

NOVEMBER 30TH – FEAST OF ST. ANDREW, APOSTLE. Andrew was a fisherman from Bethsaida in Galilee. A disciple of John the Baptist, Andrew was present at Jesus’s baptism. When John stated, “Behold the Lamb of God”, Andrew understood and followed Jesus. He declared to his brother, Simon Peter, that he had found the Messiah. Thus Andrew is known as the first disciple of Jesus. Later, he was among the twelve apostles chosen by Jesus. He is a patron saint of Scotland and Russia, of the Greek Church, and of the fishing industry.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Children’s Christmas Pagent : December 15th – St. Ignatius Parish 10:30 am

Penitential Service : December 18th – St. Ignatius Parish 7:00 pm

Christmas Community Choir: Anyone who wishes to sing on Christmas Eve with the choir, there will be only **ONE** practice this year on **December 22nd at 6:00 pm**

Christmas Eve Mass December 24th :

St. Anne’s Church Conne River 6:00 pm

St. Ignatius Parish St. Alban’s 8:30 pm

Christmas Day Mass December 25th: St. Ignatius Parish 10:30 am

New Years Eve December 31st: St. Ignatius Parish 7:00 pm Mo

New Years Day January 1st: Chapel 10:30 am

Youth Dance : The participants and parents of the Finding God Religion Program will be hosting a Snowflake Dance on Friday, Dec. 13th. (6:00-7:00 Preschool-Grade 4), (7:30-9:00 Grade 5- Grade 8). Admission \$3.00. There will be a canteen available. All proceeds raised at this dance will be given to Fr. Patrick to help his parish in Africa.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: On the first Friday of each month, there will be an exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at the Parish Chapel at 10:30 am. Mass to follow at 11:00 am. The dates are Dec 6th.



ST. IGNATIUS PARISH



ST. IGNATIUS CHURCH-ST. ALBAN’S

ST. ANNE’S CHURCH- CONNE RIVER

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CHRIST THE KING

Today, on the last Sunday in Ordinary Time and the last Sunday of this liturgical year (Year C), we celebrate the Solemnity of Christ the King. A solemnity is the highest rank of liturgical celebrations: a very great feast of public communal worship. Today’s focus is the end-times (which the Church refers to as ‘eschatological’) when Christ the King will restore all creation and restore his kingdom to the Father. The risen people of God will rejoice in a new heaven and a new earth; then”freed from the corruption of sin and death we shall sing God’s glory with every creature (*Eucharistic Prayer IV*).

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Weekday Mass Schedule: November 25th– November 29th

Mon-	11:00 a.m. -----	Parish Chapel----	Albert Morris, Sharon Organ and Juanita Organ
Tues-	11:00 a.m.-----	Parish Chapel----	Darrell Collier, Everest Barnes and Michael Walsh
Wed-	11:00 a.m.-----	Parish Chapel----	John & Elizabeth Peters, Greg Organ and Laura Gale Collier
Thurs-	11:00 a.m.-----	Parish Chapel----	Julo Dollimont, Ann Collier (Michael) and Elizabeth Organ
Friday-	11:00 a.m.-----	Parish Chapel ----	Elizabeth Cox, Levi Hoskins and Joan and Ron Kendall

Weekend Liturgy: November 30th and December 1st

Sat. ---	7:00 p.m.-St. Ignatius Church-----	George and Pearl Collier and William Cox
Sun.---	10:30 a.m.-St. Ignatius Church-----	Parish Family
Sun. --	2:00 p.m.-St. Anne’s Church-----	Broderick Drew and Mary K. John

MINISTRIES' SCHEDULE FOR WEEKEND MASSES

DATE	Sacristan	Reader	Collectors	Eucharistic Minister	Altar Servers	Music
Nov 23rd	Meg Genny	Pat P	Monica K Anthony W Clayton W	Edith O	Patsy Edith	Lenora L
Nov 24th	Ann Teresa	Valerie H	Perry C Ivan O Brenda D	Mary S	Kevin Mark	Youth Choir Valerie C
Nov 30th	Ann Teresa	Elizabeth B	Monica K Anthony W Clayton W	Margaret H	Maggie Pat	Kennedy W Tracey P
Dec 1st	Mary Patsy	Philomena S	Clarence D George D Mike S	Valerie H	Anthony George	Julie-Ann W

Weekly Parish Income

St. Ignatius Church	\$946.50	All Souls	\$10.00
St. Anne's Church	\$186.80	Mass Stipend	\$50.00
Chase The Ace	\$1375.00	World Mission Sunday	\$50.00
Dues (Lenora Lambert)	\$20.00	Sunday Missals	\$200.00
		Confirmation Cert	\$10.00

Chase The Ace: Held every Friday 7:00 pm at the RC Legion. Tickets are \$5.00 each. This fundraiser is open to all persons 19 years and older. Number of cards remaining is **9**. **\$8745.00 Jackpot**

<u>Stipends:</u> (as recommended by the Diocese)		<u>Certificates (copy)</u>	
Funerals	\$200.00	Baptism	\$5.00
Weddings	\$200.00	Confirmation	\$5.00
Baptism	\$25.00	Communion	\$5.00

Condolences: The parishioners of St. Ignatius Parish extend to the family of the late Thelma Piercey their profound sympathies. We join you in prayer for the repose of your loved one. May God Bless you and console you.

Father Patrick Home Visit: Father Patrick will be returning to his home for a visit in January. The children and parents of the Finding God religion program have decided that we wish to do some fundraising to support his community parish (St. Andrew's Catholic Mission Umueze, Ezimba Uboma). They have a small parish there but they do not have a floor. We will be raising some money for him to bring back to his parish. If anyone would like to donate to this cause, you can include a separate envelope and highlight on it that it is a donation for Father Patrick. (Picture of the floor will be posted on our website).

2020 Parish Envelopes will be available in the next few weeks. **Please make sure that the box you take has your name on it.** If you are either new to the parish or did not use envelopes during 2019 but would like a box for 2020, please submit your name to the parish and a box will be issued in your name as soon as possible. **PLEASE DO NOT USE THE ENVELOPES UNTIL JANUARY 1, 2020.**

Envelope Box Numbers: Due to deaths among our faithful parish contributors over the years, plus the decline in church attendance in general, the parish has to order fewer boxes of envelopes each year. As a result, each year a number of parishioners have to be assigned a different box number than the previous year. ***This is not a problem since your income tax receipt for 2019 is based on your envelope number for that year, which may or may not be the same as your box number for 2020.***

The 2020 Living with Christ Sunday Missals: are available; Saturday mass see Ellen Nugent and Sunday mass see Brenda Pelley Davis. Price is \$6.00 per missal.

Christmas Flowers: You are invited to make a donation for Christmas flowers that will be used on our Alter this Christmas. The donation will act as a reminder to all of us of those who have gone home to the Eternal Lord as well as those who are unable to be with us this Christmas. The names of your loved ones will be printed in the Bulletin. Please use an envelope with your name and envelope number with your donation inside and place in the collection basket or drop off at parish office.
