

# Immaculate Conception Church

Palmer Road

## Our Lady of Assumption Mission

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### Bulletin for September 8-15, 2019

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Sunday Collection:

Sept 1, 2019: \$1,582.10

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### 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

In chapter 14 of Luke's Gospel, Jesus is speaking to people gathered at the table about the difficulties of following him. This group of people is suspicious about Jesus, looking to catch him doing something wrong. Jesus speaks to them in parables, emphasizing that although there is a right way to be a disciple and enter into the kingdom of his Father, it is a difficult path to follow. Many, even some of the guests at the table, reject the invitation. So Jesus turns to the crowds and speaks to them of discipleship. Jesus explains that, when it comes to making a choice for the Kingdom of God, nothing can get in the way. When Jesus describes "hating" one's father and mother, he is not talking about feelings. Rather, he is emphasizing very strongly that choosing to be a disciple means that everything else—family, money, your own life—must come second.

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## News

**Parish Picnic:** We are pleased to report the net profit from this year's Annual Palmer Road Picnic is \$32,076.03. You will find more details on the report included in this week's bulletin. Special thanks to all who supported our major parish fundraiser. Also a reminder to join us on Wednesday, Sept 11 at 7 pm, for our 2019 Picnic Evaluation Meeting.

**Maintenance Person:** Gerald Gallant, one of our parishioners, has taken over the position of maintenance person for the Parish. We look forward to working with him and wish him well in his new job.

**Thank You:** Special thanks to Billy Myers for filling the maintenance position over the last several months. Your continued dedication to the parish is much appreciated.

**Palmer Road CWL:** The monthly meeting of the Palmer Road CWL will be held on Tuesday, Sept 10 at 7:30 pm at the Palmer Road Hall. Welcome back everyone.

**Thursday Mass:** Please note, beginning September 12<sup>th</sup> the Thursday evening Mass will be at 7 pm.

**PEI Camino, "The Way of Bishop MacEachern":** The Friends of St Andrew's invites you to join us for a 6 km walk in the footsteps of Bishop Angus Bernard MacEachern. Starting with Holy Mass at St Dunstan's Basilica on Saturday, Sept 28 at 9 am, we will then travel by car to Scotchfort and walk to St Andrew's Chapel. Lunch at the chapel provided. To register or for details, please email Robert Dennis, [rdennis@upe.ca](mailto:rdennis@upe.ca).

**Diocesan Website:** On our website's homepage we now have Vatican widgets. Check these out at [www.dioceseofcharlottetown.com](http://www.dioceseofcharlottetown.com) for all the latest messages from Pope Francis as well as news from the Vatican and the Church around the world.

**St Mark's Ceilidh:** St Mark's Ceilidh's, Thursday at 7:30 pm, at St Mark's Hall, Burton. Tickets \$10. Sept 12: Eddie Trail, Kevin Arthur, Jason Campbell.

## Reminder

**Concert at St Patrick's Parish Hall:** Sunday, Sept 8 at 7pm featuring Nick Arsenault (Acadian Johnny Cash) & Big River, Roy MacCaull & Kim Tuplin

and Dave & Luke Gillis. Admission is \$10 and includes refreshments.

**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, Sept 14 at Stella Maris Church, North Rustico. Start time is 9 am with a potluck lunch at noon.

**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.

**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.

**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.

**Pilgrimage to the Holy Land:** 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](mailto: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.

## Mass Intentions

<b>Monday:</b>	<b>09/09</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>
Violet Doucette by George & Velda		
<b>Tuesday:</b>	<b>10/09</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>
Carl Profit by Mom Helen & Cleve MacNeill		
<b>Wednesday:</b>	<b>11/09</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>
Nelson Perry by Helen & family		
<b>Thursday:</b>	<b>12 /09</b>	<b>7:00 p.m.</b>
Florina Delaney by Kathy Laming		
<b>Friday:</b>	<b>13/09</b>	<b>No Mass</b>

### **24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time** **September 15, 2019**

<b>Saturday:</b>	<b>14/09</b>	<b>7:00 p.m.</b>
For the People		
<b>Sunday:</b>	<b>15/09</b>	<b>(M) 9:00 a.m.</b>
Mary Ann Gallant by Dot & family		
		<b>(PR) 11:00 a.m.</b>
Glen DesRoches by Addie Dugay		

**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 September 2019**

**The Protection of the Oceans:** That politicians, scientists and economists work together to protect the world's seas and oceans.