SEPTEMBER 16 - MEMORIAL OF SAINT CORNELIUS, POPE, AND SAINT CYPRIAN, BISHOP, MARTYRS: Saints Cornelius and Cyprian were friends and allies. **Cornelius** was elected Pope during the Decian persecution (250-251). In 253, under renewed persecution, he was arrested and banished. He died in exile the same year. **Cyprian** of Carthage was a convert to Christianity and became a Priest shortly after his conversion. In 249 he became a Bishop. When the Decian persecution began, he went into hiding and supported his flock by letter. Later he was arrested, banished, and condemned to death, showing great faith and courage in the face of martyrdom.

September 17 - Memorial of Saint Robert Bellarmine, Bishop, Doctor: Robert entered the Jesuits in 1560, was ordained in 1570, appointed Cardinal in 1599, and named Archbishop of Capua in 1602. His most famous work is his three-volume Disputations on the Controversies of the Christian Faith (1586-1593), which was a defence of Catholicism and was appreciated because of its balanced and reasonable presentation. Robert was also reviser of the Latin Vulgate Bible, advisor to Galileo, author of two catechisms, director of the Roman College, leader in the Catholic Reformation, head of the Vatican library, and theological consultant to the Holy See. He died in 1621, was canonized in 1930, and declared a Doctor of the Church in 1931. He is a patron of catechists and catechumens.

<u>September 19 - Memorial of Saint Januarius, Bishop, Martyr:</u> Januarius' fame is centered on a relic, said to contain his blood, which is kept in the Cathedral at Naples. Since the fifteenth century, the flask containing the blood has attracted attention. Eighteen times a year, the solid mass in the vial becomes liquefied, sometimes seeming to bubble and froth. The relic is an object of devotion, and the activity is said to be miraculous. No natural explanation has been found for this phenomenon.

<u>SEPTEMBER 20 - MEMORIAL OF SAINT ANDREW KIM TAE-GÖN, PRIEST, PAUL CHONG HA-SANG, AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS:</u>

In the early 1600's, Christian communities began to flourish in Korea under the leadership of lay people. In 1836, missionaries from France secretly entered the country. The Christian communities began to encounter hostility and, during the persecutions of the mid-19th century, over 10,000 Christians were killed. Andrew Kim, the first Korean priest, was one of these, and Paul Chong, a seminarian and catechist, was one of the many lay people who suffered. These and 101 other Korean martyrs (clergy and lay, young and old) were canonized in 1984.





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TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Today's Gospel reveals Christ as the Suffering Messiah. The message is similar to that of last week in that once again we need to allow ourselves to be fully open to truly see who Jesus really is and to truly hear his voice. We cannot have selective seeing and hearing. Jesus is very clear to Peter and the other disciples and to us — yes, he is the Christ, but at the same time he is the Christ who is destined to suffer. Not only that, but his followers must be prepared to endure suffering also. For some, this means actual persecution in parts of the world such as the Middle East. For others, it may mean enduring another kind of cross: illness, disability, addiction, bereavement, loneliness, loss of employment, and so on. Let us walk as true disciples of the Lord Jesus, carrying our daily crosses with fidelity and perseverance. Such commitment will help shape our path to eternal life.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Weekend Liturgy: Sat. – September 14 and Sun. – September 15

St.Alban's-Saturday-7:00p.m.St.IgnatiusChurch-- Gerald & Eileen Burke and Deceased family members

St.Alban's-Sunday – 4:00p.m. St.Ignatius Church------*Parish Family* Conne River-Sunday-2:00p.m. St. Anne's Church------Ricky John

<u>Daily Masses Mon. September 16 – Fri. September 20</u>

Mon - 11:00 a.m. Parish Chapel------Nellie Collier Tues - 11:00 a.m. Parish Chapel------Maurice Willcott Wed ------No Mass Scheduled Thurs-11:00 a.m. Parish Chapel------Owen Benoit Fri-----11:00 a.m. Parish Chapel------John Howse

Weekend Liturgy: Sat. - September 21 and Sun. - September 22

St.Alban's-Saturday-7:00p.m.St.IgnatiusChurch	Everest Barnes
St.Alban's-Sunday - 4:00 p.m. St. Ignatius Church	Parish Family
Conne River-Sunday2:00p.m. St. Anne's Church	Madeline John

MINISTRIES' SCHEDULE FOR WEEKEND MASSES

Date	Sacristan	Reader	Eucharistic Minister	Collectors
Sept. 14	Edith O	Ann B	Father Tom Edith O	Finton O Gerard S
Sept. 15	Edith O	Valerie H	Father Tom Valerie H	William M Ivan O
Sept. 21	Mary S	Ann B	Father Tom Patsy M	Kevin O Bill D
Sept. 22	Mary S	Cindy B	Father Tom Mary S	Anthony W Nicholas C

Weekly Parish Income

St. Ignatius Church	\$795.00
St. Anne's Church	132.00
Mass Stipends	22.00
Baptism Stipend	75.00
EFT (August 2024)	845.00

Thank you for your continued support to the parish.

Stipends (as recommended by the Diocese)

Funerals \$200.00 Weddings \$200.00 Baptism \$25.00

Condolences

The parishioners of St. Anne's Church and St.Ignatius Parish extend to the family of the late Thelma Ann Kendell of Conne River their profound sympathies. We join you in prayer for the repose of your loved one. May God bless you and console you.

<u>WELCOME TO ST. IGNATIUS PARISH: ST. IGNATIUS</u> CHURCH AND ST. ANNE'S CHURCH:

We are happy to have you here in our parish. It is our hope that you experience the presence of Christ during our worship.

"Where two or three come together in my name, there I am with them" Matt 18:20

FUNDRAISER FOR WAR MEMORIAL MONUMENT

September 29

Pickup at St. Alban's Lions Club 12-2 Delivery available to Milltown-Head Bay d'Espoir, Morrisville, Conne

Price:\$15

Must be pre-ordered and paid in abvance by Sept 20

Etransfer to

stalbansveteransmuseum@gmail.com

Contacts:

Ellen Nugent-Facebook or 709-538-3781 Bridget Kelly-Facebook or 709-538-8147 Gail Hoskins-Facebook or 709-538-3877 Remember:

This is a funder

This is a fundraiser for the memorial to honour all veterans throughout Bay d'Espoir and Conne River. Unveiling is planned for November 11, Remembrance Day.