

# Immaculate Conception Church

Palmer Road

## Our Lady of Assumption Mission

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### Bulletin from Jan 31-Feb 7, 2016

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#### Sunday Collection:

January 24, 2016: \$2,255.00

Thank you for your generosity



Jesus preaching in Nazareth

### 4th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Jesus filled with the power of the Spirit, came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up. He went to the synagogue on the Sabbath day, as was his custom, and read from the Prophet Isaiah. The eyes of all were fixed on him. Then he began to say to them, "Today the Scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing." All spoke well of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his mouth. They said, "Is not this Joseph's son?" ...

The Gospel of Luke

### Quotes from Pope Francis' Encyclical

*"Misericordiae Vultus"*

*"The Face of Mercy"*

Pope Francis, for the Year of Mercy:

*"Just as he is merciful, so we are called to be merciful to each other." (MV #9)*

### News

**Rosary for Life:** PEI Catholic Women's League asks us to pray the Rosary every day until Easter, for our Blessed Mother's help to end abortion in our province and our world.

**Dates to Remember:** Wednesday, Feb 10 is Ash Wednesday and Thursday, Feb 11 is World Day of the Sick. Details of services will be published in next week's bulletin.

**Ash Wednesday Collection, 2016:** The Ash Wednesday collection will be dedicated to the support of Syrian refugee sponsorship. This is in keeping with the advocacy of Pope Francis and the words of the Bishops of Canada: "every Catholic parish and religious community should...seriously consider sponsoring a Syrian refugee family, either on their own or working in collaboration with others." Accordingly we ask you to be generous in your contribution to this worthy cause.

**Father O'Shea:** Father O'Shea is working on a historical review of the basilica parish and is looking for any related data people may have in their homes. These would include family pictures, articles of interest, Charlottetown photos, etc. All of these, if possible, prior to 1965 and connected to St. Dunstan's Parish. These materials will soon be returned to the owners. Please contact the Catholic Centre on North River Road, phone 902-368-8005.

### Reminder

**2015 Receipts:** Tax receipts for 2015 are now available at the back of the church.

**Palmer Rd CWL Annual Meeting:** The annual meeting of the Palmer Rd CWL will be held Tuesday, Feb 2 at 7:15 pm at the Palmer Rd Hall. The annual \$20 fees are now due and can be paid that night. Thank you.

**Marriage Preparation Program:** "A Decision to Love", a one-day Marriage Preparation Program, will be presented by Ed and Marsha Ratelle at the Loyalist Lakeview Resort, in Summerside on Saturday, April 2, 2016, from 9 am to 6 pm. The cost per couple is \$125.00. For further information or to register for the course contact Marsha at [marsharatelle@eastlink.ca](mailto:marsharatelle@eastlink.ca) or call (902) 436-6795.

**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](mailto:lthompson@harveystravel-cwt.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.

**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.

**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.

### Thank you for your donation

Palmer Rd Church Repair Fund Donations

*Proud of our Christian Heritage*

Donations to January 17: \$21,198.00

Grand Total: \$21,398.00

Thank You!

### MASS INTENTIONS

**Monday: 01/02 10:00 a.m**

Departed relatives of Stanley O'Brien

**Tuesday: 02/02 9:00 a.m.**

Andrew & Winnifred Gallant by Alfred & Kay Gallant

**Wednesday: 03/02 9:00 a.m.**

Wayne Chaisson by Janette & Charlie Deagle

**Thursday: 04/02 7:00 p.m.**

**Anniversary Mass:** Susan Chaisson, Francis Allain,

Emmanuel & Evangeline Allain and Joe, Gerard,

Sophie, Rita, Dora, Margaretta & Mary

**Friday: 05/02**

No Mass

### 5th Sunday of Ordinary Time

February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2016

**Saturday: 06/02 4:00 p.m.**

Ronnie Doucette by Annie & Girls

**Sunday: 07/02**

(PR) 9:00 a.m.

For the People

(PR) 11:00 a.m.

Nelson Bernard by Bernard family

**BULLETIN:** Bulletin announcements accepted up to Tuesday at 12 Noon in written form or by email: [palmerroadparish@gmail.com](mailto:palmerroadparish@gmail.com)

**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 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.

