

# SAINT NINIAN CATHEDRAL PARISH

Antigonish, Nova Scotia

# 2nd Sunday of Lent February 25th, 2024

#### **PARISH OFFICE**

Monday-Friday: 9am - 12pm St. Ninian Place (902) 863-2338 **MASS TIMES** 

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 9:00am Station of the Cross followed by Mass Wednesday:6:15pm

Saturday: 4:00pm

Sunday: 8:30am and 10:30am

**CONFESSIONS** 

Saturdays: 3:15pm - 3:45pm

For more information, please refer to our website: www.saintninian.ca



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# **COLLECTION INFORMATION**

February 18th, 2024

Sunday Collection: \$4403.75 Pre-authorized payments (Feb): \$10,281.00 Please remember to fill out the front page

of your Donation Envelopes Income Tax Reciepts will be available this week

# **MASS INTENTIONS** February 27th-March 1st, 2024

Tuesday, 27th

Special Intention for the Living Katherine MacKinnon, r.i.p.

## Wednesday, 28th

Special Intention for the Living Nellie MacLellan, r.i.p. Thursday, 29th

# Friday, March 1st

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Special Intention for the Living

# THERE IS A TIME FOR EVERYTHING UNDER HEAVEN

Annie Catherine MacPherson, North Grant Jane Landry, Dartmouth Robbie MacLellan, Clydesdale

# ST. PATRICK'S DAY BREAKFAST

Scrumptious Pancake and Sausage Breakfast made by the Knights of Columbus.

Sunday March 17, 2024 8am-12noon

Donations will go towards upgrading the Tabernacle table.

#### **PLEASE NOTE**

When School is cancelled due to weather there will not be 9am Mass. The Parish Office will also be closed.

# POLISH UP YOUR DANCING SHOES Sunday March 10th,2024

1:30pm-4pm

Karen Beaton, Natalie DeCoste, Junior Fraser & Betty Lou Beaton Supported by MacGillivray Fuels Food Donations greatly appreciated



# STATIONS OF THE CROSS

6:15pm **Evening Mass to Follow** 

#### **LENTEN PRAYER**

As we enter another week of our Lenten journey, guide us to the path that leads to you. Fill our hearts with gratitude, patience, strength, and peace as we strive to become the best version of ourselves, honestly admitting our short comings and our sins.

# Message from Father Danny:

Today's gospel of the transfiguration should call to mind our own encounters with God. We are likely to hear God's voice in a whisper rather than with the clarity the disciples heard on the mountain.

But God's voice, whether a whisper or a thunder, always speaks of love. God looks on us, and God loves us, and God is well pleased with us.

We can hear and see God's loved in many of the kind and good deeds of neighbours and friends.

These past weeks, neighbours went out of their way to help shovel a driveway, clean off the front steps or even climb out a window and shovel snow off a garage roof (this scenery took place at the rectory).

Thanks Joseph!!

You may notice that mats and flooring are much cleaner, thanks to a parishioner. Laura Lee, for seeing this need and giving time for this much needed cleaning.

There are so many who give so freely to our parish in their time and expertise. This is where we experience God, the work of our God in the generosity and kindness in others for the building of the kingdom.

Much planning is gone into Soups of the World. The storm date is now next Sunday March 3, 024 and we hope you will take part. A student at St. FX, Alesandro from Italy, is volunteering to make Tiramisu, an extremely delicious dessert. He has already tempted me in trying several. There went my Lenten fast from dessert!

The 150th Committee is doing a lot of preparation for Saturday March 9th. Drinking with the Saints. This will truly be an enjoyable event with an education component in learning about some of the saints, who will be present to tell their story!

The next day we can enjoy a great ceilidh/dance.
There presently work being done on the sound system. Please let me know if you are noticing a difference.

Have a great week, God Bless, Fr. Danny

God Bless, Father Danny



NEW DATE: March 3rd, 2024
12 Noon

Donations at the Door

### **DRINKING WITH THE SAINTS**

Another Community Gathering supported by the 150th Committee!
It will be a Cabaret style event which will include performances highlighting several Saints.

Saint Ninian Place

Saturday March 9th, 2024 7-9 pm

### **BREAKING OPEN THE WORD**

Thursdays 9:30am Rm 17 SNP:

Join us for small group reflection on the up-coming Sunday Gospel each week. After an opening prayer we slowly read the Gospel aloud three times listening for a word or phrase which speaks to our hearts. We may offer that aloud without explanation. After the third time, we share how the Holy Spirit brings us new insight, meaning, joy, challenge, or encouragement in our faith life this week. People are respectful of what each other shares. Where two or more are gathered in His name, Jesus promises to be with us. So, it is a time of sacred sharing, and life in faith as a community. Most often it is a time of gentle awe and wonder, chuckles and tears, and a chance to enjoy tea/ coffee with a humble morsel together.

# **PARISH MEETING**

Monday
C.A.R.E. 7pm board room

#### Tuesdays

**Prayer Group** 6:30pm Vestry. All are welcome. **St. Vincent de Paul** (first Tuesday of the month) at 7pm

## **Wednesdays**

Saint Ninian Choir rehearsal at 7pm in the church

#### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASS SCHEDULE

Grade 3-6 classes February 28th Grade 2 Classes March 3rd