

HOLY ROSARY PARISH
WESTMOUNT, NS
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PARISH PRIEST – FR. DOUG MURPHY

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER



THEME Like the two disciples at Emmaus, we gather around the risen Jesus as we celebrate the Eucharist together; we listen to God's Word and share in the bread which is broken for us.

COLLECTIONS: Regular - \$ 1,491.00

COMMUNION: Communion will be brought to the sick and homebound on Friday.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

May 6 & 7 th :	Celebration to Commemorate the Closure of the Church of the Incarnation Parishioners are encouraged to invite their family members or former parishioners of the Church of the Incarnation to join with us on Sunday, May 7 th at 10:00 a.m. at Holy Rosary for Mass and reception to follow.
May 13 th :	Nova Voce Men's Provincial Choir Concert – 7:30 p.m.

BULLETIN NOTICES: Parish bulletin notices can be called in to Donna Lewis at 902-564-2047 or sent by e-mail to donna.lewis@intact.net. It would be appreciated if all notices could be sent by Thursday at noon. Bulletins will also be posted on our parish website at holyrosaryparish.info

FEASTS THIS WEEK:

Tuesday:	St. Athanasius – Bishop & doctor
Wednesday:	St. Philip & St. Jude - Apostles
Thursday:	Blessed Marie Leonie Paradis – Quebec Religious - Virgin
Saturday;	St. Francois deLaval – Quebec bishop



NOVA VOCE MEN'S CHORIS TO VISIT CAPE BRETON:

On Saturday, May 13th, the Nova Voce's Provincial Men's Choir will present a Choral concert entitled **(CELEBRATING CANADA 150)** at Holy Rosary. Concert begins at 7:30 p.m. and doors will be open at 7:00 p.m. Tickets cost \$ 15.00 and will be available at St. Leonard Pastoral Centre, River Ryan; Glace Bay

Shoe Store; Clansman Motel, North Sydney, Northside Music Store, North Sydney, Cape Breton Curiosity Shop, Sydney; Martin's Convenience in Westmount and also at the door. For more information, please call 902-565-5794.



C.W.L. NOTES: One Heart, One Voice, One Mission

Regular monthly meeting. Please note due to the CWL spring conference our regular monthly meeting will be held this Sunday, April 30th at 2:00 p.m. in the basement of the glebe instead of April 23rd,

Reminder: The celebration of the closing of the Edwardsville Church will be held on Sunday, May 7th. There will be a reception following the 10:00 a.m. Mass catered to by the CWL.

Pop Tabs & Eye Glasses: The collection of pop tabs and eye glasses is ongoing. They can be left at the back of the church.

Palliative Care – Twelve hours of prayer for Palliative Care will be on May 4 2017. Mass at 6:30 p.m.

Nova Scotia Provincial Conference: Hosted by St. Vincent de Paul Parish in Dartmouth on the weekend of June 9th.

Steak & Lobster Fundraiser: Our Steak & Lobster tickets are available at the back of the church or from any CWL member. You may put your money and ticket stubs in an envelope and put it in the regular collection marked "CWL". Your continued support is appreciated in our endeavours. All members are reminded to hand in their ticket money as soon as possible or by June 10th at the latest.

Lady of Fatima Annual Tulip Luncheon & Card Party: Will be held Wednesday May 3, 2017 at 12:30 pm. A Turkey Salad and Dessert Lunch will be served followed by an afternoon of cards (game of your choice) with lots of prizes. To book a table contact Carmel MacDonald @ 902-562-4762 or Casey Parago @ 902-562-1936. Cost is \$10.00 per person. Proceeds for School Scholarship Fund and Cancer Patient Comfort Fund.

Lady of Fatima CWL Fashion Show: A Fashion Show will be held Wednesday May 24, 2017 at 7 pm at Our Lady of Fatima Parish Hall. Fashions will be from Kreative Design, Moores Mens Wear, and Rascalz Kidz Wear. Join us for an exciting evening of fun, delectable desserts, door prizes, cake auction and more. Tickets are \$20.00 and can be purchased by call Linda @ 902-562-2957 or Marg @ 902-564-5788 or at the parish office. All proceeds to Hospice Palliative Care Cape Breton.

