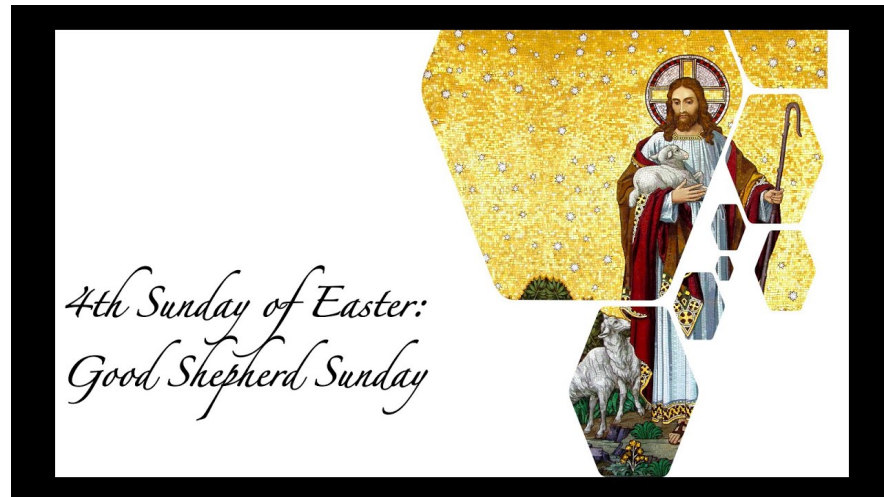


HOLY ROSARY PARISH BULLETIN

Westmount, NS

Parish Priest – Fr. Doug Murphy

Mass – Saturday 4:15 p.m. & Sunday 10:00 a.m.



May 10th & 11th, 2025

THEME: The Lord is the shepherd. He knows his sheep and they follow him. They listen to his voice and follow where He leads. They shall never be lost nor stolen from him.

COLLECTION: Regular- \$3,350.00

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS: Today: We are invited to reflect on the meaning of God's call and to pray for vocations. Christ, the Good Shepherd, leads his people through his Bishops, Priests and Deacons and calls many to follow him in this way.

CANADA HEALTH DAY: Monday - This day reminds us that health and healing are aspects of our baptismal vocation. We are called to take responsibility for our personal health; to prevent illness and to seek a healthy lifestyle. Good health shows respect for God's creation and the good of all creation.



MOTHER'S DAY: Today we honor our mothers, living and dead and all the women in our lives who have looked after us as mothers. May God bless and strengthen them for their witness of love and concern.

FEASTS THIS WEEK: Wednesday: St. Matthias – Apostle

BULLETIN NOTICES: Notices for the Parish Bulletin can be called in to Donna Lewis at 902-564-2047 or sent via e-mail to grahamanddonna@hotmail.com. It would be appreciated if all notices could be received by noon on Thursday. Thank you.

HOLY ROSARY COMMUNITY HELPER - SUMMER JOB POSTING: There is an opening for a summer job at Holy Rosary Parish. This position runs from early June until mid September. Work hours are 30 hours per week at \$16 per hour. **Responsibilities:** Job responsibilities include yard maintenance (mowing, clipping, raking), painting, cleaning in the Church, and other such duties assigned. **Criteria:** The job is supported by the Canada Summer Jobs program where the person eligible:

- * is between 15 and 30 years of age (inclusive) at the start of employment;
- * is a Canadian Citizen, permanent resident, or person on whom refugee protection has been conferred under the Immigration and Refugee Protection Act, S.C. 2001, c. 27*; and
- * is legally entitled to work according to the relevant provincial / territorial legislation and regulations.
- * International students are not eligible.
- * Recent immigrants are eligible if they are Canadian Citizens or permanent residents;

Interested parties should submit a resume to Ronald F. MacNeil at Holy Rosary, 40 Rosary Drive, Westmount, B1R 1M5, email ron@ronmacneil.me, or text to 902-577-1323. Applications close on May 24th.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR: This year, the Knights of Columbus Pilgrim Icon is a depiction of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. It will be here at Holy Rosary on Thursday, May 29th for Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. More details to follow.

VARIETY CONCERT: St. Marguerite Bourgeoys Church on Cabot St. in Sydney on Sunday, May 25th at 2:00p.m. Admission: \$15 per person or 2 for \$25 - Great lineup of talent!

TEA & TALK: Tuesday, May 20th 1:30 -3:30 p.m. An invitation to join with other women to share TEA and TALK at Holy Redeemer Convent 24 Neville St. Whitney Pier, just behind the Pier Post Office. This invitation is open to women of all ages. This is an attempt to provide an opportunity for women to join with others to simply share a cup of tea and to experience the joy of being together. For further information phone 902 270 4840 or 902 539 6331.



POPE LEO XIV:

What a day for the Church and the World! Robert Prevost was born in Chicago but spent a great deal of his life as a Missionary in Peru. He is a member of the Order of St. Augustine in which he served as Superior General for two terms. In Peru, he served as a priest, seminary professor and bishop. He holds a doctorate in Canon Law from the Pontifical College of St. Thomas Aquinas in Rome. He is truly a man of the world, high educated and very self-possessed. In 2023, Pope Francis appointed him as Prefect of the Dicastery of Bishops and a member of the College of Cardinals. (He replaced our Canadian Cardinal Ouellet at the Dicastery for Bishops). He chose the name Leo XIV who is remembered as the great bishop of social justice. He likely will follow the spirit of Pope Francis but with a different style. He needs our prayers.