

Saint Dunstan's Basilica Parish

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

MAY 27, 2018

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MASS INTENTIONS -WEEK OF MAY 27

Sun.: 5:00 p.m.
Mon.: 12:05 p.m. Maria Esther Diaz (A)
Tue.: 12:05 p.m.
Wed.: 12:05 p.m. Margaret Sullivan
Thurs.: 12:05 p.m. Special Intention
Fri.: 9:30 a.m. Geneva Villa
Fri.: 12:05 p.m. Special Intention
Sat.: 9:00 a.m. Mary N. McQuaid
Sat.: 5:00 p.m. Patti Murphy

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: \$ 4,179.00
DIRECT DEPOSIT: \$ 565.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!!!

MASS READINGS FOR SUNDAY, JUNE 3, 2018

1st Reading: Exodus 24.3 – 8
2nd Reading: Hebrews 9.11 – 15
Gospel: Mark 14.12 – 16, 22 – 26

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.

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 Pearl Grant; Special Intention (1). There are several hours available at the Adoration Chapel. Please contact Cathy McCann - cmccann@smss.com - 629-4521.

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.

K OF C COUNCIL 824 ST DUNSTAN'S BASILICA is hosting a fundraiser brunch for the PEI Right to Life Association on Sunday, May 27 in the church basement following the 10:30 am Mass. This is a kick-off event in advance of the March for Life that starts at 2 pm at St Pius X Church, ending at the Coles Building downtown. The price for brunch will be a **Free Will Offering** donation.

MARTHA SPIRITUALITY CENTRE presents (902-367-3103 or srgemma@eastlink.ca) Registration required. Getting a Handle on Stress Workshop #1 On Thursday June 7 and repeated on June 14 at 7pm with Louise Carota. Getting Along with Others and Ourselves #2 on Friday June 8 and repeated on June 15 at 7pm with Louise Carota. Donations accepted each evening.

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

HEALING MASS on Wednesday, May 30th at 7:00 pm in the basement of St. Dunstan's Basilica, Dorchester St. Entrance. Fr. Brian MacDougall is the Celebrant. All are welcome.

THE PEI RIGHT TO LIFE (RTL) ASSOCIATION will be holding its annual **March for LIFE, Sunday May 27 from 2 – 4 pm**. Join us at St Pius X Church on St Peter's Road, Charlottetown, as we walk to the Coles Building on Richmond St. This year's national theme is "All IN". In light of the many changes our country has undergone which threaten the life of all, we ask that you come and be ALL IN for a culture of life! For more information see our webpage, FB event or contact: life.sanctuary@pei.aibn.com or our Executive Director, Pat Wiedemer at 902-894-5473.

CD KIOSK - AUGUSTINE INSTITUTE: **The CD Kiosk has been restocked!!** All new materials now fill the Kiosk. Check out Titles such as: Could God Love Someone Like Me?, The Holy Spirit: Third Person of the Trinity, End of Life Issues, etc. The materials are available at the entrance of the Basilica by Donation.

CONNOLLY ESTATE BURSARIES are now available to qualifying university students in their first, second, third or fourth year. A change in policy means university students can now receive support for a maximum of four years (not two). In addition, college students who are completing a joint program/degree may also qualify during their university studies. The bursaries are open to full-time university students who are male or female, Roman Catholic, and Irish in heritage. Applicants must demonstrate financial need. Apply at www.owenconnollyestate.com before August 31. Recent bursaries have been in the range of \$3,000/year, though they may be lower depending on market returns and the number of applicants.

YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT ALPHA: We will be running Alpha for youth and young adults, aged 14-35. Alpha is a series of interactive sessions that explores big questions about faith and the meaning of life. Each session looks at a different topic and is designed to create conversation. It's just an open, informal and honest space for anyone, of any faith background or beliefs, who's curious about Christianity. Each session includes food, Short videos, and discussion where you can share your thoughts and ask questions. The first session will be held on Sunday evenings **starting at 7 pm in the hall of the St. Paul's Parish Centre in Summerside (289 Winter St, entrance on Notre Dame St)**. New participants are welcome at any time to come join any of the sessions, even if you can't make it to all of them. Consider inviting a friend to join you in trying Alpha! If you have any questions, contact Melanie Mahar at melanie.mahar@gmail.com or by phone/text at 613-784-9288.

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.

