Immaculate Conception Church Palmer Road Our Lady of Assumption Mission Miminegash

Sunday, Feb 24, 2013

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Sunday Collection Feb 10: \$752.00 Last Sunday Collection : \$2,022.22 Ash Wednesday: \$926.00

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Thought for the Week:

""Pray with great confidence, with confidence based upon the goodness and infinite generosity of God and upon the promises of Jesus Christ. God is a spring of living water which flows unceasingly into the hearts of those who pray."

-St. Louis de Montfort

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday: 25/02 11:30 a.m.

Clair Dalton by Elouise & Oscar O'Holloran

Tuesday: 26/02 9:00 a.m.
Kathleen Butler by the family
Thursday: 28/02 11:30 p.m.

Edward McKenna by Roy & Helen McKenna

Friday: 1/03 6:30 p.m. Way of the Cross (M) 7:00 p.m. Mass (M)

Mark Melinda by Betty Jean & Allen Savident

3rd Sunday of Lent March 03, 2013

Saturday:02/03 4:00 p.m.

Harold Gallant by Doris & family George & Olive Perry by the family Francis Allain by Alice Allain Leonard Gaudet by the family Sunday: 03/03 (M) 9:00 a.m.

For the People

(PR) 11:00 a.m.

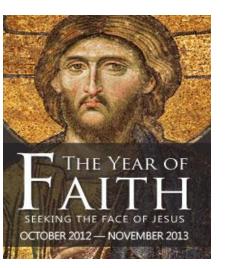
Alma Aylward by the family Vivian Mendoza, daughter of Aldona Doucette, Pleasant View by the family (Died Feb 15/13 in West Brooke, Maine)

Offertory:

(M) Mabel Thibodeau & Ellen Hayward (PR) Wilcey & Alice Thibodeau **Offrandes:**Ralph & Ida Richard

- The office is closed on Wednesday
- ❖ Bulletin: Bulletin announcements will be accepted up to Wednesday at 12 Noon in written form, fax or email sent to palmerroadparish@gmail.com
- ❖ Baptism: Second Sunday of the month
- ❖ Please note: Weekday Mass will be cancelled when there is a Funeral. Remember that everyone can attend the funeral of a brother and sister in Christ. The Mass Intention scheduled for that day will be transferred to another day.

Candle's intentions for the week for No 134



<u>Reflection</u>

For Jesus the Transfiguration was the turning point in his life. Until now all was onward and upward. He was captivating the people with his preaching and miracles. Now he must descend to the valley, to the road to Gethsemane and Calvary. The Transfiguration gave Jesus a foretaste of his glory, and in the strength of that joy he could endure the cross and despise the shame. But most of all the Transfiguration gave Jesus another affirmation of his Father's love. At His baptism in the Jordan his Father had affirmed him, "This is my beloved Son on whom my favor rests." Now he says, "This is my beloved son, listen to him."

The Transfiguration was the mountain-top experience of the apostles which prepared them for their future trials. The Mass is our mountain-top experience which prepares us for the trials of our day. The Mass is not a transfiguration but a transubstantiation, in which bread and wine are transformed into the glorious Risen Jesus. And in the joy and consolation of Communion we say with Peter, "Lord, it is good for us to be here." And we do not want to leave. But it is not to be. Soon we will hear the words, "The Mass is ended. Go in peace to love and serve the Lord." So we pick up our cross and leave to face the trials of the day. But having been to the top of the mountain we know that "nothing can separate us from the love of God made visible in Christ Jesus our Lord."

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New

The Priests' Benevolent Fund has embarked on

campaign that will benefit the care for clergy in their retirement and the Catholic Parishes of PEI. Over the coming months, each parish will participate in the initiative. Campaign progress updates will be published in parish bulletins over the coming weeks. Thank you in advance for your support and consideration.

❖ Saint Dunstan's University Scholarship: The Saint Dunstan Scholarship is a \$5,000 scholarship, renewable for an additional three years, awarded annually to a graduating high school student planning on attending UPEI. Three scholarships will be awarded each year. Application form and information regarding eligibility for the scholarship is available on line at www.saintdunstansuniversity.ca or by calling 393-3441. Application deadline is April 15, 2013.

Palmer Rd CWL Meeting Thursday, Mar 7 at 5:30 pm. Reminder to all members that membership fees are now due.

❖ Movie Night on Sunday 03, 2013 at 7:00
For Greater Glory. True story about a man who changed his minds to defend the faith. 2 Thumbs up! And more

Reminder

- Lent Season: The way of the cross and Mass will be in Palmer Road one week and in Miminegash the next.
- ❖ PARISH RETREAT FOR EVERYBODY; An Evangelization session will be given for our Zone meeting in Alberton starting on Monday, Mar 4, (not Sunday as stated in previous bulletin), Tuesday, Mar 5, and Wednesday, Mar 6 at 7:00 pm at the Church. A lay minister wrote after the mission: "Anyone who attends a SOE (School of Evangelization) is powerfully equipped to evangelize, both practically and spiritually. Seeing the fruit that has come from our first SOE, my present pastor, Fr Paul has asked to have them come back a second time." Evangelization is the way to renew ourselves and our parish, to give us and our future generation the strength to live the beautiful message of joy and hope coming from the cross
- ❖ Lay Pastoral Associate Formation Program: Recently our Bishop issued a press release about the possibility of re-offering this program commencing this September www.dioceseofcharlottetown.com For further information about the program you may contact your pastor or rc@dioceseofcharlottetown.com and/or 902-368-8005.