

Immaculate Conception Church

Palmer Road

Our Lady of Assumption Mission

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Bulletin from February 25 – March 4, 2018

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

Sunday Collection:

February 18, 2018: \$2,131.00

Ash Wednesday: \$873.70

IMO Melvin Allain: \$125.00

IMO Freda Keefe: \$65.00

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Jesus was transfigured

2nd Sunday of Lent

Jesus took with him Peter and James and John, and led them up a high mountain apart, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no one on earth could bleach them.

The Gospel of Mark

News

Clergy Day: Please note Fr Albin Arsenault will be attending Clergy Days with the Bishop and other priests of the Diocese on Monday and Tuesday, Feb 26 and 27. For this week only Mass will be at 9 a.m. on Monday. There will be no mass on Tuesday.

K of C Dinner Theatre: March 2 and 3 at the Palmer Road Hall, the Knights of Columbus is sponsoring a dinner theatre; *Mystery at the Lumber Camp* written and directed by Eileen Chiasson Pendergast. All proceeds for hall maintenance. Enjoy a delightful story with lots of music along with "Chiard" and dessert on the menu. Tickets are \$20 each and available at 902-206-2299 and 902-882-2117.

Roast Beef Dinner: Sunday, March 4th enjoy dinner at the Palmer Rd Hall beginning at 12 noon. Roast beef dinner with all the trimmings. Adults \$12, Children \$6. All proceeds to the upkeep of the hall.

Marriage Encounter: Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend, April 6-8 at Our Lady of Hope Retreat Centre. For more information: renewmarriage@gmail.com. 902-314-8541

World Day of Prayer: World Day of Prayer service will be held on Friday, March 2 at the Nazarene Church in Elmsdale at 2pm. All are welcome. A light lunch will follow.

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 breathe 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 Immaculate Conception Parish Church, Richmond, on March 16 at 6pm. Contact Krisanne Butler at CAA Travel for more information: kbutler@atlantic.caa.ca or at 902-892-0296.

St Dunstan's Basilica: World Day of Prayer Ecumenical Service will be held at St Dunstan's Basilica, Friday, March 2 at 3:30pm. The theme *All God's Creation is Very Good* was written by the South American country of Suriname. This prayer

service joins Christians from over 170 countries world-wide. All are welcome. (Snow date is Sunday, March 4 at 2:30pm).

Reminder

Grief Support Group: Beginning Wednesday, March 7 a Grief Support Group will start at the Prince County Hospital. The group is for those who are grieving the death of a loved one and who seek further support, guidance and the opportunity to share their experience. The Group will take place on Wednesday afternoons from 2:30pm - 4:30pm in the Hospital chapel. Sessions begin Wednesday, Mar 7 and run consecutively until Wednesday, April 11. The group will be limited to 10 participants and co-facilitated by Rev Paul Wilkie, Hospital chaplain, and Willard Day, East Prince Hospice. This is a closed support group (no drop-ins), so participants are asked to commit to all six sessions. Please register with Rev Paul Wilkie at 902-438-4374.

2017 Receipts: The receipts for donations in 2017 for all Church Envelope users are at the back of the church. Please pick up your receipt and church envelopes if you have not already done so. Thank you for your generosity in supporting our parish.

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.

The Heart of the Matter: Marriage preparation course for modern couples in the Catholic church: Contact Pat Wiedemer at 902-393-6047 or by email: patricia.wiedemer@outlook.com

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.

The
Season
of
Lent



MASS INTENTIONS

Monday:	26/02	9:00 a.m.
Freda Keefe by Mark & Audrey Ellsworth		
Tuesday:	27/02	No Mass
Wednesday:	28/02	9:00 a.m.
Donald Knox by Joe Mcinnis		
Thursday:	01/03	7:00 p.m.
Anniversary: Ermine & Peter LeClair & their deceased children		
Friday:	02/03	
Way of the Cross:		6:30 p.m.
Troy Chaisson by Mom		7:00 p.m.

Third Sunday of Lent March 4th, 2018

Saturday:	03/03	4:00 p.m.
For the People		
Sunday:	04/03	(M) 9:00 a.m.
Buddy Carragher by Shirley Murphy & family		
		(PR) 11:00 a.m.
Jimmy Cormier by Christine & family		

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 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

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 February 2018

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