



The Saint John-Paul II Pastoral Unit
Stella Maris, St. Anne's & St. Augustine's Parishes, Prince Edward Island
15th Sunday in Ordinary Time ✕ July 11, 2021

This Weekend's Liturgy

1st Reading Amos 7.12-15
2nd Reading Ephesians 1.3-14
Gospel Mark 6.7-13

Weekly Mass Schedule

Monday No Mass
Tuesday 7pm St. Augustine's
Wednesday 9am Stella Maris
Thursday 9am St. Augustine's
Friday 9am St. Anne's
Saturday 4pm Stella Maris
Sunday 9am St. Anne's
Sunday 10:00am Stella Maris
Sunday 10:30am St. Augustine's

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Mass Requests: Contact Fr. Raj for all Mass requests
Baptisms: Contact Fr. Raj for Baptismal Preparation.
Our Bulletin - www.jp2pastoralunit.com/bulletins.php
Diocese of Charlottetown - www.dioceseofcharlottetown.com
Local Knights of Columbus - www.kofc9025.com and like us @ www.facebook.com/kofcrustico
Bulletin Announcements: Email bulletin notices to bulletins@jp2pastoralunit.com or call Francis @ 902-886-2761. Deadline for weekly bulletin is Thurs. at 4pm.

Last Weeks Collections & Donations

St. Augustine's: \$584.00
Special Collection: \$185.00
St. Anne's: July 4: \$641.00
June 27: \$785.00
Stella Maris: \$578.00
Special Collection: \$175.00
Special Collection so far: \$10920.00

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

OUR PRAYER LIST

A youth (brain tumor rehab), Brian, Evan, Grace, John, Laura, Theresa, Mikayla Blacquiére, Steve Callaghan, Dennis Doiron, Roy Doiron, Beatrice Doucette, Edie Doucette, Tyrel Doucette, Albert Gallant, Gayelene Gallant., Pauline Gallant, Nicky Garland, Vic Greenwood, Anne Kirk, Paul LeBlanc, Naomi (age 14), Kathleen MacDonald, Darlene MacGregor, Monique MacLeod, Carolyn Nantes, Bernadette Nelson, Baby Cole Peters, Joe Peters, Bernice Sheehan, Dane Simpson, Susie Smith, Shelley Thomas

To have a name added or removed from the prayer line please contact

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Ingratitude is the soul's enemy. It is a burning wind that dries up the source of love, the dew of mercy, and the streams of grace. Spend today in a spirit of thanksgiving for God's many gifts and blessings which, all too often, we take for granted.

St. Bernard

St. Augustine's Lectors

July 11	Dianne Doucette	August 8	Betty Doucette
July 18	Barry Doiron	August 15	Chris DesRoches
July 25	Della Smith	August 22	Anne Arsenaault
August 1	James Donnelly	August 29	Art Buote

Stella Maris' Lectors

Saturday 4pm

July 10	Karen Gallant	August 7	Karen Gallant
July 17	Eileen Gauthier	August 14	Joan Doiron
July 24	Joan Doiron	August 21	Eileen Gauthier
July 31	Vern Buote	August 28	Joan Doiron

Sunday 10am

July 11	Faye Fyfe	August 8	Faye Fyfe
July 18	Joan Gallant	August 15	Joan Gallant
July 25	Terry Crawford	August 22	Terry Crawford
August 1	Andre Lavoie	August 29	Andre Lavoie

St. Anne's Ministries

July—Lector: Michael King, Eucharistic Minister: Jacinta Doiron

Prayers of the Faithful

For Pope Francis, Fr. Brian MacDougall - Diocesan Administrator, Fr. Raj, Deacon Paul, all priests, religious and lay leaders who work to help everyone feel they are a valued member of their parish. *We pray to the Lord.*

For all political people to work towards a better quality of life for all. *We pray to the Lord.*

We pray that our church will acknowledge the reality of its past experience with the aboriginal community and discover in prayer and communication ways to build new relationships that will understand the truth and create strategies to enable full participation of the aboriginal community in the work of the church. *We pray to the Lord.*

For the Pope's intention for July - We pray that, in social, economic and political situations of conflict, we may be courageous and passionate architects of dialogue and friendship. *We pray to the Lord.*

For all who have suffered hardship and death because of the weather. We pray that their faith will be strong enough to support them in their struggles. *We pray to the Lord.*

For us to be brave when it comes to sharing our faith with co-workers, neighbours and family in a way that will speak volumes - by our actions. We need to walk the walk of Christ. *We pray to the Lord.*

For all who are unwell. We include Mike Gauthier, Jake Doucette. May they face their challenges with faith, hope and courage. *We pray to the Lord.*

For all who have died. May they be welcomed into God's loving embrace. *We pray to the Lord.*

Diocese Notices

Ordination of Rev. Mr. Walter Flynn to the Priesthood: We are very happy to announce that Archbishop Emeritus Martin Currie will be ordaining Deacon Flynn to the priesthood on July 22 (Feast of St. Mary Magdalene, Disciple of the Lord). The ordination will take place at the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer in Charlottetown at 7pm and will be live streamed. In light of the ongoing public health order and to avoid disappointment at the door, we've begun accepting registration for seats at Deacon Walter's ordination. A link to the registration page can be found at <https://dioceseofcharlottetown.com/tickets-for-ordination/> Please keep Deacon Walter in your prayers.

