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<u>Masses:</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	July 4,	Raymond Pettipas	6:00 p.m.	St. Paul's
	<u>Wednesday</u>	July 5,	Carmen Pelrine	6:00 p.m.	St. Paul's
	<u>Thursday</u> ,	July 6,	Elmer Fougere	9:00 a.m.	St. Paul's
	<u>Friday</u> ,	July 7,	Helen DeCoste	9:00 a.m.	St. Paul's
	<u>Saturday</u> ,	July 8,	Gloria Forrestall	11:00 a.m.	St. Paul's
		July 9,	pro populo	4:00 p.m.	St. Francis
			Mary Catherine DeCoste	6:00 p.m.	St. Lawrence
	<u>Sunday</u> ,	July 10,	Ida Forgeron	10:00 a.m.	St. Paul's

Holy Hour: Friday, July 7, at St. Paul's Church, Havre Boucher 11 a.m.

<i>Weekly Collection June 24/25, 2017</i>	St. Francis	St. Lawrence	St. Paul's
Sunday Collection	\$275.00	\$750.00	\$1839.00
Loose	\$22.00	\$187.50	\$110.25
Pastor's Dues			\$45.00
Cemetery Fund	\$20.00 IMO Joe Chisholm	\$100.00 IMO Millard Kinney	
Lawn Maintenance		\$20.00	

<i>July 10/11, 2017</i>	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
St. Francis	Beverly Grady	Florence Chisholm / Rose Turvey
St. Lawrence	Kevin / Basil	Allison / Ruth / Theresa
St. Paul's	Allana Mullaney / Ruthie Innes	Lynn Whalen / Debbie White / Estrella Melong

Bible Study: will take a hiatus for the summer and resume next September.

St. Paul's Choir: will take a break for the summer and resume in September.

Bulletins: This weekend July 1 st & / 2 nd will be our last week for bulletins until September.

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.

Prayers & Sympathy to the Family and friends of Vietha Diggins sister to Bessie Fougere from St. Paul's Parish, who passed away last week. May she rest in peace.

Vacation: Fr. Allan will be on vacation from Sunday, July 30 to Friday, August 18. Fr. Angus MacGillvray will preside at the Masses on August 5-6, and August 12-13.

Happy Canada Day Weekend! This Canada Day, July 1st, marks the 150th anniversary of our country's beginning. As the Church rededicates the nation to Mary, the Mother of God, may we honour our nation's founding principles by treating one another, regardless of ethnicity, race, language or political views with respect and understanding. Let us also never be afraid to witness to our Catholic faith in what we say and do.

St. Lawrence Parish: needs someone to put together a schedule for people willing to take the collection at each Mass. This would greatly speed up the process of taking the collection and having it ready as the gifts for Mass are presented to the presider. If you could help with this schedule, please talk to Fr. Allan,

Weddings this summer: (1). **Mark David Meihm and Alana Anne Robertson**, (Guelph, Ontario) at St. Paul's Church, Havre Boucher, Saturday, July 1, 2017 (Deacon Berkley Guthro). (2). **Mitchell Scott Jarvis and Nikita Lynn Brow** (Frankville) at St. Paul's Church, Havre Boucher, Saturday, July 22, 2017. (Fr. Allan MacPhie). (3). **Wayne Mitchell Williams and Mary Grace Kathleen Dort** (Havre Boucher) at St. Paul's Church, Havre Boucher, Saturday, October 14, 2017 (Fr. Allan MacPhie).

90th Birthday Celebration: Teresa Bonvie (Webb) will be celebrating her 90th Birthday with an open house on Sunday, July 16th from 2-5 at the main hall of the community center. All are welcome

St. Lawrence Parish Council – Over the last number of months there has been a lot of improvements made to the inside of our church. New flooring in the vestry, the much needed repairs to the back and entrance ways and most recently the new carpeting. There is still the trim work to be completed which we hope to get done in the next few weeks. It is wonderful to have this work done. The church looks so much cleaner and inviting.

Of course, the improvements have been very costly. We are very thankful to those who over the years have made donations to our Building Fund. Our fund is now almost depleted. We must begin to build up the funds once again for future expenses. We have received an anonymous donation towards the cost of the carpeting for which we are very grateful. There are envelopes on the back tables of the church should anyone be interested in making a donation which can be put in the regular collection basket or given to Father Allen. Receipts will be issued for income tax purposes. We welcome any ideas or suggestions on ways to raise money. Most of your Parish Council members have served for many years and would welcome new members. Please consider sharing your experience and understanding by volunteering to join the council.

The 10th Annual Salmon Supper will be held at the Havre Boucher Community Center on July 8th from 4 to 7 p.m. The cost is \$20.00 per plate and take outs are available.

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.

Havre Boucher Show & Shine: Since there will not be a bulletin after July 1st, we would like to extend a sincere thank-you in advance to all who have helped in any way with our Havre Boucher Show & Shine Car Show. It is nearly impossible to put on such an event without your help. Many hands make light work! Also if anyone would like to help with organizing next years show, please call Ernest 870-2169 or Mike 863-8436. Again, Thank-you all from ***Havre Boucher Show & Shine***

Community Cookbooks: are now available with proceeds going to the Community Centre. Books sell for \$15 and are available at Gary's Groceries, the Community Centre Office or from Evy Pelrine (234-2750) or Denise Pelrine Deon (234-2633).

The Al-Anon Family Groups are a fellowship of relatives and friends of alcoholics who share their experience, strength and hope in order to solve their common problems. We believe alcoholism is a family illness and that changed attitudes can aid recovery. Al-Anon has but one purpose; to help the families of alcoholics. We do this by practicing the Twelve Steps, by welcoming and giving comfort to families of alcoholics, and by giving understanding and encouragement to the alcoholic. If you think we can help there is a meeting each Wednesday at 8:00 pm a **St. Paul's Parish Basement**. Meetings last for approximately one hour. Anonymity is stressed.

Chase the Ace: will be held every Friday from 7 PM to 9 PM at the Havre Boucher Community Centre.

Chase the Ace: The Ace of Spades has been drawn at Chase the Ace at the Mulgrave Fire Hall, on April 22, 2017. It will be cancelled for the summer months, and will resume on Saturday, Sept. 9, 2017.

Lord God, We put ourselves into your hands, and pray that **you** will bless us and our families during the wonderful months of summer. May we all help make our home a place of relaxation, joy, love, peace and safety. May we be generous and considerate, not thinking only about ourselves, but helping others enjoy the blessings of summertime. Lord God, Creator of all things, guide our steps and strengthen our hearts, during these months of summer and vacation days. Grant us refreshment of mind and body. We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen

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