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<b>Masses:</b>	<b><u>Tuesday,</u></b>	<b>May 1,</b>	<b>Barry &amp; Kevin DeYoung</b>	<b>6:00 p.m.</b>	<b>St. Paul's</b>
	<b><u>Wednesday,</u></b>	<b>May 2,</b>	<b>Adrianna Linklater &amp; Joe Stewart</b>	<b>6:00 p.m.</b>	<b>St. Paul's</b>
	<b><u>Thursday,</u></b>	<b>May 3,</b>	<b>Viola O'Neill</b>	<b>6:30 p.m.</b>	<b>St. Lawrence (NOTE CHANGE)</b>
	<b><u>Friday</u></b>	<b>May 4,</b>	<b>Frank Pelrine &amp; Mary E. DeCoste</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>	<b>St. Paul's</b>
	<b><u>Saturday,</u></b>	<b>May 5,</b>	<b>Winnie DeGruchy</b>	<b>11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>St. Paul's</b>
			<b>pro populo</b>	<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>St. Francis</b>
			<b>Pam Brophy</b>	<b>6:00 p.m.</b>	<b>St. Lawrence</b>
	<b><u>Sunday,</u></b>	<b>May 6,</b>	<b>Norbert Brow</b>	<b>10:00 a.m.</b>	<b>St. Paul's</b>

**Holy Hour: Friday, May 4, 11 a.m. at St. Paul's Church, Havre Boucher**

<b>Weekly Collection</b> <b>April 21/22, 2018</b>	<b>St. Francis</b>	<b>St. Lawrence</b>	<b>St. Paul's</b>
<b>Sunday Collection</b>	<b>\$322.00</b>	<b>\$715.00</b>	<b>\$1470.00</b>
<b>Loose</b>	<b>\$15.00</b>	<b>\$147.00</b>	<b>\$45.40</b>
<b>Pastor's Dues</b>			<b>\$0</b>

<b>May 5/6, 2018</b>	<b>Lectors</b>	<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>
<b>St. Francis</b>	<b>Mary Halfpenny</b>	<b>Patsy Grady / Rose Turvey</b>
<b>St. Lawrence</b>	<b>Basil / Carol</b>	<b>Kevin / Liz / Theresa</b>
<b>St. Paul's</b>	<b>Hugh /Gwen O'Neill</b>	<b>Darryl Breen / Susan Wood / Leona Brow</b>

**Guidelines on Communion Reception Catholics,** fully participate in the celebration of the Eucharist when they receive Holy Communion. A Catholic should not receive Communion if they are conscious of grave sin and normally should have fasted one hour. A person who is conscious of grave sin is not to receive the Body and Blood of the Lord without prior sacramental confession except for a grave reason where there is no opportunity for confession.

**Our fellow Christians** (Anglicans, Protestants) are welcome to the celebration of Mass as brothers and sisters. We pray that our common baptism and action in the Holy Spirit will one day heal our divisions. Because Catholics believe that Mass is a sign of the reality of the oneness of faith, life and worship, members of those churches with whom we are not yet full united are not admitted to Holy Communion. If one day we achieve true unity, then we will all receive from the one Body and Blood of Christ. But until that day, Anglicans, Protestant and other churches cannot receive communion in a Catholic Mass, nor should Catholics receive communion in non-Catholic churches.

**Burial Plots at St. Lawrence Cemetery:** Our policy states that a new plot at St. Lawrence Cemetery costs \$200.00, regardless of whether that new plot is used for a full casket or the cremains of the deceased. If cremains are buried in an existing grave, the cost is \$100.00. We ask that you pay by cheque to St. Lawrence Cemetery Fund. Receipts will be issued. This is necessary for the upkeep of the cemeteries. **Please Note:** It is forbidden to bury cremains in our cemeteries without permission of the pastor. Such unauthorized burials are disrespectful to the Church and to the deceased.

**Burial Plots at St. Francis of Assisi cemetery:** Our guidelines indicate that a new plot at St. Francis of Assisi cemetery is \$200.00 for parishioners and for non parishioners \$300.00. We ask that you pay by cheque to St. Francis of Assisi cemetery fund. Receipts will be issue. Donations/fees are necessary for the maintenance of our cemetery.

