

**4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter  
April 25<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

**Acts 4.7-12  
1 John 3.1-2  
John 10.11-18**

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**Confessions:**

**Tuesday:** 8:30am - 8:55am  
**Thursdays:** 8:30am – 8:55am  
**Saturday:** 11:00am-12:00pm

**Weekday Masses & Intentions Apr 26<sup>th</sup> - May 2<sup>nd</sup>**

**Monday** 9:00am + Constance Matthew  
+Clarence Arsenault  
+ Florence Arsenault  
**Tuesday** 9:00am + Delima & Frank & Gerald Richard  
**Wednesday** 9:00am + Colin Campbell  
Wedding Anniversary of  
Angele & Melvin Bernard  
**Thursday** 9:00am + Nazaire Arsenault  
+ Reinnie Gallant & Gloria MacIntyre  
**Friday** 9:00am + Judith Duggan  
+ Margaret Jeffery  
9:30am **Holy hour of Adoration**  
**Saturday** 4:30pm + Lorraine, Edna & Bill Pineau  
7:00pm + Zella Allen  
+ Margaret Cooke  
**Sunday** 9:00am + Jean Profit  
11:00am **Intentions of Parishioners**  
4:00pm First Communion children and  
their families

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

**Anniversaries... Florence Arsenault**

**Last Week's Offerings**

**Sunday Offering:** 4,277.55 **Automatic Debits:**  
**Building Fund:** 160.00 **Etransfers:** 240.00  
**Cost to operate St. Paul's Parish each week:** \$7,440  
*Sincere appreciation for your continued generosity!*

**Baptism Inquiries ...** contact the Parish Office at (902) 436-5112 or [office@stpaulsparish.ca](mailto:office@stpaulsparish.ca)

**Prayer Line ...** To have prayers said for family/friends please call 436-5039 or 436-6135.

**Catholic Women's League ...** [www.cwl.ca](http://www.cwl.ca)

**Knights of Columbus...** Meetings on the third Tuesday of every month at 7:00pm in the Parish Center. The K of C also lead the Rosary on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month at 6:30pm and offer it for the peace of the world.

**Parish update...** we have a 150-person capacity for weekend masses. **Registration is not required;** entrance is based on a first come first serve basis.

Funerals are now allowed a 100 person capacity.

Daily masses, Baptisms remain at a 50-person capacity.

**MASS CHANGE...** please note that effective May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2021 there will no longer be a 4:00pm mass on Sundays. Thank you to Father Benedict and Father Lazaru for providing this extra mass during the catechetical year.

**A reminder of Public Health protocols ...** physical distancing, hand-sanitizing, mask-wearing, and staying home if feeling unwell.

**Donation options...** donations can also be made by E transfer at [office@stpaulsparish.ca](mailto:office@stpaulsparish.ca) or by direct deposit. Call or email the office to find out more.

**Donation Receipts for 2020...** Donation receipts for Parish and St. Vincent de Paul are still available for pick up outside the Parish Office.

**Society of St. Vincent de Paul...** Suggested items for this week: Shampoo, Conditioner, body wash, hand soap and deodorant. Thank you.

*Trust God to give you what you need so that you can serve the people in your path.*

**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 and bottle donations. All donations will aid in the programs the Sisters are involved in.

**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, 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, Gina Hall, Edna Gallant, Weston Rayner, Gloria Maillet, Daniel Arsenault, Barbara McInnis, Liam Hammets, Garlet Duetta, Marie Doucette, Father Joe Brazel & Jean Gallant, Katie, Evie & Addie that Jesus may bring them healing.*

**Catechism Update...** Our last Sunday of Catechism for 2020-2021 will be on Sunday May 2<sup>nd</sup>. A big thank you to all the teachers, parents and students for doing your part to help make catechism possible this year by following all the Public Health Regulations.

**First Communion 2021...** Our First Communion Ceremony for 2021 will be taking place on Sunday May 2<sup>nd</sup> at the 4pm Mass. As this is a special day for the families of our First Communicants, and limited seating is available due to COVID-19 gathering limits, we ask others to please attend one of our other Masses that weekend.