CHARLOTTETOWN WALK FOR ALZHEIMER'S: Sunday, May 27 at The Victoria Park Pavilion (Behind the canons at Victoria Park). Registration is at Noon, Welcome & Warm Up is at 12:30 pm, Walk starts at 1pm! Please let us know if you would like to receive a Walk for Alzheimer's Kit, or you can register and fundraise online at www.walkpei.ca

YOU ARE INVITED to tune in to the 22nd ANNUAL QEHEAST-LINK TELETHON, May 26/27, broadcasting live on Eastlink TV, Channels 10 and 610. Join host Marlene MacDonald, starting at noon on Saturday, to watch inspiring grateful patient stories, lots of great musical entertainment, and the many community groups and organizations pledging their donations in support of the purchase of priority medical equipment for the Queen Elizabeth Hospital. Every donation, big or small, helps ensure the equipment needed by the medical professionals at the QEHE is there for all Islanders, if a medical situation arises. Please take the time to call in your donation during the broadcast, toll-free at 1-877-675-3343, or beforehand at 902-894-2425.

STRESS RELIEF WORKSHOP: Sunday, May 27 at 2 pm, Kent Room, Charlottetown Hotel - **Getting Along with Others and Ourselves**. Presenter Louise Carota shares her knowledge on a wide range of subjects including the workings of the human brain and quantum mechanics. **Session ends with a 15 minute guided meditation.** Cost - donation/pay as you can.

THE CHARLOTTETOWN LEGION CHOIR, a community-based ensemble under the direction of Travis Boudreau, will perform two concerts of sea-faring songs with special guests the Teachers in Harmony Choir. Familiar and novel tunes of Atlantic Canada as well as traditional sea-themed pieces will be featured. Expect a mix of rollicking, poignant and soulful songs including some with audience participation. As always, a generous array of food will be provided by choir members at concert end. **St. Paul's Anglican Church, Charlottetown, Tuesday, May 29, at 7 pm. Tickets \$10 (\$8 veterans) cash will be available at the door and from choir members.**

SPECIAL DINNER TO SUPPORT AN AFGHAN COUPLE COMING TO PEI: Saturday, June 2, between 6 – 8 PM at the popular Sadat's Cuisine, [223 University Avenue](http://223UniversityAvenue) in Charlottetown. A multi-course meal of lamb, chicken, beef or vegetarian appeal — in fact a new set of dishes is being added for this dinner, to provide a fresh taste for people who have come to the previous dinners. They know how delicious the food is at Sadat's, and it's all locally sourced. There's a decadent dessert as well. The price is \$30, and two-thirds of that goes to the refugee-support fund. Call 902-367-6631 or 902-213-7420 — by May 31 — to reserve a time and meal-choice for the Sadat refugee-sponsorship dinner.

PEI POPS! From Broadway to Hollywood: Sunday June 3, 3 pm at St. Paul's Church, Prince Street, Charlottetown. Conductor Leo Marchildon transports audiences on a magical carpet ride throughout America with the PEI Pops! as they visit "Oklahoma", "Chicago" and New York ("West Side Story"). Later in the program they visit the outer limits of the universe with music from Star Trek, Star Wars, E.T., Superman, and much more! Add to this a Salute to the Big Bands, and themes from such Hollywood classics as Casablanca, The Wizard of Oz, and the Magnificent Seven, and you have one spectacular afternoon of entertainment! Admission by free-will offering.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION: At St. Patrick's Church in Grand River, on the Solemnity of the Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi), June 3rd, 2018, a Eucharistic Procession will be made to honour the great gift of the Holy Eucharist and to walk with Jesus in community. The celebration will begin at 3:00PM with exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and a short time of prayer. There will then be an outdoor procession, which will be followed by a time of adoration, and will conclude with a light reception. Everyone is welcome.

CANADIAN GOLD MINING IN THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC is the topic of a presentation and dialogue to be held on Sunday, June 10, 2018 at 2:00 pm at Our Lady of the Assumption Parish Hall, Stratford. Ryan MacRae will speak from the Dominican Republic (DR) on this issue, using distance communication technology. Ryan is a missionary with the Latin American Mission Program (LAMP) in the DR. Two other LAMP members recently returned from the Dominican Republic and Guatemala, Father Eddie Cormier and Maureen Larkin respectively, will also have up-to-date information on the how the Canadian mining industry operates in the Caribbean and Central America. The presentation is part of LAMP's Annual General Meeting.