

July 13 - Memorial of Saint Henry: Known as Henry the Good, Henry II (972-1024) was renowned as a just and clement ruler, a man of prayer, and a humble ascetic. He was canonized in 1146 by Pope Eugene III and is a patron of Benedictine oblates, childless people, dukes, kings, and the physically challenged.

July 14 - Memorial of Saint Camillus de Lellis, Priest: Camillus found his vocation in caring for the sick. Due to the horrific conditions in hospitals in the 16th century, he resolved to establish an order to care for the sick and dying. He was ordained and founded the nursing congregation of the Ministers of the Sick, the Camillians. He was canonized in 1746 and is a patron saint of nurses and of the sick.

JULY 15 - MEMORIAL OF SAINT BONAVENTURE, BISHOP, DOCTOR: Born in Tuscany in 1221, Bonaventure joined the Friars Minor at age 20 and was sent to the University of Paris where he studied and then taught the philosophy and theology of the Franciscan school. In 1257 he was chosen minister general of the Franciscan Order, and in 1273 he was appointed a Cardinal by Pope Gregory X. He was known for his holiness, humility and virtue, and the dedication of his intellectual gifts to the service of the Church. His writings on Saint Francis, as well as on history, spirituality and medieval mystical doctrine, continue to inspire readers today. In 1482 he was canonized, and in 1588 he was declared a Doctor of the Church.

July 16 – Memorial of Our Lady of Mount Carmel : The Order of Carmel dates back to a group of Western hermits who in the 12th century settled on Mount Carmel, overlooking the plain of Galilee, in imitation of the prophet Elijah. They grouped themselves around a small chapel dedicated to Our Lady. In the 13th century, the Order of Carmel was formed, retaining the twin devotions of the early hermits: to Elijah and his solitary prayer, and to Our Lady under the title of ‘ Mount Carmel’ .

GOD GRANTS STRENGTH TO OUR WEAKNESS: There are no difficulties, trials, or misunderstandings to fear, provided we remain united to God as branches to the vine, provided we do not lose our friendship with him, provided we make ever more room for him in our lives. This is especially so whenever we feel poor, weak, and sinful, because God grants strength to our weakness, riches to our poverty, conversion and forgiveness to our sinfulness. (Taken from Pope Francis Speaks to Our Hearts – Words of Challenge and Hope)



St. Ignatius Parish



St.

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FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

In today's Gospel, Jesus sends out the twelve apostles in pairs, establishing his mission as a communal endeavour. He also instructs them to travel lightly, without the customary food, money, and extra set of clothes. We read that the Twelve will be dependent on the hospitality of others, just as Jesus depended on others to provide for his needs. Today Jesus continues to send us into the world as his disciples. Like the first disciples, we are not sent alone. Jesus has given us the community of the Church, which strengthens our life of discipleship. The Christian message can only authentically be proclaimed in and through the community of faith that is the Church. In our work with others, we build this community of faith and invite others to share in it.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Daily masses - Mon July 12- Fri July 16

Mon – 7:00 p.m. St. Ignatius Church----- Cecil Organ

Tues – 7:00 p.m. St. Ignatius Church ---- Edith Collier

Wed – 7:00 p.m. St. Ignatius Church-----Gordon & Eva Collier

Thurs- 7:00 p.m. St. Ignatius Church----- Edmund, Shirley & Palmer Sutton

Fri- 7:00 p.m. St. Ignatius Church-----Henrietta & Aloysius & deceased family members

Weekend Liturgy: Sat July 17 and Sun July 18

St. Alban's-Sat 7:00 p.m. St. Ignatius Church-----John Murphy (Jr.)

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

Conne River-Sun 2:00 p.m. St. Anne's Church-----Gerald John

Ministries' schedule for Weekend Masses

DATE	Sacristan	Reader	Eucharistic Minister	Music
July 10		Monica W	Father Patrick	Recorded
July 11		Lydia W	Father Patrick	Recorded
July 17	Edith O Monica K	Edith O	Father Patrick	Recorded
July 18	Edith O Monica K	Mark W	Father Patrick	Recorded

Weekly Parish Income

St. Ignatius Church	\$511.25
St. Anne's Church	112.00
Mass Stipends	35.00
Baptism Stipends	5.00
Funeral Certificates	5.00
Diocesan Collections (Peter's Pence)	10.00
Insurance	5.00
EFT (month of June)	840.00

Thank you for your continued support to the parish.

Stipends (as recommended by the Diocese) Certificates (copy)

Funerals \$200.00	Baptism \$5.00
Weddings \$200.00	Confirmation \$5.00
Baptism \$25.00	Communion \$5.00

Marriages

By appointment minimum six months in advance. Marriage preparation course required

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

Sacristans Needed

Sacristans are parishioners who are willing to give up a small amount of time to prepare the Church for the celebration of Mass as well as cleaning up afterwards. If you would like to learn more, please contact the office at 538-3106.

A YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH: On December 8th, 2020, Pope Francis announced a Year of St. Joseph to mark the 150th anniversary of the proclamation by Pope Pius IX of St. Joseph as the Patron of the Universal Church. A webpage dedicated to Celebrating the Year of Saint Joseph is available on the CCCB website. The webpage contains a number of resources and will be updated periodically throughout the Year of St. Joseph. The website is www.cccb.ca.

Prayer

For Workers, Especially Frontline Workers, and for the Unemployed

Saint Joseph, working father,
we ask that you intercede with your Son,
the Saviour of the world,
that we may complete,
the life-giving work
that God, Creator of all things,
has sent us to accomplish
and attain the promised rewards.

