



SAINT NINIAN CATHEDRAL PARISH

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time
June 26th, 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

CONFSSION

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

June 19th

Sunday Envelopes	\$ 4,800.25
Loose Money	\$ 556.75
Total Collection	\$ 5,357.00

Other:

Special Envelopes	\$ 470.00
Recovery	\$ 0.00

# of Envelopes Received	148
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Pre-authorized debit: For the month of June 2022, we will receive 95 donations totaling \$8,741 equaling \$2,185.25 weekly

BISHOP

Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick

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Rev. Danny MacLennan

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Blessed are the faithful: they are like safe anchors in a world of broken moorings.

Blessed are the just: they are to society what leaven is to bread.

Blessed are the generous: they keep alive our faith in the essential goodness of people.

Blessed are the caring: they shine like beacons in a world darkened by indifference.

Blessed are the genuine: they glow like gems in a world of falsehood.

And blessed are those who, having put their hand to the plough, refuse to look back: they will be found worthy of the kingdom

SYMPATHIES TO THE FAMILIES OF...

+ Vernon MacDonald

+ Francis Boyle

MASK POLICY

We would like to remind all parishioners that masks are not mandatory, but we continue to encourage them during masses.

CANADA DAY BREAKFAST

The Town and County of Antigonish will be hosting a Canada Day Pancake breakfast on Friday, July 1st in Saint Ninian Place. The breakfast will start at 8:30AM.

ST. NINIAN PARISH FOUNDATION ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Monday June 27, 2022 at 7pm in St. Ninian Place.

All are welcome! Masks are encouraged.

Zoom attendance available: please contact Richard Burelle at richardburelle@gmail.com for more information.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT & ROSARY

During the months of restoration, from June to August, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Fridays and the Rosary will be discontinued. Thank you for your understanding.

MESSAGE TO ALL STUDENTS

As the school year draws to an end, we congratulate you on your commitment to your studies, sports, school activities, and local communities. May you continue to be blessed with good health and good decisions as we look forward to a fun-filled summer. To those who are graduating, all the best with your future endeavors.

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

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ST. NINIAN'S RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Grades 2-8: Finished for the year. Congrats!

Sacrament of Reconciliation is postponed. Date to be announced.

ST. NINIAN PLACE SCHEDULE: JUNE 27TH—JULY 3RD

Please contact the parish office for more information.

MONDAY

Main Hall All Day Blood Donor Clinic

TUESDAY

Vestry 7:00PM Prayer Group

Church 6:30PM Baptismal Meeting

Main Hall All Day Blood Donor Clinic

WEDNESDAY

Rm017 9:30AM Breaking the Word Open

Church 6:00PM Choir Rehearsal

FRIDAY

Main Hall 8:30AM Canada Day Breakfast

MESSAGE FROM THE PARISH OFFICE

Best wishes are extended to Lou and Mary Palmer as they travel to PEI for the summer and then move permanently to Charlottetown. Mary and Lou have been members of St. Ninian Cathedral Parish Community for over 50 years and have been involved in many parish and diocesan committees include Catholic Women's League, St. Ninian Parish Foundation, Cemetery Corporation to name a few. We will miss their participation at Sunday Mass as they were a constant source of prayer and commitment.

SOCIETY FOR THE SHIPS OF 1801: A KEPPOCH ELECTION

The Society for the Ships of 1801 presents "A Keppoch Election: Stories and Songs from a Ceilidh House." The play will take place on July 2nd, 3rd, and 4th at 7PM in the Schwartz Auditorium, StFX.

Adults: \$30

Youth (16 and under): \$10

Tickets can be purchased at MacDonald's Convenience, Antigonish 5 to \$1, Trendy's Clothing, and MacKinnon's Pharmasave

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE MASS

The Annual Mass in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe will be celebrated at our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine, Johnstown on Sunday July 10th, at 2pm. An invitation is extended to all parishioners along with priests, religious and parishioners from other parishes to attend this outdoor Mass at the Shrine. Clergy and members of other churches as well as visitors, friends, and tourists are also welcome to come and join us in our special day of celebration.

