

ST. BENEDICT'S PASTORAL UNIT

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3rd Sunday of Lent

March 20, 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. When the women went to tell the disciples that Jesus was alive, did they believe them?
2. In what country was St. Patrick born?
3. Only one gospel does not record the calling of Matthew. Which one?
4. In which book of the Bible can we read the story of Samson? Genesis, Kings or Judges.
5. Who tried to convince Pilot not to have anything to do with Jesus?
6. When Jesus cried out, "Eli, Eli, lema sabachthani" who did the people think he was calling for?
7. What were the names of Rebekah's battling twin sons?
8. According to Proverbs what goes before a fall?
9. Paul's epistle to the Romans was addressed to
a. Residents of Rome b. Roman citizens
c. Roman slaves d. Christians of Rome
10. What does St. Peter says covers a multitude of sins a. faith b. love c. meekness d. hope

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 23, 6:30 p.m. St. George's Int. Leonard MacDonald by Jerome, Edith & Eddy MacDonald

Thursday, March 24, 9:30 a.m. All Saints Int. Joe MacIntyre by Julia & Sandy MacDougald

Friday, March 25, 9:00 a.m. St. James Int. Special Intention

Saturday, March 26, 4:00 p.m. St. James Int. Parishioners of the Unit

Sunday, March 27, 9:00 a.m. St. George's Int. David MacDonald by Family

Sunday, March 27, 10:30 a.m. All Saints Int. Wilhelmina & John Nabuurs by Mary Anne Donahoe

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.

PRACTICE makes PERFECT (Matt. 5:48)

Look for some silence in your daily schedule. Turn off your car radio on your commute. 'Fast' from your iPod for an evening. The silence may be jarring at first, but in that silence talk to the Lord, and most importantly listen so that he can speak to you. "Be still, and know that I am God..." Psalm 46:10

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.

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, March 25 at St. James 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.

Adoration of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament which takes place Fridays following 9:00 a.m. mass until noon at St. James Church, Georgetown.

ST. JAMES PARISH

Collection – March 13 – 9 Envelopes - \$100.00; Loose - \$45.00. Ministry List for March 26: Lector – Claranne Lavandier; Choir – Team 2; Sanitizers – Rose Molloy & Elizabeth Campbell. Snow Removal from Mar. 18 to 24 is Sid & Kyle McMullin & from March 25 to March 31 is John Gotell.

WISDOM of the SAINTS... Prayer

"You don't know how to pray? Put yourself in the presence of God, and as soon as you have said, 'Lord, I don't know how to pray!' you can be sure you've already begun."
~Saint Josemaría Escrivá

ALL SAINTS PARISH

Collection for March 13 – 20 Envelopes - \$640.00; Loose - \$51.00; Cemetery Fund - \$50.00. Ministries for March 27: Lector – Ron Blue; Sanitizers – Ron & Shawna Quinn Blue. Church Custodians from Mar. 21 to Mar. 27 is Louis & Marilyn Callaghan & from March 28 to April 3 is Harry Nabuurs. Church cleaners for March are Anita Conohan, Linda Cain, Mae Campbell & Marilyn Callaghan; Snow Removal from Mar. 20 to Mar. 26 is John Donahoe & Jacob Perry & from Mar. 27 to Apr. 2 is Mark Wilson & Robie Brothers.

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 March 13 – 14 Envelopes - \$495.00; Loose \$20.00. Ministries for – March 27: Lector – Terry Brennan. Church Cleaners for March are Jeannie Johnston, Christa MacDonald & Doreen Acorn. Snow Removal from Mar. 20 to Mar. 26 is Paul & Raymond Morrison & from Mar. 27 to Apr. 2 are Kevin Campbell & Joey MacPhee.

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.devp.org and go to donate.

The Feast Day of the Annunciation is Friday, March 25th. St. George's CWL will be praying privately for Sanctity of "All Life" from conception to natural death as we remember the reception of Mary to the sanctity of life in her womb --Jesus, by her fiat - yes to God through His messenger, Angel Gabriel. This year we would invite the whole of St. Benedict's Pastoral Family to join us in prayers in your own homes for the sanctity of the lives of our Ukrainian brothers and sisters and for the conversion of their persecutors.

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: for Lenten Grace

Loving God, During the sacred season of Lent, bring me closer to you. Prepare a place in my home and heart for silence and solitude, so that I may re-discover the grace of a prayer-full life. Enlarge my heart so that I may live more virtuously, giving to those in need and, in so doing, re-discover the grace of gratitude and generosity. Help me to fast from those things that threaten the well-being of body and soul, remind me of the grace of simplicity. May this season be grace-filled time rekindle my love for and faith in you. 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. No 2. He was born in Britain and kidnapped at the age of 16 and taken as a slave to Ireland 3. John 4. Judges. 13-16 5. His wife 6. The prophet Elijah 7. Esau and Jacob 8. A haughty spirit (Proverbs 16:18) . Pride goes before disaster. 9. D 10. B