

Saint Dunstan's Basilica Parish

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

APRIL 15, 2018

MASS READINGS FOR SUNDAY, APRIL 22, 2018

1st Reading: Acts 4.7 - 12
2nd Reading: 1 John 3.1 - 2
Gospel: John 10.11 - 18

OUR FATHER'S ADORATION CHAPEL is open daily from 6 am - 11 pm except for cleaning on Sunday, 9 am - 1 pm. You may request to have a candle burn in the Adoration Chapel during this time. The stipend is \$7. Please contact the Parish Office. This week the candles in the Chapel burn for: In Memory of Anthony B. (Tony) Knockwood; Special Intention (2). There are several hours available at the Adoration Chapel. Please contact Cathy McCann - cmccann@smss.com - 629-4521.

ST. DUNSTAN'S BAPTISM MINISTRY: Congratulations to the Newly Baptized. During the month of April, the following children were received into our Parish family through the Sacrament of Baptism: Akela D., Derek G., Klyde G., Mia K., Ethan R. And Yuan V.

UPPER ROOM PEI: An evening of Adoration and fellowship, Upper Room is a weekly gathering for young adults seeking deeper relationship with Christ. Tuesdays at 7:30 pm in the Basement of St. Dunstan's Basilica.

LITURGICAL CONFERENCE: *From the Table of Christ Jesus to the Table of the World: Praying and Living the Eucharist.* Reserve **Saturday, May 12**, 10 am to 3 pm. St. Francis of Assisi church, Cornwall. The presenter is Simone Brosig, Director of Liturgy for the Diocese of Calgary. More info to follow. Sponsored by the Liturgical Commission of the Diocese of Charlottetown.

SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER: Come to an information session at St. Francis of Assisi Parish in Cornwall, Sunday, April 15 at 7 pm in the church hall. A short (30 minute) presentation on life in fraternity and Franciscan spirituality with an opportunity to ask questions will be offered. Food and fellowship will follow. For further information contact Martha Gabriel at 902-628-3896 or e-mail her at marthgabriel@gmail.com.

ADDITIONAL INTAKE of Lay Pastoral Associate Formation Candidates: As a reminder, In September 2018, additional candidates for the Diocesan Lay Pastoral Associate (LPA) Formation Program will be accepted. Parishes are encouraged to discern potential candidates for the program. The deadline for the submission of candidates' names is June 15, 2018. For further information please contact the Diocesan Centre at 1-902-368-8005.

MARTHA SPIRITUALITY CENTRE: (902-367-3103 or srgemma@eastlink.ca):

- **Christian Women's Retreat Day** with Lynn DeLong on Saturday, April 21 from 10 am - 3 pm. Her theme is **Women Renewed and Alive in the Spirit**. Lynn is a member of the Anglican Church, a member of the Spiritual Directors Association and a facilitator of our Women's Group here at the Centre. Cost \$30. Come and bring a friend.

- **Fabric of Our Lives Workshop Day** Friday, April 27 from 9am - 3pm with Sinikka Dixon, retired sociologist living in St. Catherine's, PE. Her workshop deals with the five cycles of change in our lives (age, family, education, work, leisure) and promises to be an interactive experience. Cost \$30, need to register by April 24 or as long as spaces last.

"A NUN'S LIFE MINISTRY" Visits PEI: A Nun's Life Ministry will meet with Sister Susan Kidd, CND, on April 18, 6 pm as part of the video podcast series entitled *Mother House Road Trip*. Sister Maxine Kollasch, IHM, and her team are touring the mother houses of different congregations to meet with sisters who are working with youth and talk about their mission. Young people join the meeting either on location, where the video is being made, or via the online discussion. With this visit A Nun's Life Ministry will visit UPEI where Sister Susan Kidd is chaplain. Sister Anne T. Gillis will also take part in the meeting. Students of Sister Karen Kelly who teaches at Leo Hayes High School in Fredericton, NB will be invited to join the group in an online conversation on religious life. You are also invited to join the conversation! Please note: the interviews and discussions will be in English. Go to aNunsLife.org/LIVE For more information, go to: <https://anunslife.org/motherhouse-road-trip>

RETREAT AT OUR LADY OF HOPE RETREAT CENTRE: Begins with registration 6 - 7 pm Friday, April 20 and finishes with 4 pm Mass on Saturday, April 21. **Get Out of the Boat** - Learn how to move beyond fear, to God's unique calling for your life. Peter may have been the first out of the boat, but Jesus' invitation to walk on water is for you as well. For information/registration call 902-621-2385, 388-1952 or 902-394-4116.

