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<b>Masses: Tuesday, October 4,</b>	Kelvin Pelrine	6:00 p.m.	St. Paul's
<b>Wednesday, October 5,</b>	Betty McKeough	6:00 p.m.	St. Paul's
<b>Thursday, October 6,</b>	Deceased Members of Hogan Family	<b>6:30 p.m.</b>	<b>St. Lawrence</b>
<b>Friday, October 7,</b>	Carmen Pelrine	9:00 a.m.	St. Paul's
<b>Saturday, October 8,</b>	Elmer Fougere	11:00 a.m.	St. Paul's
	Dave Carter	4:00 p.m.	St. Francis
	pro populo	6:00 p.m.	St. Lawrence
<b>Sunday, October 9,</b>	Ambrose Fougere	10:00 a.m.	St. Paul's

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

**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	St. Francis	St. Lawrence	St. Paul's
September, 24/25, 2016			
<b>Envelopes</b>	<b>\$385.00</b>	<b>\$600.00</b>	<b>\$1586.00</b>
<b>Loose</b>	<b>\$9.15</b>	<b>\$10.00</b>	<b>\$85.80</b>
<b>Pastor's Dues</b>			<b>\$5.00</b>
<b>Cemetery Fund</b>		<b>\$126.40</b>	
<b>Needs of the Catholic Church</b>	<b>\$97.00</b>	<b>\$45.00</b>	<b>\$155.00</b>

October 8/9, 2016	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
St. Francis	Edith Carr	Anne Carter / Patsy Grady
St. Lawrence	Basil / George	Allison / Kevin / Charlie
St. Paul's	Yvonne Sampson Danielle Pellerine	Lynn Whalen / Debbie White / Estrella Melong

**Marriages:** Cynthia Short & Danny DeCoste, St. Lawrence Church, Oct. 8, 2016, Robin Richards & Wayne Dort, St. Paul's Church, October 15, 2016.

**Appointment:** Fr. Bill Crispo recently was appointed Spiritual Advisor to the Antigonish Diocese Catholic Womens League, a five-year term. Congratulations to Fr. Bill and best wishes. We know he will do well in this important ministry.

**Lawrence Graveyard - On Monday, October 10th (holiday Monday) we will have a work party beginning at 10 a.m. at the Mill Street site to fill in graves.** We have purchased two loads of topsoil which has been delivered. We would really appreciate a good turn out, especially those who may have 4 wheelers with carts. Will also need rakes and shovels. Please spread the message to those who may not see the bulletin. Thank you.

**St. Lawrence CWL Meeting:** Thursday, October 6, 7:00 p.m.

**Are you interested in social justice?** If yes, then please consider serving as your parish representative on Development and Peace. See Fr. Allan for more information.

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

**Marriage Preparation Course, Sat., Oct. 15, 2016** 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., St. Ninian Place. The cost is \$70 per couple. To register contact Brian Barkhouse at 902-863-5987 or email [brianbarkhouse@eastlink.ca](mailto:brianbarkhouse@eastlink.ca) For more info. Visit <http://mcourse.homestead.com>

**50th Wedding Anniversary** blessings and congratulations to Howard and Yvonne MacDonald who celebrated on Saturday, September 24, 2016. They have been faithful members of St, Lawrence Parish here in Mulgrave. May the Lord bless you with good health, peace and long life.

**Prayers and sympathy** to the family and friends of the late Foncie DeCoste and Cathy England. May they enjoy rest eternal with all family members who have gone before them? May God's peace come to those who mourn their passing.

**Ultreya** will be September 29/16 at Our Lady of Fatima Church, upstairs at 730 pm. Come meet our new Lay Director and secretariat members.

**St. Paul's Food Bank Collection:** with Thanksgiving fast approaching anyone wishing to make a donation to the local food bank may do so by dropping off non perishable goods in the container located in the Foyer of the Church. Thank you!

