



SAINT NINIAN  
CATHEDRAL PARISH

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
July 18th, 2021

MASS TIMES

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

COLLECTION INFORMATION:

July 11th

Sunday Envelopes	\$ 3151
Special Envelopes	\$ 22
Loose Money	\$ 159
Total Collection	\$ 3332
# of Envelopes Received	94

Cemetery Mass—July 13th

Cemetery Mass envelopes	\$ 1485
Loose Money	\$ 117.05
Total Collection	\$1602.05
# of Envelopes Received	36

*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:

+ Florence MacDonald Gillis

“The Lord Is My Shepherd” Ps23



Perhaps the most endearing image in all of scripture is the one of God/The Lord/Jesus as the Good Shepherd. The Shepherd is the one who looks after the flock just as God looks after us his people. We believe that God loves us and cares for us as the Shepherd tends the flock. We like that this is the God we have as people of faith. 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.

SUMMER HOURS FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 19th to JULY 23rd

The office will be open from 9:00AM to 12:00PM everyday next week. The office will not be open in the afternoons.

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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.

## INDIGENOUS DELEGATION TO VATICAN SCHEDULED FOR DECEMBER 2021

Following the 10 June 2021 announcement regarding the delegation of Indigenous people to meet with the Holy Father to foster meaningful encounters of dialogue and healing, the Catholic Bishops of Canada are pleased to announce that the delegation is scheduled to take place from 17-20 December 2021 in compliance with global travel restrictions.

Pope Francis will meet with each of the three distinct groups of delegates – First Nations, Métis and Inuit – as well as a final audience with all delegates together on 20 December 2021. This pastoral visit will include the participation of a diverse group of Elders/Knowledge Keepers, residential school survivors and youth from across the country, accompanied by a small group of Bishops and Indigenous leaders.

Read more on the Diocese's Blog:

<https://www.antigonishdiocese.com/delegation-to-the-holy-see/>

## 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.

Please note that Antigonish County has been assigned the week from July 25<sup>th</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup>. St. Ninian Cathedral's virtual tour will take place on July 30th. To join the Cathedral's virtual tour, please visit <https://www.facebook.com/HeritageTrustNovaScotia> on July 30th.

## 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.

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 Thomas—Columns revealed and overpaint removed.

## 1st WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY

The 1<sup>st</sup> 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>

*Those whose hearts are pure are temples of the Holy Spirit.*

*- Saint Lucy*