

Sacred Heart Roman Catholic Parish St. Mark's Roman Catholic Parish

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Jesus . . . began to send them out two by two.”

July 11, 2021

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Father Andrew MacDonald

Administrator: Father Brendon Gallant

Parish Assistant: Jessica Dorgan-Trail

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Summer Student: Laurel Dunbar

Secretary St. Mark's: Helen Ellsworth

Property & Finance:

Sacred Heart: Maureen Gallant

St. Mark's: Blair Clements

Baptism Preparation Team:

Krystyna Pottier

Kaylan Ellsworth

Donna Crocker

Cemetery Revival Team:

Wanda Saunders

Arlene Morrisson

Bernice Gallant

Mass Schedule:

Wednesday: July 14, 2021, 4:00pm

Betty & Dale Whittaker

Thursday: July 15, 2021, 6:30pm at St. Mark's

Fr. Francis Bulger

Friday: July 16, 2021, 7:00pm

Pete Larter

Saturday: July 17, 2021, 7:00pm

Betty & Dale Whittaker

Sunday: July 18, 2021

9:00am Mass at St. Mark's

For the People

11:00am Mass at Sacred Heart

Louis Riley

When attending weekday Mass, please sign in at the door, sanitize your hands, remember to social distance and wear your mask when moving around. When attending Mass on Saturday and Sunday, come to your registered group, check in at the door, sanitize your hands, remember to social distance and wear your mask. Thank you to all of our volunteers who help each week and thank you all for your cooperation in following our safety guidelines. If you would like to register for Mass, please call the office.

Weekend Mass Groups:

Date:	Saturday Upstairs	Sunday Upstairs	Saturday Downstairs	Sunday Downstairs
July 3-4	C	D	A	B
July 10-11	A	B	C	D
July 17-18	C	D	A	B
July 24-25	A	B	C	D
July 31-Aug 1	C	D	A	B

“Jesus lets Himself be touched by our suffering and our death...He tells us that death is not the end. He defeats this enemy from which alone we cannot free ourselves. What is the greatest illness of life? Cancer? Tuberculosis? The pandemic? No. The greatest illness of life is lack of love; it's not being alone; it's not being able to love...especially at this time we understand how important contact and relationships are.”

Pope Francis

SUNDAY OFFERING

SACRED HEART:

JULY 4, 2021

REGULAR COLLECTION: \$1275.00

DIRECT DEPOSIT: \$480.00

BUILDING FUND: \$20.00

ST.MARK'S:

JULY 4, 2021

REGULAR COLLECTION: \$840.00

Your continued generous support is appreciated. The basic cost to run Sacred Heart Parish is \$3000.00 weekly. During this time we encourage our Parishioners to continue with their weekly contributions if at all possible. Donations can be made by dropping your collection envelope in the marked box at Mass, or in the mail slot at the parish office, by E transfer to sacredheartparish@eastlink.ca or by direct deposit... forms are available at the parish office.

Parish News:

Parish Office Hours:

Monday to Thursday: 9:00am - 4:30pm

Bulletin Announcements: will be accepted until noon on Wednesday.

Father Bud is interested in visiting the sick and shut-ins. If anyone is interested, please call the parish office at 853-2344 to make arrangements.

Please note:

When there is a scheduled funeral, daily mass will not be celebrated. The mass intention for the cancelled daily mass will be offered at another time.

We are currently looking for volunteers to help water the plants on the parish grounds. If you are interested in helping out, please contact the parish office. A special thank you to our volunteer who has been working hard to make the grounds look beautiful.

Knights of Columbus:

The Knights will be hosting a monthly rosary for Special Intentions on the 2nd Thursday of the month at 7:00pm at Sacred Heart. Date: August 12, 2021

The winners for the recent Knights of Columbus Ticket Fundraiser are as follows:

1st Prize \$200 gift card from Pat's Irving: Albert Bernard

2nd Prize \$100 gift certificate from Bray's Independent:

Phyllis Shea

3rd Prize \$50 VISA gift card: Frances Ready

Rosary: We invite everyone to pray the Rosary together at Sacred Heart Parish on Thursdays at 4:00pm. The next session will be July 15, 2021. For more info call the parish office.

Vacation Bible School: Vacation Bible School is coming to Sacred Heart Parish this summer for children in grades 1-6 from July 26-29. Our theme is "Tell Me S'more About Jesus" and we are looking for volunteers, even if it is an hour or two here and there. We now have collection baskets out to help us with supplies and equipment. We thank you in advance for any contributions for this project.

Sacrament of Baptism: If you are looking to have your child baptised, please contact the office at 902-853-2344 and we will pass the information on to our baptism team. One month's notice is generally required. Baptismal preparation is required.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Confessions are heard every Saturday at Sacred Heart Church from 11:00am to 11:30am.

Save the date: There is a possibility we will be having an Outdoor Mass on July 25. Please pray that our safety protocols are returned saying that we can gather together outside to celebrate Mass. We ask that you would bring your own lawn chairs. More info to follow.

Worshipsafe Directive: A copy of the Worshipsafe Directive from the Diocese has been posted on the front and side bulletin boards at the church. In response to the five step program described by CPHO, we are still following the directive given to us by the Diocese. At this point, the directive does not allow for a second cohort upstairs because of the dimensions and design of the church. If there are changes in the directive, we will make changes in the cohorts, but we must follow this directive at this time. If you have any questions please contact the parish office or check the website www.dioceseofcharlottetown.com.

Diocese News:

Effective until September, reception desk hours at the Diocesan centre will be Tuesdays and Thursdays 8:30am to 4:00pm and Wednesdays 8:30am to noon. As usual, we are closed over the noon hour.

Heart-of-the-Matter Marriage Prep Course is being offered – in-person at the Catholic Centre on North River Road. There will be two opportunities on the weekends (Friday evening and all day Saturday) of **July 30/31 and August 27/28**. If you are planning to get married in the Catholic Church this coming year please contact Pat Wiedemer or check the diocesan webpage at <https://dioceseofcharlottetown.com/diocesan-ministries/marriage-perparation/> for more information on this course. Registration is required. Space is limited in keeping with public health regulations. Email Pat Wiedemer at patricia.wiedemer@outlook.com or call 902-393-6047.

Have a great week everyone!

