

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 14th, 2021

Leviticus 13.1-2,45-46
1 Corinthians 10.31-11.1
Mark 1.40-45

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Confessions:

Tuesday: 8:30am - 8:55am
Thursdays: 8:30am – 8:55am
Saturday: 11:00am - 12:00pm
Due to COVID-19, Individual confessions will be taking place in the Library (located to the right of the Sanctuary).

Liturgical Schedule Intentions

Monday	9:00am	+ David Gallant
Tuesday	9:00am	+ Deceased family members of Urbain & Noreen Arsenault
Wednesday	9:00am	+ Special Intentions
	12:00pm	+ Margaret Cooke
	4:30pm	+ Dr. Hubert McNeill
	7:00pm	+Souls in Purgatory
Thursday	9:00am	+ Deceased members of the Knights of Columbus
Friday	9:00am	+ Elmer Doiron
	9:30am	Holy Hour of Adoration
Saturday	4:30pm	Chantal Gagnon
		+ Delore & Maryanne Arsenault
	7:00pm	+ Robert Caissie
		+ Joseph Caissie
Sunday	9:00am	+ Souls in Purgatory
	11:00am	Intentions of Parishioners
	4:00pm	+ Margaret Cooke

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

Anniversaries... Jack Carruthers, Russell Caruthers,
David Cheverie, Clarence & Faustina Steele

Last Week's Offerings

Sunday Offering	4,421.65	Automatic Debits	1,492.75
Children's		Building Fund	1,119.00
Total	\$7033.40		
Cost to operate St. Paul's Parish each week: \$7,440			
<i>Sincere appreciation for your continued generosity!</i>			

Baptism ... Inquiries/registrations, Contact the Parish Office at (902) 436-5112 or office@stpaulsparish.ca
Prayer Line ... To have prayers said for family/friends experiencing health problems, call 436-5039 or 436-6135.

Catholic Women's League ... www.cwl.ca

Provincial C.W.L.... www.cwlpei.ca

Knights of Columbus... Meetings on the third Tuesday of every month. The K of C lead the Rosary on the 3rd Saturday of the month at 6:30pm & offer it for the peace of the world.

Mass update ... With the approval of Public Health, we are now open to **150 people** for our weekend masses. Registration is not required; entrance is based on a first come first serve basis. Thank you for your continued patience and support! **Daily masses remain at a 50-person capacity.**

Masks are now mandatory and must be worn... they should be removed prior to receiving communion and put back on after receiving.

Eucharistic ministers bring the Eucharist to you... please remain on your side of your pew, maintaining physical distance from others not in your bubble, people on one side of the pews will be served first and the minister of Communion will come around and serve those on the far ends of the pew after.

Valentine's Mass for Widows & Widowers 4pm Sunday...
The 4pm Mass this Sunday will be a special Mass for Widows & Widowers. While everyone is welcome to attend, there will be less space available than normal at this Mass, as the Widows and Widowers have pre-registered. Therefore, we encourage parishioners to attend one of the other Masses this weekend if they are able.

St. Paul's key inventory... if you have a key for any of St. Paul's Parish doors please call the main office to notify Jackie.

Donation Receipts for 2020... Donation receipts for Parish are available for pick up outside the Parish Office. If you wish to have your receipt mailed or if your address has changed, please contact Jackie at the Parish Office.

Prayers for the Sick/Suffering... *Norma Gallant, Brian Spin, Wayne Spin, David Allen, Carrie MacQuarrie, Jason MacQuarrie, Laurlyn Ley, Peggy Dunville, Kathleen Gaudet, Gail Bernard, Shirley Hardy, Jean Profit, Adam Bourque, Matthew Ricard, Clay Rayner, Mary Dunbar, Raymond Caissie, Glen Birt, Myrtle Smith, Monique Arsenault, Janine Landry, Rosalie Folland, Ann Boyle, Mary Keith, Harold Langille, Frances Hamill, Joshua Gallant, Gary Gallant, Jeannette Arsenault, Sharon MacNeill, Donald MacDonald, Susan Lynn MacLean, Colette Cormier, John & Mary Veerabathina, Mary Linn Bridges, Della Arsenault, Lemma Rose, Mary Jones Blair Creelman, Stephen Gaudet, Cecil Gallant, Gina Hall, Father Joe Brazel, Edna Gallant, Weston Rayner, Gloria Maillet, Daniel Arsenault & John Waite* that Jesus may bring them healing

2021 Sunday Envelope & Auto Debit Envelope Packets ... If you have not picked up your envelopes yet, volunteers will be calling you to see if you would like to have your envelope dropped off at your home. **If you are interested in helping to deliver envelopes, please contact Dolphe at 902 724-2829.**

Attention Ushers and Eucharistic Ministers for 4:00pm, 9:00am and 11:00am masses... Your schedule is ready and can be picked up in the sunken room in the back of the church Monday to Friday between 10:00am and 4:00pm

Society of St. Vincent de Paul... suggested items this week: Canned beans, miracle whip, luncheon meat, canned ravioli, ketchup, and soda crackers. Thank you!

