



**ST. PETER'S PARISH, TRACADIE, N.S**  
**31<sup>st</sup> and 32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday's in Ordinary Time**  
**November 5<sup>th</sup> to November 19<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

Rev. John A. Barry, Parish Priest (902) 232-2272  
Chair of the Parish Council: Sheila Pelly  
Secretary of the Parish Council: Herbert Delorey  
Caretaker for the Parish: Vernon Stafford



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**MASS INTENTIONS – NOVEMBER 5<sup>TH</sup> – 19<sup>TH</sup> 2017**

Sunday November 5 – 9:30 am - Intentions of all Parishioners  
Monday November 6 – 9:00 am - Vincent H. Delorey from Herbert Delorey

I will be away from the Parish from Tuesday, November 7<sup>th</sup> until November 13<sup>th</sup>. So, there will be **no** weekday Masses until November 14<sup>th</sup>. As I have mentioned, many times, it is impossible now to get a priest to celebrate weekday Masses when the Parish Priest must be away.

For the weekend of November 11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> **Father Angus J. MacGillivray** has graciously accepted to celebrate the weekend Masses.

Tuesday November 7 – **No Mass**  
Wednesday November 8 – **No Mass**  
Thursday November 9 – **No Mass**  
Friday November 10 – **No Mass**  
Saturday November 11 – 6:30 pm - Florence & David Pettipas  
Sunday November 12 – 9:30 am - Intentions of all Parishioners  
Monday November 13 - **No Mass**  
Tuesday November 14 - 9:00 am - Monique Partridge from Herbie & Pauline  
Wednesday November 15 - 9:00 am - Edward DeCoste from the DeCoste family  
Thursday November 16 - 9:00 am - Craig Joseph Perry from Rosemarie & Bernie DeCoste  
Friday November 17 - 9:00 am - Bruce Pettipas from Tom & Betty  
Saturday November 18 - 6:30 pm - Vincent H Delorey from Ruth & family  
Sunday November 19 - 9:30 am - Intentions of all Parishioners

**SCHEDULE FOR MASSES**

Saint Peters: Weekday Masses - Monday to Friday, 9:00 am  
Saturday at 6:30 pm; and Sunday morning at 9:30 am

Saint Monica's, Lincolnville – Every Second Sunday  
Next Mass: Sunday, November 19<sup>th</sup>, for the Intentions of the Desmond family

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**

Baptisms will be celebrated for the month of December on Sunday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>, at 10:15 am in Saint Peter's Church. **Always** - Baptisms take place on the **First Sunday of the Month**. Please phone the Glebe House and speak with me directly to make **any** arrangements for Baptisms in Saint Peter's Church and Parish!

## **SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE**

Anyone contemplating marriage for this coming year is asked to contact **Father Barry** as soon as possible. I request at least three months' notice and those contemplating marriage are expected to follow the Preparation for Marriage Course and are to be practising their faith and to continue practising it after their marriage. Marriage in the Catholic Church is a most sacred and serious event and to be seriously contemplated. So far, four marriages have been registered for 2018. The Preparation for Marriage course for our deanery is scheduled for **Saturday, October 28<sup>th</sup> at Saint Ninian Place, Antigonish** beginning at 9:00 am and ending at 4:00 pm,

## **CARD PLAY IN THE MONSIGNOR DONNELLY HALL**

Every Thursday evening at 8:00 pm. All proceeds go to the Building Committee and its work of Saint Peter's Parish.

## **HOLY NAME - BEAVERS' CLUB BINGO**

Each Monday evening in the Monsignor Donnelly Hall at 8:00 pm. All proceeds go to the Building Committee of the Parish and its work of Saint Peter's Parish.

## **PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES, FATIMA & SPAIN**

With Father Patrick O'Neill (parish priest at St Joseph, North Sydney): Join me on a Spiritual Pilgrimage April 22<sup>nd</sup> – May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018 to Fatima, Lourdes and Spain. The Pilgrimage is now Confirmed and we have people already committed to book. I am excited that we have pricing for the Pilgrimage to Fatima, Lourdes and Spain for April 22<sup>nd</sup> - May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018, including the group exclusive tour to San Sebastian de Garabandal. Please call Margaret at Maritime Travel and book now (902) 794-7251 during business hours. Price based on Double Occupancy (2 guests per room) is \$4229.00 CAD, taxes included. Price includes Roundtrip Airfare from Sydney (including air taxes/fees and surcharges), hotel transfers, the exclusive tour to San Sebastian de Garabandal and an Early Booking Discount of \$200.00 per person. Single Supplement for travellers wishing to have their own accommodations is an additional \$580.00 CAD (Total \$4809.00 CAD)

## **ST. PETERS PARISH COUNCIL**

The next meeting of the Parish Council is scheduled for Sunday, November 26<sup>th</sup> in St. Peters Place at 10:30 am.

