

Saint Dunstan's Basilica Parish

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

APRIL 7, 2024

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MASS INTENTIONS – WEEK OF APRIL 7

Mon: 9.00 am Fr. Charlie Cheverie
Tue: 12.05 nn Special Intention
Wed: NO MASS
Thu: 12.05 pm Kimberly Ellen MacDonald
Fri: 9:00 am Allison McNally
Sat: 4.00 pm Irene Byers
Sun: 10:00 am Parishioners of St. Dunstan's
Sun: 5:00 pm Angela Papadopoulos

MAR 31 OFFERINGS \$ 5619.00
MAR 31 PRE-AUTHORIZED DEBIT \$ 2638.00
MAR 31 E-TRANSFER COLLECTION \$ 445.00
MAR 31 FUEL COLLECTION \$ 915.00
MAR 31 HOLY THURSDAY \$ 2040.00
MAR 31 GOOD FRIDAY \$ 2077.00

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.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Monday through Friday: 9 am to noon, 12:30 to 3 pm.

MASS READINGS FOR SUNDAY, APRIL 14

1st Reading: Acts 3.13-15,17-19
2nd Reading: 1 John 2.1-5
Gospel: Luke 24.35-48

PARISH NEWS

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). Please contact the Office. This week, candles in the Chapel burn for: Souls in Purgatory (2) Special Intention (8).

FUEL COLLECTION to help defray our yearly heating costs is taken up at the end of each weekend Mass. Envelopes are available with the bulletin monthly. Sincere thanks for your ongoing generous support.

HOLY HOUR: each First Friday following the 9 am Mass. Intentions of the Church—local and universal—our community, our world, and all of your personal needs are remembered. All welcome!

MORNING PRAYER: Mondays and Fridays, 8:35 am

FIRST SATURDAY GATHERING in honour of B V M April 6, after 4pm mass, K of C Room. Light lunch, Rosary, presentation. Adoration chapel door. Ray or Marilyn 902-628 2397; 1950raymundo@eastlink.ca.

DIVINE MERCY SERVICE: This Sunday, 2 pm.

SILVER ROSE PRAYER SERVICE: In honour of our Lady of Guadalupe for the intention of ever-deepening respect for the sanctity of human life. Next Saturday, April 13, following the 4 pm Mass, lower church. Sponsored by the K of C. All welcome!

SOUP KITCHEN MEAL: Tuesday, April 16. Sheet at church entrance. Please bring menu items in next week-end. Refrigeration available. The sign-up sheets have been filled. If you would like to help with food prep or serving, call 902-218-3003. Many thanks to all!

SYNOD MEETING: Eight parishioners came together recently with facilitator, Charlene Peters, and Father Keith for a good discussion on synodality (Pope Francis' encouragement for members of the Church to deepen our dialogue with each other) and its implications for re-establishing a Parish Pastoral Council. More info soon.

THANK YOU: to all involved in the services of the Easter Triduum. To those who helped prepare the church, to readers, Eucharistic ministers, servers, the music ministry. All deeply appreciated!



MEANING: life has meaning when you recognize God-given gifts and share them with others. Join the Catholic Women's League and celebrate the meaning of life as you share gifts. Please contact Gay Garvey, 902-218-3003.

DIOCESAN & COMMUNITY NEWS.

EARTH DAY: Pope Francis has reminded us that Saint Francis of Assisi describes Earth, our common home, as a sister with whom we share our life. On Monday April 22, there will be an Earth Day concert at 7:00 pm in the Chapel at The Mount Continuing Care Community (141 Mount Edward Road, Charlottetown). All are welcome. Freewill offerings to support Spirituality Centre programs will be accepted.

BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN: PEI Life Association is holding its annual baby bottle campaign, Change4LIFE, from April 7th to May 12th, to promote LIFE on PEI. Join us in helping advance the beauty of LIFE on PEI. Change4LIFE is one of many ways that PEI Life aims to help the most vulnerable on PEI and make changes for LIFE! Online option as an individual or as a team is via: www.PEILIFE.org – click "Donate". Project deadline: Sunday, May 12th, Mother's Day. Questions: Call Pat at 902-894-5473 or email office@peilife.org

THE HOLY REDEEMER CWL: is having a used book table, a new-to-you table, a pre-owned jewelry table, and plant table sale, April 20th 9 a 1 at the Jack Blanchard Family Centre, 3 Pond St. A draw for a gift basket valued at \$200.00 will also be held, with tickets available. All welcome. Free admission.

BUILDING IMMUNITY, PRESERVING HEALTH - Come and learn from Pharmacist, Nathan Comeau, about understanding the risks associated with vaccinations and their outcomes as well as overcoming some challenges and promoting vaccine uptake. Discussion of medication basics, providing tips and tricks and will offer time for questions you may have. The Living Well, 96 Patterson Dr. April 10th, 1:30-3:30. Break and snack provided. To register email rmd17csm@gmail.com. SCENT FREE. There is no charge for this session however, you are welcome to bring a food item for our monthly in-house Food Bank.

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE SILVER ROSE PRAYER SERVICE: Below are this year's participating parishes, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus.

Date	Location	Time of Silver Rose Prayer Service
Tues, April 9,	St. Pius X, Charlottetown	7 pm Mass followed by Silver Rose
Wed April 10	St. Paul, Summerside	6:30 pm followed by Mass
Thurs April 11,	St. Simon & St. Jude, Tignish	6:15 pm followed by Mass
Sat April 13	Basilica, Charlottetown	4 pm Mass followed by Silver Rose

ROAST BEEF DINNER: at Our Lady of the Assumption Parish Hall in Stratford (145 Stratford Road) on Sunday, April 14 at 5:00pm. Take-outs available at 4:30pm. Tickets: \$35 each, \$10 for children 12 and under. Tickets available in advance only by calling (902) 569-4769 or drop by the Parish Office at Our Lady of the Assumption Church. Fundraiser for the Parish Building Fund.

TRINITY UNITED TAKE-OUT ROAST BEEF DINNER: Saturday, May 11 with pick up from 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Sydney St. door, Trinity United Church. Tickets, \$20.00 purchased in advance. 902-892-4114, or trinitycliftonunitedchurch@gmail.com

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER: The experience helps you listen, share and connect more deeply. No group discussion. Just about the two of you learning to be the best, most loving and thriving couple you can be. Weekend, April 26-28, Our Lady of Hope Retreat Centre. Info, application 902-626-8875 or noonans@eastlink.ca.