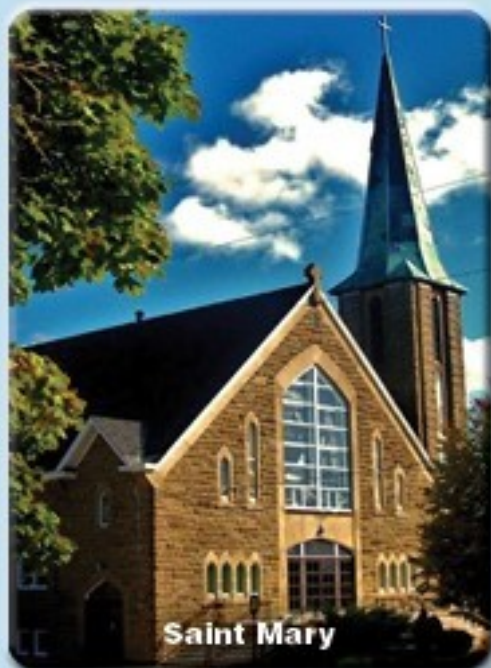




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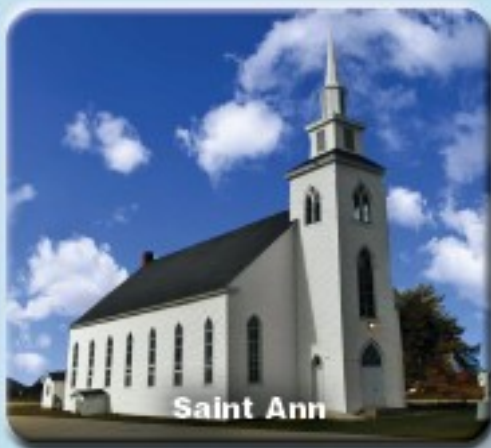
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Prayer for Tolerance, Forgiveness and Reconciliation

O God, Creator and Father of all, with humility we your children acknowledge the relationship of all living things. For this we thank you, we praise you and we worship you. We call on you, Great Mystery, the word made Flesh – our teacher, prophet and brother - to open our hearts to all our brothers and sisters, and with them to grow in the wisdom, honesty, courage and respectfulness shown in the Sacred Teachings. Give us the vision and honesty to recognize that we are all brothers and sisters of one human family, created and sustained by the One Creator. As we deal with many challenges, may we never give way to fear and anger, which can be the source of division and threat amongst peoples. we look to how God always gives to us, as a remedy for sins of prejudice and intolerance.

We see in God the creator of all things, One who always provides and is generous - even given the abuses we have heaped on one another and on the earth. We see in the Son, Jesus Christ - the innocent Victim who pours His life blood out from the Cross for all peoples. We see how the Holy Spirit is God's gift, alive in our world today - inspiring vision and hope that we can have the same mind and heart of God! May Your Spirit bless all souls who died at residential schools. May this same Spirit also bring blessing and healing to all families and communities affected in any way by the schools. O Creator, show us the way to healing, forgiveness and reconciliation and a renewed fellowship.

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September 17 (Twenty-Forth Sunday in Ordinary Time) 2023

Blessings and welcome to all who are with us today; our parishioners, visitors and faith seekers—you are always welcome at any and all of the five worship sites in our parish.

Parish Mass Times And Intentions

St. Ann's, Burnt Church Mass - Sundays 12:00 pm

St. Joachim's Church Holy Rosary Sun at 11:30 am

Sept 17	Sunday	12:00 pm	† For the People
Sept 24	Sunday	12:00 pm	† Jeffrey Gallivan Landry

St. Mary's Holy Hour: 1st Friday of Month 11:00 am
Holy Rosary weekdays at 11:30; **Angelus** at noon. **Exposition** Mon-Fri from 11:30am to 1:30pm in the Chapel **Wednesdays Adoration @ 11:30am** **First Saturday** 9:00 am Devotion/Exposition; 9:30 am Mass

Sept 16	Saturday	4:30 pm	† Theresa Savoy
Sept 17	Sunday	10:00 am	† Michael Wayne
Sept 19	Tuesday	12:05 pm	† Sheila Marie Williams
Sept 20	Wed.	12:05 pm	† Pam Linkletter
Sept 21	Thurs.	12:05 pm	† Jim Wood (A)
Sept 22	Friday	12:05 pm	† Agnes & Mary Gordon
Sept 23	Saturday	4:30 pm	† Carl Doyle (A)
Sept 24	Sunday	10:00 am	† Lawrence Richard

Sts. Peter & Paul Church

Exposition Friday at 9am

Sept 17	Sunday	10:00 am	† Neil & Pat Arseneault
Sept 19	Tuesday	9:00 am	† Mary Haddad
Sept 22	Friday	9:30 am	† Darrell Gallant
Sept 24	Sunday	10:00 am	† Lloyd & Violet Estey

Please contact the parish office to schedule baptisms and weddings (Baptisms will be the 2nd weekend of each month) - (6 months notice required for weddings please).



