

Antigonish, Nova Scotia

Easter Sunday April 9th, 2023

Today is the day for rejoicing! JESUS IS ALIVE!

COLLECTION INFORMATION

April 2nd, 2023:

Total Collection:

\$5,580.65

THERE IS A TIME FOR EVERYTHING UNDER HEAVEN...

Let us pray also for our deceased parishioners and family members who have died:

> Lorraine Theresa Walsh, Antigonish Hugh James "Jim" Delorey, Antigonish Evelyn Kathryn Pettipas, Antigonish

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. May the Risen Lord bring peace to all their families and friends.

MASS INTENTION: APRIL 10TH-16TH

Deceased members of the Morse family

FINANCE MEETING

Tuesday, April 11th at 6:30pm in the Vestry.

C.A.R.E. MEETING

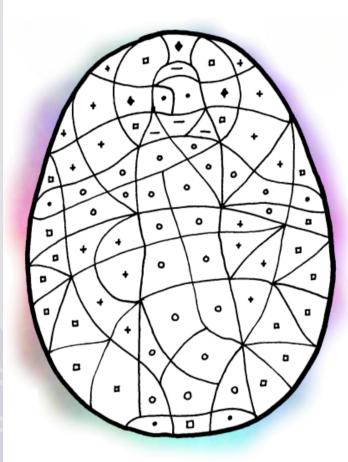
April 10th, 7PM at the John Paul Centre.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

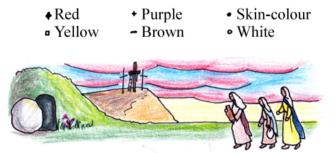
2nd Sunday of Easter, April 16th, at 2:30PM

ST. NINIAN'S CWL BURSARY

St. Ninian's CWL Bursary applications are available at the back of the church. If you are a 2023 graduate and meet the criteria, you are invited to complete the application and return it to Parish Office, 168 Hawthorne St. or mail to St. Ninian Cathedral clearly marked CWL Bursary application c/o Kim Grant by May 1st.



The two men on the road to Emmaus didn't know the man who came and walked with them on Easter morning. Use the colour code below to see if you can figure out who it was!



Curtesy of the Kid's bulletin

A message from Fr. Danny...

I take this opportunity to wish each parishioner a very happy and blessed Easter. May the celebrations of the Easter Liturgy deepen our faith that Jesus is truly risen. Through the beautiful liturgies at St. Ninian, we come to understand and appreciate more deeply the Paschal Mystery – the times of dying and rising to new life in Christ. It is Good News that every Good Friday in our lives can be transformed into an Easter Sunday. No pain, no sorrow, not even death itself, need destroy us: all is made new in the Risen Christ.

The encouraging words from our Risen Lord "Peace be with you" tell us that every day we receive the blessings of His peace, a peace the world cannot give. As a parish we truly entered the journey with Jesus into the desert and followed the disciplines of Lent of prayer, fasting and almsgiving. In our liturgy we chose one person to pray for each week, extra effort was made to attend mass, the Parish Mission made us aware of the Lord in the Eucharist and our mission to bring the Lord to others by the way we live. Many reconciled themselves with the Lord and we found community in gathering over a cup of tea.

Thanks to all parishioners who have contributed generously to the Liturgies. This includes hospitality, lectors, sacristans, servers, extraordinary ministers, decorators, counters, the CWL and KOC and all who stepped forward in seeing the need around them and helped in the preparations for the Easter ALLELUIA.

I extend a special word of thanks to the musicians, choir and cantors for your many hours of preparation and the sharing of your gifts and talents. Also, it is good to acknowledge our parish team members who have helped in this busy season in preparation of the Easter Liturgies.

Again, a very happy and blessed Easter to each of you, and to your families. Fr Danny and the Parish Team BISHOP: Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick bishopkirkpatrick@dioceseofantigonish.ca

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CONFESSIONS: Saturdays: 3:15PM - 3:45PM

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