**St. Lawrence Cemetery:** It has come to our notice that four wheelers and snowmobiles have for some time been passing through St. Lawrence Cemetery on Mill St. Not only is the road through the cemetery being used by these all-terrain vehicles, but the land on which graves are situated is also being crossed. We remind all people that a graveyard is consecrated ground, a sacred space which should be shown the utmost respect and honour. Please do not use your four-wheelers, snowmobiles, motor cycles or motorized bikes in our cemeteries.

**Community Prayer Tree:** A group of individuals would love to pray for your intentions. They pray for parishioners in need of prayer daily and at the Cenacle following Friday Mass each week when possible. They are very confidential would encourage you to either leave your petitions in the sealed box located in the Church or please phone Lucille Fougere at 234-2320. We would love to know when prayers have been answered.

**Bible Study:** Wednesday, May 2, 10:30 a.m. St. Paul's Church. All are welcome.

**Sympathy & Prayers** to the family and friends of Marcella MacDonald of Heatherton, sister to Mary MacNeil of St. Paul's Parish. May she rest in peace and may God comfort those who mourn her loss.

**St. Paul's Annual Parish Meeting,** Wednesday, May 2, 6:30 p.m., Church. All are welcome

**St. Lawrence CWL Meeting:** Thursday, May 3, 7:00 p.m., St. Lawrence Church.

**Blessing of St. Paul's Glebehouse:** On Sunday, May 20, Bishop Brian Dunn will preside at the Sunday Mass and bless the new house afterwards. After the blessing we will gather in the Communittee Centre for tea, coffee, sandwiches and sweets.

**Kitchen Party happening at St. Francis Hbr. Hall** on Sunday April 29th at 2pm.All Entertainers welcome. \$5.00 admission, 50/50 draw. Light lunch served. Proceeds to St. Francis Parish Hall. For info call 533-2769 / 533-3957

**Pilgrimage to Monastery** Come join us on a day pilgrimage to Monastery, Saturday, May 19 to celebrate the feast day of Our Lady of Grace. Holy Mass at 3:00 p.m. with Bishop Dunn. For more information and to book a seat, please phone Helen at 902-794-8825.

**The family of Father Fred Morley** invites you to join them on Saturday, May 19th to acknowledge the 70th anniversary of Father Morley's ordination to the priesthood. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be celebrated at 4:00 at St. Mary's Church, East Bay, followed by a reception at the East Bay Firehall. Best wishes only.

**The Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Havre Boucher Veterans' Association** will be held on Monday, April 30, 2018 @ 7 PM-MacGillivray Room-St. Paul's Church. A regular meeting will follow the AGM. All meetings of the Association are open to all members of the Community in District # 9 and The Havre Boucher Veterans' Association would like to extend an open invitation to anyone who may be interested in joining the Association. You DO NOT have to be a family member of a Veteran to join the Association. The purpose of the Association is to keep an annual memorial day (November 11) and to preserve the record and memories of those who served or are serving in Her Majesty's Armed Forces and to see that such services shall not be forgotten by the Community. We strongly encourage membership in the Association to maintain the Cenotaph, Wall of Remembrance in the Community Center and other ongoing projects.

**Spirituality Day Announcement** St. Joseph Parish Come enjoy our 3rd annual Spiritual Day at St Josephs Church, Port Hawkesbury. May 12, 9:A.M. to 3 P.M. Doors at 8:30. Speakers are Fr. Bill Burke and Dorothy Ludlow. Cost is \$15.00 with lunch included. Sponsored by St. Josephs CWL. To register please call Sandra at 902-227-5858

**Monastery Serenity Al-anon Family Group:** will be celebrating their 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary on Wednesday May 9<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 p.m. in the basement of St. Paul's Center, in Havre Boucher. To celebrate this milestone we will be hosting an open meeting with an invitation going out to everyone especially any past members. During this time we will be giving a presentation on what is "Al-Anon". Come and find out more about this great program that has helped so many people worldwide cope with living with the effects of someone's drinking. Alcoholism is a family disease affecting all members of a family not just the drinker. Come and find out how this spiritual program has helped so many people in dealing with these effects Snacks and refreshments will follow the presentation. Hope to see you there!

**Hot Breakfast:** Sunday, April 29, in the Auld's Cove Fire hall beginning at 8:00 a.m. Adults \$7 Children \$4

**There will be a yard sale at the Havre Boucher Community Centre** on May 19, 2018 from 10 AM to 1 PM. To book tables contact Denee Mattie at 902-870-1951 or email [denee@hotmail.com](mailto:denee@hotmail.com).

