Immaculate Conception Church Palmer Road

Our Lady of Assumption Mission Miminegash

Bulletin for October 6-13, 2019

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Sunday Collection: Sept 29, 2019: \$1,635.80

Needs of the Canadian Church: \$40.00 **Thank you for your generosity**



27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

In today's Gospel we hear Jesus teach about faith and service to God. The context is a continuing dialogue between Jesus and his followers about what it means to be a disciple of Jesus. Jesus has just finished an instruction on sin and forgiveness. There are two related teachings that Jesus offers to his disciples when they cry out for an increase in faith. The first is the familiar reminder that faith, even just a little, will enable the followers of Jesus to do wondrous things. But this uplifting and inspiring teaching is quickly followed by the second teaching, a caution about knowing one's place in God's plans. The disciples of Jesus are to understand themselves as servants to God and his plans. Even when God works wonders through us, with our mustard seed-sized faith, we must not seek praise. Our participation in God's plans is God's grace to usnothing more, nothing less. When we are graced enough to cooperate with God, the work we do is nothing more than our obligation to God as faithful stewards. And yet, our faith enables us to believe that what we have offered in service to God, as his servants, can be made to produce a hundredfold. Loyola Press: (A Jesuit Ministry)



Palmer Road K of C: The next meeting of the Palmer Road Knights of Columbus will be held on Wednesday, Oct 9 at 8 pm at the hall.

WP Right to Life: West Prince Right to Life will be having their next peaceful demonstration on Saturday, Oct 12 at 11 am in Summerside on Roy Boats Avenue on the side of Walmart. All are welcome to attend.

Mass of Thanksgiving: Monday, Oct 14 at 7 p.m. at Immaculate Conception Church, Palmer Rd. You are invited to support the West Prince Caring Cupboard this Thanksgiving with a donation of non-perishable food items which may be dropped off at the back of the church. Thank you.

Inspirational Evening: The Lord Is My Shepherd - Reflections on Psalm 23: Please join us for an inspirational evening of skits, music, reflections & more, all based on Psalm 23 - with Lisa & Joey Carragher, Leona Perry, Mark Arsenault, Marcella Gaudet, Peter Hustler and Ruby & Aubrey Arsenault. Sunday, Oct 20 at 7 pm at Immaculate Conception Church, Palmer Road and again on Sunday, Oct 27 at 7 pm at St Simon and St Jude Church, Tignish. Freewill offerings for the parishes are gratefully accepted.

Open House: The Mayor & Council of the Municipality of Miminegash is hosting an Open House on Friday, Oct 11 from 6-9 pm for the Miminegash Fire District. Come and see our renovated Community Hall, Fire Bay & Senior's Room. Lunch will be served.

Cursillo weekends: There are times that life seems overwhelming and faith becomes routine. If you are looking for God's gift of peace, a retreat might be the answer for you. There are Cursillo weekends for men and women taking place in early November 2019. For further information please contact Tony at 902-432-7774 or Linda at 902-213-3617.

Health Care Debate: Egmont Riding Candidates' Debate on Health Care, 7-9 pm. Tuesday, Oct 8, Westisle High School. Show your support and appreciation for our Public Health care system. Where would we be without it and how can we improve it? Sponsored by PEI Health Coalition.

PEI Right to Life: October is Life Month and the PEI Right to Life Association is holding its Annual Life Chain on Sunday, Oct 20 at the UPEI Chaplaincy Center, 550 University Ave, Charlottetown, starting at 2:30pm. Come and join us and witness through prayer and music for an end to abortion in Canada and, in light of the elections, to pray for pro-life politicians to be elected. Compassionate homemade signs welcome. There is also a Mass at 6pm at the Chaplaincy Center.

St Mark's Ceilidh: St Mark's Ceilidh's, Thursday at 7:30 pm, at St Mark's Hall, Burton. Tickets \$10. Oct 10: Tip-er-Back (Charlottetown).

Reminder

Rosary Coast to Coast-Special Prayer Event:

Please join in praying for our nation on Saturday, Oct 12 at 12 noon at the Miminegash Fire hall. This is an outdoor event and is open to everyone. Contact Elsie Gallant at 902-853-2823 for more information.

Cemetery Flowers: Fall has arrived and we are preparing the cemetery for the winter months. If you have flowers or other items at a gravesite please take them home so they will not be blown away. Thank you.

Fall CWL Conference: This year's CWL Fall conference will take place on Saturday, Oct 19 at Immaculate Conception Church, Palmer Road. Start time is 9 am with a potluck lunch at noon.

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.

St Andrew's Society Scholarship: The application deadline for the St Andrew's Society Scholarship is October 31, 2019 at 4 pm. The conditions of descent, having either a Scottish surname or having at least two Scottish grandparents who were born with a Scottish surname; full-time university student in any of the first three years of university; resident of Prince Edward Island. Applications can be found at https://cfpei.ca/wp-content/uploads/2019/08/St.-Andrews-Society-Scholarship-Application-NEW.pdf. Further information on available scholarships can be found at www.cfpei.ca, with more opening for application in February.

Mass Intentions

Monday: 07/10 9:00 a.m.

Florrie Mills by Gail Leblanc

Tuesday: 08/10 9:00 a.m.

Thelma Bernard by Roy & Helen McKenna

Wednesday: 09/10 9:00 a.m.

Courtney Perry by Robert & Marlene Perry

Thursday: 10/10 7:00 p.m.

Anniversary: Mildred Perry, Barb Campbell

Friday: 11/10 No Mass

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time October 13, 2019

Saturday: 12/10 7:00 p.m.

For the People

Sunday: 13/10 (M) 9:00 a.m.

Deceased brothers of Aldona

(PR) 11:00 a.m.

Alice Thibodeau by the 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>: Baptisms are held by appointment as required. 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 October 2019

A Missionary "Spring" in the Church: That the breath of the Holy Spirit engender a new missionary "spring" in the Church.