



# ST PATRICK OF THE ISLAND

FEBRUARY 15, 2026

### MASSES

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 14, 2026  
5 pm Intentions of the Parishioners

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 15, 2026  
9 am Rex Padida from St Pat's 9am  
Choir  
Marian & Jadzia Daca from Family  
11 am Sue Brazeau from Mary Martin  
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**WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 18, 2024**  
**ASH WEDNESDAY CELEBRATION**  
**4 pm and 7 pm**  
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FRIDAY FEBRUARY 20, 2026  
7 pm Way of the Cross with Deacon Nic  
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SATURDAY FEBRUARY 21, 2026  
5 pm Sue Brazeau from Coulter Family

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 22, 2026  
9 am Rex Padida from Family  
11 am Francisco, Maria & Jose Pontes  
from Family  
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### MINISTERS

Sat Feb 14 5pm Eric  
Sun Feb 15 9am Tony  
11am Ann Mary  
Sat Feb 21 5pm Heather  
Sun Feb 22 9am Aaron  
11am Erin

### COLLECTIONS

The collection for February 8<sup>th</sup> was \$1872 which included a generous donation. Thank you for your generous support.

SANCTUARY LAMP BURNS FOR:  
Week Feb 14: For All Those Who Love  
Week Feb 21 Marian & Jadzia Daca

### OUR FAITH JOURNEY

Our special participants for this Sunday's Mass are Miss Kirsty's Level 3 group. Next Sunday the special participants is Level 4, Miss Anne's group.

### ST PAT'S MENS GROUP

Our Men's Group meets at 8am on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of each month. All men welcome!

### ADORATION CHAPEL

The Adoration Chapel is open from 8am-8pm daily. Please sign in, even if you only stay for a few minutes, this is so we know if people are visiting the chapel.

### PRAYER LIST

**(Revised - contact the office to add a name)**  
Carol Pigeon, Dallale Khoury, Immacolata Gallo, Franco Di Clemente, Louis & Mitchell Barany, Frances & Paul Shallhorn, Nancy G., Sara, Paulina and Mauvrido Pulido, Angela Osono, Ivanna Vashchuk, John & Celeste Cordeiro, Nicole Lalonde, Gilbert Fafard, Lise Fortin, Karen Urquhart, Baby Chiara, Cheryl Brunelle, Gaetanne Mercier, Jean MacDonald, Caiti Dore, Ron Coleman, Adam Moss, Janice Enos, Christine Fernandes

# PARISH BULLETIN

6<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

### **BULLETIN COVER UNDER CONSTRUCTION**

**LENT STARTS FEBRUARY 18**  
**Mark your calendars for Wednesday February 18<sup>th</sup> at 4pm or 7pm for our Ash Wednesday Celebration.**

### THE WAY OF THE CROSS

During Lent, join Deacon Nic in the church, on Friday evenings at 7pm, for The Way of The Cross.



### ST PAT'S KAREOKE NIGHT

Join us on Friday February 27, from 8-10 pm, for an evening of singing and fun!

### SAVE THE DATE

February 18 – Ash Wednesday  
March 14 – St Pat's Food Festival  
March 15 – "Irish Coffee" after both Masses  
May 2 & 9 – 1<sup>st</sup> Communion  
May 31 – Confirmation  
May – Garage Sale date to come



### ST PAT'S FOOD BANK

**WE NEED: PEANUT BUTTER (SM), JUICE 1 LITRE AND TIN VEGETABLES**

### SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

**A great means to preserve continual peace and tranquility of soul is to receive everything from the hands of God, both great and small, and in whatever way it comes.**

- St Dorotheus



### REFLECTION

*Psalm 103:14. For He knows how we were made; He remembers that we are dust.*

The solemnity of Ash Wednesday is breathtaking. This might seem strange to say, yet in the midst of the busyness of life and, in the northern hemisphere, the lengthening of days and the coming of spring, sitting among the ashes is truly a gift. I think this in part because I love working in the garden. I love the feel of good earth, the crumble of dirt clods, the smell of freshly turned soil and the promise of new life to come.

Entering into Lent is a fragile time. We are asked to delve deep into our very selves. We are called to come face to face with those times when we have grieved God's holy spirit. Forty days are to be spent in the darkness, digging around, feeling the sticks and stones, and working faithfully to prepare the soil for new life. It is hard work.

Hopefully, we will come to remember that this very dirt of life is from whence we came and to where we shall return. In between is life. For that, let us give thanks.