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Masses Masses this week, September 18-22

Walter Benoit Jr. 11:00 a.m. St. Paul's Saturday, September 23, 4:00 p.m. St. Francis pro populo Allister MacAskill 6:00 p.m. St. Lawrence 10:00 a.m. Sunday, September 24, Joe & Rose DeCoste St. Paul's

Weekly Collection September 9/10	St. Francis	St. Lawrence	St. Paul's
Sunday Collection	\$405.00	\$720.00	\$1642.00
Loose	\$111.00	\$15.00	\$64.00
Pastor's Dues			\$90.00
Cemetery Fund		\$75.00 IMO Lewis England	

September, 23/24, 2017	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
St. Francis	Florence Chisholm	Beverly Grady / Anne Carter
St. Lawrence	Kevin / Gloria	Allison / Liz / Charlie
St. Paul's	Dianne & Lou Kupczyk	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.

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

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

<u>St. Paul's Religious Ed. Classes</u>: will begin on Sunday, September 17, 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. Anyone <u>new in the area</u> or beginning <u>grade 1</u> can register by phoning Mary at <u>870-2168</u>. Thanks to all the Catechist & Hall Monitors for agreeing to teach/help out this year. Grade 1-6, will be at 11 a.m. Sunday morning. Grades 7 & 8 will have classes on Monday evening at 6:00 p.m. Grade 1 Debbie White~ Vestry Grade 2 Mary Williams~ MacGillivray Rm. Grade 3 Colleen Breen ~ Basement Grade 4 ~ Lynn Whalen ~ Parish Centre Grade 5 Estrella Melong ~ Parish Centre Grade 6 Megan Ryan ~ Foyer Parish Centre. Monday 6:00 p.m. Grade 7 ~ Mary Williams ~ MacGillivray Grade 8 Lucille Forger ~ Parish Centre

<u>50th Anniversary Open House</u>: Thelma & Fortunat Morais will celebrate their 50th Anniversary with an Open House on **Saturday, September 23rd** at their home ~ 143 Old Post Road, Frankville from 2-4 p.m.

<u>St. Francis of Assisi Parish</u> will hold the annual Thanksgiving collection of non perishable food items for Guysborough and Area Food Bank on Saturday, September 30th. Items may be left in the church entry.

Employment Opportunity – Diocese of Antigonish: Due to the retirement of Ms. Elizabeth Wilson, Auditor of the Matrimonial Tribunal of the Diocese of Antigonish on December 31, 2017, the Diocese is advertising for a replacement. The job requires someone with a University Education and degree, communication skills-especially the ability to respond to inquiries, conduct personal interviews, writing and preparation of cases and interaction with Matrimonial Tribunals throughout Canada and beyond. Good organizational skills are also required to gather and prepare documents, typing, record keeping, filing and the like. Confidentiality strictly required. Application may be forwarded with curriculum vita from September 18th until September 29th to Rev. John Barry, Judicial Vicar. Diocese of Antigonish and Judicial Vicar, Halifax Regional Tribunal, at the Pastoral Centre of the Diocese of Antigonish, P.O. Box 100 Sydney, Nova Scotia B1P 6G9 or email: jaberry@auracom.com.

<u>The Havre Boucher Veteran's Association</u> 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.

<u>Pre-Marriage Preparation Dates</u>: (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

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.

<u>Youth Ministry: "Encountering God through Serving-People, Community & Environment"</u> 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.

<u>We're Listening...Youth of the Diocese</u>: 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'rK2RBCH9

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 Sebantian 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).

<u>Marriage Encounter</u>: Your marriage is as important today as it was on your wedding day, whether that special day was just a few years ago, or many years ago. Celebrate your love. Re-energize your relationship. Join us on the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend November 3-5 in Amherst, NS Space is limited, so contact us soon. 902-314-8541.

<u>Administrative Support Meeting</u> Wednesday, September 27, 2017 Time 1:30 pm to 3:30pm LOCATION **** St Joseph Parish, Port Hawkesbury in the KOC Building, next to the church. Topic: Pre Authorized Debits

<u>Hank's Jamboree</u> 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.

Hot Breakfast: Sunday, September 24, in Auld's Cove Fire hall beginning at 8:00 a.m. Adults \$7 Children \$4

<u>Havre Boucher 4H</u> 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 @ <u>tawnymorris@hotmail.com or</u> Ashley @ <u>ashley.allain@hotmail.com</u>

"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.

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

<u>Community Cookbooks</u>: 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).

<u>The Al-Anon Family Groups</u> 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 <u>St. Paul's Parish Basement.</u> 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

<u>Trinity United Church Roast Beef Supper</u>, 4:30 P. M. - 6:00 P. M., Saturday, October 7, 2017. Cost \$12.00 adults; children under 12, \$6:00 eat-in, take-out or delivery. Sponsored by Trinity United Church Women, MacLeod Street, Mulgrave, Nova Scotia.