



SAINT NINIAN CATHEDRAL PARISH

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time September 18th, 2022

REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE*

TUE-FRI	9:00 AM**
SATURDAY	4:00 PM
SUNDAY	8:30 AM and 10:30 AM
LIVESTREAM	Sundays, 10:30AM

CONFESSION

SATURDAY	3:15PM—3:45PM
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* Schedule subject to change.

** When there is a funeral, the funeral takes the place of the 9AM mass.

COLLECTION INFORMATION

September 4th

Sunday Envelopes	\$ 4,695.00
Loose Money	\$ 778.00
Total Collection	<u>\$ 5,473.00</u>

Other:

Restoration Fund	\$ 290.00
Pioneer Cemetery	\$ 150.00

of Envelopes Received 168

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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*Jesus says: "Whoever is not with me is against me;
and whoever does not gather with me scatters."*

*I sometimes feel that I live in a world of twilight,
halfway between day and night.*

*I sometimes feel that I am in a state of indifference,
halfway between love and hate.*

*I sometimes feel I am trudging along a safe little path,
halfway between good and evil.*

*Lord, save me from the illusion
that because I am not against you I am therefore with
you.*

Above all, save me from being neutral.

ST. NINIAN FUNERAL RECEPTIONS MEETING

Monday Sept 26 at 10am, Saint Ninian Place

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 service. New volunteers, new ideas are most welcome at this meeting.

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

ST. NINIAN PARISH OFFICE

Office closed on Monday, September 19, 2022

WELCOME TO THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY

+ **Nathaniel Myles MacInnis**, son of Mike and Ashley MacInnis

Congratulations!

PRAYER GROUP—SEPTEMBER 20

Tuesday, Sept 20th at 6:30PM

We will begin to explore the Life in the Spirit seminars including Baptism in the Holy Spirit. Everyone welcome! Contact Karen Schuegraf at 863-5526 for more information.

(902) 863-2338

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MON-FRI 9:00AM-12:00PM

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ST. NINIAN'S RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Grade 2 (1st Communion) Classes start Sept 18th, 11:30am to 12:15pm, Rm #18 or 21 St. Ninian Place (lower level). Email: religiously@saintninian.ca for a registration form or leave a message at 902-863-2338 ext #3 including the child's name and phone number and come early to complete the registration form and pay fees before class. We need to plan.

Registration for Catechism Classes Grade 3 to Grade 8 - Sept 21th Please register for classes **Wednesday Sept 21th at 6 pm to 7pm** in Rm 18 St. Ninian Place. Fees will be paid at registration. Classes will start later in the month. Please register on time, we need to plan class sizes.

CATHECISTS AND HALL MONITORS NEEDED!

Additional catechists & hall monitors needed for Sunday mornings for Grade 2; Wednesday evenings for grades 5,6,7.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM OPENING MASS

SUNDAY, SEPT 25, 2022 AT 10:30AM

All families and students are welcome to join in the celebration.

BETHANY TREE WALK 2PM WEDNESDAY, SEPT 21, 2022

Sisters of St. Martha invite everyone to the official opening of the Phase 2 of the Arboretum. Come and enjoy a short celebration and tour of some of the trees. Everyone welcome!

ALPHA BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 27TH

We are so excited to announce that **Alpha** will begin this Fall online using Zoom! **What is Alpha?** Through a series of videos, talks, and discussions, we discuss the big questions of life and learn about Jesus while building relationships and community with others. Beginning on Tuesday, September 27th, Alpha will take place each week on Zoom from 7:30– 9pm. This is a joint project between Christ the King Parish, Dartmouth and St. Ninian Parish Antigonish. Contact Leonarda MacNeil, ofs at religiously@saintninian.ca or call 902-863-2338 ext #3.

FOOD BANK FUND RAISING INITIATIVE – ORANGE BARRELS

ORANGE BARRELS are available throughout town to collect cans and bottles. Volunteers are needed to assist by volunteering to collect, count and re-bag. Collection is set for 9am, Monday to Saturday with counting and bagging at 10am at the Antigonish Food Bank building. For more information contact Peter and Jeanne at 902-631-0568

BEST WISHES TO MARGARET MACGREGOR-MACDONALD

Get well wishes are extended to Margaret MacGregor-MacDonald as we hope for a speedy recovery. Our prayers go out to her. Margaret has provided us with her gift of music countless times and has volunteered many hours to our music ministry.

IN HONOR OF HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II

**Monday, September 19, 2022
10:45 am**

Service at Cenotaph, Columbus Field.
Arranged by Arras Branch 59, Royal Canadian Legion
Legion.

LUIRGEAN AR SINNSIR—IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF OUR ANCESTORS

Saint Ninian's Pioneer Cemetery, 308 Main St.

September 24th, 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.

PARKLAND ANTIGONISH—OPEN HOUSE

Parkland will be hosting an Open House on Tuesday, September 20, from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. or 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. for an open house tour of Parkland Antigonish, complete with refreshments and live music!

HIGHLAND QUILT GUILD OF ANTIGONISH 2022 QUILT SHOW

St. James United Church

September 23, 10am to 6pm

September 24, 10am to 4pm

Admission: \$5.00

ART RESTORATION PROJECT UPDATE

We are happy to announce that the conservation team led by Michelle Gallinger has finished another summer of restoration here in our Cathedral. Michelle will be back in the following weeks for final touch ups. The next steps include the painting of the surrounding area, and the application of gold leaf trim before the staging comes down.

A celebratory mass will be held on October 2nd at 10:30AM,
unveiling the newly restored Saint Andrew, Saint James the Great, and Saint John.

If you would like to **Donate** to Saint Ninian's next art restoration. please email:
paulakirk@saintninian.ca
or see the donation box at the front of the church!

Thank you, Parish Community