

Community Parish Bulletin

First Sunday in Lent

February 10, 2008

“When he calls to me, I will answer; I will rescue him and give him honor. Long life and contentment will be his.” Psalm 91:15-16

Weekend Masses:

St. Francis of Assisi	St. Francis Harbour	Saturday	4:00 pm
St. Lawrence	Mulgrave	Saturday	6:00 pm
St. Paul's	Havre Boucher	Sunday	10:00 am

Weekday Masses:

Monday, February 11,	6:30 p.m.	Nelson Melong	St. Paul's
Tuesday, February 12,	9:00 a.m.	Bill Chaisson	St. Paul's
Thursday, February 14,	6:30 p.m.	Louise Landry	St. Paul's
Friday, February 15,	9:00 a.m.	Joseph A. LeVangie	St. Paul's
Saturday, February 16,	4:00 p.m.	Elizabeth Porper	St. Francis
Saturday, February 17,	6:00 p.m.	Special Intention	St. Lawrence

Monday, February 11, - World Day of The Sick - Today highlights the healing ministry of the Church. We are reminded that service to the sick and suffering cannot be neglected and we recognize the great efforts of doctors, nurses, health care institutions, pastoral care givers, home care givers who restore health to those afflicted with illness and disease.

Eucharistic Ministers for February 16/17

St. Francis: Anne C/ Beverly G.
St. Lawrence: Kevin O'Neill/ Lorraine Henry/ Mary MacAskill
St. Paul's: Ann DeCoste/ Mary Pettipas/ Leonie Almeda

Lectors: February 16/17

St. Francis: Betty Kavanagh
St. Lawrence: Helen MacLellan/Alicia MacLean
St. Paul's: Dan Fougere/ Mary Annette DeCoste

Weekly Collections:

February 2, 2008	St. Francis.....	\$212.80
February 2, 2008	St. Lawrence.....	\$979.45
February 3, 2008	St. Paul's.....	\$2433.66

Baptisms: takes place on the second Sunday of every month, please phone the Pastor one month in advance.

Marriage: If there is anyone contemplating marriage anytime this year they **must** take the pre-marriage course, and notify the Pastor at least **six months** in advance of the marriage. Please phone Fr.McNeil at 234-2387 if you are thinking of being married. If you decide to marry on a Saturday, the wedding must be celebrated before 2:00 p.m. An Engaged Encounter Weekend is considered a pre-marriage course. There is one on February 15-17 at Villa Madonna Retreat House, phone 902 736-3602. A pre-marriage course is being offered at St. Ninian's on April 18, 19, and 20. Please phone 863-5987 for details.

St. Lawrence Parish Council is looking for a replacement for one of its members who are leaving, May 1/08. Anyone interested please phone Fr. Robert McNeil or Anne Marie Meagher. Thank you.

St. Lawrence is having a Valentine Breakfast/ Bake Sale/ 50/50 draw at the Mulgrave Fire Hall, Feb. 17, 8:30 a.m.-12:00 noon, Adults \$5.00 and Children \$3.00

St. Paul's Liturgy Committee will be having a meeting, February 12, 7:00 p.m. in St. Paul's Pastoral Center.

The D.O.V.E. Christian Youth Group: Our Group is planning on doing the Way of the Cross for the Lenten Season. We are looking for anyone 14 years and older (including adults) who are willing to lend a hand. We need extra actors, stage hands, costume advisors, creative people. Please lend a hand and help our youth group by contacting Marian Snaire at 234-2161.

St. Paul's: Tax Receipts are available on the table located in the Foyer of the Church.

Havre Boucher & Area Community Centre : 2nd Annual Valentine's Day Dinner and Social, Saturday, February 16, 2008, 6:30 p.m. Cocktail Hour/Cash Bar 7:00 p.m. Buffet Meal, \$25/person, Tickets available at Gary's Groceries. Table bookings are available by request at 234-2323.

St. Paul's: A meeting for the 150th Anniversary of St. Paul's Parish will be held on Monday February 11, at 7:00 p.m. in the MacGillivray Room. Please pass in any suggestions in the boxes at the back of the church or in the Sunday collection. Anyone having suggestions or interested in helping, is welcomed to attend the meeting. Minutes from the last meeting have been e-mailed out to the planning committee.

Our Lady of Grace Monastery: A Celebration of Welcome. With Most Reverend Bishop Raymond J. Lahey Sunday, March 2, at 2 p.m. join us in Prayer, meet the Sisters and browse the new Gift Shop. More details posted on the bulletin boards of all Community Parishes.

Open House for Joseph R. Pettipas, on the occasion of his 90th birthday will take place February 17, in Linwood at the home of his son Stephen Pettipas, from 1 p.m-4 p.m. everyone is welcomed.

The Local Branch of the Kidney Foundation is looking for someone in Havre Boucher to chair the collection for the Kidney Foundation in that area. Anyone interested please phone Theresa MacDonald at 386-2793.

St. Joseph's Parish: "Please join us for our second annual casserole supper at St. Joseph's Lakeside Community Center, Antigonish Co.," on Saturday, February 16, 4-6 p.m. Adults \$8.00 and children under 12 \$5.00 Sponsored by St. Joseph's CWL, Mass is at St. Joseph's Church at 6:00 p.m.

Shape Up 4 Summer: Come out for an hour of new moves and music, CARDIO, STRENGTH, & FLEXABILITY. Feb. 20-May17, Wednesday 6:15 - 7:15 p.m. at EAEC/A. 12 pre-registrants required for class to run. Deadline to register is Feb. 15, Call Marlene at 232-3191, or 872-0750.

An Invitation is extended to all men of the Parish to come and learn what the **Knights of Columbus** is all about. If you are 18 and older, come and see what it means to belong and enjoy experiences of a life time, .Feb. 9 at St.Lawrence Parish Mulgrave, following 6 p.m. Mass, and Feb.10 at St. Paul's Parish, Havre Boucher following the 10 a.m. Mass. Spouses are welcomed.

Kitchen Party: February 10 Sunday, 7:00 p.m. Maple Hall in Heatherton, admission is \$4.00, lunch provided.

"Spread love everywhere you go - first of all in your own house. Give love to your children, to your wife or your husband, to a next door neighbor. Let no one ever come to you without leaving better and happier. Be the living expression of God's kindness; kindness in your face, kindness in your eyes, kindness in your smile, and kindness in your warm greeting" ~Mother Theresa~

Have a Good Week!