## Immaculate Conception Church Palmer Road

# Our Lady of Assumption Mission Miminegash

#### Bulletin from Nov 26-Dec 3, 2017

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#### **Sunday Collection:**

November 19, 2017: \$1,711.75 IMO Dora Perry: \$140.00

Thank you for your generosity



Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

### **Christ the King**

Jesus said to his disciples: "When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the Angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his gory. All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people from one another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at his left. ...

The Gospel of Matthew

### News

**December 8:** The 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Year is ending on December 8, the Feast of the Immaculate Conception. There will be Mass at 7 p.m. sung by the parish choirs. Following mass the men's choir will sing and play music (in the church) and Anniversary cake will be shared. The blue anniversary candles will be sold at \$10 each and can be taken home as a memorial candle. There will also be a slide presentation of the activities of the anniversary year. You are all invited to come celebrate this milestone. As we leave the church, the bells will ring out the 125th Year of Celebration.

Donations for Christmas: Select a tag from our Christmas tree at the back of the church and help support the parish's Christmas Hamper Program. Just select a tag(s) from the tree and donate the item(s) listed. Drop off your donation, along with the tag at the church by December 17. Please note, any nonperishable food item and monetary donations are welcomed in addition to those listed on the tags. Have a wonderful and joyous Christmas and thank you for sharing with those less fortunate.

Lights of Hope: The Western Hospital "Lights of Hope" Campaign is underway. Memorial donations in memory or in honour of loved ones can be given at the following locations: Western Hospital main desk, Alberton Pharmacy and The Medicine Shoppe. Join the Tree Lighting Ceremony on Monday, Dec 4 at 6 pm at the Hospital Main Entrance for carol singing, hot chocolate and cookies. Donations will help purchase medical equipment for the hospital. Thank you for your support.

Christmas Nativity and Display Sale: Christmas Nativity Display and Sale at St. Paul's Parish Center, 290 Notre Dame St., Summerside, Friday, Nov. 24 (7-9pm) and Saturday, Nov. 25 (10am – 8pm). Admission is by donation at the door.

Pilgrimage April 25 - May 6: Pilgrimage to Medjugorje and KRK Island, Croatia with Fr. Zlatko Sudac, the renowned stigmatist. Cost of \$2,980 includes taxes, airfare from the Maritimes, (twin or triple) accommodation, daily breakfast and dinner, and professional local guide. Info: Marie Desjardins at mariedesjardins1949@gmail.com or 207-868-5027.

### Reminder

Reminder - Christmas Hampers: Applications for the Salvation Army Christmas Hampers are available by calling Teresa Marleau at 853-3804. Teresa will be available in the St Joseph Room at Palmer Rd Church to fill in applications on Sunday, Nov 26 from 1-2 pm. Applicants must provide proof of income such as their 2016 Income Tax Notice of Assessment. In addition, please bring identification for each person listed on the application. Please Note: The deadline to apply for the Christmas Hamper is Friday, Dec 1<sup>st</sup>.

**CBC Turkey Drive:** The CBC turkey drive begins Monday, Dec 4 until Friday, Dec 15. Drop off locations include Tignish Co-op, O'Leary Farmers Co-op, Bloomfield Foodland and Bray's Independent, Alberton. Thank you for your continued support.

St. Mark's Annual Ceilidh Lot 7: St. Mark's Annual Ceilidh Lot 7 will be held on November 26 at 7 pm. Featuring Sandra Jones and Family, Victor and Cathy Doucette, Steven Perry and more. There will be a door prize, 50/50 and free lunch. Tickets are \$10 and you can get advance tickets from Erin Murphy at 902-859-3211, Linda Rogers at 902-859-2803 or Ann Dugay at 902-859-1774, or at the door. Come out and enjoy a great evening.

Parkinson Music Therapy: PEI Chapter Parkinson Canada is seeking those with Parkinson Disease to begin a Summerside music therapy group "Treble Tremors 2" with Neurological music therapist Shona Pottinger. Research has shown that Music therapy has many benefits such as voice improvement as well as strengthening the muscles in the mouth and throat and delay problems with swallowing. For information email PEI Chapter at idoyle@eastlink.ca, phone 902-368-8329 or call Shona Pottinger at 902-393-3825.

Annual Diocesan Retreat: January 19-21, 2018 at Our Lady of Hope Retreat Centre. Theme: "How to Become a Saint" with Father Brian MacDougall. If you are serious about pursuing authentic Christian holiness in Christ then this is the retreat for you.

Advent Retreat: Advent retreat "And the Word Was Made Flesh" with Fr. George Gilliland on Saturday, Dec 2 from 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. at Martha Spirituality Centre. Please register by November 30 or until spaces last. Cost is \$30. Phone 902-367-3103 or email srgemma @eastlink.ca

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Monday: 27/11 10.00 a.m.

Benny Deagle by Aldona & Johnny Jones

Tuesday: 28/11 9.00 a.m.

Marie Myers by Dorothy & Ronnie

Wednesday: 29/11 9.00 a.m.

Theresa Deagle by Josie Thibodeau

Confession: 9:30 a.m.

Thursday: 30/11

Confession: 6:30 p.m.
Fr Francis Bolger 7:00 p.m.
Friday: 01/12 No Mass

# 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent *December 3, 2017*

Saturday: 02/12 4:00 p.m.

For the People

Sunday: 03/12 (M) 9:00 a.m.

Gordon Gallant by Cora & family

(PR) 11:00 a.m.

Delia Perry & Eva Arsenault by Mrs Addie Deagle

**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 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: <u>palmerroadparish@gmail.com</u>

<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 November 2017

**Christians in Asia:** That Christians in Asia, bearing witness to the Gospel in word and deed, may promote dialogue, peace and mutual understanding, especially with those of other religions.

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