

ST. BENEDICT'S PASTORAL UNIT

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1st Sunday in Lent

March 6, 2022

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.
SEE WEBSITE FOR CONFESSION PROTOCOL

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How Well Do You Know the Faith?

1. Jesus went to Jerusalem when He was 12, what was the occasion?
2. Who did Judas Iscariot go to see to betray Jesus?
3. How did Saul die?
4. What two tribes of Israel were descended from an Egyptian woman?
5. What was the proposed punishment for the woman taken in adultery, later forgiven by Jesus?
6. How many years were the Israelites in Egypt? 40, 430, 300
7. Who did Abraham banish to the desert?
8. Paul walked on the water to Jesus. True or False?
9. In which town did Jesus change the water into wine?
10. Which prophet said "Out of Egypt have I called my son"? A. Hosea B. Isaiah C. Jeremiah

Answers are found underneath the prayer section of the bulletin. ** Scores 9-10 Bible Scholar ** 6-8 Seasoned Scribe 4-5 Budding Disciple ** 0-3 Means... Time to Start Studying.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Please continue to pray for Ivan Gallant, Betty (Buchanan) Smith and Erin MacDonald. 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, March 9, 6:30 p.m. St. George's Int.
Nancy McCarron by Joe, Claire & Family

Thursday, March 10, 9:30 a.m. All Saints Int. Randy Doucette by Julia & Sandy MacDougald

Friday, March 11, 9:00 a.m. St. James Int. John Walsh by Edith MacDonald

Saturday, March 12, 4:00 p.m. St. James Int. Roddie MacPhee by Joey MacPhee

Sunday, March 13, 9:00 a.m. St. George's Int.
Parishioners of the Unit

Sunday, March 13, 10:30 a.m. All Saints Int.
Margaret, John & Mary Quinn & Deceased Members of Family by Family

*** UPDATE ON ***

MASS RESERVATIONS

With the eased restrictions on numbers allowed in attendance at Mass, there will no longer be a requirement to register for weekend Masses.

Please Note: If you had put in a Mass intention this past year, but did not see it on the schedule and were wondering if it had been said, please contact Fr. Tim at the office.

Winter Storm Mass Cancellations:

Remember with the regular radio station announcements you can also check the banner on our website for immediate Mass cancellation notifications.

PRACTICE makes PERFECT (Matt. 5:48)

In this season known for self-denial... we are often present with the ideas of prayer fasting and almsgiving... With that the pope has asked us to unite in prayer for the people of Ukraine. Here are some suggestions:
FASTING: deny yourself a little something each day... (i.e.: salt and pepper on your potatoes, sugar in your coffee, gravy on your fries) and offer that small sacrifice as prayer for the people of Ukraine who are undergoing at this time great sacrifice. **PRAYER:** If you have a watch or clock that has an hourly chime, each time you hear it go

off, offer one "Hail Mary" for a soul who has died in the invasion. **ALMSGIVING:** If you are able think of making a contribution to relief efforts. Suggestions can be found under "Diocesan Community News" section.

SOME IDEAS FOR LENT

STATIONS OF THE CROSS – Friday evenings during Lent we will be having the Stations of the Cross at 6:30 p.m. on Friday the 11 at St. George's Parish.

Faith Sharing: St. George's C.W.L. will lead faith sharing sessions every Monday morning at 10:00 a.m. at Edith MacDonald's home. All are welcome.

ST. JAMES PARISH

Collection – Feb. 27 – 10 Envelopes - \$345.00; Loose - \$30.00; Cemetery Fund - \$500.00; Cemetery Fund IMO John Walsh - \$45.00. **Ministry List for March 12:** Lector – Sid McMullin; Choir – Team 2; Sanitizers – Veronica Curley, Valerie Gallant & Claudia Batchilder. **Snow Removal** from Mar. 4 to Mar. 10 is Mark King and from Mar. 11 to Mar. 17 is Hal Publicover.

