5th Sunday of Easter May 19, 2019

Acts 14.21b-27 Revelation 21.1-5a John 13.1, 31-33a, 34-35

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Confessions:

Tuesday: 8:30am Thursday: 6:15pm Saturday: 11:00am –12:00pm Noon

Liturgical Schedule

Monday9:00amMass CancelledTuesday9:00amMass CancelledWednesday9:00amMass CancelledThursday7:00pmMass CancelledFriday9:00am+ Dr. Ronald Doucette

9:30am – 12:00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday 4:30pm Messe Français

7:00pm Anniversary Mass.... John Peter Perry, Ron Doucette, Denis Dolan, Merlin (Nick) Nickerson, J. Frank Gallant, Angie Gallant, Basil Doucette, Paul Laughlin, Ernest Steele

Sunday 9:00am & 10:30am

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

Last Week's Offerings

Sunday Offering 5,315.25 Automatic Debits 995.00 Children's 8.55 Building Fund 1,644.00 **Total \$7.962.80**

Cost to operate St. Paul's Parish each week: \$7,440 Sincere appreciation for your continued generosity!

Priest's Retreat... The retreat for the Diocese of Charlottetown priests will be on Sunday May 19th to Thurs, May 23rd. There will be no daily Masses on Mon, May 20, Tues, May 21, Wed, May 22 and Thurs, May 23. Please pray for our priests.

Annual Parish Finance Meeting... The annual Parish Finance meeting is on Tues, May 28 at 7:00pm. There will be a short presentation of the statement, an update on our future projects, and time for questions.

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 3rd 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

Provincial C.W.L.... www.cwl.ca

Rnights of Columbus... Meetings 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7pm. The K of C lead the Rosary on the 3rd Saturday of the month at 6:35pm & offer it for the peace of the world

St. Paul's Office Hours... St. Paul's office will be closed on Monday, May 20th for Victoria Day.

Changes in Baptism Prep Class... Classes will be held 4 times per year. The next class is May 21st, 7:00–9:30pm. It is advisable to have the Baptism prep class done early. Please contact Nicole in the Parish office for registration.

Thank You, NET Team... The NET Team have been a wonderful addition to St. Paul's for the last eight months but it is now time to say goodbye. This is the NET Team's last week here with us and they will be heading home to their families on May 22^{nd} .

These young individuals have been a great asset to us and we will miss them tremendously. We would like to thank them for all their great work with the music here at St. Paul's, their involvement with the youth and for their willingness to help anyone who needed help. We are grateful to have been blessed to meet these lovely young individuals and we wish them all the best in the future.

Youth Group & K of C Raffle...The Youth Group & K of C are having a raffle for a 24'x28" picture "Resounding Red" (fox). This is in support of youth going to Steubenville Atlantic & ongoing parish activities. Tickets (\$2 ea. or 3/\$5) available at the Parish Office, Gift Shop & there also will be ongoing sells by side doors to Parish Annex after Mass.

Prayers for the Sick/Suffering... Lesley Blanchard, Virginia Rushton, Louise McCully, Myrtle Smith, Louis Arsenault, Janine Landry, Rosalie Folland, Raymond Arsenault, Ann (Ronan) Boyle, Margaret Cole, Maurice Gallant, Mary Keith, Jean 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, Colette Cormier, John & Mary Veerabathina, Mary Linn Bridges, Della Arsenault, Adam Bourque, Brenda Rogers, Lemma Rose, Wayne Spin, that Jesus may bring them healing.

Religious Education Registration...Online registration for our 2019-2020 Catechetical year is now open! Please visit the following link to register: https://stpaulsparish.ca/catechism-registration. All children who will be entering grades 1-8 this fall are encouraged to register. Registration is free. Book fees will be collected at the Book Pick up on August 25th.

Prayers for First Communion & Confirmation Students...
Please pray for our First Communion & Confirmation
students, Carly Campbell, Mica Doydora, Brennan Gallant,
Cruz Johnson, McLester Reyes, Luc Peters, that the Holy
Spirit will continue to help them grow in their faith.

May their ears hear your voice. May their eyes see your presence in all things. May their lips proclaim your word. May their hands do work of charity. May their feet walk in the way of Jesus Christ, your Son and our Lord. Amen.

