Saint Dunstan's Basilica Parish

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SEPTEMBER 21, 2025

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MASS INTENTIONS – WEEK OF SEPT. 22

Mon: NO MASS

Tue: 12:05 p.m. Donna Louise Gallant Wed: 12:05 p.m. Intentions to OMPH

Thu.: 12:05 p.m. Earl Dillon
Fri.: 12:05 p.m. Preng Lleshi
Sat.: 4:00 p.m. Special Intention

Sun.: 10:00 a.m. Parishioners of St. Dunstan's

Sun: 5:00 p.m. No Specific Intention

SEPT. 14 OFFERINGS	\$ 3797.00
SEPT. 14 PRE-AUTHORIZED DEBIT	\$ 1100.00
SEPT. 14 E-TRANSFER COLLECTION	\$ 547.00
SEPT. 14 FUEL COLLECTION	\$ 639.00
SEPT. 14 ST. VINCENT DE PAUL	\$ 480.00

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: Tuesday through Friday 9:00 a.m. to noon, 1:00 to 3:30 pm.

MASS READINGS FOR SUNDAY, Sept. 28
1st Reading:
2nd Reading:
1 Timothy 6.11-16

Gospel: Luke 16.19-31

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), Peace and Unity (1), Healing (2), Special Intention (1)

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 12:05 pm Mass. Intentions of the Church—local and universal— our community, our world, and all of your personal needs are remembered. All welcome!

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP: every Wednesday following the 12:05 mass.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MEETING. Thursday, Sept. 25, 7pm at K of C Room, lower church. Please use the chapel door entrance on Dorchester St. All are welcome.

ALL CURSILLISTAS are invited to attend an Ultreya on Friday, October 3 at 7:00 pm in the Knights of Columbus Room at the Basilica. If you have questions, please call or text: Steve Wonnacott at 782-377-8084.

OCIA – Journey in Faith. Adults interested in learning more about the Catholic faith are invited to join weekly sessions with Fr. Krys and our parish community, beginning in October (in-person & via Zoom). For details, contact Fr. Krys (stanula67@gmail.com), Sandra (catecheticsstdunstan@gmail.com), or the Parish Office.

Let Us Support the Bishop's Dinner – October 1, 2025. Bishop Joseph Dabrowski invites all parishioners and businesses to join the Bishop's Dinner on Wednesday, October 1, 2025, at the Delta Hotel, Charlottetown. Come together in faith, fellowship, and hope as proceeds support local charities serving those in need across our communities. Tickets & details: dioceseofcharlottetown.com

THANK YOU, VOLUNTEERS. We are grateful to those who have already signed up to serve in our parish ministries — your generosity strengthens our parish family!

Registration is still open! If you (or your child) are interested, please contact the **Parish Office**. Your "yes" makes a difference!

- **†** Altar Servers Children who have received their First Holy Communion are invited to assist at the Lord's altar.
- ★ Collectors & Greeters A simple but meaningful way to help at weekend Masses by welcoming others and supporting our parish community.

FOLLOW & SHARE! Stay connected with parish life! Like and follow St. Dunstan's Basilica on Facebook for daily reflections, inspiration, and updates. Don't forget to share our page with your family and friends!



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.

CWL Fall Conferences: It is time once again for our Fall Conferences! Please see the information below regarding both the East and West Fall Conferences. Lunch for each event will be a sharing table. Feel free to attend whichever one works for you. Fall Conference East: Hosted by St. Francis of Assisi Council, Cornwall on Saturday, October 4, starting with Mass at 9:00 am. Fall Conference West: Hosted by Immaculate Conception Council, Palmer Road on Saturday, October 18, starting with Mass at 9:00 am.

WHAT IS A SECULAR FRANCISCAN? Have you ever wondered about the Secular Franciscan Order? Are you called to learn more about God's call to St. Francis and what it means to live as a Secular in our world? You are most welcome to come to an information meeting to learn how St. Francis lived the Gospel and by his witness helped others to become brothers and sisters in the world. WHEN & WHERE: Wednesday, October 8, 7:00 p.m. at St. Francis of Assisi Church, Cornwall in the Board Room (upstairs). For information, please call 902-566-3830. We look forward to seeing you!

There will be a **Catholic women's retreat** at Our Lady of HOPE RETREAT CENTER from **Tuesday October 7th to Wednesday October 8th**. This year's retreat master is **Fr. Francis Sohe, SDV**. The cost per participant is \$115.00. REGISTER ANY TIME BY CALLING 902-621-2385 or 902-388-1952.

Couples from across the Diocese will celebrate their marriages together at the Group Wedding Mass on Saturday, October 4-at 1:00 p.m. at St. Dunstan's Basilica, Charlottetown. As part of their preparation, the couples are taking part in a special Marriage Preparation course this weekend (September 12 & 13). Please keep them in your prayers as they prepare to enter into the Sacrament of Marriage.

SPECIAL MASS. You are invited to join Bishop Joseph for a special Mass on Sunday, September 28th at 5:00 p.m. at Saint Dunstan's Basilica Cathedral, where he will officially launch a time of pastoral renewal for the Diocese of Charlottetown. During this celebration, Bishop Joseph will share his vision for the spiritual renewal of our diocesan Church and how together we are invited to participate. All are warmly welcome to attend.

Stories about the challenges facing students as they seek safe and affordable housing are plentiful in the media these days. And research has demonstrated the positive impact intergenerational living offers all involved. Are you interested in providing housing to students? Please visit https://www.upei.ca/off-campus-housing/property-owners or email Tyson at off-campus-housing@upei.ca to submit your housing ad and for additional information

COMMUNITY DINNER. Jack Blanchard Centre. Tuesday, Sept. 23. Roasted Chicken Dinner @ \$20 each. Doors open at 5:00 PM. Meal served at 5:30 PM. Call 902-213-1553 (Sheena or Sunil to save a spot. Enjoy.