## Immaculate Conception Church Palmer Road

# Our Lady of Assumption Mission Miminegash

### Bulletin from May 14-21, 2017

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#### **Sunday Collection:**

May 7, 2017: \$2,024.30 Thank you for your generosity



Fifth Sunday of Easter

Thomas said to him, "Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?"

Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. If you know me, you will know my Father also. From now on you do know him and have seen him."

From the Gospel of John



Priests Annual Retreat: Fr Albin Arsenault will be away from the parish from Sunday, May 21 – Thursday, May 25 to attend the Annual Priests Retreat so there will be no weekday masses those dates. Fr Eddie Cormier will be available for funerals. Thank you for your continued prayers and support.

West Prince Right to Life: The Annual General Meeting will take place on Tuesday, May 16 at 7:30 p.m. at the Immaculate Conception Church in Palmer Road. We will have a guest speaker (Ann Marie Tomlins) and would like to extend an invitation to all C.W.L. & Knights of Columbus members. There will be a sharing table to follow. Everyone welcome.

Western Hospital Fundraiser: Western Hospital Variety Show with some Skit and Skof members, and a special guest from Ottawa. Friday, May 19 at 7:30 pm at Westisle Theatre, Tickets \$10, fudge and 50/50 sales. All proceeds to the Western Hospital Equipment Fund.

Oct 25-Nov 3: Pilgrimage to the Holy Land: Cost of \$3,634 includes airport taxes, security, fuel surcharges, airfare from the Maritimes, transfers, superior tourist hotels based on double occupation, daily buffet breakfast & dinner, all tours by deluxe motor coach, English speaking professional guides and all entrance fees to places of interest. INFO: Marie Desjardins at mariedesjardins1949@gmail.com or (207) 868-5027.

Candidates for Lay Pastoral Associate Formation Program: A reminder that the deadline for nominations for the Lay Pastoral Associate Formation Program is Friday, June 16. The program, open to men, women, and married couples, facilitates faith development and involvement in various pastoral ministries. From past experience, candidates enjoy a strong sense of community during their formation program. Ultimately, candidates in consultation with their Pastor and Pastoral Council, determine areas of ministry involvement and the time they are able to commit. For further information, interested individuals should speak to their pastor or contact the Diocesan Centre at 902-368-8005 or e-mail rc@dioceseofcharlottetown.com.

**Pro-Life Demonstration:** The next peaceful pro-life demonstration is on Saturday, May 20 at 11a.m. along Roy Boates Ave. in Summerside.

Fr. Keith Kennific's 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Ordination to the Priesthood: All are welcome to join St. Martha Pastoral Unit in celebrating an Open House at Tracadie Community Centre on Saturday, May 27 from 6-9pm.

SDU Post Graduate Entrance Scholarship: This scholarship is a non-renewable \$5,000 scholarship available to graduates of PEI high schools who have completed an undergraduate degree at an accredited university and are entering the first year of a post graduate study as a full time student. SDU will offer four scholarships per year. Application deadline is May 31 of the current academic year. Application forms and criteria available at <a href="https://www.saintdunstansuniversity.ca">www.saintdunstansuniversity.ca</a> For additional information call 393-3441.

### Reminder

**Fr Ellsworth Scholarship:** Applications forms for the Fr Richard Ellsworth Scholarship Fund are now available for 2017 graduates who will be attending post-secondary institutions (1<sup>st</sup> year). They may be picked up at FJ Shea & Son, St Louis or at the Parish office. For more information contact Willard Mokler at 902-882-4445. Deadline to apply is May 28

Kolbe Retreat Center: Family Retreats are a great chance to spend some quality time with your own & to meet other Catholic families. The Thursday evening thru Sunday Retreats are held at Kolbe Retreat Center, Grand River, PEI. \$250 registration fee covers all food & lodging for your whole family. Retreat schedule for this summer still available; June 29-July 2, Aug 10-13, & Aug 24-27. Space is limited so please register early. For more information see: <a href="www.hfmpei.com">www.hfmpei.com</a>, e-mail <a href="mailto:info@hfmpei.com">info@hfmpei.com</a>, call 902-854-2719 or text 902-432-9595

**PEI Right to Life Association Campaign:** PEI Right to Life Association has initiated a "Defenders of Life" fundraising campaign in an effort to promote and support a culture of life in our province. Please pick up a Defenders of Life flyer at the back of the church.

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Monday: 15/05 10:00 a.m. Wilfred, Frank & Margaret Ahearn by Jean, Ben & family

Tuesday:16/059:00 a.m.Basil & Winnie Doucette by George & VeldaWednesday:17/057:00 p.m.

**Anniversary:** Andrew Jones

Thursday: 18/05 9:00 a.m.

Rosie Gallant by the family

Friday: 19/05 No Mass

## Sixth Sunday of Easter *May 21<sup>st</sup>, 2017*

Saturday: 20/05 7:00 p.m.
Joseph Dugay & Edmund Perry by Addie Dugay & family

Sunday: 21/05 (M) 9:00 a.m. Fred & Pat Butler by Wayne & LouAnne Gallant (PR) 11:00 a.m.

For the People

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

email: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

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 May 2017

**Christians in Africa:** That Christians in Africa, an imitation of the Merciful Jesus, may give prophetic witness to reconciliation, justice and peace.