Church Linens: May – Yvonne Dolhanty

Funeral Receptions: Group # 2

Oh Risen Lord.... The way, the truth and the life, make us faithful followers of the Spirit of your Resurrection.

PALLIATIVE CARE: National Palliative Care Week will be celebrated from May 7th to 13th. In preparation for this, the C.W.L. of Canada is sponsoring the second annual "12 Hours of Prayer for Palliative Care". On Thursday May 4th our C.W.L. will be participating in this 12 Hours of Prayer beginning at 9:00 a.m. with praying the Rosary and continuous praying of the Rosary every hour on-the-hour in the church. We will conclude with Mass at 6:30 p.m. Our C.W.L. ladies have been making quilts over the past few weeks. These quilts will be blessed at this Mass and then given to the palliative care of the regional hospital. All are invited to come pray with us at any hour of the day and especially at 6:30 p.m. Mass.

PRAYER FOR PALLIATIVE CARE: Good and Gracious God, You have been so good to us. We come to you in great need, trusting in Your Divine Mercy. We ask Saint Joseph, patron saint of Canada, and our patroness Our Lady of Good Counsel to intercede on our behalf to move the hearts of parliamentarians to improve and initiate good palliative care for those persons nearing the end of their lives across our great

country. Heavenly Father, bless those responsible for providing health care in our country. May they continue to serve with a generous heart inspired by the merciful example of the Great Physician Our Saviour. We make all our prayers through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You. in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen

OSTOMY SOCIETY: The Cape Breton Chapter of the Ostomy Canada Society will meet on Thursday May 11th from 2p.m.– 4p.m. at the CB Regional Hospital, Sydney, Room 3612. This is a support group for ostomates and their support/caregivers. New ostomates are welcome. A light lunch will be served. For more information contact: Verna Petrie – 862-8540

CABBAGE ROLL TAKE-OUT DINNER: Westmount UCW will be having a Cabbage Roll Take-Out Dinner on Saturday, May 6th from 11:00 am – 2:00 pm. Tickets are \$10.00 each & can be purchased by any member of UCW or by contacting Sheila Thompson @ 539-3595.

KOC NOTES:

Flea Market: We will continue to collect material for our Flea Market on May 27th. If you have any material that you may wish to have picked up, you may call Francis @ 562-3606 or 565-3609 or any member of the KOC.

Ticket Sale: The KOC now have their annual ticket on sale. First Prize is \$25,000. Ticket price is \$2 each or 3 for \$5 Tickets may be purchase by calling Francis at 562-3606 or 565-3609; or any member of the KOC.

PRE-MARRIAGE PROGRAM DATES: June 24th and 25th at Our Lady of Fatima. The fee for the program is \$100 per couple. Pre-registration is required. Phone 902-849-4772 to pre-register.

RAISE THE ROOF DANCE: Saturday, May 20th – Bras d'Or Hall. Dancing 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. with music by Full Circle. Tickets \$10 per person for those 19 and over. Phone Helen at 736-9633 for tickets. Sponsored by St. Joseph Parish Council to raise funds for the repair of the hall roof.

VARIETY CONCERT: Our Lady of Fatima on Sunday, May 7th at 2:00 p.m. Performances by Aaron Lewis, Sheldon Chant, The Bisson Sisters, Marilyn MacDonald, Ronnie Martin, Kalolin Johnson, Shaun MacDonald, Cora Cantabile and the Cape Breton Chordsmen. Tickets \$15 per person and are available through the Parish Office or by calling Wanda Fedora at 567-2621 or Ann Frances Gillis at 539-2228. All proceeds to aid in building homes for the poor in Honduras.

CURSILLISTAS & CHALLENGERS: The next Men's Cursillo will be held on the long weekend May 19-21, 2017 and Women's' June 8-11, 2017 there are openings, if you would like more information, please contact the following, New Waterford /Glace Bay area, Kevin or Karen McSween, 902-862-8517, Sydney/Sydney River Betty Lahey 902-577-3604 or Marie Burke 902-549-3866, North Sydney/Sydney Mines/Bras d'Or, Lorena Capstick 902-736-0843, Richmond County Gary David 902-631-1734.