

OUR PARISH BULLETIN

Our Lady of Mercy
Pray for Us



Parish Committees

Finance/Property:
Wally Berko
Don Cadeau
Nestor Baryliuk
Ray Berge

Counters:
Joan Dupuis
Elaine Berner
Mabel Wiese
Linda Lamoureux

Screening:
Pam Berko
Jenny Leduc
Elizabeth Villegas

Music:
Honey Harbour
Nestor Baryliuk
Bill Morton
Port Severn
Sylvia Head
Ingrid Dunbrook
Sharon MacNeice-Organist

Lectors:
Port Severn: c/o Teri Restemayer

Sacristan:
Honey Harbour: Mark Vessair

Part Time Bookkeeper:
Kristen Penfold (based in Parry
Sound)

Parish Bingo: c/o Ellen Kester



Our Lady of Mercy Church
Honey Harbour



St. John the Baptist Church
Port Severn

Address:

Our Lady of Mercy Parish
P.O. Box 126
2596 Honey Harbour Rd.
Honey Harbour, On P0E1E0

Fr. Martin Dalida – Parish Priest
Tel. 705 756 2311

Email: office@ladyofmercyhoneyharbour.ca
Website: <https://ourladyofmercyparish.weebly.com>

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)

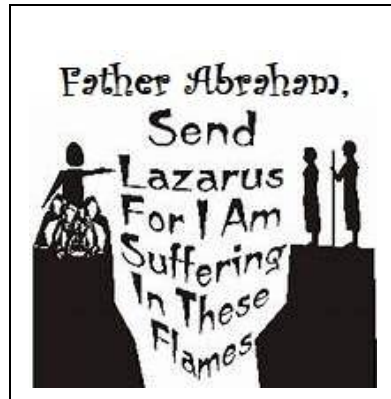
Confession: 20 minutes before weekend Masses
Wedding and Baptism: Call the office

26th SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME

September 29, 2019

Gospel Today: Luke 16:19-31

The story of the rich man and Lazarus demonstrates the importance of the care of the poor and is a reminder to those who would follow Jesus of the unimportance of wealth in the eyes of God. This Bible story is a great and powerful reminder that we will pay for our sins on earth when we finally deace, therefore we should love and care for our fellow mankind.



Weekday Masses

Wed Oct 2, 9am Mass for all souls

Thurs Oct 3, 9am Mass for peace in the world

Fri Oct 4, 8:30am - Adoration of Blessed Sacrament
9am Mass for the sick of the parish

Weekend Masses

(27th Sunday Ordinary Time)

Saturday Oct 5, 5pm @ Port Severn- +Domingo, Gregoria, Sotero by Erly Baybay

Sunday Oct 6, 9am @ Port Severn - +Aline Armstrong by husband & family
11am @ Honey Harbour- For the people of the parish



\$1, 298 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*).

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 – Today, 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.

Bingo - Tuesday 6:30 pm October 8 will be the last day of Bingo this season. The jackpot must be won and we will also have turkey giveaways as extra prizes and song renditions during the break in appreciation of the community support we have received. This has proven to be a fun community event, and we encourage everyone to participate by attending.

Pastor's Holiday Nov 6 to Dec 6, 2019 – During my one month vacation, there will only be one weekend Mass in the parish and it will be held in St. John the Baptist Church, Port Severn at 9am. Sunday Mass of November 10th will be looked after by Fr. Bill Swift of Waubaushene. The Martyrs' Shrine Fathers will say the Sunday Masses of November 17th, November 24th, December 1st. After December 1st, weekend Masses will resume as winter schedule until April 3, 2020 which is: 9am Port Severn and 11am Honey Harbour. *Fr. Martin*

Voting as Catholics 2019 Federal Elections – Canadian Catholics are being called upon as citizens to exercise their right to vote.

"Gaudium et Spes", tells us that citizens "should be mindful of the right and also the duty to use their free vote to further the common good." The Church remains non-partisan and cannot direct the Catholic community to vote for a particular candidate or party. What we can do is educate voters and to ensure they are informed to make a responsible decision on election day. We can also share information on issues from a Catholic perspective. Starting at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, October 3 at the John Bassett Theatre in the Metro Toronto Convention Centre, the debate will be moderated by award winning journalist Don Newman and will include prayers and reflection from Cardinal Thomas Collins.

Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC #689) The One whom the Father has sent into our hearts, the Spirit of his Son, is truly God. Consubstantial with the Father and the Son, the Spirit is inseparable from them, in both the inner life of the Trinity and his gift of love for the world. In adoring the Holy Trinity, life-giving, consubstantial, and indivisible, the Church's faith also professes the distinction of persons. In their joint mission, the Son and the Holy Spirit are distinct but inseparable. To be sure, it is Christ who is seen, the visible image of the invisible God, but it is the Spirit who reveals him.

Pope Francis – "God waits for us: He doesn't get tired, He doesn't lose heart. Because it is each one of us who is that child embraced again, that coin found again, that sheep caressed and put back on his shoulders." "We are called to be witnesses and messengers of God's mercy, to offer the world light where there is darkness, hope where despair reigns, salvation where sin abounds".