



ST. PETER'S PARISH, TRACADIE, N.S

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 11th – 17th, 2018

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



MASS INTENTIONS – November 11th – 17th

Sunday	Nov 11 - 9:30 am – Intentions of all Parishioners
Monday	Nov 12 - 9:00 am – Thomas Joseph Mattie from Charles Kenny
Tuesday	Nov 13 - 9:00 am – Bobby Myette from Mary Ann Carter
Wednesday	Nov 14 - 9:00 am – Monique Partridge from Herbie & Pauline
Thursday	Nov 15 - 9:00 am – Vincent & Buddy Delorey from Mary Ann Carter
Friday	Nov 16 - 9:00 am – Wayne Carter from Mary Ann Carter
Saturday	Nov 17 - 6:30 pm – Bruce Pettipas from Tom & Betty

SCHEDULE FOR MASSES

Saint Peters, Tracadie:	Weekday Masses - Monday to Friday - 9:00 am Saturday evening - 6:30 pm Sunday morning - 9:30 am
Saint Monica's, Lincolnville	Every second Sunday at 11:00 am Next Mass: Sunday, November 18 th

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms will be celebrated for the month of **December, Sunday, December 2nd, at 10:15 am** in Saint Peter's Church. **Always** Baptisms take place on the **First Sunday of the Month**. If this date is impossible for anyone, please let me know for it is so important that infants receive Baptism "as soon as possible" after their births and not a **year or two** or more later! Parents presenting their children for Baptism are **expected** to be practising their Faith as are the godparents who serve as sponsors for the one to be baptized. Also, by tradition, we have always had two sponsors for baptism although according to Church Law, only one is required. If there are two, according to Canon Law, canon 873 states: "One sponsor, male or female, is sufficient; but there may be two, one of each sex." Also, those who present their children for Baptism should be residing within the Parish! Please phone the Glebe House and speak with me directly to make **any** arrangements for any Baptisms in Saint Peter's Church and Parish!

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Anyone contemplating marriage for 2019 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 expected to be practising their faith.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

As noted, in many past bulletins, we will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation in our Parish on **Sunday, December 9th, at the 9:30 am Mass**. Already the first four Sunday evening classes have been completed which take place in Saint Peter's Church. There are 35 persons registered in this class which is being animated by **Angie Connors** of our Parish. We are very grateful to **Angie** for this tremendous service to those preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation.

CARD PLAY IN THE MONSIGNOR DONNELLY HALL

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

HOLY NAME - BEAVERS' CLUB BINGO

Bingo is held each **Monday evening in the Monsignor DONNELLY HALL at 8:00 pm.** All proceeds go to the Building Committee and it's work of Saint Peter's Parish.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION IN OUR PARISH

At our recent Parish Council meetings we have discussed our religious education program. We received an excellent submission from **Julieanne Connors** who has been working with a few of the parents to prepare a religious education program. On Sunday last, after the 9:30 am Mass, about 12 students were registered for the program - this also includes those children in grade two who will be preparing to receive the Sacrament and Penance and First Holy Communion this coming Spring. The program will begin shortly and Julieanne will keep all of us informed as to the time and place. Our thanks indeed to Julieanne and those who are assisting her. This is a wonderful service to the Parish.

Angie Connors continues to conduct the religious formation for the Sacrament of Confirmation which is to take place in our Parish at the 9:30 am Mass on Sunday, December 9th, 2018. The program is coming along very well. Those to receive the Sacrament will also have a **Penance Service (The Sacrament of Confession)** prior to the Confirmation. Dates will be announced. Let us pray for all those who are involved in our religious formation programs in the Parish.

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION AT SAINT PATRICK'S CHURCH, MERLAND

Will take place on **Sunday, December 16th, 2018 at 1:30 pm.**

REMEMBRANCE DAY - NOVEMBER 11, 2018

Each year on November 11th, we commemorate the armistice signed between the Allies of World War I and Germany at Compeigne, France. This marked the end of the hostilities on the Western Front of World War I which took effect at 11 o'clock 'in the morning - of the 11th day of the 11th month of 1918. At our Remembrance Services we always stop and maintain two minutes of silence to symbolize end of the War and to provide us with an opportunity to remember those who have died. This of course is extended to World War II and all conflicts involving of military personnel so that peace might be maintained. This year, Remembrance Day falls on a Sunday. Today at our 9:30 am Mass we observe this special Remembrance especially praying for all those who have died in the World Wars and Conflicts and especially those who made the "supreme sacrifice" so that we enjoy the peace which has been won for us. Special thanks to **Angie Connors** for the wonderful display she has arranged before the main altar to help us **Remember and Reflect** on the importance of this day.

A FEW WORDS FROM FATHER BARRY

Our Annual Memorial Mass for all deceased parishioners who died this past year was celebrated at the 6:30 pm Mass on Saturday last. Sixteen deceased parishioners were mentioned and a member from each family came forward to light a candle in memory of their deceased relative. The entire month of November is devoted to the Holy Souls. We are invited to remember and pray for the deceased especially those who have NO one left to remember and pray for them.

Our thanks to the Renovation Committee for the Msgr. Donnelly Hall which is continuing to raise money for the installation of a new chimney for the Msgr. Donnelly Hall. This is absolutely necessary - there

was a weekend of activities last weekend for fundraising. This committee, as usual, raises the funds and cares for them in a separate bank account and pays these bills for renovations.

The Sunday Missals are still available at the Church entrance - we begin to use them the First Sunday of **Advent which is Sunday, December 2nd**.

God bless you and have a good week.