

5th Sunday of Lent
April 7, 2019

Isaiah 43.16-21
Philippians 3.8-14
John 8.1-11



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Liturgical Schedule

Monday 9:00am + Doria & Eric Richard
Tuesday 9:00am + Catherine Allain
Wednesday 9:00am + Edmond Louis Belley
Thursday 7:00pm + Deceased K of C Members
Friday 9:00am + Victor D'Mello
9:30am – 12:00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Saturday 4:30pm Messe Français
7:00pm Anniversary Mass.... Raymond G. Gallant, Julia Poirier, Gloria McLellan, Peter N. Gaudet, John Bennett, George Power, Alice Perry, Johnie Sherry, Eugene Mooney, Edward McKenna, Marion Praught, Nick Pineo, Charlie McCabe, Clifford Sherry, Raymond Gauthier
Sunday 9:00am & 10:30am

(A cross (+) next to a name indicates prayers for a deceased person.)

Lent at St. Paul's Parish

Stations of the Cross

Every Friday during lent at 7:00pm

Holy Thursday (April 18th)

Mass at 7:00pm, followed by Eucharistic Adoration until 11:00pm

Good Friday Service (April 19th)

12:00noon 3:00pm

Easter Vigil (April 20th)

8:30pm

Easter Sunday (April 21st)

9:00am 10:30am

Audio/Video Volunteers Needed... We are looking for a few volunteers to help with the audio/video ministry, particularly on Saturdays at 7:00pm and Sundays at 10:30am. If you are interested in helping, please contact the Parish Office.

St. Paul's Prayer Group ... Tuesdays in Parish Main Hall, 7:30pm preceded by Rosary at 7:00pm. All are welcome!
Prayer Line ... to have prayers said for family/friends experiencing health problems, call 436-5039 or 436-6135.
St. Peregrine Mass (Patron Saint of cancer & other serious illnesses) ... every 3rd Thursday of the month, 7pm followed by a blessing with the St. Peregrine oil.
Catholic Women's League ... First Monday of the month at 7:00pm in the main hall. www.cwl.ca
Provincial C.W.L.... www.cwlpei.ca
Knights of Columbus... Meetings 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7pm. The K of C lead the Rosary on the 3rd Saturday of the month at 6:35pm & offer it for the peace of the world

Last Week's Offerings

Sunday Offering	6,558.05	Automatic Debits	1,995.00
Children's	10.75	Building Fund	159.00
Total	\$8,722.80		

Cost to operate St. Paul's Parish each week: **\$7,440**
Sincere appreciation for your continued generosity!

Divine Mercy Novena... Gather in prayer after the 3:00pm Good Friday Service to begin the Divine Mercy Novena. All are welcome to gather daily at 3:00pm in the church to pray the novena up until Divine Mercy Sunday.

Divine Mercy Sunday... Divine Mercy Sunday Holy Hour will be Sun, Apr. 28 at 3:00pm. Beginning with exposition of the Bless Sacrament & Divine Mercy chaplet, followed by silent prayer with the opportunity for confession. At 3:50pm we will conclude with some vocal prayer and Benediction.

Hospital Eucharistic Ministry Schedules. The new Hospital Eucharistic Ministry schedule is ready and available to pick up in the sunken room at the back of the church. Thanks!

Grade 6-8 Retreat... All youth in gr. 6-8 are invited to a free day retreat on Sat, Apr 13th, 10:00-4:00pm in St. Paul's Parish hall. It will be a day full of games, group activities & fun! Lunch provided, but please bring a snack to share with the whole group. RSVP: team5@netcanada.ca or (613)301-2068.

The Mass of Christ... will take place at St. Dunstan's Basilica on Mon, April 15th at 7:00pm.

Prayers for the Sick/Suffering... Louise McCully, Myrtle Smith, Clarence "Kye" Gallant, Louis Arsenault, Peter A. Gallant, Janet Blanchard, Janine Landry, Rosalie Folland, Raymond Arsenault, Ann (Ronan) Boyle, Margaret Cole, Maurice Gallant, Mary Keith, Ernie Doucette, Loretta Goguen, Albina Arsenault, Bree Dechambeau, Harold Langille, Kim Arsenault, Frances Hamill, Joshua Gallant, Eric Cormier, Gary Gallant, Jeannette Arsenault, Sharon MacNeill, Donald MacDonald, Susan Lynn MacLean, Robert Arsenault, Colette Cormier, Mary Linn Bridges, Della Arsenault, Adam Bourque, Brenda Rogers, Lemma Rose, Wayne Spin, that Jesus may bring them healing.

Religious Education News... First Communion & Confirmation are fast approaching! If your child is preparing for one of these sacraments, please take some time to talk with them about it; share memories of when you received your sacraments with them. Please make note of upcoming rehearsal dates or prep sessions for your child's sacrament as well. Your attendance at these events is important.

