

Saint Dunstan's Basilica Parish

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JANUARY 16, 2022

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MASS INTENTIONS – WEEK OF JANUARY 16

Sun.: 9:00 a.m. Josephine Birt
Sun.: 11:00 a.m. Parishioners of St. Dunstan's
Sun.: 5:00 p.m. Dorothy & Peter McGarry
Mon.: 9:00 a.m. Parker Baker (A)
Tue.: 12:05 p.m. Bernie Kelly
Wed.: NO MASS
Thur.: 12:05 pm. Special Intention
Fri.: 9:00 a.m. Darlene Birt
Sat.: 4:00 p.m. Souls in Purgatory

PLEASE NOTE: WEEKDAY MASS IS IN GLASTONBURY HALL (CHURCH LOWER LEVEL). NOTE, AS WELL, MASS TIMES FOR MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY & FRIDAY.

JAN 9 OFFERINGS	\$ 1,120.00
JAN 9 PRE-AUTHORIZED DEBIT	\$ 665.00
JAN 9 E-TRANSFERS	\$ 185.00
JAN 9 FUEL COLLECTION	\$ 480.00
JAN 9 OTHER COLLECTIONS	\$ 290.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED GENEROSITY

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

MASS READINGS FOR SUNDAY, JAN. 23

1st Reading: Nehemiah 8.2 – 4a, 5 – 6, 8 - 10
2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 12.12 – 30
Gospel: Luke 1.1 – 4; 4.14 - 21

PARISH NEWS

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

PUBLIC HEALTH PROTOCOLS: Mask-wearing is required while in the church. Physical distancing, hand-sanitizing, and staying home if feeling unwell or are required to be in self-isolation.

MASS REGISTRATION FOR WEEKEND MASSES www.stdunstanspei.com For those who would like someone to register for you, please telephone 902-892-9387 or 902-393-8839.

A GENTLE REMINDER: Please be aware of the collection basket available at the end of the aisle, either entering or leaving. Your financial support is needed and appreciated. Many thanks for your consideration.

SINCERE THANKS to those who reached out to me and my family at the recent death of our mother. Thanks to all for your ongoing prayer, as we grieve her departure and give thanks for who she has been to us and for us. Blessings to all, *Fr. Keith*.

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.

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); Special Intention (1).

CATECHETICS: As many of you are already aware, the Chief Public Health Office has mandated that schools across PEI remain closed to students until at least Monday, January 17. St. Dunstan's Basilica Parish Catechetics Program will also remain closed to in-person classes. This will allow us time to determine the best way to safely move forward with our in-person classes. We would like to thank all families and our catechists for their continued patience and support! If you have any questions, please contact Sandra at catecheticsstdunstan@gmail.com or her direct line at the Parish Office: 902-367-4265.

DIOCESAN & COMMUNITY NEWS

SEEKING a Martha Earth Justice Ministry Coordinator (part-time position) for the Sisters of St. Martha: Details of the job posting with desired qualifications are posted on the diocesan website and on the Martha Website www.pei-marthas.ca Deadline for applications is January 28.

TEEN ENCOUNTER: Retreat day for alumni Saturday, January 29 at St. Paul's Parish in Summerside.

PEI CATHOLIC GIRLS' BURSARY APPLICATION: The PEI Catholic Women's League (CWL) invites Catholic girls and women attending colleges and universities to apply for the PEI Catholic Girls Bursary by the deadline of January 31. Applications are available at the back of the church, parish office or online at www.cwlpei.ca.

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION, the prayer of the heart, opens us to the presence of God in the silence and stillness of the present moment. Zoom sessions will be held on Tuesdays from January 11 to May 31 from 7-8 pm. No fee for this program. To register, contact karen-yogapei@gmail.com

LECTIO DIVINA (divine reading) is a contemplative praying of Scripture. We meet by Zoom every Thursday, beginning on January 13 from 10:30-11:45 AM to listen to and reflect upon the upcoming Sunday Gospel. To register contact Sister Joan at drjoancsm@gmail.com No fee.

FUNDRAISER for Sister Cecile: Our recent fundraiser for Sister Cecile's work in Kumbo, Cameroon has surpassed all expectations. We raised \$24,000. On behalf of Sister Cecile and all the organizers, we express our sincere gratitude for your generosity. You have helped some of the most destitute there, and gave them the opportunity to live in dignity. Some of your donated money will be used to help with food, to help with medicines and hospital expenses, with small repairs to homes or to pay tuition for school. 'Thank you' doesn't begin to describe the immense gratitude the people of Kumbo have for you and your generosity. Sister Cecile assures me that they appreciate you and pray for you daily.

KEEP OUR ISLAND POTATO FARMERS, their families and employees in your daily prayers as they deal with the decision to impose a ban on their exports to the U.S.

