HOLY ROSARY PARISH BULLETIN

Westmount, NS

Parish Priest – Fr. Doug Murphy Mass – Saturday 4:15 p.m. & Sunday 10:00 a.m.



THEME: Christ the King is our shepherd king who watches lovingly over us, rescues us from darkness, seeks the lost and brings bck the stray. We thank God for all graces and blessings He has given to us and ask for his continued help and protection in times to come.

COMMUNION: Communion will be taken to the sick and the shut in this Friday.

<u>COLLECTIONS</u>: \$ 1,168.00 ***2024** Church Envelopes are now availabe for pickup at the church entrance*.

<u>DAILY MASS</u>: Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 9:00 a.m. <u>FEASTS THIS WEEK</u>: Thursday: St. Andrew - Apostle

<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 <u>grahamanddonna@hotmail.com</u>. It would be appreciated if notices could be sent by Thursday afternoon. Thank you!

THE ROAD TO BETHLEHEM: Come and journey with us as Pilgrims experiencing the excitement and anticipation of the Advent Season. Over four nights we will gather in song, reflection, and celebration. Our joy will not be complete without you. The participation of children in the Road to Bethlehem adds to the excitement and joy. We welcome children of all ages! We will teach them songs and the true meaning of Christmas. Contact the Parish office or (902) 202-5700. The Road to Bethlehem schedule – All start at 7:00 p.m.

December 3rd: Marguerite Bourgeoys

December 10th: Holy Rosary:

We will gather as pilgrims and follow Mary and Joseph as they travel to Bethlehem. Mary and Joseph will be seeking shelter for the birth of the Savior. When the door is opened for them, we will celebrate with song and refreshments. Plan to bring your family and friends

December 13th: Stella Maris – Louisbourg

December 17th: Our Lady of Fatima

SUNDAY MISSALS: The new missals are now available at the church entrance. Cost is \$ 5.00

CATHOLIC and LIVING IT!

CWL:

MEETINGS: The General Meeting will be held on November 26th at 2:00 p.m. in the basement of the glebe.

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

CHURCH LINENS: November – Kay MacDonald December – Lillian Wylde

FUNERAL RECEPTIONS: Group # 1

LOAVES & FISHES: Group 1

<u>HOMELESS SHELTERS</u>: 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.

CHRISTMAS LUNCH: Our Christmas Lunch will be held on December 13th at HERS at 1:00 p.m. Cost is \$ 20.00. Would those attending please put money in an envelope marked CWL LUNCH with your name and place it in the collection basket or give to Jackie Burton by December 7th. HERS needs an exact number. If the cost of the lunch is not received by December 7th, we will assume you will not be attending.

BAKE SALE: Our Annual Christmas Bake Sale will be held on December 2nd and 3rd before and after weekend Masses.

ADOPT-A-FAMILY: We are once again adopting a family this Christmas. There is a jar at the church entrance for anyone wishing to donate. Thank you.

SOCIAL EVENTS:

CHRISTMAS WITH THE CAPE BRETON CHORALE:

Sunday, December 17th at 3:00 p.m. Church of Christ the King – 19 Trinity Avenue, Sydney. \$ 30.00 General Admission. Tickets by calling 902-270-2591 or from members or online at capebretonchorale.com with a limited number being available at the door.

