HOLY ROSARY PARISH BULLETIN

Westmount, NS

Parish Priest - Fr. Doug Murphy

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



May 4th & 5th, 2024

THEME: The Lord thinks of us and speaks of us as his friends. He proves his love by laying down his life for us and makes known to us everything he has learned from his Father.

<u>COLLECTIONS:</u> \$ 2,427.00

<u>MEMORIAL MASS</u>: The 10:00 a.m. Mass today (Sunday) will be offered for the repose the soul of Mary Campbell who died last week. Mary was the editor/publisher of the Spectator, an online publication. Her mother was the secretary at St. Anthony Daniel Parish.

THE BLESSED EUCHARIST: You consider Zacchaeus happy because Our Lord asked to enter his house and eat with him. You deem St. John happy because he rested on the breast of our Saviour at the Last Supper' and above all, you regard St. Joseph and the Blessed Virgin Mary so very happy because they nourished and supported Our Lord. But are you not as happy as they? Are you not even happier? You do not hold Our Lord in your arms as Simeon, however, the Saviour rests in your heart after Holy Communion. You do not nurse and support Our Lord like St. Joseph and the Blessed Virgin, but you have a still greater happiness for the Saviour himself nourishes you and hives himself to you as your food. O Love" O Love" who can understand the love of God for us... The Blessed Eucharist. (Fr. Michael Muller).

FEASTS THIS WEEK: Monday: St. Francois de Laval – Bishop & Patron of the Bishops of Canada

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

THE POPE'S PASTORAL WORKS COLLECTION: This collection provides Catholics with an opportunity to financially assist the Holy Father in his charitable works. One third of the worldwide collection is for Peter's Pence, donations used by the Pope for his charitable contributions to those most in need throughout the world. The remainder of the collection is used to support the Holy See and it its activities.

<u>BULLETIN NOTICES</u>: 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!



CHURCH LINENS: May – Yvonne Dolhanty

FRENCH MASS: Il y aura une messe en français au Centre Communautaire Etoile de l'Acadie, (15 rue Inglis, Sydney, N-É) samedi le 11 mai, 2024 à 17:30. Un souper de genre "Pot Luck " suivra avec de la musique française par Le Cercle Musicale de la région de Sydney. Tous sont les bienvenus!

There will be a Mass in French at the Centre Communautaire Étoile de L'Acadie (15 **Inglis St, Sydney, NS**) on Saturday May 11, 2024 at 5:30PM. Potluck supper to follow along with french music from Le Cercle Musicale de la région de Sydney. Everyone welcome!

FASHION SHOW & LADIES' LUNCHEON: The Stewardship Committee is hosting the United Heritage Church 10th Anniversary Fashion Show and Ladies Luncheon here in the Basement Hall on Saturday, June 15th FROM 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. (doors open at 12:30pm). Fashions are by Kreative Design and models are ladies of the congregation. Tickets are \$20.00 and numbers are limited, and tickets sold in advance only, so get them early if you do not want to miss this wonderful afternoon! For more information, contact Judy at (902) 539-6268.

<u>TARABISH GAME</u>: Calling all card players! Tarabish Game at the WINS Hall, Edwardsville every Wednesday. \$ 5.00 per player. Would love to see you there!

THE CAPE BRETON CHORDSMEN: The Chordsmen are hosting two big events in May. Join us at Sydney Academy for our Celebration of Harmony Weekend. The weekend kicks off on Friday, May 10th at 7:00 p.m. with "Prelude to Harmony", a showcase of Cape Breton talent, featuring Canada's Got Talent's finalists Evan and Aaron Turnbull, with Hearts of Kin, Ron Newcombe, The Misty Creekers, and more. Tickets \$30, on sale now. On Saturday, May 11th at 10:00 a.m., take in the 2024 Atlantic Canada Barbershop Singing Championships, featuring The Cape Breton Chordsmen, quartets Quattro and Class Act, and barbershop choruses and quartets from across Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and Newfoundland. Tickets \$20, on sale now. Contact Mike Finigan at 902-371-3048 for tickets and more information.

A PERFORMANCE OF MUSIC, ART AND THE STORY OF EASTERTIDE: KOC Council 9476 sponsored John 3.16 - A Performance of Music, Art, and the story of Eastertide. Join us to experience the entire Easter Season - from Holy Thursday to Pentecost. Using the art of da Vinci, Caravaggio and others, plus the music of Bach's St Matthew's Passion the Easter story comes alive. There will be two performances: Thursday May 16th at 7:00 p.m. at Holy Rosary Church - Westmount. Sunday May 19th -2:00 p.m. - Marguerite Bourgeoys Church - Sydney. This is a concert event with live choral music and admission is free.

TEA & TALK: Tuesday, May 21st from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. An invitation to join with other women to share TEA and TALK at Holy Redeemer Convent 24 Neville St. Whitney Pier, just behind the Pier Post Office. This invitation is open to women of all ages. 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 phone 902 270 4840 or 902 539 6331.