BIRTHRIGHT PEI invites everyone to celebrate its **25th Anniversary on Sunday, April 22, 1 - 3 pm at Murphy's Community Centre, 200 Richmond St. Charlottetown.** Come and celebrate 25 years of service in honor of human life!

ECUMENICAL VIGIL for the Lost Children of PEI: The PEI Right to Life Association invites all Islanders to join them on Sunday, April 22 at 7 pm at the Christian Reformed Church, 153 Mt. Edward Rd., for a special Memorial Service of prayer, candle lighting, and song for children who have been lost to miscarriage, still birth, abortion, accident, illness, etc. Personal testimonies will testify to God's faithfulness. This 2nd annual Vigil is held as part of Celebrate Life Week (April 22-28). We pray this Vigil may help to bring healing, comfort and support to hurting parents and families, as well as awareness, openness and unity to their surrounding community. Invite your friends and neighbours. For more information: PEI Right to Life, life.sanctuary@pei.aibn.com or call: 902-894-5473.

CATHOLIC FAMILY SERVICES BUREAU is holding it's annual lottery. To purchase a ticket please contact the office at [902-894-3515](tel:902-894-3515). The tickets are \$100 each and give you 12 chances to win \$1000. If you win, your ticket goes back in the ballot box for the remaining draws. The first draw is on April 23.

VOLUNTEER FOOD SAFETY PRESENTATION: Tuesday, April 24, 6 - 9 pm, at St. Pius X in the MacKenzie Room. Please call 902-368-4970 to register. This is a free presentation for volunteers involved in food-based fundraiser events.

ANNUAL CWL & K OF C Spring Fish Bake, Friday, April 27 at Our Lady of the Assumption Parish Centre, Stratford. Serving from: 4:30 - 6 pm. Take-Outs available. Cost: \$12 per plate. Tickets available in advance only, at Assumption Church office, before and after weekend Masses or by calling Joseph Hébert @ [902-569-2762](tel:902-569-2762), Mary MacLean @ [902-569-4308](tel:902-569-4308). Proceeds in aid of LOCAL CHARITIES.

"THY KINGDOM COME" Men's Spiritual Exercises, 40 hour silent retreat, April 27-29 at Our Lady of Hope Retreat centre. Retreat master: Fr. John Curran, L.C. For Information and registration: Ray Arsenault 902-854-2808 or arsenaultacres@pei.sympatico.ca or Tracy Jones 902-854-2969 or sjfc@airtechca.com.

THE PEI RIGHT TO LIFE ASSOCIATION will be holding its **Annual General Meeting**, Saturday, April 28, 9 am - 3 pm, at St. Pius X Church, St. Peter's Rd, Charlottetown. In light of the many and recent changes in our country concerning the protection of life from fertilization to natural death the membership is strongly encouraged to attend. Plan to come.

TEEN ENCOUNTER: A weekend retreat for 16-21 years olds on May 18-20 at Camp Kolbe Retreat Centre near Richmond, PEI. Please register at <http://dioceseofcharlottetown.com/teen-encounter-registration/>

THE-HEART-OF-THE-MATTER: A Marriage Preparation Course for Modern Couples in the Catholic Church. Contact Pat Wiedemer at [902-393-6047](tel:902-393-6047) or patricia.wiedemer@outlook.com

LIGHTHOUSE CDs are powerful talks by solid Catholic speakers on the life and faith of the Church. Available at the entrance of the church.

THE AMABILE SINGERS: Under the direction of Travis Boudreau, the Singers will present a concert of choral music on Sunday, April 15 at 7:30 pm; at St. Paul's Anglican Church, Charlottetown. Admission is \$15.

