Immaculate Conception Church Palmer Road Our Lady of Assumption Mission Miminegash

Bulletin from August 25 to September 1, 2013

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Last Sunday Collection: \$2,727.00

Thank you for your generosity



Thought for the Week:

"If you wish to imitate the multitude, then you shall not be among the few who shall enter in by the narrow gate."

-Saint Augustine, Father and Doctor of the Church

Pope John Paul II speaking at the canonization of Edith Stein in 1998 said: The modern world boasts of the enticing door which says: everything is permitted. It ignores the narrow gate of discernment and renunciation. I am speaking especially to you, young Christians...Your life is not an endless series of open doors! Listen to your heart! Do not stay on the surface, but go to the heart of things! And when the time is right, have the courage to decide! The Lord is waiting for you to put your freedom in his good hands.

We can ask ourselves, "Do we ever choose the wide door of sinfulness or lack of total obedience to Jesus?" Are those who say they are Catholic but do not live as Catholic trying to enter by the wide door? Are we giving every corner and every part of our lives to Jesus?

Giving every corner of our lives and every part of ourselves to God is what Jesus asked on many occasions. From the web

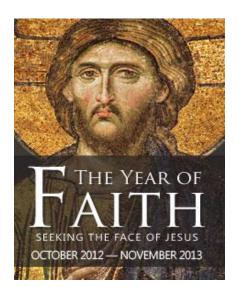
New

- ❖ August 27th at 7:00 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, there is a meeting for Religion Teachers... Introducing our New Program "BE MY DISCIPLES" !! Thinking becoming a teacher? Call Amy right now and have a free cut..... (not 100% sure.)
- Day of Prayer and Fasting for Quebec and Canada. The inviolable right to life of elderly, sick and disabled persons is under grave attack. Bill 52 would legalize the killing of such persons by euthanasia in Quebec, and could impact all of Canada. Life Canada and other pro-life groups are sponsoring a Day of Prayer and Fasting for Quebec and Canada on September 6. Everyone is encouraged to take part. For further information please visit www.lifecanada.org
- George and Velda along with their family would like to thank their family and friend who come to extend their best wishes on their 50th anniversary of marriage.
- ❖ Benevolent Fund and the parishioners of the Diocese of Charlottetown. The Campaign for the **Priests' Benevolent Fund** has surpassed \$5 million in pledges! More than 2,100 families have made gifts

and pledges to care for our priests in their retirement and support their individual parishes. Thank you to all the priests and generous families who have been part of helping our Church through their prayers, diligent hard work, and extraordinary financial investments. Please know that your leadership and sacrifices are deeply appreciated. If you have any additional guestions about The Campaign for the Priests' Benevolent Fund, please contact the Campaign office at <u>902-368-8005</u>. God bless all those whose time, talent and treasure have been instrumental in realizing this historic

achievement!

- ❖ The benevolent has been supported by 34 families and the pledges for the campaign at Palmer came to \$ 40 000.00. I thank all of you for your support and donation. A Mass will be offered for the intentions of these families.
- **St. Andrew's Society Scholarship:** Catholic Island residents who are of Scottish descent wishing to apply for university scholarships from the Saint Andrew's Society may receive an application form on-line at www.cfpei.ca or by contacting the Community Foundation of Prince Edward Island, Suite 105, 119 Queen St., Charlottetown, PE C1A 4B3, 902-892-3440. Please note: Application Review Date is October 18, 2013



Reminder

❖ Information for those who put checks in their envelope for Sunday Collection: The bank no longer accepts checks that are written "cash". Instead of "cash", just write "Palmer Road Parish". Thank you.

❖ ST. SIMON & ST. JUDE PARISH PICNIC, TIGNISH PE. Our annual Parish Picnic will be held on Sunday, August 25th, beginning with mass at 11 am.

MASS INTENTIONS

- **❖** Monday: 26/08 11:30 a.m. Ricky Doucette (A) by the Doucette family
- 27 /08 ***** Tuesday: 9:00 a.m. George Gallant by his Aunt & Godmother
- ❖ Thursday (M) 29/08 7:00 p.m. George Gaudet by Ruth & family
- ***** Friday: 30/08 7:00 p.m.
- Austin & Lottie Delaney by Daughter Ann

Friday: Confession 6:15 to 6:45 Mass

21th Sunday of Ordinary Time September 1, 2013

- **Saturday:** 31/08 7:00 p.m. Johnnie Bernard by Nellie & Don
- (M) 9:00 a.m. Sunday: 01/09 Audrey Tremblay (A) by Ronnie & Patsy (PR)11:00 a.m.

For the People

- The office is closed on Wednesday
- * Bulletin: Bulletin announcements will be accepted up to Thursday morning 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.

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