

The Saint John-Paul II Pastoral Unit

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

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time ✠ November 6, 2022

This Weekend's Liturgy

1st Reading 2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 9-14

2nd Reading 2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5

Gospel Luke 20:27-38

Weekly Mass Schedule

Monday 9am St. Anne's

Tuesday 7pm St. Augustine's for Aline Arsenault

Wednesday 9am Stella Maris Special intention - Leo & Suzanne McCormick

Thursday 9am St. Augustine's for Elmer & Louise Gallant

Friday No Mass

Saturday 4pm Stella Maris for the people

Sunday 9am St. Anne's

Sunday 10:30am St. Augustine's

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

Confessions will be offered after the Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday weekly masses;

St. Anne's – Monday @ 9:30 am

St. Augustine's – Tuesday @ 7:30 pm

Stella Maris – Wednesday @ 9:30 am

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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: \$889.75

Stella Maris: N/A

St. Anne's: \$506.00

World Mission: \$20.00

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, Steve Callaghan, Doug Collister, Louis Blanchard, John Dawson, Curt Evans, Albert Gallant, Gayelene Gallant, Pat and Wally Gallant, Nicky Garland, Rilly Gauthier, Vic Greenwood, Paul LeBlanc, Gert LeClair, Naomi (age 15), Darlene MacGregor, Monique MacLeod, Brad McBride, Desi Nantes, Bernadette Nelson, Joe Peters, Bernice Sheehan, Dane Simpson, Susie Smith, Emeric Walsh, Pauline Walsh
To have a name added or removed from the prayer line please contact

Marion Murphy 902-621-0725

Angela Gallant 902-393-0960

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Stella Maris' Ministries

Nov 5 Lector: Vern Buote

Nov 12 Lector: Andre Lavoie

Nov 19 Lector: Karen Lavoie

Nov 26 Lector: Eileen Gauthier

Eucharistic Ministers: Carl Pineau and Estelle Bourgeois

Eucharistic Ministers: Carl Pineau and Carol Probert

Eucharistic Ministers: Carl Pineau and Joan Doiron

Eucharistic Ministers: Carl Pineau and Lorraine Lemay

St. Anne's Ministries

Lector: Monica Simpson

Eucharistic Minister: Marina Doiron

If a tiny spark of God's love already burns within you, do not expose it to the wind, for it may get blown out. Keep the stove tightly shut so that it will not lose its heat and grow cold. In other words, avoid distractions as well as you can. Stay quiet with God. Do not spend your time in useless chatter.

St. Charles Borromeo

Diocese Notices

Registration for Leave Everything and Pray (LEAP) Retreats is now open! These retreats are taking place across the Diocese for high school students (grade 10-12), and will include fun, talks, and prayer. Dates and times vary for each location. For more information on specific events, including registration, visit: <https://youth.dioceseofcharlottetown.com/leave-everything-and-pray-leap-retreats/>

World Youth Day at Home is happening! Join the Diocesan Youth Ministry Office and UPEI Chaplaincy Centre in celebrating World Youth Day in our Diocese on Sunday, November 20, at 1pm. We will gather at UPEI for music, talks, and prayer, before walking to St. Dunstan's Basilica for Mass at 5pm. High school youth, young adults and the young-at-heart welcome! Registration encouraged. For more information and registration, visit <https://youth.dioceseofcharlottetown.com/world-youth-day/>

This weekend's collection for the Indigenous Reconciliation Fund Campaign will proceed the same as with other special collections, with the total amount from each parish forwarded to the diocese. Parishioners wanting a receipt from the parish will need to include the relevant information on their collection envelope.

Join Professor Dr. David Deane on Saturday, November 26, at 10am for a lecture entitled "Why is the Church dying, and what can we do about it?" Dr. Deane teaches courses in areas such as Christology, the doctrine of God, the Holy Spirit, early Christian thought, moral theology, atheism, anarchism, and Roman Catholic theology and apologetics. There will be an opportunity to ask questions and learn more about Catholic programming at Atlantic School of Theology. This event will be held in-person in the Knights of Columbus meeting room at St Dunstan's Basilica or you can join via zoom. Please RSVP: <https://forms.office.com/r/SXUEMLhF5Z> or contact Lydia at lydia.hood@astheology.ns.ca or 902-430-7662.

Memorial Concert, 7 pm Sunday, November 20 at St Francis of Assisi Church in Cornwall: This special evening, hosted by the parish's Knights of Columbus council, will be an opportunity for current and former parishioners, living on- and off-Island, to make a donation in honour of loved ones who have passed. Memorial candles will be lit before each song and the names of those loved ones being honoured will be read. The concert, featuring 20 talented singers and musicians, will be live-streamed. A personal invitation and donation card can be emailed or posted to your home by contacting basilfavaro@gmail.com or 902-569-8826.

