

**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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**14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
July 8, 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.**

PRAYING FOR FR. PAUL: Recently Fr. Paul began a nice tradition of saying The Hail Mary after the Prayers for the Faithful. Let us continue this in his honour asking The Blessed Mother to grant him a speedy recovery and many years of good health as he continues to bring joy to our hearts, homes and communities.

TO THE PARISHIONERS OF ST. BARRA PARISH: Your spiritual support and kindness was very much appreciated by me during my brief stay in your parishes. I was really impressed with your dedication and fidelity to your Parish Ministries. God Bless you for that. Let us continue to pray for each other. Fr. Everett.

OPEN HOUSE: August 5 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. at St. Joseph Convent/Renewal Centre, Mabou. The Sisters of the Congregation of Notre Dame with the local Sisters of St. Joseph Convent/Renewal Centre, Mabou, look forward to your presence as we gather in the cafeteria to give thanks, celebrate, renew friendships, bid farewell and, of course, have a cup of tea. Open mic and local entertainment will be provided.

NEW DONATION CARDS AVAILABLE in support of Mass for Shut-Ins. Mass for Shut-Ins has completed its 55th Season and will be back on the air in October 2018. It remains the longest running television program on CTV in Canada. The Diocesan Pastoral Centre Office now offers donation cards to be given as gifts in celebration of birthdays, anniversaries, graduations, promotions, retirements, weddings and so on. Cards are available for purchase at the Diocesan Pastoral Centre, 200 Churchill Drive, Suite 103, Membertou, Sydney. All proceeds will go toward the production costs of Mass for Shut-Ins. Receipts will be provided.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION AND DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS in Sydney River: Every week on Sundays from 2 -3 p.m. Come to Our Lady of Fatima Parish for a Holy Hour and Divine Mercy Devotions. Father Patrick O'Neill our new Pastor will lead prayer and devotions. Father Patrick will be available for Confessions at 1:30 p.m.

OUR LADY OF GRACE MONASTERY seeks our support to protect their home. When the nuns came in 2007 they were promised a parcel of land along with the monastery, other buildings and the Shrine. Later the headquarters for the Augustinians was moved from Ontario to Chicago, IL. The leadership there reneged on the promise made by the Canadians and recently put the monastery on the market for sale. A petition is circulating for signatures in support of Mother Gloria's request that the Prior of Chicago honour the original agreement. See Mother Gloria's letter and a copy of the petition under Events on our website. <http://www.antigonishdiocese.com/index.php/news-to-you/upcoming-events/127-monastery-petition>. To contact Mother Gloria and/or add your name to the petition ladyofgrace@live.com.

THANK YOU: A heartfelt "Thank You" to all who attended the Prayers for Healing service for Kara on Sunday evening. A special thank you to Father Vargheese and Deacon Wally for leading the service. Please continue to pray for Kara! The MacLellan & MacDonald Families.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH TEAM wish to extend a sincere "Thank You" to the Hills of Boisdale Community Association and their volunteers for planning, organizing and running the flea market last Sunday. Thanks also to those who donated articles, those who purchased them, and the Boisdale Volunteer Fire Department for the use of their building. A contribution of \$540 was made to help with the repairs to the church roof.

GRAND NARROWS WATERFRONT will be selling fresh cooked lobsters on Sunday, July 8, at 12 Noon while supplies last for \$8.50 a pound.

THE CHRISTMAS ISLAND VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPT has scheduled its Annual General Meeting for Saturday, July 14, at 7 p.m. at the Fire Hall. Meeting to be followed by a bbq and social. Everyone welcome.

ANNIVERSARY INVITE: Helen and Alexander invite you to a Anniversary Party at the Iona Legion on Saturday, July 14, from 8 p.m. till 1 a.m. Please, no cards or gifts. Your presence is the best gift!

FÈIS AN EILEIN: 20TH Annual Concert Series "Bu Deòhach Leam Tilleadh": Tuesdays at the Christmas Island Fire Hall at 8 p.m. - July 17, 24, 31 and August 7 and 14. Music Lessons: Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursday and Fridays. Ti is Seanachas - Tea & Conversation - Fridays, July 6 - 27, from 10 am. till 12 noon. Adm. Free.

BLUENOSE II: Come welcome the Bluenose II to the Iona Port as she sails along the Bras d'Or Lake from Baddeck on Wednesday, July 18. Deck tours will be available. Join us for food, fun and festivities! The vessel will be docked at the Iona Port, July 18-19. Check centralcapebreton.com or arosnamara.com for schedule of events. Look forward to seeing you. Central Cape Breton Community Ventures Inc.

RANKIN BOTTLE DRIVE COLLECTING: Many people ask if we are still collecting ...and the answer is YES! Also, if anyone has refundables that they would like to donate to the school over the summer for our fall bottle drive, please feel free to drop off refundables at the garage on the school property any Monday, Tuesday, or Wednesday. We thank you for your support!!

CELTIC-GOSPEL MUSIC for the whole family. St. Mary's Parish Hall, East Bay Tuesday, July 10, 6:30 p.m. By RHYTHM & GRACE, an Ontario family group recommended to us by former parishioners. Free Will Offering Only.

THE PALLIATIVE CARE SERVICE Volunteer Program at the Cape Breton Regional Hospital is currently looking for four volunteers in the Sydney to assist with picking up groceries and baking supplies for our An Cala Palliative Care Unit on a weekly basis. This would require a little heavy lifting (20 lb bags of flour, sugars, etc.). Volunteers would not be required to pay for any of the supplies. For more information, please contact Lisa McNeil-Campbell at 902-567-8160 or email lisa.mcneil-campbell@nshealth.ca.

CARD GAMES: Tuesdays – Senior's Club, Frenchvale – 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays – Boisdale Fire Hall – 7:30 p.m. Thursdays - Washabuck Community Centre - 7:30 p.m.

MINISTRIES - ST. COLUMBA - Saturday, July 14 - 4 p.m. - Readers – Liz MacNeil, Elizabeth MacNeil. Eucharistic Minister – Bernadette MacDougall (The Bread), Francis MacKinnon (The Cup), Roy MacNeil (The Cup). Hospitality - Cynthia & Austin MacKenzie, Brad Parks, Timmy MacNeil. Altar Servers – Riley, Hannah K., Rory, Simon.

MINISTRIES - ST. ANDREW'S - Saturday, July 14 - 5:30 p.m. - Readers - Fiona, Peggy. Eucharistic Minister - Vince. Hospitality - Vince. Altar Server - Emma.

MINISTRIES - ST. MICHAEL'S - Sunday, July - 9 a.m. - Readers – Marie Hanam, Marlene MacLean. Eucharistic Minister – Charlene Ivany. Ministers of Welcome – Syl & Jeanette MacDonald. Church cleaning for the week of July 8 – Kim Cameron.

OFFERINGS (July 1)	St. Columba	St. Mary's	St. Andrew's	St. Michael's
Envelopes	\$ 587.00	\$ 212.00	\$ 750.00	\$ 428.00
Loose	210.20		47.00	122.65
Direct Deposit		245.00		
St. Barra Cem.	100.00			
Building Fund	60.00			
Special Col.			100.00	