

7<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
February 24, 2019

1 Samuel 26.2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-25  
1 Corinthians 15.45-49  
Luke 6.27-38

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Liturgical Schedule

**Monday** Cancelled  
**Tuesday** Cancelled  
**Wednesday** Cancelled  
**Thursday** 7:00pm + Deceased CWL Members  
**Friday** 9:00am + Nam White  
9:30am – 12:00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament  
**Saturday** Cancelled  
4:30pm Messe Française  
7:00pm Anniversary Mass.... John Praught, John L and Isabel Murphy, John and Pat Gaudet, William Burbine, Theresa Rose Fraser, Garth Lyle  
**Sunday** 9:00am & 10:30am

(A cross (+) next to a name indicates prayers for a deceased person.)

Last Week's Offerings

Sunday Offering	5,921.20	Automatic Debits	870.00
Children's	31.50	Building Fund	167.00

**Total \$6,989.70**

Cost to operate St. Paul's Parish each week: **\$7,440**

*Sincere appreciation for your continued generosity!*

**Donation Receipts for 2018...** Donation receipts for St. Paul's and St. Vincent de Paul are available for pick up outside the Parish Office. If you wish to have your receipt mailed, please contact Nicole at the Parish Office. Office hours are Monday to Friday from 9:00am - 4:30pm. Sincere Thank You for all your generosity!

**Sincere Thank You...** The Knights of Columbus would like to thank the Confirmation Students who helped serve at the Knights Pancake Breakfast on Feb 17<sup>th</sup>. Thanks to your help and the generosity of all those who attended, the Pancake Breakfast was a big success!

**Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper...** The K of C and the NET Team will be hosting a pancake supper on Tues, Mar 5<sup>th</sup> starting at 5:00pm in the Parish Main Hall. Good will offering to ongoing church projects. Everyone is welcome to come join us and enjoy some great food.

**St. Paul's Prayer Group ...** Tuesdays in Parish Main Hall, 7:30pm preceded by Rosary at 7:00pm. All are welcome!  
**Prayer Line ...** to have prayers said for family/friends experiencing health problems, call 436-5039 or 436-6135.  
**St. Peregrine Mass (Patron Saint of cancer & other serious illnesses) ...** every 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month, 7pm followed by a blessing with the St. Peregrine oil.  
**Catholic Women's League ...** First Monday of the month at 7:00pm in the main hall. [www.cwl.ca](http://www.cwl.ca)  
**Provincial C.W.L....** [www.cwlpei.ca](http://www.cwlpei.ca)  
**Knights of Columbus...** Meetings 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month at 7pm. The K of C lead the Rosary on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month at 6:35pm & offer it for the peace of the world

**Eucharistic Ministry Schedules...** The new Eucharistic Ministry schedule is ready and available to pick up in the sunken room at the back of the church. Thank You!

**NET Team... Host families are needed!** The NET team are back to St. Paul's Parish to continue their amazing work! The opportunity is here for families to host the team members for two weeks at a time to the end of May. If you are interested in becoming a host family or want to find out more info, please call or text Sheila at (902) 303-4875

**Youth Alpha...** Youth Alpha has started! If you are in grades 9-12 and interested in faith, fellowship and free food then come on out! It's every Sunday evening from 7:00-9:00pm at Samuel's Coffee House.

**World Day of Prayer...** Come join on Friday, Mar. 1<sup>st</sup> at Trinity United Church at 1:00pm. For more info, call (902) 436-3155. Storm date: Mon, Mar. 4<sup>th</sup>.

**The K of C/ Sisters of the Sacred Heart Bottle Exchange...** If you are interested in continuing to support the Sisters of the Sacred Heart, you can do so using your recyclables. Don's Bottle Exchange and Highland Bottle Exchange in Summerside are now accepting cans/ bottle donations. All donations will aid in the programs the Sisters are involved in within our Parish & within our community.

**Prayers for the Sick/Suffering...** *Leo Poirier, Clarence "Kye" Gallant, Louis Arsenault, Peter A. Gallant, Janet Blanchard, Janine Landry, Rosalie Folland, Raymond Arsenault, Ann (Ronan) Boyle, Margaret Cole, Maurice Gallant, Mary Keith, Ernie Doucette, Lorretta Goguen, Albina Arsenault, Bree Dechambeau, Harold Langille, Kim Arsenault, Frances Hamill, Joshua Gallant, Eric Cormier, Gary Gallant, Jeannette Arsenault, Sharon MacNeill, Donald MacDonald, Susan Lynn MacLean, Robert Arsenault, Sr. Della Gaudet, Colette Cormier, Mary Linn Bridges, John & Mary Veerabathina, Della Arsenault, Adam Bourque, Brenda Rogers, Lemma Rose, Wayne Spin,* that Jesus may bring them healing.

