Parish Bulletin Announcement:

St. Ignatius Parish and St. Joseph's Joint Committee: There was a Joint Committee established in June to explore options and different models for Faith delivery for the South Coast. The Committee has met a number of times since June. Both Parishes have shared their faith and financial challenges and have expressed a strong desire to work together to explore and to find a solution(s). The Joint Committee is working towards sharing services that will help both Parishes meet its financial challenges. The ongoing decline in participation in our Faith combined with a significant drop in financial support while experiencing a significant increase in expenses makes it increasingly difficult for both Parishes to meet financial commitments. It is hoped that the Joint Committee will present recommendations to both Parish Pastoral Councils later in November.

The **Committee Members** from **St. Ignatius Parish** are: Fr. Patrick Osuji, Anthony Willcott, Gerry Cox and Cynthia Benoit and the **members** from **St. Joseph's Parish** are: Fr. David Joy, Pat Stewart, John George and Carmelita Greene.

Belvedere OrphanageFund

Belvedere Orphanage Fund Inc. is a Trust Fund which provides assistance for <u>needy</u> female and male orphans and half-orphans. To be eligible an applicant must be 18 years or younger on December 31st of Mo the year applying. All applicants will be assessed before a final decision is made.

Applications for the 2019 distribution should be received by October 18, 2019. For more information, please contact the parish office at 538-3106.

OCTOBER 14th - THANKSGIVING DAY: Today it is fitting for God's people to offer public thanks for all the gifts we have received. The bountiful produce of the earth is a visible sign of the many blessings God wants to shower on us through Christ. Our God also wants us to share the goods of the earth with all people



ST. IGNATIUS PARISH



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TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Today's Gospel reading provides us with an opportunity to reflect upon our own disposition during prayer. Are we, like nine of the lepers in today's Gospel, inclined to ask God for special favours, yet fail to express gratitude when such favours are obtained or are we like the Samaritan leper who "when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice" and "prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. Let us always remember to express gratitude to God for the abundance of blessings bestowed upon us from day to day.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Weekday Mass Schedule: October 14th-October 18th

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Mon-	11:00 a.m	Parish ChapelNO MASS				
Tues-	11:00 a.m	Parish Chapel MarcellaOrgan-McDonald, William				
		Cox and Mary Traverse				
Wed-	11:00 a.m	Parish ChapelRoss Willcott, Gertrude Lavers and				
		Laura Gale Collier				
Thurs-	11:00 a.m	- Parish ChapelGreg Organ, Sharon Organ and Clifford				
		MacKay				
Friday-	11:00 a.m	Parish Chapel Margaret, Aloysuis & Ally Collier,				
		Kate & Dave Collier & Shelly Taylor				

Weekend Liturgy: October 19th and October 20th

Sat 7:00 p.mSt. Ignatius ChurchGeorge Collier (Marg)
Sun 10:30 a.mSt. Ignatius Church Parish Family
Sun 2:00 p.mSt. Anne's ChurchPius John

MINISTRIES' SCHEDULE FOR WEEKEND MASSES

DATE	Sacristan	Reader	Collectors	Eucharistic Minister	Altar Servers	Music
Oct 12th	Meg Genny	Edith Organ	George O Willie McD Pat Pittman	Christine H	Margaret Willie	Folk Group
Oct 13th	Teresa Ann	Cindy Benoit	Clarence D George D Mike S	Genevieve T	Kevin Brenda	Folk Group
Oct 19th	Teresa Ann	Monica Willcott	George O Willie McD Pat P	Edith O	Jenny Mary	Kennedy W Tracey P
Oct 20th	Mary Patsy	Lydia Walsh	Clarence D George D Mike S	Mary S	Anthony George	Jessica W

Weekly Parish Income

St. Ignatius Church	\$774.90	Funeral Stipend	\$400.00
St. Anne's Church	\$157.00	Needs of the Church	\$10.00
Chase The Ace	\$705.00	Religious Articles	\$32.00
Mass Stipend	\$45.00	Marriage Certificate	\$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 **15. \$5196.00 Jackpot**

Stipends: (as recommended by the Diocese) Certificates (copy) Funerals \$200.00 Baptism \$5

 Funerals
 \$200.00
 Baptism
 \$5.00

 Weddings
 \$200.00
 Confirmation
 \$5.00

 Baptism
 \$25.00
 Communion
 \$5.00

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

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

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

Matt 18:20

Holy Communion at home: If you or someone you know who would like to receive Holy Communion in their home, you are asked to please inform Father Patrick 280-4904, or telephone the Parish office 538-3106. 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 gladly bring them Holy Communion................... Father Patrick Osuji

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 Nov 1st, and Dec 6th.

Knights of Columbus Scholarships: Available to **all** students who graduated Grade XII with Honours in June 2019 and are attending a Post-Secondary institution in September. Application deadline: **October 31, 2019** Information and applications under **scholarships** on the State Council website at **www.kofcnl.org.**

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje, Apr 30-May 10: Cost of \$2135 (+ \$675 taxes/security/fuel surcharges) includes airfare from the Maritimes, (twin or triple) accommodation, daily breakfast & dinner and experienced local guide. (Optional single room supplement, \$200/p.) **Pay full by Oct 16 and save \$200.** Limited to first 8 pilgrims only. **INFO:** Hector Caissie at hectorcaissie@hotmail.ca or (506) 857-2295.

