

Saint Dunstan's Basilica Parish

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 2, 2021

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MASS INTENTIONS - WEEK OF MAY 2

Sun.: 9:00 a.m. Laura Hook
Sun.: 11:00 a.m. Parishioners of St. Dunstan's
Sun.: 5:00 p.m. Souls in Purgatory
Mon.: 9:00 a.m. Devasignmani
Tue.: 12:05 pm. Special Intention
Wed.: NO MASS
Thur.: 12:05 p.m. Special Intention
Fri.: 9:00 a.m. Geoff Brogden (A)
Sat.: 4:00 p.m. John Keenan Sr. (A)

PLEASE NOTE: WEEKDAY MASS IS IN GLASTONBURY HALL (CHURCH LOWER LEVEL). NOTE, AS WELL, CHANGES FOR TUESDAY AND THURSDAY MASS TIMES TO 12:05 PM.

APRIL 25 OFFERINGS	\$ 2,040.00
APRIL 25 PRE-AUTHORIZED DEBIT	\$ 575.00
APRIL 25 E-TRANSFERS	\$ 135.00
APRIL 25 FUEL COLLECTION	\$ 590.00
APRIL 25 ED. OF SEMINARIANS	\$ 810.00
APRIL 25 OTHER COLLECTIONS	\$ 50.00

AUTOMATIC DEBIT AND E-TRANSFER are options for those who would like to contribute using those means. Please contact the Parish Office for information.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED GENEROSITY

MASS READINGS FOR SUNDAY, MAY 9

1st Reading: Acts 10.25 – 48
2nd Reading: 1 John 4.7 - 10
Gospel: John 15.9 – 17

PARISH NEWS

A REMINDER OF PUBLIC HEALTH PROTOCOLS: Physical distancing, hand-sanitizing, mask-wearing, and staying home if feeling unwell or are required to be in self-isolation.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Monday 9—noon, Tuesday and Wednesday, 9—4, Thursday 9—noon.

MONTHLY FUEL COLLECTION: Sincere thank you to those who have contributed thus far. It is realized that this is a time of financial challenge for many. We are sensitive to that. Any consideration you are able to give is much appreciated. Thank you for your support!

MASS REGISTRATION FOR WEEKEND MASSES is available at our parish website: www.stdunstanspei.com For those who would like someone to register for you, please telephone one of the following (902-367-7829, 902-892-9387 or 902-621-1988). *Please note: Effective immediately pre-registration is not necessary for weekday Masses.* Names and contact information will be taken upon arrival. Pre-registration remains a requirement for weekend Masses.

2021 ENVELOPES: Envelopes, for those who would like to begin using them, are available at the entrance to the church from the greeters. Also available through the Parish Office, as are Automatic debit and E-transfer options. Thanks so very much for your ongoing financial support in this trying time.

DATES: First Communion will be celebrated this Saturday, May 1 at the 4 pm Mass; Confirmation, Saturday, May 22 at 4 pm, and Sunday, May 23 at 9 am. Please keep the children and youth, their families and catechists in your prayer.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FUNDRAISER: We have received a donation of four google play gift cards valued at \$200 each. They are good for movies, games, books, music at the Google Play Store. We are looking to sell these cards to raise money for our charitable work. If you are interested in purchasing one, please call 902-316-2015.

ATTENTION PARENTS: Children at Mass should be accompanied to the washroom downstairs by a parent rather than going on their own. In the interest of safety, this is a prudent practice to follow. If your child has such a need, please go with them.

ADORATION CHAPEL: Please contact Jodi or Brady Grant (bradyandjodi@gmail.com or (902-218-8282). You may request to have a candle burn in the Adoration Chapel. (\$7 Mon – Sun). Please contact the Parish Office. This week the candles in the Chapel burn for: Souls in Purgatory (1).

UPPER ROOM PEI is a weekly gathering for young adults seeking deeper relationship with Christ. Hour of Adoration every Tuesday, 7:30 pm in Glastonbury Hall. For more info, follow us on Facebook @Upper Room PEI.

DIOCESAN NEWS

MARTHA SPIRITUALITY CENTRE is offering a Zoom study of 5 sessions on Ron Rolheiser's book on the Eucharist: *Our One Great Act of Fidelity*. This will be offered on Wednesday mornings 10 – 11 am May 5, 12, 19 and June 2. * **Please note the change of dates.** * Each registrant will be asked to purchase their text, now available at the Bookmark. **Fee is \$10, please register with srgemma@eastlink.ca**

THE DIOCESAN COUNCIL OF DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE-CARITAS CANADA extends our thanks for your contribution to the Share Lent Campaign. You can still donate through your parish, or send it direct to devp.org or 1-888-234-8533. Our faith tells us that everybody in the world is our neighbour. Pope Francis is trying to bring the Church closer to the poorest in our world, our neighbours on the fringes of society, who Jesus loved very much, "that they may have life" and overcome the root causes of their poverty.

THE LATIN AMERICAN MISSION PROGRAM (LAMP) invites you to their annual Spring Education Forum on Sunday, May 1, at 2 pm. The theme of the forum: *The Land is Alive*. **Inspirational Presenters:** Jill McCormack and Julie Pellissier-Lush. This forum will be a mixture of Zoom at a central point and smaller regional in-person groups. The in-person groups will be in West Prince, Charlottetown, and Kings County. Register at: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/the-land-is-alive-tickets-150797043015>. All are welcome!

THE 3-MINUTE RETREAT invites you to a short prayer break online. Anytime, day or night, spend some quiet time in prayer and reflection. An outreach of Ignatian spirituality, **the 3-Minute Retreat is a peaceful online prayer experience that helps the user re-connect with God and re-centre the day.** Changing daily, the website and app provide a bite-sized retreat with Scripture passage, tranquil music, and questions to prompt reflection. Join the over 40,000 3-Minute Retreat users who return each day to enrich their spirituality and rest in God's loving presence: www.loyolapress.com/3-minute-retreats-daily-online-prayer. Visit www.dioceseofcharlottetown.com for this and other spiritual resources such as New Pilgrim Path's *Website of the Week*.

