

Gospels is revered with a kiss by the deacon or priest who, from its pages, has announced the Good News.

**Longest Married Couple in Canada:** Do you know a couple who has celebrated their sacrament of marriage together for many years? Nominate them by calling 902-892-1364 or email: [renewmarriage@gmail.com](mailto:renewmarriage@gmail.com) . Sponsored by Worldwide Marriage Encounter.

**St. Patrick's Ireland Tour 2016:** accompanied by Father Albin Arsenault, this 10-day tour, Sept. 18-27, 2016, includes 12 meals, flight from Charlottetown – based on double occupancy – \$3,899.00 p/p Please contact CWT Harvey's Travel for information: 1-902-566-3979 or 1-800-871-3979 or [lthompson@harveysttravel-cwt.com](mailto:lthompson@harveysttravel-cwt.com) .

**Scripture Study for Advent:** Understanding the connection between the Old Testament and the New Testament allows one to better understand the message and person of Christ. Join Fr. Martin Carter for a 4-week study on the book of Hebrews, in the MacKenzie Room (Thursday evenings from 7:00 to 8:15 pm; November 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th) at St. Pius X. All material supplied and all are welcome.

**"Ceilidh and Comedy to Stop the Stigma"** is an all-ages event on Sunday, November 15, at the Jack Blanchard Family Centre on Pond Street. Doors open at 6:30 for the silent auction and the entertainment begins at 7:00 pm. Entertainment provided by local musicians including Joey Kitson and family, the Blanchard Sisters, Amanda & Jerry and the WITTY Mama ladies' improv group. There will also be door prizes, 50/50 draw, silent auction and a fudge sale. All proceeds go directly to the PEI Division of the Canadian Mental Health Association (CMHA) for suicide prevention. For more information or tickets (\$10 each), call Dianne Young at 902-569-5729/902-218-6473 or Patricia Doiron at 902-218-9669.

### Community Notices

**Al-Anon Group Meeting:** Tuesdays at 10 AM in the vestry of St. Augustine's Church. Call 902-894-3503 for more information.

**Tracadie Players present their Fall Dinner Theatre** on Saturday, November 7th and Sunday, November 8, 2015 at the Tracadie Community Centre, Tracadie Cross. Doors open at 5:30 PM. Entertainment includes 3 skits, local entertainment and hot chicken dinner. Tickets are \$27.50/person - call Barry at 902-672-1287 for tickets/information.

**Cooking Demonstration:** Tips & Tricks for Everyone. The Gulf Shore Community Health Corporation is proud to present the third annual cooking demo. At Gulf Shore School on Tuesday, November 10, 2015 at 6:30 pm With Chefs Jennifer and Mike Levy. \$10.00 per person - paid the night of the event. Seats are limited - pre-registration is required. Call 902-393-4095 to register. Presented by the Gulf Shore Community Health Corporation.

**North Rustico Lions Lanes:** Mixed bowling leagues have openings for additional bowlers. If interested this week will be the last for new bowlers to join a team. You are welcome on either of these nights: Mondays - 7 p.m., Tuesdays - 6:45 p.m. or Thursdays - 7:45 p.m. Youth bowling (ages 9-15) begins Friday, Nov. 6 from 6:30-8:30.

**AGA du Conseil acadien de Rustico:** Le lundi 9 novembre à 19h au Centre acadien Grand Rustico. Bilan de l'année 2014-2015 et élection du conseil d'administration. Votre participation est très importante puisque le Conseil est là pour vous appuyer. Confirmer votre présence à la rencontre à [andrea.deveau@conseilacadienrustico.org](mailto:andrea.deveau@conseilacadienrustico.org) ou 902-963-3252 pour des fins de quorum avant le 2 novembre.



## The Saint John-Paul II Pastoral Unit

Stella Maris, St. Anne's & St. Augustine's Parishes, Prince Edward Island

### All Saints Solemnity ☩ November 1, 2015

#### SCHEDULE NOVEMBER 2 TO NOVEMBER 8

**Monday:** 9am St. Augustine's

**Tuesday:** 9am Stella Maris

**Wednesday:** 9am St. Augustine's

**Thursday:** Priest's day off — no mass

**Friday:** 9am St. Anne's

**Saturday:** 4pm Stella Maris

**Sunday:** 9am St. Anne's

10:30am St. Augustine's

Scheduled weekday Mass is cancelled for a funeral.

**Confessions:** Saturday at 10am in St. Augustine's Church. For additional times for confessions please call 902-963-2245.