## **TENDERS CALLED FOR SNOW REMOVAL AND SALTING FOR 2017/2018**

Tenders are now called for the Church Properties: the Church parking lot, the front of Saint Peter's Place, the drive up to the Glebe House and the Monsignor Donnelly Hall entrance and parking lot. Anyone who wishes to apply for this may contact Ms. Sheila Pelly, Chair of the Parish Council - at [eastermama@xplornet.com](mailto:eastermama@xplornet.com) or [spelly@modg.ca](mailto:spelly@modg.ca) or phone: (902)232-2348 or address: 11 Lincolville, RR 1, Monastery, Nova Scotia, B0H 1W0 by October 30<sup>th</sup>, 2017- for who knows when the first snow fall will be?

## [PARKING IN FRONT OF THE CHURCH](#)

Some people insist on parking within the area of the very front doors of the Church when they come for weekend Masses. If someone needs to be dropped-off, because they are unable to walk from the parking lot to the Church doors, this can be done and the cars/trucks can return to the parking lot. However, if vehicles are left in front of the Church doors, there is plenty of room to drive them as far as you can on the pavement ways in front of the main entrance to the left or right. It is a real hazard when vehicles are parking almost in front of the Church doors! Fire regulations direct that entrance ways not be blocked and any vehicles parked near entrance ways, must be at least 14 feet from the doors.

## [YOUTH RALLY: 2017](#)

For all youth, attending High School or University of the area to be held at **Saint Ninian Place, Antigonish on Saturday, November 25th, 2017 om 10:00 am - 3:00 pm.** Lunch will be provided and donations for the Food Bank will be accepted. The key note speaker is **Jenn Power, Regional Coordinator of L'Arche Atlantic Region.** In recent years, little has taken place for the youth of our area and so this is a wonderful initiative for the young people to become **involved** in the life of the Church. You are **most** cordially invited.

**[AULD'S COVE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT](#)**: is hosting a Merchandise Bingo at the Auld's Cove Fire Hall on SUNDAY, November 19<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at 2:00 p.m. There are great prizes.

## [A FEW WORDS FROM FATHER BARRY](#)

Unfortunately, I will be away from the Parish from Tuesday, November 7<sup>th</sup> until November 14<sup>th</sup>. As I mentioned, it is impossible now to get a priest for celebrations of daily Masses. Father Angus J. MacGILLIVRAY has graciously agreed to celebrate the weekend Masses for November 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>. Our thanks to him. Also, if there might be any need to contact a priest or if there might be a funeral while I am away, Father Allan MacPhie, Parish Priest of Saint Paul Parish, Havre Boucher has graciously agreed to provide his service. That is very kind of him!

You may contact Shirley Grant our faithful housekeeper or Vern Stafford, our caretaker for any needs you might have while I am away.

Our Annual Memorial Mass for deceased parishioners was celebrated on Saturday evening last at the 6:30 pm Mass. The attendance was quite good especially - many families representing those who died in our Parish since the last Memorial Mass came forward to light a candle for the deceased.

November 11<sup>th</sup>, Saturday next is Remembrance Day - the special day we **pause to pray for and to remember** especially those who gave their lives for the sake of our freedom in the World Wars and Conflicts and indeed for **all** those who served in the Military. They have made great sacrifices and some the **ultimate sacrifice**.

We celebrated the opening and official blessing and dedication of our Veterans' Memorial Park on Sunday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>. The new and restored Park is beautiful and a most fitting reminder to all of us especially for those members of our Parish who served in the Military. Their names are inscribed on the Monument in the Park. The event was very well attended and special thanks and appreciation to

the Tracadie Veterans' Association, but especially to Betty Pettipas, its chairperson, for her dauntless and steadfast service in making this all happen! The reception which took place in the Msgr. Donnelly Hall following the ceremony was most enjoyable and a real social occasion. Our thanks again!

The month of the Holy Souls - November - continues with rapidity. Let us not forget to pray for all deceased parishioners and those who have gone before us. Let us also pray, as traditionally we do, for all the Holy Souls.

The Monsignor Donnelly Hall, renovations committee, continues to raise funding for the Hall and for improvements to it. Notice of the events: **Tracadie Games & Trade Show** are noted in the Bulletin last week and this. Let us continue to support this effort!

There will be no Bulletin for next week as I will be away but it will resume the following week.

God bless you and have a good week!