

# Immaculate Conception Church

Palmer Road

## Our Lady of Assumption Mission

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### Bulletin from Jan 7-14, 2018

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#### Sunday Collection:

December 31, 2017: \$1,789.15

New Year's Day: \$1,281.00

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## Epiphany of the Lord

In the time of King Herod, after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, wise men from the East came to Jerusalem, asking, "Where is the child who has been born king of the Jews? For we observed his star at its rising, and have come to pay him homage."

The Gospel of Matthew

## News

**Peaceful Pro-life Rally:** The next peaceful Pro-life Rally is on Saturday, Jan 13 at 11:00 am in Summerside along Roy Boates Avenue, Summerside, near Prince County Hospital.

**LAMP Missionary:** The Latin American Mission Program (LAMP) is announcing that a new LAMP missionary, Ryan MacRae, is preparing to go to the Dominican Republic (DR). Ryan from Stratford will leave PEI before the end of January. Most Reverend Bishop Richard Grecco will preside over a missioning ceremony, indicating that Ryan is being sent by the Diocese of Charlottetown to the church in the Dominican Republic. In the DR, Ryan will be received by the Misioneros del Sacrado Corazón (Missionaries of the Sacred Heart) in Santiago de los Caballeros. He will live with a Dominican family to be introduced to the culture and to improve his Spanish. Ryan will become part of an organization, Fundacion Mujer Iglesia (Woman-Church Foundation). He will gradually involve himself in the work of Mujer Iglesia which is to improve the lives of impoverished families in the region by community organizing to develop the economic and social self-reliance of women. The missioning celebration will take place during the Sunday Mass at Our Lady of the Assumption Parish on Sunday, Jan 14 at 9:00 am.

**Martha Spirituality Centre:** Martha Spirituality Centre presents Lunch and Learn, a Grace series of seven Monday morning sessions from 12:45-1:45 pm beginning on January 15. With tea/coffee and biscuits, join us in these reflective responses to Pope Francis' document on Care of our Common Home. Topics include Grace of Earth, Grace of Water, Grace of Atmosphere, Grace of Oceans, Grace of Land etc. Cost \$30. Led by Sisters Gemma and Debbie. Please register by January 12 (367-3103 or [srgemma@eastlink.ca](mailto:srgemma@eastlink.ca))



## Reminder

**Blue Anniversary Candles/Parish Directory:** The blue candles used during our 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebrations are on sale for \$10 each. Also, extra copies of the Parish Directory are available at \$20 each.

**Pilgrimage to Medjugorje:** April 27-May 7-Cost of \$2035 (+ \$675 airport taxes/security/fuel surcharges) includes airfare from the Maritimes, (twin or triple) accommodation, daily breakfast & dinner and professional local guide. Accompanying priest, yet to be determined. For information contact: Hector and Cécile Caissie at [hectorcaissie@hotmail.ca](mailto:hectorcaissie@hotmail.ca) or (506) 857-2295.

**Church Envelopes:** The Church Envelopes for 2018 are now available at the back of the church. Please note if you had a number higher than 215 in previous years you will have a new number on your envelope this year. Please put your name on the first envelope of the New Year. Thank you.

**Sunday Missals for 2018:** Sunday missals for 2018 are now available for sale at \$5 each. Thank you.

**Pilgrimage April 25 - May 6:** Pilgrimage to Medjugorje and KRK Island, Croatia with Fr. Zlatko Sudac, the renowned stigmatist. Cost of \$2,980 includes taxes, airfare from the Maritimes, (twin or triple) accommodation, daily breakfast and dinner, and professional local guide. Info: Marie Desjardins at [mariedesjardins1949@gmail.com](mailto:mariedesjardins1949@gmail.com)

**Longest Married Couple:** Marriages can go the distance, and the annual recognition of Canada's Longest Married Couple proves it. Nominate your loved ones by submitting the names of husband & wife, wedding date, current home address and the contact info of the person submitting the nomination to: Ernesto and Analillian Ayala, 113-7471 Blundel Rd, Richmond, BC, V6Y-1J6, or [canada@wwme.org](mailto:canada@wwme.org), or 604-337-5845. Deadline Feb 28, 2018. All nominations will be recognized.

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday: 08/01 10:00 a.m.**  
Nelson Bernard by the Bernard family  
**Tuesday: 09/01 9:00 a.m.**  
Maynard Butler by Nancy Costain  
**Wednesday: 10/01 9.00 a.m.**  
Molly Gallant MacDonald by Michael Gaudet  
**Thursday: 11/01 7:00 p.m.**  
Anniversary Mass: Jane Wedge

**Friday: 12/01 No Mass**

### Second Sunday in Ordinary Time January 14, 2018

**Saturday: 13/01 4:00 p.m.**  
For the People  
**Sunday: 14/01 (M) 9:00 a.m.**  
Earl P Murphy by Shirley & family  
**(PR) 11:00 a.m.**  
Marie Perry by Steve Perry & family

**BULLETIN:** Bulletin announcements accepted up to Tuesday at 12 Noon in written form or by email: [palmerroadparish@gmail.com](mailto:palmerroadparish@gmail.com)  
**Office hours: Monday & Thursday 9:30 am - 5 pm**

**BAPTISMS:** Baptism will be held the 2<sup>nd</sup> 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](mailto: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.

### Intention of the Holy Father, Pope Francis for January 2018

**Evangelization: Religious Minorities in Asia -** That Christians, and other religious minorities in Asian countries, may be able to practice their faith in full freedom.

Happy New Year, 2018!