



SAINT NINIAN CATHEDRAL PARISH

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time July 11th, 2021

MASS TIMES

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

COLLECTION INFORMATION:

July 4th

Sunday Envelopes	\$ 3915
Special Envelopes	\$ 480
Recovery Literature	\$ 20
Loose Money	\$ 255
Total Collection	\$ 4670
# of Envelopes Received	91

Pre-authorized debit: For the month of July 2021, we will receive 88 donations totaling \$7,886 equaling \$1,971.5 weekly

SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILIES OF:

- + Elva Christina Webb
- + Ronald Francis MacDonald

"He ordered them to take nothing for the journey..." Mark 6:8



By virtue of our Baptism we are called to bring to the world the message of the Gospel. Also as people of faith we are further called to rely on God, that God will give us what we need as we engage in this mission, "take nothing for the journey." Perhaps our prayer everyday could be: Lord Help Me To Rely on You. DMG

COVID -19 UPDATE

St. Ninian Cathedral Parish has resumed masses in St. Ninian Place (Main Hall) on a first come, first serve basis. Masses will be at their regular time, Saturday at 4PM, and Sunday at 8:30AM and 10:30AM. As we enter Phase III, Mass Gathering limits have increased to 100 people. However, like last year, we will not be able to accommodate this many people with social distancing. We encourage everyone to sit in bubbles, so we can optimize our seating arrangement.

MASK AND SOCIAL DISTANCING REQUIRED.

FR. DONALD MACGILLIVRAY'S LAST MASSES

Fr. Donald's last masses as the parish rector will be on the 24th and 25th of July.

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.

CEMETERY MASS

The cemetery mass will be held on Tuesday, July 13th at 5:30PM in the St. Ninian Parish Cemetery. The Columbarium will be blessed at the ceremony.

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121 St. Ninian St, Antigonish NS

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

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

We recently received an anonymous donation of \$30,000 for the work of this important society that does outreach to the poor. We wish to thank the donor for their generosity.

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!

HERITAGE TRUST OF NS—DOORS OPEN FOR CHURCHES

Starting on July 11th, Heritage Trust of Nova Scotia will be launching "Doors Open for Churches: Virtual Guided Tours of Places of Worship". The virtual tours will run from July until October on their Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/HeritageTrustNovaScotia>

Please note that Antigonish County has been assigned the week from July 25th to 31st. St. Ninian Cathedral's virtual tour will take place on July 30th.

PANDEMIC PRAYER GROUP

The pandemic prayer group will continue from home, on an individual basis (no Zoom meetings).

For more information, please contact Leonarda MacNeil, of: religioused@saintninian.ca

JULY 11—SEA SUNDAY

Sea Sunday is a day each year for people to pray and give thanks for those who earn their livings from and on the sea. An estimated 90 per cent of goods on our store shelves are there through the efforts of crews aboard ships who often spend months at sea weathering storms and working long, physical hours for relatively low pay and little vacation.

To learn more about seafaring and how we can help:

<https://www.antigonishdiocese.com/seasunday/>

UPDATE ON THE RESTORATION OF THE SAINTS

Michelle Gallinger and her team have been working on four Saints: Saint Thomas, Saint James the Lesser, Saint Simon, and Saint Thaddeus. This phase of the restoration project will see the conclusion of all saints on the West side of the Cathedral.

The restoration process is lengthy: the art conservators must consolidate the flaking paint to effectively restore Leduc's work. They also need to remove seven different layers of paint to reveal Leduc's columns and landscape. His murals have been modified at least twice.

We also have posters in the Breeze Way outlining the restoration processes and showing the work done to each of the seven saints and the two angels already restored.

For more information and weekly updates, please visit our website: <https://saintninian.ca/restoration-project>



Saint Thaddeus—Columns revealed

1st WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY

The 1st World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly will be celebrated on Sunday, 25 July 2021. The theme of this first World Day is "I am with you always" (cf. Mt 28:20). The theme's purpose is to convey the closeness of God and the Church to the elderly and also to emphasize the intergenerational closeness between the young and the elderly.

For more information, please visit:

<https://saintninian.ca/bulletins-publications>

He should first show them in deeds rather than words all that is good and holy. — Saint Benedict of Nursia