

PARISH BULLETIN

HOLY ROSARY PARISH – WESTMOUNT, NS.

PARISH PRIEST – FR. DOUG MURPHY

Third Sunday of



April 14th & 15th, 2018

THEME We read in the Scriptures that Christ would suffer and die and on the third day rise from the dead. We rejoice and give thanks for the peace and forgiveness Christ brings to our lives.

DAILY MASS No daily Mass this week.

WELCOME: We welcome Fr. Jack Andrea this weekend.

FEASTS THIS WEEK: Tuesday: St. Kateri Tekakwitha – Virgin – Protectress of Canada

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ANNUAL TULIP LUNCHEON & CARD PARTY: Lady of Fatima CWL Annual Luncheon & Card Party, Wednesday, May 2nd. Lunch at 12:30 p.m. \$10 per person. To reserve a table, please contact Carmel MacDonald at 562-4762 or Casey Parago at 562-1936.

DIOCESAN SPRING RETREAT: All those involved in parish ministry are invited to attend our 2018 Spring Retreat. Discovering the Christian Story – Retreat Facilitator: Sheila O’Handley – Friday May 18th to Saturday, May 19th at St. Joseph Retreat Centre, Mabou. The retreat begins at 7:00 p.m. on Friday and concludes at 5:00 p.m. on Saturday. Cost is \$ 65 which includes accommodation and meals. To register or for further info, please contact Debbie at 902-539-6188 Ext 226 or catecheticalconsultant@dioceseofantigonish.ca

NEW BEGINNINGS WEEKEND: Is a weekend of reflection and healing for those who are divorced, separated or bereaved. Our next weekend will be April 20th to the 22nd at the St. Joseph Renewal Centre/ Mabou Resource Centre. For information and to register, please contact Ron Curry at 902-564-0788.

FASHION IN SUNSHINE: A fashion show in support of Bereaved Families of Cape Breton. The show is being hosted by Chislingo's and Kreative Design so we know there will be lots of great fashions to get you excited about dressing for the sunshine. The show will be held, the Sunday before Mother's Day, May 6th from 2-4pm at the Joan Harris Cruise Pavilion. A light lunch will be served. Tickets are \$25 and can be purchased at Chislingo's, CB Curiosity Shop or by phoning Debbie at 902-564-5955.

VOLUNTEER MEETING FOR YOUTH EVENT: "Ignite your Faith Journey ... The Amazing Journey" – Thursday, April 12th at 7:00 p.m. Our Lady of Fatima. All volunteers are asked to attend. Please call Allyson Langley at 902-562-3934 or Cathy Walsh at 902-870-9117 if you have any questions.

PILGRIMAGE: Come join us on a day pilgrimage to Monastery, Saturday, May 19th to celebrate the feast day of Our Lady of Grace. Price of \$55.00 covers all expenses, including dinner. Holy Mass at 3:00 p.m. with Bishop Dunn. The pilgrimage bus will originate in Glace Bay with stops along the way. To arrange for a pick up point or for more information, please phone Helen at (902)794-8825.

HOLOCAUST REMEMBRANCE SERVICE: On Sunday, April 15th at 2:00 p.m. in the Temple Sons of Israel, Whitney Avenue Sydney- author and son of two Holocaust survivors Allan Rosenfeld will speak to the annual Yom HaShoah – Holocaust Remembrance Service. Mr. Rosenfeld will talk about his book, Holocaust Lumber which chronicles his early years working in the family lumberyard. Music will be performed by Leon Dubinsky and the Boularderie Lakeview Choir, memorial candles will be lit by members of the Cape Breton Regional Police Service. Everyone welcome.

PILGRIMAGE TO PARIS, LISEAUX (home of Saint Therese the "Little Flower") and MEDJUGORJE with Father Patrick O'Neill (St. Joseph Parish priest in North Sydney) Come with me on this FALL pilgrimage, October 13-25, 2018. SPACE IS LIMITED. Please contact Tom Lamey at 902-830-5010 or email at tlamey@gmail.com PRICE almost determined to be around \$3990.00 (aprox). Call or email Tom to BOOK YOUR SPOT....you can't wait BOOK NOW

CANCER TRANSITIONS: Finished Treatment? Be part of Cancer Transitions - a Free 6 week program to help you get back to daily life. Learn about Exercise, Healthy Eating, Coping with Stress and Managing Health concerns after treatment. Cancer Transitions is a weekly program beginning Tuesday, April 24th from 12:45pm - 3:30 pm at the YMCA, Charlotte St., Sydney. Pre - register by calling the Cancer Center at 902-567-8074.

