

**THE BULLETIN FOR
ST. BARRA PARISH (ST. COLUMBA, ST. ANDREW'S)
ST. MARY'S, FRENCHVALE
ST. MICHAEL'S, BADDECK
QUEEN OF THE WORLD, WAGMATCOOK
HOLY TRINITY, WAYCOBAH**

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**6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
February 11, 2018**



REGULAR WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:

**Saturdays - St. Columba, Iona - 4 p.m.
Saturdays - St. Andrew's, Boisdale - 5:30 p.m.
Saturdays - St. Mary's, Frenchvale - 6 p.m.
Saturdays - Holy Trinity, Waycobah - 6 p.m.
Sundays - St. Michael's, Baddeck - 9 a.m.
Sundays - Queen of the World, Wagmatcook - 10:15 a.m.**

ASH WEDNESDAY MASS SCHEDULE:

Ash Wednesday, February 14 - St. Columba, Iona - 4 p.m.

Ash Wednesday, February 14 - St. Andrew's, Boisdale - 5:30 p.m.

Ash Wednesday, February 14 - Queen of the World, Wagmatcook - 4 p.m.

Ash Wednesday, February 14 - St. Michael's, Baddeck - 6 p.m.

***Ashes will be blessed and distributed at these Masses. A reminder that Ash Wednesday is a day of fast and abstinence.

PLEASE NOTE: There is no Mass at St. Mary's Parish, Frenchvale, on Ash Wednesday.

THE PARISH COMMUNITIES OFFER PRAYER AND SYMPATHY TO:

The Family of Fr. Reginald MacNeil, Glace Bay/Ottawa.

May he rest in peace. Amen.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS will take place at St. Columba Church, Iona, on Saturdays beginning February 17, at 3:30 p.m. before the 4 p.m. Mass. We ask that the Altar Servers scheduled for the Saturday Masses be at the Church in time for the Stations of the Cross.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS will take place at St. Andrew's Church, Boisdale, on Saturdays beginning February 17, at 5:10 p.m. before the 5:30 Mass.

FIRST COMMUNION/FIRST PENANCE: We are in the process of organizing the Sacraments of First Communion/First Penance for St. Barra Parish, Iona. If your child is eligible for First Communion (Grade 2 and up) or First Penance (Grade 4 and up); please register by emailing stcolumba.iona@ns.sympatico.ca or phone Josie at 902-725-2173.

MASS IN TAGALOG: On Sunday, February 11, at 4 p.m., Fr. Antolin Asor, Pastor of St. Peter's Parish, will be at Holy Redeemer Parish, Whitney Pier, to offer Mass in Tagalog for our people from the Philippines. A pot-luck supper will follow. Please spread the word to your Filipino friends and invite them to come and join in this wonderful opportunity to celebrate Mass in you native language and meet your friends.

PILGRIMAGE to Saint Anne De Beaupre, Cap de la Madeline, St. Joseph Oratory and Montmorency Falls. Come join me Fr. Patrick O'Neill on a pilgrimage from June 10 to June 17. The cost is \$850 per person. There are a limited number of seats available. If interested please phone Helen at 902-794-8825 to book your seat on the bus and for more information.

THIS MONTH IN THE DIOCESE NEWSLETTER, February 2018, is now available on line at www.antigonishdiocese.com.

BADDECK NURSERY SCHOOL'S ANNUAL VALENTINE'S DINNER AND SILENT AUCTION will be held Wednesday, February 14, from 6 - 8 p.m. at the Baddeck Community Centre. 3 course meal includes: salad - choice of salmon or pork loin - cheesecake, door prizes and entertainment, James Nicholson. \$30.00 per ticket available from nursery school parents, Bean There Cafe, Morrison Motors, Stone's Drug Store or call Patti at 902-295-0072. Thank you for your support!

EXERCISE CLASSES: Exercise classes at the Boisdale Fire Hall have resumed at 10 a.m. on Thursdays. It is required that the registration form for this no-fee Older Adult Fitness class be completed before officially beginning the program. For further information, please call Marie MacSween at 902-578-9070.

