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PASSION OF THE LORD, April 14, 2019



Palm Sunday commemorates the triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem to celebrate the Passover. The gospels record the arrival of Jesus riding into the city on a donkey, while the crowds spread their cloaks and palm branches on the street and shouted "Hosanna to the Son of David" and "Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord".

The significance of Jesus riding a donkey and having his way paved with palm branches is a fulfillment of a prophecy spoken by the prophet Zechariah (Zechariah 9:9). In biblical times, the regional custom called for kings and nobles arriving in procession to ride on the back of a donkey. The donkey was a symbol of peace; those who rode upon them proclaimed peaceful intentions. The laying of palm branches indicated that the king or dignitary was arriving in victory or triumph.

Prayer for Palm Sunday

Lord, you set your face towards Jerusalem and walked alongside those who suffer. Be our vision that we too may walk the way of the cross and extend a hand to those we meet. *R: Lord, give us the gladness of your help*

Lord, you stopped to heal the sick, cure the lame and give sight to the blind. Be our vision that we too may give time to others and respond to their needs. *(R)*

Lord, you ate with tax collectors and sinners and heard their stories. Be our vision that we too may listen to the despised and rejected and value their lives. *(R)*

Lord, you took time to pray and time to be silent. Be our vision that through our prayers, fasting and almsgiving we too may draw closer to you and find your way. *(R)*

Lord, you entered Jerusalem with peace in your heart. Be our vision that we too may desire peace where others desire war, and may work for justice where injustice reigns. *(R)*

MASS SCHEDULE:

Mon. - NO MASS

Tues. 7:00 PM - MQW

Wed. 9:30 AM - St. Peter's

Thurs. 7:00 PM - St. Peter's

Fri. 9:30 AM - MQW

SUNDAY LITURGY:

Sat. 4:00 PM - MQW

Sat.: 5:30 PM - St. Peter's

Sun. 9:45 AM - MQW

Sun. 11:30 AM - St. Peter's

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Sat. 3:15 PM - MQW

Sat. 5:15 PM - St. Peter's

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

St. Peter's Parish: 747-3320

MQW: 364-7140

OFFICE HOURS

MARY QUEEN OF WORLD:

Monday-Thursday

9:00 AM - 4 PM

LUNCH 12:00 - 1:00 PM

Friday

9:00 AM - 12 NOON

ST. PETER'S:

Monday & Wednesday

8:30 AM - 12:00 NOON

Tues., Thurs. & Fri.

8:30 AM - 12:00 NOON

1:00 - 4:00 PM

MASS INTENTION
April 16th – 21st, 2019

Tuesday 7:00 pm	Basilica	MASS OF CHRISM AT BASILICA Everyone Welcome
Wed. 9:30 am.	St. Peter's Followed by Holy Hour	Lawrence & Madonna Whelan/ Peter & Florence Doyle / John Lahey / Special Health Intention
Thurs. 7:00 pm	St. Peter's	HOLY THURSDAY Followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
10:00 pm		NIGHT PRAYER "THE LORD'S PASSION"
Fri. 12 Noon	St. Peter's	GOOD FRIDAY
3:00 pm	MQW	GOOD FRIDAY
7:00 pm	MQW	"STATIONS OF THE CROSS"
Sat. 8:00 pm.	MQW	For Our Loved Ones – Living and Deceased
Sun. 9:45 am.	MQW	For Our Loved Ones – Living and Deceased
Sun. 11:30 am	St. Peter's	For Our Loved Ones – Living and Deceased

STEWARDSHIP OFFERING:

(MQW):

March 30th – 31st:	April 6th – 7th:
Sunday Offering – \$3,535.35	Sunday Offering – \$3,400.25
Lighting Fund - \$300.00	Development & Peace-\$146.00
St. Vincent de Paul - \$115.00	Lighting Fund - \$20.00
Altar Flowers – \$715.65	Altar Flowers - \$-\$269.00
Lenten Folder – \$39.75	Lenten Folder – \$20.00

(St. Peters)

March 30th – 31st:	April 6th – 7th:
Sunday Offering – \$3,252.55	Sunday Offering – \$2,990.00
Easter Flowers.-\$605.00	Development& Peace.-\$645.00
	Easter Flowers-\$105.00

**"FLOWERS FOR EASTER SUNDAY
CELEBRATION"**

We welcome all flower donations for the celebration of Easter Sunday, please drop to the office Holy Week during office hours. Thank-you.

