

**The Saint John-Paul II Pastoral Unit**  
*Stella Maris, St. Anne's & St. Augustine's Parishes, Prince Edward Island*  
**16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time ✠ July 21, 2024**

**This Weekend's Liturgy**

1st Reading **Jeremiah 23:1-6**

2nd Reading **Ephesians 2:13-18**

Gospel **Mark 6:30-34**

**Weekly Mass Schedule**

**Monday** No Mass

**Tuesday** 9am St. Augustine's for the people

**Wednesday** 9am Stella Maris for Steve Mamarchev

**Wednesday** 7pm St. Anne's Feast Day of St. Anne

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

**Friday** No Mass

**Saturday** 4 pm Stella Maris for Kay & Alyre Peters and deceased family members

**Sunday** 9:00 am St. Anne's-Cemetery Sunday-for the people

**Sunday** 10:30am St. Augustine's for Ian & Kay MacRae

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

**OUR PRAYER LIST**

Giselle (Buote), Kim Coles, Vera Collister, Stacey Deveaux, Esther Drobot, Audrey Gallant, James (Lynn) Gallant, James Gallant Jr, Jonathan Gallant, Nicky Garland, Freda Peters, Jennifer Pitre, Arvilla Roche, Dane Simpson, Suzie Smith

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

**Marion Murphy** 902-621-0725

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**Last Weeks Collections & Donations**

**St. Augustine's: \$1330.00**

**Stella Maris: \$800.00**

**Special Collection: \$375.00**

**Special Collection so far: \$9705.00**

**St. Anne's: July 7: \$838.00**

**July 14: \$950.00**

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

**Stella Maris Ministries**

July 20	Lector: Freda Pineau and Andre Lavoie	Eucharistic Ministers: Carl Pineau and Carol Probert
July 27	Lector: Paul Blacquiere	Eucharistic Ministers: Carl Pineau and Mary Blacquiere
August 3	Lector: Faye Fyfe	Eucharistic Ministers: Carl Pineau and Margaret Goulding
August 10	Lector: Joan Doiron	Eucharistic Ministers: Carl Pineau and Faye Fyfe
August 17	Lector: Eileen Gauthier	Eucharistic Ministers: Carl Pineau and Estelle Bourgeois
August 24	Lector: Joan Gallant	Eucharistic Ministers: Carl Pineau and Louis Gallant
August 31	Lector: Paul Blacquiere	Eucharistic Ministers: Carl Pineau and Joan Doiron
September 7	Lector: Vern Buote	Eucharistic Ministers: Carl Pineau and Eric Blacquiere
September 14	Lector: Terry Crawford	Eucharistic Ministers: Carl Pineau and Vern Buote

**St. Anne's Ministries**

**July**

Lector: Rosemary MacDonald Eucharistic Minister: Savio Dias

Ushers: Mike Doiron and Wilbert Reid

Gifts to the Altar

July 21 Patsy Gohier July 28 David and Nora Gallant

Preach the truth as if we had a million voices, for it is silence that kills the world. **St. Catherine of Siena**

**Diocese Notices**

**The 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Bike For Christ**, hosted by members of The Crew youth group, is happening July 27-28! This is a two day retreat/pilgrimage where youth aged 13-18, led by some accomplished youth leaders, will bike across scenic Eastern PEI. Throughout the weekend, participants will be treated to beautiful views, beautiful churches, the beauty of the Sacraments, the beauty of Adoration of Our Blessed Lord, and finally, the beauty of true Christian fellowship! It costs \$30 to register, and any extra money raised will be donated to the Island Pregnancy Center. For more information or to register, visit [bikeforchrist.wordpress.com](http://bikeforchrist.wordpress.com), look us up on social media, or contact Nate at 902-916-8914.

**Unit Notices**

**The Knights of Columbus (KofC)** service group of our John Paul II Pastoral Unit has a number of books obtained through the Dynamic Catholic group. The KofC would like to make copies of these books available for borrowing to each of our three parishes. Therefore, we are setting up a mini-library at the back of each of the three churches, along with sign-up sheets to help keep track of the books. There is no fixed borrowing length of time, but we would hope that borrowers would return the book after a month or so, allowing other parishioners to borrow the book. Enjoy!

**ALPHA?** Curious about Faith? Join a series of group conversations that freely explore the basics of the Christian faith in an open, friendly environment. Everyone's welcome. You're invited, no matter your background or beliefs. It's free and there's no pressure to come back. Commencing Sept. 30, 2024. For more info, email [alpharustico.pe@gmail.com](mailto:alpharustico.pe@gmail.com).

**Stella Maris Community Foodbank:** 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.

**Cemetery Sundays:** Stella Maris July 20, St. Anne July 28, St. Augustine's August 11.

**Weekend Mass changes August 3 & 4:** Fr. Albin will be away the long weekend in August for a family reunion. Unfortunately, after much searching, a replacement priest for August 4 was not found. Please make note of the following changes.

Mass at 4pm as usual at Stella Maris August 3, and Fr. Chris Sherren will preside.

Liturgy of the Word – 9:00 am St. Anne, proclaimed by Jacinta Doiron

Liturgy of the Word – 10:30 am St. Augustine's – proclaimed by Anne-Marie Vessey.

