Immaculate Conception Church Palmer Road

Our Lady of Assumption Mission Miminegash

Bulletin from July 2-9, 2017

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Sunday Collection: June 25, 2017: \$2115.10

Special Collection for the African Famine

\$750.00

Thank you for your generosity



13th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Jesus said to his Apostles: "Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever does not take up their cross and follow me is not worthy if me. Whoever finds their life will lose it, and whoever loses their life for my sake will find it. ...

The Gospel of Matthew

News

Summer Weekday Masses: Please note – during the summer months all weekday masses will be in the morning. This Thursday's Mass will be celebrated at 9 a.m.

Picnic Committee Meeting: The meeting of the Palmer Road Picnic Committee that was rescheduled due to last week's cancellation will be held at the church in the St Joseph's Room at 7 p.m. on Monday July 3rd. A reminder that new members are always welcome.

The Priests Benevolent Fund now has a new website to improve communication between the Fund, our supporters, and the public. It is located at www.priestsbenevolentfund.ca Since the Priests Benevolent Fund is a separate organization from the Diocese and its parishes, contacting us directly is the best and fastest way to get the answers to your questions about receipts, donations, and anything else related to the fund. You will find our contact information on the new site. We would like to take this opportunity to thank all our generous donors for your contributions to the care of the retired priests of the Diocese of Charlottetown.

For July and August the Catholic Centre will be closed on Fridays; office hours Monday to Thursday are 8:30am – 12noon and 1:00 – 4:00pm.

The next peaceful Pro-Life demonstration is on Saturday, July 8th at 11:00 am, along Roy Boates Ave. in Summerside.

Reminder

Rosaries for Father Roy Shea: Father Roy has asked if we would collect rosaries for his church in Brazil. Many of the parishioners who arrive to pray the Rosary do not have one. If you have any rosaries that you wish to donate, please put them in the labeled box on the table behind the pews. Thank you

The Church needs good, holy priests in every generation: In the Diocese of Charlottetown Fr. George Gilliland is the Vocations Director. A priest for about 30 years, Fr. George has wide pastoral experience especially with care to the sick. He is open to speak to any parish group or individual about vocations to the priesthood and religious life. To contact Fr. George at the diocesan office during regular work hours phone: (902) 368-8005, or by mail: P.O. Box 907, Charlottetown, P.E.I. C1A 7L9. And remember always to pray for our priests and pray that all young people will be guided by the Holy Spirit to the way of life that will bring them the most joy.

SDU Vacation Bible Camp: Due to cancellations there are two available weeks for the Vacation Bible Camps which are sponsored by the SDU Board of Governors. Available weeks are August 14-18 and August 21-25. Any parish or parishes that are interested in hosting a week of Vacation Bible Camp should call 393-3441 or email sdu@eastlink.ca for additional information.

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje: September 28-October 8: Cost \$2,035 (+ \$675 airport taxes/security/fuel surcharges) includes airfare from the Maritimes, (twin or triple) accommodation, daily breakfast & dinner and professional local guide. A \$500 deposit guarantees you a spot. Balance due July 28, 2017. SPECIAL! Pay in full by June 15 and SAVE \$200. First five paying pilgrims only. Info: Hector and Cécile Caissie at hectorcaissie@hotmail.ca or <a href="mailto:(506) 857-2295

Connolly Estate Bursaries Expanded:

Bursaries are now available to qualifying university students in their first, second, third or fourth year. A change in policy means university students can now receive support for a maximum of four years (not two). In addition, college students who are completing a joint program/degree may also qualify during their university studies. The bursaries are open to full-time university students who are male or female, Roman Catholic, and Irish in heritage. Applicants must demonstrate financial need. Apply at www.owenconnollyestate.com before August 31.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday: 03/07 10:00 a.m.

Theresa Deagle by Laura Costain

Tuesday: 04/07 9:00 a.m.

Maynard Butler by Lucy Cahill

Wednesday: 05/07 9:00 a.m.

Marcella Beaudoin by the family

Confession: 9:30 a.m.

Thursday: 06/07 9:00 a.m.
H. Reginald Gaudet by Geraldine and Walter Shea

Confession: 9:30 a.m.

Friday: 07/07 No Mass

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time July 9th, 2017

Saturday: 08/07 7:00 p.m.

For the People

Sunday: 09/07 (M) 9:00 a.m.

Velton Thibodeau by Sharon Jones

(PR) 11:00 a.m.

Joan & Mark Johnston by Gerard & Paula Kelly

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

<u>BAPTISMS:</u> 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

<u>Please Note</u>: 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 2017

Lapsed Christians: That our brothers and sisters who have strayed from the faith, through our prayer and witness to the Gospel, may rediscover the merciful closeness of the Lord and the beauty of the Christian life.