

**Immaculate Conception Church
Palmer Road
Our Lady of Assumption Mission
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Parish Mission Statement

We are called as God's people to love, serve, grow in faith and journey with all walks of life"

Bulletin for November 22-29, 2020

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Sunday Collection:
November 15, 2020: \$2,051.00
Countries in Needs: \$50

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Christ the King

Matthew 25.31-46

In today's Gospel, Jesus describes to his disciples the scene of the judgment of the Son of Man. All the nations will be assembled before him, and he will separate them as a shepherd separates sheep and goats upon their return from the pasture. The judgments made by the Son of Man will be based upon the acts of mercy shown to the least ones—the hungry, the thirsty, the naked, the ill, and the imprisoned. Indeed, Jesus, who suffered on the Cross, identifies himself with the least ones.

Recall that [last week's parable](#) of the talents taught us that the gifts that we have been given are intended

to be used for the service of others, especially the least among us. Our judgment before God will be based not only on how we have used these gifts and talents, but also on how we have extended ourselves in service to these least ones. Indeed, Jesus tells us that whenever we have served these least ones, we have served Christ himself.

When we read today's Gospel in the context of the chapters that follow in Matthew's Gospel, we learn the extent to which Jesus identifies with the least ones. In accepting death on the cross, Jesus shows himself to be one of the hungry, the naked, the ill, and the imprisoned. To accept Jesus is to accept him who suffered and died on the Cross as one of the least ones.

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Announcements

Health PEI: PEI Public Health requires everyone in public spaces, including places of worship, to wear a mask. **Please wear your mask in church at all times.** Thank you.

Parish Cookbooks: The Palmer Road/Tignish Parish Cookbooks are on sale at: Tignish Co-op and MJ's Bakery, Tignish. Cost is \$25 each. We also have a few available at the parish office. Email palmerroadparish@gmail.com for more information.

Christmas Confessions: Confessions will be held Mondays, Wednesdays & Thursdays from 9:30-10:30 am from Nov 30 - Dec 17; also on Tuesdays from 6:30-7:30 pm in preparation for Christmas. Because of the pandemic, there is no celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation – 2nd Rite in the presence of neighbouring priests.

Palmer Road & Area Christmas Hampers: Applications for Christmas Hampers are available by calling the district's representative Teresa Marleau at 853-3804. Please Note: The deadline to apply for a Christmas Hamper this year is Thursday, Dec 3.

Calling all Teen Encounter Alumni: We are having an evening of Adoration! Save the date: Friday, Nov 27 at 7pm, we will gather at Holy Redeemer Parish, Charlottetown for an evening of prayer. WorshipSafe practices will be followed. More details coming soon.

Annual Retreat Hope Centre: The annual General Retreat at Our Lady of Hope Retreat Centre in Stanley Bridge will be held January 15-17, 2021. Retreat Master is Reverend Andrew

Handrahan. Topic is *Divine Providence: Trusting in God Who Loves Us*, which will touch on Patience, Trust, Endurance and Hope. The cost is \$170 per person or \$255 per married couple. Call or email the Centre at 902-621-2385 / ourladyofhope@gmail.com to register. Space is limited.

St Andrew's Society Scholarships: Applications are now being accepted at the Community Foundation of Prince Edward Island (CFPEI) for The St Andrew's Society Scholarships (\$47,000 in total scholarships available). The Scholarship Fund awards full-time university students in any of their first three years of university who are currently residents of Prince Edward Island, Roman Catholic and of Scottish descent. Details at www.cfpei.ca

Educational Bursary: PEI LIFE is once again offering an Educational Bursary valued at \$2,000 for 2021. The bursary is available for a young woman from Prince Edward Island who had a baby and wishes to further her education by attending a post-secondary institution. For information email office@peilife.org or contact PEI Life Association, PO Box 1988, Charlottetown, PE, C1A 7N7.

Update: Mass during COVID-19
Masks are now required in all public places on PEI including Churches. Please wear your mask at all times.

We now have two cohorts of 50 at each weekend mass, and to do so safely, following the rules approved by Health PEI for the Diocese we have put seating arrangements in place. Thank you for helping us stay safe as we continue to Worship the Lord during this worldwide pandemic. Your collaboration is most appreciated. To safely accommodate everyone please use the side doors of the church and maintain social distancing on the way in and out, as well as during communion.



Please Note Masks are to be worn at All Masses
Three weekend Masses:
100 in attendance at Palmer Rd
4 p.m. Saturday (Bilingual) Palmer Road
9 a.m. Sunday Miminegash
11 a.m. Sunday Palmer Road

Mass Schedule & Intentions

Monday:	23/11	No Mass
Tuesday:	24/11	No Mass
Wednesday:	25/11	No Mass
Thursday:	26/11	No Mass
Friday:	27/11	No Mass
Saturday	28/11	8:30 a.m.

Mass for Knights of Columbus

First Sunday of Advent
November 29th, 2020

Saturday: 28/11 (Bilingual) 4:00 p.m.
For the People
Sunday: 29/11 (M) 9:00 a.m.
Clifford & Al Doucette by LouAnn, Wayne & family
(PR) 11:00 a.m.

Lillian Allain by Sharon Wedge

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: 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 : During this time of Covid-19, Weekday masses are still held even when there is a funeral the same day.
Please remember to include a phone number with your mass intentions. Thank you

Intention of the Holy Father, Pope Francis for November 2020
Artificial Intelligence: We pray that the progress of robotics and artificial intelligence may always serve mankind.

