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Masses: Tuesday, September 20,	Damien DeCoste	6:00 p.m.	St. Paul's
Wednesday, September 21,	Bernard DeCoste	6:00 p.m.	St. Paul's
Thursday, September 22,	St. Lawrence, Mass in Cemetery (weather permitting)	6:30	Soul's in Purgatory.
Friday, September 23,	Kaye, Bernard, Wayne, David & Ricky Anderson	9:00 a.m.	St. Paul's
Saturday, September 24,	Shirley DeCoste	11:00 a.m.	St. Paul's
	pro populo	4:00 p.m.	St. Francis
	Allister MacAskill	6:00 p.m.	St. Lawrence
Sunday, September 25,	Paul Almeda	10:00 a.m.	St. Paul's

(Note, Cemetery Masses will take place at St. Lawrence Cemetery **Thursday, September 22**; St. Paul's Cemetery, **Wednesday September 28**; and St. Frances of Assisi Cemetery, **Saturday, October 1**).

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) is available on Saturdays (with the occasional exceptions for funerals), from 1:00-2:00 p.m. at St. Paul's Church. In the Reconciliation Room you have the choice of remaining behind the screen or sitting face to face with the priest in a welcoming environment. This Sacrament is also available to celebrate at St. Francis and St. Lawrence churches before Mass, and by appointment during the week.

Weekly Collection September, 10 & 11	St. Francis	St. Lawrence	St. Paul's
Envelopes	\$305.00	\$590.00	\$1411.00
Loose	\$0	\$13.00	\$31.00
Pastor's Dues			\$85.00

Sept. 24/25, 2016	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
St. Francis	Mary Halfpenny	Rose Turvey / Ada Ehler
St. Lawrence	Carol / George	Beryl / Ruth / Theresa
St. Paul's	Ruthie Innis / Allana Mullaney	Cyril Campbell / Tammy Breen / Anne Marie Meagher

Parish Mission Ste. Croix Parish, Pomquet September 19-22, 2016 inclusive 7:00 p.m. each evening *Divine Mercy: "Through Him, with Him and in Him all glory and honour is yours almighty Father Forever and Ever."* During this Holy year celebrating the Mercy of God, Fr. Gary MacPherson will be preaching a Parish Mission at Ste. Croix Parish, Pomquet. This will draw upon the work of Saint Faustina and her great words of God's mercy. All are invited to attend.

Annual Life Chain: will take place at the Port Hastings Rotary on Sunday, October 2, 2-3:00 p.m.

Baptism: We welcome to our Catholic faith **Mason Michael Harb**, infant son of Michael and Cora Harb, Halifax, N.S. Mason will be baptized at St. Lawrence Church on Sunday morning at 11:00 a.m. May he grow to full Christian maturity with the teaching and example of his parents, godparents, family and Church.

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St. Paul's Liturgy Meeting: Wednesday, September 28th, at 6:30 p.m. in the MacGillivray Room.

St. Paul's Parish Council Meeting: Wednesday, October 5th, at 6:30 p.m. in the MacGillivray Room.

Jubilee for Catechists "Announcing the Mercy of God" Sunday, September 25, 2016 On September 25, 2016, Pope Francis will celebrate with catechists around the world the Jubilee of Catechists. There will be a special blessing for Catechist that day. **All children in the Religious Ed. Program along with their parents are encouraged to attend** in support of the Catechists who volunteer their time and talents to teach the children of St. Paul's Parish.

Religious Ed. Classes begin with Opening Mass and Classes today, September 17th and Monday, September 18th. Grades 1, 2, 4, 5, and 6 on Sunday at 11 a.m. - 12:00 noon, and Grades 3, 7, and 8/9 on Monday at 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Sympathy & Prayers to the family and friends of Shirley (Brow) DeCoste of Ottawa, who died on September 9th – sister to Evy, Vaughan and Linda. May she rest in peace and may comfort those who mourn her loss.

