

The Saint John-Paul II Pastoral Unit

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

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ✕ July 13, 2025

Weekly Mass Schedule

Monday 9:00am St. Anne's
Tuesday 9:00am St. Augustine's
Wednesday 9:30am Villa Marguerite
Thursday 9:00am St. Augustine's
Friday No Mass
Saturday 4:00pm Stella Maris for the people
Sunday 9:00am St. Anne's
Sunday 10:30am St. Augustine's for Donald DeRoche

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

Contact Information

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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.

Stella Maris Lectors					
July 12	Faye Fyfe	July 19	Vern Buote	July 26	Joan Gallant
August 2	Paul Blacquiére	August 9	Terry Crawford	August 16	Andre Lavoie
August 23	Karen Lavoie	August 30	Joan Doiron		

St. Anne's Ministries

July

Lector: Jacinta Doiron/Sam Vail Eucharistic Minister: Sam Vail

Ushers: Wilbert Reid and Mike Doiron

Gifts to the Altar

July 13 Kevin Maynard July 20 Pasty Gohier July 27 Jacinthe Reid

Diocese Notices

St. Patrick's Parish of Grand River is having its annual parish picnic on July 13, from 1pm to 4pm. It will be held at the Doug MacDougal Hall in Grand River. There will be Music, Bingo, Strawberry Shortcake, children's games and more. All are welcome to come and enjoy the festivities.

Glenaladale Scottish Cultural Days at the Schoolhouse, 257 Blooming Point Road, Tracadie Cross, beginning on July 26: 1:30pm a Gaelic Circle; 3:00 pm storytelling and songs; 7:00pm a Scottish Concert. Guest performers include Gaelic speakers and singers Lilly Watson and her mother, young fiddler Vincent MacDonald, all from Little Judique, Cape Breton, and Islander Dorothy Curley.

Everyone is warmly invited to join Bishop Joseph Dabrowski, CSMA, and the Spanish-speaking community of Prince Edward Island for a special celebration of the Eucharist at St. Pius X Parish in Charlottetown on Sunday, August 3, at 2:00pm. Bishop Joseph will preside over the Mass for the 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time, with Fr. Walter Flynn concelebrating. This joyful celebration will be conducted entirely in Spanish, including the liturgy and music, as a sign of unity and support for the growing Hispanic Catholic community in the province. All are welcome to attend. Whether you speak Spanish or simply wish to experience the beauty of the Catholic Mass in another language, this celebration is open to everyone. A reception will follow.

PEI LIFE extends its most heartfelt gratitude to all the parishes who gave to our Change4LIFE Baby Bottle Campaign this year! Because of your generosity we were able to exceed our goal of \$20,000! Your support will go to producing LIFE-affirming resources for you to speak life to your youth, families, and seniors. The Gift, a LIFE-affirming story of teens dealing with an unplanned pregnancy, and Make-Time4LIFE, A Christian Outreach Program which deals with human dignity and value, are already available. The Dream, a graphic novel for youth teaching on MAiD and You Are Worth It a beautiful resource for seniors to edify and uplift them will be published this fall. Ask us for more information! call or email Pat at office@peilife.org or 902-894-5473. Thank you for your support and prayers!

Unit Notices

Furniture wanted: St. Augustine's parish house is looking to purchase some decent, clean, lightly used furniture. We require a chair and/or love seat, and possibly a recliner for the living room. Neutral or beige/brown furniture is preferred if possible. If you have some furniture that you are willing to sell or know of someone who has furniture for sale, please contact James at 902-213-2762.

Farewell and God Bless Reception: Our unit will be hosting a Farewell/Thank You reception for Fr. Albin and Sam on Sunday July 20 after 10:30am mass in St. Augustine's. It will be held at the Cymbria Lions Club beginning at 12:00pm. Index cards will be available at the entrances of all churches over the next couple of Sundays for parishioners who wish to write their own word of thanks. These can be left at the church to be gathered up or taken to the reception to be collected and presented to both Sam and Fr. Albin. Sandwiches and sweets will be provided; however, if you feel inclined to bring something, please feel free to bring, fruit, veggie or cheese and cracker trays or biscuits and jam. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact, Joan Doiron, Alanna Gauthier, Marina Doiron, Lori Doucette, or Jacinta Doiron.

