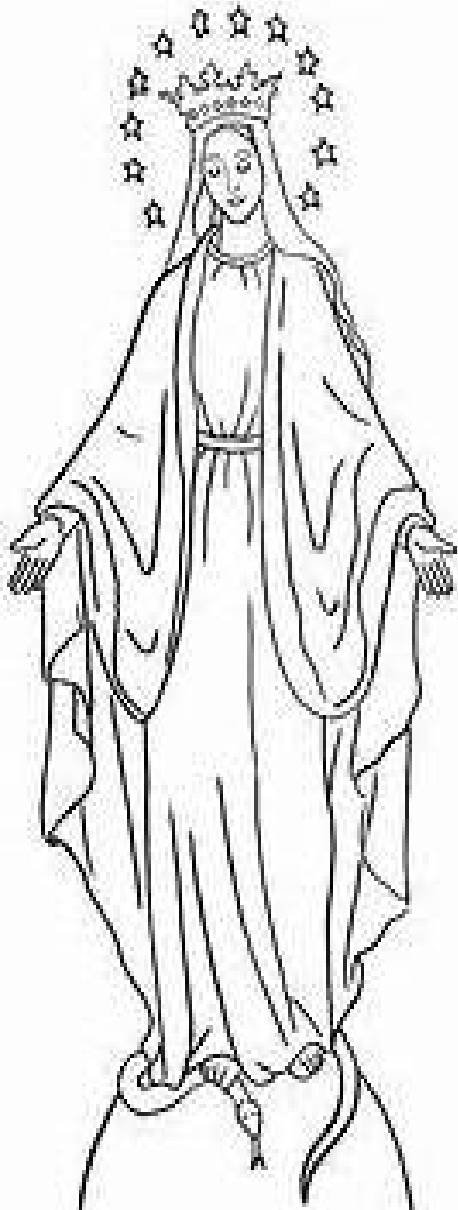


OUR PARISH BULLETIN

Our Lady of Mercy
Pray for Us



Parish Committees

Finance/Property:
Wally Berko
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Port Severn: c/o Teri Restemayer

Sacristan:
Honey Harbour: Mark Vessair

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Parish Bingo: c/o Ellen Kester



**Our Lady of Mercy Church
Honey Harbour**



**St. John the Baptist Church
Port Severn**

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Weekend Masses

**Saturday 5 P.M. (May 1 to Oct 31 only) -Port Severn
Sunday 9 A.M. (all year) - Port Severn
Sunday 11 A.M. (all year) - Honey Harbour**

Weekday Masses (See inside bulletin)

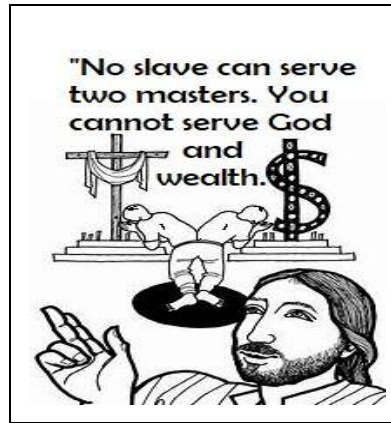
**Confession: 20 minutes before weekend Masses
Wedding and Baptism: Call the office**

25th SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME

September 22, 2019

Gospel Today: Luke 16:1-13

Three morals: The first, to be prudent about the use of wealth. Christians should handle the affairs of temporal life with an eye toward eternal life. The second concerns trustworthiness. If Christians handle money and other passing things responsibly, then they can also be trusted with the affairs of the Kingdom of God. Finally, no one can serve two masters simultaneously. God must be put ahead of money.



Weekday Masses

Wed Sept 25, 9am Mass for +John & Greta Vanderlinden by Maria Bachetti

Thurs Sept 26, 9am Mass for peace in the world

Fri Sept 27, 8:30am - Adoration of Blessed Sacrament
9am Mass for the sick of the parish

Weekend Masses

(26th Sunday Ordinary Time)

Saturday Sept 28, 5pm @ Port Severn

Sunday Sept 29, 9am @ Port Severn - For the people of the parish
11am @ Honey Harbour

 **\$1, 148** Last Sunday Offerings - Thank you for your generous support.

Pray for Sick Members of our Parish Community: Maryrose Vessair, Clifford Legault, Gloria & Louis Cousineau, Edmond Corbier, Theresa Phillips, Ernie Corbier, Derek Wiese (*Call the office if you would like someone placed on the prayer list*).

Bingo Every Tuesday 6:30pm – Join us at Our lady of Mercy Church Hall in Honey Harbour every Tuesday until October 8th.

Pre-authorized Payment Plan – Our parish needs regular committed support all year round. Many parishioners find this service very convenient. To those who plan to do the same, a sign-up forms are available at the church entrance. After you filled-up & signed the form, return it back and our office and the chancery will do the rest.

Needs of the Church in Canada - Next Sunday, Sept 29, as in every year, the Bishops of Canada make an appeal for financial assistance to support their work through the Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada. Your financial contributions and prayers are your collaboration with the Bishops to achieve their goals of proclaiming the Good News in Canada.

Voting as Catholics 2019 Federal Elections – *Canadian Catholics are being called upon as citizens to exercise their right to vote.* By exercising the right to vote, citizens fulfill their duty of choosing a government and at the same time send a clear signal to the candidates being presented by their political parties for election. The important time leading up to an election also provides Canadians with the opportunity to interact with fellow voters, one's neighbours, and the candidates themselves, raising awareness about the values, views, and concerns shared by Catholics across the country.

Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC #688) The Church, a communion living in the faith of the apostles which she transmits, is the place where we know the Holy Spirit: - in the Scriptures he inspired; - in the Tradition, to which the Church Fathers are always timely witnesses; - in the Church's Magisterium, which he assists; - in the sacramental liturgy, through its words and symbols, in which the Holy Spirit puts us into communion with Christ; - in prayer, wherein he intercedes for us; - in the charisms and ministries by which the Church is built up; - in the signs of apostolic and missionary life; - in the witness of saints through whom he manifests his holiness and continues the work of salvation.

Pope Francis – “The Apostles become the ‘megaphone’ of the Holy Spirit, sent by the Risen One to spread quickly and unhesitatingly the Word that brings salvation.” The same happens to us: if we have the Holy Spirit within us, we will have the courage to strive forward, to win countless battles – not through our own strength but through the Holy Spirit who is with us.”

St. Vincent de Paul (Feast Day Sept 27) - He was born to a poor family in the French village of Pouy on April 24, 1581. His first formal education was provided by the Franciscans. He did so well, he was hired to tutor the children of a nearby wealthy family. He used the monies he earned teaching to continue his formal studies in theology. He was ordained in 1600. He spent his life preaching missions and providing relief to the poor. He even established hospitals for them. This work became his passion. The need to evangelize and assist these souls was so great and the demands beyond his own ability to meet that he founded the Ladies of Charity, a lay institute of woman, to help, as well as a religious institute of priests – the Vincentians. The Vincentians remain with us today with nearly 4,000 members in 86 countries. In addition to his order of Vincentian priests, he co-founded the Daughters of Charity along with St. Louise de Marillac. There are more than 18,000 Daughters today serving the needs of the poor in 94 countries. He had "become the symbol of the successful reform of the French Church". St. Vincent is sometimes referred to as "The Apostle of Charity" and "The Father of the Poor". Patron of all charitable societies, his feast day is September 27.