**BAPTISM PREPARATION FOR MQW AND ST.
PETER'S PARISHES:**

This course is mandatory for Parents and Godparents. Next course is May 8th, Wednesday, 7:00 pm at St. Peter's Parish. Please call your parish to register.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE:

The next Marriage Preparation Courses are scheduled for May 10 – 11 and May 31 – June 1st. Call Theresa at the Archdiocese at 726-3660, ext. 236 to register. Marriage Course is mandatory.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE (MQW):

Meetings 1st Sun of month. Next meeting will be held May 5th at 2:00pm. Last meeting until September.

- Mass for the Deceased and Living members of the CWL will be held on Friday, April 26th.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY: (MQW)

Thank-you for your continued support. Next Meeting April 18th, at 1:30 pm. Meetings are 3rd Thurs of the month. **DO NOT DROP ITEMS OFF WITHOUT CALLING 364-7140.** A huge demand is placed on our Food Banks. Please donate one food item per week. Your donation is much appreciated.

ARCHBISHOP'S APPEAL COLLECTION:

The Collection for this important Appeal will take place on May 5th and 12th. This collection is needed to help the Archdiocese fund the chaplaincies at our hospitals, at the prison, at the seniors homes and at long term care facilities, as well as at the RUAH Counselling Centre.

YOUTH MINISTRY:

The Youth Ministry Mass at St. Peter's will be Sunday, April 21st at the 11:30 am Mass. Children & youth of all ages are encouraged to sign up to participate. Contact Heather to sign up.

WINNING # FOR "WIN THE WALLET"

1655- WINNER: Phil Ingram. Thank you to all who supported this fund raising effort.

NEW EVANGELIZATION SUMMIT 2019

Join thousands of Catholics from around the world at the premier conference. The event will be held live in Ottawa and webcast to host sites across Canada, the US and other countries. The Summit is free for all attendees. Register now at: www.newevangelization.ca. This event will be held at St. Peter's Parish on May 4th.

FAMILY BASED CATECHESIS & SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION PROGRAM:

Family Gathering for families and children enrolled in the Family Catechesis Program:

Mary Queen of the World: (10:30 am - Parish Centre – basement)

* Crowning of Mary (All Children) May 5th beginning of Mass. **Please arrive at 9:30**

* The next Sacramental Preparation Session #5 for Confirmation and First Eucharist is May 5th.

St. Peter's: (10:15 am - Kelly Centre)

* The next sacramental preparation Session #5 for First Eucharist and Confirmation is April 28th.

“IMPORTANT NOTICE”:

Due to circumstances the date for Confirmation has been moved by one week in both parishes. The Sacrament of Confirmation will take place at Mary Queen of the World's on **Tuesday, June 11th** and St. Peter's will take place on **Thursday, June 13th.**

MASS OF CHRISM:

Will take place at the Basilica Tuesday April 16th at 7:00 pm After the celebration, a reception will be held in the ambulatories of the church.

AN EVENING WITH THE ARCHBISHOP – DINNER & AUCTION:

On May 8th, 2019 at the Delta St. John's Hotel and Conference Centre, we will be celebrating our 11th Annual Archbishop's Dinner & Auction. Our theme this year is “New Beginnings” as we welcome Archbishop Peter J. Hundt to our Archdiocese. Last year's event was a great success and allowed the Archdiocese to continue to improve its many Outreach Programs. We need your support to make this year's event the most successful ever!

We are currently seeking donations for the dessert, silent and live auctions. If you would like to make a donation please contact Anne Marie Curran at 726-3660. Tickets for the event will be going on sale soon! Tickets are \$200 (\$140 charitable donation receipt). Thank you for your support!

MOW CHURCH – NEW LIGHTING:

Our new lighting has been installed and as you can see it has added greatly to the lighting in our church as well as adds to the overall appearance in our church. Cost including installation is \$4,000.00. We are asking for a donation from our parishioners to cover this cost. Donations are “Tax Deductible”. Please mark you name and information and “New Lighting” on your envelope to receive your Tax Receipt at year end. With a small contribution from each parishioner we can recover the cost of this improvement to our parish.

