



## The Saint John-Paul II Pastoral Unit

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

# 20<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time ✠ August 14, 2022

### This Weekend's Liturgy

1st Reading Jeremiah 38.4-6, 8-10

2nd Reading Hebrews 12.1-4

Gospel Luke 12.49-53

### Weekly Mass Schedule

**Monday** 9am St. Anne's Feast of the Assumption

**Tuesday** 7pm St. Augustine's

**Wednesday** 9am Stella Maris

**Wednesday** 11am St. Anne's funeral for Richard Fleming

**Thursday** 9am St. Augustine's

**Friday** No Mass

**Saturday** 4pm Stella Maris for Dale & Bridget Peters

**Sunday** 9am St. Anne's

**Sunday** 10:30am St. Augustine's for Elmer & Louise Gallant

If there is a funeral at the parish where daily mass is offered, then mass at that parish will be cancelled on that day.

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August 13 Lector: Faye Fyfe  
August 20 Lector: Karen Lavoie  
August 27 Lector: Joan Gallant

August 14 Lector Anne Arsenault  
August 21 Lector Chris DesRoches  
August 28 Lector Lori Doucette

### Stella Maris' Ministries

Communion Ministers: Carl Pineau and Joan Doiron

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### St. Augustine's Ministries

Eucharistic Ministers Janice Blacquiere Della Cormier-Smith

Eucharistic Minister Delma Good Lori Doucette

Eucharistic Minister Linda Gallant James Donnelly

### St. Anne's Ministries

August—Lector: Jacinta Doiron, Eucharistic Minister: Rosemary MacDonald

Seek refuge in Mary because she is the city of refuge.

*St. Anthony of Padua*

### Diocese Notices

**Reunion:** After a two year COVID induced hiatus, the annual Queen Square School Reunion is scheduled for Friday, August 19 from 4-7 pm at the Murphy Centre at 200 Richmond Street in Charlottetown. Former students and teachers are invited to renew longstanding friendships and reminisce about our former school. Light refreshments and mussels will be provided. Please plan to attend.

**The summer concert series** at the Basilica returns on Wednesday August 17, with Basilica organist Leo Marchildon showcasing the colours of the Casavant pipe organ through the works of the French Romantic masters. On Tuesday August 23, countertenor Vhikhthor Vhølkhem teams up with Leo Marchildon to present ORGANOPERA!, a mixture of opera classics accompanied on the pipe organ. On Wednesday August 31, the Basilica presents CANTOR-SING! featuring the vocal talents of the various Basilica soloists performing pieces outside of their usual Sunday morning repertoire. All concerts take place at St. Dunstan's Basilica and start at 1pm. Admission is by free will offering.

**The annual Bishop Angus Bernard MacEachern Mass** will be held at 4pm Sunday afternoon, August 21 at the St. Andrew's Chapel. This Mass commemorates the arrival on the Island of the founder of the Diocese of Charlottetown. The Chapel is 2 kilometers east of Mt. Stewart on the St. Peters Highway. A small luncheon will be served after Mass, and all are welcome.

### Unit Notices

**Knights of Columbus 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](http://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.

**Note From Fr Albin:** Fr. Albin would like to inform our parishioners that he has a life threatening allergy to the odor of Chlorine and Javex, so please be mindful of this if you are inviting him to your home or if you are involved in cleaning of any kind in parish buildings. Also be aware that carpet cleaners may use products with these cleaners & homes with swimming pools would also be an issue.

### Last Weeks Collections & Donations

St. Augustine's: \$1652.05

Stella Maris: \$700.00

Special Collection: \$250.00

Special Collection so far: \$9605.00

St. Anne's: \$631.00

*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, Allan Arsenault, Steve Callaghan, Doug Collister, Curt Evans, Michael Fyfe, Albert Gallant, Gayelene Gallant, James Darren Gallant, Pat and Wally Gallant, Nicky Garland, Rilley Gauthier, Vic Greenwood, Paul LeBlanc, Naomi (age 15), Darlene MacGregor, Monique MacLeod, Brad McBride, Sean McCormick, 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

**Marion Murphy** 902-621-0725

**Angela Gallant** 902-393-0960

**Rose Gallant** 902-963-3516

**Unit Welcome Reception:** Rain or Shine. Please join us for a Reception, to welcome Fr. Albin to John Paul II Unit. It will be held on Sunday August 21 after 10:30 mass in St. Augustine's. Hotdogs and some drinks will be provided. If you wish to bring your own drink, please do so. Also, if you have a favorite picnic snack to share with others, gladly welcomed. Bring a chair and other essentials you require while enjoying the outdoors. This is a unit Event. Any musician who would like to bring their instruments for a sing a long would make for a good ole fashion picnic.

