on Fri., Feb.14 at 7pm. This year the main course features a hot roast beef dinner with all the trimmings. This tasty and "hearty" meal will be topped off with a choice of either blueberry or cherry cheesecake. Musical entertainment will be provided by the talented duo of Jeannie Campbell and Charles Reid. Tickets \$25 each and can be purchased by contacting Lois at 902-621-0669. Come celebrate the love or appreciation for a friend, a partner or a neighbour and enjoy a lovely evening out in your community. Storm date Sat., Feb.15.

8 handed auction game at Cymbria Lions club Thursday January 30 at 7pm

Subtle Yoga with Paula: Star of the Sea Club. North Rustico. Every Monday 10:30 am-11:30 am Beginners welcome, no experience necessary. No mat required, light yoga : standing and in a chair. Wear comfortable clothes. Open to all ages, no fee. Come give it a try, meet some friends and have fun! For more information contact Paula: 1-782-234-5845 (phone or text) or itsallyogaright@gmail.com

Come celebrate the "Chandeleur" with us: On February 1 at the Centre acadien Grand-Rustico from 10:45am to 1pm. Georges Arsenault will tell you everything about the Chandeleur history, followed by a savoury (Ham & Cheese) and sweet (maple syrup, sugar, powdered sugar, jam) crepes lunch. 5\$. There'll also be a snowshoe walk at 12:30pm on the "Sentier de nos Racines" trail. Registration required! info@conseilacadienrustico.org or (902) 963-3252

Rustico Bay Seniors' Club announcement: Regular Auction card game Monday night at 7 pm. Next dance on Sat Feb. 1 at 8 pm with music by Country Steel.



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

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time ✕ January 26, 2020

Weekly Mass Schedule

Monday-Tuesday: No Mass
Wednesday 9am Stella Maris
Thursday 9am St. Augustine's
Friday 9am St. Anne's
Saturday 4pm Stella Maris
Sunday 9am St. Anne's
Sunday 10:30am St. Augustine's
Fr. Raj Santiago: 902-393-0572
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Pastoral Associates:
Jacinta Doiron 902-621-0638
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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

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.

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

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

Mass Requests: Contact Fr. Raj for all Mass requests

Last Week's Collections & Donations

St. Augustine's: \$1094.50

St. Anne's: \$

Stella Maris: \$

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

OUR PRAYER LIST

Brian, Evan, Grace, John, Laura, Theresa, Roy Doiron, Beatrice Doucette, Donnie Doucette (Roxy), Tyrel Doucette, Dale Gallant, Edmond Gallant, Stella Gallant, Vic Greenwood, Paul LeBlanc, Naomi (age 13), Monique MacLeod, Kelly Power, Doris Reid, 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.

Questions: If you have any questions about your religion, faith or parish...please write them down, put them in an envelope marked "Questions" and drop it in the offertory. We will try & post answers in a following bulletin.

Hope is praying for rain; faith is bringing an umbrella!
Unknown

When you go through deep waters I WILL be with you.
Isaiah 43:2

www.jp2pastoralunit.com/bulletins.php

Youth Ministries — www.jp2youthministries.com

Confirmation Class

Grades K-8 Class Schedule

Mass As A Class Schedule

All classes at St. Anne's and start at 9:45am	All classes at St. Augustine's and start at 9:30am	Jan. 26 - 10:30am - St Augustine's
February 2	Feb. 2 - St. Augustine's	Feb. 23 - 10:30am - St Augustine's
February 9	Feb. 9 - St. Augustine's	Mar. 23 - 10:30am - St Augustine's
March 1	March 1 - St. Augustine's	Apr. 5 - 10:30am - St Augustine's
	March 8 - St. Augustine's	May 3 - 10:30am - St Augustine's
Retreat: January 25 10am	March 30 - St. Augustine's	
Confirmation will be April 20, 7pm at St. Augustine's	April 19 - St. Augustine's	
	April 26 - St. Augustine's	

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 Ann's is cancelled. For Saturday evening Mass, a decision to cancel will be made by 1:30pm. For St. Ann's morning Mass, the decision will be made by 7am. If Religious Education classes are cancelled there will be an email sent out & a notice on the website. Call 902-393-0572 for information.

Message from Father Raj: I will be out of the country for my vacation from January 7 to February 13. In my absence, Rev. Fr. Brandon will take care of the Masses, Funerals and other spiritual emergencies, So Please contact him for any spiritual emergencies. His mobile number is 902-214-0497. Check weekly Mass times and locations on front of bulletin. Keep me in your prayers for my safe journey.

K of C Parish Dinner: A roast beef meal with all the trimmings will be served in Stella Maris Parish Center Saturday, January 25 following 4pm Mass. The usual free will offering and 50/50 draw will be available. Bring the whole family; everyone most welcome.

Reserve Sunday, January 26 at 3pm for the week of prayer for Christian unity service at Stella Maris.

