

**Church of the Most Holy Redeemer**

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**16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time July 18<sup>th</sup> 2021**

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[www.dioceseofcharlottetown.com](http://www.dioceseofcharlottetown.com)

Read the bulletin online at: [www.holyredeemerpei.com/](http://www.holyredeemerpei.com/)

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**We now have permission for 200 people (4 cohorts of 50) to gather. Baptisms and Funerals are limited to 100.**

**There will be no live streaming of the 9am masses for the summer. A huge thank you to David Lopes who provided this service for our Parishioners, as they were able to participate and watch the mass from the comfort of their homes.**

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**Mass Schedule:**

**Weekdays at 9 AM**

Weekends – Saturday at 4 PM and Sunday at 9 & 11 AM

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**Sunday Offerings**

Sunday July 11<sup>th</sup> Collections: \$3,424.30

Capital Expenditure for June: \$1,802.10

Sign up for direct deposits – call the office for details.

Your generosity is appreciated. Thank you!

**It is important to keep your church records up to date.**

**Call the office with any changes.**

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**Office Hours: Monday to Friday – 9:00am to 3:00pm**

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**Parish Prayers:** requests for prayers for loved ones who are ill, undergoing tests or surgery, suffering from stress, mental health issues, addiction issues, or prayers of thanksgiving can be given to Myrna Murray at 892-5245 or Fr. Joseph at 628-9463 or leave your request in the basket located on the table in the foyer.

**Once again pray for those who are mourning the loss of a loved one.**

**The Rosary:** is said each weekday morning at 8:30. Come early for this time of prayer. Mass is at 9:00. The Rosary is also said at 3:20 on Sat. evenings.

**Confessions:** are held every Sat. at 3:00 pm or by setting up an appointment with Father Joseph in his office.

**Reflection**

Expectant waiting for dear ones: A story from the life of Mother Teresa shows her love for lonely and unwanted people, the “sheep without a shepherd,” who, while materially well-off, are sometimes “the poorest of the poor.” On one occasion, she visited a well-run nursing home where good food, medical care and other facilities were offered to the elderly. As she moved among the old people, she noticed that none of them smiled unless she touched them and smiled at them first. She also noticed that many of them kept glancing expectantly towards the door while listening to her. When she asked one of the nurses why this was so, she was told: “They are looking for a visit from someone related to them. But, except for an occasional visit, birthday gift or a get-well card, this never happens.” Jesus invites us, in today’s Gospel, to show concern, mercy and compassion for such sheep without a shepherd.

-Submitted by Fr. Joseph Dovari

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**During the Covid Pandemic** the St. Vincent de Paul (SSVP) donation boxes located at the centre isle are being used for the weekly Church collections. There are two other wooden boxes at the side exists where you can place your donations. Thank you in advance for your continual support during this time.

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**Knights of Columbus:** There is a donation bin at the back of the Church for people who are in need of food. If you are able to help the knights are accepting donations. Thank you for the support during this time, much appreciated. If you have any questions or concerns, please call 902-892-2978.

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**Teen Summer Social:** The parish will hold a Barbeque for our young people who will be attending Grades 10, 11 and 12 this coming year on Tuesday, August 10th from 5:30 to 7:00pm on the lawn next to rectory, but you are welcome to come early and socialize with your peers. (In case of rain, we will move to the Jack Blanchard Family Centre). In addition to great food, we will have a band and there will be a chance to play some games. We would like to thank the Knights of Columbus for their support. Please confirm your attendance by contacting: David LeClair at [daleclair@eastlink.ca](mailto:daleclair@eastlink.ca). Come and Join the Fun!!!

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**Weekday Masses & Intentions: July 19<sup>th</sup>- July 25<sup>th</sup>**

Mon: 9:00: Jean Docherty

Tues 9:00: For Intentions of the Parishioners

2:00: Garden Home (No Intentions)

Wed: 9:00: For Intentions of the Parishioners

10:30: PE Home (No Intentions)

Thurs: 9:00: James Greenan†

Fri: 9:00: Rick Carter and Turkey John

Sat: 4:00: For Intentions of the Parishioners

Sun: 9:00: For Intentions of the Parishioners

11:00: For Intentions of the Parishioners

**Around the Diocese**

**Heart-of-the Matter Marriage Prep Course** is being offered – in person- at the Catholic Centre on North River Road. There will be two opportunities on the weekends (Friday evening and all day Saturday) of **July 30/31 and August 27/28**. If you are planning to get married in the Catholic Church this coming year please contact Pat Wiedemer or check the diocesan webpage at <https://dioceseofcharlottetown.com/diocesan-ministries/marriage-preparation/> for more information about this course.

Registration is required. Space is limited in keeping with public health restrictions. Pat Wiedemer [patricia.wiedemer@outlook.com](mailto:patricia.wiedemer@outlook.com) or call 902-393-6047.

**WANTED:** Historical materials pertaining to the diocese prior to 1975 and no longer needed by owners. Such items might include parish notes, obituaries, old letters, pictures of important parish or diocesan events, etc. Many such historical bits and pieces are often found in attics, trunks, boxes or basements and may soon be lost. Kindly contact Fr. Art O’Shea at the Diocesan Pastoral Centre at 902-368-8005 or drop off materials at 350 North River Road, Charlottetown on Tuesdays, or Thursdays.

**A Canadian Catholic Shop is opening an online store** where people can buy books and media, gifts, devotionals and much more! At Sunrise Marian Distribution we feel that the intercession of the Blessed Mother was greatly influential in our decision to start a Catholic bookstore in 1996. We have adopted St. Louis de Montfort’s quote, “*The easiest way to Jesus is through Mary*” as our motto and have placed our business under her protection and mantle. Our goal is to help people grow in their personal and spiritual lives while deepening their relationship with God, the Blessed Mother, and the Saints, through trustworthy books, faith formation, bible studies, gifts,

music, and films. If you are interested and want to support this business, please visit their website at [www.sunrisemarian.com](http://www.sunrisemarian.com).

**Ordination of Rev. Mr. Walter Flynn to the**

**Priesthood:** We are very happy to announce that Archbishop Emeritus Martin Currie will be ordaining Deacon Flynn to the priesthood on the **22nd of July 2021** (Feast of St. Mary Magdalene, Disciple of the Lord). The ordination will take place at the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer in Charlottetown at 7pm and will be live streamed. Due to the ongoing public health orders, seating is limited to invited and pre-registered guests, however, the celebration will be live streamed on YouTube. The link for the live stream video can be found on our Parish Facebook page and our website. Please continue to keep Deacon Walter in your prayers.

**JACK BLANCHARD FAMILY CENTRE** (The Hall): For parishioners to rent the Main Floor or to rent the Knight’s room, call the office at 902-894-7385.

**Mass Readings for July 25<sup>th</sup>**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: 2 Kings 4.42-44

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Ephesians 4.1-6

The Gospel Reading: John 6.1-15

*Coming together,  
Believing in one  
another.*