**Religious Education News...** Due to March Break, there will be **NO Catechism Classes on March 17<sup>th</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup>.**

**Grade 1 Group Mass...** will take place Sun, March 3<sup>rd</sup> at the 10:30am Mass. Students are asked to sit together as a group in the reserved seating area during Mass.

**Wee Ones Word...** All children aged 3-7 are invited to come downstairs to the Main Hall before the 10:30am Mass begins to take part in our Children's Liturgy of the Word. Parents please come down to sign your children in! The children will return to mass during the Offertory Hymn. If you're interested in volunteering in this ministry, or have any questions, please contact Jessica at [education@stpaulsparish.ca](mailto:education@stpaulsparish.ca)

**Today's Wee Ones Word Message...** With God's help, we can love anyone! God has the power to overcome any feelings of anger or sadness we encounter and turn them into joy and happiness. This week, let's pray to God for help to love those who have hurt us.

**Ashes for Catechism Students...** All catechism students are encouraged to attend an Ash Wednesday service in order to receive Ashes. At St. Paul's, there are two Ash Wednesday Services – one at Noon, and one at 7:00pm on March 6<sup>th</sup>.

**Adoration for Catechism Students and Families...** will take place during the first half of class time on March 10<sup>th</sup>. All students & their families are asked to meet in the church following the 10:30am Mass in order to take part in this special encounter with Jesus. The NET team will be providing music for this event. Students will proceed to their classes for the remainder of class time following Adoration (12-12:30pm)

**Roar Summer Day Camp...** Online Registration is now open for our FREE week-long summer day camp. The camp will run during the week of August 19<sup>th</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup>, from 9:00am-3pm each day. The camp is open to all those children who will be in Elementary School during the 2019-2020 school year. Please visit <https://vbspro.events/p/events/stpaulspei> for more information or to register!

**Volunteer Opportunities...** Our 'Roar' Summer Day Camp needs your help! With your support, last year's Shipwrecked Camp was a huge success. We know that with your support this year we can share the love of God with more children. Volunteers are needed behind the scenes to help decorate, collect donations, marketing, & food preparation. We are also still looking for station and crew leaders to actively participate during the camp week (Aug 19-23<sup>rd</sup>). Please check out <https://vbspro.events/p/events/stpaulspei> for a description of some of the leadership positions available, or email [education@stpaulsparish.ca](mailto:education@stpaulsparish.ca) for more information.

**St. Paul's Youth Group ...** Wednesdays, 7:00-9:00pm, in the Parish Main Hall. All youth, Grades 6 & up are welcome to attend. Come and see.

Steubenville Atlantic is happening July 5-7. Join hundreds of other youth from Atlantic Canada for a weekend of friends, fun & faith. Registration now open. Cost is \$200 (until Feb. 28) For info or to register: Beth at [j.beth.rogers@gmail.com](mailto:j.beth.rogers@gmail.com)

**Society of St. Vincent de Paul...** Hearty soups, soda crackers, cookies, cereal and canned fruit and canned meats. Your outstanding generosity helps us to continue providing food to many families in need. Thank You!

*You might tell Jesus, it's hard to follow you,  
but he responds, I know; let me help you.  
You might say, I don't belong, but he answers,  
You are always welcome in my house.  
Don't ever disqualify yourself!  
You can make a difference.*

**St. Paul's CWL News...** March meeting is Mon, Mar. 4 at 7:00pm in the Main Hall preceded by the executive meeting at 6:00pm in the Boardroom. CWL women are asked to bring hygiene products to the meeting so they can be delivered to the salvation army as a donation.

St. Paul's CWL Executive 2019-2020:  
**Spiritual Advisor** - Sr. Joan Marie Chaisson  
**President** – Louise Doiron  
**President Elect** – Noonie DesRoches  
**Spiritual Development** – Noonie DesRoches  
**Recording & Corresponding Secretary** – Pat McKinnon  
**Treasurer** - June Gallant  
**Past President** - Linda Yeo  
**Communication** – Anita Murray  
**Christian Family Life** – Annette Gallant  
**Community Life** – Lucia Bridges  
**Education & Health** – Pauline Blacquiere  
**Resolutions & Legislation** – Judy Lewis

**Senior Reflection Day...** at Marguerite Bourgeoys Centre, Tues, Mar 5, 10:30am. Theme: Anticipating Lent. Presenter: Fr George Galliland. Donation toward lunch. Info: 436-9239.

**Reflection on Sunday Readings...** In Marguerite Bourgeoys Centre chapel, Fridays during Lent: 1:30 -3:00 pm. Materials will be supplied.

**First Saturday Gathering for Blessed Virgin Mary (BVM) Invite...** On March 2<sup>nd</sup> there will be a gathering after the 5:00pm mass in the K of C room at St. Dunstan's Basilica. We will share our experience and info about BVM as our Spiritual Mother. Gathering includes light lunch, *Our Lady of Knock* presentation, rosary & fellowship. For info contact Ray or Marilyn at (902) 628-2397 or [raymaryu@hotmail.com](mailto:raymaryu@hotmail.com)