support, and financially helping their diocese/eparchy with the annual contributions to the regional assemblies and to the national Conference." Any additional revenue raised helps the diocese/eparchy support its own pastoral programs and other activities. The CCCB is the national assembly of the Catholic Bishops in Canada, and includes the Bishops (Eparchs) of the Eastern Catholic Churches as well. The Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada will take place Sept. 24 and 25, 2016. Through your contribution to the Collection, you too can collaborate with the Bishops in their ministry to teach, sanctify and govern, as well as to support the faith and evangelization mission of the Church. Subscribe to CCCB News or Follow Us on Twitter: To receive CCCB news through our free and confidential e-mail service, please fill out the form at this link: http:// www.cccb.ca/site/eng/media-room/ subscribe-to-news. Follow the CCCB on Twitter: https://twitter.com/CCCB CECC

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.

Acadian Harvest Celebrations Continue at the Farmers' Bank of Rustico and Doucet House Museums: On Thursday, Sept. 22 at 7:30pm., there will be a Musical Evening with Roy Johnstone and Friends. A light lunch will be provided. Fees apply (cash only). The Museum is wheelchair accessible and air conditioned. For more information about these and other events, c a 11 902-963-3168, e m a i 1 farmers@pei.aibn.com or visit our website www.farmersbank.ca

Star of the Sea Seniors Club: Due to the sad and unexpected death of our president, Don Gallant, there will be no September meeting. The next meeting will take place on Wed. Oct. 26, at 1:30pm. All other club activities will take place as usual. If any members have concerns of club matters in the meantime please call Jan King at 902-621-0511.

Sea of Hope will be having their 46th Al-Anon Anniversary on Sunday, Sept. 18, 2016 at 2pm at St. Augustine church chapel. There will be an Al-Anon and AA speaker. Lunch will be served and everyone is welcome.

Ceilidh is planned for Kelly's Community Centre for Sunday, Sept. 18 at 7pm. For a list of guest entertainers and other information, see the Guardian's, "Don't Miss This", Friday, July 16.

50th Wedding Anniversary: The upcoming 50th wedding anniversary of Wilbert and Ruth Gallant is on Saturday Sept. 24, 2016. In honour of this milestone, their children are hosting an open house for friends and family to come and celebrate. The Open House will be on Sept. 24 and it will be held at the North Rustico Lions Club. Time: 6-9pm. Best wishes only.

Cymbria Lions Thanksgiving Festival Weekend: Thursday Oct 6th Bingo 7:15pm. Friday Oct 7th Hypnotist Ed Ratelle 7:30pm. Saturday Oct 8th Car Rally. Registration 1-3pm. Sunday Oct 9th Hot Turkey Supper 3:30-6pm.

The Saint John-Paul II Pastoral Unit

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

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time ■ September 18, 2016

Weekly Mass Schedule

Monday: No Mass—Priest day off

Tuesday: 9am Stella Maris

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

Friday: 9am St. Anne's

Saturday: 6pm Stella Maris for Zita

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Sunday: 9am St. Anne's Andy Brown

10:30am St. Augustine's

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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

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

Baptisms: Contact Fr. Raj for Baptismal Preparation.

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.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Ann, Brian, Debbie, Melanie, Parker, Steve, Steven, Ann Blais, Josh Brecthel, Peter Buote, Evan Clark, Kathy Doiron (Inez), John Doucette, Alyre Gallant, Audrey Gallant, Brenda Gallant, Brian Gallant, Cathy Gallant, Cecilia Gallant, Dale Gallant, Sonny Gauthier, Mary Gillis, Arlene & Clint Harper, Rose Hennessey, Leo LeClair, Paul MacDonald, Carol MacIsaac, Jen Marten, Alan Perry, Regis Peters, Sheldon Pineau, Allan Pound, Bernadette Proctor, Dane Simpson, Suzie Smith, Shirley Somers, Pauline Walsh, 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

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



Youth Ministries CDG—LDG—YDG

www.jp2youthministries.com



LDG and YDG Schedule	January 8, 2017
September 25, 2016	January 22, 2017
October 2, 2016	February 5, 2017
October 16, 2016	February 19, 201
October 23, 2016	March 5, 2017
November 6, 2016	March 12, 2017
November 20, 2016	April 2, 2017
December 4, 2016	April 23, 2017

Mass as a Class Schedule October 30, 2016 November 27, 2016 December 18, 2016 January 29, 2017 February 26, 2017 April 30, 2017

CDG Activity: The first CDG activity will be Saturday, September 24 at 1pm. We will meet at St Augustine's and head to S'side for the corn maze then back for a corn boil and activity. Please let Louise know if you can attend as we need to arrange transportation. As always feel free to bring a friend to the event. This activity (and all CDG activities) are open to anyone grade 10 and above.