First Communion Preparation Sessions... Our final Prep Session for First Communion is on Apr 27th, 1:00-3:30pm in the Parish Hall. All students who wish to receive their First Communion this year **and at least one parent** are asked to attend. At this session we will be practicing how to receive the Eucharist & rehearse for the actual event. Snacks provided

First Communion Rehearsal Change... First Communion student's rehearsal will now be at the Preparation Session on **April 27th**. The rehearsal was scheduled for May 12th, but has been changed. Please update your calendars accordingly.

Children's Way of the Cross... On April 12th at 7:00pm. All Catechism students and their families are asked to attend. Students will be participating in this special Way of the Cross, in which the reflections and prayers will be easier to understand for young people. Participating students are asked to arrive by 6:15pm. This event is open to the public – all are welcome to attend and make this special pilgrimage with us.

Confirmation Rehearsal... will take place on Thursday, April 25th at 7:00pm in the Parish Hall. All confirmation students, parents, and sponsors are asked to attend.

Wee Ones Word... Children aged 3-7 are invited to come to the Main Hall before the 10:30am Mass to take part in our Children's Liturgy of the Word. Parents please come down to sign your children in! The children return to Mass during the Offertory Hymn, so make sure they know where to find you.

Today's Wee Ones Word Message... Forgiveness can be hard. In today's Gospel, Jesus shows us one tool we can use to make it easier – Compassion. By remembering our own faults, we are better able to relate to others when their faults come to light. This week, when someone hurts you, think about a time when you hurt someone else and needed forgiveness. It may help you feel more inclined to forgive.

Roar Summer Day Camp... Online Registration is now open for our FREE week-long summer day camp. The camp will be August 19-23, 9:00am - 3:00pm each day. The camp is open to children who will be in Elementary School in 2019-2020. Please visit <https://vbspro.events/p/events/stpaulspei> for more information or to register!

Book Sale, The Baroness... A story of a noble woman, Maria Schinina, becoming the foundress of the support our Sisters by purchasing this book at Parish Gift Shop or in the Parish Office. Suggested starting donation \$10.00 per book.

St. Paul's Youth Group ... Wednesdays, 7:00-9:00pm, in the Parish Main Hall. All youth, Grades 6 & up are welcome to attend. Come and see. Steubenville Atlantic is happening July 5-7. Cost is \$225. For info or to register: Beth at j.beth.rogers@gmail.com

Society of St. Vincent de Paul... Suggested food items this week: Fruit juice, canned fruit, instant coffee, black tea, canned tuna and salmon. Thank You for your continued food and monetary donations!!

Recollections Mini Retreats... On Mon, Apr. 8th, 7:00pm for Men & Tues, Apr 9th, 7:00pm for Women, St. Paul's Church. Recollections are moments of peaceful prayer to refresh your spirit & help you come up with creative ways to live your Faith in your life. Recollections are preached by a priest of the Opus Dei Prelature. Everyone welcome! For more info, Bruce: [854-3674](tel:854-3674) or Debbie: [439-5098](tel:439-5098).

Lenten Retreat... At Marguerite Bourgeys Centre on Wed, Apr 10, 9:30am - 4:00pm. Presenter: Fr John Lacey. Theme: Easter Triduum. The Lenten season will soon give way to our celebrating the Pascal mystery where we recall the passion, death & resurrection of Jesus. Cost: \$20 (including a hot lunch). To register, contact Sr Joan Marie at 902-436-9239

Called to Love Retreat... A retreat for young women ages 18-30 on April 27, 9:00am- 4:00pm at the Sacred Heart Convent. For more info or to register contact: (902) 436-5386 or sacredheartpei@gmail.com

Child Care Registration... The Sisters of the Sacred Heart are taking registration for September 2019. Accepting children ages 33 months (Age 3 by Dec 31) to 6 yrs. old. The Sisters are approved to teach daycare, Pre-K and kindergarten. Registration begins April 1st. Set up an appointment with the Sisters if you are interested in enrolling your child or children at (902) 436-5386. Child Care is offered Monday – Friday, from 7:45am – 4:30pm, lunch and snacks not provided. Cost is \$100/week per child.

Right to Life peaceful demonstration... Apr. 20th, 11:00am in Summerside along Roy Boats Ave. on the side of Walmart.

Men's' Retreat: "A Man of the Kingdom," ... 40-hr silent retreat Apr 26-28, at Our Lady of Hope Retreat Centre. Cost is \$200 (includes material, lodging & meals). Retreat master is Fr. William Brock, LC. For more info or to register: Tracy 902 854 2969/ stjosfamilycentre@gmail.com or Ray (902) 854-2808/ rayarsenault2014@gmail.com

Our Lady of The Cape Shrine Pilgrimage... Don't miss a beautiful pilgrimage to Our Lady of the Cape Shrine, Quebec, May 17-20 2019. Cost: \$660, single occupancy or \$575, double occupancy (tax inc) Includes bus trip, accommodations and meals. To register call Gary, 902-569-3945, Ken, 902-566-2914, Joe, 902-940-5871.