OUR MUSIC DIRECTOR LEO MARCHILDON will be teaming up his orchestra the PEI Pops! with the Holland College Welshman Band in a special combined concert entitled "Hollywood Hits" at the Florence Simmons Hall located at Weymouth and Grafton. The concert in Tuesday, April 17 at 7:30 pm and admission is by free will offering.

WINSLOE PLAYERS PRESENTS "A Ticket to Heaven", a comedy directed by Ivan Proude and Gordon Aten. All proceeds to support the QEH/Eastlink Telethon. The play will be presented on April 18, 19, 20 and 21, at 7:30 pm at the Carrefour Theatre. Tickets are available at Winsloe Irving (902-569-0166), the QEH Foundation (902-894-2425) and Proude's Shoes (902-894-3504). Ticket prices are \$20 - Adults & \$10 - Children 12 and under.

OUR ORGANIST LEO MARCHILDON invites youth wishing to learn more about the pipe organ to visit the loft of St. Dunstan's Basilica at 12 noon on Saturday April 28 for a special concert and organ crawl followed by pizza for those who survive the experience!

MIKINDURI CHILDREN OF HOPE annual Gigantic Yard Sale and Book Sale on Saturday, May 5, 9 am - 1:30 pm at the Eastlink Centre. There is a huge selection - something for everyone. Admission is \$2 donation or 1 full Blue Bag of clean clothing. You can donate pre-loved items at the Eastlink Centre Thursday, May 3, 2 - 7 pm and Friday, May 4, 9 am - 3 pm (*Sorry, we cannot accept baby equipment, tires, old computers, TVs (except flat screens), & encyclopaedia sets*). For information or to volunteer: Karen @ (902)887-2417 or kandgmckenna@pei.sympatico.ca To have larger items picked up: Ernie Gallant 902-566-3463.

PEI PILGRIMAGE LTD. will lead a tour to *Our Lady of the Cape Shrine* at Cap de Madeleine, QC and *St. Joseph's Oratory*, Montreal, the weekend of May 18-21, 2018. To register please call Gary Clow at 902-569-3945, Ken Campbell at 902-566-2914 or Joe Drane at 902-940-5871.

HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE: Father Gerard Chaisson, St. Mary's Parish, Montague and Father Simon Lobo, Saint Benedict Parish, Halifax, are the spiritual leaders on this prayerful Pilgrimage. The itinerary has been carefully arranged with full consideration to the ministry of Christ as opposed to merely a tour of the Holyland. Dates for this Pilgrimage are Oct. 7 - 18, 2018. To learn more, visit www.privatelabeltravel.ca and sign up for more information, or call Bob Sime at (902) 429-5145.

OLDER ADULTS NEEDED for research in pain self-management. We are looking for volunteers who are at least 65 years old and have been experiencing pain for at least 3 months to enrol in a remotely delivered pain self-management program. The course involves working through 5 lessons and homework tasks over an 8-week period. As a participant in this study, you would be asked to complete a telephone assessment and complete questionnaires at pre-treatment, post-treatment, and 4-week follow-up. For more information about this study, or to volunteer for this study, please contact: Ainsley MacIntyre aam549@uregina.ca www.onlinetherapyuser.ca/olderadults

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MASS INTENTIONS -WEEK OF APRIL 15

Sun.: 5:00 p.m. Dawn Mun Northcott (A)
Mon.: 12:05 p.m.
Tue.: 12:05 p.m. Dawn Mun Northcott (A)
Wed.: 12:05 p.m. Special Intention
Thurs.:10:00 a.m. Andrews Lodge
Thurs.: 12:05 p.m. Patricia (Lady) Gaudet (A)
Fri.: 12:05 p.m. Souls in Purgatory
Sat.: 9:00 a.m.
Sat: 5:00 p.m.

Please Note: The 9 a.m. Mass on Saturday is cancelled when there is a funeral. The Mass Intention scheduled for that day will then be offered at a later date.

LAST SUNDAY OFFERING: \$ 3,838.00
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL: \$ 815.00
DIRECT DEPOSIT: \$ 595.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!!!

MULTIPLE CHEMICAL SENSITIVITY: Scented products such as perfume and cologne can aggravate health problems for some people. Please refrain from wearing scented products at Mass. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.