on line at www.saintdunstansuniversity.ca

PEI Right to Life (RTL) Youth Ambassador Team (YAT) Bookings: RTL YAT is a dynamic group of passionate and trained pro-lifers who are available to give presentations and workshops to churches, youth groups, Christian schools, co-ops, and other groups wanting to be educated in prolife apologetics, compassionate conversations, the harmful effects of abortion on both mother and child, and what YOU can do to further the pro-life movement. Our goal is to have presentations lined up for September-December 2016 at all Island youth groups. For more information or bookings, please contact Executive Director, Nicole Dupuis at: nicole.dupuis@live.ca

50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary: As part of their 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, The PEI Scottish Settlers Historical Society Inc. (PEISSHS) is proud to present an event-filled weekend of celebrations, beginning with a Memorial Mass at St. Bonaventure Church, 6pm on Saturday, June 25, followed by a Scottish Ceilidh, 7:30pm at the Tracadie Community Centre (\$10 admission, children under 12 free). On Sunday, June 26th @ 2pm, the Society will be launching their newly published book, Glenaladale Settlers 1772.

## **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.

Ceilidh schedule for June, July: Sunday June 26<sup>th</sup> 7:30pm - Kendall Docherty and the Ceilidh in the City Band. Cymbria Lions Centre is located at 2184 Church Rd. We have a 50/50 draw, Ice Cream Sundae sales. We are wheel chair accessible and air

conditioned. 902-963-2166 cymbrialions.ca. doors open at 6:30pm

Celebrate Canada Continues at the Farmers' Bank of Rustico: Canada Day, July 1 At 1pm, the raising of the Canadian Flag and singing of "Oh Canada" in English and French will take place at The Farmers' Bank. It will be followed by a complimentary Traditional Acadian lunch of beans and bannock along with hot dogs and a Celebration Cake which will be served at the Doucet House. A Scavenger Hunt will be organized for children. For more information, contact us at farmers@pei.aibn.com, phone 902-963-3168 or visit our website www.farmersbank.ca . The Museum is located at 2188 Church Rd on Rte 243N off Rte 6 in Rustico: it is wheelchair accessible and air conditioned. The Friends of the Farmers' Bank of Rustico wish to acknowledge the support of The Department of Canadian Heritage.

Ceilidh: Star of the Sea Seniors Club, North Rustico, Ceilidh by "A Touch of Country" will take place on Sunday, June 26, at 7:30pm. Lots of singing and toe-tapping music, lunch, and 50/50 draw. Please join us for a great time. See you there!

Thank You: We would like to thank everyone who took the time out of their very busy schedules to come to the Retirement Tea to help us celebrate the end of one part of our life and the beginning of another part. Your kind words, cards and gifts are all appreciated. The Gulf Shore Consolidated School community has once again shown that the community spirit is very alive and well. Sincerely, Rose (aka the nurse, doctor, Boss) and Anne-Marie (aka Mrs. Vessey, Fussy Vessey)

# The Saint John-Paul II Pastoral Unit

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

# Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ✓ June 26, 2016

# **Schedule June 27 to July 3**

Monday: 9am St. Augustine's Tuesday: 9am Stella Maris Wednesday: No Mass

Thursday: No Mass—Priest day off

Friday: 9am St. Anne's

Saturday: 6pm Stella Maris for Jeannette

Gauthier

Sunday: 9am St. Anne's for Bernadette Proctor

10:00am Stella Maris 10:30am St. Augustine's

Chaplet of Divine Mercy for the Sick and Dying will be said following weekday Masses.

**Confessions:** Fr. Raj is available in the vestries after weekday masses for the sacrament of Reconciliation. All are encouraged to experience the Mercy and Love of the Ever Forgiving Father

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

Father Raj Santiago: Office: 902-963-2245

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**Pastoral Associates:** 

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

### **PLEASE PRAY FOR**

Ann, Brian, Debbie, Melanie, Parker, Sally, Steve, Steven, Herbie Blacquiere, Ann Blais, Peter Buote, Sue Casey, Evan Clark, Kathy Doiron (Inez), John Doucette, Roger Emond, Audrey Gallant, Brenda Gallant, Cathy Gallant, Cathy C Gallant, Cecilia Gallant, Dale Gallant, Pearl Gallant, Sonny Gauthier, Mary Gillis, Arlene & Clint Harper, Rose Hennessey, Alice Hepp, Leo LeClair, Paul MacDonald, Carol MacIsaac, Jen Marten, Alan Perry, Regis Peters, Sheldon Pineau, Allan Pound, Bernadette Proctor, Dane Simpson, Suzie Smith, Emeric Walsh, Dakota Wedge

To have a name added or removed from the prayer line please contact:

Marion Murphy 902-621-0725 Angela Gallant 902-963-3438 Rose Gallant 902-963-3516 Fr. Raj Santiago 902-963-2245

**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.

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

From Pope Francis' Encyclical "Misericordiae Vultus" - "The Face of Mercy"

Pope Francis, for the Year of Mercy: "This is the opportune moment to change our lives. This is the time to allow our hearts to be touched." (MV#19)

#### **Unit Notices**

**Bulletin Announcements:** Email bulletin notices to bulletins@jp2pastoralunit.com or call 902-886-2761. Deadline for weekly bulletins is Thurs. at 4pm

A Spiritual Gift for the Marian Devotees: Holy Rosary will be said in all our unit churches before all the Holy Masses, those who love to join are requested to come 20 minutes before the mass time.

