

PARISH BULLETIN

HOLY ROSARY PARISH – WESTMOUNT, NS.

PARISH PRIEST – FR. DOUG MURPHY



May 5th & 6th, 2018

THEME As we continue to celebrate the Easter mystery of Christ's laying down his life on the cross for us, Jesus sums up his moral and ethical teaching in one line: "Love one another".

THANK YOU: We acknowledge with thanks the contribution of \$ 3,000 to Holy Rosary Parish from former parishioner, Gerald Campbell, Trenton, Ontario.

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INVITATION: The family of Father Fred Morley invites you to join them on Saturday, May 19th to acknowledge the 70th anniversary of Father Morley's ordination to the priesthood. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be celebrated at 4:00 at St. Mary's Church, East Bay, followed by a reception at the East Bay Fire Hall. Best wishes only.

POPE'S PASTORAL COLLECTION: The collection for the Pope's Pastoral Works this weekend provides an opportunity for Catholics to make a financial offering to assist the Holy Father. A third of the funds collected are used by the Pope for his charitable contributions to those most in need. Two thirds of the collection is to support the Holy Father in the administration of the Holy See in the service of the Universal church.

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.

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.

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

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: Sunday, May 6th at 2:00 p.m. in the glebe basement.

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

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

CHURCH LINENS: May – Yvonne Dolhanty June – Helen Warner

FUNERAL RECEPTIONS: Group # 1

Love our Lady and she will give you abundant grace to help you conquer in your daily struggles.

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!

HOLY HOUR FOR LIFE: Please plan on joining us on Sunday, May 6th, at 2pm, when Holy Redeemer Parish, Whitney Pier, will host a Holy Hour for Life. During this Hour we will pray God that our society regains its reverence and respect for all human life at every stage, from the unborn to the elderly, to the sick and dying. We will have Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, scripture reading and homily, the Pro-Life Rosary will be led by our CWL members and we will end with Benediction. Please join us as we come before God in prayer.