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<u>Masses:</u>	Tuesday,	February 7	Joe & Laura Brow	6:00 p.m.	St. Paul's
	Wednesday,	February 8,	Billy Boucher	6:00 p.m.	St. Paul's
	Thursday,	February 9,	Father Robert McNeil	9:00 a.m.	St. Paul's
	Friday,	February 10,	Betty McKeough	9:00 a.m.	St. Paul's
	Saturday,	February 11,	Carmen Pelrine	11:00 a.m.	St. Paul's
			Leo Kavanaugh	4:00 p.m.	St. Francis
			Hortense Hadley	6:00 p.m.	St. Lawrence
	Sunday,	February 12,	pro populo	10:00 a.m.	St. Paul's

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) is available on Saturdays (with 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 January 28/29,	St. Francis	St. Lawrence	St. Paul's
Sunday Collection	\$200.00	\$776.00	\$1635.00
Loose	\$5.00	\$40.40	\$39.25
New Years		\$20.00	
Initial		\$27.00	\$25.00
Pastor's Dues			\$30.00

IMO Stephen Breen: St. Paul's Luncheon Fund: \$20.00 / Cemetery Fund: \$10.00 / Parish: \$100.00

IMO Phillip O'Neill: St. Lawrence Parish \$25.00

February 11/12	Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers
St. Francis	Florence Chisholm	Beverly Grady / Anne Carter
St. Lawrence	Allison / George	Beryl / Liz / Theresa
St. Paul's	Lou Kupczyk / Dianne Melong Kupczyk	Darryl Breen / Susan Wood / Leona Brow

Bible Study: There will be **no Bible Study** this Wednesday, February 8.

St. Lawrence Parish Pastoral Meeting, Thursday, February 9, 7:00 p.m.

Prayers and sympathy to the family and friends of the late Nicholas Shephard, a member of St. Lawrence Parish, Mulgrave. May he enjoy rest eternal in heaven with all who have gone before him and may peace come to those who mourn.

We are in the process of making a new Havre Boucher cookbook as a fundraiser for the Community Center, it's been 13 years since the last one and we are in need of your favorites. They can be anything from old family treasures to new favorites found on Pinterest. If you can contribute you can contact Evy Pelrine (234-2750), Denise Pelrine Deon (234-2633), Tracy Pelrine (870-6328) or Dee Melong at the hall (234-2188) If it is easier to e-mail them you can send them to denise.kenny@ns.sympatico.ca or hbcdra01@gmail.com We are looking to have them all in by Feb 17th, Thank You

Mulgrave Heritage Centre Valentine Bake Sale, starting at 10:00 A. M., Saturday, February 11, 2017@ the Mulgrave Heritage Centre 54 Loggie St; Mulgrave A great way to prepare for Valentine's Day while supporting the Mulgrave Museum and Cenotaph Committee in their latest fund-raising efforts. Thank you in advance and it might be wise to mark this on your refrigerator door or calendar!

The Havre Boucher 50 Plus Club along with the Havre Boucher and Area CDRA will be hosting a presentation by Beth Jackson, the local Coordinator for the Alzheimer Society of Nova Scotia. She will be giving a session on "Heads UP for Healthier Brains" on Wednesday Feb 8, 2017 at 7:40 PM at the Havre Boucher Community Centre. Everyone is welcome.

Do you have a talent that could benefit our youth? We'd like your help!!! The Havre Boucher and surrounding Communities are filled with so many talented people. Basic skills such as sewing, quilting, cross-stitching, photography, music, cooking and so many more!!! Are you interested in using your talent to help teach the youth of our community some new skills? This could include a one time lesson, for example, cooking a Valentine's Day treat or perhaps a couple of cooking lessons, maybe you'd like to teach how to sew a pillow, or how to crochet a scarf. Maybe you could help teach someone to play an instrument, teach some photography, some fitness activities or some darts. Maybe you have some ideas for outdoor activities. The choices are endless. Anyone who is interested in helping the youth of this community to expand their horizons can contact Tammy Melong, melong.tammy@gmail.com or 234-3433. Together we can discuss age groups, class sizes, dates and times. All classes will be held at the Havre Boucher Community Centre. We are not necessarily looking for large class sizes; we want to ensure that this new venture is successful for both the children and instructors. Don't feel like you could teach a class, maybe just being there to help lend a helping hand would work for you. Again please contact Tammy.

St. Patrick's Day Tea & Sale: the annual St. Patrick's Day Tea and Sale sponsored by Antigonish Right to Life will take place Saturday March 11 from noon to 2:30 at St. Ninian's Place. Join in the Irish fun including door prizes, cake walk, flea market, toy, book, and craft tables, count the jelly beans, silent auction, baked goods and fudge sale, and Irish table. Admission is free and tea tickets are \$5 per adult, and \$3.00 per child. To donate crafts or used goods call Janet at 902-863-5061 or Clare at 902-863-3873 Fudge and baked items can be dropped off at St. Ninian's Place the evening before morning of the event.

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.