St. John Paul II Catholic Women's League are inviting all ladies of our unit to our Valentine's Tea on Tues Feb 11 at 12:00 at Stella Maris. Please bring a valentine card which may be homemade but not necessarily. Feel free to bring a guest. If you need a ride call a member near you. Keep in mind that Stella Maris now has an elevator. Storm date Feb 18. If you are new to our parish we'd love to meet you at out tea. Please call Joan at 902 394-2208 or Carolyn at 902-964-2417 to let us know how many to expect.

Fundraiser for Sister Cecile's Work in the Cameroon: A considerable amount of money has been donated since our fundraiser in early December and the final total is now \$14,999.51. That money has been forwarded to her. Thank you on her behalf and on behalf of the people she serves.

Stella Maris' Notices

Any parishioners of Stella Maris wishing to have a reception after a funeral contact Donnie or Mary Blacquiere at 213-2083 so we can make the necessary preparations. The parish is happy to do this to help at a very difficult time.

Ministries for Feb.: **Hospitality:** Eric Blacquiere, Paula Arsenault **Feb. 1 Lectors** Vernon Buote Joan Gallant **Eucharistic Minister** Della Cormier-Smith **Offertory Families** Theresa Costello **Feb. 8 Lectors** Pauline Pineau Katlyn MacLeod **Eucharistic Minister** Carl Pineau **Offertory Families** Helen Gallant

Feb. 15 Lectors Eileen Gauthier Ronnie Blacquiere **Eucharistic Minister** Joan Doiron **Offertory Families** Norman & Theresa Gallant **Feb. 22 Lectors** Andre Lavoie Joan Doiron **Eucharistic Minister** Karen Lavoie **Offertory Families** Marlene & Curtis Gallant **Feb. 29 Lectors** Della Cormier-Smith Joan Gallant **Eucharistic Minister** Joan Doiron **Offertory Families** Carl & Bonita Pineau

St. Augustine's Notices

Ministries: **Feb. 2: Lector:** 1st Anne Marie Vessey 2nd Hope Muttart **Eucharistic Minister:** Anne Marie Buote, Marie Doiron, Louise Doucette **Gifts to the Altar:** Des & Carolyn Nantes **Usher:** Michael Gallant, Terry Doucette, Melvin Gallant, John Blacquiere **Feb. 9: Lector:** 1st Betty Doucette 2nd John Vessey **Eucharistic Minister:** Joseph Gallant, Michael Gallant, Bernadette Gallant **Gifts to the Altar:** Keith, Tammy Gallant & Family **Usher:** Francis Gallant, Louis Arsenault, Edgar Doiron, John Blacquiere **Feb. 16: Lector:** 1st Anne Arsenault 2nd Anne Marie Buote **Eucharistic Minister:** Lori Doucette, Susan Gallant, Anne Marie Vessey **Gifts to the Altar:** Marcel Buote & Simone Pineau **Usher:** Art Buote, Braden Muttart, Darren Doucette, John Blacquiere **Feb. 23: Lector:** Mass as a Class **Eucharistic Minister:** Linda Gallant, Carolyn Nantes, Roma Gallant **Gifts to the Altar:** Mass as a Class **Usher:** Mass as a Class

Property & Finance meeting: The St. Augustine's P&F Committee will be meeting on Tuesday at 7pm in St. Monica's Chapel. Please contact a member of the committee if you have any concerns to be discussed.

Income tax receipts for donations made to St. Augustine's are now available at the entrance of the church. Some receipts have been mailed out. IF you do not find your receipt at the church or get it in the mail in a timely manner please contact Fr. Raj or Les Standen

Volunteers Needed! We are hoping to paint some rooms in the rectory while Fr. Raj is on holiday. He has approved this as well as the property and finance committee. If you can hold a paintbrush we can use you! Many hands make light work. Also makes work more fun! Please call Anne-Marie Vessey (964-3442) or Les Standen (963-2809). PLEASE leave your name and your phone number where you can most easily be reached.

St. Anne's Notices

February Ministries: Proclaimer: Jacinta Doiron **Eucharistic Minister:** Monica Simpson **Ushers/Ministers of Hospitality:** Wilbert Gallant, Leonard Peters, Paula Doiron **Offertory Families: Feb 2** Cory & Tammy Peters & Family, **Feb 9** Ann Marie Farrar, **Feb 16** Yvonne Larkin & Family, **Feb 23** Ray & Kerri Murphy & Family

Fellowship Sunday is the 1st 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 & treats.

Diocese Notices

www.dioceseofcharlottetown.com

CWL area meetings will be held on Saturday, February 29 (storm date March 14) from 10-11 at these locations: East Kings-St. Peter's, St. Peter's Bay; Queens- Our Lady of Assumption, Stratford; East Prince-St. John the Baptist, Miscouche; West Prince- Sacred Heart, Alberton. Workshop theme: Mothers, Faith and Love. Come and bring a friend to these potluck area meetings.

Due to the poor weather, Fr. Brendon Gallant's retreat on Meeting Jesus in the "Ordinary" of Your Life at Our Lady of Hope Retreat Centre has been rescheduled to Jan. 31 - Feb. 2. With this change there are now some openings for those who are still interested in registering. The weekend begins with registration at 6 pm followed by Mass at 7pm. Call the Retreat Centre at 902-621-2385 to book.