**ST. Francis of Assisi Parish.** The annual Thanksgiving collection of non perishable food items for the Guysborough and Area Food will be on Saturday, Oct.01 and Oct.08. Items may be left in the church entry.

**The Strait Area Food Bank** continues to provide food to those families most in need in the Strait of Canso area. There is a greater need as we move into the fall and winter months. We ask that the members of St. Lawrence Parish continue to be generous in their donations to this worthy cause. You may leave your items in the Food Bank Box at the church entrance.

**Bus Trip to Our Lady of Grace Shrine, Monastery:** On Friday Oct. 7, Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary, there will be a bus day Tour leaving Holy Redeemer Church parking lot at 9:15 am and then leaving the Monastery, at 4pm for return drive. Besides the scenic drive, there will be lunch with the Sisters at the Monastery, mass, walk to the Shrine for Rosary, plus the beautiful monastery grounds. Fr. Paul Murphy, Pastor of Holy Redeemer parish, will accompany the group. Cost is only \$35.00 and that includes lunch. There are only 52 seats available. To register please call the glebe house at 902-564-4355 and speak with the secretary Paul Tynski.

**It's that time of the year again** for the **Scholastic Book Fair** at St. Francis Xavier University! The Book Fair will take place **Monday, October 17<sup>th</sup>, to Friday, October 21<sup>st</sup>**. Monday to Thurs: 8:30 am to 7:15 pm, Friday 8:30am to 2 pm. Location: **Curriculum Resource Centre, 319-B Xavier Hall (4545 Alumni Crescent – St. F.X.U.)** In the Curriculum Resource Centre you will be able to browse through hundreds of great NEW BOOKS by favorite authors, for kids and grown-ups too! Make great gift ideas for birthdays, special events and holidays. Every dollar spent helps provide books and resources for the Curriculum Resource centre. Please come out and support us with this Scholastic Book Fair. See you at the Book Fair!

**As part of the NSCC Open House** we are extending a warm welcome to all newcomers in the area and celebrating immigration. Please join NSCC on October 18 from 6-8pm for a relaxed evening of food, friendship and fun. Good will offering at the door for the NSCC Student Food Bank. For more information call 902-625-2380.

**St. Ninian Place Presents: Country Blend**, Wednesday, Oct. 12, 2016. **Tickets:** \$20 each. **Time:** 7:30 p.m. (doors open at 6:30 p.m.) **Place:** St. Ninian Place, Antigonish. Tribute to legends of Country Music. For more info. Or to purchase tickets please call the Parish Office at 902-863-2338. Monies raised support St. Ninian Place, **[www.countryblend.ca](http://www.countryblend.ca)**

**Indoor Flea Market** at the Havre Boucher Community Centre, Saturday October 8th, 10am-1pm. Lots of new and used items, craft tables, baked goods and more. Canteen services available. For more info call Denee Mattie at **[902 870-1951](tel:9028701951)**

**An important meeting for ALL members of the Havre Boucher Veteran's Association** will be held on Sunday, October 2nd, 2016 @ 7 P.M. at the MacGillivray room at St. Paul's Church. The purpose of the meeting will be to discuss and plan for the upcoming Remembrance Day weekend for the Veteran's Association.

**The Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Havre Boucher Veteran's Association** will also be held on this date. Remembrance Day ceremony will be held on **Sunday, November 6th**, with Church service @ 10:00 A.M. and the laying of the wreaths at 2:P.M. Wreath's may be ordered at Gary's Groceries at date to be named later. Unfortunately, we have been advised by the Royal Canadian Legion that there will a slight price increase in the cost of the wreaths for this year. If you wish to join the Association you are more than welcomed to attend this meeting. Let us not forget our Veterans, past and present, who have served our Country. ***WE WILL REMEMBER THEM.***

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

**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.

### **Pray for a Priest / Deacon Each Day in October**

Eternal Father, we lift up to you these and all the priests, deacons of the world. Sanctify them. Mold them into the likeness and holiness of your Son, Jesus the Eternal High Priest. May their lives be pleasing to You. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen