



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

Sixth Sunday of Easter ✠ May 22, 2022

This Weekend's Liturgy

1st Reading Acts 15.1-2, 22-29
 2nd Reading Revelation 21.10-14, 22-23
 Gospel John 14.23-29

Weekly Mass Schedule

Monday-Friday No Mass
Saturday 4pm Stella Maris for Bernice and Cecilie 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 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: \$900.30

Stella Maris: \$995.00

St. Anne's: May 8: \$570.00

Education for Seminarians: \$220.00

May 15: \$690.00

*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, Steve Callaghan, Doug Collister, Curt
 Evans, Albert Gallant, Gayelene Gallant,
 James Darren Gallant, Pat and Wally Gallant,
 Nicky Garland, Rilly Gauthier, Vic
 Greenwood, Paul LeBlanc, Naomi (age 15),
 Darlene MacGregor, Monique MacLeod, Brad
 McBride, Desi Nantes, Bernadette Nelson, Joe
 Peters, Bernice Sheehan, Dane Simpson,
 Susie Smith, Emeric Walsh

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

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Stella Maris' Lectors

May 21 Joan Doiron May 28 Andre Lavoie

St. Anne's Ministries

May—Lector: Michael King, Eucharistic Minister: Savio Dias

St. Augustine's Lectors

May 22 Betty Doucette	June 12 Art Buote
May 29 Anne Arsenault	June 19 Chris DesRoches
June 5 James Donnelly	June 26 Barry Doiron

St. Augustine's Offering Reconciliation

May 22 James Donnelly / Art Buote	July 3 James Donnelly / Barry Doiron
May 29 James Donnelly / Art Buote	July 10 James Donnelly / Barry Doiron
June 5 James Donnelly / Linda Gallant	July 17 James Donnelly / Gerarda Gallant
June 12 James Donnelly / Linda Gallant	July 24 James Donnelly / Gerarda Gallant
June 19 James Donnelly / Colleen Williams	July 31 James Donnelly / Art Buote
June 26 James Donnelly / Colleen Williams	

Prayer is the raising of the mind to God. The actual words matter less.

St. John XXIII

Prayers of the faithful

For Pope Francis, Fr. Brian MacDougall - Diocesan Administrator, Fr. Raj, all priests, religious, seminarians and lay leaders as they make Jesus' love visible to all through their actions. *We pray to the Lord.*

For all politicians to work for the improvement of their community and constituents. *We pray to the Lord.*

For Cali, Brenden, Lucas and Gavin who were confirmed on Tuesday evening. May they call on the Holy Spirit for guidance and help to live their life based on faith and love of God. *We pray to the Lord.*

For all the priests in the Diocese who go on retreat this week. May they be enriched and grounded in their vocation. *We pray to the Lord.*

For all travelers this holiday weekend that they stay safe and healthy and enjoy making memories with their loved ones. *We pray to the Lord.*

For all who are confused about our faith and are wondering what they should do. May they remember God's most important commandment "to love one another as I have loved you". *We pray to the Lord.*

For all who are experiencing health challenges including Catherine Andersen, Mike Gauthier, Joe Peters, Joan Haya-mi. May they face their challenges with faith, hope and love. *We pray to the Lord.*

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

Diocese Notices

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land: As things reopen across the world, we are looking again to go to the land on which Jesus walked, taught, and suffered for us. Would you like 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 October 16-24, 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 Chelsey Wheatley at CAA Travel for more information: cwheatley@atlantic.caa.ca or at 902-892-0990.

Unit Notices

KofC Food Pantry: The hours of operation for the food pantry at Stella Maris Church are Monday and Friday: 10am to 12 noon and Wednesday: 3pm to 5pm. Food items can be dropped off during operating hours or also at the North Rustico Home Hardware during store hours. 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.

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.

Our Website: Please take a moment and check out our website, www.jp2pastoralunit.com. We are looking for suggestions to make the website more useful for our parishioners. If you have any ideas/content for the site or if you'd like to help take care of the site please contact us at website@jp2pastoralunit.com.

First Communion: Please come and show our youth they are important to us. On June 12 at St. Augustine's we will be celebrating 3 young people receiving their First Communion.

