

# Saint Dunstan's Basilica Parish

SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FEBRUARY 23, 2025

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## MASS INTENTIONS – WEEK OF FEB. 24

<b>Mon:</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Special Intention</b>
<b>Tue</b>	<b>12:05 p.m.</b>	<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Wed:</b>		<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Thu.:</b>	<b>12:05 p.m.</b>	<b>Robin Lyall Hood</b>
<b>Fri.:</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Preng Lleshi</b>
<b>Sat.:</b>	<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Marie Laybolt</b>
<b>Sun.:</b>	<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Parishioners of St. Dunstan's</b>
<b>Sun:</b>	<b>5:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Fidel Dela Cuesta</b>

<b>FEB 16 OFFERINGS</b>	<b>\$3,032.00</b>
<b>FEB 16 PRE-AUTHORIZED DEBIT</b>	<b>\$1,180.00</b>
<b>FEB 16 E-TRANSFER COLLECTION</b>	unavailable
<b>FEB 16 FUEL COLLECTION</b>	<b>\$ 430.00</b>

## 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 a.m. to noon, 12:30 to 3 pm.**

## MASS READINGS FOR SUNDAY, MAR. 02

**1st Reading:** Sirach 27.4-7  
**2nd Reading:** 1 Corinthians 15.54-58  
**Gospel:** Luke 6.39-45

## PARISH NEWS

**ADORATION CHAPEL:** Please contact Jodi or Brady Grant [bradyandjodi@gmail.com](mailto: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 (2),

**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.

**ASH WEDNESDAY MASS TIMES:** 12:05 and 5:30. Both in upper church.

**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!

**2025 ENVELOPES:** are available at the church entrance. New envelope users, please fill in the sheet provided with required contact information. We appreciate and need your financial support. Many thanks for your consideration.

**RE-OPENED:** The entrance to the Adoration Chapel, the Chapel, and Knights of Columbus chambers is now open. There will be another brief closure for painting. An announcement will be made at the time.

**BULLETIN ADVERTISING** Our parish bulletin cover is soon going to print for this year. If you own a business or know of a credible business that may benefit from this form of advertising, please contact Shani Court, 902-314-5307 or [church.bulletin.advertising@gmail.com](mailto:church.bulletin.advertising@gmail.com) as soon as possible. We encourage businesses to advertise and parishioners to support the advertisers.

**2024 TAX RECEIPTS:** are available at the church entrance. If you'd like yours emailed, contact the Office, [saintdunstans@gmail.com](mailto:saintdunstans@gmail.com). Many thanks for your financial support.

**FOOD SUNDAY, FIRST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH:** Parishioners who are able to donate non-perishable food items, please bring them to the weekend masses for the St. Vincent de Paul food pantry. Donations may be left near the angel holy water fonts at the entrance to the church. Thank you!

**FIRST SATURDAY GATHERING:** Everyone is invited after the 4 pm Saturday mass, March 01 in the K of C Room. For further information, please contact Ray or Marilyn Yu 902-628-2397 or email [1950ray-mundo@eastlink.ca](mailto:1950ray-mundo@eastlink.ca). There will be a light lunch, praying the Holy Rosary, Fellowship and presentation.

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MEETING:** Thursday, February 27 at 630 pm, K of C Room, lower church. Please use the chapel door entrance on Dorchester Street. All welcome.

**LIFT:** A reminder that the lift is available for any who find the steps difficult. Please use the Dorchester St. door. A number is posted by which you may contact a greeter who will gladly assist you.



**HEARING LOOP.** is available in the two centre rows of the church. Please let us know if it is working for you.

## DIOCESAN & COMMUNITY NEWS.

**THE MARTHA SPIRITUALITY CENTRE** is offering an Indigenous Teachings Book Study on Zoom: Monday, March 3: "My Conversations with Canadians" by Lee Maracle, 3:00 - 4:30 pm Online. Facilitated by Donna McGreal. To Register and receive Zoom link, email: [concernedlaycatholics@gmail.com](mailto:concernedlaycatholics@gmail.com).

**PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE,** May 16– 26, 2025 with Hector Caissie and 2 accompanying priests, Fr. Carlos & Fr. Legendre. Cost of \$3770 includes all airport taxes, security, fuel surcharges, airfare from the Moncton/Halifax, (twin or triple) accommodation, daily breakfast & dinner and experienced local guide. (Optional single room supplement, \$250/p.) **INFO:** Hector Caissie at [hectorcaissie@gmail.com](mailto:hectorcaissie@gmail.com) or 506-857-2295.

**LENTEN STUDY ON PRAYER:** You are invited to join Fr. Martin Carter for three reflections: The Life of Prayer, The Battle of Prayer, The Lord's Prayer. The reflections will be given (from 7-8.15 pm) at two locations: St. Theresa, Morell (Monday, March 10, 17, 24) and St. Pius X, Charlottetown (Thursday, March 6, 13, 20). All are welcome.

**THEOLOGY ON TAP:** UPEI Department of Religious Studies presents Dr. Brenton Dickieson with a talk entitled "Because My Old Heart Would Burst": A Settler's Reflections on Indigenous Spaces in Octavia Butler and C.S. Lewis" Salvador Dali Café. Follow us on Facebook at Theology on Tap PEI

**THE CWL AREA MEETING EAST:** St. Dunstan's Basilica Saturday, March 1 9:30 am to 2:00 pm. Lunch will be a sharing table. Guest Speakers: Sr. Rosemary MacDonald on Church Teaching on end of life care and Provincial Vice President Cheryl Boom on Membership. All CWL members welcome.

**JOIN US FOR THE DIOCESAN JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE TO AUSTRIA, POLAND, AND ITALY,** featuring an extensive stay in Rome this June! We still have a few spots available for this unforgettable pilgrimage to the heart of our faith. Experience the rich history of Europe, walk through Rome's ancient streets, and fully immerse yourself in the vibrant Jubilee celebrations. **A highlight of this pilgrimage will be the opportunity to meet Pope Francis during his Wednesday audience.** You'll also journey with our diocesan community under the spiritual guidance of Bishop Joseph. Don't miss this chance to deepen your faith and create lasting memories. **For more information, please contact QS Travel & Tours Inc. at 905-412-3355 or 1-800-565-3619.**