Total received to date is \$2040.00

Thank you for your donations.

ST.PETER'S PARISH 180 TICKET DRAW:

Winners of the first months draw are:

1. M.L. Penney
2. S. Kennedy
3. C. & G. Etheridge

CENTRE FOR LIFE:

Good Friday Ecumenical Prayer Service for Life April 19th @9:00 am at St. Pius X Church. The Centre for Life invites the community to gather in a spiritual fellowship of reflection and prayer for all vulnerable human life in our society. Everyone is welcome. For more information call 579-1500.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: “PLEASE NOTE DATE CHANGE” (Fr. John B Kent Council)

Dinner and Bingo April 24, 2019 will take place at St. Peter's Parish at a cost of \$20.00 doors open at 6:00 pm dinner at 7:00 pm. For tickets please contact Joanne at 749-3945 between 10:00 am and 9:00 pm. Deadline to purchase is April 18th.

STUDENT SUMMER GRANTS:

Mary Queen of the World and St. Peter's parishes has applied for Student Summer Grants with the Federal and Provincial Governments. In anticipation of being successful we are asking any high school or college or university students to apply for these To be eligible for these positions you must be returning to school full time in September 2019. Applications may be emailed or dropped off during office hours.

MARY QUEEN OF THE WORLD PARISH MISSION STATEMENT: "A STEWARDSHIP PARISH"

Our Parish Community is dedicated to:

*Living the Word *Universally Sharing the Word *And Welcoming All in the Spirit of the Gospel

ST. PETER'S PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Jesus entrusted the mission of the Church to Saint Peter. Rooted in scripture, prayer and sacraments, we, the community of St. Peter's Parish, embrace the mission in today's world. Through proclamation of the Word, the celebration of the Eucharist, Stewardship, ongoing faith development, and the nurturing of a sense of belonging, we will foster an all-inclusive community of love.

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Mary Queen of the World & St. Peter's Parishes

Holy Week - 2019



Dear Parishioners/Friends:

*The Season of Lent is drawing to a close. This Sunday we celebrate **Passion/Palm Sunday** which leads us into Holy Week - a time of special preparation, highlighted by the celebration of the Death and Resurrection of Jesus. This week should be different from all other weeks, our schedules should be arranged in such a way that we are able to take full part in the **Holy Week Celebrations**. Please take time and respect these **Holy Days**. Let us not get distracted by other events. Let us give time in prayer.*

HOLY THURSDAY

*Jesus gives himself as the Bread of eternal life, and the Cup of salvation. He also gives a sign of true service by washing the feet of his disciples. He gives us a new commandment: "**Love one another as I have loved you.**" At the Mass of the Lord's Supper, with the Washing of Feet, Procession of the Blessed Sacrament to the Altar of Repose, and Adoration until 10.00PM. (Note) The Station of the Cross are **NOT** made during the Solemn Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.*

7:00 PM - Mass - St. Peter's Parish

10:00 PM - Night Prayer - St. Peter's Parish



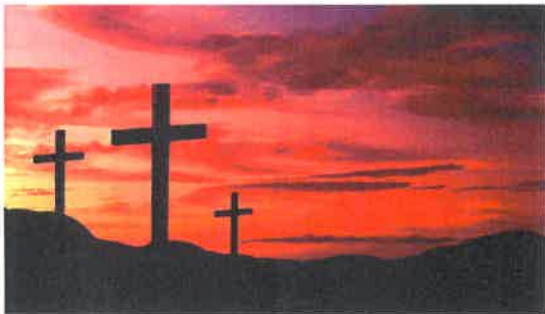
GOOD FRIDAY

*No Mass is celebrated on this day. There is a special celebration on **Good Friday** afternoon in which we have the reading of the Passion according to "**John**" followed by prayers for the church, and the world. The dramatic Veneration of the Cross leads into a simple Communion Service in which communion from the Mass on Holy Thursday is distributed. This is a solemn day of prayer, as we pray near the cross. It is a day of reflection and respect*

12 Noon - Memorial of the Lord's Passion - St. Peter's

3:00 PM - Memorial of the Lord's Passion - MQW

7:00 PM - Stations of the Cross - MQW



EASTER VIGIL

*Holy Saturday is a day of quiet prayer and fasting in preparation for the great **Easter Vigil** which takes place that night, the most important night of the year. The proclamation of God's word is the basic and most important element of the vigil. To celebrate these rites properly, time is required, so we anticipate that our **Easter Vigil** will be long.*

8:00 PM - Easter Vigil - MQW

EASTER SUNDAY

9:45 AM - Mass - MQW

11:30 AM - Mass - St. Peter's





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An Evening with the Archbishop Dinner & Auction

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Last year's event was a great success and allowed the Archdiocese to continue to improve its many Outreach Programs. We need your support to make this year's event the most successful ever!