CANCER SUPPORT GROUP: Living With Cancer Support Group, a support group for those who have had a diagnosis of cancer, for their family, caregivers will meet Wednesday Apr. 18th, 2018, 1:30 pm – 3:30 pm at Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 128 (Pier), Victoria Road. Facilitator: Tom MacNeil, CBCC Social Worker

SPRING RETREAT: All those involved in parish ministry are invited to attend our 2018 Spring Retreat. It will be held at the St. Joseph Retreat Centre, Mabou, beginning at 7:00 p.m. on Friday May 18th and concluding at 3:00 p.m. on Saturday May 19th. We are pleased to welcome Sheila O'Handley, our Diocesan Hermit as our retreat leader. To register or for further information, please contact Debbie at 902-539-6188 Ext 226.



CWL NOTES:

GENERAL MEETING: Our next Monthly Meeting will be held on Sunday, April 15th at 2:00 p.m. in the basement of the glebe. We will be having a Blind Auction for MaterCare at this meeting so please bring along a wrapped item for auction and some money and enjoy the fun.

STEAK & LOBSTER FUNDRAISER: Tickets for the Annual Steak & Lobster Fundraiser are now on sale. Tickets can be purchased from any CWL member.

SOCIAL AFTERNOON: Our next Social Afternoon will be on April 18th. Come and join us for some tea, conversation and activities.

FLEA MARKET: The members of Holy Rosary CWL are planning to have a Flea Market on Saturday, May 5th at the Dobson Yacht Club. In order for this to happen, we need to have other participants to gather their wares and rent a table from us to help make this a successful event. We have 12 tables available for rental at a cost of \$ 10.00 per table for anyone who would like to join us for this sale. Please call Jo-Anne Currie at 902-562-3761 to book a table. We need to know by April 30th.

POP TABS & EYE GLASSES: Our collection pop tabs and eye glasses is ongoing.

CHURCH LINENS: April – Pat Crawley May – Yvonne Dolhanty

FUNERAL RECEPTIONS: Group # 1

Listen with ears of tolerance, see through eyes of compassion, speak with the language of love.

GRIEF & BEREAVEMENT SEMINAR: St. Marguerite Bourgeoys Parish is hosting a weekend presentation and seminar on grief and bereavement on Friday, April 20th from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. and Saturday, April 21st from 10:00 a.m. to noon and 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. This presentation will comprise of three sessions you can participate in all three but each session stands on its own. This is open to everyone interested for any reason in dealing with grief and bereavement in a death denying society. These sessions will be held at the Grand Lake Road Fire Hall. Light lunch will be provided on Saturday. Good will offering. Registration by phoning 902-564-9021.

FUNDRAISER IN SUPPORT OF HOSPICE PALLIATIVE CARE SOCIETY: “Sunflower Treasure Pop Up Shop” – Accepting donations of pre-loved items on April 19th, 20th, 21st, 26th, 27th and 28th from noon until 6:00 p.m. at 291 Esplanade (Across from the Holiday Inn). Sale Days are May 4th and 5th from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and May 6th from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

HOPE RETREAT & HEALING SERVICE: Please join Father Denis Phaneuf from Saskatchewan and Moira Noonan from San Diego who will lead you in a healing service and an uplifting weekend of Hope on June 1-3 at the Claymore Inn & Suites, Church St, Antigonish. Reduced room rates available. Registration \$60 (early bird \$45 before May 9th). Brochure and registration form are on the Diocese of Antigonish and St Ninian Parish websites or at the back of your church. For more information contact Paula at 902-318-3998 or Cathy at 902-863-8878. Bring a friend!

CURSILLO: The Cursillo weekend schedule for the Spring of 2018, Women's -May 3-6, 2018 and Men- May 24-27, 2018, if interested in attending please call Kevin or Karen McSween at 902- 862- 8517, Betty Lahey at 902-270-0891, Burt or Claudia Aucoin 902578-1266, Marie Burke 902-549-3748