

Immaculate Conception Church  
Palmer Road  
Our Lady of Assumption Mission  
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Bulletin from July 24-31, 2016

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**Sunday Collection:**  
July 17, 2016: \$2,313.00  
Thank you for your generosity



**Knock and the door will be opened**

**17<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

... "So I say to you: Ask, and it will be given you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened ...

The Gospel of Luke

*Palmer Road Parish Picnic*

Sunday, Aug 21, 2016



**Door to Door Collection:** Canvassers will begin the door to door collection for the picnic this week. Thank you in advance for your support and generosity.

**Setting up Booths:** Booths for the picnic will be set up on Monday & Tuesday, Aug 15 & 16. Volunteers are needed, please be at the church yard for 6 p.m.

**Volunteers:** Volunteers are needed for the day of the picnic. Please call Yvonne at 902-882-4298 or the parish office at 902-882-2622 to let us know what time you can work. Thank you for your support with this great parish event.

**Flea market items, crafts, jams, etc:** We are accepting donations of crafts, jams, pickles, etc. to sell during the picnic. This year the parish picnic will feature a flea market so we are accepting donations of good quality items (no clothing) for the sale. Items may be dropped off at the parish house. For information contact Ida at 902-882-2997.

News

**Novena to St Anne, July 17-26, 2016:** The Novena to St Anne continues until Tuesday, July 26. Closing evening includes procession, St Anne's rosary and singing of Magnificat.

**Benefit for Gloria Ellsworth:** A Variety Concert will be held Sunday, July 31, at 7 p.m., at the Tignish Parish Centre. Admission is \$10. All proceeds to help purchase a new van for Gloria Ellsworth. The Skit n' Scoff Crew will be performing along with local talent.

**Ordination to The Priesthood:** On Friday, August 26<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. Deacon Andrew Handrahan will be ordained to the Priesthood at St. Dunstan's Basilica in Charlottetown. There will be a bus leaving the St. Simon & St. Jude church parking lot at 4:30 p.m. For anyone wishing to attend, please call the Parish Office at 882-2049 to reserve your spot. The bus cost will depend on the number of people going.

**St. Anthony's Parish (Bloomfield) Church Picnic:** Sunday, Aug 7, beginning with Outdoor Mass at 11am, followed by Hot Roast Beef Dinner served from 12 noon-6 pm, (adults \$15 children \$8), entertainment, yard sale, Bingo, games, lottery, food auction, 50/50 etc. In case of rain meals will still be served on Sunday, rain date for activities-Monday, Aug 8.

**32<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL SDU MASS:** August 5 at 7 pm at Steele Recital Hall on the UPEI Campus. Please join your fellow SDU Alumni for an all-years reception being held in the new School of Sustainable Design Engineering Building after the mass at 8:15 pm.

Reminder

**Pilgrimage Walk to St. Anne's Parish:** On Friday, July 29, St. Anne's Parish, Hope River, will celebrate the Feast Day of the Blessed Virgin Mary's parents: St. Anne & St. Joachim. The parish invites all pilgrims to celebrate Mass at 10:30 a.m. following the pilgrimage walk. Light refreshments served after Mass. For details call Vernon Buote at 902-963-2106.

**Minor Change Regarding Weekday Masses:** Starting Monday, the Prayer to St Michael and the Hail Mary will be said before Mass. These two prayers will serve as a preparation for our encounter with the Lord. It is wise to fully respect the words of dismissal: "Go", we are sent forth. Because we believe in the Communion of the Saints, it is more meaningful to pray to St Michael and to the Blessed Mother before the Celebration of the Eucharist.

**80<sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebration:** You are invited to join Leroy, Kathleen and family in an Open House to celebrate Leroy Doucette's 80<sup>th</sup> birthday. Sunday, July 24, Palmer Rd Community Centre, from 6-8 p.m. Please join the family for refreshments, cake and some great music. Best wishes only!

**Lay Minister/Readers:** We are looking for lay ministers and readers for all three Sunday masses. If you would like to become involved in one of these church ministries please contact the parish office at 902-882-2622 or Yvonne at 902-882-4298.

**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.

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Monday: 25/07 10:00 a.m.**  
Evelyn Kennedy by Gerard & Paula Kelly  
**Tuesday: 26/07 9:00 a.m.**  
Anne Chaisson by Wilbert & Debbie Chaisson  
**Wednesday: 27/07 9:00 a.m.**  
Adeline Butler by Joe Perry  
**Thursday: 28/07 9:00 a.m.**  
**Anniversary Mass:** Randy Chaisson  
**Friday: 29/07 No Mass**

**18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**July 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016**

**Saturday: 30/07 7:00 p.m.**  
Gerald Handrahan by Norma & family  
**Sunday: 31/07 (M) 9:00 a.m.**  
For the People  
**(PR) 11:00 a.m.**  
Delores, Edward & Barry Gallant by the family

**BULLETIN:** Bulletin announcements accepted up to Tuesday at 12 Noon in written form or by **email:** [palmerroadparish@gmail.com](mailto:palmerroadparish@gmail.com)  
**Office hours:** Monday & Thursday 9:30 am-5 pm

**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 July 2016**

**Universal:** That political responsibility may be lived at all levels as a high form of charity.

**Evangelization:** That, amid social inequalities, Latin American Christians may bear witness to love for the poor and contribute to a more fraternal society.