We are currently seeking donations for the dessert, silent and live auctions. If you would like to make a Silent or Live auction donation please contact Ann Marie Curran at (709) 726-3660 ext.# 227 or if you would like to donate a dessert for the dinner auction please contact Maria Goodridge at # 709 726-3067 or Email: grace1@nf.aibn.com

Tickets are \$200 (\$140 charitable donation receipt). Thank you for your support!

Archbishop's Appeal Collection 2019

This year's Archbishop Appeal Collection will take place in the Parishes of the Archdiocese on the weekend Masses of **May 5th and May 12th**.

Envelopes for the annual collection will be sent out to your Parish at the end of this week. Your Parish is encouraged to have a ticket drive, organize a brunch, a yard sale, a golf tournament, or another fundraising activity to support the Appeal collection in your parish. These monies are needed to help the Archdiocese fund the chaplaincies at our hospitals, at the prison, at the seniors homes and at long term care facilities, as well as at the RUAH Counselling Centre. Please designate a committee or someone in your parish to help you organize this annual fund raising collection.

Thank you all for your efforts. Fr. Cecil Critch

MASS OF CHRISM

This year's **Mass of Chrism** is scheduled for the **Tuesday of Holy Week, April 16 at 7:00 pm**. After the celebration of Eucharist and the blessing and consecration of the Holy Oils, a reception will be held in the ambulatories of the Church. Music ministers from throughout the Archdiocese are invited to be part of a massed Archdiocesan choir, which will practice in the Bellamy Choir Room at 6:00 pm on Tuesday, April 16, 2019.

PLEASE NOTE: As in past years, please return any empty chrism bottles to the Basilica so that they are able to determine how many new bottles they would need to order for this year's celebration. **Thank you.**



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VOCATION GENERAL INTERCESSIONS

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion-- April 14, 2019 -

For all those being called to share in the passion of Christ as priests, deacons and in the consecrated life, that they will echo His Eternal Word of mercy in their own faithfulness to the Father's will, we pray to the Lord.

VOCATION BULLETIN REFLECTION

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion -- April 14, 2019

"The Lord God has opened my ear, and I was not rebellious." Docility in prayer is essential to vocation discernment. Are you open to a vocation to the priesthood, diaconate or the consecrated life? Call Father Jeff Kolonel at (709)745-8183 or Father Ray Earle (709)488-2525 or Father Philip Melvin at (709)754-1195 or **email:** vocations@rcsj.org

CURRENT EVENTS

1. MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE DATES:

The following are the dates for upcoming Marriage Preparation Courses to be held at Mary Queen of the World, Topsail Road, St. John's.

May 10 & 11, 2019

May 31 & June 1, 2019

Anyone wishing to register for one of these courses, please call **Theresa Whiffen at 726-3660 ext 236**

2. Fr. Francis Jackman Council # 9303 is sponsoring the "**Red Island ---Resettlement Girl**". Story Telling and Singing with Marion Counsel, Helen Murphy, & Barbara O'Keefe- St. Thomas of Villanova Parish Hall (Powers Court) Manuels, CBS. At **8pm on Saturday, April 6th, 2019**
Tickets \$ 20.00. Get your tickets early!

Contact Gary @ 834 -1056, Steve @ 351- 3461 or Len @ 834 -3842

3. ANNUAL BASILICA PARISH FLIPPER DINNER - \$25.00

ALTERNATE DINNER: CHICKEN BREAST \$25.00

Dinner, Dessert, Tea & Coffee

Thursday, May 2nd 6:00 p.m.

Terra Nova Council, Knights of Columbus, St. Clare Avenue (upstairs)

(Take-outs available downstairs at 5:45 p.m.)

