



The Saint John-Paul II Pastoral Unit
Stella Maris, St. Anne's & St. Augustine's Parishes, Prince Edward Island
16th Sunday in Ordinary Time ✠ July 18, 2021

This Weekend's Liturgy

1st Reading Jeremiah 23.1-6
2nd Reading Ephesians 2.13-18
Gospel Mark 6.30-34

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 for CWL Members
Saturday 4pm Stella Maris for Clarence Buote
Sunday 9am St. Anne's
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: \$888.10
Special Collection: \$1425.00
St. Anne's: \$1092.00
Stella Maris: \$660.00
Special Collection: \$400.00

Special Collection so far: \$11,320

*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 Blacquiere, 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), Darlene MacGregor, Monique MacLeod, Carolyn Nantes, Bernadette Nelson, 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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The affairs of God are accomplished little by little and almost imperceptibly. The Spirit of God is neither violent nor hasty. He does all things in his time. **St. Vincent de Paul**

St. Augustine's Lectors

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

Stella Maris' Lectors

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

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, all priests, religious and lay leaders as they work to lead their congregation that they always keep in mind the question, "What would Jesus do?" *We pray to the Lord.*

For all politicians to work for justice and peace for all. *We pray to the Lord.*

For all of us, as we celebrate family get-togethers and friends we haven't seen in a long time, that we remember to take some time in quiet reflection and prayer in gratitude for all of our blessings. *We pray to the Lord.*

For Deacon Walter Flynn who will be ordained to the priesthood on July 22nd. May he have a long, healthy and blessed life as our newest diocesan priest. *We pray to the Lord.*

We pray that we will be enabled to identify and engage sensitive and skillful facilitators who will enable us to manage required processes in the interests of both the church and the aboriginal community. *We pray to the Lord.*

For all who are experiencing health challenges. We include Jake Doucette, Mike Gauthier. May they have faith, hope and courage knowing we are praying for them. **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

Deacon Walter Flynn will be ordained to the priesthood for the Diocese of Charlottetown at 7 pm on Thursday, July 22, the Feast of St. Mary Magdalene, Disciple of the Lord. Due to ongoing public health orders, seating is limited to invited and pre-registered guests, however, the celebration will be live streamed on YouTube. The link for the live stream is https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1003P-_dZBA. Please continue to keep Deacon Walter in your prayers.

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 902-360-2067. 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!

Sunday Morning Mass: Due to the very low attendance at Sunday mass at Stella Maris Church on Sundays at 10am, it has been decided that we will be unable to continue with this mass this summer. Mass will be offered at the usual time at 4pm on Saturday. Sorry for any inconvenience.

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 18 Fiddlers Sons with Keelin Wedge and Courtney Hogan, August 1 Fiddlers Sons, August 8 Mike and Shane Pendergast, August 15 Fiddlers Sons, August 22 Tip-ER-Back, August 29 Ross Family. 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.



Babysitter needed: Looking for childcare help for Daria (3 months) and Fitz (6 years), approximately 2 half-days per week, and perhaps the occasional evening, at our home in Brackley Beach. Please email me at [magdalena.mahlstedt@gmail.com](mailto:magdalenamahlstedt@gmail.com) or call/text 902-393-7257 if you are interested or know someone who is.

Rustico Bay Seniors: There will be a meeting of the Rustico Bay Seniors at the club on Monday, July 26 at 7pm. All members are invited to attend. Covid-19 protocol in effect.

You Could Save a Life: Give Blood, call 1-800-236-6283 for appointment.

"They were like sheep without a shepherd."

"Sheep without a shepherd." This is the simple theme of today's readings. It is interesting that Jesus' reaction to the crowd is one of pity – as he sees their great thirst for his teachings. This is, in a sense, a clear fulfilment of the prophecy we hear in the first reading, where God promises a true shepherd who will care for the people of Israel. Shepherding is a particularly suitable image of God's love and care. The dependency of the sheep on their shepherd, their wandering and drifting without someone to guide them, is also a suitable image of the people God loves. Our own age also displays sheep without shepherds - a great wandering crowd, seeking something, but not knowing what they are seeking. It is to this flock that the present day followers of Jesus are sent as shepherds.

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