Holy Spirit, come and move me in my life. Inspire me to do good deeds in spirit and in truth.

St. Vincent de Paul Income tax receipts... are available for pickup outside the main office. Thank you!


RCIA Opportunity.... Are you or is someone you know, interested in becoming Catholic? If so, there may be an opportunity to take the RCIA program here at St Paul's. Please call Jackie in the main office if interested.

CWL... St Paul's CWL would like to express a heartfelt Thank You to all who contributed to the Virtual Bake sale fundraiser It was indeed a successful endeavor! Blessings and peace to all.

Knights Lottery Tickets... a friendly reminder to please return envelopes with the ticket info and money to the donation boxes in the church or to the office. Thank you.

The K of C/ Sisters of the Sacred Heart Bottle Exchange... If you are interested in supporting the Sisters of the Sacred Heart, you can do so using your recyclables. Don's Bottle Exchange & Highland Bottle Exchange accept cans/ bottle donations. All donations will aid in the programs the Sisters are involved in.

Lent at St. Paul's Parish

Ash Wednesday Masses 
9:00 AM, 12:00 PM, 4:30 PM and 7:00PM
Registration is not required.

In accordance with Public Health regulations, ashes will be sprinkled on parishioners heads this year.

Stations of the Cross every Friday at 7:00pm!

Catechism... Reminder to parents to please check their child's Facebook Group regularly for updates regarding storm, weather or COVID related closures or cancellations, and for the most up-to-date information regarding their child's class.

Walk for Widows & Widowers...Last week our Confirmation Students held a Walk-a-thon to raise money to buy gifts for the Widows & Widowers who are attending our Valentine's Mass this year. They walked for 4 hours, covering more than 8kms, and raising \$838. A big thank you to the Knights of Columbus who donated \$100, and to Greco Pizza for donating pizza for the event!

Grade 6 Reconciliation & Class Mass... The Grade 6 class will be receiving the Sacrament of Reconciliation on Sunday Feb 21st during class time. Parents are asked to guide their child through an examination of conscience in preparation for this event. The following Sunday, Feb 28th, the Grade 6 class will have their own private Mass during class time (starting at 10am) in their classroom.

Youth group... Wednesdays from 6:30pm-8:30pm (grades 5-12). Senior Youth Group meets every Friday from 7:00pm-9:00pm (grades 9-12) All youth are invited and welcome to join us for fun, friends, food, and faith!

Youth Group Leadership Team... are reminded of the upcoming meeting on Feb 23rd @ 7pm in the Parish Hall.

Martha Spirituality Centre... Lenten Series of 6 sessions on **The Mountain Top Revelations in the Gospel of Matthew** on Thursdays of Feb. 18 and 25, March 4, 11, 18, and 25 from 7:00-8:30 pm with Scripture scholar Dr. Joan Campbell CSM. Need to register and pay a fee of \$20 for the series.

Development and Peace... **CARITAS CANADA.** The materials for Share Lent 2021 will be available on the Development and Peace website, www.dev.org on Ash Wednesday. Due to COVID-19 **we will have a virtual Share Lent.** The theme is **Share Love, Share Lent**, based on Pope Francis' encyclical Fratelli Tutti.

Support one of our Parishioners.... Matt Dunn was first introduced to Jesus through the Net team that came to our parish a few years back. He was not Catholic at the time, they helped him to realize he wanted to be Catholic and he was Confirmed here at St. Paul's Parish this past fall. Ever since he witnessed the NET team's love of Christ, he has wanted to serve God and the Church. Matt has been accepted to serve the youth of Ireland with Net this fall!
Please keep Matt in your prayers as he prepares for this journey and if you would like to support him financially, please check out his link: <https://www.netministries.ie/matthew-dunn> you can also contact him directly at 902-438-0681 or dunnmw01@gmail.com

Lent comes providentially to reawaken us, to shake us from our lethargy - Pope Francis