**First Communion Rehearsal & Reconciliation...** All first communion students and one parent are asked to attend the Rehearsal and Reconciliation service on Saturday May 1<sup>st</sup> from 1-3pm. Families will be assigned their seating sections at this time. Students are encouraged to complete an examination of conscience prior to this event. If you are interested in purchasing a First Communion gift, St. Jerome's Bookstore and our Religious Store will have items available for purchase at this event.

**Confirmation Retreat...** Reminder to confirmation students of the retreat taking place on Sat May 8<sup>th</sup> from 1-5pm at the Parish Center. All students wishing to be confirmed this May are asked to attend. Pizza will be served at this event thanks to the generous support of the Knights of Columbus.

**Confirmation 2021...** The date for our 2021 Confirmation Ceremony has been set for **Tuesday, May 11<sup>th</sup>, 2021 at 7pm.** There will be a **rehearsal on Monday, May 10<sup>th</sup> at 7pm** in the Church for all students and sponsors, which parents are welcome to attend.

**Honoring our Teachers...** On behalf of all members of our parish, we would like to extend our thanks to all of the catechism teachers and assistants who volunteered this year in our catechism program. With the extra risks and precautions necessary due to COVID-19, these individuals deserve a very special thank you. We will be honoring them at a special dinner this Sunday April 25th. Thank you to the Knights of Columbus who generously donated funds to make this dinner possible. We ask all parishioners to please continue to keep these volunteers in your prayers.



**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.



**Prayer Chalice...** There is a wonderful opportunity available in our parish to receive a blessed prayer chalice. This Prayer Chalice can help you better understand what God is calling you to do. Please contact the parish office for more information

**Martha Spirituality Centre...** is offering a Zoom study of 5 sessions on Ron Rolheiser's book on the Eucharist: Our One Great Act of Fidelity. This will be offered on Wednesday mornings 10:00-11:00a.m. of April 28, May 5, 12, 19 and June 2. \* Please note the change of dates. \* Each registrant will be asked to purchase their text, now available at the Bookmark. Fee is \$10, please register with [srgemma@eastlink.ca](mailto:srgemma@eastlink.ca)

**CHANGE4LIFE Baby Bottle Program...** PEI LIFE reminds everyone who has taken a Baby Bottle in support of LIFE on PEI to please return this to your church on Sunday, May 2. There is still time to help us meet our goal and make an online donation at [www.PEILIFE.org/donate](http://www.PEILIFE.org/donate). PEI LIFE provides support and resources to women in need, to anyone seeking knowledge about life issues, and works towards creating a Culture of LIFE and LOVE on PEI. Please support our work with a tax-receiptable donation. More information call: Pat Wiedemer, 902-894-5473 or email: [office@peilife.org](mailto:office@peilife.org).



**Treasured: Summer Camp for 2021...** Send your kids on an amazing adventure this summer where they will discover that they are priceless to God!, We are offering two separate weeks of camp this year

August 16<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> or August 23<sup>rd</sup>-27<sup>th</sup>. Please indicate which week you would like to your children to attend when you register. Our summer camp is for all children who will be in grades K-6 this fall, is FREE to attend, from 9am-3pm each day. Registration is now open and is available online at <https://vbspro.events/p/events/treasuredatstpaulspei> or by contacting Jessica.

**Donations for Treasured...** Preparations for our 2021 Summer Day Camp are underway! A list of items we need for our Camp is now available week (see insert). If you have any items you would like to donate, or would like to make a monetary donation to our Treasured Camp, you can do so at the Parish Office.

**World Day of Prayer for Vocations...** Today Pope Francis has asked all Catholics to pray for vocations. You can do this by praying for the priests who have ministered to you throughout your life, both living and dead, by keeping our parish priests and seminarians in your prayers throughout the week, or by praying a rosary for more young men and women in our diocese to respond to God's call.

**Sacraments of Healing...** Throughout the Gospels we see accounts of Jesus' great power to heal people, both physically as well as spiritually, through forgiveness of their sins. This great power is still available to us today in the Sacraments of **Anointing of the Sick and Confession.**

These Sacraments are known as the Sacraments of Healing. If you need healing in your life, spiritually or physically, these Sacraments make Christ's healing power available to you. Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick can be received when faced with any serious or chronic illness, impending surgery, or even old age. Confession is available to help strengthen the faithful to overcome sin of any type – large or small. For more information on how you can receive the Sacraments of Healing, please contact the Parish Office.