

**SEPTEMBER 30 - NATIONAL COLLECTION FOR THE NEEDS OF THE CHURCH**

**IN CANADA:** Each year the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops is asked to speak out, give leadership, or provide guidelines for the faithful on a wide variety of topics in our daily lives. In order for our Bishops to be able to make proper judgments on modern topics, they must have the benefit of research and expert advice. Both research and gathering information require staff, time, and money. Through the yearly *Bishops' Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada*, an appeal is made to all Catholics to be generous in supporting the work of their Bishops. Contributing to the collection is an action of collaboration with the Bishops in their ministry to teach, sanctify and govern. **Please give generously to the Needs of the Church in Canada.**

**OCTOBER 1 - MEMORIAL OF SAINT THÉRÈSE OF THE CHILD JESUS, VIRGIN,**

**DOCTOR:** Thérèse entered the Carmel of Lisieux at age 15. She held special devotions to the heart of Jesus and the spiritual Motherhood of Mary and is famous for her approach to life known as the 'little way' – fidelity in small things, trust and complete self-surrender to God. Known as the 'Little Flower', Thérèse died in 1897, was canonized in 1925, and was made a Doctor of the Church in 1997. She is a patroness of missions.

**OCTOBER 2 - MEMORIAL OF THE HOLY GUARDIAN ANGELS:** The word 'angel' comes from the Greek word for 'messenger'. It was widely believed that people had an angelic being, a guardian angel, assigned by God, and the Scriptures contain many references to their activities. For example, in the *Acts of the Apostles* we read how Peter was assisted by an angel in his escape from prison. A memorial to guardian angels was entered into the calendar of the Western Church in 1670.

**OCTOBER 4 - MEMORIAL OF SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI:** Born in Assisi, Italy, Francesco Bernardone responded to a call to serve God and the poor. His zeal for God won many disciples who numbered 5000 by 1219. At Christmas 1223, Francis built a crèche, beginning the Christmas Crib custom which has spread throughout Christendom. His visionary leadership inspired thousands to lead lives of poverty, simplicity, and humble service, delighting in creation and consumed with love for Christ. Francis is also recognized as being the first to teach that the earth itself is holy. Francis died in 1226, was canonized in 1228, and is a patron of Italy and of ecologists.



**ST. IGNATIUS PARISH**

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**26<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

*Today's Gospel cautions us against narrow-mindedness, exclusiveness, and intolerance. The disciples had seen a man "casting our demons" in the name of Jesus and had tried to stop him, but Jesus says, "Do not stop him . . . Whoever is not against us is for us". We are thus called to realize that we must not make judgments that may obstruct the mysterious purposes of God at work in the human heart. This is further highlighted as Jesus teaches his disciples the consequences for those who would put obstacles before people who are on the road to faith. This week let us pray for the ability to recognize God's Spirit at work in everyone, and let us take time to nurture the gift of faith in those around us.*

**LITURGICAL SCHEDULE**

**Weekday Mass Schedule:**

No weekday Masses- Father Patrick is on vacation.

**Weekend Liturgy: Saturday, October 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>**

Conne River---- Sun. --- 2:00 p.m. St. Anne's Church----- Alfred Barnes  
St. Alban's----- Sun.--- 6:00 p.m. St. Ignatius Church----- Keith Drew

**Important Notice**

*There will only be one Mass celebrated at St. Ignatius Church while Father Patrick is away for the next several weeks. St. Anne's Mass schedule will remain the same.*

*At this time Father David Joy will be caring for our parish. He will be available for sick calls, funerals, baptisms, etc. He can be reached at 885-2338 or 885-7507.*

## MINISTRIES' SCHEDULE FOR WEEKEND MASSES

DATE	Sacristan	Reader	Collectors	Communion Minister	Altar Servers	Music
Sept 29	<b>NO MASS</b>					
Sept 30	Mary Strickland Patsy MCD	Philomena Sutton	Mary Organ George Davis Clarence Davis	Calvin Collier	Jean Gould Mary Strickland	Children's Choir Valerie C.
Oct 6	<b>NO MASS</b>					
Oct. 7	Mary Organ	Pat Pittman	Mike Snook Perry Cox Helena T.	Ralph Blake	Christine Mary O.	Mary Organ

### Weekly Parish Revenue

St. Ignatius Church:-----\$987.15                      Certificate: ----- \$10.00  
 Chase The Ace Proceeds: \$1077.50                      Mass Stipend: --- \$5.00  
 Diocesan(Needs of the Church) : ----- \$10.00

### Income and Expenses for August

Income                      \$7826.75  
 Expenses                      \$19,361.31\*\*\*\*  
 Net Income                      (\$11,534.56) Deficit

\*\*\*\*\* **This amount includes the material and labor of the window repair.**  
**(approximately \$5785.00)**

**Chase The Ace: JACKPOT is \$ 6715.50+ 30% of sales.**  
 Held at the RC Legion , St. Alban's on Friday evenings at 7:00 pm. Fundraiser open to all persons 19 years and older. Tickets are \$5.00 each.

### **STIPENDS:**

The money for the stipend should be paid at the parish office, by mail or placed in an envelope and specify that it is the fee for baptism, wedding or funeral.

Anyone who wish to show appreciation to the priest, for baptism, wedding or funeral in the form of a monetary gift, Please specify that it is for the priest. **Thank you for your consideration.**

**THE BELVEDERE ORPHANAGE FUND**: is a registered incorporated charity with the purpose of helping orphans and half-orphans, boys and girls, 18 and under, with educational and personal needs.

**Forms are available at the Parish office** to those who may qualify for assistance from The Belvedere Orphanage Fund Inc.

The conditions for assistance are:

1. The recipient may be female or male orphan or half-orphan.
2. The recipient must be in need.
3. Need is to be interpreted broadly and not confined to Education.
4. Persons 18 years and under are eligible. All applicants will be assessed before the final decision is made.
5. Application must be made through (a) a member of a religious congregation, or (b) a parish priest.
6. The party making application for the recipient must verify that she/he is an orphan/half-orphan in need of assistance.

**Bus Lane:** During the school week, from Monday to Fridays, people are asked not to drive along in front of the school. In other words, that lane is reserved for buses and for students and teachers to walk safely to and from the school. All cars are asked to use ONLY the main church parking lot(down around the lawns) for vehicular traffic to and from the church/parish office.

**Banns of Marriage:** There is a promise of marriage between Chad Lee King and Candice Mary Benoit. The wedding Ceremony will take place on Saturday, October 13<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at St. Anne's Church in Conne River.

### **FLU CLINIC SCHEDULE**

#### Milltown

Dates: Nov 8<sup>nd</sup>,  
2018  
11:00 am - 4:00 pm

Where: Milltown Lions Club

#### St. Alban's

Dates: Nov 15<sup>th</sup>, 2018  
11:00 am – 4:00 pm

Where: St. Alban's Lions Club

#### St. Alban's

Dates: Nov 22, 2018  
11:00 am – 4:00 pm

Where: Bay d'Espoir Community Health Center

**PLEASE BRING YOUR MCP**

These are walk-in clinics, no appointment needed.

For more information contact: Sandra Dominie PHN, 885 3136