Gifts for Deacon Flynn: Parishes and individuals may wish to give a gift to Deacon Walter Flynn to celebrate his ordination to the priesthood. Broughton's Church Supplies is a Canadian retailer of church supplies, religious books and gifts. Broughton's has been serving the Catholic community for over 45 years and is offering a 10% discount to everyone wishing to purchase a gift or gift card for our newest priest. Visit their website, www.bbroughton.com to browse the many quality products available. Each parish office has been supplied with a list of the items in Deacon Walter's register. When placing an order, enter "Quote #Q9918 for 10% off" in the notes section. For gift card purchases call 1-800-268-4449 or email Brian Broughton Sr. at brian@bbroughton.com.

Heart-of-the Matter Marriage Prep Course is being offered – in person- at the Catholic Centre on North River Road. There will be two opportunities on the weekends (Friday evening and all day Saturday) of July 30/31 and August 27/28. If you are planning to get married in the Catholic Church this coming year please contact Pat Wiedemer or check the diocesan webpage at <https://dioceseofcharlottetown.com/diocesan-ministries/marriage-preparation/> for more information about this course. Registration is required. Space is limited in keeping with public health restrictions. Pat Wiedemer patricia.wiedemer@outlook.com or call 902-393-6047.

Unit Notices

Helping Hands: The Knights of Columbus Council 9025, are undertaking a Program to assist seniors in the John Paul II Pastoral Unit with small odd jobs, for example, hanging curtains, blinds, pictures, putting up a shelf, or minor repairs. If you need help with these jobs or others, please call Genny Gallant 902-963-2989. She will refer your name and request to a member of the Knights of Columbus.

St. Anne's Notices

WIFI Available: St. Anne's Church is now wifi accessible. Please feel free to use our network while at our church.

Live Streaming Mass: We will be live streaming our Sunday Morning mass on Facebook. You can find it at https://www.facebook.com/stannespei/live_videos

Sharing Table items will be donated to the local food bank.

Stella Maris' Notices

Stella Maris Parish Centre: For anyone wishing to use Stella Maris Parish Centre for small gatherings. Information on availability and function restrictions, as per health regulations, are available by contacting Paul Blacquiere @ 902 963-2505 or e-mail paul.blacquiere@pei.sympatico.ca

The Annual Stella Maris Collection: Your contribution may be returned by placing it in the week-end collection or mailing it in the self-addressed envelope. We ask that you be as generous as you can. Extra envelopes will be at the back of the church. Thank you!

St. Augustine's Notices

St. Augustine's parish now accepts online donations at www.donatetostaugustines.ca. You can select 3 fund options from the drop down menu. A tax receipt will be issued automatically. Thank you for your support.

Community Notices

Mary & The Country Gents are back at the Brackley Beach Hall every Tuesday evening, starting June 29, at 7:30pm.

Cymbria Lions July Ceilidhs: July 11 Cynthia MacLeod and Mike Pendergast. July 18 Fiddlers Sons with Keelin Wedge and Courtney Hogan. Doors open 6:30 Canteen Service, 50/50. \$15 adults Children \$5 each. Covid rules apply.

Rustico Bay Ceilidh: We are excited to welcome singer/songwriter Chad Matthews and his band on Saturday, July 17, at 8pm. This is a fundraiser for the North Star Arena Replacement Project that launched "Fill the Jar. Admission will be by donation with the proceeds and the 50/50 going to the fund. Doors open at 7:15. 19 and over. Located at 2104 Church Road in Rustico.

"He began to send them out."

Again it is prophecy that is our theme (see last week). Here, we concentrate on the sending of prophets, the entrusting of the mission to them, and most importantly the necessary qualifications to be a prophet. The only qualification necessary is an open ear, to hear the mandate from God. We see this in Amos, the simple shepherd, and in the Twelve, called by Jesus from their humble occupations, which no one would have thought qualified them to speak on 'religious' themes. As last week, the possibility of rejection and failure is quite explicitly treated - Jesus instructs the Apostles in what to do if they are ignored. When the Gospel simply states, "So they set off to preach repentance..." we can imagine all that was in their minds and hearts as they did so. They had heard the call of Jesus, and allowed it into their hearts: this was all they needed to go out and speak his words.

