



~ Tri - Parish News ~

The Roman Catholic Communities of

Immaculate Conception,
Heatherton

St. Andrew,
St. Andrews

Ste. Croix,
Pomquet

10th of March 2024
4th Sunday of Lent

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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

March and 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*

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

~ Mass Schedule for the Week ~

Thursday, 14 March at 10:00 a.m. in Heatherton

~ John and Mary J. MacDonald

Saturday, 16 March at 4:00 p.m. in St. Andrews

Sunday, 17 March at 9:30 a.m. in Heatherton

~ Peggy and Donald Chisholm

Sunday, 17 March at 11:00 a.m. in Pomquet

~ Margaret Melanson

Holy Hour /Reconciliation

Holy Hour at St. Andrew Church in St. Andrews on Saturdays, from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. with availability for Reconciliation.

Please Note: When there is a wedding or funeral held on Saturday, the Holy Hour will be cancelled for that day. Please phone the office to hear a message to find out if the Holy Hour has been cancelled.

Sacraments Dates, ie baptisms, etc., must be confirmed through the Parish Office. Phone 902-386-2810 or email jolene3catholic@gmail.com to arrange these.

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

heatherton.parish1@gmail.com (parish operating)

heatherton.parish2@gmail.com (building fund/capital)

standrews.parish1@gmail.com (parish operating)

standrews.capitol2@gmail.com (building fund/capital)

pomquet.parish@gmail.com (parish operating)

pomquetp@gmail.com (building fund/capital)

“Living With Christ” for the month of March is now available for \$5.00 each.

Copies of the Daily Prayers calendar for the month of March are now available near the bulletins. Let us show our love and appreciation for our priests, deacons and others serving in our diocese, by praying each day.

Please Note: All Tri- Parish parishioners and parents of children from grades 2 to 8 interested in offering some of their time and talents in the Faith Formation of these children are asked to contact the parish office. If enough interest is shown then a time for a start-up meeting will be announced.

Msgr. Hugh MacPherson Knights of Columbus Council #14596 will be holding their annual Baby Bottle Campaign during Lent. The bottles will be at the entrance to the three churches until after Easter weekend. This year proceeds will go to the Neo-natal unit at St. Martha's Hospital. Please take a bottle home and fill it over Lent for our Pro-Life cause.

The income tax receipts for the 2023 year for St. Andrews are now available at the entrance of the church.

Please note the change in the Mass schedule for the weekend of 30 – 31 March due to the Easter schedule .. the Mass times and locations of each service is listed below.



Palm Sunday Saturday, 23 March at 4:00 p.m. in St. Andrews
Sunday, 24 March at 9:30 a.m. in Heatherton and 11:00 a.m. in Pomquet

Holy Thursday Mass Thursday, 28 March at 7:00 p.m. in Heatherton

Good Friday Service Friday, 29 March at 3:00 p.m. in Heatherton

Easter Vigil Saturday, 30 March at 8:30 p.m. in Heatherton

Easter Sunday, 31 March at 9:30 a.m. in Pomquet and 11:00 a.m. in St. Andrews

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Reminder to CWL members: There are a few CWL members who have forgotten or overlooked the payment of CWL dues. Genna Maas is now getting the information together to forward dues to head office. If you have not yet paid your dues, please do so as soon as possible. Genna is accepting e-transfers at rogers_genna@hotmail.com or you can reach her at (902)870-2429 to arrange payment. Thanks so much.

Funds received this week with thanks include: Regular Sunday = \$1,010.00 Loose = \$31.65
Initial Offering = \$15.00 Priest's Pension Fund = \$400.00

~ St. Andrew Parish News ~

The Knights of Columbus and St. Andrews CWL will be leading the Stations of the Cross on 7 p.m. on Fridays during Lent.

St. Andrew's CWL is pleased to offer a CWL bursary in the amount of \$500 to a 2024 high school graduate who will be attending university or community college in 2024-2025. Applicants must be a child or grandchild of a current St. Andrew's CWL member. Please submit application letter, brief resume, copy of acceptance letter and transcript of grades (if available) to St. Andrew's CWL, PO Box 51, St Andrews NS B0H 1X0 by the application deadline.

Note: Deadline for applications April 15, 2024.

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

Funds received this week with thanks include: Regular Sunday = \$663.00 Loose = \$5.00

~ Ste. Croix Parish News ~

Stations of the Cross: As we prepare ourselves for Easter, plan to attend the Stations of the Cross at Ste. Croix in Pomquet on Tuesday evening, March 26th at 7pm.

Altar Servers: Thanks to everyone who signed up for Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers. We continue to be in need of Altar servers. Please consider helping out and signing up on the clipboard at the back of the church. With enough volunteers, your turn should only come up once a month or so.

Funds received this week with thanks include: Regular Sunday = \$2,290.00 Loose = \$55.00
Cemetery = \$505.95 Priests Pension Fund = \$60.00 Share Lent = \$5.00 Good Friday = \$5.00

~ Community News ~

The Heatherton 4-H Club will be having their Club Rally (Public Speaking and Demonstrations) and General Meeting on Sunday, 24 March from 6 to 8 p.m. in the Heather Room at the Heatherton Community Centre.

CONCERT/DANCE Fundraiser for the Knights of Columbus Council 1105 to be held at St. Andrews Community Centre on Saturday, April 20th from 8pm-midnight. Tickets are pre-sold at \$15/person and music by: THE LAST 2 - Newfoundland and Country Music. Tickets can be purchased at MacDonalds Convenience Store in St. Andrews (or at the door if not all sold out before the date).

~ Diocesan News ~

The following link is for the latest edition of the Antigonish Diocese newsletter, "The Seven Ears of Grain".
<https://mailchi.mp/dfc33b82d5c9/seven-ears-of-grain-6324821>

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