



The Saint John-Paul II Pastoral Unit

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

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time ✠ November 14, 2021

This Weekend's Liturgy

1st Reading Daniel 12.1-3

2nd Reading Hebrews 10.11-7; 18

Gospel Mark 13.24-32

Weekly Mass Schedule

Monday No Mass

Tuesday 7pm St. Augustine's

Wednesday 10am St. Anne's Memorial Mass for Glenn Doiron

Thursday 9am St. Augustine's

Friday 9am Stella Maris

Saturday 4pm Stella Maris for Regis Peters

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

St. Anne's Ministries

November—Lector: Lori Ann MacFarlane Eucharistic Minister: Charlene VanLeeuwen

Stella Maris' Lectors

November 13

Faye Fyfe

November 20

Eileen Gauthier

November 27

Andre Lavoie

December 4

Joan Doiron

December 11

Vern Buote

December 18

Karen Gallant

St. Augustine's Lectors

November 14 Barry Doiron

November 21 Art Buote

November 28 Anne Marie Vessey

December 5 Lori Doucette

December 12 Betty Doucette

December 19 Chris DesRoches

December 24 Anne Arsenaault

December 25 James Donnelly

December 29 Della Cormier Smith

Peacefully do at each moment what at that moment ought to be done. If we do what each moment requires, we will eventually complete God's plan, whatever it is. We can trust God to take care of the master plan when we take care of the details.
St Katharine Drexel

Diocesan Notices

Did you know there have been fourteen international World Youth Days since 1985? International World Youth Day Gatherings take place every two to three years and draw millions of young people from around the world for prayer, catechesis, and fellowship. Important events are the Days in the Diocese, a prayer vigil, and Mass with the Pope. The next one is being organized in Lisbon in August 2023.

Development and Peace-Caritas Canada invites you to join in its Fall Action, People and Planet First, by signing an online petition at www.devp.org/en/campaign/people-planet-first/take-action/. You can sign online or download it and collect 25 signatures to present to your MP. Each petition requires only a signature and postal code. It calls on the House of Commons to adopt human rights and environmental due diligence legislation establishing a legal right for people who have been harmed by Canadian mining companies to seek justice in Canadian courts. For further information, call 902-969-2693.

Did you know that every World Youth Day has a theme? This year the theme is: "Stand up! I appoint you as a witness of what you have seen (Acts 26:16)." Each year, the Pope writes a message to young people on the theme. The message for the upcoming World Youth Day can be found at: https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/messages/youth/documents/papa-francesco_20210914_messaggio-giovani_2021.html

Unit Notices

KofC Food Pantry: The hours of operation for the food pantry at Stella Maris Church are Monday and Friday: 10am to 12noon and Wednesday: 3pm to 5pm. If you require assistance outside of these hours, please contact Donnie Blacquiere at 902-569-8536. Visit our website at www.kofc9025.com for more information.

Last Weeks Collections & Donations

St. Augustine's: October 31: \$634.00

November 7: \$81.00

St. Anne's: \$650.00

Cemetery Fund: \$365.00

Stella Maris: \$1235.00

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, Trinity, Mikayla Blacquiere, Steve Callaghan, Roy Doiron, Beatrice Doucette, Edie Doucette, Albert Gallant, Gayelene Gallant, James Darren Gallant, Pauline Gallant, Nicky Garland, Vic Greenwood, Paul LeBlanc, Naomi (age 14), Darlene MacGregor, Monique MacLeod, Brad McBride, Carolyn Nantes, Desi Nantes, Bernadette Nelson, Terry Perry, Joe Peters, Bernice Sheehan, Dane Simpson, Susie Smith, Shelley Thomas
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 902-916-1074

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.

Knights of Columbus: As we work toward recovering from the Covid 19 pandemic our parishes and churches need people who will be there to help. The Knights of Columbus is a Catholic men's organization with over 2 million members world wide, and yes we are here to help. If you are a male 18 years of age or older you can be part of this great fraternal order. All you need to do is go to kofc.org/joinus and complete the online application. We look forward to having more men available to help in our parishes and churches.

