

THE BULLETIN FOR JUNE 29/30, 2019

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13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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.
Sundays	St. Michael's, Baddeck	9 a.m.
Sundays	Queen of the World, Wagmatcook	10:30 a.m.

DEAR FRIENDS: I wanted to have this opportunity to offer my best wishes and blessings to Fr. Vargheese as he officially begins his ministry among you ... and what a blessing, since he already is so well respected and appreciated by his parishioners. And I could not retire from ministry without a word of thanks to all of you... So for now let me just say that.... Thank you and God Bless..... Fr. Paul.

CENSUS: We are in the process of conducting a "current" census for 'Our Family of Parishes'. Please fill out the form inserted in the bulletin and drop it in the collection basket. Extra copies are available on the bulletin table. Thank You.

THE ANNUAL OUTDOOR MASS at our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine will be held on Sunday, July 7, at 2 p.m. The Shrine is located behind Sacred Heart Church in Johnstown. Please bring your own chair.

HEALING MASS: Third Monday of each month, 7 p.m. Our Lady of Fatima, Sydney River. Celebrated by Fr Patrick O'Neill. There will be prayer teams to pray with all individually. Music of praise and worship provided by Alan Gale.

PILGRIMAGE TO PORTUGAL AND NORTHERN SPAIN: October 8 - 18, 2019. We will do Fatima, Santarem (Miracle of The Eucharist) Coimbra, Porto, Santiago De Compostel, Oviedo, Logrono and Santander. For more information contact Marie Desjardins at 207-868-5027 or email mariedesjardins1949@gmail.com.

PILGRIMAGE TO MEDUGORJE WITH FATHER PATRICK O'NEILL: Come with me on pilgrimage June 1 - 11, 2020. COST is \$2950 (all costs totaled). We ONLY have 20 spots and many inquiries. To register email Tom Lamey at tlamey@gmail.com On the way back we will stay in England to make trip back more relaxing.

THE GIFT SHOP at Mother of Sorrows Pioneer Shrine in Mabou will start summer hours on Sunday, June 30. Open 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. Monday to Saturday and 12 Noon to 5 p.m. on Sundays.

PRAYER FOR CANADA DAY: Eternal God, whose reign extends from sea to sea and whose care endures throughout the ages, hear our prayers for our country: grant wisdom to those who govern it and respect for human life and dignity to every citizen, so that justice may flourish and all peoples live in unity and peace. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

THANK YOU: We would like to express our thanks to everyone for their support during the time of illness and loss of our mother, Glenna. Thank you for all the phone calls, the food brought to our homes, the cards and Mass cards and memorial donations. Thank you also to Fr. Vargheese. Everyone's kindness will always be remembered and greatly appreciated. The Gaudley Family

60TH ANNIVERSARY: We invite you to join us at an 'Open House' at the Iona Fire Hall on **Sunday, June 30, from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.** celebrating 60 years of service to our communities. Join us to for coffee, tea, cake and a light lunch. Iona Volunteer Fire Department

A HUGE CANADA DAY BREAKFAST will be held **Monday, July 1, 9 a.m. - 12 noon** at the Boisdale Fire Hall. Sausages, ham, homemade beans, hash brown casserole and pancakes, biscuits, toast, tea, coffee and juice all available for \$10 adults and \$5 for children. Also a flea market will be held at same time in the fire bays. All proceeds from the Flea Market will go towards the St. Andrew's Church building fund. All donations are greatly accepted and can be dropped off at the Fire Hall that morning or call Leah 902-871-2172 or Peggy 902-871-2471.

NS HIGHLAND VILLAGE EVENTS: Monday, July 1 - Canada Day Open House: Highland Village honours the founding of our country with free admission to the site on July 1. A special milling frolic will be held from 2 - 3 p.m. Free admission. **KitchenFest Guided Storytelling Tour & Milling Frolics - July 2, 5 & 6:** This special folk life experience will give you insight into the lives and stories of Gaels as they immigrated to Eastern Nova Scotia. Reservations preferred. \$25 per person. 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. **Saturday, July 6 - Danna's a' Bhaile|Village Dance Storytelling & Dance (KitchenFest 2019):** Music was an integral part of life for the Gaels. Join us for this special storytelling tour and square dance with Dawn & Margie Beaton and Joe MacMaster. 6 - 9 p.m. Admission \$25 per person. \$15 for students. If you want to attend the dance portion only admission is \$10. Please reserve your ticket in advance, space is limited.

MERCHANDISE BINGO will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, July 7, at the Christmas Island Fire Hall. Sponsored by Clan MacNeil. Everyone welcome.

THE ANNUAL YARD & BAKE SALE at St. Columba Church Centre will take place on Saturday, July 13, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. Items for yard sale can be dropped off at the shed between 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday to Friday. For pick-up call Gregory, 902-725-2840/902-295-7843 or Aussie, 902-725-2810. Bake sale items can be dropped off Friday nite before sale or early Saturday morning. Thank You. St. Barra Parish Ways & Means. Volunteers needed, please call Gregory to help out.

THE 38TH ANNUAL STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL, Johnstown Parish Hall on Sunday, July 7, from 2 p.m. - 5 p.m. Come enjoy good company, strawberries, biscuits, bonnach, oat cakes and tea. Cost \$10. Sponsored by Sacred Heart Ladies Group.

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

MINISTRIES - ST. COLUMBA - Saturday, July 6 - 4 p.m. - Readers – Pauline Campbell, Hugh MacKinnon. Eucharistic Ministers - Wendy MacNeil (The Bread), Elizabeth MacNeil (The Cup), Bernadette MacDougall (The Cup). Hospitality - Cynthia & Hoss MacKenzie, Timmy MacNeil, Neil James MacNeil. Altar Servers – Sarah, Grace.

MINISTRIES - ST. ANDREW'S - Saturday, July 6 - 5:30 p.m. - Readers - Blaine, Anita. Eucharistic Minister - Blaine. Hospitality - Len. Altar Server - Vince.

MINISTRIES - ST. MICHAEL'S - Sunday, July 7 - 9 a.m. - Readers - David Fraser, Marlene MacLean. Eucharistic Minister - Mary Ivey. Ministers of Welcome - Syl & Jeanette MacDonald. Church cleaner for the week of June 30 - Jeanette MacDonald.

OFFERINGS (June 22/23)	St. Columba	St. Mary's	St. Michael's	St. Andrew's
Envelopes	\$ 695.00	\$ 607.00	\$ 568.00	\$ 515.00
Loose	117.25	1.25	96.15	33.00
Direct Deposit	50.00	245.00		
St. Columba Cem.	400.00			
Building Fund	5.00			
Papal Charities		5.00		
Cemetery		5.00		
ADS		40.00		

