

HOLY ROSARY PARISH BULLETIN

Westmount, NS

Parish Priest – Fr. Doug Murphy

Mass – Saturday 4:15 p.m. & Sunday 10:00 a.m.



January 13th & 14th, 2024

THEME: The gifts of God in Baptism provide the foundation for a mission of service in the Church and for the world around us. Throughout our lives, we continue to be learners or disciples of Jesus so as we listen for guidance to fulfill our place in the divine plan.

FEASTS THIS WEEK: Wednesday: St. Anthony – Abbot

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY: January 18th to 25th. The week is celebrated around the world to encourage Christians to work and pray for church unity.

COLLECTIONS: Regular: \$ 2,145.00

DAILY MASS: Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 9:00 a.m.

SYMPATHY: Our sympathy to Jake Williams, Edwardsville on the passing of his brother Willard.

SEASON OF LENT: The Season of Lent will begin on Ash Wednesday, February 14th and Easter will be celebrated on March 31st.

BULLETIN NOTICES: Notices for the parish bulletin can be called in to Donna Lewis at 902-564-2047 or sent via e-mail at grahamanddonna@hotmail.com. It would be appreciated if notices could be sent by Thursday afternoon. Thank you!

IMPORTANT GENERAL MEETING: The monthly meeting will be held on Sunday, January 14th at 2:00 p.m. in the glebe basement. Attendance by all members would be preferable as it concerns the future of our council and the very real possibility that we will be disbanding.

COLLECTIONS: We continue to collect the pop tabs and eyeglasses. We are no longer collecting plastic caps.

CHURCH LINENS: January – Joanne Currie

FUNERAL RECEPTIONS: Group # 2

LOAVES & FISHES: Group \$ 2

HOMELESS SHELTERS: The Men's & Women's Homeless Shelters need personal items. Razors, shaving gel, new underwear, shampoo, deodorant, and socks for both men and women. Also needed are rain gear, towels, and face cloths. A box will be placed at the entrance to the church until the end of January for anyone who wishes to donate. Thank you.

TEA & TALK: Holy Redeemer Convent, Whitney Pier. Tuesday, January 16th from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. This invitation is open to women of all ages to join with other women to share. This is an attempt to provide an opportunity for women to join with others to simply share a cup of tea and to experience the joy of being together. For further information, please phone 902-270-4840 or 902-539-6331.

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR ALL DEMONINATIONS: St. Marguerite Bourgeoys Church Monday to Friday January 15th – 19th from 12:10 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. Rev Bill Burke, Parish Priest at St. Marguerite Bourgeoys and Rev. Dana Feltmate, Minister of the United Protestant Church in Sydney River will conduct the liturgies during the week. Everyone welcome!