WISDOM of the SAINTS... Rule of Life

"Here is the rule for everyday life. Do not do anything which you cannot offer to God." ~ *St. Jean Marie Vianney*

ALL SAINTS PARISH

Collection for Feb. 27 – 24 Envelopes - \$1,460.00; Loose - \$25.00; Cemetery Fund - \$50.00; Building Fund IMO Annie VandenBroek - \$400.00. **Ministries for March 13:** Lector – Martina MacDonald; Sanitizers – Billy Conohan & Amy Ohlandt. **Church Custodians** from Mar. 7 to Mar. 13 is Ron Blue & from Mar. 14 to Mar. 20 is Joey Cain. **Church cleaners** for March are Anita Conohan, Linda Cain, Mae Campbell & Marilyn Callaghan; **Snow Removal** from Mar. 6 to Mar. 12 are George & John Allen Hughes & from Mar. 13 to Mar. 19 - Jimmy Quinn & Benny Nabuurs.

The **Charity Receipts** are completed and are at the back of the church for pick up. Since not everyone can attend mass, you can still pick them up anytime when the church is open. Thank you everyone for your continued financial support for All Saints Parish. If you need a receipt mailed to you, please leave me a message with your address at 902-583-2212. Mary Ann Donahoe

All Saints Parish C.W.L.: Anyone wishing to renew their C.W.L. membership can pass their dues of \$20.00 in to Joanne Donahoe or Joanne McGuigan or put it in the collection basket in an envelope marked CWL Dues. Please do so ASAP. Thanks. New members are always welcome.

ST. GEORGE'S PARISH

Collection for Feb. 27 – 20 Envelopes - \$800.00; Loose \$20.00; Initial Offering - \$20.00; Maintenance - \$50.00. **Ministries for – March 13:** Lector – Nate Shaw. **Church Cleaners** for March are Jeannie Johnston, Christa MacDonald & Doreen Acorn. **Snow Removal** from Mar. 6 to Mar. 12 is Claude MacKinnon & Owen Fitzpatrick & from Mar. 13 to Mar. 19 are Rob, Sam & Nate Shaw.

DIOCESAN COMMUNITY NEWS

Solidarity With the People of Ukraine. Development and Peace-Caritas Canada sent \$75,000 to Caritas Ukraine last week for food, shelter, medical and transport and continues to contribute. You can donate by phoning 1-888-664-3387 or on line at www.devpo.org and go to donate.

"Making Choices in Daily Life" will be the topic of a 7-session discernment program on Wednesday mornings (10 a.m. - 11:30) from March 2 to April 13. This Zoom program will be based on The Way of Discernment, a book by author & professor Dr. Elizabeth Liebert SNJM. The presentations will explore Liebert's practical approach to discerning key decisions in our life. Facilitators will be Gilles Michaud, Leah Michaud, Julia Donahoe-MacDougald & Roseanne Macdonald, members of the P.E.I. Local of the Atlantic Association of the Spiritual Exercises Apostolate (AASEA). Fee is \$20. To register, email drjoancsm@gmail.com

Knights of Columbus 4th Degree Exemplification: The PEI District of the K of C will be participating in a 4th Degree Exemplification on Mar. 22 commencing at 9:30 a.m. This ceremony will be conducted virtually and is hosted by the NB District. All 3rd Degree Knights are invited and encouraged to participate. For more information, please contact your Grand Knight or SK Dan Miller, PEI District Master at: danmiller59@outlook.com or 902-393-4621

PRAYER for the WEEK: Our Lenten Journey

God of Love, through this Lenten journey, purify my desires to serve you. Free me from any temptations to judge others, to place myself above others. Please let me surrender even my impatience with others, that with your love and your grace, I might be less and less absorbed with myself, and more and more full of the desire to follow you, in laying down my life according to your example. Amen

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. The Feast of the Passover
2. Chief Priests
3. He took his own life after being wounded in battle
4. Manasseh and Ephraim - their father, Joseph was married to Asenath, an Egyptian woman
5. Stoning.
6. 430
7. Hagar and Ishmael.
8. False, Peter did.
9. Cana
10. A