guests will include Party Mix, Touch of Country featuring Mary Smith, Theo Wiegers, Lou Doiron and Wayne Diamond. Also performing will be Central Queens Musical Friends and Susan Pitre. Do not miss the delicious home-made cakes for auction too! Light refreshments for all. \$10 admission at the door.

Attention Reid Descendants: The Reid Reunion committee is currently planning an afternoon social on Sunday, August 14 2016 starting at 1pm at the Cymbria Lions Club in South Rustico. Some activities include information about our genealogy, website, stories about our ancestors, fun for the children, strawberries and ice cream and social time. This event is free so please encourage other members of your family to join us. Any questions please email moe macneil@rocketmail.com. Check out our website at reidreunion.wordpress.com.

Ceilidh is planned for Kelly's Community Centre for Sunday, July 17 at 7pm. For a list of guest entertainers and other information, see the Guardian's, "Don't Miss This", Friday, July 16.

## Acadian Days Celebrations Continue at person.

the Farmers' Bank of Rustico and Doucet House Museums: On Thursday, July 21 from 5:30-7:15pm, Pendergast will prepare Traditional Acadian Food at the Outdoor Clay Bake Oven at the Doucet House. (Preregistration is requested.) This is followed by an Acadian Soirée from 7:30-9:00pm. featuring a musical performance by Leon Gallant. There is a fee for the Meal and/ or Soirée (cash only). Mondays(2–4pm) –a knitting demonstration by Shirley Gallant; Fridays(2-4pm)-stories by local seniors. The Museum is wheelchair accessible and air conditioned. For more information about these and other events, call 902-963-3168, email farmers@pei.aibn.com or visit our website www.farmersbank.ca.

Cecily Gallant 95<sup>th</sup> birthday was July 1. Cecily and her family are celebrating Sunday July 17 at the Seniors Club in North Rustico. Open House 3-4pm. Everyone is welcome.

Annual Tea Party: Reserve Saturday, July 23 for the Kelly's Cross Annual Tea Party. Free Entertainment begins at 3pm. Meals are being served beginning at 3:30pm.

**Dance** at the Rustico Bay Seniors Club on Sat. July 23 Music by Country Steel. \$8 per person.

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## The Saint John-Paul II Pastoral Unit

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

## Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ■ July 17, 2016

## **Weekly Mass Schedule**

Monday: 9am St. Augustine's Tuesday: 9am Stella Maris

**Wednesday:** 9am St. Augustine's **Thursday**: No Mass—Priest day off

Friday: 9am St. Anne's
Saturday: 6pm Stella Maris
Sunday:9am St. Anne's
10:00am Stella Maris
10:30am St. Augustine's

**Confessions:** Fr. Raj is available in the vestries after weekday masses for the sacrament of Reconciliation. All are encouraged to experience the Mercy and Love of the Ever Forgiving Father

Chaplet of Divine Mercy for the Sick and Dying will be said following weekday Masses.

**Baptisms:** Contact Fr. Raj for Baptismal Preparation.

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**Scent Free:** Please avoid scented products in our churches. Some parishioners are strongly allergic to chemical fragrances.

A Spiritual Gift for the Marian Devotees: Holy Rosary will be said in all our unit churches before all the Holy Masses, those who love to join are requested to come 20 minutes before the mass time.

#### **PLEASE PRAY FOR**

Ann, Brian, Debbie, Melanie, Parker, Sally, Steve, Steven, Herbie Blacquiere, Ann Blais, Peter Buote, Sue Casey, Evan Clark, Kathy Doiron (Inez), John Doucette, Roger Emond, Audrey Gallant, Brenda Gallant, Cathy Gallant, Cathy C Gallant, Cecilia Gallant, Dale Gallant, Pearl Gallant, Sonny Gauthier, Mary Gillis, Arlene & Clint Harper, Rose Hennessey, Alice Hepp, Leo LeClair, Paul MacDonald, Carol MacIsaac, Jen Marten, Alan Perry, Regis Peters, Sheldon Pineau, Allan Pound, Bernadette Proctor, Dane Simpson, Suzie Smith, Emeric Walsh, Dakota Wedge

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

Marion Murphy 902-621-0725 Angela Gallant 902-963-3438 Rose Gallant 902-963-3516 Fr. Raj Santiago 902-963-2245

**Communion at Home:** If you know of anyone who should be receiving communion at home because of inability to attend church, please contact one of the pastoral associates.

**Hospital or Home Visits:** If you have a family member or friend in the hospital, at home or other care facility who would like to see a priest please call Fr. Raj

**Bulletin Announcements:** Email bulletin notices to bulletins@jp2pastoralunit.com or call 902-886-2761. Deadline for weekly bulletins is Thurs. at 4pm

Website: www.jp2pastoralunit.com

### **Unit Notices**

A Special Appeal to anonymous Mass Sponsors: When you prepare your mass intention envelopes, especially for the Thanks giving Masses, if you don't want to mention your names, please mention when and where you want your mass offered; because though you don't want to mention your name I would like to thank the Lord and pray for you in your presence if it is possible for you. Thank you. *Fr. Raj* 

Feast Day of St. Anne and St. Joachim Pilgrimage: On Friday 29 July, 2016, St. Anne's Parish, Hope River, PEI will celebrate the Feast Day of our Blessed Virgin Mary's parents and invites all pilgrims to celebrate Holy Mass at 10:30am following a pilgrimage walk to the church. Light refreshments will be provided after mass. The pilgrimage walk starts at Stella Maris Church, North Rustico and proceeds via back roads to St. Anne's church. You may choose a long walk or a shorter walk. The long walk is a 9.5 km, two hour tramp departing Stella Maris Church at 7:30am. Please park at Stella Maris Church. The short walk is a 2.0 km, 30 minute tramp joining the long walk on Toronto Rd. To attend the shorter walk please assemble in cars at Stella Maris Church at 8:45am to be led in your cars to join the long walk. Parking will be on Toronto Rd. Knights of Columbus will lead walks, provide walk maps, drinking water, road crossing safety and return transportation to parked cars during the walk and after Mass. Walkers are reminded to wear sensible footwear. Rain will cancel walks only. For more detail if required, please call Vernon Buote at: 902-963-2106 or 902-314-4065.

