



# SAINT NINIAN CATHEDRAL PARISH

# 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time June 20th, 2021

## MASS TIMES

MON-FRI	No Mass
SATURDAY	4:00 PM
SUNDAY	8:30 AM and 10:30 AM

## COLLECTION INFORMATION:

We received a number of generous donations over the last week:  
THANK YOU for your support.

### June 17th

Sunday Envelopes	\$ 795
Special Envelopes	\$ 55
Total Collection	\$ 860
# of Envelopes Received	16

If you would like to continue supporting our Parish during these uncertain times, please mail your donation to:

St. Ninian Cathedral  
P.O. Box 1628  
Antigonish B2G 2L8

You can also contact Paula Kirk to learn how to e-transfer or set up pre-authorized debit.

*Pre-authorized debit: For the month of June 2021, we will receive 87 donations totaling \$7,786 equaling \$1,946.5 weekly*

## SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILIES OF:

+ Robert MacDonnell

## ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

The annual Parish meeting has been cancelled due to the current COVID-19 lockdown. We will announce a new date for the meeting in the bulletin as soon as we can.

## COVID -19 UPDATE

St. Ninian Cathedral Parish will be resuming mass this weekend in **St. Ninian Place (Main Hall) on a first come, first serve basis**. Masses will be at their regular time, Saturday (June 19th) at 4PM, and Sunday (June 20th) at 8:30AM and 10:30AM. **The Mass Gathering limit as per Phase II NS Re-Opening Plan is of 50 people per mass. MASK AND SOCIAL DISTANCING REQUIRED.**

The Parish Office will open be to the public starting Monday, June 21st.

## NEW EMAILS

- + Fr. Donald MacGillivray: [pastor@saintninian.ca](mailto:pastor@saintninian.ca)
- + Paula Kirk (Parish Manager): [paulakirk@saintninian.ca](mailto:paulakirk@saintninian.ca)
- + Front Desk (Manoela Strehl): [admin@saintninian.ca](mailto:admin@saintninian.ca)
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- + Deacon Henry van de Wiel: [deaconhenry@saintninian.ca](mailto:deaconhenry@saintninian.ca)

## MASS FOR SHUT-INS

Mass for Shut-Ins will be aired on CTV every Sunday at 11:30AM. I am sure this will be much appreciated if people are unable to attend their parishes due to limited numbers allowed in buildings.

## RADIO MASS

We continue to broadcast Sunday Mass from the Cathedral every Sunday at 8:25AM on 98.9XFM. They are very generous to provide this service to us. If you're outside the coverage area, you can tune in live on the 98.9XFM website.

(902) 863-2338

121 St. Ninian St, Antigonish NS

MON-FRI 9:00AM-12:00PM and 1:00-4:00PM

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# ST. NINIAN'S RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

First Communion Class (Grade Two): Parents will be contacted regarding Celebration of the Sacrament.

Grades 3-6: In-person classes are finished until the fall.

Confirmation Classes: Classes are finished.

## JUNE 22-30, CANADIAN CATHOLICS TO PRAY NOVENA TO ST JOSEPH

The faithful in Canada are invited to pray a Novena in honor of St. Joseph from 22 – 30 June, as part of initiatives to mark the Year of St. Joseph.

During the nine days of prayer, we are encouraged to pray for an end to the Covid-19 pandemic, for those who have died, for the family – domestic Church, for peace and unity in the country, for an end to racism and discrimination, for vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life, for youth and the elderly, for frontline workers and the unemployed, and for the need, addicted and excluded.

Read the story here:

<https://www.vaticannews.va/en/church/news/2021-06/canada-catholics-novena-st-joseph-act-of-entrustment.html>

## WEBINAR ON GUARANTEED LIVABLE INCOME (GLI)

This webinar is organized and facilitated by the Canadian Jesuit Forum. Our roster of speakers is impressive:

Presenters:

- i. Professor Evelyn Forget: Economics of GLI
- ii. Jessie Golem: Facilitator/recipient of Ontario GLI Pilot

Project Respondents:

- iii. Senator Kim Pate: Political Challenges of GLI
- iv. Sr. Elizabeth Davis RSM: Participation of Religious/Faith

Communities in GLI

We look forward to your participation at this webinar on **June 22, 5pm (EDT)**.

To register: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/guaranteed-liveable-income-pathways-towards-a-just-transition-tickets-157862688551>

## FOOD BANK—URGENT !!!

The Antigonish Community Food Bank is in need of clean plastic and glass bottles with lids (all sizes). Thank you very much!

## PANDEMIC PRAYER GROUP EXTENDED

The on-line Prayer Group (using Zoom) to pray (the Rosary daily with Scripture Readings) for our Physicians, Nurses, Health Care Workers, Volunteers, Patients, and Families particularly those who serve at St. Martha's Hospital, will continue to meet at least until the end of June. Our prayers are needed!

The Zoom Prayer group **meets on-line at noon and we start praying at 12:10** each day. If you want to join us, please contact me at [religioused@saintninian.ca](mailto:religioused@saintninian.ca) or call and leave a message at 902-863-2338 extension #3 and I will send you an invitation to the meeting. You are most welcome to join even if you cannot attend daily, or if you can only join at the beginning of our session but will have to leave early.

Leonarda MacNeil, ofs Director of Religious Education & Covid Coordinator

## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, ST. NINIAN PARISH FOUNDATION

7pm Friday, June 25, 2021

Due to COVID-19 health restrictions, the meeting will be held virtually via ZOOM link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83684082855?pwd=T2h1TDlrSmZFVlBkQVdTVFFV1Jndz09>

## PRAYERS AND SOLIDARITY FOR THE MUSLIM COMMUNITY

"As Roman Catholics, we too express our remorse over the murder of the Muslim family in London, Ontario. It is apparent that while this family was out walking they were targeted in a violent attack simply for being Muslim. As a faith community, we stand in solidarity with the Muslim community and we too call for action against Islamophobia."

- Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick

Read more on the Diocese's Blog:

<https://www.antigonishdiocese.com/prayers-and-solidarity-for-the-muslim-community/>

*Apart from the cross there is no other ladder by which we may get to heaven.—Saint Rose of Lima*