

SEPTEMBER 21 - FEAST OF SAINT MATTHEW, APOSTLE,

EVANGELIST: The apostle Matthew has two names in the Gospels: Matthew and Levi. It is commonly held that his name was Levi until Jesus called him to be a disciple; then he was called Matthew which, in Aramaic, means >gift of God=. The Gospel bearing his name was composed around the year 85. In this Gospel, Jesus is shown as the fulfillment of God=s Old Testament promises of a Messiah. Tradition holds that, after the Resurrection, Matthew preached in Ethiopia where he was martyred. Known as a tax collector, Matthew is a patron of customs officers and accountants.

SEPTEMBER 23 - MEMORIAL OF SAINT PIUS OF PIETRELCINA (PADRE PIO), PRIEST:

Saint Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio) entered the novitiate of the Capuchin Friars at the age of 16, taking the name Pio (>pious=) and was ordained in 1910. He devoted himself to a life of ministry through sacramental reconciliation and celebration of the Eucharist. He said Mass humbly, heard confessions from dawn to dusk, and helped countless people who sought his counsel. During his life he was a man of prayer and suffering, and it is believed that he literally bore the wounds of the Lord Jesus. Padre Pio died in 1968 and was canonized in 2002 by Pope John Paul II. During this Jubilee Year of Mercy, because of his ability to communicate the depth of the mercy and love of God to those who came in search of forgiveness and healing the relics of Saint Padre Pio have been brought to St. Peter=s Basilica to highlight the importance of repentance and confession on the pathway to mercy.

SEPTEMBER 26 - FEAST OF SAINT JOHN DE BRÉBEUF AND SAINT ISAAC JOGUES, PRIESTS, AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS, SECONDARY PATRONS OF CANADA;

This day honours the eight martyrs of North America who died between 1642 and 1649. All came from Europe as missionaries and all showed great courage in life and in facing death. Six of these missionaries were Jesuit priests and two were lay assistants. The six priests were Jean de Brébeuf, Isaac Jogues, Antoine Daniel, Gabriel Lalemant, Charles Garnier, and Noël Chabanel; the two lay assistants were René Goupil and Jean de la Lande.



St. Ignatius Parish



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St. Anne's Church- Conne River

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TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Today we are called to be fair and just stewards as we give ourselves in service to the Lord, and once again we are challenged also to free ourselves of any obstacles that might get in the way. In the Gospel story, wealth is the obstacle. The important point to keep in mind as Christ=s disciples is that we must be so detached from material goods that the presence or absence of wealth becomes insignificant. How we use what we have is the significant factor. We need to use our gifts B wealth or otherwise B to serve God and to reach out to those in need.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Daily masses will remain private Sept 21st-Sept 25th

Mon – 11:00 a.m.---Parish Chapel----- Everest Barnes

Tues – 11:00 a.m.---Parish Chapel----- Ross Willcott

Wed – 11:00 a.m.---Parish Chapel-----Shelly Taylor

Thurs –11:00 a.m.---Parish Chapel-----Joan Willcott

Fri– 11:00 a.m.---Parish Chapel-----George & Pearl Collier

Weekend Liturgy: Sat. Sept 26th and Sun. Sept 27th

St. Alban's---Sat---7:00 p.m. – St. Ignatius Church-----John & Winnifred Willcott

St. Alban's---Sun--- 10:30 a.m. -St. Ignatius Church ---Parish family
Conne River---Sun---2:00 p.m.-St. Anne's Church-----Leonard John

Ministries' schedule for Weekend Masses

Weekly Parish Income

<i>DATE</i>	<i>Sacristan</i>	<i>Reader</i>	<i>Eucharistic Minister</i>	<i>Music</i>
Sept 19	Edith Meggie	Ann B	Father Patrick	Recorded
Sept 20	Edith Meggie	Lydia W	Father Patrick	Recorded
Sept 26	Julie-Ann W Monica K		Father Patrick	Recorded
Sept 27	Julie-Ann W Monica K		Father Patrick	Recorded

St. Ignatius Church \$ 591.00
St. Anne's Church 163.00

Condolences:

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

Rosary Coast to Coast Canada 2020

Please join the world in prayer, for world peace, by praying the Rosary Coast to Coast on October 13, 2019, on the feast of Our Lady of Fatima! This is how you can get involved: Become a prayer captain by organizing an event in your parish or neighbourhood or light a candle and pray the Rosary at home, organize a prayer cenacle at 5:30 p.m. Newfoundland Time, united with the rest of the world. If you are interested in becoming a prayer captain for your church or school and/or neighbourhood, please visit us online at www.rosarycoasttocoast.ca for information on how to sign up on our website. Your event will be added to the list of Canadian events for others to join.

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WELCOME TO ST. IGNATIUS PARISH AND ST. ANNE'S CHURCH:

We are glad that you are here with us this Weekend. It is our hope that you experience the love of Christ this morning and His presence during our worship.

St. Ignatius Re-opening-Some important reminders to keep us all safe:

WHEN YOU ARRIVE:

Please check with ushers at the church entrance to have names checked on the registration list, use hand sanitizers that are placed near the church entrances and be escorted to designated pews to ensure proper physical distancing.

Please adhere to the markers in the aisle and pews and maintain green lines on the floor to ensure safe distancing during Communion.

Collection basket will be placed at the back of the church for parishioners' offerings.

Covid-19 Guidance for Distanced Gatherings increases from 50 to 100 people the maximum number of people allowed at faith gatherings

MANDATORY WEARING OF FACEMASKS IN PUBLIC PLACES

Effective Monday, August 24th, Government is making it mandatory that masks be worn in all public places.

Therefore, masks must be worn by everyone entering, and moving around in church. When you are seated and are physically distanced (6 ft apart), you can remove your mask until you leave your seat at Communion time and then again when leaving the church.

Candle Lighting:

At this time, due to Covid-19 restrictions, please discontinue lighting candles in the church.

