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Parish Priest

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St. Joseph's Church

2730 Ohio East Rd., PO Box 1022,
Antigonish, NS B2G 2S3

Mass Times:

Saturday 4:00 pm

Parish Council Chairperson:
Jerome Grant: (902) 867-1160
jerome.grant@ns.sympatico.ca

Website:

www.saintjosephscatholicchurch.org

St. Patrick's Church

590 Highway 7, Lochaber, NS B2G 2L3
Phone: (902) 783-2631

Mass Time:

Sunday 10:00 am

Parish Council Chairperson:
Carol Young: (902) 783-2462
youngcarip@gmail.com

St. Paul's Church

8033 Hwy 7, Sherbrooke, NS B0J 3C0

Mass Time:

Sunday 11:30 am

Parish Council Chairperson:
Rennie Beaver: (902) 833-2341
aubrey.carol@ns.sympatico.ca



Christ the King

November 20th, 2022

🙏 **Prayer Requests** 🙏

Father God

We lift up all those who are facing illness today. We ask that you would bring healing, comfort, and peace to their bodies, calm their fears, and let them experience the healing power of your Love.

In Jesus' name. Amen

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St. Joseph's Church

Revised Covid -19 Protocols

St. Joseph's Parish Council has recommended the retention of some restrictions, on a voluntary basis. **See Page 5.**

Please be kind and considerate of our many elderly and vulnerable parishioners, and stay home if you are coughing or sneezing, or have any other symptoms of Covid-19.

Lector for Mass

Saturday November 19th - 4:00 pm - Carl MacDonald

Collections - November 12th

Regular: \$740 (21); Miscellaneous \$175; Loose \$10

Raffle Replacement Collection

Greetings

To help offset the decrease in regular envelope offerings this year we need to raise additional funds. Accordingly it is necessary to have a Raffle Replacement collection similar to the one we had in December 2021.

To give you an opportunity to donate to the Raffle Replacement collection we will provide special envelopes at the back the church for the Masses up to December 10th.

Please record your name and envelope # on the special envelope, and place it in the regular collection at Mass.

As the raffle provides no prizes, we confirm that your donation will be included in your total donations/offerings for the year 2022 Income Tax Receipt.

We ask your cooperation toward ensuring all parishioners (including those NOT on our Email Distribution list) are aware of this special fund raising initiative.

Our fund raising goal for the raffle is \$2000 similar to past years. The more parishioners participating in the Raffle Replacement, the more likely we are to reach our goal.

We wish you good luck with this needed fund raising initiative as we continue our efforts to ensure sufficient revenue is available to cover our parish expenses

It is only appropriate to take this opportunity to thank the parishioners who regularly donate through our regular collection at the weekly Masses. Thank you!

Parish Council

P.S If preferred you can etransfer your donation to:
stjos1927@gmail.com

OR mail your donation to: St. Joseph's Parish, 2730 Ohio East Road, P.O. Box 1022, Antigonish NS B2G 2S3

Parish Priest

At present we do not have a parish priest. We will continue with relieving priests until on or about December 1st, at which time we understand a priest will be appointed for our three parishes. Should information be required regarding baptisms, weddings or funerals, please contact the appropriate Chair of each Parish Council.



Thank you Fr. O'Neal for coming to celebrate Mass with us!

SJLCC - Parish Representative

Amy Rhynolds is now the Chairperson for the St. Joseph's Lakeside Community Centre's Board of Directors. We extend our best wishes to Amy for every success in this important role in our parish/community.

It has been the practice since the Community Centre was created to have a member of the Parish Council represent St. Joseph's on the Community Centre's Board of Directors.

Our most recent representatives were Henry Joosten who served the role many years and more recently Brooke Bailey who has since moved from the parish community. We thank Henry and Brooke for their contribution in this matter

We need your support. In that the Parish Council has fewer members now, and we are all getting older, we are looking for someone other than a Parish Council member to assume the role of Parish Representative on the Community Centre Board. Please give this matter your sincere consideration.