**Country Music Night** returns to the Havre Boucher Community Centre on Saturday May 5. Featuring music by Eastbound, Tie Wallace and Gary Williams. Doors open at 8:00 and music starts at 8:30. Tickets are available at Gary's Groceries or by contacting any member of the Havre Boucher Recreation. \*\*\*Limited tickets available - get yours early!

**EAECA Home and School Association will be hosting its annual Dinner/Auction** on May 12th at Monsignor Donnelly Hall in Tracadie. Doors open at 6:00 pm with live musical entertainment, cash bar, viewing of auction items, buffet dinner at 7:00 pm and live auction to begin at 8:15 pm. All funds raised will go to the students of EAECA to assist in student events and activities. For tickets, please phone the school at (902) 232-2810, Holly Hodgson (902) 879-3923 or Danette Sampson (902) 318-5347.

**Saturday, May 12<sup>th</sup>, 2018, 9a.m.-4p.m.** First Presbyterian Church Hall Ford Street, Stellerton. \$25 / couple: Rev. Charles McPherson and Fr. Peter MacDonald, Family of Origin Handling Conflict Creatively Communication Sexuality & Family Planning (Dr. Pat Craig) Spirituality in Marriage Phone 752-5935 or 752-6548

**Diocesan Spring Retreat: Accompaniment: Discovering the Christian Story.** Retreat facilitator Sheila O'Handley, Friday May 18, 2018. St. Joseph retreat centre, Mabou. To register for the Retreat or for further information please contact Debbie at 902-539-6188 ext. 226, 1-800-656-5311 or [catecheticalconsultant@dioceseofantigonish.ca](mailto:catecheticalconsultant@dioceseofantigonish.ca) Retreats begins at 7pm on Friday and concludes at 3pm on Saturday. The cost of the retreat is \$65.00 which includes accommodations and meals.

**Havre Boucher 4-H is selling tickets on a Mothers day basket.** Basket includes multiple items and certificates as well as a 1 night stay at any of the 3 HEARTHSTONE INN LOCATIONS. To purchase tickets please contact Ashley Allain at 870-6919. Email transfers accepted as well. [ashley.allain@hotmail.com](mailto:ashley.allain@hotmail.com) A big thank you to the surrounding community for your ongoing support.

**COUNTRY MUSIC TRIBUTE SHOW:** will take place at the Monsignor Donnelly Hall on May 6th, 2018 at 2:30 p.m. Admission \$10.00 for the Concert and the Pork Roast Supper at 4:30 p.m. for \$10.00 a plate. 50/50 Tickets will be available. You will hear music of such greats as Johnny Cash, Emmy Lou Harris, Randy Travis, Merle Haggard and others. Featuring Jim Richards, Gertie Grant, Roger Grant, Neil DeCoff and Eldon Munroe. Please come out for an afternoon of great music and food. All proceeds going toward the continuing renovations to the hall. Doors open at 1:00 p.m.

**Havre Boucher CDRA Looking for a post- secondary student for the 2018 summer program. 12 week program** The successful applicant will be responsible to assist program leads in organizing day camps, supporting control and discipline of youth, readying equipment and materials for daily activities, cleaning and maintaining equipment, performing regular grounds keeping and facility upkeep. Salary \$12.00 / hourly @ 35 hrs per week Applications can be submitted by email to [hbcdra01@gmail.com](mailto:hbcdra01@gmail.com) or paper copy can be dropped off at the office. Applications must be received by May 9, 2018. If any further information is required, call 902-234-2188.

**Breakfast at the St. Joseph's Lakeside Community Centre,** 2730 Ohio East Road, Antigonish County. Time: Sunday April 29th, 9:00 am - 12 noon. Cost: \$10 adults; \$5 children Includes: bacon, sausage, pancakes, scrambled eggs, home fries, and toast, plus tea, coffee or juice. Come and join your friends and neighbours for a wonderful community breakfast!

**Chase the Ace** will take place every Friday night from 7 PM to 9 PM at the Havre Boucher Community Centre.  
**Chase the Ace at the Mulgrave Fire Hall** on Saturday evenings from 7:00 - 9:00.

**Mulgrave Legion Card Plays:** twice weekly. **Crib** - Sundays at 1:00 p.m. **45's**-Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m.

