



SAINT NINIAN CATHEDRAL PARISH

Antigonish, Nova Scotia

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time January 21, 2024

PARISH OFFICE

Monday-Friday: 9am - 12pm

St. Ninian Place
(902) 863-2338

MASS TIMES

Tue-Fri: 9:00am

Saturday: 4:00am

Sunday: 8:30am and 10:30am

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays: 3:15pm - 3:45pm

For more information, please refer to our website:

www.saintninian.ca



facebook.com/stninian.cathedral

COLLECTION INFORMATION

January 14th, 2024

Sunday Collection: \$4270.30

Pre-authorized payments (Jan) \$10,281.00

MASS INTENTIONS JANUARY 16th-19th

Tuesday, 23rd

Ron "Pud" MacGillivray, r.i.p

Martina Hatchette, r.i.p.

Bernard Merten, r.i.p.

Wednesday, 24th

Charlie Gallant, r.i.p

Allan Tate, r.i.p.

Chris Cameron, r.i.p

Thursday, 25th

Leonard & Alvina Sampson, r.i.p

Special Intention for the Living

Friday, 26th

Bernadette Landry, r.i.p

Mary Le Brecque, r.i.p

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THERE IS A TIME FOR EVERYTHING UNDER HEAVEN

Let us pray for our deceased family and friends

Jean Quirk, Antigonish

Pat Lockhart, Hamilton, husband of
Miriam (nee Reddy) formally of Antigonish

WOULD ANYONE LIKE TO SHOVEL?

We are in need of individuals who could shovel the Church steps and side door and main entrance of Saint Ninian Place. Please contact front desk.

COOK BOOKS

There are still cookbooks that have not been picked up. Please drop by the Parish Office and get them. We have a list of reserved ones and if not picked up soon they will go back in circulation to be sold.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST THIS WEEKEND

The Knights of Columbus will be having a Pancake and Sausage Breakfast at 8:30am until 12 noon. Donations will go towards Upgrading the Tabernacle Table



CEILIDH THIS SUNDAY Sunday January 21st, 2024

1:00pm-4:30pm

St. Ninian Parish Hall



Come and enjoy an afternoon of music and dancing. Father Danny will be calling the sets! This dance is supported by MacDonald Chrysler Limited. Musicians are Karen Beaton and Brian MacDonald.

We warmly invite members of our parish community to drop off sweets or other snacks to contribute to the ceilidh. For more info, contact Leona Williams at 902-863-6996.

TEA & COFFEE AFTER MASS

We are hoping to start a monthly tea & coffee after Mass. The parish office will be looking for families and volunteers to organize this gathering on a rotational basis. Let us know if you are able to help! Looking forward to getting together and sharing a cup of tea/coffee.

Message from Father Danny:

We are constantly negotiating between giving and taking on. There are times in life when God calls us from a particular situation or relationship. In today's gospel, Jesus calls Simon and Andrew from their job as fishermen so that they could be free to embrace a life of discipleship.

After the weekday mass on Wednesday, tea, coffee and snacks were made available for the parishioners and all enjoyed good conversation. There were many comments on how welcoming the office area is and how everyone has been made so welcome. The new boardroom provides a great place for gathering and has been well used.

This week we said goodbye to Father Elliot who has returned to his home and warmer climate in Florida. I want to thank him for his kindness and service to the parish. We look forward to his return in June.

Thursday night, I was part of the Ecumenical Service at Str. James United Church. The Bishop was guest Homilist and all enjoyed praying and spending time together.

The parking continues to be a challenge especially on the east side of the Cathedral.

The University continues to work with us solving the issues. For those who would like a parking pass and usually park during the week for mass or meeting here etc., please see Mary at the office.

Meetings, religious education and all programs are up and running. Please consider one of the many groups or ministries.

God Bless,
Father Danny

SYNOD OF BISHOPS PRESENTATION

Sr. Elizabeth Davis, rsm was one of the select group of church leaders from around the world invited by the Pope to attend and participate in the latest Synod of Bishops this past October in the Vatican. She will be presenting her experience of the month-long Synod and continuing its process by listening to the responses of people here to bring back to the Synod this coming October.

Come be apart of the process.

Please join us at Holy Trinity Church, 1321 Torbay Road, Torbay, on Monday January 22nd at 7:00pm. For those unable to attend in person, we will livestream through Facebook at <http://www.facebook.com/Holy-Trinity-St-Agnes-St-Michaels-Parishes-114623136582>

THE ANTIGONISH LIONS PANCAKE AND SAUSAGE

Breakfast will be on Sunday January 28 from 9am-12pm.

Donations at the door will assist with the installation of a chair lift.

ROBERT BURNS NIGHT

Come celebrate Scotland's National poet with the Antigonish Highland Society

Thursday, January 25th 7-9pm at the Antigonish Legion Branch 59

Tickets are \$20.00 and you can contact Dan Cochrane at admim@antigonishhighlandgames.ca or 902-863-4275

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Campaign Award Winners were awarded last weekend.

Congratulation to:

**Sadie Glen
Kenlea Ludow
Leah Mattie**

PARISH MEETINGS

Mondays

C.A.R.E. Meeting at 7pm

Antigonish Community Grief Support Group 7pm

Tuesdays

Prayer Group will start again January 9th, 2024.

St. Vincent de Paul (first Tuesday of the month) at 7pm

Liturgy Meeting 7-9 pm New Boardroom

Wednesdays

Saint Ninian Choir rehearsal at 7pm in the church

Parish Council 6:30pm-8pm New Boardroom

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASS SCHEDULE

Confirmation class resumes January 7th, 2024

Grade 3-6 classes resumes January 10th, 2024

Grade 2 Classes resumes January 7th, 2024