

### SAINT THERESA'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH 381 Whitney Avenue; P.O. Box 367 Sydney, Nova Scotia, B1P 6H2

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Parish Council: Kim Carroll	Welcome all who join us in Worship!	Food Bank: 902.564.9235
902.564-0097	www.sainttheresasydney.com	
St. Theresa Parish Hall: 902.564.8555		Secretary: Flora Marchand
Weekend Masses:	Saturday 4:15pm Sunday 11:00am	Holy Hour Sat: 1pm-2pm*
Sacristan: Pat Parago	<u>Thurs , Fri. 12:10 pm</u>	Confessions Sat: 1-2pm*
Men's Club: Ken MacNeil 562-2386	No weekday mass if Funeral *	
CWL: Pres. Denise Forgeron 564-4037	No Holy Hour/ conf. if wedding/ Funeral *	
Hall: Alex LeBlanc 902.304-3344	Thursday Prayer Group 2:00 PM church Suspended Due to Covid 19	
Bulletin items must be in by 5pm on	<u>Office Hours – Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs 9:00am-Noon</u>	
Wed. Office # 902.564.4222	Sat. Prayer Group: on Break till further notice	



# November 7<sup>th</sup>, 2021 – 32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday Ordinary Time

She, from her poverty, has contributed all she had, her whole livelihood. (Gospel)



# \*This is the Year of St. Joseph declared by Pope Francis\*

#### **Dear Parishioners:**

#### Most, but not all restrictions are lifted, although some remain in place:

- . masks will continue to be mandatory for indoor public places the physical distancing requirement will be lifted
- the gathering limits for our church services will be lifted
- contact tracing will not be required, except for weddings and funerals since these faith gatherings may bring in people from outside our territory
- · our Church services are deemed to be essential by the government
- · proof of full vaccination will be required for non-essential events and activities
- Unfortunately, any activities held by our churches other than daily or weekly Mass will be subject to the POV, the proof of vaccine policy. For organized parish activities, the gathering limits will be lifted but the POV policy will apply.
- If it is a regular group with the same people, then proof of vaccination can be obtained once and does not need to be done each time this same group meets.
- There are no restrictions on singing but congregations will be required to remain masked.

<u>Christmas Cheer</u>: First registration will be held **Monday, November 22, 2021** at St. Theresa's Hall from 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm. Second registration will be **Monday, November 29, 2021** at St. Theresa's Hall from 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm. Christmas Cheer Pick up will be **Monday, December 20<sup>th</sup>2021** from 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm.

**Notice:** We are in need of volunteers to help decorate for Christmas, if you can help please call the office at 902-564-4222.

#### <u>Please Note: To rent the hall please call Alex at 902-564-8555 leave a message or call his cell</u> <u>902-304-3344.</u>

**Development & Peace**: By becoming a Share Year Round member, you help the most marginalized people of the world take control of their lives and build a better future. Your monthly contribution ensures our partners can support communities in their search for justice. For a few cents a day you can make a real difference in the struggle our partners face in the Global South. Visit our website devp.org

#### \*\*\*\*\*ST THERESA'S CWL NEWS\*\*\*\*\*

<u>St. Theresa CWL Rosary Project:</u> *The St. Theresa Rosary Project of the St. Theresa CWL continues with* 113,535. If you have rosaries to add please call Betty DeLeski @902-539-6170

<u>CWL Meeting:</u> The next monthly meeting will take place on Sunday, November 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm in the church hall, upstairs following Covid restrictions. This meeting is for our deceased members and we will be collecting items for St. Theresa Food Bank. As we slowly come together again, we welcome you all back.

<u>St. Theresa'</u> Men's Club Christmas Ticket draw December 12<sup>th</sup> Prize \$500.00 cash Tickets are \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00. Tickets available from any member of the Men's Club. Thank you for your ongoing support. The Men's Club meet the first Sunday of each month. We are in need of new members.

*Here is a link to the Corona Virus concerning restrictions and guidance:* <u>https://novascotia.ca/coronavirus/restrictions-and-guidance/</u>

A Warm Welcome to Our <u>New Parishioners!</u> Interested in joining Saint Theresa's Parish Family? Please let us know who you are and we will be happy to offer you more information and introduce you to our Parish life. Just fill out the form, (found at the entrances or online) place it in the basket, and we'll reach out to you soon. It's great to have you with us.

#### This week in the Diocese: http://www.antigonishdiocese.com/images/ThisMonthintheDiocese.pdf

### Thank You for your Generous Support! Please Pray for one another St Theresa's is Scent Free; please refrain from wearing heavy perfumes or colognes

We encourage you to use our 'Pre-Authorized Donation' (PAD) service and boxed set of envelopes. Choosing the PAD service makes it easier for you to support us and is a welcomed benefit to the Parish as our expenses continue year round. Please help support us by picking up a PAD form and a boxed set of envelopes found in the Church foyer. Please consider remembering St Theresa's Parish in your Will and include us in the bequeath section of the obituary notice. Our Registered Charity number is: #106880147 RR0081. Thank you and many blessings to you and your loved ones! The Office is now able to accept Visa, MasterCard and AmEx. As well as PayPal. <u>Envelopes:</u> There are envelopes in the Centre Entrance and at the office for Memorial Donations to the Hall or the Church or the Cemetery. We have also added a Donation Button to the Web Site.