

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 16/17, 2010

"May all the earth give you worship and praise, and break into song in your name, O God, Most High". (Psalm 66.4)

Masses: January 19-24

Tuesday,	January 19,	Donald Brow	St. Paul	6:00 p.m.
Wednesday,	January 20,	William & Kathleen Chisholm	St. Paul	6:00 p.m.
Thursday,	January 21,	John M. Fougere	St. Paul	9:00 a.m.
Friday,	January 22,	Patsy Swain	St. Paul	9:00 a.m.
Saturday,	January 23,	pro populo	St. Francis	4:00 p.m.
		Arthur Diggins	St. Lawrence	6:00 p.m.
Sunday,	January 24,	Joseph Pettipas	St. Paul	10:00 a.m.

Diocesan Celebration Of Evening Of Prayer Of The Church: Evening prayer ("Vespers") will be celebrated at St. Ninian Cathedral, Antigonish, on Jan. 24 at 4 p.m. everyone is invited to participate in this special liturgy on the eve of the installation of Bishop Brian Dunn which is scheduled for the following day, Monday Jan. 25 at 4 p.m.

The Diocese of Antigonish: cordially invites you to attend the Installation of Most Reverend Brian Joseph Dunn, ninth Bishop of Antigonish. This liturgy will be celebrated on Monday, January 25, 2010 at 4:00 p.m. at St. Ninian Cathedral, Antigonish by Most Rev. Anthony Mancini, Archbishop of Halifax, Reception to follow at St. Ninian Place, to which all are welcome.

Baptism: This Saturday, January 16, we welcome to the Catholic family Raya Sadie Rose MacDonald, infant daughter of Jared MacDonald and Rene Snook, Westville, N.S. Raya will be baptized during Mass at St. Lawrence Church. May she grow in holiness guided by her family and her Church, as she serves the Lord Jesus Christ.

Thank You: to Gerald and Joan Collins of St. Lawrence Parish Mulgrave for their financial donation for Christmas Flowers in memory of their son, Gerald Collin Jr.

Weekly Collection December 26/27	St. Francis	St. Lawrence	St. Paul
Sunday Offerings	\$237.55	\$734.05	\$1594.05
Children's Fund			\$14.87
Christmas Flowers			\$30.00
Initial Offering	\$8.00	\$66.00	\$70.00
Cemetery Fund			\$20.00
Missals \$10.00			

This Saturday, January 16, there will be a short meeting after Mass of St. Lawrence Parish Council and other interested people to plan a parish breakfast in February.

Representatives of Parish Pastoral Councils and Parish Finance Councils are invited to attend one of the following meetings for an update on the current LEGAL SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT and its implications. All meetings begin at 6:30 p.m. and the schedule of meetings is as follows: Tuesday, January 19, St. Ninian Parish Hall, Antigonish
Wednesday, January 20, St. Anthony Daniel Parish Hall, Sydney
Thursday, January 21, St. Joseph Parish Hall, Port Hawkesbury

Every parish is strongly encouraged to have representation at one of these meetings.

January 23/24, 2010

Lectors:

St. Francis	Anne Carter
St. Lawrence	George Freer / Karen Lundrigan
St. Paul:	Harris McNamara / Linda Arsenault

Eucharistic Ministers:

St. Francis:	Edith C. / Ada E.
St. Lawrence:	Anna Burton
St. Paul:	Debbie White / Andy Stewart / Leonie Almeda

The Auld's Cove Ladies Auxiliary will be having a breakfast at there Auld's Cove Fire hall on Sunday, January 31, at 8:00 a.m. We will continue having these breakfasts the last Sunday of every month following. There will be a cost of \$6.00 per person. Hope to see you there!

Thank you to all who signed the petition asking the federal government to stop funding International Planned Parenthood Federation who promote permissive abortion laws. We now ask you to sign another petition for the defense of human life, a petition for Parliament to vote against Bill C – 384, a bill to legalize euthanasia and assisted suicide. This petition can be found near the church entrance. Did you know that anyone can write to Parliament if they wish, no postage is necessary?

Hank's Jamboree: will be held on Sunday, January 24, 2010, beginning at 2 p.m. and a light lunch will be served

Altar Servers January 24, St. Paul Keagan & MacKenzie LeVangie / Jeremy Brow
Altar servers: All Altar Servers and anyone interested in becoming an altar server for St. Paul's Parish is asked to attend a brief meeting on Sunday, January 17th following mass. New members should be in grade 4 and up.

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje: Medjugorje is a small village in Croatia where the Blessed Mother has been appearing since June 24, 1981. You can check on line at www.medjugorje.com for more information on what has been happening there since 1981. There is a pilgrimage schedules for April 22 to May 6th. For more information on this, call Amy Graves at 902 435-4992.

The Fitness Centre: at our Havre Boucher Community Centre now has a qualified fitness trainer on staff on Mondays 7:30-8:30 p.m. and Thursday 7-8 p.m. She is available to provide free advice/guidance to members of the centre.

The Heatherton 4-H Club will be sponsoring an Indoor Yard & Bake Sale on Saturday, February 6, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Rev. H.J. MacDonald School Gymnasium. **This is a fund raiser for the S.P.C.A.** Table rentals will be \$10 each and there will be a 50/50 draw and donation jar. There will also be homemade turkey soup with a biscuit or roll, and tea/coffee/juice available for \$3 All proceeds from the table rentals, soup sales, ticket sales, and donations will benefit S.P.C.A. Space is limited so if you wish to put a table in please contact Holly or Jolene no later than Sunday, Jan. 31 at heatherton4-h@hotmail.com

INVITING ALL LADIES: an invitation is extended to all ladies of St. Paul's Parish who might be interested in re-activating the **Catholic Women's League (CWL), in the Parish:** A meeting will take place at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, January 30th, in the MacGillivray Room. Several members of the Antigonish Diocesan Executive will be in attendance. Signed: Toosje Van de Sande, Diocesan President Phone: 863-3234

Are you looking for a Healthier you, with a challenge? We are doing **The Biggest Loser Group**, Havre Boucher Style. You will need a partner, a fee is paid, a prize could be won if you lose the highest percentage of weight with your partner or individual, and anyone is welcome, in and out of Havre Boucher. If you want any further information call Connie 234-3014 or Karen 234-3318.

Anyone wishing to place a message in the bulletin may phone 234-3118 or email mary_florence47@hotmail.com. Please have your notice in by 12 noon on Fridays.