Thank You: I want to say a huge thank you to all my family and friends for coming to help me celebrate my 90th birthday. Thanks for all the cards, gifts and phone calls and Father Raj for offering mass for me. You all helped make my day so special. God bless you all. *Vince Gallant.*

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

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

Stella Maris Church will now be open on a daily basis from 10am to 4pm beginning May 16 to mid-September.

Stella Maris Church Lobster Supper Fundraiser: A fundraiser to assist in paying for recent renovations to our parish center will be held on Saturday May 28 in Stella Maris Church Hall. The cost is a minimum of \$15 (Lobster, potato salad, coleslaw and dessert). As this is a fundraiser, please be generous. Reservations are required and take-out and eat-in meals are available. To reserve your dinner, please call either: Margaret Goulding at (902)360-2118 or Andre Lavoie at (902)963-2380. Take-out dinner service will begin at 4:30 and the back door of the Church must be used to pick up these meals. Eat-in service will begin at 5pm. Come and enjoy a lobster dinner while supporting our Parish.

St. Augustine's Notices

The Funeral Mass for Margaret Blacquiere will be held on Saturday, May 28 at 10:30am. All are invited to attend.

Spring Clean up: On behalf of Fr. Raj and the property and finance committee, thank you to all of the parishioners who came out on May 9 to help with the clean up of the cemeteries and church grounds. Many hands made for light work and the place looked terrific afterwards. Your continued support of our parish is greatly appreciated.

Community Notices

Star of the Sea Seniors Club, North Rustico: Activities: Coffee Break, 10am Tues; Card Party, 7pm Tues; Stitch Group, 9:30 Wed. For Club Rentals, call Estelle 963-3599. Anyone interested in playing Darts at Seniors Club? What activities would you like to see happen at our Club? Remember, our popular Ceilidhs will be a go in June. President Genny G. 360-2067. Monthly Meeting, May 25 at 1:30. Line Dancing begins on May 19. (Beginners 10 to 11, Advanced 11 to 12). Small donation accepted. To Register, call Michael 360-2046.

Hot Roast Beef Supper: Central Queens United Church, Hunter River, is holding their annual spring take-out Hot Roast Beef Supper on Sat., June 4. A tasty hot roast beef supper with all the trimmings including scrumptious homemade desserts! Ticket prices: Adults: \$18, children (6-12 yrs.): \$7, and free for children under 6 yrs. Please note: This dinner is take-out only. Customers should remain in their vehicles, tickets will be collected at that time and meals delivered to your car. Three take-out times: 3:30, 4:30 and 5:30. Tickets must be ordered in advance by calling Debbie at 902-964-2882 or Lois at 902-621-0669.

Rustico Bay Club Ceilidh will welcome Mike Lonergan on Saturday, May 28 at 8pm. Mike will entertain you with a bit of everything, from Irish music to familiar country and some of Mike's own compositions. Doors open at 7:15 pm. Bar service is available. Masks encouraged. Admission \$10 at the door.

Rustico Bay Club. Cards are every Monday at 7pm. Help with Technology is every Saturday at 9am.

"Lobster Supper Take Out" sponsored by The Star of the Sea Club, North Rustico. Sunday, June 12. Pick up Time 4-5pm. Cost \$25 To purchase a ticket, please call Rose at 963-3516.

Summer Cash Give Away: Spinal Cord Injury PEI is back selling its tickets for the Summer Cash Give away. Prizes are \$3000 and \$500 for 1st and 2nd place. Funds go towards the clients and the services. The cost is \$25 for 1 ticket , 3 tickets for \$60 and \$100 for 5 tickets. For more information contact the office at 902-370-9523.

The Word This Week

The Holy Spirit will remind you of all I have said to you.

As Eastertide unfolds, we feel the power and influence of the Spirit growing. This is the Spirit who raised Jesus from the dead, and the Spirit who brings the Church to birth at Pentecost. As we journey towards Pentecost - the climax of the Easter Season - we should be considering the presence of the Spirit in the Church today: the reconciler of disputes, the solver of problems, true inspiration for the family of God on our journey to the New Jerusalem! From this side, Pentecost is about promise: the Lord at the Last Supper promises that He and the Father will be "at home" with all who keep his words - and it is the Advocate, the Holy Spirit who will remind us of these and all his words. We believe that all Scripture is "inspired" - the word of the Spirit - so as we listen or proclaim this Sunday let us look for the fulfillment of the promise made by the Lord.