

Immaculate Conception Church

Palmer Road

Our Lady of Assumption Mission

Miminegash

Bulletin from February 28 - March 6, 2016

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Sunday Collection:

February 21, 2016: \$2,045.00
Second Collection: \$404.45

Thank you for your generosity



The parable of the fig tree 3rd Sunday of Lent

... Jesus told this parable. "A man had a fig tree planted in the vineyard: and he came looking for fruit on it and found none. So he said to the gardener, "See here! For three years I have come looking for fruit on this fig tree, and still I find none. Cut it down! Why should it be wasting the soil?"

The gardener replied, "Sir, let it alone for one more year, until I dig around it and put manure on it. If it bears fruit next year, well and good; but if not, you can cut it down."

The Gospel of Luke

Quotes from Pope Francis' Encyclical

"Misericordiae Vultus"

"The Face of Mercy"

Pope Francis, for the Year of Mercy:

Perhaps we have too long forgotten how to show and live the way of mercy. (MV#10)

Be merciful just as your heavenly Father is merciful. Luke 6:36

News

Palmer Rd CWL: The March meeting of the Palmer Rd CWL will be held Tuesday, March 1 at 7:15 at the Palmer Rd Hall. We'll be celebrating St. Patrick's Day at the meeting so wear your best green outfit to compete for a little prize! Also, a reminder, annual fees, are now due.

PEI Right to Life to Host Presentation:

PEI Right to Life Association is hosting presenter Devorah Gilman of the Canadian Centre for Bio-Ethical Reform on Friday, March 4, at Centre 150 (Summerside Community Church) from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Miss Gilman will be presenting on abortion apologetics, effectively and compassionately conveying the pro-life position, and what you can do to further the movement. All are welcome and admission is free. For more information, contact Executive Director, Nicole Dupuis via email nicole.dupuis@live.ca

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje: (April 29-May 9) 11-day Pilgrimage to MEDJUGORJE with Spiritual Director, Fr. Charlie Broderick. Cost: \$2035 (+ airport taxes, security, fuel surcharges \$675); includes return airfare from Moncton/Halifax, transfers, accommodations, daily breakfast & dinner, and the services of a professional local guide. Info: Hector & Cécile Caissie (506) 857-2295 or hectorcaissie@hotmail.ca

Reminder

CWL Area Meeting for West Prince: CWL Area Meeting for West Prince Councils is on Tuesday,

March 8th at St. Anthony's Hall in Bloomfield starting at 7 pm. All members welcome to attend.

Second Collection: On Saturday, Feb 6, the Finance & Property Committee chose to have a second collection at weekend masses in aid of painting the exterior of Miminegash Church. Thank you for your support.

2015 Receipts: Tax receipts for 2015 are now available at the back of the church. Please pick them up.

Have your voice heard: Pro-abortionists on PEI have a phone campaign urging the PEI government not to challenge the lawsuit filed by Abortion Access Now. If this lawsuit goes through, abortion on PEI would be a legal reality. It is important that those who oppose abortion have their voices heard as well. You may do this by phoning 902-368-4405. This will get you the Premier's receptionist who will simply take your name and record it as asking the government to challenge the lawsuit.

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 February 14: \$21,398.00
Grand Total: \$36,498.00

Royal Canadian Legion,
Branch No 6, Tignish (Chase the Ace) \$15,000

Thank You!

BULLETIN: Bulletin announcements accepted up to Tuesday at 12 Noon in written form or by

email: palmerroadparish@gmail.com

If you wish to have a mass intention on a particular date please send as soon as possible and please include a phone number. Thank you

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday: 29/02 10:00 a.m.
Angelina Gaudet by Exzelia Lavoie
Tuesday: 01/03 9:00 a.m.
Al Doucette by Cora & family
Wednesday: 02/03 9:00 a.m.
Confession: 9:30 a.m.
Paul Brown by Mrs Leona Cheney
Thursday: 03/03 7:00 p.m.
Confession: 6:30 p.m.
Anniversary Mass: Bertha Chaisson; Ermine, Peter, Arthur, Gerry & Joe LeClair, Al Doucette
Friday: 04/03 6:30 p.m.
Way of the Cross: 6:30 p.m.
Mass: 7:00 p.m.
Evelyn Kennedy by Florence

Fourth Sunday of Lent

March 6th, 2016

Saturday: 05/03 4:00 p.m.
Leonard Gaudet by Olive Ann & family
Sunday: 06/03 (M) 9:00 a.m.

For the People

(PR) 11:00 a.m.

Jimmy Cormier by Christine & family

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 February 2016

Universal: That families in need may receive the necessary support and that children may grow up in a healthy and peaceful environment.

Evangelization: That those Christians who, on account of their faith, are discriminated against or are being persecuted, may remain strong and faithful to the Gospel, thanks to the incessant prayer of the church.