Sincere Thank you... A sincere thank you to all those who donated food for our First Communion Celebration! Your generosity is much appreciated.

Catechism Info Session... Info session & book pick up will be Sun, August 25th following the 10:30am Mass (starting at approx. 11:30am). Books will be distributed and book fees will be collected at this time. Catechism Calendars will also be distributed at this event, and in person registration will be available. If you have any questions, please email education@stpaulsparish.ca.

Roar Summer Camp... Online Registration is now open for our FREE week-long summer camp. The camp is Aug 19-23, from 9am-3pm each day. The camp is open to all children who will be in Elementary School in 2019-2020. Please visit https://vbspro.events/p/events/stpaulspei for info or to register!

Donations for ROAR... Preparations for our Roar Summer Day Camp are underway! A list of items we need for our Camp is available at the office, on Facebook and is on display in the Church Entryway. If you have any items you would like to donate, or would like to make a monetary donation, please submit them to the Parish office by July 1st.

Coffee House for ROAR... Sat, June 8th, 2-4pm in the Parish Hall. Local performers will provide entertainment; coffee, tea & snacks will be available. All donations will go to support our Roar Summer Camp. If you are interested in performing, please email education@stpaulsparish.ca.

Pornography Hurts Post Cards... are available in the Church entrance, please take time to complete one and mail to our Elected Officials in Ottawa. No postage required. This is a way to continue the fight against Pornography.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul... Suggested food items: Jam, Kraft Dinner, fruit juice, canned fruit, cereal and personal hygiene items. Thank you for your continuous generosity!!

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. Cost is \$225. For info or to register: Beth at j.beth.rogers@gmail.com

Cursillo of Cursillos... Join your prayers with ours as we prepare for the 2019 Cursillo of Cursillos in Halifax, June 27-30. We are blessed that the 3 amigos from Mallorca will be present to share their love & knowledge of the movement. The 3 amigos have lived Cursillo with our founder, know our charism & lovingly share this knowledge with Cursillo leaders through this Cursillo of Cursillos.

Prayer for the 2019 Canadian Cursillo of Cursillos:

Loving Father, we thank You & praise You for the unfailing knowledge of Your love for every one of Your sons and daughters, & for the mission entrusted to us to bring the Good News of Your love to all we meet through the gift of Cursillo. We ask You for a fresh outpouring of Your Holy Spirit on those who will gather in Your name in Halifax from June 27th to 30th that all will have hearts ready to receive, ears ready to hear, and that those who are entrusted with sharing their experience of the charism of Cursillo will be gifted with the words that will help with the journey from head to heart. We entrust this Cursillo of Cursillos to You, Lord, and ask that everything that is not of You be silenced and removed from this gathering of pilgrims. We bring all of this to You through Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, Amen. Eduardo Bonnin, intercede for us. St. Paul, patron of Cursillo, pray for us.

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land... Want to experience something of the life of Jesus? Do you want to experience the places that our Lord walked and where He spoke to the people? Join Fr. Andrew Handrahan on a guided pilgrimage to some of Israel's holy sites, Oct 21- 29, 2020, the pilgrimage travels to the Holy Land & visit such places as Nazareth, the Sea of Galilee, the Mount of Transfiguration, Jerusalem & the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. Step into the River Jordan where Jesus was baptized, and stand on the hill where Jesus gave his sermon on the mount; walk through the places that our Lord himself walked, and experience the city of Jerusalem as you make the way of the cross which Jesus suffered. Contact Krisanne Butler at CAA Travel for more info: kbutler@atlantic.caa.ca or at 902-892-0296. Seats are limited.

Annual Provincial March for Life... Sun, May 26, 2-4 pm, at St Pius X Church parking lot, St Peter's Road, Charlottetown and walk as a group to the Coles Building to witness the value and dignity of all human life from fertilization until natural death.

Royal Canadian Legion Bursaries... The Summerside Legion have classes of Bursaries (Deadline: May 31):

- \$1,000 Bursaries for students currently attending a post secondary institution
- \$500 Scholarships for students graduating high school Application forms and qualifications available at Summerside legion. Application forms can be brought to:

Bursary Committee 340 Notre Dame St. Summerside, PE C1N 1S5