

OUR PARISH BULLETIN

Our Lady of Mercy Pray for Us



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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)

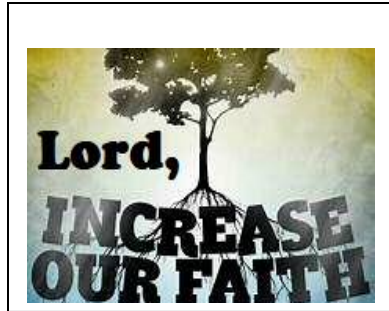
Confession: 20 minutes before weekend Masses
Wedding and Baptism: Call the office

27th SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME

October 6, 2019

Gospel Today: Luke 17: 5-10

Faith, even just a little, will enable the followers of Jesus to do wondrous things. Our participation in God's plans is God's grace to us—nothing more, nothing less. When we are graced enough to cooperate with God, the work we do is nothing more than our obligation to God as faithful stewards. And yet, our faith enables us to believe that what we have offered in service to God, as his servants, can be made to produce a hundredfold.



Weekday Masses

Wed Oct 9, 9am Mass - Success of Northern Deanery Meeting of Priests

Thurs Oct 10, 9am Mass - +Rob & Robi Scott by Frances Scott

Fri Oct 11, 8:30am - Adoration of Blessed Sacrament
9am Mass - The sick of the parish

Weekend Masses

(28th Sunday Ordinary Time)

Saturday Oct 12, 5pm @ Port Severn- For the people of the parish

Sunday Oct 13, 9am @ Port Severn

11am @ Honey Harbour



\$1,009 Last Sunday Offerings, \$270 Needs of Canadian Church - 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*).

Pastor's Holiday Nov 6 to Dec 6, 2019

Only one weekend Mass in the parish during these 4 weeks and it will all be held in St. John the Baptist Church, Port Severn at 9am.

Nov 10 Sunday 9am – Fr. Bill Swift

Nov 17 Sunday 9am– Martyrs' Shrine priest

Nov 24 Sunday 9am - Martyrs' Shrine priest

Dec 1 Sunday 9am - Martyrs' Shrine priest

After December 1st, weekend Masses will resume as winter schedule until April 30, 2020 which is: 9am Port Severn and 11am Honey Harbour.

Knights of Columbus Membership

– The provincial Knights of Columbus officers are coming to our parish on Oct 20th to formally form a KC Council in Our Lady of Mercy parish. They came to know our parish and desire to help in many ways. We request our male parishioners to sign up for membership to complete the minimum of 20 members to form a Council. KC Forms to fill up are available at the church entrance.

Bingo

– This coming 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 entertainment 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 join and have fun. After Tuesday, see you on May next year.

Northern Deanery Meeting

– We are honored to host the Deanery Meeting of priests in Northern part of the diocese of Peterborough this coming Wednesday Oct 9th at the church Hall. Hoping Bishop Miehm will be around as he usually attends deanery meetings. Our sincere thanks to Pam Berko, Elaine Berner, Joan Dupuis and Mabel Wiese who will be preparing lunch to around 12 priests.

Voting as Catholics 2019 Federal Elections

–Voting Means Using Your Judgment. Exercising the right to vote means making informed and discerning judgments about the options available. There are times, however, when making a decision about who to vote for may prove very difficult. The Church reminds us that “in this context, it must be noted also that a well-formed Christian conscience does not permit one to vote for a political program or an individual law in which the fundamental content of faith and morals is replaced by the introduction of proposals differing from this content or opposing it.

Life Chain Takes Place This Sunday

from 2 to 3pm, held in various locations around our Diocese. This silent hour of prayerful demonstration is a crucial way for us to show our belief in the dignity of all human life from conception to natural death. At a time when life is disvalued in so many ways, our presence and witness proclaim a message that is timely and essential within our society

Catechism of the Catholic Church

(CCC #2763) All the Scriptures - the Law, the Prophets, and the Psalms - are fulfilled in Christ. The Gospel is this "Good News." Its first proclamation is summarized by St. Matthew in the Sermon on the Mount; the prayer to our Father is at the center of this proclamation. It is in this context that each petition bequeathed to us by the Lord is illuminated: The Lord's Prayer is the most perfect of prayers. In it we ask, not only for all the things we can rightly desire, but also in the sequence that they should be desired. This prayer not only teaches us to ask for things, but also in what order we should desire them.

Pope Francis

–“When we become ‘spiritually lukewarm’, we become half-Christians, without substance. Instead, the Lord wants conversion, today”.

Friendly Reminders to Lectors

a) In the “prayers of the faithful”, be sure to read the intention marked “To be read at 5pm, 9am, 11am only”, b) No need to say “response to the psalm or “responsorial psalm,” c) No need to raise hand to invite congregation to respond to every responsorial psalm verse.