Immaculate Conception Church Palmer Road

Our Lady of Assumption Mission Miminegash

Bulletin for August 18-25, 2019

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Sunday Collection: August 11, 2019: \$1,416.20 Thank you for your generosity



20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

As Jesus warned in last Sunday's Gospel, a commitment of faith requires us to change our attitude toward material possessions and to take even more seriously our moral responsibilities. Here he reminds the crowd that those who commit to him will find it affects the way they relate to friends and family members. The angel who announced the birth of John the Baptist to Zechariah said John would go before Jesus to turn the hearts of fathers toward their children. But a commitment to Jesus forces us to change the way we live our lives, and this can put strains on relationships.

We don't expect to hear such difficult words from Jesus in the Gospel. But it is good to be reminded once in a while that the decision to do the right thing, the good thing, is not always easy and without conflict. Jesus himself did not make easy decisions and avoid conflict. In today's reading, he reminds his followers to be prepared for difficult decisions and conflict as well. (Loyola Press-A Jesuit Ministry)

Palmer Road Parish Picnic Sunday, Aug 18, 2019



News

Fall CWL Conference: This year's CWL Fall conference will take place on Saturday, Oct 19 at Immaculate Conception Church, Palmer Road. The eastern conference will take place on Saturday, Sept14 at Stella Maris Church, North Rustico. Start time is 9 am and both are potluck.

PEI Pilgrimage Ltd: On the occasion of their 20th anniversary, PEI Pilgrimage Ltd will lead a pilgrimage to Quebec to visit Our Lady of the Cape Shrine and Sainte-Anne-de-Beaupré from October 4 - 7, 2019. The cost for double occupancy is \$575, or \$660 for single, HST incl. This includes travel, 3 nights' accommodation and six meals. To register please call Gary or Eileen Clow at 902-569-3945, Ken Campbell at 902-566-2914 or Joe or Rita Drane at 902-940-5871. Call early to reserve your spot.

CWL Pilgrimage - Seven Mile Bay: On Saturday, Sept 28 the CWL will host a Pilgrimage to the Holy Martyrs, Seven Mile Bay, beginning with Rosary at 10:30 am and Mass at 11, followed by a potluck lunch.

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land: Want to experience something of the life of Jesus? Do you want to experience the places that our Lord walked and where He spoke to the people? Join Fr Andrew Handrahan on a guided pilgrimage to some of Israel's holy sites. From October 21-29, 2020, the pilgrimage will travel to the Holy Land and visit such places as Nazareth, the Sea of Galilee, the Mount of Transfiguration, Jerusalem, and the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. Step into the River Jordan where Jesus was baptized, and stand on the hill where Jesus gave his sermon on the mount; walk through the places that our Lord himself walked, and experience the city of Jerusalem as you make the way of the

cross which Jesus suffered. Please contact Krisanne Butler at CAA Travel for more information: kbutler@atlantic.caa.ca or 902-892-0296. An information session will be held on Monday, Sept 23 at 6:30 pm in the basement of Immaculate Conception Church, Wellington (31017 RTE 2). If you have questions, inquire soon - seats are limited.

St Mark's Ceilidh: St Mark's Ceilidh's, Thursday at 7:30 pm, at St Mark's Hall, Burton. Tickets \$10. August 22: The Remarkable Ladies special \$20.

Reminder

Grief Support Group: Hospice PEI is offering an ongoing support group the last Tuesday of every month at O'Leary Community Hospital in the boardroom, 7-8 pm. For more information contact Willard Day at 902-786-3991.

Calling all Mothers, Step-mothers, Adoptive mothers and Grandmothers: Tuesday, Aug 27 is the feast day of St Monica, St Augustine's mother. She prayed constantly for her son. To honour St Monica, and to support all mothers, we are having a special Mass at 7pm in St Monica's Chapel at St Augustine's, Rustico. It is important for us to know we are not the only ones praying for our children to have success, to live a good life. All women who have people they pray for are invited to come celebrate Mass together. We'll have muffins, tea, coffee and juice as we socialize after Mass.

New Horizons for Seniors: The New Horizons program allows seniors in our area to be picked up from their homes by Transportation West and taken out for a free meal at local restaurants. To arrange pickup and for more information call 902-853-6010.

Connolly Estate Bursaries: Connolly Estate bursaries are open to residents of PEI who are fulltime students enrolled in an undergraduate program at an accredited university. In addition, applicants must demonstrate that they are Roman Catholic, are Irish in heritage and have material financial need (parental income applies if applicant is under 22). College students who are completing a joint program/degree and are enrolled in the university portion of their studies. Bursaries are available for a maximum of four years. Apply www.owenconnollyestate.com before August 31.

Mass Intentions

Monday: 19/08 9:00 a.m.

Leonard Arsenault & deceased Bernard family

members by Eva Arsenault

Tuesday: 20/08 9:00 a.m.

William Profit by the family

Wednesday: 21/08 9:00 a.m.

Shirley Ellsworth by brothers & sisters

Thursday: 22/08 9:00 a.m. Anniversary: Goldie Morgan, Audrey Tremblay, John

Carragher

Friday: 23/08 No Mass

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time August 25, 2019

Saturday: 24/08 7:00 p.m.

For the People

Sunday: 25/08

(M) 9:00 a.m.

Gerard Kelly by Paula Kelly

(PR) 11:00 a.m.

Kaitlyn Arsenault by Mème, Pèpe & Uncle George

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

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 August 2019

Families, Schools of Human Growth: That families, through their life of prayer and love, become ever more clearly "schools of true human growth."