Thank you! We would like to thank all who attended the wake and funeral of our brother, Earl Chisholm. Thank you for the sympathy cards, Mass cards and memorial enrolments. Special thank you to Hank Boucher, the guitar soloist, for his beautiful rendition of "Only a Shadow". We will remember you all with heartfelt appreciation. **Florence Brennan & Chrissie Wood.**

"The Musician is gone, but his music lives on"

Thank you: to all our families, friends and neighbors who made our 50th Anniversary Day so special. To all who brought food and beautiful gifts and contributed in any way on this occasion we are grateful.

Myrtle, Damien, children & grand children.

Thank you! Salmon Supper: A special “Thank You” to everyone who kindly volunteered their time to work, supported and contributed in anyway to make our 9th Annual Salomon Supper on July 9th such a great success.

The Salmon Supper Committee.

Adult Walk will begin on Thursday, September 29th from 10-12 at the Havre Boucher Community Centre.

REVISED DATE: NOV.19th Due to some unforeseen circumstances, **the date for our Youth Ministry Think Tank has been moved forward to NOV.19th.** Location and Cost (if any) as well as any other information will follow in the coming days and weeks. This gives you more time to read “You Give Them Something to Eat” Which can be found on our website at www.AntigonishDiocese.com, and also www.CCCB.ca we apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused. Visit us on our Facebook pages @DioceseofAntigonish and @DioceseofAntigonishYouth for info, Catholic content, and, upcoming Events.

“Spread the Spirit on the Mira” Join us on September 18th Along with Bishop Dunn, and Bishop Ron Cutler 4 pm at Camp Breton Dean, Hillside Rd. Mira It is time for our community to come together in prayer and discussion, to determine how we help out community build our spirit of UNITY. Together, in Christ we are Strong. Come early and bring a pic-a-nic Basket Lunch!

A New Beginnings Weekend for people who are divorced, separated or have lost a spouse through bereavement will be held on October 14, 15, 16, 2016 at the Retreat Center in Mabou. For more information please call Ron at 902-564-0788.

Sept. 23rd to 25th - Show, Know, Mercy Young Adult Retreat. Are you between 18 and 30? Want to explore your faith with other likeminded people? Join us on retreat! Date: September 23rd, 24th, and 25th Cost: TBD
Application: Online will be sent out soon! Check out Facebook for more details @**Diocese of Antigonish Youth** or shoot an email to our office at Nolan@dioceseofantigonish.ca

Pilgrimage to St. Anne de Beaupre July 16 – 22, 2017 please contact Rose Langlois at 902-564-0146 for more information

Dart League: Havre Boucher Dart League will begin on Thursday, September 29th at the HBCC. Anyone interested in **Sparing** is asked to contact Leona Brow at 234-2752.

Hank’s Jamboree will be held on Sunday, **September 25th**, 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 welcome.

Hot Breakfast: Sunday, September 25th, in Auld’s Cove Fire hall beginning at 8:00 a.m. Adults \$7 Children \$4 sponsored by the Auld’s Cove Ladies Aux.

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 at **St. Paul’s Parish Basement**. Meetings last for approximately one hour. Anonymity is stressed.

Roast Beef Supper: Saturday, October 1st, 4:30 - 6:00 p.m. Trinity United Church Hall, MacLeod St. Mulgrave. Eat In, take out, delivery. \$12.00 adults, \$6.00 children under 12.

Bake Sale and Flea Market: Saturday, October 22nd: 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon. Trinity United Church Hall, MacLeod St. Mulgrave. Door prizes to be won. Come early for best items.

Antigonish Lions Club Sausage & Pancake Breakfast Sunday, September 25, 2016 Lions Den Highland Dr. Extension 9:00 A.M. to 1:00P.M. Donations at the door **MONIES GO To Lions Community Projects**. Breakfasts are held on the Last Sunday of the month September – May with the exception of December