

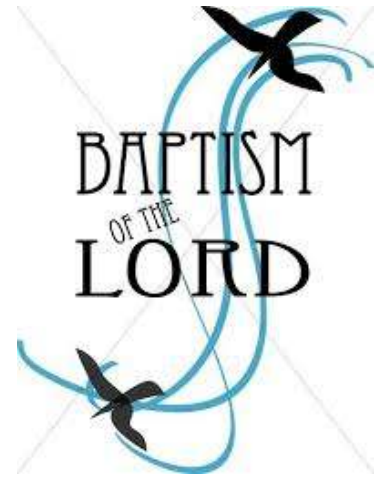
PARISH BULLETIN

# HOLY ROSARY PARISH

WESTMOUNT, NS

PARISH PRIEST – FR. DOUG MURPHY

January 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>, 2019



**MASS TIMES: SATURDAY – 4:15 P.M. – SUNDAY – 10:00 A.M.**

**THEME:** Today we mark the beginning of the public life and ministry of Jesus. Christ as he set out to do the Father's will and announce the arrival of the Kingdom of God. The beginning of the work of Jesus is marked by the moment of his baptism in the Jordan. He is acclaimed from heaven by the voice of the Father and the presence of the Spirit: "Thou art my beloved Son, with you I am well pleased."

**ORDINARY TIME:** Ordinary Time begins tomorrow (Monday). During Ordinary Time, the church celebrates the fullness of the mystery of the Lord Jesus. On Sunday, God assembles the beloved people to hear the word, to reflect upon it, to offer the living sacrifice of praise and to eat and drink the banquet of the Lord. Then God sends us forth to proclaim this love by our works and actions. Sunday is the original Christian Feast Day because this was the day of the Lord's resurrection. We celebrate every Sunday as the day of the risen Lord.

**FEAST THIS WEEK:** Thursday: St. Anthony - Abbot

**DAILY MASS:** Wednesday – Friday at 9:00 a.m.

**COLLECTIONS:** Regular: \$ 2,239.00      New Year's - \$ 749.00

**BULLETIN NOTICES:** Bulletin notices can be sent to Donna Lewis by e-mail at [donna.lewis@intact.net](mailto:donna.lewis@intact.net) or by phone at 902-564-2047. It would be appreciated if all notices could be received by Thursday at noon. Thank-you.

**PRE-MARRIAGE PROGRAM DATES:** February 16<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup>, April 27<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup>, June 22<sup>nd</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup>. All programs are held at the Family Service Office, 9 Minto Street, Glace Bay. Pre-registration is required by calling 902-449-4772.

**YOUTH MINISTRY- ANNIVERSARY 175 PILGRIMAGE TO MONTREAL:** March break, 2019. High School students from Grade 10 to 12 are invited to join us in Montreal. Visit St. Joseph's Oratory, Notre Dame Cathedral, Biodome, Newman Center (McGill University) in Montreal. If you are interested, please contact Norma Blinkhorn or Cathy Walsh at [youthministry@dioceseofantigonish.ca](mailto:youthministry@dioceseofantigonish.ca) by January 20<sup>th</sup>.

**LIVING WITH CANCER SUPPORT GROUP:** A support group for those who have had a diagnosis of cancer, for their family, caregivers will meet on Wednesday, January 16<sup>th</sup> from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. at Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 128 (Pier), Victoria Road – Weather permitting.

**CWL:** .

**MASS CARDS:** Mass cards can be obtained for an offering of \$10.00 from Jo-Anne Currie, Evie O'Rourke and Kay Henrich. Mass cards are also available at the Glebe House and before and after the weekend Masses.

**POP TABS & EYE GLASSES:** This collection is ongoing.

**FUNERAL RECEPTIONS:** Group # 3

**CHURCH LINENS:** January – Jo-Anne Currie      February – Georgette Skinner



**Look to the lord and his strength, seek his face always.**

**175<sup>th</sup> DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND:** Bishop Dunn will lead a pilgrimage to the Holy Land September 1<sup>st</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup>. Cost will be around \$4,000. Interested?

**PILGRIMAGE:** Come on Pilgrimage to Ste Anne de Beaupre- Cap de la Madeline— St. Joseph's Oratory and Montmorency Falls with Fr. Patrick O'Neill (parish priest of Our Lady of Fatima, Sydney River) from June 10<sup>th</sup> to June 17<sup>th</sup> - Price 850.00 (Twin Occupancy). To book a seat and for more information, please phone Helen at 902-304-4101.

**"X RINGS IN THE NEW YEAR EVENT:** All St. F.X. alumni, spouses, and friends are invited to the Old Triangle in Sydney on Jan. 17th starting at 5:30 for the annual "X Rings in the New Year" celebration. Join us for appetizers, socializing and prizes.

**ALUMNI OF ST. F.X.U.:** Will form the congregation for the taping of **Mass for Shut-Ins on Tuesday, Jan. 22**; Alumni and their families are invited to be part of the congregation. Please email [sleforte@bellaliant.net](mailto:sleforte@bellaliant.net) if you would like to be part of our outreach to those who are shut-ins for one reason or another.