**Baptisms:** Contact Fr. Raj for Baptismal Preparation.

**Father Raj Santiago:** Office: 902-963-2245  
Cell: 902-393-0572

#### Pastoral Associates:

**Jacinta Doiron** 902-621-0638

**Janet Doiron** 902-963-3247

**Marion Murphy** 902-621-0725

**Carol Probert** 902-963-3089

**Scent Free:** Please avoid scented products in our churches. Some parishioners are strongly allergic to chemical fragrances.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:** A person with MS, A depressed person, Brian, Evan, Wendy, Agatha Reddin, Alice Doucette, Allan Pound, Alyre Doucette, Alyre Pineau, Ann Blais, Anne Marie Ellis, Anne Peters, Annette Coffin, Annie Gallant, Ashley Cook, Bernadette Procter, Billy Doucette, Bobby Briehl, Brenda Gallant, Carol Ann Dickson, Cecilia Gallant, Cecily Gallant, Chester Fall, Claude Gregoire, Dale Doucette, Dane Simpson, Donna Stiles, Edna Pineau, Elaine Stewart, Emeric Walsh, Eric "Buck" Doucette, Frances Rose Wilson, Fred Judson, Gabrielle Gallant, Georgina Blacquiere, Inez Pineau, Jean Gallant, Kaye Ford, Keisha Dunn, Kim Murphy, Kitty Gallant, Leo LeClair, Lisa MacDonald, Louis Reid, Louise Peters, Margaret Perry, Mary Gillis, Nancy (Pius) Doucette, Nicky Garland, Parker O'Brien, Pat Gallant (John), Paul Doiron, Regis Peters, Richard Arsenault, Roger Gallant, Rose Hennessey, Scott Faust, Shirley Doucette, Sonny Gauthier, Stella (Gary) Gallant, Stephen Ellsworth, Stephen Sampson, Susie Smith, Tammy Wedge, Terry Doucette, Tim Gallant, Tracy Peters, Trisha Gallant, Vera Gallant, Victor Doiron, Vincent Blacquiere, Wally Litouskey and all those in hospital.

To have a name added or removed from the prayer line please call the **Prayer Line Contacts:**

**Marion Murphy** 902-621-0725

**Angela Gallant** 902-963-3438

**Rose Gallant** 902-963-3516

**Fr. Raj Santiago** 902-963-2245

#### From Pope Francis' Encyclical "Laudato Si" - "Our Common Home"

**Pope Francis on the Environment:** *"Creation" has a broader meaning than "nature". In the Judaeo-Christian tradition, the word "creation" has a broader meaning than "nature", for it has to do with God's loving plan in which every creature has its own value and significance. Nature is usually seen as a system which can be studied, understood and controlled, whereas creation can only be understood as a gift from the outstretched hand of the Father of all, and as a reality illuminated by the love which calls us together into universal communion. (76)*

### Kindergarten—grade 9 Religion Class Schedule

All classes are held at Gulf Shore School at 10:30am.

November 1, 2015	January 10, 2016	March 6, 2016
November 15, 2015	January 24, 2016	March 13, 2016
November 29, 2015	February 7, 2016	April 3, 2016
December 13, 2015	February 21, 2016	April 17, 2016

### "Mass as a Class" Schedule

"Mass as a Class" is an opportunity for youth and their families to participate in the celebration of the Eucharist. By making it a class experience it is hoped that the youth will participate more fully in a variety of roles, Ministers of Hospitality, Readers, Choir, etc. This will provide them a greater understanding of the mass as well as different ways to be of service to others, which we are all called to do as Christians.

November 22, 2015	January 31, 2016	April 24, 2016
December 20, 2015	February 28, 2016	

The youth would like to thank the following people/groups for supplying snacks at our religion classes.

Vincent & Georgina Blacquiere Sept 13th	Stella Maris Provincial Credit Union Oct 04th
Fitzgerald & Snow Sept 27th	St Augustine's Property & Finance Oct 18th

### Unit Notices

**Bulletin Notices:** Email notices to [bulletins@jp2pastoralunit.com](mailto:bulletins@jp2pastoralunit.com) or call 902-886-2761 (please leave a message if we aren't home). Deadline for weekly bulletins is Thursday at 4pm.

**Hospital or Home Visits:** If you have a family member or friend in the hospital, at home or other care facility who would like to see a priest please call Fr. Raj.

**Communion at Home:** If you know of anyone who should be receiving communion at home because of inability to attend church, please contact one of the pastoral associates.

**Home Visits:** In the next few weeks we will begin a series of home visits so Fr. Raj can meet the people in the communities. This will take some time so please be patient. He will be accompanied by a parishioner. In the meantime if you have any concerns please contact Fr. at 902-963-2245.

