

ST. BENEDICT'S PASTORAL UNIT

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4th Sunday of Easter

May 12, 2019

MASS SCHEDULE:

St. James: Sat. 4:00 p.m., Fri. 9:00 a.m.
St. George's: Sun. 9:00 a.m., Wed. 6:30 p.m.
All Saints: Sun. 10:30 a.m., Thurs. 9:30 a.m.

Confessions

St. James - Saturday 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
St. James - Saturday 3:30 – 3:45 p.m.
St. George's - Wednesday 6:00 - 6:15 p.m.

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**(from November to May) **

How Well Do You Know the Faith?

1. Who was chosen by the remaining apostles to replace Judas?

a. Barnabas b. Matthias c. Apollos d. Mark

2. Why didn't Jesus do many miracles in His home town?

3. What hymn of praise did Mary sing when she met Elizabeth?

4. How much of the Bible is inspired by God?

5. What was the last thing God created in Genesis?

6. What sign did the Israelites put on their houses so God did not kill any of their firstborn?

7. What other name was Bartholomew known by?

8. What was John's baptism a baptism of?

a. Water b. The Spirit c. Repentance.

9. To what place did Paul go to preach when he arrived in a new city?

10. What two things did the apostles do to choose a replacement for Judas?

Answers are found underneath the prayer section of the bulletin. ** Scores 9-10 Bible Scholar ** 5-8 Budding Disciple ** 0-4 Means That It Is Time to Start Studying.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK Please pray for Ellie White, Ivan Gallant, Catherine MacDonald (Primrose) & Kevin Roberts. If you wish prayers for your loved one due to illness please email or phone Edith (583-2541) to let her know. Thank you!

Week Day Masses

Wednesday, May 15, 6:30 p.m. St. George's Int. Theresa Johnston by Louis Campbell

Thursday, May 16, 9:30 a.m. All Saints Int. Joe Fogarty by Margaret & Family

Friday, May 17, 9:00 a.m. St. James Int. Bernard & Lucille Batchilder by Family

Saturday, May 18, 4:00 p.m. St. James Int. Harriet MacDonald by Family

Sunday, May 19, 9:00 a.m. St. George's Int. Parishioners of the Unit

Sunday, May 19, 10:30 a.m. All Saints Int. Mary Redmond by Edwena Campbell

** PLEASE NOTE TIME CHANGE FOR MASS AT ALL SAINTS ON SUNDAY, MAY 26 WILL BE 11:00 A.M. **

MASS INTENTIONS: We are now booked for Sunday Mass at All Saints for every Sunday through to the 3rd week of September. WEEK DAY MASS TIMES ARE AVAILABLE at each church.

PRACTICE makes PERFECT (Matt. 5:48)

For Mother's Day, offer a prayer for your mother, asking God to bless her in a special way as he has blessed you, by giving you life through her. Along with this remember any friends who have lost a parent the previous year, and check in with them. These will be tough days.

Also in honor of our Heavenly Mother, who we celebrate on the Feast of our Lady of Fatima this week on May 13th, why not pray one decade of the rosary (which consists of 1 Our Father, 10 Hail Marys, 1 Glory Be) for the conversion of sinners.

Confirmation: Confirmation will take place at St. George's parish on Sunday, May 26 at 9:00 a.m. Mass. Please pray for our 14 students who will be confirmed this year.

OLD PALM BRANCHES: If you have old palm branches from last year's Palm Sunday Mass, please drop them off to one of the Churches. Remember they have been blessed so the proper disposal is either to burn or bury them. Take them in and we will use them

to make the ashes for next year's Ash Wednesday Masses.

ST. JAMES PARISH

Collection for May 5 – Unavailable. Ministries for May 18 – Lector – Florence MacDonald; Eucharistic Minister – Lauretta McQuillan. Church cleaner for May is Dave Beauchamp.

