

# Saint Dunstan's Basilica Parish

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

APRIL 19, 2026

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## MASS INTENTIONS – WEEK OF APRIL 20

<b>Mon:</b>		<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Tue</b>	<b>12:05 p.m.</b>	<b>Mary Ong</b>
<b>Wed.</b>	<b>12:05 p.m.</b>	<b>OMPH</b>
<b>Thu.:</b>	<b>12:05 p.m.</b>	<b>Joseph and Ivy Goh</b>
<b>Fri.:</b>	<b>12:05 p.m.</b>	<b>Mary Ong</b>
<b>Sat.:</b>	<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Souls in Purgatory</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>Anna Reyes</b>

<b>APR. 12 OFFERING</b>	<b>\$ 3407.00</b>
<b>APR. 12 PRE-AUTHORIZED DEBIT</b>	<b>\$ 390.00</b>
<b>APR. 12 E-TRANSFER</b>	<b>\$ 275.00</b>
<b>APR. 12 FUEL COLLECTION</b>	<b>\$ 542.00</b>
<b>APR. 12 ST. VINCENT DE PAUL</b>	<b>\$ 520.00</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: Tuesday through Friday 9 a.m. to noon, 12:30 to 3:30 pm.

## MASS READINGS FOR SUNDAY, APRIL 26

**1st Reading:** Acts 2.14a,36b-41  
**2nd Reading:** 1 Peter 2.20b-25  
**Gospel:** John 10.1-10

## 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); Thanksgiving (1)

The **FUEL COLLECTION** will be held at the end of each weekend's Mass. If you're able, please share a little—every gift helps. Thank you for caring for our parish home.

## My dear Parishioners and Friends,

As I mentioned to you last Sunday, my time here at the parish will soon be coming to an end. I have truly been blessed to serve you since arriving early last year. I have now been called by my religious congregation to take up a new assignment, and I will be concluding my ministry here on May 11. On that same day, we will welcome your new Parochial Administrator, Fr. Andrew Handrahan. I encourage you to extend to him the same warmth, openness, and generosity you have so graciously shown me. While I had hoped to remain longer, I trust in God's providence and the path He continues to unfold. I am deeply grateful for the faith of this community and for the kindness I have received from the very beginning. You have made me feel at home, and for that I will always be thankful. I will cherish the many moments we have shared—our liturgies, conversations, and simple everyday encounters. Though my time here has been brief, it has been filled with grace and meaning. Please keep me in your prayers, as I will continue to remember you in mine. May the Lord bless you and keep you always.

With gratitude and prayer - Fr. Krys

**PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT.** Included with the bulletin this week you will find the 2025 Financial Report from the Parish Property & Finance Committee. We had another strong financial year due to the generous support of parishioners. The Financial Report includes comments on certain items to address any questions parishioners might have. Next weekend a representative from the Property & Finance Committee will also present highlights from the Financial Report following each Mass.

**BE A WARM WELCOME THIS SUMMER AT ST. DUNSTAN'S!** Beginning **April 29**, St. Dunstan's Basilica will once again welcome many tourists and guests from near and far. We invite you to be part of a special ministry of hospitality, offering a friendly smile, a warm greeting, and simple guidance to those who visit our beautiful church. No special skills required—just a welcoming heart! If you feel called to help create a meaningful and memorable experience for our visitors, please contact Gwen at the parish office 902-894-3486.

## DIOCESAN & COMMUNITY NEWS

**THE LIVING WELL**, 96 Patterson Drive, Charlottetown (inside Martha Place), will host "Self-Care for a Healthier Life" on **Wednesday, April 29th from 1:30 – 3:30 pm**. Facilitator William Stanus is a psychotherapist licensed at the Ontario College of Psychotherapy. William's professional interests include the integration of faith and psychology and nurturing healthy relationships. William and his wife currently live in Mont Carmel, PEI. In this workshop William will offer tips and suggestions for healthier relationships with ourselves and others.

**ECUMENICAL WOMEN'S RETREAT** on Saturday, April 25 from 10 am- 3pm at the Martha Spirituality Centre at SDU Place. Retreat leader is Rev. Cathy Pharo, an Anglican priest serving the parishes of St. Johns in Crapaud and St. Peters in Alberton. Her theme is Rooted in Love. Retreat fee is \$30. and register with [srgemma@eastlink.ca](mailto:srgemma@eastlink.ca)

Have you been **experiencing problems dealing with anxiety, loss, depression, separation, parenting or relationship issues?** Free counselling services are available through a project sponsored by The Living Well. If you would like to speak to a qualified social worker about these issues you can contact us through e-mail [20tlwp23@gmail.com](mailto:20tlwp23@gmail.com) or call 902 330-2028. All inquiries will be confidential.

**EARTH DAY CONCERT** on Wednesday, April 22 at 7 Pm at the Mount, 141 Mt. Edward Road. Join in an evening to celebrate the land and sea, and all the beauties of our planet earth through music and song with Performances by Julie Lush, Margie Carmichael, Richard Fellbaum, Judy Donovan-Whitty, Gaia chorus, Callie Gerson, Wade Lynch, Eileen Clow, Michael Pendergast, Marthas and Associates. This is one way to give attention to and show appreciation for this wonderful world we live in and are called to cherish and safeguard. Admission is by donation.

## CLERGY UPDATES:

**Rev. Krzysztof Stanula**, CSMA has been recalled from our diocese by his religious congregation to accept a new appointment effective May 11, 2026.

**Rev. Piotr Wojakiewicz**, CSMA has been recalled from our diocese by his religious congregation to accept a new appointment at a date to be determined. A replacement for Fr. Peter at St. Francis of Assisi (Cornwall), St. Anne (Emyvale), and St. Martin (Cumberland) will be announced later.

**Rev. Andrew Handrahan** is appointed Parochial Administrator of St. Dunstan parish effective May 11, 2026.

**St Pius X CWL Coffee Party:** on Saturday, May 9th from 9:30 am to 11:30 am in the MacKenzie Room (lower level of St. Pius X Church). Gluten-free available. Tickets are \$10.00. There will be a 50/50 Draw as well as Door Prizes. Proceeds go to Local Charities. All are welcome.

**The Congregation of Notre Dame** is currently recruiting a Coordinator of Care and Community Life for the Notre Dame sisters living at Andrews of Charlottetown Community Care facility (part-time position - 25-30 hours/week). Reporting directly to the Animator of Pastoral Care and Community Living, this person will work collaboratively with the staff at Andrews of Charlottetown, to advocate on behalf of the sisters, promoting programs and activities to support quality of life for the CND Sisters living at Andrews. Interested in learning more? Contact Ellen Crowley at [ellencrowley01@gmail.com](mailto:ellencrowley01@gmail.com).

**COMMUNITY DINNER.** Jack Blanchard Centre April 28, Tuesday, Chicken Cordon Bleu. \$20 each. Door opens at 5PM, meals served at 530PM. Call Sheena or Sunil @ 902-213-1553 to save a spot. Enjoy!