### St. Augustine's Notices

**Volunteers:** If you or anyone in your family would like to volunteer for a church ministry we would love to hear from you! This includes lectors (French and/or English), ministers of the Eucharist, altar servers (adult and youth are welcome), choir members, greeters, and ushers. If you are unsure what to do, training can be provided. We are also in need of people willing to be trained on preparing the altar for Mass as well as being adult altar servers. Perhaps you are new to our parish or perhaps you just want to get more involved. Please call Anne-Marie Vessey at 902-964-3442. Being involved is the BEST way to get to know your parish family!

### St. Anne's Notices

**Live Streaming Mass Online:** You can find it at [https://www.facebook.com/stannespei/live\\_videos](https://www.facebook.com/stannespei/live_videos)

**WIFI Available:** St. Anne's is wifi accessible. Please feel free to use our network while at our church.

**Walk Down Memories Lane:** Our website with the video we took last fall and the photos submitted by parishioners and former parishioners is now live. You can view the video and photos at <https://stannespei.com>

**Doiron Reunion Mass:** The descendants of Angus and Marie Doiron are having a reunion this summer and will be holding a mass at St. Anne's Friday August 9 at 5:00pm to kick off the reunion. Parishioners are welcome to attend the mass and visit with Doiron family members they may not have seen for a while.

**Cemetery Sunday:** St. Anne's Cemetery Sunday is July 28. Carnations will be distributed after the 9am Mass to be placed at the graves of loved ones.

**The Feast Day of St. Anne** will be celebrated on Wednesday July 24 at 7pm. As Gordon and Marion Myers family expect 5 generations present on our feast day, it is wise to transmit the gift of faith to every generation. The Mass will be followed by entertainment provided by Gordon Myers & family and refreshments in the parish hall. We ask people to take something to share after mass.

### Stella Maris

**Funeral Receptions:** When there is a funeral reception, it will take precedence over any other hall bookings, which will have to be rescheduled.

**Mass at Villa Marguerite:** Every third Wednesday of the month, mass will be celebrated at 9:30 am at Villa Marguerite in place of the 9:00am at Stella Maris.

**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)

**The Annual Stella Maris Collection:** Special envelopes have been mailed to potential donors. Contributions may be made by placing the envelope in the weekend collections. Extra envelopes are available at the back of the church. If you know someone who would like to support this fundraiser, please feel free to give them one of these envelopes.

### Community Notices

**Star of the Sea Seniors Club:** Coffee Break on Tuesdays will resume in September. Stitch Group on Wednesdays 9:30 all year. For Club Rentals, please call Lorraine LeMay 902-360-2060.

**Summer Yoga on the North Shore:** Star of the Sea Club in North Rustico: Mat Yoga Tues 9am; Mindful Breath Tues 10:30am; Chair Yoga Fri 10am. Gardens of Hope in New Glasgow: Mat Yoga Thurs 5:45pm. Beach Yoga North Rustico: Mat Yoga POP Ups All Summer Long. Contact: Paula 782-234-5845 (text or call) email: [itsallyogarith@gmail.com](mailto:itsallyogarith@gmail.com).

**Cymbria Lions Ceilidhs:** Doors open at 6:30pm. Show starts at 7:30pm. Canteen and a 50/50 draw. Admission: Adults \$15, Children \$5. July 21: Johnny Ross & Peggy Clinton. August 4: Michael & Shane Pendergast. August 11: Eddy Quinn, John B Webster & Keelin Wedge of Fiddlers Sons. August 18: Stephanie & Johnny Ross. August 25: Jordan LeClair, Michael Richard & Family.

**Birthdays Celebration:** Please join us in celebrating Eleanor and Peter Gallant's 80<sup>th</sup> birthdays during an open house at the North Rustico Lions Club (upstairs) on Friday August 9 from 7-10 pm. Cash bar available and music by Kelly Buote. In lieu of gifts/cards, donations will support Make A Wish PEI and Prince County Hospital Foundation. *Lana, Darren, Lisa, Dean and Families*

**Indoor Yard Sale:** Central Queens United Church will be the site of our giant indoor yard sale on August 10 from 8am - noon. This church fundraiser features a large variety of items including plants, houseware, seasonal decorations, clothing, jewelry, books, children's articles, hardware, etc. Treasures at reasonable prices for everyone to discover. Come early for best selection!

**North Rustico Music in Seawalk Park** 106 Riverside Drive - Every Wednesday night through July & August weather permitting 6pm-8pm. Great live music, 50/50 and vendors.

**Birthday!!!** Family and friends are invited to come help Clem Gallant celebrate his 85th birthday at the Rustico Bay Seniors' Club on this Wed., July 24 from 7 to 9 pm. Best Wishes only!!!

**Rustico Bay Ceilidh and Dance:** On Saturday, July 27 at 8pm with 'Transition'. Vocalist Peter Burke accompanied by musicians Mike McGarry, Dave Moore and Brian Knox will play some of your country favorites as well a variety of rock and roll. Doors open at 7:15. Bar service, 50/50. 19 and over. Admission \$12 at the door.

**Meet the Authors:** Lisa (Gallant) Brearley (3 published books) and her husband Scott Brearley, author of My Perfect Storm, his journey from chaos to calm. Sunday, August 4(7-9pm), Star of the Sea Club, North Rustico. All welcome. Refreshments & Door Prizes. Contact Person: Eleanor 330-3134.

### 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)