

**THE BULLETIN FOR
FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT
MARCH 21, 2021**

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REGULAR WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturdays	St. Barra Parish St. Columba Church, Iona	4 p.m.
Saturdays	St. Mary's, Frenchvale	6 p.m.
Sundays	St. Michael's, Baddeck	9 a.m.
Sundays	Queen of the World Wagmatcook	10:30 a.m.
Sundays	St. Barra Parish St. Andrew's Church, Boisdale	5:30 p.m.

EASTER SCHEDULE FOR ST. COLUMBA CHURCH, IONA

Holy Thursday, April 1	5 p.m.	Fr. Vargheese
Good Friday, April 2	3 p.m.	Fr. Ray Huntley
Easter Vigil, April 3	8 p.m.	Fr. Ray Huntley

EASTER SCHEDULE FOR ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, BOISDALE

Holy Thursday, April 1	No Mass	
Good Friday, April 2	1 p.m.	Fr. Vargheese
Easter Sunday, April 4	9 a.m.	Fr. Ray Huntley

EASTER SCHEDULE FOR ST. MARY'S CHURCH, FRENCHVALE

Holy Thursday, April 1	7 p.m.	Fr. Vargheese
Good Friday, April 2	3:30 p.m.	Fr. Vargheese
Easter Vigil, April 3	6 p.m.	Fr. Vargheese

EASTER SCHEDULE FOR ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH, BADDECK

Holy Thursday, April 1	5:30 p.m.	Fr. Angus MacDougall
Good Friday, April 2	3 p.m.	Deacon Wally
Easter Vigil, April 3	7 p.m.	Fr. Angus MacDougall
Easter Sunday, April 4	9 a.m.	Fr. Vargheese

EASTER SCHEDULE FOR QUEEN OF THE WORLD CHURCH, WAGMATCOOK

Holy Thursday, April 1	No Mass	
Good Friday, April 2	1 p.m.	Deacon Wally
Easter Sunday, April 4	10:30 a.m..	Fr. Vargheese

FR. VARGHEESE will also be having Service on Good Friday at 6 p.m. and Mass on Easter Sunday at 6 p.m. with the Indian Community.

EASTER SERVICES AT ST. COLUMBA CHURCH, IONA: Due to Covid-19 we are restricted to the number we can accommodate at these Services. For the Good Friday Service at 3 p.m. and the Easter Vigil at 8 p.m. it will be necessary to reserve you seat. Please sign the sheet at the entrance to the Church or call Josie at 902-725-2173, Masks are mandatory and Covid-19 protocols are in place. Thank you.

LENTEN PRAYER SERVICES: A Prayer Service will be held on Tuesday, March 23, at St. Mary's Church, Frenchvale, from 6:30 p.m. to 7:15 p.m. and at St. Columba Church, Iona, on Thursday, March 25, from 6 p.m. to 6:45 p.m.

THE PARISH COMMUNITIES OFFER PRAYER & SYMPATHY TO :

The Family of JoAnn Hadley, Antigonish, formerly from Iona.
May she rest in peace. Amen.

MASS FOR SHUT-INS: Sundays at 11:30 a.m. on CTV.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS takes place at St. Columba Church, Iona, 3:30 p.m. before the 4 p.m. Mass on Saturdays and at St. Michael's Church, Baddeck, immediately following the Sunday morning Mass.

EASTER FLOWERS: All parishes ... Anyone wishing to donate towards the purchase of Christmas flowers may do so by including it in a separate envelope and putting it in the weekly collection. Please include your name, parish and envelope number.

ST. BARRA PARISH FIRST COMMUNION: We are in the process of arranging First Communion in late May or early June here at St. Columba Church, Iona. Please register your child (Grades 2 and up) by emailing stcolumba.iona@ns.sympatico.ca or by calling Josie at 902-725-2173. It will be a "home program". More details at a later date.

OFFERINGS

(Mar. 13/14)

	St. Columba	St. Michael's
Envelopes	\$ 635.00	\$ 468.00
Loose	45.00	35.00
Direct Deposit	50.00	
Building Fund	230.00	

DO YOU WANT TO FAST THIS LENT?

In the words of Pope Francis:

Fast from hurting words ... and say kind words.

Fast from sadness ... and be filled with gratitude.

Fast from anger ... and be filled with patience.

Fast from pessimism ... and be filled with hope.

Fast from worries ... and have trust in God.

Fast from complaints ... and contemplate simplicity.

Fast from pressures ... and be prayerful.

Fast from bitterness ... and fill your hearts with joy.

Fast from selfishness ... and be compassionate to others.

Fast from grudges ... and be reconciled.

Fast from words ... and be silent so you can listen!