Unit Holy Family Prayer Service: Please reserve 9am Saturday, 23 July, 2016 for a special Holy Family prayer Service at Stella Maris Church sponsored by the Knights of

Columbus. Leading up to this event, a beautiful icon of the Holy Family commissioned by His Holiness Pope Francis 1 will be displayed in all three unit parish churches.

Stella Maris' Notices
Annual Stella Maris Parish Collection:
Your contribution may be returned by placing it in the weekend collection or mailing it in the self-addressed envelope. We ask that you be as generous as you can. Extra envelopes will be available at the back of the Church. Thank you!

Second Weekend Mass During the Summer: There will be a second weekend Mass at Stella Maris Church during the summer months on Sundays at 10am starting on July 3 and ending on Sept. 11.

### St. Anne's Notices

Ministries for July: Proclaimer: Rose Mary MacDonald Youth Proclaimer: Julie Vanleeuwen Eucharistic Minister: Jacinta Doiron Ushers/Ministers of Hospitality: Paula Doiron, Inez Doiron, Ron Doiron Offertory Families: July 17 Gearld & Heather Doiron & Family, July 24 Michelle & Brook Parsons, July 31 Dennis & Kathy Doiron

#### **Diocese Notices**

St. Eugene's Cemetery Sunday: St. Eugene's Parish, Covehead will gather to celebrate Cemetery Sunday on the 14th of August 2016. Mass is at 11:00a.m., followed by a ceremony at the graveyard and a social gathering with Sharing Table. All are welcome.

32<sup>nd</sup> Annual SDU Mass: Aug 5 at 7pm at the Steele Recital Hall on the UPEI campus. Please join your fellow SDU alumni for an all years reception being held in the new school of sustainable design engineering building

after the Mass at 8:15pm.

Job Posting: The Diocese of Charlottetown is accepting expressions of interest for the part time position of refugee sponsorship coordinator. If you are interested in this ministerial role, please contact Susan Nye-Brothers at snye\_brothers@hotmail.com with your contact information as well as a brief note about why you responded to the posting. Thank You!

"Four Churches of St. Dunstan in **Charlottetown":** At St. Andrew's Chapel in St. Andrew's on Sunday July 24, Fr. Art O'Shea, well-known church historian and Diocesan Archivist, will present a review of the "Four Churches of St. Dunstan in Charlottetown". In 2016 the Island Church celebrates the bicentennial of the first church in Charlottetown dedicated to St. Dunstan. Since 1816 four St. Dunstan's churches have been erected, on the corner of Great George and Dorchester Streets. The first church, a modest wooden structure, was built at the request of Bishop J.O. Plessis of Quebec during his pastoral visit to the Island in 1813. In 1829, with the creation of the Diocese of Charlottetown, the little wooden church took on the role of a cathedral. The present stone cathedral, given the dignity of a Basilica, was built in 1919. Fr. O'Shea will review the history of the cathedral parish with reference to the four churches. The presentation will begin at 2pm. Admission is by donation. Lunch included. St. Andrew's Chapel is located 3 km. east of Mount Stewart on Route 2.

Cemetery Sunday: At the Roman Catholic Cemetery Charlottetown, on Sunday, July 31, with Mass beginning at 2pm. The entrance from St. Peter's Road will be blocked off. For the safety of all attending,

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTIONS & DONATIONS

St. Augustine's Sunday, July 10: \$1404.00
Special Collection: \$1350.00
Share Lent: \$10.00
St. Anne's Sunday, July 10: \$762.00
Cemetery Fund: \$100.00
Stella Maris Sunday, July 10: \$1211.00
Special Collection: \$250.00
2016 Special Collection so far: \$7285.00

Thank You for Your Donations to Our Parishes! Please consider including your Parish in your will.

there will be no parking on the Mass site. Parking will be at the Kensington Road entrance and St. Pius X Church. In case of rain the Mass will be held at St. Pius X Church.

Community Notices
Al-Anon Group Meeting: Tuesdays at 10
AM in the vestry of St. Augustine's Church.
Call 902-894-3503 for more information.

Ceilidh Schedule: Sunday July 17, 7:30pm - Eddy Quinn, John Webster and Keelin Wedge. Sunday July 24, 7:30pm - Richard Wood and Gordon Belsher. Cymbria Lions Centre is located at 2184 Church Rd. We have a 50/50 draw, Ice Cream Sundae sales. We are wheel chair accessible and air conditioned. 902-963-2166 cymbrialions.ca. doors open at 6:30pm

**Ceilidh:** Star of the Sea Seniors Club, North Rustico, Ceilidh by "A Touch of Country" will take place on Sunday, July 31, at 7:30pm. Lots of singing and toe-tapping music, lunch, and 50/50 draw. Please join us for a great time. See you there!

Ceilidh: Central Queens United Church, Hunter River is hosting a ceilidh/cake auction on Sat., July 23 at 7:30pm. Special