Unit Notices

Family Faith Formation - Our next gathering will be on November 13 at 10am -11:30am at St. Anne's Church. Adults and students are welcome. We ask that students register by going to www.jp2youthministries.com.

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 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.

The next K of C unit dinner will be on November 19 at 4:45 pm. More details to follow next week.

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: Our Church will be opened during the following hours: 4pm Mass on Saturdays and 9am Mass on Wednesdays. Also, our Church will be open during the food-bank hours which are as follows: Mondays & Fridays - 10am to Noon; Wednesdays - 3pm to 5pm. Of course, our Church will be open for any other occasions such as weddings, funerals, baptisms, etc.

St. Augustine's Notices

French Reading: Every second Sunday of the month, the second reading of the Mass will be proclaimed in the French language.

The property and finance committee will hold it's next meeting on Tuesday November 8 at 8pm at the home of James Donnelly.

St. Anne's Notices

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

Coats and Winter Gear: For the next few weeks we will collect coats and winter gear to share with others—children and adults sizes are needed. We will deliver them to collection sites.

In the interest of improving communication and being well prepared, the property and finance committee has decided it would be best to have one point of contact for everyone who wishes to use the church or church basement. This ensures we don't double book our space, the heat is on, hot water is on if required, washrooms are cleaned, doors are unlocked etc when required. Going forward, if anyone is looking to utilize our facilities, please make contact with Monica Simpson at 902-213-1486 (text or call) or simpsonmonica@hotmail.com. We are happy to have our facility used as much as possible and look forward to hearing from anyone who may want to hold events at St Anne's.

The property and Finance committee is in need of help. We all miss Dennis dearly, and as a committee we really miss Dennis and all he did for our parish. We need a handyman to ensure tasks at the church get looked after. Someone to check in on the church weekly, and either fix what needs fixing or arrange for someone to fix what needs fixing. Please contact anyone on the property and finance committee (Heather Doiron, Francis Wieggers, Pauline Pineau, Monica Simpson) if you or anyone you can think of might be interested or able to fill this need for us. There is remuneration for your time. Also, anyone who sees something that needs attention please bring it to our attention so it gets put on the list of to do's.

Bursary Applications for St. Anne's parishioners attending university & college are now available the back of the church. Deadline for applications is November 30. You can download at www.jp2pastoralunit.com/files/2021.pdf

Community Notices

Star of the Sea Seniors Club, North Rustico: Activities: Card Party, 7pm Tues; Stitch Group, 9:30 Wed; Coffee Break, 10:00 -11:00 every Tues. For Club Rentals call Estelle 963-3599. Mat Yoga (Monday), Chair Yoga (Friday) please call Paula 782-234-5845. Clogging. Mondays beginning. Nov.7, 1:30. Seniors Club Meeting, Nov. 16, 1:30.

Cribbage every Thursday at 7pm at Cymbria Lions Club.

Bluefield High School Christmas Craft Fair. Friday, November 18, 5:30 pm-9:00 pm and Saturday November 19, 10:00 am-5:00 pm. • Door Prizes • Band Music Entertainment •Canteen Services. Admission: \$2. Contact Bluefield High School at T:902-675-7480 or April at adcarr1978@gmail.com or T:902-978-0886 to reserve a table.

Oil Painting Classes at Rustico Bay Senior's Club with Donalda Doucette beginning Wednesday Nov 16, 1-4pm. All seniors 50+ are eligible. Only 10 spaces available. All oils and materials supplied. To register call Donalda at 902-963-3279 before Nov 9.

Central Queens United Church, Hunter River, is pleased to announce it's time for our annual frozen pie sale! Orders will be accepted from Nov. 6 - Nov. 20. These delicious 8" pies are a popular purchase as gifts, hosting or just to satisfy a quick evening dessert craving. There are 9 flavours available including: cherry, apple, strawberry/rhubarb, pumpkin, no sugar added apple, caramel/apple, blueberry, classic berry for \$7.50 each and pecan at \$8.50 each. Pie pickup will be Dec. 8 from 12 noon - 6p.m. To order call Lois at 902-621-0669.

Rustico Bay Club Ceilidh and dance, Saturday, November 12 at 8pm with "Still Rocking". Brian Knox, drummer, will be accompanied by Peter Burke, vocalist, Dave Moore on base and Jimmy Platts on guitar. They play a bit of everything from old time rock & roll to many of your country favorites. Doors open at 7:15. Bar service, 50/50. 19 & over. Located at 2104 Church Rd. in Rustico.

Memorial Mass Request

Dear Father:

Please have a Mass offered for the repose of the soul of: _____

At _____ church. Preferred date: _____

Requested by: _____ (please reserve well in advance)

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)