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<u>Masses:</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	September 12,	Mary Fougere	6:00 p.m.	St. Paul's
	<u>Wednesday</u>	September 13,	Sister Florence Steele	6:00 p.m.	St. Paul's
	<u>Thursday</u> ,	September 14,	Mary E. MacKinnon	9:00 a.m.	St. Paul's
	<u>Friday</u> ,	September 15,	Florence Pettipas	9:00 a.m.	St. Paul's
	<u>Saturday</u> ,	September 16,	Lester DeGruchy	11:00 a.m.	St. Paul's
			pro populo	4:00 p.m.	St. Francis
			Walter Benoit Sr.	6:00 p.m.	St. Lawrence
	<u>Sunday</u> ,	September 17,	Marie, Anthony & Bernard LeVangie	10:00 a.m.	St. Paul's

<u>Weekly Collection</u> September 9/10, 2017	St. Francis	St. Lawrence	St. Paul's
Sunday Collection	\$225.00	\$476.00	\$1408.75
Loose	\$3.00	\$0	\$57.75
Pastor's Dues			\$341.00
Cemetery Fund		\$85.00 IMO Louis England	
Needs of the Church			\$12.00

<u>September, 16/17, 2017</u>	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
St. Francis	Anne Carter	Rose Turvey / Jean Grant
St. Lawrence	Carol / George	Allison / Liz / Charlie
St. Paul's	Denise Anderson / Linda Arsenault	Cyril Campbell / Tammy Breen / Anne Marie Meagher

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.

Plans for Constructing our New Glebe House are progressing well. The Parish Council of St. Paul's have been meeting regularly. We decided to accept the bid from Arthur Boucher, as he was the low bid and has a solid reputation as a contractor. His bid was \$172,938.45 (subject to change if we upgrade the plans). We have not formally begun our fund-raising yet, but pledges of 7, 220.00 have already come in. We will set up a separate account at the Credit Union for monies as they are given. The Diocese of Antigonish recently informed us that we have permission **to sell** the Medical Centre, and the proceeds from the sale will go to St. Paul's Parish to help pay the mortgage of the new Glebehouse, less 15,000 to be paid to the diocese for the cost of the land. We will be setting up a Fund Raising/Building Committee in the next few weeks. Arthur Boucher plans to begin construction on October 15, 2017, and aims to be finished within 3 months.

Baptism: We welcome to our Catholic Family **John Lewis Jaeb**, infant son of Derrick and Amanda Jaeb, Saskatoon. John will be baptized at St. Paul's Church this Sunday, September 10. May he grow in holiness by the grace of his Baptism and by the faith and good example of his parents, godparents and all the Church.

St. Paul's Liturgy Meeting: Wednesday, September 27th, at 6:30 p.m. in the MacGillivray Room.

THANK YOU: I want to thank all who attended my 90th Birthday Party on August 27th. It was a very pleasant afternoon seeing so many family, friends and neighbors from Havre Boucher and visiting relatives and friends from all over. Thanks to Fr. Bill and Fr. Joe MacKenzie for the mass said for me and to Ty Wallace for his wonderful music. Your many gifts are gratefully acknowledged and will be a treasured memory for me. Thanks to the Ladies at the Center who catered the lunch, and to the great Fiddler and Bar Tender who kept everyone happy!! *Myrtle Crispo*

Anyone wishing to join the Sat. mass choir, in Mulgrave, any age youth welcomed, you can call Evangeline @ 747-2601 or just join us at mass.

St. Paul's Religious Ed. will begin on Sunday, September 17 with opening **Mass at 10:00 a.m.** followed by classes at 11 a.m. and on Monday, September 18, classes begin at 6 p.m. A schedule of classes will be posted in the Foyer of the Church. **All** children and families are encouraged to attend Sunday Mass. **We are in need of a grade 3 Catechist** anyone available please phone me, anyone **new in the area** or beginning **grade 1** can register by phoning Mary at **870-2168**. *Mary Williams R.E.C.*

The Havre Boucher Veteran's Association wishes to advise that the Remembrance Day Ceremony will be held on Sunday, November 5, 2017. Remembrance Day wreaths will be sold during the month of October. The date for the regular meeting of the Havre Boucher Veteran's Association has been changed from September 17th to Sunday, September 24th @ 7PM at the MacGillivray room St. Paul's Church. Anyone can join the Havre Boucher Veteran's Association and new members are more than welcomed to attend.