WISDOM of the SAINTS... Our Heavenly Mother

“If you ever feel distressed during your day, call upon Our Lady. Just say this simple prayer: ‘Mary, Mother of Jesus, please be a mother to me now’. I must admit: this prayer has never failed me.”

~ St. Teresa of Calcutta

ALL SAINTS PARISH

Collection for May 5 - 51 Envelopes - \$1,093.00; Loose - \$93.90; Cards for April - \$1,011.00. Ministries for May 19: Lector – Mary VandenBroek-Grant; Eucharistic Minister – Kenny MacPhee; Gifts – Anita Gordon; Ushers – Reg Peters & Michael Sullivan; Church Custodian for May 13 to May 19 is Harry Nabuurs; Church Cleaners for May are Anita Conohan, Linda Cain, Mae Campbell & Marilyn Callaghan.

All Saints C.W.L. will meet on Sunday, June 2, at 9:00 a.m. in the Parish Center. All women over the age of 16 are welcome to join.

Card Play Lunch Committee for May 13 is: Laura Roche, Edna Quinn, & Mary Millar – loaf of sandwiches; Sharon MacGillivray, Denise MacGillivray, & Marlene Peters – 2 – 3 dozen sweets.

ST. GEORGE'S PARISH

Collection for May 5 – 28 Envelopes - \$625.00; Loose - \$96.35. Ministries for May 19: Lector – Terry Brennan; Eucharistic Minister - Raymond Morrison; Gifts – Sharon & Gordon Johnston; Ushers – Joe & Claire McCarron; Church Cleaners for May are Dolores Campbell, Gertie Llewellyn, Sheila Johnston, & Claire McCarron.

DIOCESAN COMMUNITY NEWS

Friends & Family are invited to a benefit concert for Robert & Bonnie MacLean at St Mary's Church Hall, Montague, Sunday, May 19, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. This Family is in need of support as they deal with the challenges of his illness.

“Striving for the Gospel Life” What does that journey look like alone & together? Brother Leo Fraternity of the Secular Franciscans Order invite you to join us on Sunday, May 26th at 2PM at St. Mary's Parish, Montague for an hour of reflection. Refreshments and fellowship to follow.

The next Teen Encounter Weekend, for young people ages 16-21, will be held from May 31 - June 2 at the Kolbe Retreat Centre (www.hfmpei.com) in Bayside. Enjoy a weekend of prayer, talks, and fellowship as we encounter Jesus and one another. Register at <http://dioceseofcharlottetown.com/teen-encounter-registration/>

There is still time to register for Steubenville Atlantic, July 5-7, 2019 in Halifax, N.S. Join hundreds of youth from across the Maritimes at Dalhousie University for a weekend of faith and friends. For more information or to register, contact Lauren at youth@dioceseofcharlottetown.com

PRAYER for the WEEK: Prayer to the Mother of the Lord for All Mothers

Mary, on this day when we honor all mothers, we turn to you. We thank the Lord whom you serve for the great gift of motherhood. Never has it been known that anyone who sought your intercession was left unaided by grace. Dear Mother, thank you for your "Yes" to the invitation of the angel which brought heaven to earth and changed human history. You opened yourself to God's word and the Word was made flesh and dwelt among us.

Dear mother, intercede for all of our mothers. Ask your Divine Son to give them the grace of surrendered love so that they could join with you in giving their own “Fiat.” May they find daily strength to say yes to the call to the sacrificial love- the very heart of the vocation of motherhood. May their love and witness be a source of great inspiration for all of us called to follow your Son.

On this Mother's day, Mother of the Word Incarnate, pray for us who have recourse to you...

NOTE: Please send items for the Bulletin to Edith MacDonald at - elmacdonald56@gmail.com or phone 583-2541 by Noon, the Wednesday prior to the weekend.

1. b 2. Because of their lack of faith
3. The Magnificat 4. All of it. 5. Woman
6. Blood on the doorpost. 7. Nathanael 8. c
9. The synagogue 10. Prayed and drew lots.