Prayer List For The Bulletin: In order to ensure prayer list is always maintained and kept up to date, the names will be updated on a monthly basis. At the beginning of every month, all names will be removed and if family would like to have the names of loved ones reinstated for the next month, they will be required to call advising to have the names added back to the list. Please refer to the bulletin for the contact names and phone numbers.

Last Weeks Collections & Donations

St. Augustine's: \$959.25

Stella Maris: \$950.00

Special Collection: \$500.00

Special Collection so far: \$11,865.00

St. Anne's: \$1507.00

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

OUR PRAYER LIST

Nicole Doiron, Anita Gallant, John Mcquaid,
Suzie Smith, Dane Simpson

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

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

Rosary: St. Anne’s parish will be reciting the rosary at 8:30am on the last Sunday of each month.

Prayers of the Faithful: In order to keep our weekly Prayers of the Faithful prayer list current and concise, those individuals who have asked for /and are in need of our prayers on a long term/on going basis will be asked to have their name printed in the bulletin. The Prayers of the Faithful will include all people on our prayer list in the bulletin and anyone who has a sudden illness/situation. The names will be updated on a monthly basis, please see the bulletin for contact names to have someone added to the prayer list on the bulletin. We are always happy and willing to pray for anyone who needs some extra strength.

Stella Maris Notices

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.

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

Stella Maris Church will be open daily from Monday to Saturday from 10am to 4pm until the middle of September.

The Annual Stella Maris Parish Special Collection: Special collection envelopes will be mailed out the week of June 1. Your contribution may be returned by placing it in the week-end collection or mailing it in the self-addressed envelope. We ask you to be as generous as you can. Extra envelopes will be available at the back of the Church.

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!

E-transfer: St. Augustine’s is now set up to receive e-transfers to st.augustines2190@gmail.com. If you choose to use this format, please include your Full Name, address, phone number and preferably an email address in the message field. If you are an envelope user, please provide it as well. Receipts will be issued for donations of \$20 or more.

Community Notices

You Could Save a Life: Give Blood, call 1-800-236-6283 for appointment.

Star of the Sea Seniors Club: Cards, 7:00pm every Tuesday (all year) Stitch Group: 9:30am, every Wednesday (all year) Coffee Break: 10:00am, Tuesday. Last one May 27. Will resume in September. For rentals, please call Lorraine LeMay 902-360-2060.

Community Yoga and Meditation Classes at the Star of the Sea Club: Mondays: Mat Yoga 9am. Mondays: Mindful Breathing Meditation 10:30am. Friday: Chair Yoga 10am. Contact: Paula Smith 1-782-234-5845 or itsall-yogaright@gmail.com.

Are you a Canadian Veteran, a family member of a Canadian Veteran, a friend of a Canadian Veteran, or a member of the Community who recognizes the need for professional resource help for today's Canadian Veteran and or their family? If you fall in any one of these categories, please contact the Royal Canadian Legion PEI Command. 902-892-2161 or royalcanadianlegion@pei.aibn.com and ask to be referred to the Chairman of Veterans Services.

The Cymbria Lions Club (2184 Church Road) is now designated by the provincial government as a reception centre. During times of an emergency when services are lost (think Hurricane Fiona), the club will offer warmth, water, wifi, and other services. For more info, please email info@cymbrialionsclub or call 902-963–2166.

Yard Sale: Central Queens United Church, Hunter River, is the site of our annual congregational yard sale on Saturday, August 2 from 8am until noon. This church fundraiser features a large variety of articles including books, clothing, children’s articles, jewelry, seasonal decor, houseware, hardware, preserves, etc. Treasures at reasonable prices for everyone to discover. Come early for best selection.

Keeping in Contact...

We extend our hands and hearts in Christian fellowship to you here, celebrating with us, whether long-time residents or newly arrived in the unit. We thank God that you are with us. If we may assist you, please fill out the form below and place it in the collection basket.

- ☐ New parishioner.
- ☐ I am home bound and would like someone to visit me.
- ☐ I am going to be in hospital, please call on me.

Name: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____

Phone: Home: _____ Cell: _____

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)