Pre-Marriage Preparation Dates: (For 2018) February 17th & 18th / April 28th & 29th / June 23rd & 24th. Location: (for now) Family Service Office in Glace Bay, 9 Minto Street, Glace Bay, NS, B1A 5B2. * Pre-Registration is required by phoning (902) 849-4772 or (902) 539-6868

Join with us in prayer, the celebration of the Feast Day Mass, and remembering our pioneers at **Mother of Sorrows Pioneer Shrine** in Mabou on Sunday, September 10th. The Continuous Rosary starts at the Shrine at 1:00 pm and continues until 3:30 when we journey to St. Mary's Church for 4:00 pm Feast Day Mass. All intentions from the Shrine will be offered and prayed for at Mass. A hearty lunch will be prepared by St. Mary's CWL so no one should have to travel home hungry. Hope to see many of you at the Shrine on Sunday, September 10th. For Inquiries please call 902-945-2221.

Fall Retreat 2017-Youth Ministry (18 years and older) Fri, Sept 22 (5pm) – Sunday 24 (noon) amp Geddie, Merigomish, NS
Registration fee: \$60.00 (transportation available). Register by contacting Fr. Andrew Gillies 902-863-4846.

Youth Ministry: "Encountering God through Serving-People, Community & Environment" This is our year to bring back activities and events for Youth of our Diocese. Parishioners are asked to support our Youth by contacting your Parish Priest and the Youth Office to see how you can help! Youth that are interested in joining in the fun while we journey in our faith can "like" us on facebook and keep updated on pending activities and events. Facebook: Dioceseofantigonishyouth, 902-863-3335 ask for Cathy Walsh.

We're Listening...Youth of the Diocese: Youth are invited to lend their voices to the upcoming Bishops Synod 2018: Young People, The Faith and Vocational Discernment. The survey can be found at the following link:
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/K2RBCH9>

Hank's Jamboree will be resuming on September 24th at 2 p.m. in the Havre Boucher Community Centre. Admission price includes a light lunch. All proceeds from this event goes towards the Community Centre. All entertainers are welcome.

Havre Boucher 4H is gearing up for another great year and we are looking for new members and leaders. What is 4H you may ask? 4H is community members teaching skills to youth willing and eager to learn. Not only do youth learn basic life skills such as cooking, cake decorating, gardening, wood working and sewing just to name a few, they learn responsibility, team leadership, communication skills and self confidence. If you are between the ages of 7 and 21 and would like to learn new skills or an adult with a skill to share with our youth, please join us at St. Paul's Parish Center Basement on Tuesday October 3rd or 10th from 6-7 pm for registration. There will be a \$20 registration fee for all new and returning members. For more information please contact Tawny @ tawnymorris@hotmail.com or Ashley @ ashley.allain@hotmail.com

"4H- Growing a stronger community of kids"

Atlantic Worldwide Marriage Encounter is offering a Marriage Encounter Weekend in Amherst, NS this November 3-5. Please help us enrich priests and marriages by helping to advertise our Weekend. Please forward this bulletin notice to all NS parishes to help fill our Weekend, and invigorate Marriage Encounter in NS.

PILGRIMAGE to LOURDES, FATIMA and SPAIN with Father Patrick O'Neill (parish priest at St Joseph, North Sydney) JOIN ME on a Spiritual Pilgrimage April 22nd -May 1st, 2018 to Fatima, Lourdes and Spain PILGRIMAGE NOW CONFIRMED and we have people already committed to book... I am excited that we have pricing for the Pilgrimage to Fatima, Lourdes and Spain for April 22- May 1st, 2018, including the group exclusive tour to San Sebastian de Garabandal.....CALL Margaret at Maritime Travel and book now (902) 794-7251 during business hours. Price based on Double Occupancy (2 guests per room) is \$4229.00 CAD taxes included. Price includes Roundtrip Airfare from SYDNEY (including air taxes/fees and surcharges), hotel transfers, the EXCLUSIVE tour to San Sebastian de Garabandal and an Early Booking Discount of \$200.00 per person. Single Supplement for travelers wishing to have their own accommodations is an additional \$580.00 CAD (Total \$4809.00 CAD).

Adult Walk at Havre Boucher Community Centre: will resume on Thursday, September 21st, from 10 a.m. - 12 p.m. A light lunch will be served.

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, Mulgrave Fire Hall. Every sat. Time: 7:00 - 9:00, Tickets, \$5.00 PER TICKET. Starting jackpot \$5000.00

CLASSIC COUNTRY MUSIC featuring HAROLD MACINTYRE Sunday September 10 2-4pm St. Joseph Parish Hall
Admission \$10 In support of St. Joseph Parish Thanks!