PARISH COMMUNITY

We are all looking forward to a summer of reconnecting with family and friends. It is wonderful to see so many of you feeling comfortable to return to Mass. It has been a long time since we were able to be together and it is good that we gather each week. Over the summer we will be inviting parishioners to think about how we can continue to build our parish community. What types of committees are needed, what ministries require additional members, what new ways we can out reach to our brothers and sisters in faith and those search for connection...these are all things for us to think about as a parish community. IF you have any questions, suggestions, or wish to join one of our ministries, please contact the Parish Office.

CLAN CHISHOLM ANNUAL SALMON OR CHICKEN DINNER

The Dinner will take place at the East Coast Social Enterprise Centre (75 St. Ninian Street) on Tuesday, July 5th. The night will start at 6PM with a social, followed by dinner at 7PM. Tickets are available for \$30.

For tickets, please contact Kay (92-863-4118), Loyola (902-863-9555), or Vaughn (902-863-5935).

RESTORATION PROJECT

The next round of the Restoration Project has started. This will be the sixth consecutive year the Parish has been able to bring in the restoration team. This year, the restorers will finish the remainder



three Saints on the East side of the church.

UPDATE: This week in the restoration, the restoration team continue to save as much of the original Leduc as possible. This entails gluing down the peeling yellow paint back onto the walls. The next step in the restoration is the removal of the 7 layers of paint which hide the original artwork.

Thank you, Finance Committee

C.A.R.E.

CANADIANS ACCEPTING REFUGEES EVERYWHERE



THE C.A.R.E COMMITTEE KEEPS ON GOING!

The work of the C.A.R.E. Committee has continued throughout the COVID pandemic. Welcoming, supporting, transporting, sponsoring, fund-raising, communicating, sharing are all aspects of the work of the committee. While some were limited by the Covid - 19 regulations, our work has continued.

Since 2015 when the committee was formed, we have welcomed 6 families to Antigonish - 7 adults, 19 children are now benefitting from the work of the committee and the wonderfully generous response by members of the congregation, community members, and organizations.

C.A.R.E. COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Chair: Sue O'Brien

Vice-Chair: Martin MacDonald

Secretary and Communications: Manoela Strehl

Treasurer: Mike O'Brien

Pastor: Rev. Danny MacLennan

Family Arrival: Claire MacDonald & Jim Hubley

Housing: Marg MacIsaac & Donald Gillis

Integration: Pam Chisholm, Shaun Chisholm, Sue O'Brien, & Jim Hubley

Employment: Diane Roberts

Health: Emma Lee MacDonald & Gladys MacDougall

Education: Martin MacDonald

Most of our newcomer families are now fully employed, including some of the older teenagers.

The committee continues to meet regularly to plan for further endeavours. Applications for sponsorship of two men - one a widower with two children - who are currently living in situations of privation and insecurity, were completed and were submitted more than one year ago. We await the Government's next step in the process. These men and children are relatives of two of our newcomer families who pray for their reunification.

We look to the future and are presently completing the application forms for a man and his young daughter who live in fear in Uganda. They, too, are related to a family brought to Antigonish by our committee. When this application is submitted we will look at the next step - as always, our priority is to help the most vulnerable. We will look at existing requests, as well as other considerations - housing, Government- assisted programs etc. In face of the invasion of Ukraine, a sizeable amount has been contributed by C.A.R.E to the Antigonish Ukrainian Refugee Relief Fund. Our work goes on!

The acute shortage of affordable housing in Antigonish presents a challenge to us. Reunification of families provides some solution to this as well as building communities here:

We have been blessed by your support. Without it, none of this work is possible. You have supported us in so many ventures: yard sales, ham suppers, envelope campaigns, private donations, raffles, etc. Your help in donations of used items, furniture, bedding etc. has enabled us to provide homes, rather than simply living spaces. The welcoming community has given our families a sense of belonging, a sense of home.



Photo: some of the Committee members in 2021

Our fund-raising efforts to date have totaled \$205,000.

WE THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR SUPPORT IN SO MANY WAYS.

DONATION INFORMATION

<https://www.canadahelps.org/en/dn/73314>

E-Transfers: paulakirk@saintninian.ca

By mail: St. Ninian Parish C.A.R.E. Fund

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We welcome new members to our Committee. If you are interested, please contact:

Sue O'Brien, Chair - jmikeob@ns.sympatico.ca

Manoela Strehl, Secretary - manoelastrehl@gmail.com