CWL/New Ladies Group: Our CWL Council has now disbanded. In its place, we have a new group, the Saint John Paul II Ladies Group. This group will, for the most part, function as our CWL council did, with a spiritual component, continuation of our charitable activities, as well as occasional social activities. The first meeting of this group will be the Ladies' Retreat on November 9th, (details elsewhere in this bulletin). The new group will charge no dues, and all members of the parishes of the John Paul II Pastoral Unit will automatically be members. For further information, you are invited to call Mary Blacquiere, 213-2083.

Fundraiser for Sister Cecile: The family and friends of Sister Cecile Buote, missionary in Kumbo, Cameroon would like to invite everyone to donate to our Christmas fundraiser that will help some of the most destitute there. To donate, e-transfer to: buote5613@gmail.com or mail to: Arthur Buote, 2129 Church Rd, Hunter River, PE C0A1N0. All checks to: Buote Mission Fund. Cash donations will also be accepted at Provincial Credit Union, Stella Maris Branch and at Rustico Bay Seniors Club on Dec 5.

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 Online: You can find it at https://www.facebook.com/stannespei/live_videos

Sharing Table items: For the month of November let's share games, books, puzzles, mitts, hats etc. Thanks to all who bring items for the university caring cupboard.

Bursary Applications for St. Anne's parishioners attending university & college are now available the back of the church. Deadline for applications is November 15. You can download at www.jp2pastoralunit.com/files/2021.pdf

Provincial Dental Care Program: There has been a Provincial Dental Care Program announced for all islanders. It helps with the cost of dentistry based on your income. There are some application forms at the entrances to the church with information about who and how it could benefit your family. If you have any questions reach out to Monica Simpson.

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

Effective immediately, Stella Maris Church will no longer be open on a daily basis. It will be open for Mass & scheduled events as well as during Food Bank hours (Monday & Friday 10 am to noon & Wednesday 3 pm to 5 pm)

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

Michele's Chair & Balance classes will be at the North Rustico Lions Club. The classes will run on Tuesdays & Thursdays at 2pm. This program is designed for older adults just beginning to get into fitness & for those with mobility challenges resulting from such conditions as Arthritis, Fibromyalgia, Osteoporosis, Cerebral Palsy, Parkinson's, etc.. Fee is by donation. Sanitized equipment will be provided. Masks are to be worn when entering & exiting the building. Once seated with social distancing you are able to remove your mask. Join us for some fun & laughs, while improving our health & wellness. For more info Michele Gallant at 902-626-9799 or magallant58@gmail.com.

Crib is at Cymbria Lions Club on Thursday at 7pm. Vax pass and mask required.

"Coffe Break" Every Tuesday from 10-11am at the Star of the Sea Club, North Rustico. Take a break, coffee, tea, and have a chat. Clogging every Monday at 1:30pm. Everyone Welcome. Seniors Monthly Meeting on Wednesday, November 24, at 1:30. Seniors Christmas Party on Friday, December 3, 8:00 -11:00. Gift (\$10) Exchange. Music, Food. Each member may bring a guest. Vax Pass and Masks are necessary.

Praise Service: Central Queens United Church will be holding a Praise Service at the church Sunday November 14 at 7pm. Music by Central Queens Musical Friends, Sarah Weeks and Kirk Neville. Admission free. Free will offering graciously accepted. To attend please register at the church at 902 964-2221. Hope to see you there!

Rustico Bay Club: Card games Monday at 7pm. 50/50 and \$100 in prizes. Yoga with Leone Curtis every Monday and Wednesday from 9:30 - 10:30. \$5/class. Vax pass. Help with technology is Saturday at 9am.

Christmas Dinner for Seniors: Open to all seniors in the North Rustico Lions Club district. 65 years old and over. Sunday, December 12, take out only. Cost \$5. Tickets are sold at the bar. Pickup between 4-5pm. Deadline for tickets is December 4. Food bank donation would be much appreciated.

"He will gather his chosen from the four winds."

As always at this time of year, we begin to contemplate the end of the world - a theme that carries us over next Sunday's feast (Christ the King) and so into Advent. Such a contemplation is not gloomy or morbid: throughout the ages (and especially in the early days) Christians have been utterly positive about the coming end of all things, because we know what will happen, and in fact we earnestly desire it to come: the phrase that gives this away is in the Gospel: Then he will send his angels to gather his chosen from the four winds. This gathering of God's children together will be a truly wonderful event, when we will all be completely enfolded in that love of God that we talk so much about.