St. Samuel's: Holy Rosary Wed. at 8:30 am

Divine Mercy, Rosary and Benediction—last Sunday of each month. **Exposition: Tuesdays 6:00 to 7:00 pm**
 The next Divine Mercy, **Sunday September 24 @ 4pm**

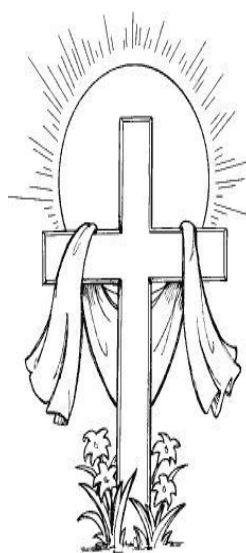
Sept 16	Saturday	4:00 pm	† Greta Innis
Sept 20	Wednesday	9:00 am	† Wilson Hogan Jr.
Sept 21	Thursday	9:00 am	† Special Intentions
Sept 23	Saturday	4:00 pm	† Alden Asoyuf † Bruce Scott

In the charity of your prayers, please remember all those who have died, especially:

Roland Vautour & George Murdock

MEMORIALS Celebrated September 23 @ 4:30 pm:

Souls in Purgatory; Spec. Int. (PM); Dec. Mem. of the Gorman and Galley Families; Malcolm Addison & Mark; Spec. Int. (TG)(LW) (JG) & Families; Frank Larry & dmf; Laurie & Marg Wrigley; Dec. Mem. Of the Doran & Whalen Families. Dec. Mem. of the Duguay and Manderson Families; Vince & Selma Mitchell. James, Millie & Anne Underhill. Frank Donaher, Jane (Morrissy) Allen, Irene (Ramsay) Maxwell. Doreen Morris, John Foran & Deborah (Mullin) MacDonald.



Parish News & Events

Fall Parish Office Hours 2023

Tuesday—Thursday 9am to 2pm

- **Cemeteries**—Please inspect your family's headstones' - do they require maintenance (ie. leveling)? Contact your monument company or other contractor for assistance as repairs or maintenance of monuments is not part of perpetual care which covers maintenance of cemetery grounds.
- **St. Samuel's Men's Group** will also be starting up their yearly card parties. This will start September 17, 2023 at 1pm at St. Samuel's Parish Hall.
- **St. Samuel's & St. Mary's 50/50**—September tickets are now on sale. St. Mary's August winner was Emma Jane Harris, taking home \$300.00. Congratulations.
- **Community Breakfast** to be held on **Sunday, September 17th from 9am to 12 noon** at **Father Morrissey Centre in Bartibog**. On the menu is eggs, bacon, sausage, bologna, toast, hash browns, juice, coffee and tea. Adult plate is \$10 and youth under 12 years is \$5. Everyone welcome.
- **Suggestion boxes!** If parishioners have any ideas to bring forward to Parish and Finance council; please write down your questions or ideas, with your contact information and they will be brought to the attention of the committees and our priests. We look forward to hearing from you and working together in community. All suggestion boxes are now up and running.
- **Girl Guides of Canada** will be starting Sparks, Embers & Guides next week, Wednesday, September 20, 2023 at St. Samuel's Church in Douglastown. Pathfinders will be at Calvin Presbyterian Church. All to start at 6pm.
- There was a jean jacket left in the St. Mary's kitchen after the July 1st Yard Sale. If it is yours, please let someone on the hospitality committee know.
- **The Knights of Columbus Breakfast** takes place every 2nd Sunday of each month from 8:00 - 12:00 at 345 Campbell St, Newcastle. This fund raiser is to help the less fortunate during the year but especially at Christmas time. Come enjoy a full menu: eggs, bacon, pancakes, sausages, hash browns, home made beans with tea or coffee included for only \$8.00. We hope to see you all there.
- **St. Mary's Fall Supper** will be on **October 15th, 2023**. It will be **take out** and will be \$17.00 a plate. Envelopes for donations will be out soon.
- **Parish Council** will hold a meeting on Tuesday, October 10, 2023, at 6pm in the parish centre of St. Samuel's Church.
- **St. Samuel's Women's Exercise Group** has started back up as of September 5th. Monday, Wednesday & Friday's from 10-11am in the Parish Centre. \$2.00 donation. Spread the word!



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION UPDATE

- **September 16th & 17th:** Registration for *Religious Education Classes* will take place following each weekend Mass at all worship sites - please see the bulletin for the respective Mass schedule. **September 24th:** Classes Begin - Kindergarten-Grade Seven (St. Mary's) following 10 AM Mass; Grades Eight and Nine (St. Mary's) with time TBA. Please contact Irene Blakely at 773-7767 for class times at Saints' Peter and Paul Worship Site.
- **September 24th:** During 10 AM Mass at St. Mary's and Sts' Peter and Paul there will be a Back Pack Blessing for all Students and a Commissioning of Catechists. Students their families, catechists, clergy, and all parishioners are invited to the Parish Hall for an **Ice Cream Social** following Mass. **Beginning September 23rd & 24th**, children of any age at all worship sites are invited to bring to Mass, one non-perishable food item for the Community Food Bank. When offertory is being collected, children will come to the main entrance of the church. Children will join the offertory procession, placing their food items in the box provided, and together will return to their seats. Items will be collected by Religious Education and