Tickets available at: Parish Office ... Mon. thru Fri. 9:00 am. - 4:30 pm.

Parish Religious Articles Store ... Saturday before & after 5 pm. Mass,

Sunday after 8:30 am. Mass & before & after 11:00 am. Mass

DEADLINE FOR TICKET PURCHASE ... Monday, April 29th

After- Dinner Entertainment "**KILMAINHAM**"



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4. Spring Concert - Sunday May 5, 4:00 pm Holy Trinity Parish, Torbay. A concert celebrating the beauties of life. The Aurora Women's Choir with special guests Jennifer Johnson and the Young Virtuosi of the St. John's Suzuki Talent Education Program. Tickets: \$20/\$18. Children under 12 free. Food donations to North East Avalon Food Bank welcomed.

5. Come "Awaken the Energy Within" for more relaxation, energy, wellness and joy with Wisdom Healing Qigong and T'ai Chi Chih Joy thru Movement, two mindfulness meditation practices. Daytime and evening sessions Tuesday to Thursday from April 2nd - May 23rd at The Lantern, 35 Barnes Road. Also Saturday Retreat Day sessions in April and May at Presentation Sisters Retreat House, 47 Parsonage Drive. New and returning participants welcome! For more details please contact Sheila at 727-7863 or sheilaleonard@nf.sympatico.ca or visit www.sheilaleonard.ca Can also call The Lantern at 753-8760.

5. St. Patrick's Parish Annual Shindig

St. Patrick's Parish Annual Shindig, **Friday, June 7, 2019 at 6:30 PM** at **Columbus Hall**. Games of Chance, Bingo, Live Auction and Live entertainment. Meal - Stuffed Chicken Breast, Dessert, tea or coffee. Tickets \$40.00 each. Tickets for sale at St. Patrick's parish office and St. Patrick's Church.

Matthew 25 Outreach Inc

Our St. Patrick's Day Afternoon Tea was a great success we cleared over \$3800.00 while donations are still being greatly accepted. We wish to thank all those who attended and those who made a donation towards this great cause.

RELIGIOUS CELEBRATIONS AND EVENTS

CENTRE FOR LIFE

1. Good Friday Ecumenical Prayer Service For Life April 19th 9 am at St. Pius X Church on Smithville Crescent .**The Centre for Life** invites the community to gather in a spiritual fellowship of reflection and prayer for all vulnerable human life in our society. Everyone is welcome. For information, please call 579-1500.

2. MARY QUEEN OF THE WORLD on Topsail Road will be hosting a **24 Hour Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** beginning with **Mass at 9:30 a.m. on April 11** and ending with **Mass at 9:30 a.m. on Friday April 12**. We are praying for our priests but also praying that others will choose the priesthood for their vocation. Please join us for as little or as much time as you have available. All are welcome.



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3. ONE MILLION ROSARIES FOR UNBORN BABIES

The **One Million Rosaries for Unborn Babies** multinational pro-life prayer event is scheduled for 3, 4, and 5 May this year. Persons participating will pray at least one Rosary for the protection of the unborn. For details and to register go to:
<http://www.saintmichaelthearchangelorganization.org>

4. ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI /ST. PAUL'S /MQP /ST. PIUS X PARISHES

All Interested Parishioners, Current & New Ministry Teams Members at St. Francis of Assisi, St. Paul's, Mary Queen of Peace and St. Pius X Parishes are invited to attend a workshop to refresh us, to build new skills, and training in various ministries. We ask all current and new participants in these ministries to make every effort to take part. The workshops will take place at St. Paul's Parish. **All are welcome. Hospitality Ministers: Tuesday, April 30 at 7:00pm**

5. Pontifical Collection Of Good Friday on April 19, 2019 for the benefit of the Holy Land. The Pontifical collection for the benefit of the Holy Places is scheduled this year on **Good Friday, April 19, 2019**. Each year on Good Friday, our parish is called to support Christians in the Holy Land.

As a Pontifical collection requested by Pope Francis, the annual Good Friday Collection helps to maintain not only the Holy Places, but also the pastoral, welfare, educational and social works that the Church carries out to the benefit of the Christian brothers and sisters and the local population. With gratitude, Father Gilles Bourdeau, OFM, Commissary of the Holy Land.

6. TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS - PERMANENT TIME CHANGE

Traditional Latin Mass at St Pius X Chapel, Smithville Crescent, will commence at 5:00 p.m. This is a permanent time change.

7. Applications for the **Knights of Columbus Supreme Scholarship** are due on **May 1, 2019**. Applications can be requested at www.kofc.org under scholarships. The Scholarships are 4th Degree Pro Deo and Pro Patris (Canada) Scholarships.

COUNSELLING AND PASTORAL SERVICES

RUAH

1. Spring 2019 Group Offerings - Ruah Counselling Centre. Please go to www.rcsj.org for more information: *When You See RED for women*

(8 weeks beginning April 3, 2019 on Wednesday afternoons 12pm-2pm) *Rebuilding After the End of a Relationship, Separation and Divorce* (8 weeks beginning April 2, 2019 on Tuesday evenings 7pm-9pm) *When You See RED for men* (8 weeks, beginning in April, dates TBD).



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2. THE CENTRE FOR LIFE

The Centre offers free, confidential professional pregnancy and post-abortion counselling. Please email counsellors@centreforlife.ca or call (709) 579 – 3818. Linda Holden (709) 579 –1500 for more information.

YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

1. Steubenville Atlantic Youth Conference - July 2019

Youth aged 14-21 are invited to join us for Steubenville Atlantic this July! Steubenville conferences create the opportunity for teens to encounter Jesus Christ and His Church through inspiring talks, amazing music, group discussion and the Sacraments. Each year, a group of young people travel from our Archdiocese to Halifax, NS to attend this conference - it has always been an amazing experience! This year, the conference will be held from **July 5-7** at Dalhousie University. For more information, please contact Sara at sbroderick@rcsj.org

2. Catholic Alpha for Youth

Alpha for Youth is an interactive series that explores the basics of the Christian faith as well as questions about life, faith and God for a new generation. Each session will start with a meal, followed by a short video. After the video, we break into small groups for a relaxed discussion. This series is open to all youth in our Archdiocese and is appropriate for ages 12-18. There is no cost for registration! Sessions start on Sunday, March 10th at St. Peter's Parish in Mount Pearl. For more information or to register, please visit <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/alpha-youth-series-tickets-33741358311> or contact Sara at sbroderick@rcsj.org

3. New Evangelization Summit 2019

On May 4th, join thousands of Catholics from around the world at the premier conference on the New Evangelization. The event will be held live in Ottawa and webcast to host sites across Canada, the US, the UK, and Australia. This year's Summit is once again featuring world-class Catholic speakers: Fr. James Mallon, Michael Dopp, Cardinal Gérald Lacroix, Michelle Moran, Fr. Jon Bielawski, and Michele Thompson.

The **NES** has been designed to inspire Catholics and help them live out their personal call to evangelize. We are incredibly excited to be a host site for NES. This year, the Summit is **FREE** for all attendees! Be inspired, receive formation, and connect with other Catholics. Register now at www.newevangelization.ca

Where/Location: St. Peter's Parish, Mount Pearl - When: May 4, 2019

4. Mass is offered daily at MUN (M-F) at 12 noon in UC3016. All are welcome!



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5. THE DIPLOMA IN THEOLOGY AND MINISTRY (Roman Catholic Studies) is offered by the Archdiocese of St John's through Queen's College. Registrations are always being accepted, and you can apply by contacting Queen's College directly at queens@mun.ca. In this two-year program, participants are offered the opportunity to explore each of the areas of Roman Catholic Theology— foundations, Moral Theology, Scriptural Studies, Liturgy, Church History, Evangelization and Catechesis and Pastoral Studies and Ministry. For more information contact Anne Walsh at amfwalsh@gmail.com

6. PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA AND MEDJUGORJE

Interested in going to Fatima and Medjugorje?

We are planning a pilgrimage to go to both of these locations in September. The trip will be approximately 14-16 days and will include return airfare, accommodations in Fatima and Medjugorje, breakfast/dinner, as well as the services of an English-speaking guide in both locations. Right now, we are trying to determine how much interest there is to join us in this pilgrimage. For more information, please contact Betty Melvin at (709) 745-7436; or email: bmelvin1@hotmail.com