

SAINT NINIAN CATHEDRAL PARISH

Antigonish, Nova Scotia

Easter Sunday March 31st, 2024

THERE IS A TIME FOR EVERYTHING UNDER HEAVEN

Minnie Veronica Doiron, Antigonish Sister Margaret Maire Landry, CSM Antigonish Phillip Murely, Antigonish

NET CANADA MISSIONARIES

Marie Anne Gagnon has been accepted into NET Canada and will be fundraising for this project. If any in our parish community would like to help support the work of NET, we can do so by donating to her fundraiser.

There are some information papers you can fill out at the back of the church. Also, this is the website/ link where you can search to make online donations. https://www.netcanada.ca/missionaries/marie-annegagnon/

CONCERT/DANCE SPONSORED BY THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Music provided by The Last 2 April 20, 2024 Time: 8:00pm.- 12:00am \$15.00/ ticket St. Andrews Community Centre Tickets can be purchased at MacDonald Store, St. Andrews or Hawthorne Convenience and at the door.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Sunday of Easter, 7th of April The Divine Mercy Novena starts on Good Friday, 29th of March

ONLINE DONATIONS

This month, we have surpassed 150 donations totaling over \$27,000.00 since adopting our online donation platform Canada Helps! WOW! Thanks to all who have contributed to the parish from far and near!

<u>PARISH OFFICE</u> Monday-Friday: 9am - 12pm St. Ninian Place (902) 863-2338

<u>MASS TIMES</u> Tuesday- Friday: 9:00am Saturday: 4:00pm Sunday: 8:30am and 10:30am

<u>CONFESSIONS</u> Saturdays: 3:15pm - 3:45pm

For more information, please refer to our website: www.saintninian.ca facebook.com/stninian.cathedral

PLEASE NOTE: OFFICE IS CLOSED ON EASTER MONDAY APRIL 1,2024

COLLECTION INFORMATION

<u>March 25th, 2024</u> Sunday Collection: \$6525.00 Pre-authorized payments (March): \$10,281.00 Income Tax Receipts are available

MASS INTENTIONS April 2nd-April 5th, 2024

<u>Tuesday, 2nd</u>

Patricia Muir, r.i.p. Jeffery Murray, r.i.p.

Wednesday April 3rd

Jim Murray, r.i.p

<u>Thursday,4th</u>

Bob Clarke, r.i.p. Bill Tutty, r.i.p. Jimmy MacDonald, r.i.p.

<u>Friday, April 5th</u>

Katharine MacKinnon, r.i.p. Conrad Porier, r.i.p Marie MacLellan, r.i.p.

Message from Father Danny:

A note to wish each parishioner a very happy and blessed Easter. A special note of welcome to any visitor who is with us this Easter.

May the celebration of the Easter Liturgy deepen our faith that Jesus is truly risen, and having conquered death, invites us to share in his risen life. May the Easter Liturgy help us 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 changed into an Easter Sunday. No pain, no sorrow, not even death itself, will defeat us: all is made new in the risen Christ.

I pray that you receive the blessings of his peace, a peace the world cannot give.

Thanks to all the parishioners who have contributed generously to the Liturgies throughout Holy Week, up to and including the Mass on Easter Sunday! This includes hospitality, lectors, altar servers, sacristans, extraordinary ministers, counters, collectors, decorators and all who came forward to offer and give assistance and helped in the preparations for the Easter liturgies.

A special word of thanks to the musicians and singers for your hours of preparation and the sharing of your gifts and talents.

Another special word of acknowledgement to the 150th Anniversary Committee and KOC who gave wonderful service with the Mass of Chrism. Many thanks to the CWL, kitchen staff and servers who made the Mass of Chrism dinner and luncheon not only very tasty but so very pleasant for all who attended. Again, a very happy and blessed Easter to each of you, and to your families.

> God Bless, Father Danny

CWL NEWS

We Welcome members of the new Executive for the St. Ninian's Council of The Catholic Women's League. President: Toosje Van de Sande Secretary : Jo Ann Ortega Past President: Elizabeth Kell Committee Chairs: Faith: Marie Delorey Service : Ann Callahan Social Justice: Janet Bekkers A meeting for all members will be held on Tuesday April 2nd, 2024 @ 7pm in Room 018 St. Ninian Place. Come and welcome new members

ANTIGONISH COMMUNITY LIVING WITH GRIEF GROUP All are warmly welcome - April 15 to May 27th

Saint Ninian Place Gladys Mac Dougall and colleague support individuals who have encountered Grief and or Loss in their lives. They create a welcoming space to gather and feel that you do not walk alone. To Register, contact Gladys Mac Dougall at 902-870-4884 or email: macdougallgladys@gmail.com Registration if Free!

REJOICE! HE IS RISEN.

May the resurrection of our Lord fill your hearts with hope and your spirits with joy. Wishing you a blessed Easter filled with love and faith. -Parish Staff

PARISH MEETINGS

<u>Tuesdays</u> Prayer Group: No Gathering March 26th St. Vincent de Paul (first Tuesday of the month) at 7pm CW.L. General Meeting at 7pm

<u>Wednesdays</u> Religious Education Meeting March 13 @ 2pm Saint Ninian Choir rehearsal at 7pm in the church

> <u>Thursdays</u> Breaking Open the Word, at 9:30am

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASS SCHEDULE

Grade 2 Saturday April 6th 1:00pm Grades 3-6 Wednesday April 3rd,6:30-7:15pm