



# ~ Tri - Parish News ~

## The Roman Catholic Communities of

Immaculate Conception,  
Heatherton

St. Andrew,  
St. Andrews

Ste. Croix,  
Pomquet

**14<sup>th</sup> of January 2024**  
2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Parish Office

Phone: 902-386-2810

Fax: 902-386-2183

Box 24, Heatherton  
42 Summerside Road,  
Heatherton, B0H 1R0

**Monday to Fridays**  
1:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m.

### Emails

3catholic@gmail.com  
(the parish office general e-mail)

### Fr. Dennis Lamey

902-863-4846 (or call 902-386-2810)

[dflamey@gmail.com](mailto:dflamey@gmail.com)

### Jolene Chisholm

[jolene3catholic@gmail.com](mailto:jolene3catholic@gmail.com)

### Website

[www.triparishgrouping.ca](http://www.triparishgrouping.ca)

### Facebook

Tri-Parish of Heatherton,  
Pomquet and St. Andrews

### Baptisms

Please contact the parish office  
for a registration form and to  
indicate day of baptism

### Marriages

Please phone the Tri-Parish Office  
or Fr. Dennis at least  
12 months in advance to ensure the  
marriage course is arranged

### Funeral Receptions

Heatherton: 902-870-5432

St. Andrews: 902-863-5522

Pomquet:

PJ Baccardax Hall 902-870-7721

Fire Hall 902-386-2516 or  
902-863-1022

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

on request prior to Mass  
and on Saturdays at St. Andrews  
from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

### Mass Intentions

Contact the parish office  
to request a Mass offering

## January, February, March & April 2024 weekend Mass schedule

Saturdays at 4:00 p.m. at St. Andrew Church  
*in St. Andrews*

Sundays at 9:30 a.m. at Immaculate Conception Church  
*in Heatherton*

Sunday at 11:00 a.m. at Ste. Croix Church  
*in Pomquet*

## ~ Mass Schedule for the Week ~

Thursday, 18 January at 10:00 a.m. in Heatherton  
*~ late Peter MacPherson*

Saturday, 20 January at 4:00 p.m. in St. Andrews  
*~ late Sean Carroll*

Sunday, 21 January at 9:30 a.m. in Heatherton

Sunday, 21 January at 11:00 a.m. in Pomquet  
*~ late Theresa Rennie*

**There will be no Holy Hour/Reconciliation this Saturday,  
13 January due to a funeral**

### Notice about Holy Hour /Reconciliation

Holy Hour at St. Andrew Church in St. Andrews will be held next  
Saturday, 20 January from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. with availability for  
Reconciliation.

### Please Note:

Holy Hour/Reconciliation will not be held on the following dates:  
27 January, 3 February or 10 February but will resume on Saturday,  
17 February.

### Sacraments

Dates, ie baptisms, etc., must be confirmed through the Tri-Parish Office. Phone  
902-386-2810 or email [jolene3catholic@gmail.com](mailto:jolene3catholic@gmail.com) to arrange these.

### Church Envelopes

The 2024 Church Contribution envelopes are now available in the churches. If you  
would like a packet, and are not already on the list to receive one, please contact the  
Tri-Parish Office at 902-386-2810 or take one of the unassigned boxes located in the  
church. **Also, a friendly reminder to please write your name and  
address on the first envelope you use so that we can ensure we  
have your correct information in the computer.**

All electronic donations to the parish may be made using the following e-mails:

[heatherton.parish1@gmail.com](mailto:heatherton.parish1@gmail.com) (parish operating)

[heatherton.parish2@gmail.com](mailto:heatherton.parish2@gmail.com) (building fund/capital)

[standrews.parish1@gmail.com](mailto:standrews.parish1@gmail.com) (parish operating)

[standrews.capitol2@gmail.com](mailto:standrews.capitol2@gmail.com) (building fund/capital)

[pomquet.parish@gmail.com](mailto:pomquet.parish@gmail.com) (parish operating)

[pomquetp@gmail.com](mailto:pomquetp@gmail.com) (building fund/capital)

A friendly reminder that the next class for **Reconciliation and First Communion** is this Sunday, 14 January from 1:00 to 1:45 p.m. at the Heatherton Community Centre.

**~ Immaculate Conception Parish News ~**

**Funds received this week with thanks include:**

Regular Sunday = \$836.00	Loose = \$72.55
Cemetery = \$50.00	Initial Offering = \$125.00
Solemnity of Mary = \$215.00	Living With Christ = \$5.00
Maintenance = \$50.00	Christmas = \$20.00
Shepherd's Trust = \$30.00	Christmas Angel at Nativity Scene = \$130.55

**~ St. Andrew Parish News ~**

Plots are available in the new cemetery (annex) at St. Andrews. Call the office for pre-arranged forms & to make payment.

**Funds received this week with thanks include:**

Regular Sunday = \$1,012.00	Loose = \$40.00
Giant's Lake = \$20.00	Initial Offering = \$80.00
Solemnity of Mary = \$8.00	Christmas = \$50.00
Donation = \$1,000	

**~ Ste. Croix Parish News ~**

The Fr. P.J. Baccardax Hall is available for funeral receptions and other events. For more information, please contact Jennifer MacDonald at [jen-benoit@hotmail.com](mailto:jen-benoit@hotmail.com)

All Parishoner's of Ste Croix:

We made some good progress in Oct/Nov and Dec 2023 of getting some roles assigned and volunteers signing up for various Ministries. It is time to continue the work we started. Next meeting to discuss ministries and other needs in the parish will be on Thursday evening Jan 18th at 6:30 pm in the church. All are welcome and bring a friend.

**Funds received this week with thanks include:**

Regular Sunday = \$970.00	Loose = \$71.50
Initial Offering = \$175.00	Solemnity of Mary = \$90.00
Christmas Offering = \$200.00	

**~ Community News ~**

**Heatherton 4-H News**

Heatherton 4H Club General meeting will be held this Sunday, 14 January from 6-8 pm in the Heather Room, Heatherton Community Centre.

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Karen & Brian Square Sets/Ceilidh.. Karen Beaton (fiddle) and Brian MacDonald (fiddle) .. Leona Williams (piano) and Blaine Aitkins (guitar) .. 21 January from 1:30 to 4:00 p.m. at St. Ninian Place. Cover charge \$10.00/person, free for children under 12 years of age. A light lunch will be provided.

CORAH (Centre of Rural Aging Health) is a place for older adults (55+) to get together, learn, socialize and connect with others throughout the Quad Counties. We have a CORAH Café every Wednesday and Friday morning from 9am-10am with complimentary tea/coffee and muffin/cookie/pastry. Everyone comes into the cafeteria here at NSCC and sits around the table and chats about whatever happens to come up. It is quite nice, and our numbers have been growing. It is a pilot project and funded by the Government, so our numbers really matter. We have had lots of other sessions from when our program first started in October such as Tai Chi, Meditation, Fall Prevention, Provincial Grant & Rebates, just to name a few. If anyone would like more information, they can email [corah-strait@nscc.ca](mailto:corah-strait@nscc.ca) or phone Monica at 902-625-4252. We can also be found on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/CORAHNSCCStrait](https://www.facebook.com/CORAHNSCCStrait).

**~ Diocesan News ~**

The following link is for the latest edition of the Antigonish Diocese newsletter, “The Seven Ears of Grain”.  
<https://mailchi.mp/8f8c33bcf5b4/seven-ears-of-grain-6263593>

*~ Notice to all parishioners to please remember your parish in your estate planning ~*