YOGA CLASSES at the Boisdale Fire Hall will take place on Tuesdays at 7 p.m. and on Fridays at 10 a.m. Please bring a mat and blanket and wear comfortable clothing. Any questions, please contact Anita MacKinnon at 902-871-2074.

WINTER YOGA RETURNS – Wednesday mornings, St. Columba Church Centre. 10 a.m. - 11 a.m. Wear comfortable clothing and bring a yoga mat, blanket and water. Instructor: Linda Bryden. If school is cancelled at Rankin School of the Narrows the class will be cancelled for the day. Cost: \$5 per class. Sponsored by: CCBCVI, Wellness Committee. For further information email: ccbcvi@gmail.com

ADULT CHAIR FITNESS CLASS: Participants will do aerobic, strength training and stretching exercises while seated in a chair. Bring light weights or two bottles of water to use as weights. Class suitable for persons with all ranges of mobility. Wear comfortable clothing and sneakers. Bring a bottle of water. Thursday mornings: 10:30 - 11:30 a.m. until March 22. St. Columba Church Centre, Iona. Instructor: Theresa MacLean PTS, FIS. Cost: \$5 per class.

CENTRAL CAPE BRETON GETS ACTIVE 2018 - on Sunday, Feb. 18, 11 - 1 p.m. - Come out for a snowshoe hike, along with skating and snow man making. Event takes place at Rankin School of the Narrows. This event is also part of the 7th Annual Victoria County Winter ActiveFest program. Pre-registration is required to book snowshoes. Deadline for registration Feb. 15. To pre-register please email: ccbcvi@gmail.com or phone Sharon 902-725-2177. Hot chocolate and a healthy snack will be provided.

THE WELLNESS WALKERS PROGRAM and New in 2018 an Adult Strength & Toning Winter Fit Class - at Rankin School of the Narrows, Monday evenings. Time: 7-8 pm. Instructor: Theresa MacLean PTS, FIS. Wear comfortable shoes for indoor use. Use of the fitness equipment is for age 14 and up. Walking is for age 7 and up. Children must be accompanied by an adult or guardian. Walking takes place in the gym. The Fit Class is designed for a full body workout of strengthening exercises that will make the body stronger and leaner, using hand weights, cardio and stretching. Bring a yoga mat, hand weights and water. If school is cancelled at Rankin School of the Narrows class will be cancelled for that evening. For further information email: ccbev@gmail.com or contact Sharon 902-725-2177.

MINISTRIES - ST. COLUMBA - Ash Wednesday, February 14 - 4 p.m. - Readers - Elizabeth MacNeil, Judy MacLellan. Eucharistic Minister - Bernadette MacDougall (The Bread). Altar Servers - Riley, Grace, Simon. **Saturday, February 17 - 4 p.m.** - Readers - Peggy MacKinnon, Shelly Redden. Stations of the Cross - Pauline Campbell. Eucharistic Minister - Francis MacKinnon (The Bread). Hospitality - Hugh & Linda MacKinnon, Buddy MacNeil, Pius Campbell. Altar Servers - Grace, Hannah K., Katherine, Rory.

MINISTRIES - ST. ANDREW'S - Saturday, February 17 - 5:30 p.m. - Readers - Peggy, Fiona. Eucharistic Minister - Gerard. Hospitality - Vince, John. Altar Server - Emma.

MINISTRIES - ST. MICHAEL'S - Sunday, February 18 - 9 a.m. - Readers – David Fraser, Charlene Ivany. Eucharistic Minister - Charlene Ivany. Church cleaning for the week of February 11 - Jeanette MacDonald.

OFFERINGS (Feb. 3/4)	St. Columba	St. Mary's	St. Andrew's	St. Michael's
Envelopes	\$ 739 .00	\$ 533.00	\$ 705.00	\$ 448.00
Loose	66.70	26.00	12.00	60.25
Direct Deposit		245.00		
Building fund	20.00	20.00	50.00	
Fuel	105.00	173.00	90.00	
St. Col. Cem.	5.00			
Cemetery			10.00	
Initial Off.			50.00	