

**THE BULLETIN FOR FORTH SUNDAY OF EASTER  
APRIL 25, 2021**

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**REGULAR WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE**

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

**THE PARISH COMMUNITIES OFFER PRAYER & SYMPATHY TO:**

The Family of Lucille (Lou) MacKenzie, Gillis Point.  
May she rest in peace. Amen.

**THE PARISH COMMUNITIES** would like to Congratulate Fr. Vargheese on his 32<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary of his Ordination to the Priesthood on Tuesday, April 27. May he be blessed with many more years of faithful and generous service to the people of God. Please remember Fr. Vargheese in your prayers and thank God for his presence in our parishes.

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

**ST. BARRA PARISH - FIRST COMMUNION MEETING:** A short meeting for First Communion Candidates and parents will be held on Saturday, May 1, at 3:30 p.m. (before the 4 p.m. Mass) at St. Columba Church, Iona. Covid-19 protocols will be in place and everyone is required to wear a mask.

**MAY 2: DEACON RECOGNITION SUNDAY:** The Permanent Diaconate is ordained men fulfilling a three-fold ministry of Altar, Word and Charity. This year is the 10th anniversary of the Permanent Diaconate in our diocese. On May 2, Deacon Recognition Sunday will be observed in our parishes and on Mass for Shut-Ins, airing on CTV 11:30 am and available to with on our YouTube Channel. Throughout the year, there will be celebrations to honour and promote the Permanent Diaconate. <https://www.antigonishdiocese.com/diaconate-program/>

**MOTHER OF SORROWS PIONEER SHRINE:** The Gift Shop at the Mother of Sorrows Pioneer Shrine will open on Saturday, May 1, from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. daily. On Saturday, May 22, the hours will be 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday to Saturday and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Sunday. The Shrine is open daily for visitation as it has been all winter. There is public health protocol in place in both the Shrine and the gift shop. Any inquiries, please call 902-945-2221.

**BOISDALE COMMUNITY PANTRY CUPBOARD:** Through the efforts of Cyril MacDonald, CBRM Councillor for District 3, The Hills of Boisdale Community Association are pleased to announce the placement of a new Community Pantry Cupboard attached to the patio fence at the Boisdale Fire Hall. This service is for the use of the general public: "Take What You Need". "Give What You Can". Non-perishable food, small, bagged, clothing items and books are gratefully accepted.

**BULLETIN NOTICES:** Please email [stcolumba.iona@ns.sympatico.ca](mailto:stcolumba.iona@ns.sympatico.ca) with any bulletin notices before Thursdays at noon. Please remember to check the Parish Website for e-bulletins if there is no printed copy available. Website is <http://parishesofcentralcapebreton.ca> Thank you.

<b>OFFERINGS</b>	<b>St. Columba</b>	<b>St. Mary's</b>
(Apr. 18)		
Envelopes	\$ 566.00	\$ 230.00
Loose	59.00	
Direct Deposit	50.00	245.00
Building Fund	10.00	
St. Barra Cemetery	60.00	
Good Friday		10.00