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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	Thurs , Fri. 11:00am online live	Confessions Sat: TBA*
Men's Club: Ken MacNeil 562-2386	No weekday mass if Funeral	Please Visit the
CWL: Pres. Denise Forgeron 564-4037	No Holy Hour if wedding or Funeral –	Blessed Sacrament Chapel
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	Office Hours – Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs 9:00am-Noon	
Wed. Office # 902.564.4222	Sat. Prayer Group: on Break till further notice	



June 20, 2021 -12th Sunday Ordinary Time

A violent squall came up and the waves were breaking over the boat. (Gospel)



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

<u>Dear Parishioners:</u> In looking at our financial report for the past year we are down in income by 50% with the hall costs and other costs continuing. There will be a church wide report provided as soon as we are open. Please continue to pray for one another and for an end to the pandemic, as always you are all in my thoughts and prayers. *Fr Dennis*

<u>PLEASE NOTE:</u> Due to Covid Rules <u>DO NOT</u> congregate in the church after mass but leave as soon as possible.

Dear Parishioners: As many of you may already know we have entered Phase 2 of the opening, as announced by Dr. Strang on Tuesday. Bishop Wayne Joseph has confirmed that we will be allowed to reopen the Parishes for Mass; with a capacity of 25%, to a max of 50. I have sent the Bishop an email saying that this is very difficult for our parish, however, we will abide by these restrictions. So we will re-open for the weekend of June 19/20 with these maximums and this will mean that no one will be able to attend more than once. There will be a sign placed on the door, as soon as our maximum is reached, reflecting that we are at maximum capacity and no further entry may be made. There will be no reservations taken in advance, this will be a first come basis. "Our hope is in the Lord, who made heaven and earth...." May this madness soon end and may we be able to once again gather as a community, in proper numbers, and as the family that we have come to be. This time has been very difficult for you and for me and we have suffered a great deal. Please continue to pray for one another and stay safe. As this weekend is Father's Day, may God Bless all the Fathers of our Parish and those who have acted as Fathers in our lives.

Many Blessings, Fr Dennis Lamey P.p.

<u>Happy Father's Day</u> to all the fathers, grandfathers, godfathers and those who may acted as fathers. May God bless each of you!

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

<u>Please Note:</u> If Interested in helping at the church, please call the office at 902-564-4222 and leave your information or contact Patricia Parago. 304-3344

<u>St. Theresa's Church</u> is in need of a volunteer to take over the Decorating Ministry. The main objective of this ministry is to decorate God's house in a simple style that enhances our atmosphere of worship. This ministry involves the design and care for decorations, mainly floral and banners, to be used for regular liturgies and if interested please call the Glebe office at 902-564-4222.

<u>Attention:</u> Anyone wishing to drop off their church envelopes may do so just drop them in the mailbox by the office door, just ring the bell and we will go up and get them from the mailbox, as our expenses continue. Thank you to the parishioners who have dropped off their envelopes.

*****ST THERESA'S CWL NEWS*****

St. Theresa CWL Rosary Project: The St. Theresa Rosary Project of the St. Theresa CWL continues with 111,793. If you have rosaries to add please call Betty DeLeski @902-539-6170

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

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. **Envelopes:** 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.