**Family Faith Formation:** Hey everyone! It's that time of year again!! We need YOU to let us know if your family is interested in taking part in our faith growing program called I-3 Reflections - Inspire, Inform, Impact. Call me at 902-964-3442 for more information. *Anne-Marie Vessey Religion Coordinator for St. John Paul II Pastoral Unit*

**Sacrament Training:** If you are of age to receive your First Holy Communion (Usually 7-9 years old) or you want to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation (Usually 14 - 16 years old) you need to call 902-964-3442 to let us know. We will then contact you to arrange times when we can meet. *Anne-Marie Vessey Religion Coordinator for St. John Paul II Pastoral Unit*

### St. Anne's Notices

**WIFI Available:** St. Anne's is 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](https://www.facebook.com/stannespei/live_videos)

**St. Anne's Cemetery Sunday** is August 14. Carnations will be distributed after the 9am mass to be placed at the graves of loved ones.

**The funeral for Richard Fleming** will be held on Wednesday, August 17 at 11am in St. Anne's Church, Hope River with Father Albin Arsenault officiating. Interment to follow in the church cemetery.

### 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](mailto: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.

**Annual Stella Maris Collection:** Your contribution maybe returned by placing it in the weekend collections or mailing it in the self-addressed envelopes. We ask that you can be as generous as you can. Extra envelopes are available at the back of the church. Thank you

### St. Augustine's Notices

**Wanted !!!! - Bell ringers!** St. Augustine's is in need of some bell ringers. If you have strong arms and shoulders you can pull the ropes for the bells. We are looking to put a group together to learn about the bells and how to make them sound their best! If you are interested please call Anne-Marie Vessey 902-964-3442.

**St. Augustine's Prayer Line:** We are looking for new members, if you would like to join or have more information please call Angela at 902-963-3438 or 902-393-0960.

**French Reading:** Fr. Albin would like to advise, that every second Sunday beginning August 14, (the day before the Feast of the Acadians; Our Lady of the Assumption), the second reading of the Mass will be proclaimed in the French language.

**Special Mass:** St. Augustine's will be having a special Mass on Sunday, August 28 at 10:30 in honour of our patron saint. August 28 is the feast day for St. Augustine.

**Second Reading:** Due to the second reading being read in French and that there are very few missals in the Church, we will print the reading below:

**Hebrews 12.1-4:** Brothers and sisters: Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfecter of our faith, who for the sake of the joy that was set before him, endured the cross, disregarding its shame, and has taken his seat at the right hand of the throne of God. Consider Jesus who endured such hostility against himself from sinners, so that you may not grow weary or lose heart. In your struggle against sin you have not yet resisted to the point of shedding your blood. The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God

### Community Notices

**Star of the Sea Seniors Club, North Rustico:** Activities: 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? President Genny G. 360-2067.

**Cymbria Lions Ceilidhs:** August 14 Fiddlers Sons with Cynthia MacLeod, August 21 Louise and Johnny Arsenault, August 28 The Ross Family. Doors open at 6:30pm. Adults \$15. Children \$5. 50/50 and canteen service.

**On, Sunday August 14 at 1pm at the Farmers' Bank;** Les Jeux de l'Acadie 50+, Rustico Bay Seniors in cooperation with the Conseil Acadien de Rustico will sponsor a presentation by Georges Arsenault, renowned Acadian historian. He will focus on 300 years of Acadian history and the story of La Maison Doucet. Followed by a light snack. Free admission and everyone welcome.

**Ceilidh:** August 18 and September 1 from 7pm-9pm at Star of the Sea Club, North Rustico. Featuring Brian Knox and special guests.

**Rustico Bay Club Ceilidh** to welcome "Still Kicking" with Brian Blacquiere and friends on Saturday, August 20 at 8pm. They play a bit of everything from old time fiddling to some of your country favorites to rock and roll. Doors open at 7:15. Bar service, 50/50. 19 and over.

**Ceilidh:** Mary & The Country Gents are at the Brackley Beach Hall every Tuesday evening at 7:30pm. This week's special guest is violin player Lorraine Lynch.

### Memorial Mass Request

Dear Father:

Please have a Mass offered for the repose of the soul of: \_\_\_\_\_

At \_\_\_\_\_ church. Preferred date: \_\_\_\_\_

Requested by: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Offering enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please place this stub along with your offering in an envelope and place it in the Sunday collection or give it to the priest. (The customary stipend for masses is \$10)