

SAINT NINIAN CATHEDRAL PARISH

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time October 9th, 2022

REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE*

TUE-FRI SATURDAY 9:00 AM** 4:00 PM

SUNDAY

8:30 AM and 10:30 AM

LIVESTREAM

Sundays, 10:30AM

CONFESSION

SATURDAY

3:15PM-3:45PM

- * Schedule subject to change.
- ** When there is a funeral, the funeral takes the place of the 9AM mass.

COLLECTION INFORMATION

September 25th

Sunday Envelopes Loose Money Total Collection \$ 827.00 \$ 315.00 \$ 1142.00

Other:

Needs of the Canadian Church

\$ 315.00

of Envelopes Received

35

Pre-Authorized Debit: For the month of September 2022, we will receive 97 donations totaling \$8,796.00 equaling \$2,199.00 weekly.

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I used to think gratitude a heavy burden for one to carry.

Now I know that it is something that makes the heart lighter.

The ungrateful person seems to me to be one
who walks with feet and heart od lead.

But when one has learnt, however inadequately,
what a lovely thing gratitude is,
one's feet go lightly over sand and sea,

and one finds a strange joy revealed to one, the joy of counting up, not what one posses, but what one owes.

I hoard my debts now in the treasury of my heart, and, piece by piece of gold, I range them in order at dawn and at evening.

- Oscar Wilde

SYMPATHIES TO THE FAMILIES OF

- + Rachel MacFarlane
- + Betty Walsh

PASTORAL COUNCIL NOMINATIONS

As we resume our Parish Council activities, we ask parishioners to nominate members of our congregations to this Council. Please drop your nomination in the box placed at the back of the church. Thank you!

THANKSGIVING—PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

The Parish Office will be closed for Thanksgiving Monday, October 10th. We hope everyone has a wonderful long-weekend and a happy tanks giving!!

ONLINE DONATIONS—SEPTEMBER 2022

We have received a total of \$385 in online donations during the month of September. Since instating online donations, we have received \$7,655.00. WOW!!

We sincerely thank those who have contributed to our Parish and affiliated projects through CanadaHelps.

LITURGY COMMITTEE

Liturgy Committee Thursday, October 13th at 7PM. All are welcome.

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ST. NINIAN'S RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Grade 2 (1st Communion) Next Class October 16th, 11:30am to 12:15pm, Rm #18 or 21 St. Ninian Place (lower level).

Catechism Classes Grade 3 to Grade 8 started October 5th. Classes are from 6:30PM to 7:15PM in Saint Ninian Place.

CATECHISTS & HALL MONITORS NEEDED!

Additional catechists & hall monitors needed for Sunday mornings and evenings; and Wednesday evenings.

LADIES OF ST. NINIAN'S PARISH

Join us Monday, October 17 at 6:30PM in Saint Ninian Place, as we move forward post Covid to restart our Catholic Women League. We gather to share ideas and sisterhood.

40 Days for Life

The 40 Days for Life campaign begins September 28th and ends November 6th. The CWL and Knights of Columbus Councils encourage participation in this internationally coordinated effort to end abortion at the local level. You can

take part through prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Contact: Janet and Martien Bekkers at 902-863-5061 or email: thebekkers-fam@hotmail.com

FUND RAISING INITIATIVE - ORANGE BARRELS

Unfortunately, the Food Bank will no longer be associated with the Orange Barrel initiative. A community group has come together to continue with the project of collecting recyclables from our streets. Proceeds will now be donated to the Red Cross. For more information contact Peter and Jeanne at 902-631-0568

LUIRGEAN AR SINNSIR—IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF OUR ANCESTORS

Saint Ninian's Pioneer Cemetery, 308 Main St.

October 8th, from 1PM to 3PM

Join us at the Pioneer Cemetery, where we will share stories, songs, and music, and connect with our ancestors. All are welcome as we connect with Gaelic language, culture, and heritage.

Donations will be welcomed in support of the Saint Ninian's Pioneer Cemetery.

Gaelic and English will be spoken. Parking is limited.

This event is sponsored by the Antigonish Highland Society, the Saint Ninian Pioneer Cemetery, and the Gaelic Narrative Project.

MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST

This event has been rescheduled. Please watch the bulletin for more updates. Thank you!

HALLOWEEN MARKET & CRAFT FAIR

Sunday October 23rd, from 10AM to 1PM at the Mini Trail Community Centre in Lakevale (Civic 4382 in Antigonish County.) With Halloween and Christmas just around the corner, dress up in your favorite Halloween Décor and come take a drive along scenic route 337 and check out our market with multiple local vendors where there is something for everyone. Fresh produce, local honey, beautiful homemade crafts, jewelry, desserts and preserves! Canteen and BBQ Services will be on site! Prizes awarded for the best dressed Halloween Costume!

ST. NINIAN FUNERAL RECEPTIONS MEETING

Rescheduled to Thursday, Oct. 13th at 12pm, church vestry

This is a community service that brings people together to support family, friends and neighbours during a challenging time. After an absence of 2.5 years due to covid, it is important that we come together to discuss how to continue this important ser-vice. New volunteers, new ideas are most welcome at this meeting.

For more information contact Valerie Sullivan at 902-870-1907.

ART RESTORATION PROJECT CELEBRATORY MASS—REESCHEDULED

The celebratory mass will be held on October16th at 10:30AM. It is our great hope that the scaffolding will be down and that we will be able to celebrate the completion of this very important step in our Restoration Project.

HURRICANE FIONA

Hurricane Fiona has left much damaged in our communities, therefore, do not forget about the resources available to you at this moment. Apart from governmental programs, feel free to reach out to our local food bank, as well as Saint Vincent de Paul if need.

TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION

In keeping with Truth and Reconciliation Day, the Diocese of Antigonish has prepared a campaign to raise funds for our Indigenous communities. Envelopes are available at the church. Money contributed by our diocese will be returned to our diocese through funding for programs, events, and projects to support healing in our local indigenous communities and cultural awareness, appreciation and action in our parishes and communities at large.

Thank you, Catholic Women's League