

Immaculate Conception Church

Palmer Road

Our Lady of Assumption Mission

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Bulletin from August 26 – September 2, 2018

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Office hours: Monday & Thursday 9:30 am - 5 pm

Sunday Collection:

August 19, 2018: \$2,648.00

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21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

“... It is the spirit that gives life; the flesh is useless. The words that I have spoken to you are spirit and life. But among you there are some who do not believe.” For Jesus knew from the first who were the ones that did not believe, and who was the one that would betray him

And he said, “For this reason I have told you that no one can come to me unless it is granted them by my Father.”

The Gospel of John

News

Lay Ministers/Readers: The new schedule for Lay Ministers and Readers is available at the back of both churches. Thank you for your continued support in these very important parish ministries. We always welcome new readers and lay ministers; please contact the parish office (882-2622) if you would like to become a reader or lay minister.

Winners: Thank you to all who came out and supported our annual parish picnic on Sunday, Aug 19. The winner of our first 50/50 was Rosetta Doucette of Tignish. Ralph Richard of Leoville was the winner of the second 50/50.

Monday Mass: Please note, for this week only the Monday morning mass will begin at 8:45 a.m. instead of 9 a.m.

150th Anniversary: St. Brigid's Parish in Foxley River will celebrate the 150th Anniversary of their church on Sunday, Aug 26, beginning with Mass at 1:30 p.m. A social gathering will follow. There will be a barbecue, cake and ice cream, games, etc. Everyone Welcome.

Music for Hope Concert: The 2nd Annual Music for Hope Concert, in support of Lennon Recovery House (the old Belcourt Retreat Centre) will be held Sunday, Sept 9. Come enjoy a night of entertainment at Tracadie Cross Community Centre. Doors open at 7 pm (get there early) show starts at 7:30 pm. Also; Lennon House Music Challenge - for ongoing nominations of talented islanders who respond to the challenge of performing; go to <https://www.facebook.com/lennonhousemusicchallenge/>

Reminder

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje: There will be a Pilgrimage to Medjugorje with Father Pyriho Marcellin from September 28-October 8. Cost of \$2065 (+ \$675 airport taxes/security/fuel surcharges) includes airfare from the Maritimes, (twin or triple) accommodation, daily breakfast & dinner and experienced local guide. Seats limited. For information contact Hector and Cécile Caissie at hectorcaissie@hotmail.ca or (506) 857-2295.

Men's Conference: The 2018 “Empowered Catholic Conference for Men” will be held in Halifax on

October 12th and 13th. We live at a time when God is calling men to “step up” into their calling as leaders in their families, the Church, their places of employment and in their communities as never before. We see all around us in our culture the consequences of the attack on the family and a generation that in many ways is fatherless. This conference is designed to help empower men to be ambassadors for Christ and to live out their Divine Mission, and to turn the tide. Registration fee is \$70 per person. For information or to register, call 902-435-1568, email empoweredccfm@hotmail.com, or <https://empoweredccfm.wixsite.com/empowered>

Pope Francis: Pope Francis has designated September 1 each year as World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation. A special ecumenical service will be held at 7 pm, Saturday, Sept 1 at St Francis of Assisi Church, Cornwall to celebrate this event. Leo Marchildon is assembling a choir for this service, and those who wish to participate are invited to attend a one-time choral rehearsal on Wednesday, Aug 29 at 6:30 pm in the church. Sponsored by the Diocesan Liturgical Commission.

Eucharistic Adoration: For the past 15 years our Parish has Eucharistic Adoration every Tuesday from 9 am-6 pm. We are presently in need of new people to come spend an hour in prayer every week since many of our original people have moved away or are no longer able to come. We are trying to have two people per hour so that we do not have to be looking for spares if someone is not able to come. Hours needed are 10 am to 4pm and 5-6pm. Call Joanne 882-3053 or Helen at 882-2411.

PEI Pilgrimage Ltd: The next pilgrimage to Our Lady of the Cape Shrine/Saint-Anne-de-Beaupré led by PEI Pilgrimage Ltd is October 12-15, 2018. Cost is \$390 for double occupancy. Contact Gary or Eileen Clow at 569-3945, Joe or Rita Drane at 940-5871, or Ken Campbell at 566-2914.

Scripture and Christian Meditation Retreat: A silent weekend retreat is being offered at Our Lady of Hope Retreat Centre in Stanley Bridge from Sept 7-9, beginning at 7pm. Theme: Journey to Our Silent Heart. Presenters Regina McQuaid, CND and Kathleen Bolger, CSM. Includes Scripture reflections, Christian meditation and personal prayer. Registration \$50 before August 4 and \$85 upon arrival to Kathleen Bolger. Room and Board, \$137.50, payable to the Centre upon arrival. For information contact kbolger@eastlink.ca or Doris at 902-894-5328.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday:	27/08	8:45 a.m.
Fr Melvin Doucette by Flo Delaney		
Tuesday:	28/08	9:00 a.m.
Helen Deagle by Janet & Charlee Deagle		
Wednesday:	29/08	9:00 a.m.
Ada Shea by Phyllis Gallant		
Thursday:	30/08	9:00 a.m.
Florrie Mills by George Mills		
Friday:	31/08	No Mass

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 2, 2018

Saturday:	01/09	7:00 p.m.
Edward Perry & niece Arlene Harper by Addie Dugay		
Sunday:	02/09	(M) 9:00 a.m.
For the People		
		(PR) 11:00 a.m.
Molly Gallant-MacDonald by the family		

BULLETIN: Bulletin announcements accepted up to Tuesday at 12 Noon in written form or by email: palmerroadparish@gmail.com

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BAPTISMS: Baptism will be held the 2nd Sunday of each month at 12:30 Please Contact the Parish Office for information and to make arrangements. (882-2622) or email: palmerroadparish@gmail.com

Please Note: The weekday Mass will be cancelled when there is a funeral, but please remember that anyone can attend the funeral of a brother or sister in Christ. The Mass Intention scheduled for that day will then be offered at a later date. **Please include a phone number with your mass intentions. Thank you**

Intention of the Holy Father, Pope Francis for August 2018

Universal – The Treasure of Families: That any far-reaching decisions of economists and politicians may protect the family as one of the treasures of humanity.