**The Annual Memorial Service** has been scheduled

for Monday November 2nd at 7 p.m. at Stella Maris church. Following is a list of those who have died in the past year. If you are aware of any errors or omissions please notify Carol Probert as soon as possible. Alyre Arsenaault, Gerard Blacquiere, Richard Brideau, Mae Coffin, Lawrence Ray Costello, Isabel Rita Davies, Albert Doiron, Fredrick Earl Doiron, Aubin Bruce Gallant, Basil Alyre Gallant, Hazel Dorothy Gallant, Irene Gallant, Irene Gertrude Gallant, Jade Michelle Gallant, Lawrence Gallant, Mary Patricia Gallant, Ronald Vincent Gallant, Janice Mary Gallant Godfrey, Jennifer Lidstone, Shirley MacNeil, Floyd MacQuarrie, John William Perry, Mary Evelyn Peters, Steven Peters, Winston Peters, Georgina Pineau, Mary Theresa Saulnier, Mary Theresa Tobando, Murray Tobando, James Patrick Vincent.

**Postcard Action:** Pickup pamphlets at the back of the church to read about how climate change is affecting our environment. There are also some postcards addressed to our Prime Minister. Sign and send (no postage required) indicating how we want to create a change of climate.

### St. Augustine's Notices

**Schedules:** The schedule for Readers, Eucharistic Ministers, Gifts to the Altar and Ushers for November to April is now being prepared. If you have any changes to your present ministry or you wish to become a Reader, a Eucharistic Minister, an Usher or bring up the Gifts to the Altar, please let Carmelle Doucette know by Sunday October 18.

### Stella Maris Notices

**Volunteers Needed - Lunch After Funerals:** As the number of volunteers helping with this service has diminished, we do need a new list of volunteers who are willing to help with this luncheon. This will only take a couple of hours of your time on the day of the funeral. Your help would be greatly appreciated and you can add your name to this list by calling Donnie or Mary Blacquiere at 963-2359. Our church is run by volunteers and without them, many services would have to be eliminated. Thank you

**The Star of the Sea Seniors' Club annual bingo** takes place at 1pm on Saturday, Nov 7th. Can members please drop off prize donations at the Club on Sunrise Crescent between 1-2pm on Friday, Nov 6.

**Cribbage** starts on Tuesday, Nov 17th at 1pm at the Club on Sunrise Crescent. Call Genny Gallant on 360 2009 for more information.

**Church Basement:** The floor of our basement has recently been repainted and, as well, a protective coat has been put on this floor. When using the basement and it is necessary to move tables and/or chairs, please lift them and do not drag them as this will damage the floor. Also, when using the kitchen, it must be left clean with all items being put back in their proper places. Our basement is there to be used; but, we all have to take care of it in order to keep it clean and in proper operating condition. Thank you. Property & Finance Committee

### St. Anne's Notices

**Ministers for November: Proclaimer:** Monica

### LAST WEEK'S COLLECTIONS & DONATIONS

**St. Augustine's: Sunday \$913.95**

**Evangelization of the People \$25.00**

**St. Anne's: Sunday \$729.00**

**Mission Sunday: \$10.00**

**Stella Maris: Sunday: \$738.00**

**Mission Sunday: \$27.00**

**Donation (Estate of Evelyn Peters) \$200.00**

**Special Collection: \$200.00**

**2015 Special Collection so far: \$8495.00**

*Thank You for Your Donations to Our Parishes!*

**Simpson Youth Proclaimer:** Julie VanLeeuwen  
**Eucharistic Minister:** Charlene VanLeeuwen **Backup Eucharistic Minister:** Mary Pound **Ushers/Ministers of Hospitality:** Wilbert Reid, Leonard Peters, Donnie Doiron **Offertory Families:** Nov 1: Ron, Inez & Paula Doiron Nov 8: John Doiron Nov 15: Eugene & Florence Larkin Nov 22: Charlie & Aletha Gallant Nov 29: Ray & Kerri Murphy

**Student bursary:** Applications for bursaries for St Anne's parishioners attending post secondary education institutions are available at the back of the church. Please submit completed forms to a Property and Finance Committee member no later than November 22nd.

### Diocese Notices

**Lectio Divina** every Wednesday at 11am at Martha Spirituality Centre. All are welcome!

**Book of Gospels:** In the Eucharist, the proclamation of the Gospel is situated in the "Liturgy of the Word." Several ritual words and actions help us recognize the reading of the Gospel as the high point of this part of the Mass. Our hearing of the Good News is preceded by a sung acclamation and a procession. The Book of Gospels may be incensed. We stand to listen, and prepare ourselves to hear with the ears of our hearts by the triple tracing on our persons of the sign of the cross, as we acclaim, "Glory to you, Lord!" At the conclusion of the proclamation, the Book of