

## Immaculate Conception Church

Palmer Road

### Our Lady of Assumption Mission

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#### Bulletin from May 20-27, 2018

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

#### **Sunday Collection:**

May 13, 2018: \$1,682.45

**Papal Charities:** \$162.00

**Building Fund:** IMO Desmond Callaghan \$1,000.00

Thank you for your generosity



### Pentecost Sunday

May 20, 2018

... Jesus said to them, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you."

When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained."

**The Gospel of John**

## News

**Special Event - Father Art Pendergast's 60th Anniversary:** There will be a celebration of Father Art Pendergast's 60th anniversary to the priesthood on May 27<sup>th</sup> beginning with the 11a.m. mas, followed by a reception and entertainment at the hall. No gifts by his request. **We are asking that last names A-M bring sandwiches and last names N-Z bring sweets for the luncheon.** You are all invited to help celebrate.

**Priests Retreat:** Please note: Fr Albin will be away from the parish for the Priests Retreat this week so there will be no weekday masses from Monday, May 21 to Wednesday, May 23. Anniversary masses will be celebrated on Thursday at 7 pm as usual. Fr Eddie Cormier will be available for funerals .Thank You.

**Palmer Road CWL:** Our last meeting for the summer will be on Tuesday, June 5 and we will be having dinner at Our Family Traditions in Tignish, followed by our meeting at the Palmer Road Hall. Please let our President Kay Gallant know if you plan to attend the dinner. Phone 902-882-2840.

**Palmer Road Parish Picnic:** Mark your calendars for Sunday, Aug 19, 2018- the Annual Palmer Road Parish Picnic. We always need lots of volunteers both for the day of the picnic and during the planning stages. If you'd like to get involved with picnic planning or volunteer in any way we'd love to hear from you. The Picnic is a great way to get involved in our Parish Community so we extend a sincere invitation to everyone: Come out and help us make this day a great success, volunteer a couple of hours and spend some time with family and friends. Please contact the parish office at any time (902-882-2622) if you'd like more information about volunteering and watch the bulletin for future picnic planning meetings where everyone is invited to attend.

**Martha Spirituality Centre:** Martha Spirituality Centre is offerings two Stress Relief Workshops with Louise Carota on June 7 and 8 at 7pm and repeated on June 14 and 15 at 7pm. Please register. Contact 902-367-3103 or [srgemma@eastlink.ca](mailto:srgemma@eastlink.ca) Donations will be accepted each evening.

## Reminder

**March for LIFE:** The PEI Right to Life (RTL) Association will be holding its annual March for LIFE on Sunday May 27 from 2-4pm. Join us at St Pius X Church on St Peter's Road, Charlottetown, as we walk to the Coles Building on Richmond St. This year's national theme is "All IN". In light of the many changes our country has undergone which threaten the life of all, we ask that you come and be ALL IN for a culture of life!

**Parish Employment Position:** The Parish is currently in the process of hiring a new individual for the Caretaker/Maintenance Position at Immaculate Conception Parish, Palmer Road. If you are interested in the position please contact the parish office (902-882-3479) immediately for more details. Thank you.

**Fr Ellsworth Scholarship:** Applications forms for the Fr Richard Ellsworth Scholarship Fund are now available for 2018 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 31.

**Family Retreats:** Thursday evening thru Sunday family retreats are held at Kolbe Retreat Center, Grand River, PEI. \$250 registration fee covers all food and lodging for your whole family. Retreat schedule: July 12 -15, July 26-29, Aug 9-12 and Aug 23 -26. Space is limited register early. For more information see: [www.hfmpei.com](http://www.hfmpei.com) / e mail [info@hfmpei.com](mailto:info@hfmpei.com) / call 902-854-2719 / text 902-432-9595.

**Pilgrimage to Shrines of Italy:** Join Fr. Andrew Handrahan on a guided pilgrimage to some of Italy's holy sites. From November 6-16th, 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. Contact Krisanne Butler at CAA Travel for more information: [kbutler@atlantic.caa.ca](mailto:kbutler@atlantic.caa.ca) or at 902-892-0296. Remaining seats are limited, call now for more information.

## MASS INTENTIONS

Monday:	21/05	No Mass
Tuesday:	22/05	No Mass
Wednesday:	23/05	No Mass
Thursday:	24/05	7:00 p.m.
Anniversary Mass:	Basil Doucette, Joanne Gallant	
Friday:	25/05	No Mass

### Trinity Sunday May 27<sup>th</sup>, 2018

Saturday: 26/05 7:00 p.m.

For the People

Sunday: 27/05 (M) 9:00 a.m.

Alice Doucette by Mary & Edward Blanchard

(PR) 11:00 a.m.

Fr Art Pendergast's 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

BULLETIN: Bulletin announcements accepted up to Tuesday at 12 Noon in written form or by email: [palmerroadparish@gmail.com](mailto:palmerroadparish@gmail.com)

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**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](mailto: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. **Please include a phone number with your mass intentions. Thank you**

### Intention of the Holy Father, Pope Francis for May 2018

**Evangelization – The Mission of Laity:** That the lay faithful may fulfill their specific mission, by responding with creativity to the challenges that face the world today.