

Immaculate Conception Church
Palmer Road
Our Lady of Assumption Mission
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Bulletin from Jan 17-24, 2016

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Sunday Collection:
 January 10, 2016: \$2,931.00

Thank you for your generosity



The wedding feast at Cana

2nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

...Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding a hundred litres. Jesus said to the servants, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim. He said to them, "Now draw some out and take it to the chief steward." So they took it.

The Gospel of John

Quotes from Pope Francis' Encyclical
"Misericordiae Vultus"

"The Face of Mercy"

Pope Francis, for the Year of Mercy:

"Jesus Christ is the face of the Father of mercy." (MV #1)

"Mercy: the ultimate and supreme act by which God comes to meet us." (MV #2)

News

Palmer Road Cemetery: Please note the Cemetery will be closed for interments during the winter months. We will be putting remains in the receiving vault for the duration of the season until further notice in the Spring 2016.

2016 Envelopes: The 2016 church envelopes are at the back of the church. Please put your name and address on the first envelope. If you are not currently using envelopes but would like a package please feel free to take an unmarked box.

St. Paul's Parish (Summerside) Variety Concert: To be held Sunday, Jan 24 at Centre Belle Alliance, 5 Stella Maris Drive (French School off South Drive) at 7 pm. Proceeds will go to St. Paul's Parish for on-going programs and projects. Performers are local singers, dancers, musicians and acts. Cost is \$10 adult, \$5 students, \$25 max cost for a family. Door prizes will be drawn and 50/50 tickets will be on sale at this event (\$2 each, 3 for \$5 and 7 for \$10). Fudge and bottled water will be sold as well. Invite your friends and family to come out and support this parish fundraiser and enjoy an evening of great talent and fun!

Martha Spirituality Centre: New programs in January. 1. Women's Spirituality Series using the text "The Cup of Life" by Joyce Rupp begins on January

25 at 7pm. Cost \$40 includes text. Register by January 10 so texts can be ordered. 2. Chair Yoga and Christian Meditation 5-week series on Friday mornings starting January 15. Cost \$50 - need to register as only 10 participants per session. 3. Taize Prayer evening on January 13 at 7pm by donation. 4. Catholic Spirituality Series begins with Ignatian Spirituality on Thursday, Jan. 14 at 7pm by donation. (For information contact 367-3103 or srgemma@eastlink.ca)

Reminder

Information Night - St. Patrick's of Ireland Tour 2016: On Wednesday, Feb 17 at 7 p.m. there will be an information night held in the St. Joseph's Room, Palmer Rd Church. Accompanied by Father Albin Arsenault, the trip includes; 10 day tour, 12 meals, Sept 18-27, 2016, flight from Charlottetown – based on double occupancy - \$3899.00 p/p Please contact CWT Harvey's travel for info: 1-902-566-3979 or 1-800-871-3979 or lthompson@harveystravel-cwt.com

Annual General Retreat: The Annual General Retreat at Belcourt Centre in South Rustico will be held January 22-24, 2016, led by Fr. Danny Wilson. The theme will be "God's Mercy". To register please call 902-963-2877 or e-mail belcourtlodge@gmail.com

Proud of Our Christian Heritage: Donations are still being accepted to the Building/Paint Fund – Proud of Our Christian Heritages – and the names will be placed in the Memorial Book in the church.

Thank you for your donation

Palmer Rd Church Repair Fund Donations

Proud of our Christian Heritage
Donations to January 10: \$20,948.00
Grand Total: \$21,148.00

Thank You

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday: 18/01 10:00 a.m.
 George McAlduff by Gen & family
Tuesday: 19/01 9:00 a.m.
 Frank MacPhee by Anne
Wednesday: 20/01 9:00 a.m.
 Adeline Butler by Sylvia Sweet
Thursday: 21/01 7:00 p.m.
 Billy Ellsworth by Harold, Bernetta & family
Friday: 22/01
No Mass

3rd Sunday of Ordinary Time
January 24th, 2016

Saturday: 23/01 4:00 p.m.
 For the People
Sunday: 24/01 (PR) 9:00 a.m.
 Chester & Millie Shea by the family
(PR) 11:00 a.m.
 Juanita Bernard by mom & dad

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

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.

Intention of the Holy Father, Pope Francis for January 2016

Universal: Interreligious Dialogue. That sincere dialogue among men and women of different faiths may produce the fruits of peace and justice.
Evangelization: Christian Unity. That by means of dialogue and fraternal charity and with the grace of the Holy Spirit, Christians may overcome divisions.