

**2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
JANUARY 15, 2023**

**Week Day Mass Times**

Date	Time	Place	Intention
Mon 16	9:00 am	STLF	Hubert Pierlot
Tues 17	9:00 am	STP	Alex & Rita MacKinnon
Wed 18	NO MASS		
Thur 19	9:00 am	STLF	Katherine & Cyrus LaPierre
Fri 20	9:00 am	STP	Raymond Wilson

**Sunday Mass Times**

Date	Time	Place	Intention
Sat 21	9:00 am	STLF	Celebrant's Intention
	4:00 pm	STL	Clifford McGuirk
Sun 22	9:00 am	STLF	Living & Deceased Members of the Cameron & Doucette Families
	11:00 am	STP	PEOPLE OF THE DIOCESE

**LAST SUNDAY OFFERINGS:  
Thank You!**

Parish	Date	Amount
St. Lawrence O'Toole	JAN 08	\$740.00
St Theresa, The Little Flower	JAN 08	\$800.00
St. Peter's	JAN 08	\$1,048.70

**SUNDAY DONATIONS TO HOLY TRINITY PASTORAL UNIT  
CAN BE MADE AS FOLLOWS:**

- ST. LAWRENCE O'TOOLE: at the Saturday 4 PM Vigil Mass
- ST. THERESA, THE LITTLE FLOWER: Sunday 9 AM Mass or by e-transfer to [sttheresalfdonate@gmail.com](mailto:sttheresalfdonate@gmail.com) (donations will be credited to your envelope # account)
- ST. PETER'S: at the Sunday Morning Mass at 11 AM or by sending an e-transfer to [stpetersbayparish@gmail.com](mailto:stpetersbayparish@gmail.com) - the payment will go directly to the parish account with your name and amount so that you can be credited for your donation or by placing your envelopes in the safety deposit box located immediately to the right of the entrance door to the Dr. Roddie Center, St. Peter's Bay.

**FOOD BANK DONATION BOX:** The St Peter's CWL have a Food Bank donation box at the back of the church to help those in need this winter. Any non-perishable donations would be greatly appreciated.

**PRAYERLINE:** Maureen Evans at 961-2182 or email to [blimey2182@gmail.com](mailto:blimey2182@gmail.com)

**SEAT COLLECTORS FOR JANUARY (STLF):** Andre Gallant (961-3095) Kent Czank (961-3329)

**HOLY TRINITY PASTORAL UNIT  
ST. THERESA, THE LITTLE FLOWER &  
ST. PETER'S & ST. LAWRENCE O'TOOLE  
Pastor: Rev. Brian MacDougall**

**PARISH ACTIVITIES ...**

**HOLY ROSARY:** at 8:40 am prior to every Saturday morning Mass at Little Flower Church. Please join in honoring Our Blessed Mother and beseeching her intercession.

**YOU ARE INVITED TO A SOCIAL:** at St. Lawrence Church. Invite your neighbour to come too. Let's fill the church! We would love to see you all there on Saturday January 21st at 4pm for mass and 5pm for social! Coffee, tea, and snacks provided.

**FOUR NEW HEAT PUMPS:** have been installed in St. Theresa, The Little Flower church. This is to reduce the cost of rising furnace oil prices and hopefully will be a cost-efficient way of heating the church. In the summertime, the church will be kept cool (air conditioned) during the hot summer months. Obviously, it is a big investment and cost to the parish. The total cost is \$20,356. I ask the parishioners of St. Theresa's Parish to be generous and to consider donating towards this worthy project to help pay for it. Tax receipts will be available to those who make donations.

Thank You for your generosity and kindness.  
(Fr. Brian)

**CATHOLIC GIRLS' BURSARY:** The 2023 PEI Catholic Girls Bursary Application which is administered by the PEI Provincial Catholic Women League of Canada (CWL) is now available to Catholic Girls and Women attending College or University Institutions. Copies of the application can be found at the back of the church or from the PEI Website at [cwlpei.ca](http://cwlpei.ca). It can be sent by mail or electronically. The deadline to apply is January 31, 2023. If you have any questions, please contact Karen Rossiter.

**LECTIO DIVINA:** Martha Spirituality Centre offering: Lectio Divina, a contemplative praying of Scripture, hosted by Sr. Joan Campbell every Thursday from Jan. 19 to April 27, from 10:30-11:45 am. To register contact Sr. Joan at [drjoancsm@gmail.com](mailto:drjoancsm@gmail.com). There is no fee for this program.

**BEHOLD THE LAMB OF GOD:** A retreat on our Lord's Eucharistic presence at Our Lady of Hope Retreat Centre. Father Andrew Handrahan will lead this retreat the weekend of January 20-22, 2023, reflecting on the Lord's presence among us in the Eucharist and our response to this sacred gift of the Lord to His Church. There are a few spots left - to register, please call 902-621-2385 or 902-388-1952. The cost for the weekend is \$195.00 for single registrants and \$295.00 for couples. Arrival time is 6 to 6:30 PM on Friday, retreat begins promptly at 7.

**CLERGY CHANGE:** Effective January 1, Fr. Martin Carter has been appointed Parish Administrator of St. Francis of Assisi (Cornwall), St. Martin of Tours (Cumberland) and St. Anne (Emyvale) until June 2023. Fr. Doug MacDonald, Pastor of St. Francis of Assisi and Administrator of St. Anne and St. Martin of Tours, has been granted medical leave until June 2023.

**CATECHISM IN A YEAR!!!**

**IT'S NOT TOO LATE!!**

**In response to countless requests, *Ascension* is launching "The Catechism in a Year" (with Fr. Mike Schmitz) on January 1, 2023!**

**With this podcast, Catholics will:**

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- Understand the essentials of the Catholic Faith and why they matter
- See how Church teaching is rooted in Sacred Scripture
- Absorb over 2,000 years of Sacred Tradition
- Encounter God's plan of sheer goodness
- Transform their relationship with the Church that Christ founded.

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**We can't wait to start this incredible journey with you!**

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**"The Eucharist is alive. If a stranger who knew nothing about the Eucharist were to watch the way we receive, would he know this? When you and I approach the Eucharist, does it look like we believe we are about to take into our bodies the living person, Jesus Christ, true God and true man? How many times, Lord, have I forgotten that the Eucharist is alive! As I wait in line to receive you each day, am I thinking about how much you want to unite yourself with me? Am I seeing your hands filled with the graces you want to give me? Am I filled with awe and gratitude that you love me so much as to actually want to come to me in this incredibly intimate way? Or am I distracted, busy with other thoughts, preoccupied with myself and my agendas for the day? How many times, Jesus, have I made you sad, mindlessly receiving you into my body, into my heart, with no love and no recognition of your love? How many times have I treated you as a dead object? The Host that we receive is not a thing! It's not a wafer! It's not bread! It's a person – He's alive!"**