Unit Notices

Holy Hour Adoration: Every last Friday of the month at St. Anne's Church from 9:30am to 10:30am.

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

Unit Pastoral Meeting: Thursday Sept. 22, 7pm at Fr. Raj's home.

St. John Paul II CWL meeting will be held in St. Anne's on Tuesday Sept. 20th beginning with lunch at 12pm followed by meeting. We will answer the roll call with a donation of non perishable food. This will be forwarded to the food bank at Stella Maris church. Items most needed are soups, beans, noodles, cereal and peanut butter. Hoping for a good turn out.

Stella Maris' Notices

Fall Mass Time: Beginning on October 1, the Saturday Mass at Stella Maris Church will be held at 4pm.

Property and Finance Committee Meeting: The September meeting of this Committee will take place on Tuesday, 20 of September at 6:30pm in the Sacristy of the Church. Property and Finance Committee

St. Anne's Notices

Ministries for September:

Proclaimer: Charlene VanLeeuwen Youth Proclaimer: Katie VanLeeuwen Eucharistic Minister: Heather Doiron Ushers/Ministers of Hospitality: Chris Hayami, Joan Hayami, Peter Vanleeuwen Offertory Families: Sept 18 Julie & Chole Walsh, Sept 25 Ella Mae Doiron

St. Augustine's Notices

We Need People to Come Forward men, women and youth to serve on the altar. Service to our mass is service to God and a very essential part of our worship. Please sign at the week.

Cemetery Sunday: Please reserve Sunday Sept 25 for Cemetery Sunday at St. Augustine's. Following that service everyone is invited back for a free barbecue, games, music, and a cake auction. All proceeds from the event will go to the Food Bank. Anyone wishing to donate a cake for the auction please contact either Phyllis Arsenault or Yvonne Doucette.

Children Liturgy: The first Sunday of October we will be starting Childrens' Liturgy. Any child up to grade 2 is invited back to the vestry during mass.

Diocese Notices

The New Diocesan Retreat Centre has been named Our Lady of Hope (Notre-Dame de l'Espérance). More information at http://dioceseofcharlottetown.com/our-lady-of-hope-retreat-centre/ Many thanks to all those who sent in suggestions!

The Second Annual Blessed John Henry Newman Dinner is on Friday Oct. 21, 2016. Reception is at 6pm followed by a formal dinner at 7pm. Following dinner, Fr. Thomas Rosica, CSB, CEO of Salt and Light media and English-Language Attaché to the Holy See Press Office, will speak on "Cardinal Newman & Pope Francis on Restoring Citizenship to those in Exodus." Tickets are \$80 per person or a table of 10 is \$750. Proceeds support special collaborations between UPEI's Catholic Studies programme and the Canadian Catholic Students' Association with a

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTIONS & DONATIONS

St. Augustine's Sunday, September 11: \$1333.65
Special Collection: \$200.00
St. Anne's Sunday, September 11: \$
Stella Maris Sunday, September 11: \$861.00
Cemetery Fund (wake): \$\$50.00
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charitable tax receipts offered for a portion of the ticket price. For tickets and information: www.newmandinner.com, newmandinnerpei@gmail.com or 902-566-0774.

Martha Spirituality Centre at SDU Place (367-3103 or srgemma@eastlink.ca) Women in the Life of Jesus Series of 6 sessions will begin on Monday, Sept. 26 at 7pm. Cost \$30.Still open spaces. Joy of Love: Pope Francis' document on the Family. This book study series will begin on Monday, Oct. 3 at 7pm. Cost \$40. and includes the text. Still spaces open. Need to register by Sept.23 so texts can be ordered. End-of-Life Concerns (repeat presentation) by Sr. Rosemary MacDonald on Thurs, Sept. 29 at 7pm. Open to the public but need to register to reserve a seat.

Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada: Why is there such a collection? Every year, the Bishops of Canada make an appeal for financial assistance to support their work and the work of each diocese/eparchy by means of the Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada. The President of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB), the Most Reverend Douglas Crosby, O.M.I., Bishop of Hamilton, has described this Collection as an invitation to "all the faithful to participate in these areas of Church life and witnessing by their fervent prayers, moral