

OCTOBER 23 - WORLD MISSION SUNDAY: It is the responsibility of all Christian believers to spread the Gospel and to become involved in today's missionary work, thus sharing in the missionary activity of the Church. Simple ways to become involved are through prayer and through monetary donations. Each Christian community must pray that the Lord's message may spread quickly and be received with honour (2 Thess. 3.1). An understanding of the Church's mission should also lead us to give responsibly to the national collection for World Mission Sunday (from which collection some of our Canadian dioceses still benefit). **Please give generously.**

October 24 - Memorial of St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop: Born in Spain in 1807, Anthony entered the seminary at age 22 and was ordained in 1835. He founded a congregation known as the 'Claretians' in 1849, and, shortly after, he was appointed Archbishop of Santiago in Cuba where he brought reform to both the clergy and the laity. In 1857 he returned to Spain and became the confessor to Queen Isabella II. In the revolution of 1868 Anthony and the queen were exiled and, after attending Vatican I, Anthony sought refuge at a Cistercian monastery in France where he died in 1870. He was canonized in 1950.

OCTOBER 28 - FEAST OF SAINT SIMON AND SAINT JUDE, APOSTLES: Simon the Zealot is thus named because of his zeal for the law. Jude (Judas) is often referred to as Thaddeus or the son (or the brother) of James to distinguish him from Judas Iscariot. Jude is also known as a patron saint of hopeless cases. Both these apostles suffered martyrdom.

Congratulations on your Baptism

We welcome into our parish community James Thomas Joseph King, baptized on October 16th, 2022 at St. Anne's Church. May this sacred day bring many blessings and much happiness to you and your family.

Condolences

The parishioners of St. Ignatius Parish extend to the family of the late Norman Barnes their profound sympathies. We join you in prayer for the repose of your loved one. May God bless you and console you.



St. Ignatius Parish



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THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The second parable that Jesus tells in Luke 18 addresses attitude in prayer. In contrasting the prayer of the Pharisee with the prayer of the tax collector, Jesus teaches his disciples to pray in humility before God. Jesus again surprises his listeners by showing the tax collector as the example of faith, rather than the Pharisee. Remember that Pharisees were members of a sect of Judaism active in Jesus' time. They taught an oral interpretation of the Law of Moses as the basis for Jewish piety. If anyone would be a model for prayer, a Pharisee was a likely candidate. In contrast, Jesus offers the tax collector as a model for prayer. Tax collectors were collaborators with the Roman authorities in a system that allowed the tax collectors to line their own pockets by charging in excess of the defined taxes. Yet, in this parable, Jesus offers the humility of the tax collector as a model for the prayer of a disciple. The parable reminds us that when we pray, we must remember our need for God in our lives. If we are too full of ourselves, there is too little room for God's grace to work in us.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Daily Masses Mon October 24 – Fri October 28

Mon - 11:00 a.m. Parish Chapel-----Edmund, Shirley,& Palmer Sutton

Tues - 11:00 a.m. Parish Chapel-----Everest Barnes

Wed - 11:00 a.m. Parish Chapel-----Jason Willcott

Thurs- 11:00 a.m. Parish Chapel----Deceased members of the Nugent Family
(Jenny Nugent)

Fri -----11:00 a.m. Parish Chapel-----Leonard Smith

Weekend Liturgy: Sat – October 29 and Sun – October 30

St.Alban's-Saturday 7:00p.m.St.IgnatiusChurch---Elias Hoskins & John
Murphy Jr.

St.Alban's-Sunday 10:30 a.m. St. Ignatius Church—**Parish Family**

Conne River-Sunday 2:00 p.m. St. Anne's Church—Pauline & Nick Jeddore

Ministries' schedule for Weekend Masses

DATE	Sacristan	Reader	Eucharistic Minister	Music
October 22	Patsy M	Gerry C	Father Patrick	
October 23	Patsy M	Mark W	Father Patrick	
October 29	Edith O	Monica W	Father Patrick	
October 30	Edith O	Lydia W	Father Patrick	

Weekly Parish Income

Parish Income Amounts are not available this week. Amounts for Oct.16 & Oct.23 will be published in next week's bulletin.

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Mass Stipends

Thank you for your continued support to the parish.

Knights of Columbus Scholarships:

Available to **all** students who graduated Grade XII with Honours in June 2022 and are attending a Post-Secondary institution in September. Application deadline:

October 31, 2022. Information and applications under **scholarships** on the State Council website at **www.kofcnl.org**.

All Souls Mass: Will be held on Wednesday, November 2, at 7:00 pm. in St. Ignatius Church. Families of the deceased for this year will be contacted. If you would like a family member added please call Mary Strickland (538-3644) or Edith Organ (538-3813).

WELCOME TO ST. IGNATIUS PARISH: ST. IGNATIUS 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*

Home Visits and Holy Communion

If you or someone you know who would like to receive Holy Communion in their home, you are asked to please inform Father Patrick at 709-280-4904 or call the Parish office at 709-538-3106 Wednesday, Thursday and Friday between 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. The Body of Christ is often such an important part of people's lives, so when they are sick or unable to attend Mass, I would greatly bring them Holy Communion.....Father Patrick Osuji

New To Our Area: Bay D'Espoir Community Food Bank

Location: St Alban's Community Centre

Opening Date: Tuesday February 15th, 2022-02-09

Hours of Operation: Tuesday & Friday 10:00 am- 12:00 pm (by appointment only)

For more information please contact:

Connie: 538-6096

Brenda: 538-6504

Audrey: 572-5609

Cindy: 538-8930

Please feel free to drop off donated food items at the back of the Church in the labelled Food Bank Box.

October: Month of the Holy Rosary

October is one of the two months that the Catholic Church recognizes as a month devoted to the Blessed Virgin Mary. During the month of October, Fr. Patrick will be reciting the Holy Rosary before each Mass service on Saturdays and Sundays. On Saturday evening, the Holy Rosary will begin at 6:40 p.m. followed by the Mass service. The Holy Rosary will begin at 10:10 a.m. on Sunday morning followed by the Mass service.