Immaculate Conception Church Palmer Road

Our Lady of Assumption Mission Miminegash

Bulletin from February 11-18, 2018

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Office hours: Monday & Thursday 9:30 am - 5 pm

Sunday Collection:

February 4, 2018: \$1,705.95

Cemetery Fund: IMO Freda Keefe - \$125.00 Thank you for your generosity



Jesus heals the leper.

6th Sunday of Ordinary Time

A man with leprosy came to Jesus begging him, and kneeling said to Jesus, "If you choose, you can make me clean." Moved with pity, Jesus stretched out his hand and touched him, and said to him, "I do choose. Be clean!" Immediately the leprosy left him, and he was made clean.

The Gospel of Mark

Schedule for Ash Wednesday Wednesday, Feb 14, 2018

Miminegash: 6:00 p.m. Palmer Rd: 8:00 p.m.

Reminder: Ash Wednesday is a day of fast and abstinence (no meat).

News

Knights of Columbus: The monthly meeting of the Palmer Road Knights of Columbus will be held on Wednesday, Feb 21at 8 p.m., instead of February 14 (Ash Wednesday).

World Day of Prayer for Sick Mass: Due to circumstances the Mass for World Day of Prayer for the Sick will be celebrated on Wednesday, Feb 21 at 7 p.m. The Sacrament of the Sick will be offered after the homily.

PEI Pilgrimage Ltd: PEI Pilgrimage Ltd. will lead a tour to *Our Lady of the Cape Shrine* at Cap de Madeleine, QC and *St. Joseph's Oratory*, Montreal, the weekend of May 18-21, 2018. To register please call Gary Clow at 902-569-3945, Ken Campbell at 902-566-2914 or Joe Drane at 902-940-5871.

Reminder

Ash Wednesday Collection: The Ash Wednesday Collection (February 14) will be dedicated to support of Prison Ministry and assistance with Refugee Sponsorship by parish communities.

2017 Receipts: The receipts for donations in 2017 for all Church Envelope users are at the back of the church. Thank you for your generosity in supporting our parish.

The-Heart-of-the-Matter: A Marriage Preparation Course for Modern Couples in the Catholic Church: Are you planning to get married in the Catholic Church? Got questions? Could you answer why getting married in the Catholic Church will make a difference in your life? Don't settle for uncertainty. Learn why this choice is one of the best you will ever make! Ask YOUR questions, find answers and learn the truth. Get to *The-Heart-of-the-Matter*! We will meet individually to learn about and discuss the meaning of the Catholic Sacrament of Matrimony. Contact Pat Wiedemer by Email: patricia.wiedemer@outlook.com or Tel: 902-393-6047.

Marriage Preparation Program: "A Decision to Love", a one-day Marriage Preparation Program, will be presented by Ed and Marsha Ratelle at the Loyalist Lakeview Resort in Summerside, on Saturday, April 7, from 9:00 am to 6:00 pm. The cost per couple is \$150.00. For further information or to register for the course contact Marsha Ratelle at marsharatelle@eastlink.ca or call (902) 436-6795

Marriage Encounter Weekend: It's the best gift you'll ever give to each other, your marriage, and your family! Register now for the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. April 6-8, 2018, Our Lady of Hope Retreat Centre, PEI. For information contact renewmarriage@gmail.com or 902-314-8541

Blue Anniversary Candles/Parish Directory: The blue candles used during our 125th Anniversary celebrations are on sale for \$10 each. Also, extra copies of the Parish Directory are available at \$20 each.

Pilgrimage to Shrines of Italy: Join Fr. Andrew Handrahan on a guided pilgrimage to some of Italy's holy sites. From November 6-16, 2018, the pilgrimage will travel to Italy and visit such places as Rome, Vatican City, Assisi, San Giovanni Rotunda, and Montecassino. See the relics of St Benedict, and the place where St Michael the Archangel appeared; walk through the Catacombs of Rome, and breath in the air of the picturesque town of St. Francis; experience St Peter's basilica in Vatican City, and be present for the Holy Father's Wednesday audience. An information session will be held at the CAA travel agency location in Charlottetown on February 20 at 6:30PM. Contact Krisanne Butler at CAA Travel for more

information:kbutler@atlantic.caa.ca or at 902-892-0296.

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje: April 27-May 7-Cost of \$2035 (+ \$675 airport taxes/security/fuel surcharges) includes airfare from the Maritimes, (twin or triple) accommodation, daily breakfast & dinner and professional local guide. Accompanying priest, yet to be determined. For information contact: Hector and Cécile Caissie at hectorcaissie@hotmail.ca or (506) 857-2295.

Church Envelopes: The Church Envelopes for 2018 are now available at the back of the church. Please note if you had a number higher than 215 in previous years you will have a new number on your envelope this year. Please put your name on the first envelope of the New Year. Thank you.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday: 12/02 No Mass

Tuesday: 13/02 No Mass

Wednesday: 14/02 Ash Wednesday

M - 6 p.m.: Winnie Gallant by Dot Gallant & family

PR – 8 p.m.: Terry Laming by Kathy & family
Thursday: 15/02 7:00 p.m.

Anniversary: Ralph MacKay

Friday: 16/02 9:00 a.m.

Brendon Shea by the family

First Sunday of Lent **February 18**th, 2018

Saturday: 17/02 4:00 p.m.

Jennie Handrahan by Mom & family

Sunday: 18/02 (M) 9:00 a.m.

For the People

(PR) 11:00 a.m.

Reginald Gaudet by Juanita & family

BULLETIN: Bulletin announcements accepted up to Tuesday at 12 Noon in written form or by **email:**palmerroadparish@gmail.com

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<u>BAPTISMS:</u> Baptism will be held the **2**nd **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 February 2018

Universal: Say "No" to Corruption: That those who have material, political or spiritual power resist any lure of temptation.

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