Should you have any questions please feel free to contact Jerome Grant, Parish Council Chair, at **(902) 867-1160**

Thank you

Website

The bulletin, scripture readings, homily, and resources for prayer and reflection, are available each week on our website by **Friday** evening.

Recent additions: Seven Ears of Grain, November 14th.

Go to: www.saintjosephscatholicchurch.org

Diocese of Antigonish

Join The Monthly Giving Program For Development & Peace-Caritas Canada

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Note that: Each February, you will receive an annual tax receipt for the total amount donated over the previous year.

When you become a monthly donor, you automatically become a lifetime member of Development & Peace!

Register today at <https://www.devp.org/en/become-a-monthly-donor/>

Community Events

The Nova Scotia Caregiving project would like to invite you to the following event

Do you **provide ongoing care** to someone because of a physical or mental disability, chronic illness or disease, older or frail, or palliative?

Join us for a Focus Group Discussion

Antigonish

November 22nd 2022

The People's Place: Antigonish Town & County Library
10:00-11:30am & 1:30-3:00pm

Pre-Registration Required

Go to [NSCaregivingProject.ca](https://www.nscaregivingproject.ca)



COVID-19 protocol will be followed to facilitate a safe event environment

Caregivers Centre on Aging CaregivingProject@msvu.ca 1-877-302-4440

Bulletin Submissions

Please send to Jean Collins at jpcollins@eastlink.ca or call **902-863-2482** before Thursday.

Bulletins are available once again at the entrance to the Church. Please let me know if you would also like to receive a copy of the bulletin each week via email.

Diocese of Antigonish

A Message From Bishop Wayne Kirkpatrick

Most current Public Health restrictions and mandates have ended, but this does not mean that the pandemic has ended. It will be important to use personal public health measures, both individually and collectively, to help keep each other safe, especially those who are at risk of severe disease due to age and/or underlying health issues.

Masking and social distancing are no longer required. However, we still encourage masking and social distancing in our churches. We need time to make the adjustment to the so-called “new-normal” as we learn to live with COVID.

Those who may not be able to attend church for health reasons or due to other COVID-19 restrictions are dispensed from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass.

Online Masses

Weekly Mass - Livestream (Video)

From St. Ninian’s Cathedral

Every Sunday - 10:30 am

On our website: <https://www.saintninian.ca>

On our Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/stninian.cathedral/>

Mass for Shut-Ins

Mass for Shut-Ins is aired on **Sundays at 11:30 am** on CTV, or it can be viewed on demand on our Diocese of Antigonish YouTube channel.

Diocese of Antigonish YouTube Channel

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCPYevnyrNU6zIWHdH8KJ71w>

Churches Online

<https://www.antigonishdiocese.com/churches-online/>

Daily TV Mass:

from the National Catholic Broadcasting Council
<https://dailytvmass.com/>

An Act of Spiritual Communion

My Dearest Jesus, I believe that You are present in the most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot, at this moment, receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from you. Amen.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH COVID-19 PRECAUTIONS

Effective March 21st the mandate for Covid-19 regulations will be lifted by the Provincial Dept. of Health.

This is news that many people will be glad to hear; however, there are many others who may be nervous about it.

In an effort to continue to control the spread of the Covid-19 virus we offer the following recommendations for weekly Mass attendance for your consideration. We do recognize these recommendations are optional, and the final choice is yours as to whether you accept or reject any or all of them.

....continue to wear Face masks

....continue to sanitize hands at the church entrance and before receiving communion

....continue to maintain social distancing for procession to and from receipt of communion

Please note: The pews in the North section of the Church will no longer be taped. Pews in the South section of the Church will continue to be taped to help maintain social distancing.

Hand sanitizing stations are available at the entrance to the church, and in the center isle for use before receiving communion. Extra bottles of sanitizer are also available at the back of the church for those who prefer to use them.

In summary, we are simply giving parishioners an opportunity and hopefully a comfort level to help you feel safe attending Mass, and at the same time attempt to control/prevent the spread of the Covid-19 virus.