

**ST. BENEDICT'S PASTORAL UNIT**  
**12<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Sunday, June 21, 2026**

**MASS SCHEDULE:**

St. James: Sat. 4:00 p.m., Fri. 9:00 a.m.

St. Francis deSales: Sat. 6:00 p.m.

St. George's: Sunday at 9:00 a.m., Wed. at 9:30 a.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.

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Today, Jesus shares many proverbs with his disciples. He talks about light and darkness, whispering and proclaiming. Jesus tells his disciples that there is “no need for them to be afraid.” He reassures them: “Everything will be revealed and all secrets will be made known.” Jesus then speaks the value of every creature, even two little sparrows.

Jesus is making the point that God knows everything about us, down to the number of hairs we have on our heads. God cares deeply about each of us, and God always will care of us. We do not need to be afraid, even when life is difficult and confusing. The challenge for us is that when life is painful or frightening, most of us naturally become afraid. It is not that we don't have faith in Jesus; rather, we simply may be overwhelmed by the challenges and difficulties in our lives. And at these times, it may seem that there is no way out.

During these times, it may be helpful once again to read the Gospel for today and take Jesus' words to heart: “Even the hairs of your head are counted. So do not be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows.”

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK**

Please pray for Sue McMullin, Earl Powers, Patricia Brousseau, Jordan Lea, Danny Webster, & Fr. Albin Arsenaault. If you wish prayers for your loved one due

to illness please email or phone Edith (583-2541) to let her know. Thank you!

**MASS SCHEDULE**

St. George's, Wednesday, June 24, 9:30 a.m. Int. Gloria Brousseau by Patsy, Colin, Amanda & Ava Myers

All Saints, Thursday, June 25, 9:30 a.m. Int. Tony VandenBroek by Karen VandenBroek

St. James, Friday, June 26, 9:00 a.m. Int. Paul & Virginia Martell by Terry & Yvonne Martell

St. James, Saturday, June 27, 4:00 p.m. Int. Gary Neilson by Donna & Family

St. Francis deSales, Saturday, June 27, 6:00 p.m. Int. Joe, Paul & Austin MacDonald by Family

St. George's, Sunday, June 28, 9:00 a.m. Int. Glen & Mary Taylor by Family

All Saints, Sunday, June 28, 10:30 a.m. Int. Parishioners of the Unit

**Booking Masses:** Please include your phone number when submitting a Mass request in case you need to be contacted. **Weekend Masses are booked for JUNE, JULY, AUGUST, SEPTEMBER, OCTOBER, NOVEMBER & DECEMBER (EXCEPT THE LAST SUNDAY IN DECEMBER).** **Weekday Masses:** St. James is booked each Friday until November 20; All Saints is booked each Thursday until October 15; St. George's is booked each Wednesday until September 9.  
All 4 Christmas Eve Masses are already booked.

Celebration of the Feast of St. Benedict this year it will take place at All Saints Church on Thursday, July 9 at 6:30 p.m. You are invited, if able, to bring a small plate of finger food for the sharing table afterwards. In our hearts we will be remembering our loved ones who have died or are suffering in any way, as well as our needs in the Unit. Everyone most welcome!

Mass Intentions for Parishioners of the Unit: When you see a weekend Mass booked for the Parishioners of the Unit it does not mean that there were no Mass intentions to book on that date. One Mass for the weekend Masses has to be booked for the people. It is a Mass for you .... the parishioners ... we are praying for you.

Baptisms & Marriages: When you are planning a wedding or a baptism please contact Fr. Kishore directly by phone or email to discuss arrangements. Do

not book these dates on line.

ST. JAMES PARISH

Collection for June 14 – 18 Envelopes - \$550.00; Loose - \$105.00; 1 Envelope – Education of Seminarians Fund - \$20.00. E-transfers can be made to [stjamesgeorgetown@gmail.com](mailto:stjamesgeorgetown@gmail.com)

Ministries for June 27: Lector – Sid McMullin; Eucharistic Minister – Christine MacMillan; Altar Server – Tony Thijseen; Choir – Guitar.

Congratulations to our May Lottery Winner – Helene Campbell. Remember to return your stubs and monies by June 20 for the June 27 draw. You can turn them in to Kevin Gotell, Mark Gotell, or Sid McMullin or place them in the collection basket.

ALL SAINTS PARISH

Collection for June 14 - 33 Envelopes - \$960.00; Loose - \$33.00; Cemetery Fund - \$50.00; Building Fund - \$5.00; E-transfers can be made to [Allsaintsparishpei@gmail.com](mailto:Allsaintsparishpei@gmail.com)

Ministries for June 28 - Lector – Martina MacDonald; Eucharistic Minister – Jennie VandenBroek; Gifts – Katherine & Robert MacDonald; Ushers – Billy O'Brien & Mark Wilson; Church Custodians from June 22 to June 28 is Jimmy Quinn & from June 29 to July 5 is Christian & Amy Ohlandt. Church Cleaners for June are Marilyn Barrett, Julia Donahoe MacDougald & Joanne Donahoe.

All Saints CWL meeting will be held on Sunday, July 5 at 9:00 a.m. in the parish center.

ST. GEORGE'S PARISH

Collection for June 14 – 20 Envelopes - \$685.00; Loose - \$55.00.

Ministries for June 28– Lector – Taylor Family; Eucharistic Minister – Carol Caverley; Gifts – Taylor Family; Ushers – Taylor Family.

**ST. GEORGE'S CWL SUMMER 50/50 DRAW:** Get ready! The St. George's Catholic Women's League (CWL) is launching our summer 50/50 fundraiser. One lucky winner will take home half of the total cash collected, with the other half directly supporting our CWL membership goals.

Ticket Price: \$10 each; Where to Buy: Look for our CWL volunteers in the porch after Mass; First Draw Date: Sunday, July 26, 2026; Tickets go on sale

beginning June 28. Thank you for your continued generosity and support of the CWL!

ST. FRANCIS DESALES PARISH

Ministries for June 27 – Lector – Catherine MacDonald; Eucharistic Minister – Paul MacDonald; Gifts – Carol MacDonald & Family; Ushers – Ray MacDonald & Bernard Gillis.

GENERAL NOTICES

Our Lady of Hope Retreat Centre is currently seeking several part-time team members to assist with hospitality, guest services, housekeeping, dining room service, and related duties. The position may be particularly well suited for retirees, semi-retired individuals, students, parishioners seeking supplemental income, or anyone who enjoys serving others in a hospitality setting. Experience in hospitality, food service, housekeeping, customer service, or related fields is considered an asset, but is not required. Training will be provided. Competitive wages based on experience. Must be flexible and willing to assist in various areas of operation. Must be available for some early mornings, evenings, weekends, and occasional holidays. A copy of the job description is available from the Diocese. To Apply: Please submit your resume and a brief note outlining your interest in the position to: [finance@dioceseofcharlottetown.com](mailto:finance@dioceseofcharlottetown.com) Applications will be accepted until positions are filled.

**PRAYER for the WEEK FOR SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST**

Dear Lord, We humbly seek the intercession of Saint John the Baptist. May his unwavering faith and dedication inspire us to embrace our purpose and spread your love. Grant us the courage to witness truth boldly, and help us to prepare our hearts for the coming of Christ. Amen.

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