A Special Appeal to anonymous Mass Sponsors: When you prepare your mass intention envelops, specially for the Thanks giving Masses, if you don't want to mention your names, please mention when and where do you want your mass offered; because though you don't want to mention your name I would like to thank the Lord and pray for you in your presence if it is possible for you. Thank you. *Fr. Raj* 

Feast Day of St. Anne and St. Joachim Pilgrimage: On Friday 29 July, 2016, St. Anne's Parish Hope River, PEI will celebrate the Feast Day of our Blessed Virgin Mary's parents and invites all pilgrims to celebrate Holy Mass at 10:30 AM following a pilgrimage walk to the church. Light refreshments will be provided after mass. The pilgrimage walk starts at Stella Maris Church, North Rustico and proceeds via back roads to St. Anne's church. You may choose a long walk or a shorter walk. The long walk is a 9.5 KM, two hour tramp departing Stella Maris Church at 7:30 AM. Please park at Stella Maris Church. The short walk is a 2.0 KM, 30 minute tramp joining the long walk on Toronto Rd. To attend the shorter walk please assemble in cars at Stella Maris Church at 8:45 AM to be led in your cars to join the long walk. Parking will be on Toronto Rd. Knights of

Columbus will lead walks, provide walk maps, drinking water, road crossing safety and return transportation to parked cars during the walk and after Mass. Walkers are reminded to wear sensible footwear. Rain will cancel walks only. For more detail if required, please call Vernon Buote at: 902-963-2106 or 902-314-4065.

Stella Maris' Notices
Annual Stella Maris Parish Collection:
Your contribution may be returned by placing it in the weekend collection or mailing it in the self-addressed envelope. We ask that you be as generous as you can. Extra envelopes will be available at the back of the Church. Thank you!

Stella Maris Parish's Fundraising Night at the Watermark Theatre: Come join us for our annual fundraising night on Tuesday, July 12 at 7:30pm at the Watermark Theatre when the Play "Blithe Spirit" will be presented. This is a classic comedy masterpiece written by Noel Coward, one of the world's greatest writers. Gracie Finley will be again playing a major role in this production. Also, Leo Marchildon, who supervises the music for the Diocese of Charlottetown, has composed the music for Blithe Spirit. Tickets bought on July 1st at the Theatre will cost \$15 each plus tax while those bought outside that date will cost \$20 plus tax. Let us fill the house and enjoy an evening of excellent theatre while providing funds to help us run our Church. The Watermark Theatre, of course, is just across the street from our Church at 57 Church Hill Avenue. The Property and Finance Committee

Second Weekend Mass During the Summer: There will be a second weekend Mass at Stella Maris Church during the

summer months on Sundays at 10am starting on July 23 and ending on Sept. 11.

The summer schedule for lectors, Eucharistic ministers and offertory families is now available at the back of the church. Thank you for hour service to our community, If you are not able to serve at the scheduled time please arrange to trade with someone else on the list.

#### St. Anne's Notices

Ministries for July: Proclaimer: Rose Mary MacDonald Youth Proclaimer: Julie Vanleeuwen Eucharistic Minister: Jacinta Doiron Ushers/Ministers of Hospitality: Paula Doiron, Inez Doiron, Ron Doiron Offertory Families: July 3 Louis & Glenda Blanchard, July 10 Eugene & Florence Larkin, July 17 Gearld & Heather Doiron & Family, July 24 Michelle & Brook Parsons, July 31 Dennis & Kathy Doiron

Congratulations to Jessica Smith, grand-daughter of Dennis & Kathy Doiron, for winning the top prize at the Estey Undergraduate Essay Competition, sponsored by the University of Waterloo. Her paper "The Ethics of Social Reporting" was chosen from a large number of submissions from Universities across Canada.

Congratulations to Marya Wiegers, daughter of Francis & Sharon Wiegers, for winning an Outstanding Award for alto saxophone solo. She received this National Award last month while away competing at the Festival of Music in London On.

Photo Directory 8X10 Photos: The 8x10 photos promised by IPC Photos were sent to the wrong address some time ago and were returned to Ontario. Now they have been

### LAST WEEK'S COLLECTIONS & DONATIONS

St. Augustine's Sunday, June 19: \$1314.35
St. Anne's Sunday, June 19: \$774.00
Stella Maris Sunday, June 19: \$695.00
Special Collection: \$1805.00
Special Collection so Far: \$6110.00

Thank You for Your Donations to Our Parishes! Slease consider including your Parish in your will.

rerouted back to PEI and should be here within the next week. Thank you for your patience. *Paula* 

#### **Diocese Notices**

Golden Jubilee Celebration: An Open House will be held on Saturday, July 9<sup>th</sup> at St. Pius X Church Hall from 1:30 – 3:30 pm to celebrate the fifty years of religious profession of Sister Eileen McQuaid, CND. Best wishes only.

Connolly Estate bursaries are available to male and female first and second year full-time university students who are residents of P.E.I., Roman Catholic, of Irish descent and who have a demonstrated financial need. A p p l i c a t i o n s a r e a t: www.owenconnollyestate.com. Fully completed applications are due on or before August 31. Late or incomplete applications will NOT be considered.

sDU Bursary: Students are reminded that the deadline to apply for the Saint Dunstan's University student bursary is August 31st, 2016. Students need to submit a transcript for the past academic year and students who are applying for the bursary for the first time need to have a reference letter from their parish priest indicating that they are a practicing Catholic. There are also a number of restricted scholarships administered by the SDU Board of Governors. If interested, criteria and application forms are available